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Reactions Are Varied To AAUP Censuring

By Bob Mount

The recent censure of the University of Nevada by the American Association of University Professors has produced varied reactions from the students, the faculty members and the public:

During an interview this week, Dr. Stout said, "The situation was forced upon us, but the effects are not as serious as some persons would like to have the public think."

President Stout continued, "To me there are many indications that things are operating smoothly. In view of the censure move, not one of the members of the local chapter has resigned in protest of the policies."

"We are in good company on the list of those censured by AAUP, University of California, Ohio State, Rutgers and several more, and they have had no difficulty, so there is no reason for us to expect any."

"This censure action," continued Dr. Stout, "was almost a foregone conclusion after the national chapter sent a team here to investigate. In view of that fact, the University has been elected to some eight national organizations of prominence since 1954. This seems to speak for our reputation in the educational circles in the United States," he said. Some of the organizations in which the University participates are the American Council on Education, the American Association of Colleges, the National University Extension Association, the National Collegiate Athletic Association, the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, the National Honor Fraternity of Phi Delta Kappa, the Engineers' Council for Professional Development and the Correspondence Study Program of the Armed Forces Institute.

President Stout said, "I am not trying to evade the issue, but to minimize it. The statements that the committee used to base their motion of censure were, in many cases, false and nebulous."

He concluded that the investigation violated the very principles of the AAUP itself, in failing to give the administration the opportunity to call and examine the witnesses, failing to give the administration knowledge of specific charges, and refusal of the right to a fair trial.

A representative of the local chapter of the AAUP said he believed the censure action will be harmful to the University in several ways.

The problem of hiring qualified personnel will be sorely hampered by the action of the national AAUP, he said. Experienced educators will naturally be hesitant

about accepting positions with institutions under censure, especially when the principle at stake is academic freedom and tenure, according to the representative.

He also believes that many students will not want to attend the University under the circumstances and will seek their education elsewhere. To emphasize his point, he cited the article in Time Magazine, May 6, 1957 as an example of the unfavorable publicity that the University is receiving nationally.

Bruce Thompson, Reno member of the board of regents who often opposes the policies of the administration and Dr. Stout, agreed that the difficulty in hiring faculty members will be increased by the censure action. He said, "I am not surprised by the censure. It is a natural result of the way some faculty members have been treated."

A number of faculty members who did not wish to be identified have voiced a wide range of opinion. One stated that he did not think the censure would affect hiring qualified personnel at the University because of the high salaries paid here.

Another said he thought it was a direct slap at the administration of Dr. Stout.

Still another, referring to the publicity given the act of censure, said, "At least the situation is now known to more than just the

Bookstore Loss Partly Replaced

A bonding firm will replace half of the \$2,400 loss reported at the ASUN bookstore last year even though no proof of loss has been submitted, Dr. John Morrison, told members of the student senate. Morrison is chairman of the finance control board.

In accepting the payment, Morrison said, the board was not relinquishing its right to continue with the investigation. He said District Attorney A. D. Jensen had agreed to cooperate in future investigations. At the present there is no investigation in process.

The meeting was the senate's last for the school year. Twenty one senators were on hand for the meeting.

A spaghetti and wine dinner was given for senate members after the meeting. Barbara Cavanaugh was mistress of ceremonies for the dinner. Entertainment was supplied by Bob Faiss, senator-at-large, and Diane Martin, outgoing ASUN secretary.

residents of Nevada. Our reputation has been hurt nationally."

Student reaction was mostly adverse to Dr. Stout and his administrative policies. One student leader, referring to the Time Magazine story, said, "Although Dr. Stout has done a great deal for the University, he has put us in such a bad light that I don't know how good my degree will be in getting (Continued on Page 5)

Horn Attacks Broadleaf Plant

By CLIFF CLAY

It will soon be time to spray the campus dandelions again, said Carl M. Horn, superintendent of buildings and grounds, last week.

Dandelions were sprayed two years ago, Mr. Horn said, and that was enough to hold for last summer but they are blooming again due to the fact that the roots never die.

Horn said that the spraying is a one-man operation. A spray attachment, driven by a gas engine, joined to a small tractor. The spray pattern covers a 12-foot spread. A special poison is bought by the University in 50-gallon drums. It is used at the rate of one quart of the poison to 50 gallons of water.

Mr. Horn said the mixture does not affect grass, but is lethal to all broad-leaf plants.

Student Art Show On Campus Is Open To Public

University of Nevada's annual student art exhibit opened Saturday on the lower campus with nearly 250 paintings, drawings and ceramic works.

Prof. Craig Sheppard, art department chairman, said the show represents work done by more than 75 art students over the past two semesters. The exhibit includes landscapes, portraits and still-life in oil and water color paintings, charcoal, pencil and crayon drawings, a variety of ceramics, and silver and copper jewelry and metal items.

The student show will remain open at the campus art gallery from 1 to 5 p.m. daily, with the exception of Saturdays through commencement week, ending June 3.

FACULTY FAMILY PICNIC AT WAA FIREPLACE

The annual faculty family spring picnic will be held tomorrow at the WAA fireplace, north of the new engineering building. If the weather is bad it will be held at the Old Gymnasium.

Games and visiting begin at 3:30 p.m. Buffet supper is scheduled for 5 p.m.

Tables, and paper to cover them, will be furnished by the picnic committee, according to Mrs. Penelope Rice, co-chairman of the committee. Mrs. Rice advised that each group should bring its own table service and beverages. Each group should also bring just one of the following, a main dish, a salad, a desert, or sandwiches.

Each party should bring only enough food for the party itself, "plus a little extra," Mrs. Rice said.

Reservations need not be made for the picnic, and the whole family is invited, Mrs. Rice added.

Members of the committee are Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rice, chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Basta, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Art Broten.

Letter to the Editor

After the edition of last week's Sagebrush concerning the selection of the new editor of the Sagebrush, I think it is owed to the students of the University of Nevada to outline my plans for the 1957-58 publication. In this way the students will know what to expect from the Sagebrush next year.

Beginning in September, the Sagebrush will be organized into departments—news and editorial, a social department (which will include all activities of social living groups, clubs and organizations on campus), sports and photography departments.

The editors of these departments, together with assistant editor Nedra Norton and myself, will constitute an editorial board which will meet once a week to discuss editorial policies and the stand of the Sagebrush on any matter of controversy.

Next year the students can expect a full, accurate and unbiased report of campus news. They can expect a heavy concentration on all athletics connected with the University or with University living groups. A full emphasis on varsity and intramural sports, PEMS, and all other campus recreation will be presented. Dewey Berscheid will be Sagebrush sports editor next year.

All social activities of every sorority, fraternity, and Independent group will be reported through a department which will be called our activity department. This department also will report news and functions of all campus clubs, organizations, and honorary Greek letter organizations. Cathy Zimmerman will edit this department.

All photography and art work will be handled through a photography editor.

We intend to contact every organization each week for news of their plans and upcoming events. Through this plan of departmentalizing the Sagebrush, we feel that all students of this University and all living groups and organizations will more fully receive the complete coverage which they deserve.

These, in brief, are some of our plans for the 1957-58 Sagebrush, which, we hope, will meet all expectations of the students of the University of Nevada.

Sincerely,

Jim Joyce

Campus Players Conclude Season

The University of Nevada Campus Players presented the three-act play, "The Doctor in Spite of Himself," in the education auditorium May 9-10.

