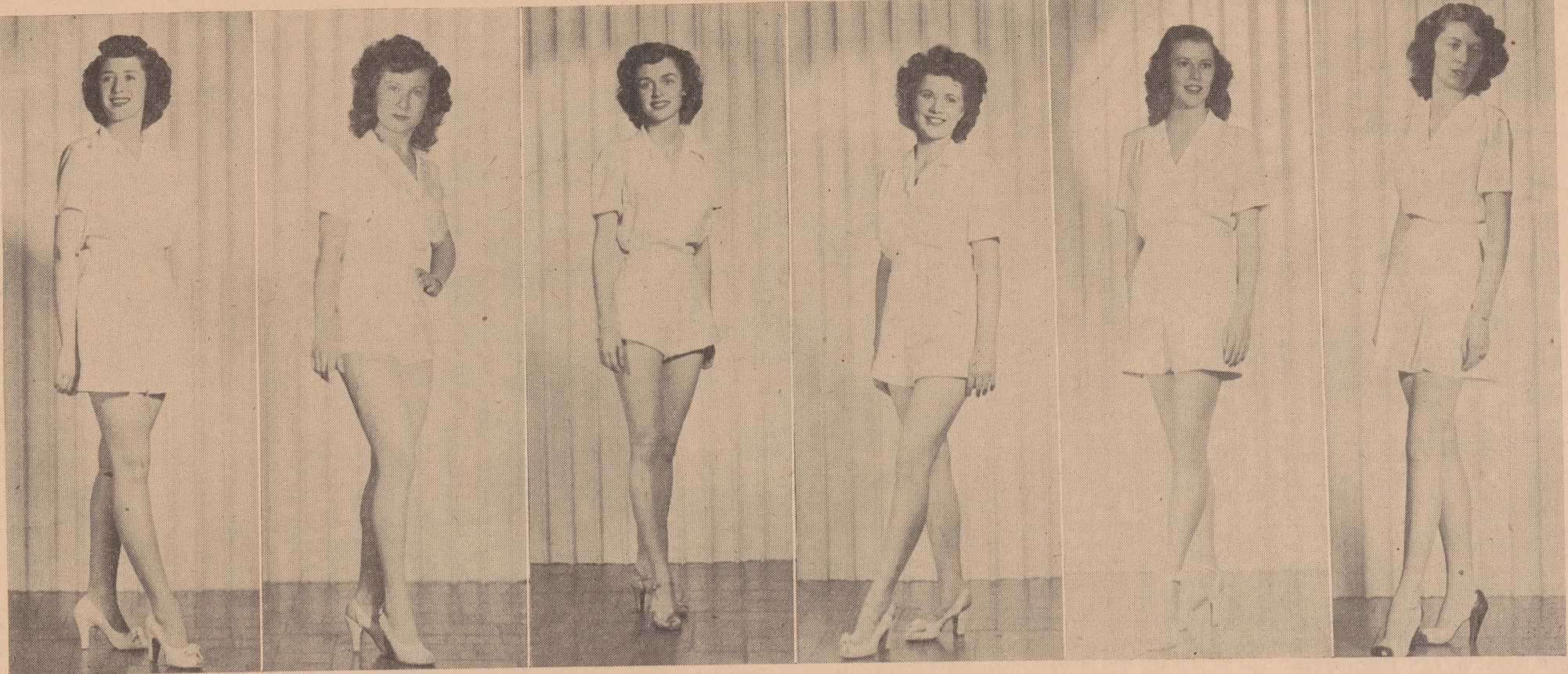


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Whitney Wins Crown In Extemp Speaking

Scott Whitney last night won the 24th annual Pacific Forensic extemporaneous speaking championship held in the education auditorium.

Defeating a field of eight of the top speakers representing colleges and universities of the west, Whitney's final and decisive speech was "Union of Democracies in Western Europe."

Second in the scoring was Don Dimmick of Oregon State; third place was won by Gordon Jayne of Whitman College; and the University of Southern California's Milton Doblin was fourth in the final balloting.

Presents Trophies

Dr. Robert Gorrell, head of the department of English at the University of Nevada, introduced the competitive speakers and presented the winning trophies at the conclusion of the contest.

In this particular type of debate contest, each speaker is given his topic one hour in advance and must have a fully prepared speech at the end of the allotted hour. Preliminary contests were held Thursday afternoon with winners advancing to the finals last night.

The Pacific Forensic League is composed of Stanford University, Whitman College, University of Southern California, Oregon State University, Willamette University, University of Idaho, University of Arizona, University of Washington, University of Nevada, University of Oregon, University of California and University of California at Los Angeles.

President of the league is W. Arthur Cable of the University of Arizona; vice-president is Walfred A. Dahlberg of the University of Oregon, and secretary-treasurer is Nevada's S. M. Vinocour.

League's Purpose

Purpose of the league, which is open to all colleges and universities of the Pacific coast and adjacent states on unanimous vote of the membership, is to promote forensics generally, and to provide an annual meeting place where faculty and student delegates may discuss their peculiar problems.

Problem-solving discussions, such as those held Wednesday under the leadership of Professor Dahlberg on "What American Policy Toward Russia Will Most Likely Promote Peace" give an opportunity to try out and adopt those types of forensic activities which contribute most to the development of intellectual honesty, clear thinking and effective speaking for those participating. Vinocour pointed out.

The conference will close tonight with a banquet at Hotel El Cortez at which the after-dinner speaking contest will be held.

'48 Easter Vacation Is One of Longest

Even though this year's Easter vacation was two days shorter than the one in 1947, it is one of the longest ever given by the university, a check of the records revealed today.

"The difference between the time of last year's Easter vacation and the one just passed," said Professor Fredrick Wood, chairman of the administrative council, "is that we borrowed two days from Easter vacation and applied them to the beginning of this semester. The extra time helped the registrar compile and fill out registration forms."

Probably the shortest Easter vacation ever given by the university was back in 1920 when the catalogue proudly announced that school would be dismissed from April 2-4.

