

Sport Scenes

BY BILL HENLEY

We lost—again. Despite the efforts of our downtown contemporary, Ty Cobb, our 'Brush colleague, Jerry Wetzel, and our humble self, Marion Motley does not play in the Shrine East-West game. We struck out before we swung, but it's still unjust.

ATO is bearing down fast on that Kinnear trophy. The Taus handball team, Johnny Gabrielli and Willie Etchemendy, are too much for the rest of the field. The rest of the Greeks have come close, but we lost our marbles in grammar school 'cause close doesn't count, and the rule holds still.

Other duties force us to pen this garble early in the week, so we wouldn't know about last-minute reserve changes. Latest Washington directives as we pounce away indicate that a start on calling the Army reserves will be made after January 1. This means, offhand on the basketball team, Harry Paille, who won't be easy to replace.

Paille has turned in some neat jobs

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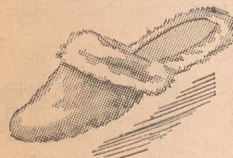
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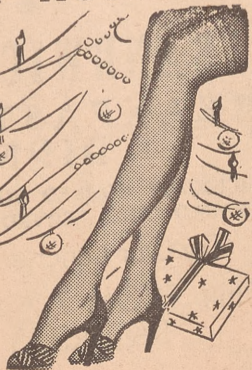
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Jake Lawlor's Wolf Pack cagers swept through both games of last weekend's series, smothering the McClellan Fliers from Sacramento, 75-28 and 87-19, to run up the greatest one-sided scores in Nevada's cage history. In Friday night's game, Lawlor started a vastly improved quintet which included O'Shaughnessy and Melarkey, forwards; Paille, center, and Sorenson and Graves at the guard positions. Evidently lacking organization due to insufficient practice, the Fliers were no match for the varsity cagers, who immediately took the initiative, sweeping through the opponent's defense time after time to fill the hoop with an avalanche of baskets.

O'Shaughnessy and Melarkey, with 18 and 15 points, respectively, led the Nevadans, while Knoposis and Canakes played outstanding ball for the losers. In Saturday's game, sharp shooting Nevada varsity squad unmercifully trimmed the McClellan Fliers by a lopsided 87-19 score. The hapless Fliers were unable to stop the speedy Nevada offense, which sank a continual barrage of baskets from all corners of the court. The Nevadans, led by Bob O'Shaughnessy and Jim Melarkey, each garnering 20 points, amassed one of the greatest scores in the school's history.

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Friday's Game NEVADA (75) vs McCLELLAN FIELD (28). Player list with fg, ft, tp, pf stats.

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Totals Nevada 87, McClellan 19. Officials: Montgomery, Layson.

Handball Doubles Conquered by Taus

ATO's Willie Etchemendy - Johnny Gabrielli combination, repeated their last year's performance to win the intramural handball doubles title.

With six wins and no losses, the Taus were scheduled to meet Phi Sigs tomorrow. However, since the Sigs have been unable to enter a team, this meet will be forfeited to chalk up seven wins and no losses for ATO.

Sigma Nu took second place with Bill Ebert and Earl Meyers scoring a total of six wins and one loss.

With matches still to be played, Lambda Chi, Theta Chi, the Independents and SAE will fight it out for the remaining Kinnear trophy points, in today and tomorrow's matches.

Following are the results, including yesterday's games:

Table of handball results with columns for team names and win/loss records.

WAA Co-Fun Night Postponed Today Until After Xmas

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As soon as basketball season is over, according to Miss Ruth Russell, the WAA will try the plan on the "every week" schedule.

Red Cross Parties For Men in Service Planned This Xmas

"A present for every soldier present" is the slogan of the Christmas parties to be given for service men by the Red Cross next week.

Through donations, the camp and hospital service committee of the Red Cross, which is in charge of arrangements for the parties, expects to give each soldier a small present. Contributions of all sorts are requested from university students and others to make the parties more enjoyable, according to Mrs. Stuart Williams, vice-chairman of the committee. Individual boxes are acceptable, she explained, but donations of money are especially desired to enable the service group to purchase more gifts.

Mrs. Williams has made a special appeal to campus organizations for contributions of any sort. Money will be appreciated as well as workers to aid in wrapping packages for the parties and repairing equipment to be used at the camps, she said.

Headquarters for the camp and hospital service committee are at 210 Granite Street. The telephone is 4848. Any organization wishing to help in any way should call Mrs. Williams and offer its services to the committee.

TRI-DELTS HOLD PARTY

Forty-four Tri-Delts pledges and friends attended a fireside party last Friday afternoon at the house. The group spent the afternoon playing bridge and "kootie."

In charge of the affair were Lavina Ramelli, chairman; Genevieve Shi, Virginia Woodbury, Claire Zollinger, Jackie Prescott and Vivian Cobia.

Senate Approves Season Sweaters

16 Players Receive Award, Two Managers

Sweater awards for the 1942 football season were approved by the executive committee of the Senate at a special meeting held yesterday.