Bob Faiss played the leading role as Scanrelle. Other characters included: Martine, played by Gaye Lane; M. Rohest, Judell Samon; Lucas, Barney Mergen; Valerie, Ted Beckett; Geronte, Al Creel; Jacqueline, Marjorie Mead; Lucinde, Trudy Caddel; Leander, Don Hudson; Thibault, William Brown; Perrin, Roger Joseph.



Brushfire '57 Now on Sale

The new Brushfire for 1957 is now on sale at the ASUN bookstore.

The publication this year is composed of materials submitted only by students. In the past faculty members have contributed to the magazine. Barney Mergen edited Brushfire '57, and Harry Hussey was business manager.

"We have a wide range of material this year," said Mergen. "The magazine went on sale Monday, and sales are even better than we had anticipated."

Short stories printed in Brushfire '57 are written by Clif Clay, Bruce Bledsoe, Bill Long, George Mross, and Pam De Gaines.

An essay on Germany was writ-

ten for the magazine by Gerty Berg. John Sertic also has an essay on education.

Bob Stites and Paul Jeffries have done the illustrations in the publication. Stites also designed the magazine's cover.

Poems printed in the Brushfire are by Mergen, Hussey, Barbara Fretz, Hank Rilling, George Mross and Linda Wilkerson.

The magazine sells for fifty cents. Students and faculty members may buy copies at the bookstore or from staff members.

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WHITE ROSE FORMAL AT TAHOE THIS WEEK

More than three hundred Sigma Nu fraternity brothers from chapters throughout California and Nevada are expected to gather at the Tahoe Biltmore Hotel tomorrow for the Divisional White Rose formal dance.

Packy Morris, Nevada representative, has made the arrangement for the affair. The formal dinner-dance is to be held in conjunction with the Stanford, San Jose, and Fresno chapters.

Mr. Robert O. Shrieve, division Commander, and his wife are guests of honor.

Four queens, each to hold the title "The White Rose of Sigma Nu," will be crowned by each of the attending chapters during the evening.

Orchids

Orchid leis flown from Hawaii

for the dance will be given to the guests during the dinner to begin at 7 p.m. tomorrow. Two bands have been hired, the hotel band for music in the lounge, and the combo of Nate Kazebin for dancing. Louis Porta made arrangements for the bands. Nevada's Sigma Nu song team, winners of the Mackay Day competition, will entertain at dinner.

The Tahoe Biltmore hotel, on the north shore of Lake Tahoe, has been rented for the entire weekend, giving the Sigma Nu's use of the swimming pool, banquet room and dance floor. The women will be housed in the hotel proper, and the men in the surrounding motel area on the grounds.

Visiting members helped plan the complete affair. They are: Brent Newson, Bob Dixon, and Kirk Davidson from Stanford, and Bob Engle, David Wessel, Bob Heron, and Doug Moore from San Jose.

Flowers will be the decorations for the dance. At the door there will be a portal of flowers representing a large Sigma Nu pin, under which the couples must walk to the dance floor. The background of the band will be a large fraternity crest, made entirely of colored flowers. Large fruit trees will be placed in the dance floor.

Bill Eddleman, Gary Bartlett, Cliff Devine, Larry Dawson, Deny Jones, Bob Morrill, Bob Sillery, and Dave Wheeler of the Nevada chapter, are in charge of the decorations.

Sunday, a picnic is planned in the Lake Tahoe area for the visiting chapters.

When you keep beating your head against a stone wall, trying desperately to get through it, and you just keep getting knocked down, you become irritable; and it's no wonder people call you a sore head.

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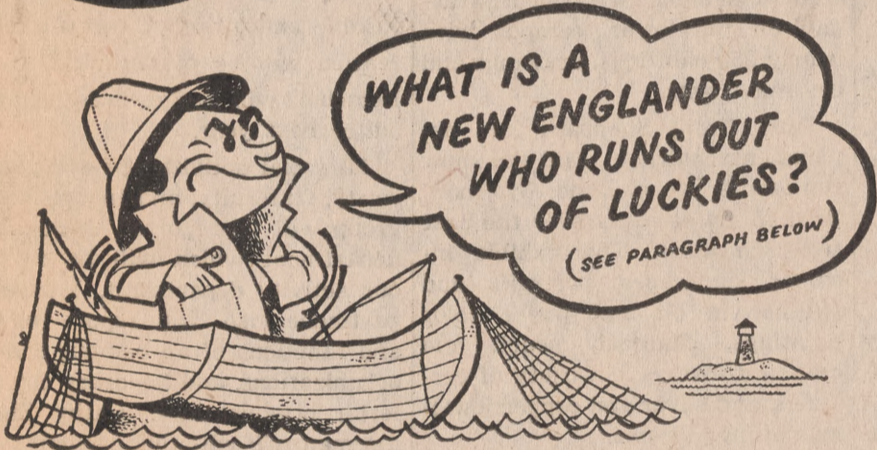
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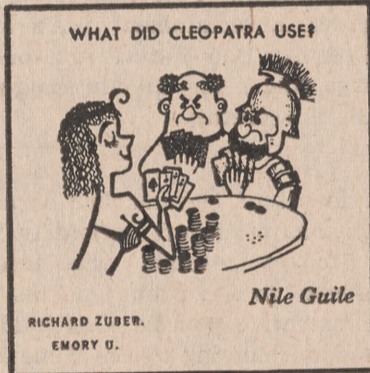
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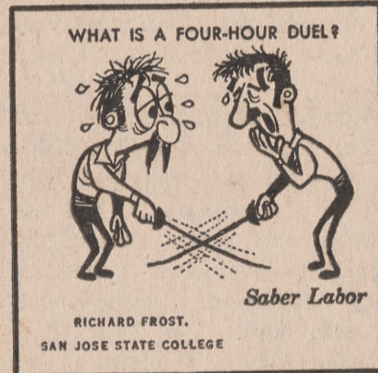


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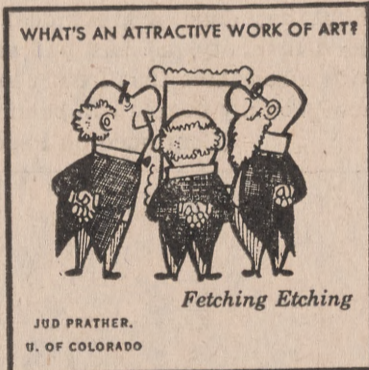
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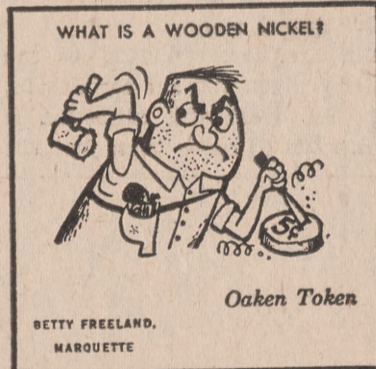
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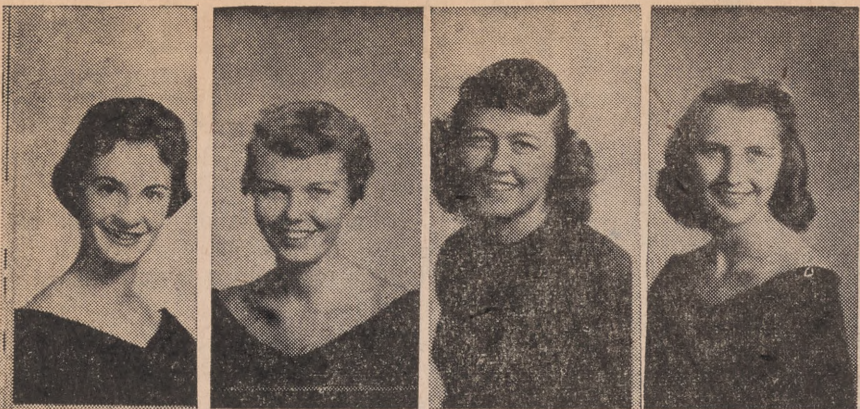
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Letters to the Editor

To Editor of "Sagebrush"

In the last issue of the "Sagebrush" there were several articles devoted to the honor of John Mackay and his family. These pointed out how much was done by the Mackays for this University, yet on Thursday evening before the paper went to press, a disgrace was done to the Mackay family and the University. This was the throwing of paint onto the statue, a practice that started just about eight years ago.

