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## GET BEHIND YOUR TEAM

### VISITING TEAMS TO BE ENTERTAINED

To entertain the visiting teams from Ashland and San Francisco a rather elaborate program has been arranged. Of course, we expect to show them several things of interest on the basketball courts, but then it is also customary to entertain our friendly opponents in other ways.

The Ashland boys will come in cars and will be welcomed as they come. The S.F.G. team will come by train and will also be welcomed by Humboldt. Saturday a joint luncheon and program will be held in the commons for all members of the visiting teams, our own teams included. After the game Saturday, the visitors will be escorted to the firemans dance in Eureka.

The following committees have been appointed to attend to the details:

Committee to meet Ashland Boys:  
Coach Telonicher, Max Thornton,  
Ronald MacMillan, Lois Henningsen.

Committee to meet S.F. Girls:  
Coach Laura Nelson, Esther Stewart,  
Tess Giacomini, and Clyde Curry.

Luncheon and Program Committee:  
Miss Johnson, Bettie Martin, Carl Bowman, Herb Insip, Kas Nellist,  
Esther Stewart, Fazel Mackley,  
Marm Kay, Homer Spellenberg.

Committee for transportation to the dance: Marjorie Harper, Chester Stromberg, Gordon Hadley, and Fern Cooper.

### LITERARY LUND PARTY TONIGHT

The second meeting of the spring semester will be held Thursday night at 7:30 in the form of a card party.

Tables will be made up for whist and also for auction bridge. Prizes will be distributed to the winners of high and low score.

Mr. Karl Cooperider and his  
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### LET'S WIN FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

C'mon gang lets get some of that old fighting spirit back into us---and WIN those two games this week-end!!! Our old rivals from Ashland will be HERE---even to the nigger that likes Sully so well--- Let's get goin'! they've got a darn good team but so have WE. AND WE CAN WIN. And we WILL.

Where's that rooting section Humboldt used to have? Where's that good old spirit Laura talks about?--I thought Cob had dug it up at the first of the fall term--at least its casket is still around the school!!! What's wrong with the crowd? We're dead on our feet!!! No wonder our boys can't win anything. They get out there on the floor all set to shoot--and win and then they glance up at the bleachers-----empty as usual. No wonder we lose. How can our teams have any fighting spirit when we don't even care enough to go out and see them play.....

C'MON GANG LET'S GET BEHIND OUR TEAMS-----AND WIN!!!!!!

BE AT E.H.S GYM FRIDAY

### H.S.T.C. TO PLAY OREGON CHAMPS

Two years ago Humboldt played her first basketball game with Ashland, losing by a score of 40 to 27. The gang started out ten strong but due to a breakdown only half of that number arrived at Ashland. One of our boys would have been put out on account of fouls but due to the good sportsmanship of the other coach the player stayed in as it would have been impossible to finish the game with only four players. The next two games were played here, one in Eureka, one in Arcata. Humboldt won one of the games by a score of 38-31, but lost the second game. This year the game is to be played  
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WALLOP ASHLAND.....

#### COME ALL YE FAITHFUL

Now is the time for all good Humboldters to come to the aid of their Alma Mater. No loyal scholar, mentor or alumnus of H. S.T.C. will miss the coming basketball games if he can help it. Isolated as we are, it is but seldom that we are able to have athletic contests with outside teams. The basketball games Friday and Saturday nights give us a chance to see how we really rate. The Southern Oregon Normal School at Ashland is our principal athletic opponent and a sort of "Big Game" tradition has grown up around the games we have played with this college. Ashland has played a number of other colleges while we have practiced only with local teams but there is no reason why this should worry us. We have a team that will out a wide swathe if it hits its stride.

When the San Francisco Girl's Athletic Club comes up to play our co-eds, they will find that we have an all-star line-up. The Bay City quintet is rated as one of the best on the Coast, but unless they have an exceptionally fine team, we concede them a very small chance of winning. All in all, it looks like big times ahead for Humboldt. Everyone should plan to see all of the games since a chance like this does not come very often.