On the other end, the longest Easter recorded by the catalogues was in 1946, when classes were excused for seven school days, April 13-23.

HOME EC CLUB GROWS

The Home Economics Club has taken in two new members, Donna Moore and Elaine Hickman. At the last meeting of the group, President Altheta Benedict, who is chairman of the Mackay Day luncheon committee, announced that members of the club will be at the head of various divisions for the luncheon.

Top Wolf Speakers Asked to Nationals

On the basis of Nevada's outstanding debating record this season, two Wolf Pack speakers have been invited, along with representatives from 31 other schools throughout the nation, to compete in the National Debate Tournament at West Point in late April.

Announcement of the selection of Bonnie Yturvide and Scott Whitney to carry the colors of the University of Nevada into the national meet was made this week by S. M. Vinocour, debate squad coach.

Both Yturvide and Whitney will represent District One, which includes California, Nevada, Arizona and Utah.

Engineers Start Formulating Plans For 'Day in May'

Plans for the second Engineers Day since the war, to take place May 15, are being formulated by the heads of the four engineering societies and the president of the Associated Engineers.

Dan Rice of the electrical engineers, John Witte of the civils, Charlie Coe of the mechanical engineers, Roy Dondero of the mining group and Charles Breese of the Associated Engineers make up the committee which had its first meeting March 16. The early planning is in anticipation of an Engineering Day to measure up to last year's very successful event.

Contests which the committee has so far decided upon include the following: muck-ing, the shortest time for filling a mine car with ore; hard rock drilling, single and double jack-hammer men drilling the deepest in allotted time; riveting, speed and quality in driving rivets into sheet steel, and surveying.

The student chapters of the four national engineering societies also plan to sponsor exhibits in their respective schools along with the exhibits of the pre-medical, chemistry and physics department.

Governor Names April as Cancer Warfare Month

Governor Vail Pittman has proclaimed the month of April "Cancer Control Month."

Each of the 16 counties in the state have a percentage quota in donations to fulfill. Washoe county has the largest per cent, 27.07. The state goal is \$22,740.

President John O. Moseley said today, "This is a very worthy cause. Every student should make some contribution, large or small. Cancer is one of the dread enemies of mankind and we should fight it as if we were waging war. The university will cooperate with the drive in every way possible."

Cancer will kill an estimated 180,000 Americans in 1948 alone, according to figures released by the Cancer Society.

Meeting Held

The annual meeting of the Nevada division of American Cancer Society was held last week in Winnemucca. The meeting was a combination business session and instruction period for the campaign workers. The program was climaxed by a public forum with many Nevada doctors, with special training in cancer detection and treatment, attending.

Speakers at the Winnemucca conference were Dr. Stanley L. Hardy, Las Vegas, medical director for the southern division of ACS; Dr. Paul O. Wiig, Reno, state executive chairman for ACS, and Dr. Fred M. Anderson of Reno.

Hutcheson Receives New History Grant

August E. Hutcheson, associate professor of history and political science, has received a continuation of a Nevada history research grant from the Rockefeller Institute. The new grant will be used for research into the papers of Senator John P. Jones of Nevada.

Professor Hutcheson is the first one to have access to the senator's home correspondence. He has been working on the material since 1945.

Senator Jones lived in Nevada for nearly 30 years.

Beardless Males To Face Dunking

The custom of "laking" violators of the Mackay Day beard growing contest will be in effect this year, announced Tommy Thompson, chairman of the men's upperclass committee. Only medical and employment excuses will be honored.

Headed for the lake will be all male offenders who have not been excused by April 7. Written explanations should be deposited in the ASUN president's office by that date.

Plans for the big day were discussed this morning at a combined meeting of the men's upperclass committee and the sophomore vigilantes. The two groups met at 11:50 am in the ASUN building, said Thompson.

Official Scholastic Ratings of Frats Released by Dean

Dean of Men Robert C. Griffin last week released the official interfraternity council scholarship standings of fraternities.

A recent statement released from the registrar's office and printed in an earlier edition of the Sagebrush, listed fraternities according to the average of the active members and not fraternities as a whole, stated Griffin.

Fraternities were rated in the following order: Lambda Chi Alpha, 2.35; Sigma Rho Delta, 2.20; Alpha Tau Omega, 2.072; Sigma Alpha Epsilon, 2.071; Phi Sigma Kappa, 2.064; Sigma Nu, 2.008, and Theta Chi, 1.99.

The dean of men's scholarship cup, awarded on the basis of the scholarship standings of members and pledges whose names appear on the list submitted to the dean of men's office during the earlier weeks of the semester, went to Lambda Chi Alpha who replaced last year's winner, Sigma Rho Delta.

FLASH!

An appropriation of \$300 to the intramural baseball program was approved today by the board of athletic control.

Pack's Track Season Opens Tomorrow Against Conditioned Cal Aggie Team

BULLETIN

Woody Wilson, Cal Aggie track coach, informed university officials today that unless heavy thunder showers around Davis cease by morning, tomorrow's track meet between the Wolves and Aggies at the latter's oval will have to be postponed until Monday or Tuesday.

Barbs Plan Picnic At Pyramid Lake Sunday Afternoon

An outing at Pyramid Lake is planned by the Independents for Sunday afternoon. Members will meet in front of Stewart Hall at 1:30 and transportation will be provided there.

A phonograph is to be operated by a representative from Saviers and will furnish music for dancing on the beach. Baseball and volley ball are also planned for the afternoon, among other games.

Wally Kurtz is in charge of the outing and Nilda Cox is the social chairman for the event.

On March 20, the Barbs held a progressive dinner. Geri Parker, Jo Ann Barbash, Nilda Cox and Irene Waterman, Barbara Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. Molk served various courses of the dinner at their homes. After the dinner, the group met at Miss Barbash's home for entertainment, and according to Tom Macaulay, Independent president, a great time was had by all.

Only Two Assemblies Are Left on Schedule

Only two more student assemblies remain on the spring semester schedule, according to Dr. Robert M. Gorrell, faculty member of the committee on lectures and assemblies.