If the students could have seen the visitors the next two days looking at this paint-soaked statue, they would have realized how bad it was. What were these people thinking about our campus and the students who would have a few days celebration to honor a man and then degrade his statue?

There are several other points about these incidents to the statue that shall be brought out:

(1) The least important is the cost to clean it up each time. Last semester it took a crew of men three days and \$150 to get most of the red paint off.

(2) Then how many other campuses have any statues, especially one done by a world-famous sculptor? The man who did the Mackay statue also did the work on Mt. Rushmore. Would these other Universities let some "children" paint it up each semester?

(3) If any person was thinking about giving to the University I don't think they would after seeing the John Mackay statue fixed up by childish pranks after his family had done so much for the school. Would Max C. Fleischmann have given so much if he knew

that the students would, after several years, start to paint up his name plate or throw the paint all over his building that was given as a gift?

(4) Lastly, is this the way to treat a person who has given us over \$2,000,000? One bad thing about these pranks to the statue is that it is becoming the accepted thing. What would you do, or do you think that something should be done? One suggestion is to remove the statue for several years until a more mature group arrives.

William Freeman,
President, Crucible Club

Dear Editor:

We have noticed that during the last few publications of the Sagebrush there has been a glaring oversight of any mention of the Independents. To cite a few examples:

There was one short paragraph, in small print, dealing with the girl's basketball playoffs, which the Independents won.

There was no mention of the Artemisia-Manzanita Formal which took place April 26th at the Fable Room of the Mapes Hotel.

In your last issue concerning Mackay Day and the activities and participants the Artemisia-Manzanita song team was completely overlooked.

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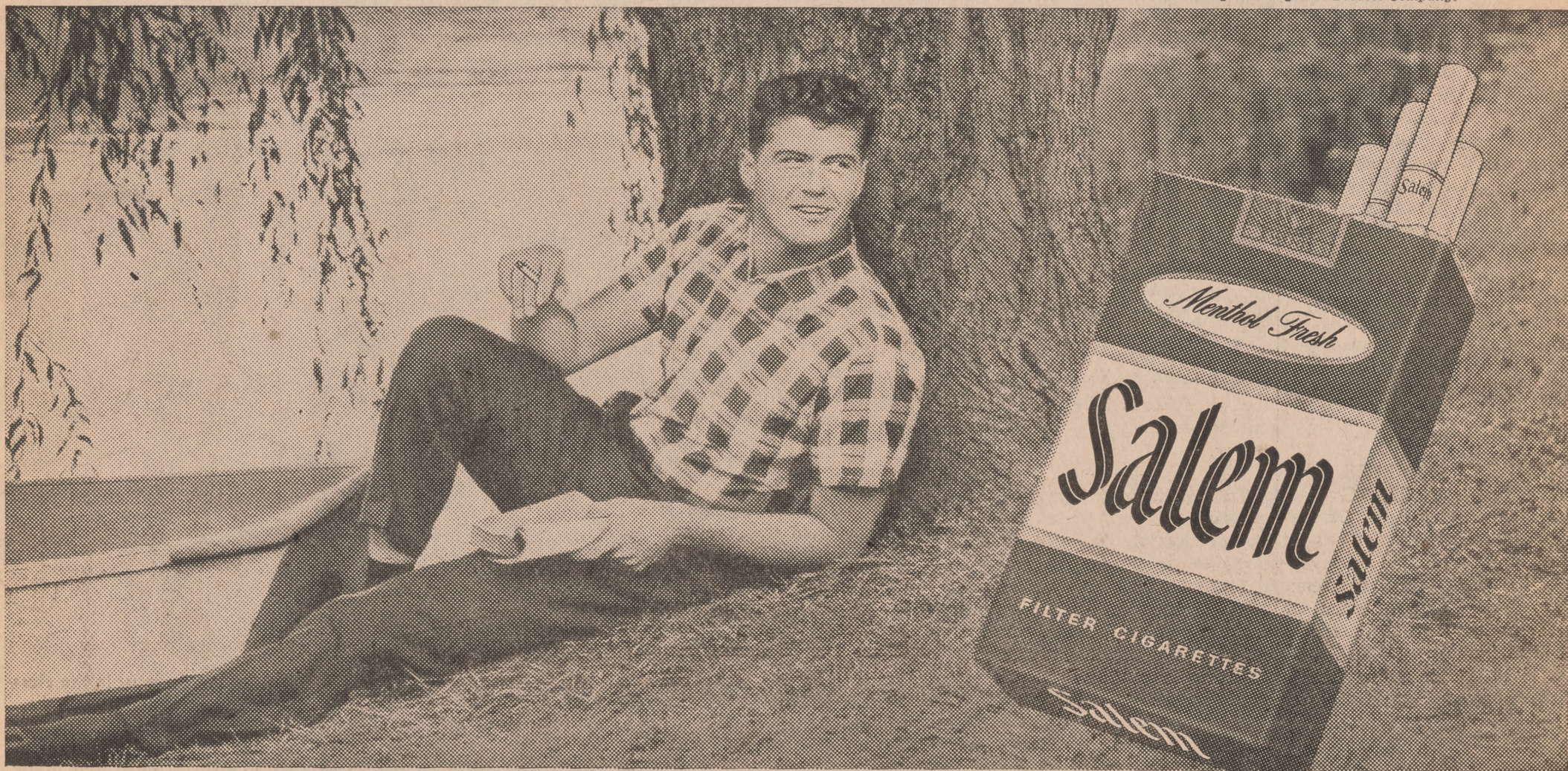
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Editorial

Senior Cut Day

Senior Cut Day was a flop. The only outstanding thing about it was that nobody cut. Or almost nobody. About twelve seniors, all men, showed up.

This is a sad commentary on the spirit of any class. It was certainly frustrating for class president Dan Sullivan. He looked somewhat dismayed, standing almost alone across the street from the student union building.

Most of the women said they had to practice teach; the men just didn't care to come.

It only proves again the lack of enthusiasm and disinterest prevalent here regarding almost all general school functions.

'ART IN ACTION' IS SUNDAY AT FOUR SHOW

The sixth annual "art in action" program, sponsored by the University of Nevada's art department, will be this week's "Sunday at Four" program.

The event will be held in the temporary art buildings on lower campus. Most art students and faculty members will take part in the program. Professor John C. Sheppard is in charge.

Small groups will be escorted through the art gallery and the art classes where all media of artwork will be demonstrated.

After the Sunday at Four program a social meeting will be held for all art students. The group will discuss plans for reviving the university art club.

Professor Sheppard stated that the art work now being shown in the art gallery will be displayed at the Reno Little Theater June 3-9, the date of the theater's final production of the year.

ED. FACULTY MEMBERS ATTEND L. A. MEETING

Miss Hazel Grubbs and Dr. DeVerl Willey of the University of Nevada's Colleges of Education recently attended a study conference put on by the Association for Childhood Education International in Los Angeles.