Players awarded sweaters by the committee are Stanley Cohen, Floyd Edsall, Jordan Ellades, Marion Motley, John Hatalla, Jim O'Neill, Bill Parrish, Dan Potter, Sam Poulakidas, Vincent Shea, Kenneth Simms, Hugh Smithwick, Don Talcott, Bob Wise, Fred Wristen and Bob Cashbaugh. Frank Andrews and Jim Borge were awarded manager sweaters.

These players are eligible for sweaters providing they pass 11 hours, Gene Mastrotanni, president, declared.

Dean Wood Holds Math Club Party

Dean Frederick Wood, head of the mathematics department, honored the members of the Math Club with a Christmas party held at his house last Saturday.

Games and refreshments were served during the evening.

"A party for the freshmen is being planned," stated Mary Ferguson, president, "but no definite date has been arranged as yet. However, it will be sometime after Christmas."

Wheeler Surveys Pioche District

To initiate geological work on the zinc reserve, Dr. Harry Eugene Wheeler, assistant professor of geology at the Mackay School of Mines, is spending ten days in the Pioche district.

At the request of the Nevada State Bureau of Mines, Dr. Wheeler, a recognized authority on geological formations in that district, is aiding the United States Geological Survey department in this work.

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Christmas Parties Planned by Coeds

Gamma Phi Beta's annual Christmas party, "The Muffin Worry," was held in the chapter house Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Carl Gottschalk and daughter, Carol, presented two puppet shows, "The Christmas Carol," and "Ferdinand." Refreshments were served while "Santa Claus," Brownie Wylie, distributed presents. Frances Crane was in charge of arrangements.

Delta Delta Delta, Kappa Alpha Theta and Pi Beta Phi have scheduled their Christmas parties for Monday night in their respective houses. Arrangements chairmen are Annette Leighton, Kappa Alpha Theta; Valerie Snell, Delta Delta Delta, and Helen Meaker, Pi Beta Phi.

Harris Speaks to Engineer Group

Everett Harris, assistant professor of mechanical engineering, gave an illustrated lecture on "diatoms" at a meeting of the Associated Engineers held last night.

Harris' hobby is photomicrography, the photographing of microscopic objects. In pursuing his hobby he has made a study of these organisms. During his lecture he showed some of the pictures he had taken.

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Schlager, Russell Assigned to Duty

Marine Lieutenants Complete Course

Assignment to active duty with a combat unit of the United States Marine Corps has been received by Lieutenants Wes Schlager and John Russell, it was learned here today.

Both are graduates with last May's class and were prominent in student affairs.

The assignment for the two Nevada men came following their completion of a special course of study in modern artillery, according to the official Marine Corps dispatch.

The dispatch did not disclose the location of their duty station, however.

Schlager and Russell joined the leathernecks shortly after graduation last spring. They began their training as officer candidates at the Marine base, Quantico, Va., and were commissioned second lieutenants upon successful completion of the basic course.

Three months of instruction in the principles of command followed, and they were then assigned to the artillery course.

A mathematics major from Las Vegas, Lieutenant Schlager was prominent in many campus activities. He was co-captain of the Wolf Pack football team in his senior year and was one of the steadiest performers in the Nevada line during his three years of varsity play.

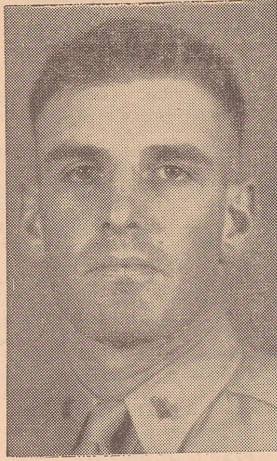
A member of Lambda Chi Alpha, he was also a member of Blue Key, Coffin and Key, Sundowners and Sagers.

Lieutenant Russell was a mining engineer major, was also affiliated with Lambda Chi and was a member of Sundowners and Sagers.

"What do you think would go well with my new purple and green golf socks?"

"Hip boots."

LIEUT. SCHLAGER



Wes Schlager, along with John Russell, both '41, was this week assigned to a Marine Corps combat unit, after graduation from Quantico officer candidates school.

Streeter Demands Action by Groups Or Make Changes

"Some new appointments will be made to the men's upperclass committee after the first of the year," stated Jack Streeter, chairman of the committee.

During the meeting held yesterday at the ASUN building, the committee dished out five swats to George Getto and Tom Cross for violating campus traditions.

Streeter said, "The sophomore vigilante committee must either start giving out tickets or disband," since that committee has not functioned since the beginning of the semester.

Members of the men's upperclass committee are Jack Streeter, Pete Echeverria, Paul Gibbons, Jack Shaw, Rube Boyce, Jerry Wetzel, Dick Elmore, Ed Monsanto, Don O'Hagan and Bill Beko.

Three Elected to Blue Key Group

Three University of Nevada juniors were recently chosen for membership in Blue Key fraternity, honorary upperclassmen society. The men were Noel Willis, Phi Sigma Kappa; James Borge and Nell Stewart, Alpha Tau Omega.