Classes will be dismissed on Friday, April 30, at 11 am, and on Thursday, May 27, at 11 am.

Although the nature of these assemblies has not been definitely decided, Dr. Gorrell stated the first will probably be devoted to Mackay Day celebrations.

Tomorrow afternoon the University of Nevada trackmen will meet a strong California Aggie team which has had the advantage of weeks of training under ideal conditions.

Facing this season opener with a squad lacking in training due to the bad weather and Easter vacation, Coach Jake Lawlor nevertheless was optimistic when asked for a prediction on the results.

The Pack thinclads consisting of 24 men left this afternoon for Davis, California, where tomorrow's meet will be held.

Lawlor claims that the Pack possessed the necessary material for a winning team; however, this Saturday they will be running hard races in heat to which they just are not accustomed. Of course, Lawlor added, since this is the opening meet for both schools there aren't any comparative times or performances to go by. We will just have to wait and see.

Trial Runs

During the trial runs last Wednesday, Jack Fagan who has just recovered from virus X ran the 880 in the time of 2:06. Dick Trachock did the 440 in 52.2. Running the 220, Charles Springer and Sherman Howard finished in a dead heat of 22.6. In the 100 yard dash Howard finished in 9.9 while Springer stopped the clock at 10 flat. Bob Collett and Carl Robinson ran the low hurdles in 25.3 and 25.4, respectively.

Also competing for Nevada are Tom Bell, weights; Roger Brander, weights; Bob Collett, pole vault and hurdles; Willard Elder, sprints; Ted Ensslin, hurdles, high jump and broad jump.

Jack Fagan, 880; Herman Fisher, high hurdles and discus; Elmer Green, high jump; Dick Gorman, high jump; Ugo Giorgi, weights; Sherman Howard, sprints; Ed Klosterman, 440; Tommy Kalmanir, broad jump; Carl Robinson, hurdles.

Charles Springer, sprints; Ross Smith, mile; Paul Stimak, shotput and hurdles; Jack Sullivan, javelin; Dick Trachock, 440; and Paul Wigg, discus.

The Nevada relay team will consist of Klosterman, Fagan, Robinson and Trachock.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

(Anonymous letters to the editor 99 out of 100 times make the waste basket. In this case, since the subject matter concerns a current vital issue, we waive the "waste basket policy" and allow "Three Freshman Girls" to have their say.—Ed. note.)

March 23, 1948

Letter to the Editor
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 To the Editor:
 Regarding the article and editorial in last week's Sagebrush on the subject of campus tradition, we wish to state that we freshmen are in favor of traditions and freshman restrictions, so long as they are not carried to extremes. But we feel that making one girl a spectacle before the entire student body is not in keeping with the democratic spirit

of the University of Nevada. Rather it seems a means of the upperclassmen to flaunt their undisputed power. We are in favor of these traditions so long as they do not convert the University of Nevada campus into a dictatorship ruled by an exalted few. We feel it would have been more tactful and diplomatic not to have mentioned the girl's name in the column. In fact, it would have been much better to have devised a more practical method of punishment in the beginning and not carry the problem into the second semester. Surely the members of the committee could have ascertained sooner that the girl was not willing to cooperate, and could have dropped her name from the list of violators without any loss of prestige.
 Three Freshman Girls.

Campus Queries

The arrival of the Freedom Train was of great interest to most of the students on campus. When asked their opinion the next day many replied that they couldn't get in, the line was too long. Some who did see it, however, had various remarks to make.
 Marilyn MacDonald, Jr. A&S, "It was very impressive."

Margaret Fairchild, Tri-Delt Aggie student, "It was very enlightening."

Bud Gianelli, Phi Sig, A&S, "It was very American."

Carol Keith, Sr. A&S, "It was very convenient. Practically all I had to do was to step out of the Gamma Phi house into the line."

Philip Auchampaugh, associate professor of history and political science, "It was very successful as a means of visual education and it brought to attention things many people would never be able to see. It showed that there is still a lot of patriotism for thousands to stand in line that long."

LeRoy Etchegaray, Sigma Nu Aggie student, "It sure was a long line, but I guess it was worth it."

Jean DeMuth, Fr. A&S, "There was a lot I could not have ever seen otherwise."

A. L. Higginbotham, professor of journalism, "Very educational. It was interesting to see the first works of free press."

Orsie Graves, Sr. A&S, "All it lacked was a pinball machine."

Myrna Ivy, Fr. A&S, "The government has gone to a lot of expense so we can see it. This country is part of us, so the Freedom Train should be."

Miss Jessie Pope, instructor of home economics, "I wouldn't have missed it for anything. It was a very thrilling experience."

Rosalie Enke, Jr. A&S, "It

Vet's Pay Raise To Be Automatic; Due About May 1

Increased subsistence scheduled to commence April 1 will be automatic to most veterans and they are requested not to call or write the Veterans administration, a spokesman from the Reno VA declared today.
 All eligible veterans studying under Public Law 346, the GI Bill, and disabled veterans studying under Public Law 16 will receive automatic increases to \$75 or \$105 in pay checks due on or about May 1, except where veterans income from productive labor, when combined with subsistence allowance, equals or exceeds the ceilings of \$175 and \$200 per month, which was established under Public Law 679. These ceilings have not yet been changed.

A bill now before congress provides for a change in the new subsistence bill, so that the ceilings on earnings will also be increased, but until this bill is passed, vets will have to keep their earnings at the old level.

Veterans pursuing full-time courses under the GI Bill and Public Law 16 with more than one dependant will receive instructions with their pay checks on the method of applying for further increase to \$120. All vets are urged to comply with these instructions as soon as possible. The VA will request a copy of the dependant's birth certificate and other pertinent information. All increases will be retroactive to April 1.

Increasing the payments of an estimated 1100 full time students veterans in the university and schools in the Reno area involves a tremendous amount of work, said the spokesman, and veterans are requested to refrain from calling or writing the VA unless instructed to do so. They will thus speed the processing of their subsistence increase.