"That All Children May Learn" was the theme of the conference, which was carried through into study and discussion groups. The program also featured prominent speakers from California, Ohio, and Illinois.

More than 1600 delegates attended the five day meet.

Sometimes I get embarrassed at just being alive.

Bobbin Along

By Bob Faiss



This is dedicated to . . .

. . . the people who don't have it, can't get it, and don't want it.

. . . people who, without trying, bring a little darkness into the brightest day.

. . . people who have watched their bodies mature and now wait for their minds to catch up.

. . . people who like to kick people but, as they can't kick very high, must wait until their victims are down.

Recent dealings by one administrative office on campus indicate that all students are created equal, but some are more equal than others.

The bookstore affair is about half-finished. Continental Casualty Co., bonders of the establishment, last week proffered a payment of \$1200, or roughly 50 per cent of the estimated \$2400 loss. People, especially the Finance Control Board, were surprised to find that the bonding company, which it was hoped would solve all ills, had done little in the way of investigating the matter and had thrown the burden of proof of theft back on the ASUN.

A routine visit of a high official in the company caused the half-payment. When informed of the facts regarding the bookstore incident, he pulled some bonding strings to get the partial payment.

Aggie Rodeo on May 18; Six Compete for Queen

The second annual University of Nevada Aggie Rodeo is to be held May 18, beginning at 1 p.m., at the University farm station near the old Manogue High School, Boynton Lane, south of Sparks.

Highlight of this year's event is to be the crowning of the Aggie Queen. Contestants for the title are to be judged on May 17 on the farm at 4 p.m. by the Aggie Club members.

Candidates for the title are Gay Brennan, of Kappa Alpha Theta; Judy Vasconcelos of Gamma Phi Beta; Beth Boyd, of Delta Delta Delta; Myrna Howard, of Pi Beta Phi; Arloa Timmons, of Artemisia-Manzanita Association; and Penny Molineux, of the Saddle and Spurs Club.

The elected "queen" will reign over the Saturday events, which



Myrna Howard



Arloa Timmons



Judy Vasconcelos



Beth Boyd



Gay Brennan



Penny Molineux

will feature saddle cow riding, wild cow milking, burro races, and a special contest called a "watch scramble." Bob Ferraro, president of the Aggies, says that a watch will be tied between the horns of a wild steers and contestants will attempt to retrieve the watch. Anyone who gets the watch keeps it. A Fallon jeweler is donating the prize.

A contest to delight the students is the "prof pig race." In this event the educators from the College of Agriculture will try to catch a pig to win honors.

Judges for this year's rodeo are to be Harry Frost, '31; Eddie Ferris, and Hank Castro. All three are from Reno.

This action might be regarded as a goodwill gesture.

The board gladly took the money but did not accept it as full payment of their claim. All of the information concerning the defalcation has been handed to the Washoe district attorney. Authorities say that only a full confession by the party or parties responsible for the loss will get the rest of the money from the company.

Trouble comes from the fact that the bonding company does not accept bookkeeper's figures as proof of loss. This is where the bookstore loss is shown, for the store made money last year. It simply didn't make as much as it should.

A chance to prove innocence has been offered to all connected. And this, it has been stated, was the main intention of the board.

Figures look better this year. Bank accounts of the bookstore are exceedingly "healthy," says John Morrison, chairman of the Finance Control Board.

Mross and Lowe To Edit Brushfire

Dave Lowe and George Mross were selected co-editors of the 1958 publication of the Brushfire at a meeting of the Brushfire staff Tuesday night. The meeting was held at the home of Barney Mergen, editor of Brushfire '57.

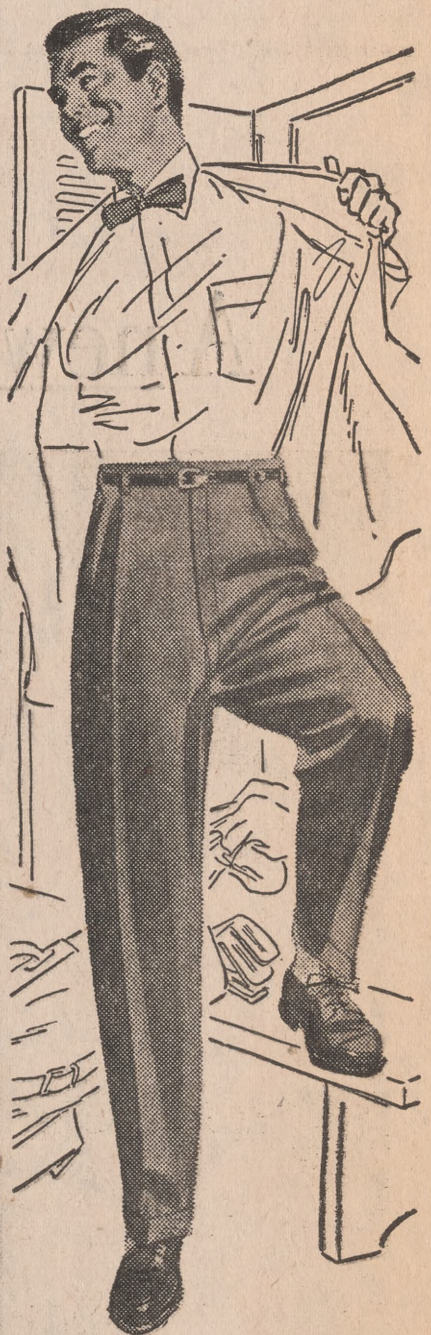
Brushfire is a literary magazine written and sold by students of the University of Nevada.

Mergen and Pam De Gaines, contributor to this year's Brushfire, gave readings at the meeting. The group then offered criticism to the readers.

Copies of the recently published Brushfire '57 were given to each person who had contributed to the publication, and plans were made for the sale of the magazine.

Attending the meeting were Mergen, De Gaines, Mross, Lowe, Jim Vincent, Harry Hussey, and Henry Rodin.

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AAUP Censure

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ting a job."

In support of the University's position, Archie Grant, chairman of the board of regents, disagreed with those who believe that good personnel will be hard to get. He said, "I don't think the action by the AAUP is serious. It has been brewing for some time and we have had no difficulty in hiring good people."

The censure action came about as a result of a dispute between Dr. Stout and members of the local chapter of AAUP and its president, Dr. Frank Richardson, chairman of the biology department. Professor Richardson was dismissed from the staff of the University in May, 1953. This action was taken at the request of the administration and the board of regents unanimously voted on a motion to deny renewal of Dr. Richardson's contract. This action was subsequently reversed by a decision of the Supreme Court of Nevada, which ordered the professor reinstated. Professor Richardson remained for one semester then resigned to take a position with the faculty at the University of Washington.

Three investigations resulted from this controversy. One, a committee from the state legislature was appointed to look into the conditions at the University. This committee reported that the matter was a personnel problem to be dealt with by the administration. A recommendation for an interim committee to be appointed to report to the next session of the legislature was approved which led to the McHenry report.

The second investigating committee was that of Committee A, the commission on academic freedom and tenure of the AAUP. Their investigation and subsequent report is the basis for the censure motion of the AAUP. This report was published in 1956 and hotly disputed by the administration. It criticized the administration of the University for discriminating against those members expressing a controversial opinion and deprived the faculty of "highly prized" prerogatives.

As a result of the recommendations of the legislative interim committee, a \$25,000 appropriation was voted to finance an investigation of the University by a group of prominent educators, headed by Dr. Dean E. McHenry, political scientist from the University of California at Los Angeles.

