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## SWIMMING PARTY NEXT THURSDAY

A swimming party will be held Thursday, March 20, at the Eureka Yacht Club under the direction of the Industrial Arts Department and the W.A.A. The party is open to all students and faculty members of H.S.T.C. There will be swimming, eats, and dancing. A fee of 75¢ paid in advance covers all charges including ferry fare. Towels and suits will not be furnished. Cars will leave the College at four o'clock and the five o'clock boat will be taken across the bay. Money for the trip may be left with Maxine Gould, Bill Huber, Tess Giacomini, Ray Clary, Esther Genzoli, George Gregory, or Jimmie Spiering. All money must be in by four o'clock Wednesday, March 19. Young blades who have been practicing high dives on the tumbling mats will have a good opportunity to parade their wares.

## SCHEDULE FOR VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT POSTED----

- First Round.
- Eureka (1) vs Arcata (5)..Thurs. March 13, at noon.
  - Eureka (2) vs Arcata (6)..Friday March 14, at noon.
  - Eureka (3) vs Arcata (7)..Monday March 17, at noon.
  - Arcata (4) vs Fortuna (9)..Tues. March 18, at noon.
  - Ferndale (8) vs Fortuna (10)..Wed. March 19, at noon

## COLLEGIAN PROGRAM AT KORBEL OFF

Because the hall has been condemned on account of fire hazard, the collegian program will not be given at Korbel.

BE AT THE DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT!!!

SNAPPY MUSIC--THE COLLEGIANS NINE

HELP MAKE IT A REAL DANCE

## DANCE FRIDAY

Allay oop! There will be a dance Friday in the College Library Advantage is being taken of the open date left by the cancelling of the Collegians program at Korbel to put on a Student Body dance. As a special feature, the music will be furnished by the Collegians five piece orchestra.

Committees for the event are: Table movers, Clyde Patenaude, ch. Benny Marshall, Alan MacDonald, Dave Exton, Leo Sullivan, and Leo Schussman. Decorations, Marjorie Harper, ch., Ernestine Clendenen, Helen Foster, Alyce Finne, Louis Ehrlich, Dave Hartley, and Denny Willis. Lighting effects, Paul Ely and Reuel Fick. Each student is entitled to one bid. All bids must be in by Thursday noon.

## H.S.T.C. VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT BEGINS AT NOON TODAY.

The big volleyball tournament composed of seven teams, each given the name of some nearby town and composed of 3 boys and 3 girls will begin today noon in the gym, with a game played between Eureka (1) and Arcata (5).

The team which has the most points by 12:40 will be the winner. Captains for the teams are as follows: M. Wrigley, Eureka (1); Holm, Eureka (2); K. Cotter, Eureka (3); E. Nix Arcata (4); M. Todd Arcata (5); R. Gutheridge, Arcata (6); Touhey, Arcata (7); D. Hartley Ferndale (8); Brandstetter, Fortuna (9); Tod Thomas, Fortuna, (10).

The names of the people playing on the above teams are posted on the bulletin board in the hall.

## FACULTY MEMBER ILL

Miss Flora Walker one of the Science instructors of the college, has been confined to her home the last two days due to illness. Her absence has been felt strongly by her classes.

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LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN

What has happened to all the enthusiasts who enrolled in the Campfire class? Please send them back to us if you see them any place, as we miss their smiling faces. The lesson for this week was the qualifications of a good leader, and the formulation, principles, and carrying out of programs for a campfire group. At the next meeting an outside lecturer will be present and any girl who is interested cannot afford to miss this meeting.

RAILROAD PICTURES

In answer to a letter written by Leroy Starkey, the Southern Pacific company has sent a number of photographs, blueprints, and pamphlets showing the development of the railroad to the College Training School. The material was sent to Mr. Inskip, who forwarded it to the College. The photographs show views of different stages of locomotive development from the litte, old Rocket to the modern monster iron horse. The blue prints show the details of the construction of different kinds of passenger and freight cars. Anyone wishing to see this fine collection may do so over at the training school.

ENGINEERING STUDENTS

Any persons interested in taking a course in surveying next semester should see Ray Glary. Surveying is a prerequisite for engineering courses.

WHAT HO! A WORD ABOUT "THE HAUNTED BOOKSHOP"

I was walking through the Library and, as I passed Miss Burton's desk, this question started at me: "Have you read this book?" My answer was "No," so I decided that I'd look over "The Haunted Bookshop". In less than five minutes I had the book tucked safely under my arm and in one minute more I had begun to read. Somebody saw me reading, questioned me about the book, and said, "Say, I'd like to read that." Two days passed and in the mean time the poor little book was read in the Library first by one of us and then by the other. Now we have both finished reading it and have acclaimed it as "very good."

Christopher Morley, as you know, is a very clever writer. I guarantee that you will enjoy his "Haunted Bookshop", if you will give it a chance.

How would you like to have some one hand you your favorite book (or what you thought was your favorite book) packed full of gunpowder? Read--and see how Aubrey liked it.

LITERATI JINX?