Hall of Fame Has Two Fold Purpose, Says Higginbotham

"The purpose of the Hall of Fame is two fold: to honor past Nevada newspapermen and to serve as an inspiration to journalism students at the university," said Professor Alfred A. Higginbotham, chairman of the journalism department.

In cooperation with the journalism department, the Nevada State Press Association inaugurated the Hall of Fame in the journalism building during the weekend meeting of the NSPA held on the campus recently.
 Biographies of Nevada newspapermen were submitted by advance journalism students to a committee headed by Chris Sheeran, editor of the Elko Daily Free Press and a graduate of the university. Membership to the Hall of Fame was limited by agreement of the committee to deceased journalists who worked for Nevada newspapers before 1890.

A secret ballot was held and three were elected to be honored. Mark Twain (1835-1910), Virginia City Territorial Enterprise (1852-1864); Dan Dequille (1829-1898), Virginia City Territorial Enterprise (1862-1893, and Sam Davis (1850-1918), Carson City Chronicle, Carson City Appeal, and Virginia City Territorial Enterprise.

STUDENT IS AWARDED ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP

Mary Bray, sophomore pre-law student, this week was awarded the annual Reno Rotary Club scholarship of \$250. The scholarship, which was raised this year from \$100 to \$250, is paid in eight installments.

Four payments are made in the fall semester and four in the spring. The scholarship is paid on a calendar basis starting in January of each year. The award is given for outstanding character and scholarship.

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Dr. Griffin Returns From a National Deans Conference

Nevada seems to have met its problems of housing, feeding, instruction and guidance at least as well and better than most of America's universities. So said Dr. Robert E. Griffin, dean of men, on his return from Dallas where he attended the National Deans Conference.

Educators from all over America met at the three day conference in Dallas' Hotel Adolphus to listen to speeches and participate in talks dealing with the present problems of our colleges.

Outstanding speaker of the conference was Dr. Cowley, professor of higher education at Stanford University, who

spoke on the problems of guidance in today's universities.

Dr. Griffin stated that housing, which has always been one of the major problems for the universities, still holds a ranking spot in the troubles of most schools. It is a trouble which at present most institutions are able to deal with in a temporary way only.

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Thurs.-Sat.—April 8-10 Always Together Joyce Reynolds Robert Hutton	Wed.-Sat.—April 7-10 If You Knew Susie Eddie Cantor Joan Davis	Wed., Thurs.—April 7, 8 UNFAITHFUL A. Sheridan Z. Scott ROSES ARE RED D. Castle P. Knudsen	Tues., Wed.—April 6, 7 THE MAN I LOVE I. Lupino R. Alda Beast With Five Fingers R. Alda A. King	Wed., Thurs.—April 7, 8 INTRIGUE G. Raft J. Havoc KILROY WAS HERE J. Cooper J. Coogan
		Fri., Sat.—April 9, 10 WESTERN UNION R. Young R. Scott BETTY COED J. Porter W. Mason	Thurs., Fri.—April 8, 9 RED STALLION R. Paige T. Donaldson BLIND SPOT C. Morris C. Dwoling	Fri., Sat.—April 9, 10 I LOVE TROUBLE F. Tone J. Blari TERROR TRAIL C. Starrett
			Sat.—April 10 LOVE AND LEARN J. Carson J. Paige BLACK STALLION (Story of a wild horse)	

Radcliffe College Offers Publishing Course in Summer

Graduating senior women are eligible to enroll in a Radcliffe College summer program that will prepare them for employment in publishing.

The course will survey requirements and opportunities in publishing and provide practical training for employment.

Class is scheduled to run from June 28 to August 6. Studies will be built around two projects, work with book-length manuscripts and production of a dummy for a magazine. Space writing, layout, paste-up of art work and photography will be given special emphasis.

Applicants must be graduates of a four-year college, have writing ability and knowledge of typewriting. Applications close May 15.

Helen Everitt, New York editor of Houghton Mifflin Co., will direct the courses. Edward Weeks, editor of the *DeVoto*, Harpy's Magazine critic, and Stuart Rose, associate editor of the *Saturday Evening Post*, will assist Miss Everitt.

SADDLE AND SPURS HIT LEATHER AGAIN

Saddle and Spurs will hit the leather again and begin a six to eight weeks spring riding period on Tuesday. Members will meet at the gymnasium at 3 pm and then go to Chaska West ranch.

Billie Kennedy, president, announced that practice will begin next week for the annual spring horsemanship show, and that fee for the riding period has been set at \$12.50.



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News From Abroad

By Della Sorenson

Winter is the season when all budding Bernhards and Barrymores get a chance to practice. This is especially true of those still in college, because the average college student is not too particular about the grade of drama which is presented on the campuses because they don't have to attend.

But for some reason, they keep on trying, which just goes to show that there is a certain spirit among actors. And it must be prevalent, because it seems to be going on all over the country.

The Indiana Daily Student: "The final rehearsal is over. Tonight is the real thing! The university theater-curtain will rise at 8 pm on the 20th Jordan River Revue.

"The show will follow the original idea of the Jordan River Revue in that specialty acts will be combined in a show without plot or a leading role."

Well, how original.

Seattle College Spectator: "Fun and better than one can imagine, are the words that describe the Drama Guild presentation of 'State of the Union' March 19, at the Moore Theater."

There must be other words, too.

The Collegian: "In preparation for the next production, 'Hedda Gabler,' which will open next Tuesday and run three nights, the Laboratory Theater, experimental division of the University Street Playhouse, has completed renovating both the stage and floor."

Always wanted to see Hedda Gabler run three nights.

The Miami Hurricane: "If a recent popularity of Irish brogue on campus has become too obvious, it might be traced to the Box Theater where Director James Costy is putting his cast of 'The Plough and the Stars' through their paces in preparation for a four-week run at the end of March."

Isn't every cast that has to run for four weeks.