From this investigation, came 36 recommendations for the improvement of the University. One of the more important recommendations was the increase of the membership of the board of regents from five members to nine members. This action was carried out by the legislature early this year, although the attorney-general voiced an opinion that the procedure used in filling the vacancies created by the legislature was unconstitutional. The Supreme Court is reviewing the case

AWARDS TO BE GIVEN AT PRESS BREAKFAST

The announcement of winners of awards for excellence in various fields of journalism and the initiation of two students into Kappa Tau Alpha will highlight the annual Press club breakfast Sunday morning.

Also to be included in the program is the installation of the newly elected Press club officers and the introduction of new club members.

This year, for the first time, the Press club is awarding a prize to the students producing the best news story, feature article, editorial, news picture and advertisement, according to Myram Borders, Press club president.

Two members of the press club will be initiated into Kappa Tau Alpha, national society of students in journalism who have shown excellence in scholarship. The initiation ceremony will be administered by Professor A. L. Higginbotham, a member of the national council of Kappa Tau Alpha.

Officers for next year will be installed by Miss Borders. They are Karen Knudson, president; Abner (Buster) Sewell, vice president, and Nedra Norton, secretary-

treasurer. Outgoing officers are Miss Borders, Dave Lowe, vice-president, and Angeline Farros, secretary-treasurer.

SENIOR CADETS HEAR ADDRESS BY GEN. WOOD

Leadership, discipline, morale and esprit de corps in the service was the subject of a speech by Major General John S. Wood to senior ROTC students at the University of Nevada.

The general, now retired, told the senior cadets of his experience as commander of the 4th Armored Division in World War II. He pointed out that discipline, morale and esprit de corps are achieved only through hard work on the part of a commander and the commander's loyalty to his troops.

Major General Wood graduated from West Point in 1912 and served with the Third Division of the American Expedition Force during World War I. He commanded a division that landed on Utah Beach in Normandy in World War II.

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Final Exam Sched

A change in the schedule for final examinations has been announced by Dr. William R. Wood, academic vice president. The new schedule corrects minor errors that appear in the printed Class Schedule for the second semester. The changes also supersede the time schedule in the 1956-57 university catalogue.

The new schedule is as follows:

Class Periods	Day of Examination	Time of Examination
8:00 M.W.F.	Friday, May 24	10:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.
9:00 M.W.F.	Saturday, May 25	8:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
10:00 M.W.F.	Monday, May 27	8:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
11:00 M.W.F.	Tuesday, May 28	8:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
12:00 M.W.F.	Saturday, May 25	2:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
1:00 M.W.F.	Monday, May 27	2:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
2:00 M.W.F.	Monday, May 27	10:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.
3:00 M.W.F.	Wednesday, May 29	2:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
8:00 T. Th.	Tuesday, May 28	10:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.
9:00 T. Th.	Tuesday, May 28	2:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
10:00 T. Th.	Wednesday, May 29	8:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
12:00 T. Th.	Saturday, May 25	2:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
1:00 T. Th.	Friday, May 24	2:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
2:00 T. Th.	Saturday, May 25	10:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.
3:00 T. Th.	Wednesday, May 29	10:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.
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A, 101, 102	Friday, May 24	8:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.
Conflicts	Saturday, May 25	2:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.
Conflicts	Friday, May 31	8:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

Engineer Frat Initiates Six

The University of Nevada chapter of Sigma Tau, National Honorary Engineering Fraternity, initiated six men on Sunday, May 12. Those initiated were: Bruce Capron, Charles Handley, and James Phalan, Electrical Engineers; Eugene Wahl, Civil Engineer, and Eugene Timmons and Frank Price, Mechanical Engineers.

The initiation was held in the library of the Mackay School of Mines and was followed by a banquet at which Cliff Young spoke on Washington, D. C. and some of the problems facing the nation at the present time.

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Does Mackay Day Honor Right Man?

By Nedra Norton

Yes, Mackay Day has passed. And isn't it nice that 1600 students at the University of Nevada paid tribute to John Mackay for the forty-fourth time.

But why all the excitement over this man? Ask any student and no doubt ninety per cent will say, "Why, he's the rich miner from Virginia City who gave all the money to the University."

Not only the students believe this fact. For example, a sentence from an editorial in the latest edition of the "Mackay Miner," official publication of the Crcible Club from the Mackay School of Mines:

"John Mackay and his family donated generously to the growth and development of this University . . ."

A like statement was printed twice in the Reno Evening Gazette, and at least once in the Nevada State Journal and the student newspaper, the Sagebrush.

There is only one slight discrepancy in this common belief. All gifts and donations came from the Mackay estate, through the son, Clarence H. Mackay, and the wife, Louise Hungerford Mackay. In all probability, the father may never have heard of the University of Nevada.

John W. Mackay was one of the men made wealthy by the "Big Bonanza" strike in Virginia City in 1873. He died in 1902, leaving his fortune to his wife, and his son, Clarence. In 1906, Clarence wrote to J. E. Stubbs, then president of the University:

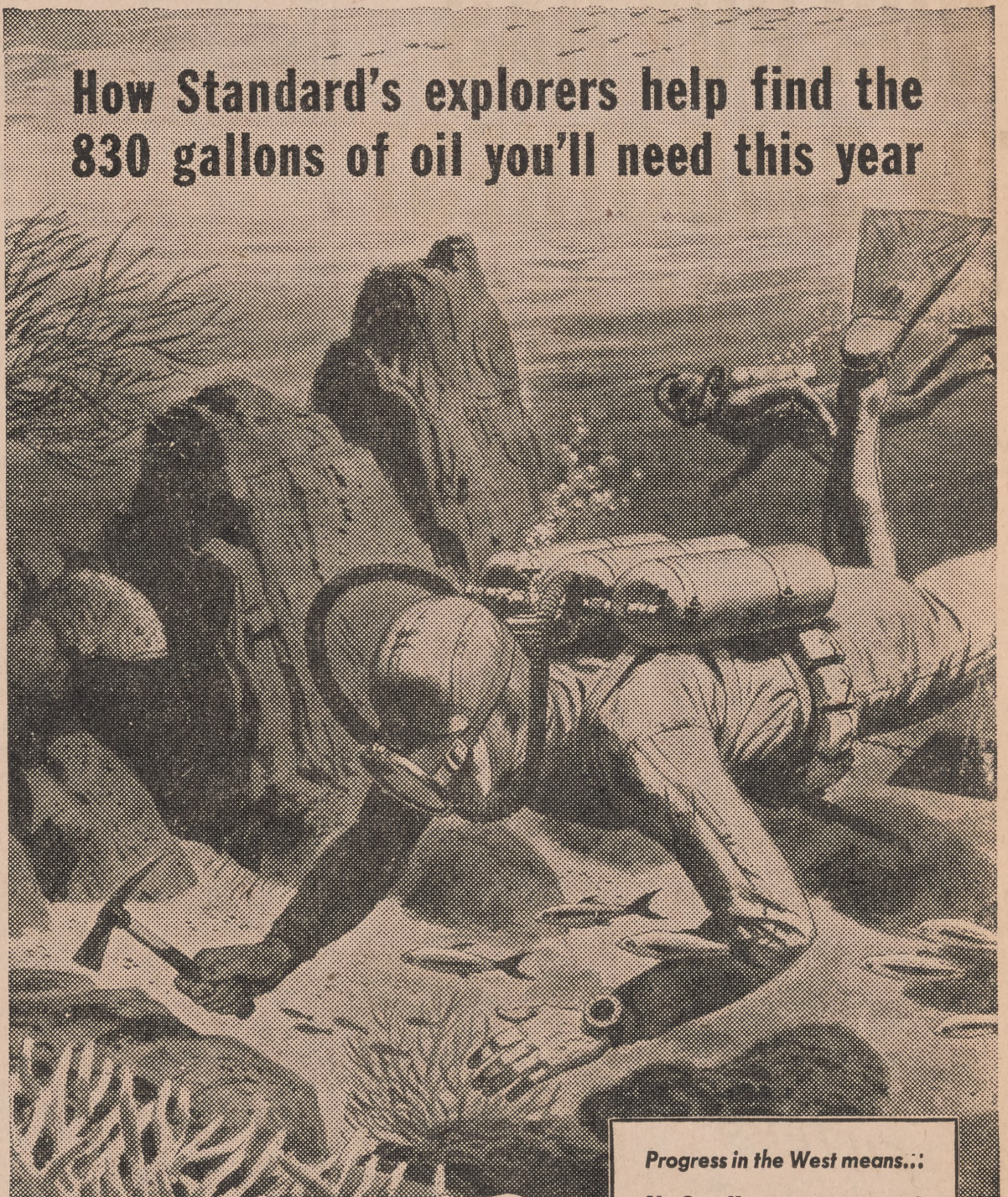
"My mother and I are willing to construct a building to be known as the Mackay Building for the School of Mines, in memory of my father, which on completion will be presented to the University . . ."