Is it possible that there is a jinx on the office of Literati president? Many people are wondering, because last semester Lanita Jewett was forced to quit college on account of ill health, and now Harry Bell, her successor, has to quit too.

Ellas Woolner, vice president of Literati, will take the president's office for the remainder of the semester. Ellas has already proved herself a good leader as program chairman last semester, when she always put on a fine entertainment.

The next program for Literati is scheduled for March 20. Luella Henningsen is in charge of the affair and promises to have a good time for everyone. The St. Patricks motif is to be used and undoubtedly green will be much in evidence.

Among other things, there will be an intiation of new members, an "Irish" program, and refreshments. All Literatians are urged to come and enjoy themselves.

DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT!!!

ANSWERS FOR LAST WEEKS  
QUESTIONNAIRE GATHERED ABOUT  
THE HALLS.

1. Psittacosis is a species of orchid.
2. Global tonnage refers to the weight of the earth.
3. An agnostic is one of the valves on a steam engine.
4. George Washington's white horse was a blue roan.
5. The chemical formula for sulphuric acid is H<sub>2</sub>O.
6. Mussolini is president of France.
7. A commutator is a person who travels to and from somewhere.
8. An obligato is a vegetable developed by Burbank.
9. Phoebus was the husband of Helen of Troy.
10. "To a Waterfowl" was written by Byron.
11. "The Pied Piper of Hamelin" was written by Hawthorne.
12. A syllogism is a religious cult.
13. A schismatic must be something like automatic.
14. The second president of the United States was Jefferson Davis.
15. Missouri is Dawes' native state.
16. Primo Carnera is nine feet eleven inches tall.
17. T.N.T. is made from mash, yeast malt, etc.
18. The velocity of light is eight minutes.
19. The constituents of brass are iron, lead, gold, and bronze.
20. N'est ce pas, means "What's the score?"
21. The "Blue Boy" was painted by Rodin.
22. The statue down in the plaza is of William Jennings Bryan.
23. Tasmania is somewhere in Africa.
24. Croydon is a brand of motor.
25. Crinoline is a kind of linoleum.

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IN THE EDITORS OFFICE

Papers scattered here and there,  
Rosters on the floor,  
Fancy drawings on the wall  
Pictures hot, galore.

"Inspiration on the shelf,  
Soissors on the light,  
Don't ask us to clean it up,  
For we'd be there half the night.

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DOM'T FORGET!  
DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT

WHAT THEY THINK.

Each week we have decided to print the various opinions of the prominent students on the questions of the day. The question for today is "Should a girl who is going steady with a fellow step out on him?"

Opinions on this topic are varied. Alan McDonald says, "Sure, why not? They're not married!" On the other hand, with equal emphasis the anthisis is expressed. "I dont see why they should. No, I dont think so."

Ed Nix.

Jo Dolfini is decidedly opposed to a girl stepping out on her man. She sums up her position on the question by, "hy not be true and lovable."

Annie Louise Hellums takes sides neither way. She contends that it just depends upon what you want to do. "Let your conscience be your guide."

Co-ed Sal adds "Variety is the spice of life."

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REVISED HISTORY OF CALIFORNIA  
(continued from last week)

San Francisco is renowned for its fisheries, sharks, suckers and goldfish. They also have the most patriotic fish in the world. On most any sunny afternoon, from the rocks by the Cliff House, the Red Snapper, White Fish, and the Blue Fish may be seen prading by in undulating lines.

The City of Los Angeles is a seaport situated eighteen miles from the sea. The only wonder is that they haven't run it through to the Atlantic.

Owing to the late Volstead disaster, they ran short of water, so they ran a subway up into Canada somewhere and tapped the Arctic Ocean. Then they had so much water they didn't know what to do with it. According to their constitution, they could not use it outside of the city limits, so they annexed another county to use up the water; the result being that Los Angeles is the largest city in the world--in the point of farm acreage. Although it is never referred to natives, Los Angeles has a most wonderful climate. You can melt, freeze, and drown in the same spot on the same day. They have two kinds of weather--perfect and UNUSUAL.  
(continued next week)

### FROSH DOWN SOPHS IN GIRLS VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT.

Yesterday afternoon during the eighth period the Freshmen girls defeated the Sophomore girls two out of three games of 15 points each in a hard fought volleyball game in the college gym.

This was the first game of the interclass tournament which will be finished within the next week. So far the Frosh girls have won everything in interclass athletics. Whether they will still be able to hold that record will be proven by the results of the volleyball tournament which will be followed by the interclass baseball games.

The Sophomores won the first game by a close score of 16-14 after both teams had tied at 14 all. The Freshmen rallied in the next two games and won both with scores of 15-8 and 15-4. The Line-ups were as follows:

#### Sophomores

Vada Hall, Marj Kausen, 1. Titlow Swany Swanson, M. Diedrichsen, E. Cameron, Subs for the sophs were Babe Freeman, R. Vinum, and 2. Tomlinson.

#### Freshmen

Dot Wrigley, Al Renfro, Christy Christiansen, Marj Monroe, Gert Hartley, and P.J. Sallee.