And we ring down the curtain this week with this definition: A burlesque is where all the actresses believe that all the men in the audience are from Missouri.

See you in the fourth row.

Pajama parties are rarely successful. Too much bad feeling usually results.

Coeds' Future Bright in Personal Aviation



MR. WILLIAM H. KLENKE, JR., General Sales Manager, Stinson Division, Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation, discusses the bright future in personal aviation, for coeds who fly, with members of the Stephens College Aviation Club.

Left to right—Miss Marilyn Foster, Palantine Bridge, New York, Miss Lil Cobb, LaGrange, Georgia, Miss Ann Hines, Brentwood, Tennessee, Klenke and Miss Lila Fletcher, Piedmont, California.

Stephens girls have flown six million air miles without one serious accident. More than 300 Stephens aviation graduates have been hired by the airlines in ticketing and stewardess positions, more than 400 wings, 35 commercial ratings and 24 instructor ratings have been earned by Stephens students since 1941.

Betty Burr Heads Gamma Phi Beta

Miss Betty Burr was elected president of Gamma Phi Beta in a meeting held before the holidays at the chapter house. Miss Burr is a junior student, secretary of the YWCA, and is active in several other campus groups.

Other officers elected to act for the ensuing year are Shirley Bell, vice-president; Ida Bess Sanderson, treasurer; Rita Mortara, corresponding secretary; Joyce McElwain, recording secretary; Pat Fee, rush chairman, and Elinore McCray, pledge trainer.

Lorraine Houghton was chosen by Gamma Phi Beta as president of the Associated Women Students, a position which rotates among various women's groups on campus.

She: For goodness sake use both hands.

He: I can't! I have to drive with one.

Corps of Sponsors Assigns Officers

The Corps of Sponsors, university women's drill team has assigned provisional officers for this month. Battalion Sponsor (Lt. colonel) will be Gwen Byrd; Battalion Sponsor Executive (major) Alice Arentz; Battalion Sponsor Staff Officers (captains), Adjutant (S-1) Dawna Audrain; Publicity Officer (S-2), Barbara Smith; Operations and Training Officer (S-3), Marilyn Travernia, and Supply Officer (S-4), Charlotte Rosenberry.

Other officers chosen were Assistant Staff Officers, lieutenants, color sponsors, company and platoon Sponsors, Scabbard and Blade Sponsor, Pershing Rifle Sponsor and Band Sponsor.

The Corps has been scheduled to march once a week with the ROTC.

Be Pack backers.

Barrios Introduces New Nevada Song To Balladeer Ives

When America's foremost ballad singer, Burl Ives, appeared at the San Francisco Opera House, March 22, Nevada mining student Al Barrios made a special trip to the city to introduce a ballad to him called "The Unfinished Land of Nevada."

Barrios, a folk ballad singer in his own right, has been plugging this song for some time and reports that it is being requested as far away as San Diego. Its lyrics are derived from a poem in the book, "The City of Trembling Leaves," by Walter Van Tilberg Clark, son of Nevada's first clerk emeritus, Walter E. Clark.

The author's title of the poem is "The Sweet Promised Land of Nevada." The composer of the music to this authentic ballad is Theodore H. Post, professor and chairman of the department of music at the university.

The song tells about the good intentions of the Lord in his architecture of Nevada, but explains how his work was interrupted by "the five o'clock blast" which whistled over the land of Nevada.

Barrios said that the ballad singer showed a great deal of interest in the song and pocketed a copy which, he hopes, will soon be put into use by Ives and given the prominence it deserves.

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Pre-Legal Class Plans Mock Trial For Civil Charge

"Pre-legal class 66 of the University of Nevada is planning a civic mock trial to begin next week," announced S. H. Vinocour of the speech department.

The first mock trial was a trial held before Easter vacation, and the value derived for the participants was so great that another phase of court procedure will be introduced beginning next week, Vinocour continued.

Grace Store, pre-legal student was accused of the "murder" of Harold Swan, Western Union night clerk, which allegedly took place Thursday, February 26, 1948.

Following a whirl-wind trial in which students played the leading roles, Miss Storey was found "not guilty." Bonnie Yturbe and Dale Murphy were attorneys for the defense, while Lorne Black and Carlyle Schaad handled the prosecution's case.

"Honey, you don't mind if I wear velvet instead of silk, do you?"

"No, darling," he answered, "I'll love you thick or thin."

THREE STUDENTS IN LITTLE THEATER CAST

Three university students, Roger Brander, Carl Wriggle and Elmer Green, will participate in "You Can't Take It With You," Reno Little Theater's next production. This popular comedy, to be presented April 5-11, ran successfully on Broadway for many months and has been given by many groups throughout the country.

Tosca Masini, graduate student who was active in campus dramatics, will also appear in the cast.

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BRUSH SPORTS

Sheeketski Opens Football Practice For Nevada Pack

Spring football practice opened officially yesterday with some 35 players beginning workouts under the supervision of Head Coach Joe Sheeketski.

"We have purposely held off spring workouts until the arrival of nicer weather," said Sheeketski, "spring practice being in itself somewhat of a drudgery without combating unfavorable weather conditions."

"Practice will be held with strict regard for the scholastic standings of all players. Should any player find his study habits impaired during the practice session he will be advised to forego athletics for academics," Sheeketski went on to say.

Practice sessions will be scheduled daily during the week with an occasional Saturday workout.

Fundamentals Stressed
Fundamentals, such as pass defense, offensive blocking and signal drills will be stressed during the period, according to Coach Sheeketski.

"I would like to take this opportunity to extend an invitation to any member of the student body who wishes to participate, to come out to practice," Sheeketski stated as he spoke of the fact that there are often many students who have real athletic ability but who are sometimes hesitant about turning out for the team.

"Practice will probably continue for four or five weeks and will be arranged so as not to conflict with final or any other important examinations during the semester." The coach added that there would be occasional contact work and that the period would possibly be climaxed by an inter-squad game.