Gifts from the Mackay fortune reached the two million dollar mark with the donation of the Mackay Science building in 1930. Other gifts include the Mackay athletic field, the statue of John Mackay, and numerous smaller gifts in the Mackay buildings.

GEN. WOOD ADDRESS

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The Distinguished Service Cross, Distinguished Service Medal, Silver Star, two Bronze Stars, two Air Medals, and the Army Commendation Ribbon are included in the decorations received by Major General Wood.



Oil geologists probe the ocean floor for clues to new oil fields

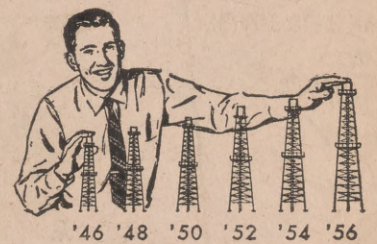
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Wolves Break Records But Lose FWC Track

Wolfpack thinclads shattered four Far Western conference track records last Saturday at Davis, California, but were edged-out of the FWC championship by Chico's five-point margin.

Nevadans who upped FWC track standards were pole-vaulter Soph Dave Harris, Dean Howes, a discus hurler, shot-putter Jim Lyon, and hurdler Jim Potts, all seniors.

Altogether, eight league marks were broken, Chico State, Sacramento State, San Francisco State, and the host Cal Aggies breaking a mark apiece.

Dean Howes' discus hurl of 154' 4 and 7-8" toppled the old record established 17 years ago by more than six feet.

The FWC pole vault mark, set by once-World champion vaulter Cornelius Warmerdam in 1935, was set an inch higher by Las Vegas Dave Harris. Harris cleared thirteen feet seven inches.

Jim Lyon, also an all-conference basketball star, tied with Walt Rilliet of San Francisco in breaking the 22-year old shot put record with twin heaves of forty-nine feet two inches. The old record was 48-5.

Jim Potts of Boulder City, shaved a tenth of a second from his own FWC 120-yard hurdles record flashing over the barriers in 14.8 seconds.

The Cal Aggies' Pete Darnell paced the record-smashers setting the modern mile record at 4:32.7 minutes and breaking Nevada distance runner Bert Cooper's two-mile mark of 10:12 minutes. Darnell ran the double-mile in 9:54 minutes.

Other records were broken by Sac Stater Buddy Cole's 1:55.3 minute 880-yard run, Chico State's 3:20.6 minute mile relay, and the 49.2 minute 440-yard run of S. F.'s Bob Luahalti.

FAR WESTERN CONFERENCE 1957 Track Results

100-Yard Dash — 1st, Weston (C), 9.9; 2nd, Vasquez (H); 3rd, Bell (SF); 4th, Williams (H).
220-Yard Dash — 1st, Tarango (C), 21.7; 2nd, Vasquez (H); 3rd, Thomasen (S); 4th, Luahalti (SF).

440-Yard Dash — 1st, Luahalti (SF), 49.2; 2nd, Thomassen (C); 3rd, Tarango (C); 4th, Mason (SF).

880-Yard Run—1st, Cole (Sac), 1:55.3; 2nd, Ellison (SF); 3rd, Miller (C); 4th, Viano (CA).

Mile Run — 1st, Darnell (CA), 4:32.7; 2nd, Mays (CA); 3rd, Cooper (CA); 4th, Walenta (SF).

Two-Mile Run — 1st, Darnell (CA), 9:54; 2nd, Capello (C); 3rd, Cooper (N); 4th, McLaughlin (C).

120-Yard High Hurdles — 1st, Potts (N), 14.8; 2nd, Schmidt (C); 3rd, Landes (SF); 4th, Harris (N).

220-Yard Low Hurdles — 1st, Bowser (N), 24.7; 2nd, Sheley (C); 3rd, Masterson (SAC); 4th, Landes (SF).

Mile Relay — 1st, Chico State, 3:20.6; 2nd, San Francisco State; 3rd, Nevada; 4th, Humboldt State.

Javelin — 1st, Bryan (C), 183; 2nd, Meder (N); Russell (CA); 4th, Gray (CA).

Shot Put—Lyon (N) and Rilliet (SF) 49-2 (tie); 3rd, Kidd (CA); 4th, Buckman (C).

Discus—1st, Howes (N), 154-4 7-8"; 2nd, Meder (N); 3rd, Cook (N); 4th, North (CA).

Pole Vault — 1st, Harris (N), 13-7; 2nd, Mabry (N); 3rd, tie, Smith (N), Piva (H), and Weldon (SF).

High Jump — 1st, Weston (C), 6-2, tie, Harris (N), Fumigalli (N), Barnum (H), Zenor (SAC) 6'.

Broad Jump—1st, Weston (C), 22 4½; 2nd, Barnum (H); 3rd, Bowser (N); 4th, Masterson (SAC).

I'm all washed out. There's nothing left.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS VISIT NEWS BUILDING

Fourteen Reno and Manogue high school students were guests of the journalism department last week.

The high school students met with several journalism students, Professor A. L. Higginbotham and Keiste Janulis, Press club, and Sigma Delta Chi officers, and editors of the U. of N. Sagebrush.

This annual affair is sponsored by the University of Nevada Press club and Sigma Delta Chi, Professional Journalistic Fraternity.

The visitors were given a tour of the journalism building and shown the Nevada Newspaper Hall of Fame, the old Washington hand press the news room, and typographical laboratory.

Those attending from Reno High were Fred Powell, Bob Rasche, Lou Berrum, Ron Savitt, Joyce Cerfoglio, Brenda Boscosich, Diana Morgan, Alex Anastassatos, and Rex Daniels, journalism instructor at Reno.

From Manogue: Paul Kautz, Jim Maguire, Mila Caldwell, Jeanette Dupauy, Patricia Moses, and Joyce Casazza.

Karen Knudson, president of the Press club, was in charge of the refreshments.