The next game will be held this afternoon during the eighth period between the losers and the Upperclassmen.

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### NOTICE!! STAR GAZERS!!!!

The Astronomy club will meet tonight at 7:30 in the college commons. All members of this star gazing fraternity are expected to attend.

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### EXECUTIVE MEETING

An executive meeting will be held this noon in room 15 for the purpose of passing on the bids for the dance which will be held tomorrow night.

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Mr. Hollister: You don't chew tobacco, do you?

Ivy Cartwright: No, but I could let you have a cigarette.

# ON-YEH!

Jimmie Spiering is going strong for telephone operators. He says the only thing Margaret hasn't got is a car.

Mary Agnes Rourke is bemoaning the fact that she hasn't an airplane. It seems that her boy friend is in Redding and hasn't the price of stage fare. We think he's kidding you Mary Agnes.

Edie Melanson and Clyde Curry went to the assembly together, while Marjorie Monroe and Dave Hartley spent the time out in front. How did that happen?

Lois Cottrell and Denny Willis were showing Ron and Bess up last Monday afternoon out at the south end.

Since the Chesterfield has been reinforced, P.J. is receiving more boy friends.

Ross Holcomb certainly likes the new Freshmen girls--especially the blondes.

Maxine has found out that tumblers don't always fall.

Bill Pederson was seen at school Wednesday evening waiting for Swany.

Oh! oh! Louie Ehrlich was seen walking home with Natalie Thornton the other evening.

What makes Sully so weak? He couldn't even pick Hazel Mackley up the other day.

We asked Herb what makes him look so mopey lately and he said the new long skirts were getting him down--he has no imagination.

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### COLLEGE GUIDE

- Airdale--Uncooth male
- Dead Hooper--Poor dancer
- Covered Wagon--Sedan
- Rock Crusher--A big He-man
- Boy friend
- Touchdown--a loan
- Blimp--Girl Friend
- Blotto--No good
- Dragout--Out of town party
- Oil can--One who takes nine years to complete a four years course
- Sofa Pup--Davenport hound
- Shinslop--Dance
- Squeeze on the Howler--A blast on the horn.
- Torch--The object of one's affection.

# HISTORIC ERHSTIC

## HUMBOLDT STATE ALL-COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE PLANNED.

Five definite and one tentative game have been drawn up by Coach Telonicher for the fall season of football. This schedule has been passed by vote in the student body of the college.

So far only one game has been scheduled for the home gridiron, which will be played when Ashland invades our territory. All other games will be played away from Arcata.

Three State Teachers college men will be lost by graduation this year in the persons of Brantley, Harrison, and Branstetter. Three of our first string backfield men will be gone when the locals set out to tackle the other teams; these men are Brantley, Harrison, and Pederson who was our mainstay last year. It is rumored that Fete will be back, though, and the whole college is ready to welcome him. Dick Derby, one of our last years linemen is expecting to be back in the old fight with Humboldt, too.

It is expected that Hogan, Stringfellow, and Exton will be in the starting lineups for the coming season.

The last year of college football was the first ever seen in the county. Out of six games played the lumberjacks won one, tied one, and lost four. With last years experience playing college teams to our advantage, we feel that we will get an altogether different score this coming season, and in the end we will find Humboldt ON TOP!

## PENNANT STICKERS FOR HUMBOLDT

Now Humboldt has its pennant stickers for windshields, binders, etc., just like other big colleges. The stickers, designed by Joe Stringfellow, have a gold background with Humboldt State in green. They may be purchased at the bookstore for the price of three for ten. Sure, we're getting more collegiate every day.

## KATHERINE NELLIST MAKES HIT WITH DANCING.

The dancing of Kas Nellist has proved such a hit on this years Collegians' program, that Carl Bowman, Director, will include a tap dance number by her when the Collegians give their radio program over KPO in San Francisco on April 12.

The dance numbers of Miss Nellist and her partner, Cob McMillan, have been especially well received. Miss Nellist also is featured in a solo dance in one of the jazz orchestra numbers.

## ST. PATRICKS DANCE ENJOYED BY HUMBOLDT COLLEGE STUDENTS

The student body of the Humboldt State Teachers College danced to melodies played by the Collegians orchestra last Friday evening in the college library which was decorated in green, streamers were hung across the ceiling from which dangled many green shamrocks to favor St. Patricks birthday.

Much credit should go to the committees who worked so hard to make the dance a success. Those on the decoration committee were: Marjorie Small (chairman) Helen Foster, Alyce Finne, Lewis Ehrlich, Dave Hartley, and Denny Willis. The lighting effects were made possible by the efforts of Paul Ely and Ruel Ficke.

## SOLDIER CHORUS FRIDAY.

The Soldier Chorus of the Humboldt Collegians Troupe will parade before the assembly which will be held tomorrow, Friday. The personnel of the chorus is as follows: Esther Stewart, Annie Louise Hellums, Hazel Mackley, Eldrid Hogan, Ione Russell, Ronald Russell, Katherine Nellist, Clyde Curry, Lorene Barnum, and Karl Cooperrider.

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