Noel Willis, Phi Sigma Kappa president, is on the Senate executive committee and is secretary of the Aggie Club.

Borge is a member of the Aggie Club and of the Future Farmers Association. This year he was varsity football manager, and during his freshman and sophomore years was basketball manager.

Stewart is president of the Future Farmers Association and Aggie Club. He also is active in the Sundowners.

Eight USDA Agents Meet and Discuss 1943 Food Problem

Representatives of eight federal agencies composing the state USDA War Board met in the Agricultural Extension Building on the campus Thursday of this week to discuss war food production goals for the coming year.

E. A. Settelmeyer of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, is chairman of the board. Director Thomas E. Buckman of the Agricultural Extension Service is the vice-chairman.

Other members of the board attending the meeting were George Hardman, Soil Conservation Service; Alexander McQueen, U. S. Forest Service; Edward Paxton, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, and George Ogilvie, Farm Credit Administration.

Lambda Chi Give Final Initiation

Lambda Chi Alpha will complete initiation for 18 pledges Sunday with a final degree at the chapter house and a banquet in the El Cortez hotel.

The pledges who will be initiated are Bill Arant, Don Bell, Bob Clark, George Dickerson, Evo Granata, John Jorgensen, Jim Knowles, Bob Knox, Harold

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3 Coeds Initiated Into Gamma Phi; Two Pledge Others

Mary Alice Holmes, Mary Beth Winchester and Faye Weeks were honored at a buffet snack at the Gamma Phi Beta house late Saturday night after initiation ceremonies.

The initiates are all transfers from California junior colleges. Both Miss Winchester and Miss Holmes attended Lassen Junior College in Susanville, while Miss Weeks went to Porterville, J. C. last year. Brownie Wylie, vice-president of the sorority, presided in the absence of Betty Nash Carlson.

Margie Eather, freshman student from Reno, pledged Delta Delta Delta December 7. Caroline Gibson of Salt Lake City, pledged Kappa Alpha Theta December 11.

Three Graduates Hold Chance Meet On Pacific Isle

Miller, Demosthenes, Quilici Reunite in Jap War Zone

BY WAYNE BRADFORD

A reunion of three Nevada graduates was held recently in an officers' club on an island in the south Pacific, according to a letter from Robert C. Miller, United Press war correspondent, to A. L. Higginbotham, head of the journalism department.

In his letter Miller tells of his experiences in the war zone stating that his happiest moment came when he ran into Marines Captains Ted Demosthenes and Cliff Quilici, former college mates.

Miller started his letter aboard an Army bomber over the Pacific and wrote it in spurts. In his own words he says "I have changed planes three times, had a wild ride over a mountain in a jeep, spent three days on a beautiful south sea island and had a Nevada reunion while writing this letter."

Landed in Solomons

Bob Miller, who graduated from the University of Nevada in 1938, first landed in the Solomon Islands when he went ashore with the first task group of Marines. He then proceeded to make some of his own news when he captured the first Jap flag taken by the Americans. After six weeks of real danger and hard work, Miller was sent to Honolulu for a rest. On the way back a motor burnt out on the bomber returning him to Hawaii. All mail, most of the gasoline, and all extra weight had to be dumped out before the single motor could carry them to safety. He then expected to return to the United States, but the United Press decided to send him back to the war front.

He closed his letter by sending holiday greetings from Demosthenes, Quilici and himself to all of their friends in Nevada.

Stamp Sales Climb More Than Average

Defense stamp sales were "a little better than average," Postmaster Robert Prescott reported this week.

There were not a great number of student purchases, Prescott said, but those that bought stamps made very large purchases.

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Sorority Contributes Toward Bonds, Stamps

Zeta Phi Zeta members were admitted to their meeting this week only after they had contributed a small sum toward purchases of war bonds and stamps.

New sorority pins were approved and Muriel Westergard is in charge of ordering them, it was announced.

Plans were made for cooperating with the AWVS.

Press Conference Not Decided Yet

The question of whether or not to hold the annual high school press conference will be decided Tuesday at a meeting of the Press Club, according to Bill Friel, president.

Letters have been received from the various high schools, most of them indicating that delegates will be sent if the conference is held.

News Service Asks For Photograph of Coed Aggie Stude

International News Photos has requested a picture of Miss Janet Rankin, first coed to invade the college of agriculture, to be used in its world wide photo coverage service.

The Associated Press carried a story about Miss Rankin, and as a result the International News Photos wrote to Professor A. L. Higginbotham asking for a picture that could be used in its syndicate.

Miss Rankin lives on the Dogcreek Ranch near Verdi.

YWCA Will Send Orphans' Gifts

The annual Christmas party given by the Nevada campus YWCA for the children at the State Orphans' Home in Carson City will not be held this year because of gas rationing, according to Mildred Missimer, president.

A box of presents for the children will be packed at an informal gathering to be held at the home of Nancy Herz Tuesday evening, December 22.

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