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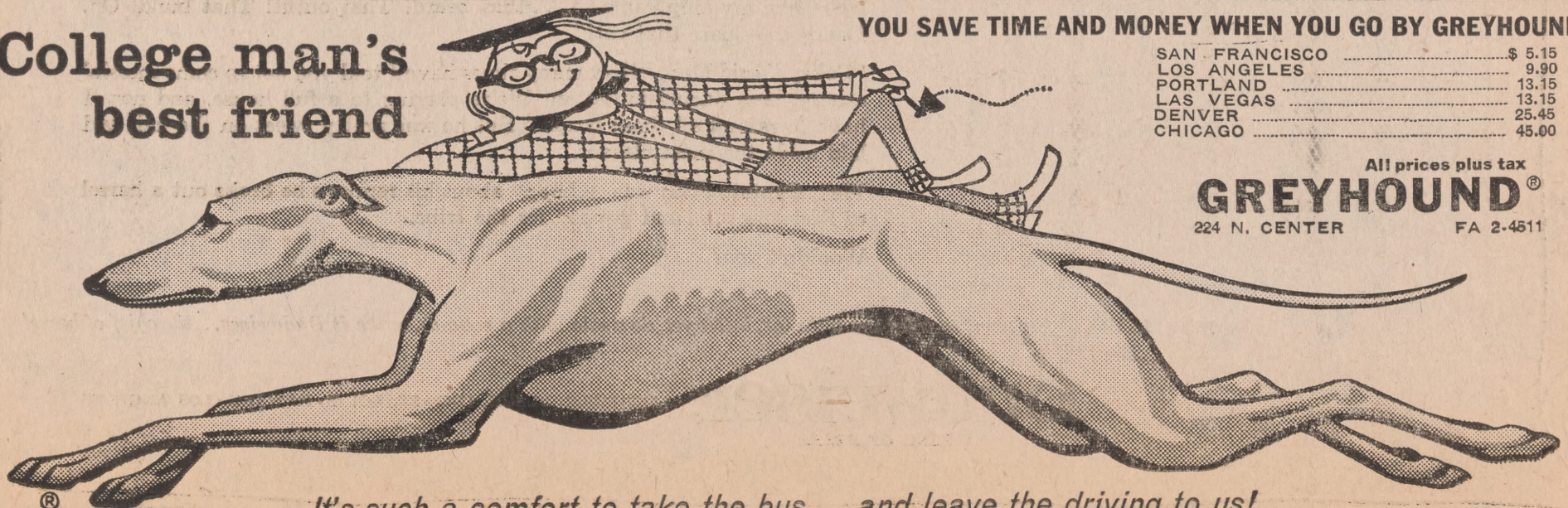
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Campus Players Elect Officers

At a regular meeting of Campus Players, May 15th, new officers were elected for the coming school year. The new officers are, president, Dan Hulse of Pioche, Nev.; Vice president, Trudy Cadell of Reno; secretary, Ginger Ivers of Lovelock.

They will replace outgoing president Barney Mergen, and vice president Joan Garwood, both of Reno.

Dan Hulse appeared in "Arms and the Man" and was featured as a gangster in "Kiss Me Kate." He was also responsible for organizing the first annual Campus Players assembly which was presented March 7 in the Education Auditorium.

Trudy Caddel, of Delta Delta Delta, had the leading role in "The Marriage Has Been Arranged" last semester and was prominent as the romantic interest in the final production on the school year, Moliere's "A Doctor in Spite of Himself." Trudy also worked as an assistant director and stage supervisor for "Kiss Me Kate."



John Sibbald

Sibbald President Of Cadet Officers

John R. Sibbald has been elected president of the new Cadet Officer's club. The club, whose constitution is now awaiting approval by the executive committee and the student senate, will replace a similar organization, Scabbard and Blade.

The Scabbard and Blade organization of cadet officers was disorganized in favor of the new Cadet Officers club so that members would have more control over their group. Scabbard and Blade is a national organization. Most of the dues from the club went to national headquarters. Members now feel that they will get more benefit from the localization of the club and will be able to control the spending of the club's funds.

Cadet Lt. Sibbald was elected by fellow officers. He was recently promoted to first lieutenant, and will be executive officer for Company A of the University of Nevada ROTC unit.

Other officers elected at the May 7 meeting were Dale S. Mo-

Ginger Ivers, also a Tri-Delt, was elected to the post of secretary. Ginger has been very active in debate tourneys this year. She is a speech major from Lovelock. Tentative plays were discussed for the coming school year.

Each time I think you gonna botcha me, you just botcha things up. (Life isn't really worth living).

Women's 'Campus' Rules Are Changed At AWS Meeting

Barbara Cavanaugh turned the AWS gavel over to Myram Borders, newly elected president of the Associated Women Students, at the last council meeting.

Myram asked the council for approval on two appointments for next year: Gail Wooster, chairman of the AWS Big-and-Little Sister program, and Ann Love, chairman of the annual AWS fashion show. Another woman will be chosen to assist Miss Love before the end of school.

The most important business at the meeting concerned women's hours, a subject batted around in council all year.

Two changes will take place in

the AWS hours starting next semester. Instead of being campussed for an entire weekend when a woman is from one to fifteen minutes late, she will be campussed either a Friday or a Saturday night of a week-end when she is from one to five minutes late; two week-end nights when she is from six minutes to ten minutes late; and the entire week-end when she is from eleven to fifteen minutes late. Women students still must arrange to take their "campus" within two week-ends of the violation. They must be in their "houses" by 8 p.m.

Throughout this year it has been the policy to campus any women for one night when she did not sign in or out properly. It was voted in council that the penalty for not signing in or out should be left up to the individual living groups.

sher, vice president; Charles W. Fulkerson, secretary; Stephen H. Dollinger, treasurer; Bob J. Lewis and Ralph J. Rubenstein, members of the board of governors.

John Smith and Pocahontas

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"Smith," thundered old full-of-feathers, "I'm tired of you puncturing my in-laws; we're going to do a disappearing act with your head!"

"Wild, man," said the good captain. "A little Rock 'n Roll, eh?"



This humor was lost on the chief, and he was all set to shorten Smith by about nine inches when in walked Princess Pocahontas ... a nifty little number who'd been out scalping tickets to Cleveland baseball games.

Pokey sized up the situation, and screamed (in perfect Iroquois) "Man, it looks like my ship came in ... that beard! That outfit! That build! Oh, Daddy-O—spare that cat!"

"Pokey," said Dad, "How many times have I told you not to come messin' around here during initiation! We're playing to a full house, and now I have to refund all those beads." But he was pretty sweet on the kid, and laid aside the meat cleaver.

Well, Captain John was so happy about his reprieve he broke out a barrel of Budweiser ... and popped for the tribe.

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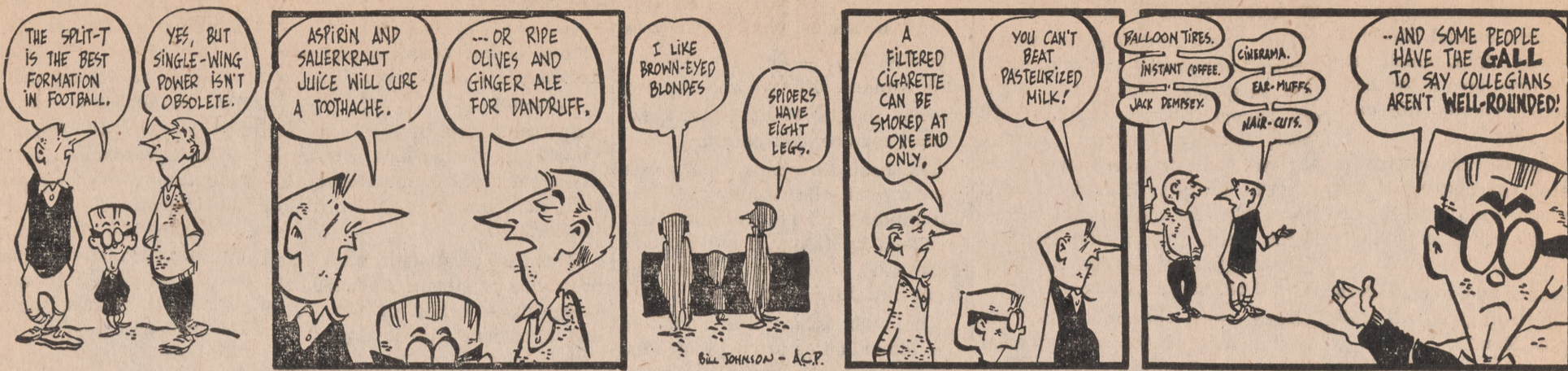
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Baseball Ended On Dismal Note