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BEAT ASHLAND THIS TIME.....

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Visitor: Those are nice dressing rooms you have attached to the football stadium.

Prof: Dressing rooms! Those are the college buildings.

#### COLLEGE NIGHT SUNDAY AT METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday evening, at 7:15, a special service will be held at the Arcata Methodist church. A half hour of college talent will be presented, including some to be later represented on the Collegians. Among those who will give selections are Mildred Moe, Harry Bell, Allan MacDonald, Grace Lovejoy, and others to be announced later.

President Swetman will speak on behalf of the college, and Rev. Homer Bodley, pastor of the church, will address the students on "The Religion of a College Student". Rev. Bodley was the speaker at the baccalaureate sermon last month, and will undoubtedly have a sermon very worthwhile for college students as well as the public.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public, and a special one to college students for this service next Sunday evening, Feb. 23.

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BEAT SAN FRANCISCO!!!!

#### ----- W.A.A. HOLDS INITIATION

Last Thursday night W.A.A. girls made "Whoopie" with a most successful banquet, program, and initiation.

Red Grange, Ty Cobb, Babe Ruth, and scores of other popular sport heroes and heroines enjoyed the fine dinner prepared by a committee under Marjorie Small. Bats, balls, racquets, hockey sticks, pennants, and streamers gave the social unit a real "collegiate" air. The feature of the program was a song featuring Miss Herron's car, sung by four football and baseball men who brought in a model of the car filled with favors. The words of this "ditty" were written by Marjorie Harper.

Faculty women and wives as well as new members were called on for speeches.

After the banquet, everyone adjourned to the gym where the poor Froshies met their doom. They came through in fine shape, however, and from the athletic ability displayed, will certainly bring fame to Humboldt some day. (Especially if Humboldt ever has a girls boxing team.)

The initiation over, everyone danced, having a grand and glorious time. And last, but not least, the Freshmen did the dishes.

WATCH US WIN THIS WEEKEND — AND HOW!

# BEAT - SAN FRANCISCO

## CLASS NOTES

The students of the Public Speaking A Class are enjoying giving impromptu speeches on the content of their text books. Every day speeches are given on the lesson assigned for that day. This is a very effective manner of checking up on the students who have not read their lessons, besides making the course more interesting.

Monday afternoon the Geology class enjoyed a trip to Big Lagoon. The purpose of the trip was to gather geological specimens. Many agates, schists, and cherts were found. The class made an examination of the cliff formation at Luffenholts.

The boys tumbling class is very popular with the students. Any seventh period the class is held a large crowd of spectators are in attendance. The stunts are very amusing, and if Tilly refuses to have an audience many of the students who enjoy and benefit by auditing the course, will be disappointed.

The women's choral class are gaining excellent practice in singing in trios. During each class period different combinations of voices are tried to the enjoyment of all. This individual practice produces self assurance as well as furnishing excellent practice in carrying individual parts.

The astronomy class plan to have observation periods any time the weather is favorable. This class has the privilege of "Star gazing" with the professor's permission.

## LITERARY CLUB

group will furnish the entertainment for the evening. The business meeting will be held first in the auditorium after which the members will adjourn to the social unit to play cards to be followed by light refreshments.

## WEEKLY DIRT

What is that Botany Class going to do next? Now it's little Ruth Nellist and Denny Willis. And how they do study(?) together.

We notice that Shorty has an awful bite upon his arm and we think it must have been put there by one of the weaker (?) sex.

Jerry Wilson hasn't decided whether she should join the barn door or not. Make up your mind Jerry!!!!

Mickey and Rollo seem to still be going strong!!! Freshmen hands off!!!!!!

These new Freshmen girls! We simply can't keep track of them. Take Marie Melanson and Mary Elizabeth Cronin. Just you wait, the Rooter has something under its hat about them.