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PACK TRACKS

By Bill McFarland

The pre-Easter vacation boxing show at the Nevada gym in which 3000 persons witnessed Pack sluggers trounce the Gaels of St. Mary's brought smiles to members of the athletic department.

At long last a minor sport has rung the cash register with a resounding jingle of cart wheels. The Gael-Wolf ring show made some money, not a great deal that is, but it did show a gain, something no minor sport has done around here for many a year.

It is no secret that the minor sports program digs into the athletic fund each year with no promise of a kickback because of the negative characteristic of gate receipts.

Athletic moguls were forced to shelve baseball, financially a losing proposition, yet one of the most desired sports, due to the deficit caused by the high cost of equipment and other essentials necessary to field a team. The same fate is possible for other sports due to the same reasons.

Boxing, if the recent turnout is a good indication of what Reno fans like to see in the way of minor sports, may be the solution to save the day.

More bouts will be scheduled for Reno next year, and if

fans keep supporting ring shows the way they did two weeks ago, then it is possible that boxing can make enough money to finance the minor sports program at this university, baseball included.

A note of interest to followers of the Nevada ring team was the announcement made by Phelan Sampson, classy middleweight and Reno Hi product, that he intends to enter the U of N next fall.

Sampson put on an excellent exhibition of ring skill and punching savvy in his mix with Dean Hubbard, the Herlong flash and Pacific AAU middleweight title holder, between bouts of the St. Mary's-Nevada card.

Another big pugilist show is in the offering next week when the Memorial Post (University of Nevada) of the American Legion stages what has all the earmarks of the biggest and potentially the best golden gloves tournament in this state's history.

High school teams, boxing clubs, and individuals from Nevada and parts of California have sent in roosters of their fighters to perform on the show. A large part of the proceeds will go toward furnishing this school with a new ring and boxing equipment.

COLORED GHOSTS DISPLAY CASABA WIZARDRY HERE

One of the most dazzling exhibitions of basketball magic ever seen in the state of Nevada was staged in the University of Nevada gymnasium last week to the delight of a near-capacity crowd.

The famous Iowa Colored Ghosts, outstanding Negro traveling basketball team, toyed with the willing Roy's Clothiers team of Reno, and won 45-31.

University players participating in the final basketball show were Grant "Skippy" Davis, Orsie Graves, John Subda and Bob Knudson.

Ex-collegians Jimmy Melarkey and Max Dodge also were members of the Clothiers team. High school stars Manuel Garcia of Sparks and Mert Baxter of Carson completed the local roster.

The colorful clowning Negroes amazed and amused the large attendance with their varied display of "casaba wiz-

ardry." Football formations, baseball plays and constant tricks were utilized throughout the game.

FOUR NEW MEMBERS INITIATED BY AED

Four new members of Alpha Epsilon Delta, campus pre-medical fraternity, were informally initiated March 11. Abe Kaplan, president, announced that formal initiation quiet April 25.

The new members are Robert Malone, freshman; George Tavernia, senior, and Robert Yim and Louis Nannini, sophomores.

Intramural Skiing Finally Scheduled For This Weekend

The long awaited and several times postponed intramural ski meet will be held Sunday morning, April 4, at Mt. Rose Bowl, according to Jerry Wetzel, Varsity ski coach. Downhill competition will be first on the list and will continue throughout the morning. Slalom runs will begin at 1:30 and continue until 3 pm when the cross country starts.

Whether the event will net the champion 100 or 60 points is still being debated by the physical education department heads. Since skiing was named a major sport, the question of it being a 100 point sport on the Kinneer trophy list has arisen.

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men in the tournament, but each must enter at least three in order to compete.

Wetzel will set all courses and will be assisted by lettermen Barnes Berry, Harvey Rose and Ashley Van Slyck.

The following men have been entered by the various fraternities. Bill Ebert, Bill Horton, Dan Illerick, Bill Ka-

beary and Rod Willet for Phi Sig Kappa; Duane Spencer, Ernest Schoenfeld, Louis Ferguson and Ted Sherman for Theta Chi; Ken Cusick, Glen Menu, Norman Oleson, Bill Stoops and Harry Swanson for ATO; Walt Coughlin, Bob Coughlin, Jim Helmick and Bill Jager for SAE; Jack Parke, Bill Briner, Halley Ber-

ry and Bill Bruckner for Sigma Nu, and Drake Delonoy, Stan Reese, Bob Hawk, Webb Brown and John Sawyer for Lambda Chi.

And there was the South Pacific GI who, when confronted by the native lassie's pop, explained that he was hunting for grasshoppers.

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With the Grace of God, and Wins, Taus Can Cop Cup From Sigma Nu

If the Taus can keep the Sigma Nus from taking more than 77 points in intramural competition in the four remaining sports, and if they can take the championship in every race, the Kinnear trophy will be handed over to them. Otherwise the Snakes will keep it setting on their front room mantle.

No fraternity other than ATO can earn enough points by the end of the year to force Sigma Nu out of its lead. SAE which is running third with 145 points can not possibly win now, even if it takes all the first places in the remaining events.

If the Snakes can take a first in the intramural ski meet Sunday, then it will be over but the shoutin' as far as the Kinnear trophy competition is concerned. The 60 points they would pick up there, plus at least a fourth in the baseball play would put them in.

And fielding practically the same squad that took top honors in the diamond sport last year, Sigma Nu is classed as "the team to beat."

Tennis competition got underway Thursday afternoon with Theta Chi and Lambda Chi Alpha meeting on the campus courts. Baseball bows in Monday afternoon when the Independents cross bats with the men of Lambda Chi.

Points yet to be picked up by the winning houses in the remaining intramural sports are 60, 40, 20, 10 and 5 (skiing figures are for first, second, third, fourth and fifth places); 100, 60, 40, 20, 10

(baseball); 20, 10, 5 2½, 1 (tennis, singles); 40, 20, 10, 5, 2½ (tennis, doubles).

Intramural baseball schedule for the opening week:

4 pm, April 5—Lambda Chi vs. Independents.