The University of Nevada Wolf Pack ended their 1957 baseball season rather dimly last week when their last two games

were rained out. A doubleheader scheduled with San Francisco State college was called off, and Nevada's coach, Jake Lawlor,

stated that the games would not be rescheduled. Neither Nevada nor the San Francisco Golden Gators were list-

ed as contenders for the Far Western Conference championship honors. Both teams have records of four wins and four losses.

Nevada has an overall season record of eight wins and six losses. "We have a good club with a lot of young players," said Coach Lawlor. "We are only going to lose one player at graduation."

Pitcher Brian Whalen will be the team member to graduate this spring.

The Hornets from San Francisco State are leading the Far Western conference with an unbeaten 8-0,

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NINE NUCLEAR PHYSICS STUDENTS VISIT COAST

Nine members of the University of Nevada's class in Atomic and Nuclear Physics witnessed a demonstration of a nuclear reactor in Oakland and visited a radiation laboratory in Berkeley last week end.

They included Jerry Gaines, Max Goble, James Jackson, Gregory Jeanbart, Alfred Koenig, Farrel Lytle, Jack Ramsdell, Clarence Richardson, and James Trimbell, and were accompanied by Dr. Vernon T. Frazier, a member of the physics faculty.

The group saw the Aerojet-General Nucleonics corporation reactor, and also visited the University of California's radiation laboratory.



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SILVER 'N' BANQUET HONORS UN LEADERS

Over two hundred students attended the fourth annual Silver N banquet Tuesday night, which recognizes those who have made contributions to University life during the past year.

Guest speaker Governor Charles Russell related the history of the state, and emphasized that its future is in the hands of today's youth.

The yell leader and song leaders led the group in singing "All Hail to Our Sturdy Men."

Just as young people once carved the state of Nevada from a wilderness, young people have the opportunity to carve a greater nation out of the future, said Governor Charles Russell, speaker at the dinner.

A standing ovation was given the Governor after Dr. Minard W. Stout, president of the university, praised the governor as the person who has done more for higher education in the state of Nevada than anyone else.

President Stout stated that the governor has tripled the University's budget since Russell took office in 1950. When the governor first took office, the University was only receiving \$2,600,000, and eight years later the school is receiving \$7,900,000. Also, he said, faculty salaries have been increased an average of 68 per cent.

Lee DeLauer, University of Ne-

Ten Outstanding Women Selected

The "ten outstanding senior women" announced at the recognition assembly Wednesday night are Donna Fisher, Gamma Phi Beta; Beverly Ricketts, Audrey Bernard, and Jo Ann Sawle of Pi Bet Phi sorority; Simmie Cooper, Diane Martin, and Margie Orr of Delta Delta Delta; and Barbara Cavanaugh, Pat Cordes, and Jay Powell of Kappa Alpha Theta.

They were chosen as the "ten outstanding" on the basis of what they have done for the University. They are also expected to have a fairly high grade average.

Each representative on AWS council submitted the names of senior women she wished considered, and the final selection was made by secret ballot. All council members voted.

vada alumni president, served as toastmaster for the fourth annual banquet. The dinner was held at the Fable Room in the Mapes Hotel.

Governor Russell emphasized it is predicted that the population of the state will double by 1975, offering many opportunities and responsibilities to young people.

The topic of the governor's talk was "Trends and Changes in Nevada."

U of N Newman Take Top Award

By Bill Devereux

For the second consecutive year the University of Nevada Newman club walked off with the top awards in the West Coast Newman Province convention.

The host Nevadans, last year's winners of the trophy for the outstanding club, repeated this weekend by taking the trophy as co-award winner with the club from San Jose State.

The club award was added to the individual awards of Miss Joanne Backer, named the top Catholic girl on the West Coast by being presented as "Miss Newmanite of 1957." Miss Backer, a junior, and Richard Arden, senior club president, at Nevada also were awarded the John Henry Newman Honor key by fellow club members for outstanding service.

In the election of officers for the coming year, Nevada's sophomore Bill Devereux was elected to the top Newman position of the province as chairman.

Miss Backer was elected to the post of recording secretary.

Takes Gavel

Devereux received the gavel from Walter J. Markel, of Santa Ana, Calif., retiring chairman, before almost three hundred persons at the awards luncheon in the Skyroom of the Mapes.

The three-day convention featured talks by outstanding religious and lay Catholics from Cali-

fornia and Nevada. Most of the business and panel discussions took place in the new gymnasium.

Special guests of the local club were Bishop Robert Dwyer of Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Petrini, Mr. and Mrs. Glen (Jake) Lawlor.

Barbara Cavanaugh, student body vice president, welcomed the delegates in behalf of the ASUN and President Chuck Coyle.

Miss Backer, convention chairman, was assisted in the work of the meetings by Ruth Ruel, Teresa Mariani, and Ed Randall, decorations; Mr. and Mrs. Cris Cufflin, Kress Harris, Bob Morrill, ary Stevenson, Pat and Vince Mahoney, meals; Ray Tucker, program; Mary Reckers, Nora Kellogg, Virginia Pucci, Suzanne Schwartz, registration; Brian Whalen, Peggy Folkes, Bob Ernest, Norma Jean Annett, Shelly Branch, Donna Fisher, general preparations; Bill McGoldrick, welcoming; Bill Devereux, publicity, and Rich Arden, supervisor.

DEAN WEEMS INVITED TO CHICAGO SYMPOSIUM

The Chicago Board of Trade has invited Dean Robert C. Weems Jr. of the College of Business Administration, to attend the tenth annual symposium on commodity marketing, Sept. 4-6.

The symposium is designed to enlighten college educators about the operations and services performed by the commodity marketing industry. The program will include the presentation of papers, discussion groups, and tours of the exchange service departments and trading floor to watch the market in operation.

Dean Weems was invited by Robert C. Liebenow, president of the Board of Trade.

The Union League club in Chicago will be the site of the session.

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Gifford paced the Nevada team with a total of 148. The six-team, two-day matches ended with Nevada in fifth spot.

Chico State college captured the title with a team score of 747, followed by San Francisco State, 587, and Sacramento State with 788. Nevada's team score was 841.

Other Nevadans in the play were Ralph Rubenstein, with 157; Sherry Gilbertson, 180; Jack Christianson, 179; and Steve Rucker, 177.

Medalist for the 36 hole tournament was Paul Walters of San Francisco State with a 146.

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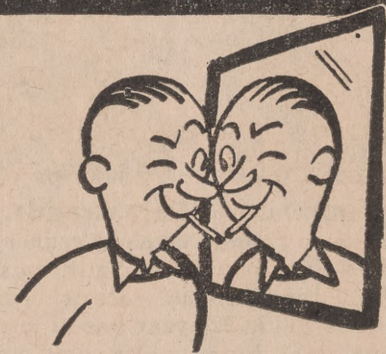
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