## BE AROUND FRI., SAT.

## BALLY I PROUD FATHER.

Bally is now the proud father of a bouncing baby daughter which was born last Saturday. The students are expecting him to begin passing the cigars - they are also hoping - that when he starts walking the floor at night he will still hold his amiable disposition and not give any stiff ex's.

## SEE YOU AT THE GAMES

## BASKETBALL CONT'D

here because the football game was played at Ashland. Of course Sully's pet, Mr. Hines, will be here and he's playing guard. Let's go, gang and have a 100% rooting section. All the team needs is to know that the school is behind them and they'll make a good showing.

LET'S MAKE IT THREE STRAIGHT,  
AND PUT HUMPHOLDT ON THE MAP!!!



# WIN THAT ASHLAND GAME

## A CONVERSATION

Mutter: Well, Mr. Mumble, we've finally arrived in Egypt. Do you want to stay here in Cairo for a while.

Mumble: No, I'm anxious to see the desert.

Mutter: You're crazy; it's too hot right now. The heat out there is intense!

Mumble: It's what?

Mutter: Intense.

Mumble: That's all right; we don't have to go in any tents.

Mutter: Then what do you expect to sleep in?

Mumble: My underwear.

Mutter: Have you ever been over the desert at 120?

Mumble: No, but I've gone around the golf course in 118.

Mutter: You can make the journey if you want; there's a camel over there.

Mumble: I wouldn't want that one, her's bent in the middle.

Mutter: A camel is the only animal for the desert. One drink of water lasts him 8 days.

Mutter: That's nothing. One drink of bootleg booze in America often lasts a man a lifetime.

Mutter: You'll find the desert pretty hot. Are you used to it?

Mumble: Certainly. I inherit it.

Mutter: Inherit it?

Mumble: Sure, my father was a flaming youth, and my step-mother was a red-hot mama.

Mutter: Instead of visiting the desert wouldn't you like to take a boat down the Nile?

Mumble: Yes but I haven't a pilots license.

Mutter: We could see the Sphinx.

Mumble: What's that?

Mutter: It's a stone lion with a woman's head and has been silent for thousands of years. Of course the woman is a myth.

Mumble: A what?

Mutter: A myth.

Mumble: Well, can't you tell me she is single without lisping?

Mutter: We can even visit the grave of Tut-Ankh-Amen.

Mumble: That's foolish. I've seen Grant's tomb and they're all the same.

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## A REVISED HISTORY OF CALIF.

The first discovery of California has been in doubt; some local authorities claiming that the Garden of Eden was back of the monkey house; others, more modest, give the date of its discovery at the time that Noah landed the Ark on the top of Mt. Shasta, but the best and most authentic accounts give the year 1603, when Sir Francis Drake sailed through Golden Gate and up the river, discovered Sacramento, and started Sutter's Fort and a brewery.

Sir Francis Drake brought with him a troupe of Spanish Troubadours who spent most of their time the next hundred years in building Spanish Missions and Ramona's home, promoting bull fights and building the El Camino Railroad.

But in 1874 California really began to grow; for in that year a couple of fellows by the names of Lewis and Clark began running cheap excursions over the U.P. Railroad. Two years later, a man named Marshall started a gold cure near Sacramento, and within six months had 200, 000 gold diggers of both sexes there.

Thus we learn that California was discovered by the Spanish, settled by the Yankees.

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WALLOP S. F. G. A. C.

Mutter: Have you any idea when King Tut died?

Mumble: No, I didn't read the obituary notices.

Mutter: The catacombs are filled with Egyptian mummies. You know what a mummy is, don't you?

Mumble: Sure, it's baby talk for mama.

Mutter: The Egyptians preserve their dead by wrapping them in bandages.

Mumble: That's a good idea. We ought to do the same thing in America. There's enough red tape in Washington to supply the whole country.

Und So Weiter.

SEE THE GAMES!!

THIS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

SHAPE ASHLAND