4 pm, April 7—ATO vs. Sigma Rho.

4 pm, April 8—Theta Chi vs. Phi Sigma Kappa.

4 pm, April 9—SAE vs. Sigma Nu.

Intramural tennis singles schedule:

4 pm, April 2—Phi Sigma Kappa vs. Sigma Nu.

4 pm, April 3—ATO vs. Sigma Rho.

4 pm, April 5—Independents vs. SAE.

4 pm, April 6—Lambda Chi vs. Phi Sigma Kappa.

4 pm, April 7—Theta Chi vs. Sigma Nu.

4 pm, April 8—ATO vs. Independents.

4 pm, April 9—Sigma Rho vs. SAE.

4 pm, April 10—Lambda Chi vs. Sigma Nu.

Kinnear Trophy Standings

Sigma Nu	381.75
Alpha Tau Omega	238.75
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	145
Lambda Chi Alpha	95.5
Phi Sigma Kappa	85
Theta Chi	70
Independents	60
Sigma Rho Delta	00

ATO Edges Past Strong Barb Men For Cinder Title

ATO copped the intramural track championship after staving off a surprisingly strong group of independents who were only one-half point behind before the last event, the javelin throw. In this decisive contest Sullivan and Bell finished first and second for ATO to insure the title. ATO received 100 points toward the Kinnear trophy as the result of the win.

Results:

ATO	51.05
Independents	43
Sigma Nu	25.5
Lambda Chi	21
SAE	13
Phi Sigma Kappa	8
Theta Chi	3



NEVADA BOXERS CAPTURE 6-2 WIN OVER ST. MARY'S

Nevada varsity boxers rocked St. Mary's Gaels for a six to two bout win here March 20. The fight, held in the university gymnasium, was seen by more than 3000 fans, and was the only intercollegiate fight slated here this season.

After losing four engagements in California and Idaho, the Wolves closed their fight season by beating the Gaels. Teams fought prior to this match were San Jose State, Idaho State, Southern Idaho and Chico State.

"There will certainly be more local engagements next year," boxing coach Clifford P. Devine announced today. San Jose, Idaho and St. Mary's colleges are already expected to fight here in 1949. San Francisco State has also been mentioned as a possible contender.

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Mayo Brings Back Lone Golf Trophy From Coast Meet

Charles Mayo brought back Nevada's only trophy from the Pacific Coast Conference golf meet at Santa Cruz, Mayo, who made the trip, on his own after failing to qualify as one of the five men sent by the university, was a winner in the fourth flight.

Joe Perez went to the finals of the first flight before

Nevada Riflemen Take Third Place In Berkeley Meet

Nevada's varsity rifle team won third place at the national intercollegiate sectional tournament at the University of California at Berkeley just prior to Easter vacation.

The Pack riflemen's score was 1343, 33 points higher than last year's mark. The University of California first and second teams won first and second places, respectively, with scores of 1376 and 1346.

Kenneth T. Rice, Nevada's captain, was high point man of the team with a score of 281, and Jack Means was high score man firing in the individuals with a score of 270.

Other teams taking part in the matches were the University of San Francisco, and Placerville College.

Sergeant Earl Grady, team coach, and Lieutenant Colonel James Smece accompanied the team to Berkeley.

The five team members were Rice, Betty Ann Rice, Roger Olmstead, Means and Tom Macaulay, Gertrude Sanford and Jack Hull entered the individuals matches.

losing one up to Leroy Silva of Modesto. J. C. Perez was five down to his opponent at the end of ten holes but came back to be even things up going on to the 18th hole. Silva sank a long putt for a birdie and the match.

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Campus Veterans Back Ring Show

Thursday, April 8, marks the opening date of the Reno Golden Gloves tournament sponsored by the University of Nevada Memorial Post No. 13 of the American Legion.

The university post consists of student veterans and alumni veterans, and is sponsoring the tournament in conjunction with the department of athletics.

The tournament will last through Saturday, April 10, and more than 100 boxers from various Nevada towns will participate in the three day show. Proceeds will go toward purchasing a boxing ring for the university and also to establishment of a co-operative store on campus, so that students will have some way of combating the high cost of living, according to Chairman Jim Wehrle.

Price of student admission has been set at 50 cents for general admission seats. Student body cards will be necessary for identification.

Waiter, there's a fly in my soup.

Oh, that can be explained. Our cook used to be a tailor.

ELEVEN NEW INITIATES HONORED BY PHI SIGS

Eleven new initiates were guests of honor at the founder's day banquet held at the Phi Sig house recently.

The new men include James Harker, John Campbell, Russell Maynard, William Miller, Wayne Ashely, Joe Facha, Ted Klemaszewski, Jack Shevlin, Jack Fikes, Robert Hemphling and Joe Dini.

Dinner was prepared and served by the Phi Sig mothers club. After dinner speeches were made by president Bill Ebert and alumni adviser Ted Withers. Numerous out-of-town alums were present.

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Mr. Brown: Extravagance. My wife kept on buying ice after I bought her a refrigerator.

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Top United Press Roving Reporter Talks to Interns

Robert C. Miller, University of Nevada graduate of '38 and the top roving foreign correspondent of United Press, according to Prof. A. L. Higginbotham, head of the journalism department, talked to the intern class in journalism recently.

Miller is on a three-month leave to renew his acquaintances with the United States' point of view after recently covering assignments in Pakistan, India; Sudi-Arabia; Iran; Iraq; Syria; Egkpt; Greece and the riots in Palestine.

The correspondent talked of his experiences as a roving reporter and gave advice to the journalism students regarding the important aspects of the schooling they are now getting.

Miller got his start with the United Press by serving his internship with the Reno bureau while in college. This consisted of practice writing for the UP with credit allowed in school for the work, and affiliation is still maintained, said Professor Higginbotham.

Continuing with UP after graduation, he was assigned to various bureaus around the country until the war. Sent out as a war correspondent, he covered the fighting in Guadalcanal, the invasion of Europe, and after the peace treaty, followed the war trials at Nuremburg, Germany.

In 1946 he was awarded the Neiman fellowship for advanced work in journalism at Harvard. He was one of 14 newspapermen from the entire country to receive the fellowship.

At present he is assigned to the New York office of the UP and after his leave will be sent to cover stories as they happen in any part of the world, Professor Higginbotham stated.

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Founders Honored By Nevada ATO's At Get-Together

Members of Alpha Tau Omega honored the founding of their fraternity recently by holding a get-together with the ATO alumni at the fraternity house. Following a buffet style turkey dinner, a program was presented by the members and alumni.

The ATO quartet, consisting of Brunson Harris, John McCulloch, Mark Bray and Bob Durham, sang several songs. A founder's day message from Col. John MacGregor, national president of Alpha Tau Omega, was read by Ed Reed, Jr.

Earl Wooster, superintendent of schools of the city of Reno, then told some stories of the ups and downs of the fraternity following World War I in attempts to make the local Phi Delta Tau into a chapter of the national Alpha Tau Omega, and their eventual success in 1921.

As the last phase of the program, motion pictures were shown of the Nevada-Oregon football game last fall. Following the picture, the group rallied around the remains of the cold turkey and finished the evening with a general conversation session.

Dr. Gorrell Elected Kingpin of Profs

Dr. Robert Gorrell, assistant professor of English, was elected president of the Nevada chapter of the American Association of University Professors at a meeting held Wednesday, March 17. Dr. Gorrell replaces Dr. W. D. Billings, associate professor of biology.

Other officers elected were Dean Frederick Traner who replaces Dr. R. A. Hume as vice-president, and Dr. A. E. Hutcheson, who now holds Dr. Gorrell's former office of secretary.

Also featured at the meeting was a discussion on "The Place of Agriculture in the University of Nevada." The discussion was directed by Dr. E. A. Wittwer, Dr. L. R. Vawter and Howard G. Mason.

News Item: Sally Rand Troupe arrested. Held for questioning. Mmm. They'll never pin anything on her.

SENIORS IN REVIEW

By Barbara Smith and Jane McTavish

Roberta Butler steps into the spotlight this week. The tall brunette came to the Nevada campus in 1943 as an English major.

Because of her twin brother, who also enrolled at Nevada in 1943, entered the service, she returned to her home in Santa Maria, Calif. During the year and one-half she was at home, she worked as a doctor's receptionist.

As a freshman student, she had pledged Pi Phi, placed second in the women's tennis tournament, and participated in YWCA activities.

"Bobbie" returned to Nevada in the fall of 1945. The aggressive Artemisia-Manzanita Association president has since shown diversified interests.

Most women students who have violated Nevada traditions are acquainted with Bobbie as the genial, but firm chairman of the women's upperclass committee. She is a member of the Ski Club and the Women's Recreation Association.

Born in Compton, Calif., she received her earlier education in three southern California high schools. At Santa Maria, she was secretary of the freshman class, president of Tri-Y, secretary of the girls' athletic league, and secretary of the senior class. She was also pianist in the girls' swing band.

She joined Job's Daughters during the year she lived in Whittier. One-half of her freshman year, Bobbie attended high school at Conaga Park.

Bobbie says at the moment her "future is indefinite. After graduation, she intended to "loaf for awhile" before getting a job.

Waiter, there's a fly in my soup.

Whadda you expect with the blue plate? A hummin' boid, maybe?

U. S. Civil Service Offers Positions

Nevada's graduating engineers were informed today that the U. S. Civil Service was accepting applications for positions at Langley Field, Virginia.

Applicants for the jobs, which pay from \$3397 to \$5905 a year, will be examined by the board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, and the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics.

The branches of engineering covered by the examination are not limited to aeronautics, however. Also included are the architectural, construction, electrical, mechanical and structural branches of engineering.

Applicants must have completed a standard professional engineering curriculum in a college or university, or they must have had at least four years of successful technical engineering or a combination of both.

Graduate study in engineering may be substituted for as much as two years' experience. No written test is required; applicants will be rated on the basis of their experience and education.

Application forms may be secured at first and second class post offices, from civil service regional offices or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

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Be Pack Backers.

Nevada Graduate is Research Expert For Chemical Firm

Claude Winder, graduate of the University of Nevada, class of 1931, is one of the efficient researchers employed by Parke, Davis and Co., one of the largest drug firms in the United States, a chemical association bulletin announced.

Winder is the author of more than 50 publications on his experiments and discoveries in the field of medicine. Highly technical in nature, some of the more recent publications have been entitled "Analysis of Saurian Malarial Infections as Influenced by Temperature," and "Quantitative Observations on the Extra Vagal Component of Carotid and Pressoreceptive Cardiac Restraint."

Research expert Winder majored in chemistry and zoology while at Nevada, was a member of Phi Kappa Phi, national scholastic society, and Sigma Xi, national scientific society. He was a member of the band, chemistry club and the pre-medical society. He belonged to the Lincoln Hall Association. He was also a former honor student in Fallon high school where he received several scholarships.

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Lloyd Rogers, Sigma Delta Chi president, sent his story to Quill, the fraternity magazine, which appears monthly. The story is expected to appear in next month's issue, which will be published in about three weeks.

Others who sent out stories were Roger Brander, Robert Morrison and Robert Radovich, all journalism majors and charter members of the group.

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GORRELL, LAIRD WORK ON NEW LITERATURE

Drs. Robert Gorrell and Charlton Laird, professors of English, will go to San Francisco Wednesday to collaborate with California and Oregon editors of a forthcoming book, "Guide to Comparative Literature."

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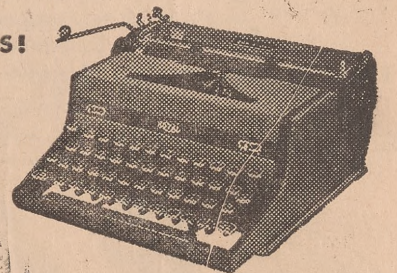
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