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## BASKETBALL TEAM MEETS ALUMNI IN TILT FRIDAY

### COACH TELONICHER URGES LARGE STUDENT TURNOUT

Humboldt's basketball team plays its last practice game next Friday night at 8:15 in the College Gym when it meets the Humboldt College Alumni for the second time.

Next week Humboldt swings into action in a regular Independent League game. According to Fred Telonicher, going in the league is going to be plenty tough this year, and consequently he wants to see a large student turnout Friday night to help his team get set for another successful season. Admission will be free to all holders of student body cards.

The Alumni team is composed of several former stars, most outstanding of whom will probably be Harry Zook, diminutive sharpshooter. Wally Lozensky, last year's regular center, is in charge of the team. He will select his starting line-up from the following men: Harry Zook, Franny Moore, Joe Walsh, Charley Timmons, Kirk Lemon, and Earl Hem-inway.

A game will also be scheduled for the Reserves, providing an opponent can be found.

No line-up has been announced by Fred Telonicher for either the Varsity of the The Reserve teams.

### State's Christmas Star Visible Over Wide Area

The Star mounted on the crown of the Humboldt State College building during Christmas was visible over the whole bay area student observers declared. It was, observers who had spent time in Berkeley claimed, as bright as the light on top of the Campanile at the University of California. This latter light burns now only for brief intervals, because seamen ruled that it constituted a menace to shipping when it burned all the time.

Some fear was felt by the old salts in Humboldt's student body that the Christmas star's light might have the same dire results. The light from Campanile, many boatmen averred, confused navigators entering the Bay, who mistook it for a light house. Many near disasters were laid to its brilliance.

Humboldt Students would have been surprised, indeed, to have found a contingent of dread nights at anchor in the front parking lot when they came to school Monday.

### Raymond Edeline Ready To Sail The Seven Seas

Raymond Edeline, freshman student, will be ready to put out to sea any day now as the result of his labors over the Christmas vacation. Edeline is the owner of a fishing boat, at present in dry dock. His spare time the last two weeks he spent in repainting the hull and repairing the engine. He reports good progress in his work, and expects to launch his craft soon.

### Second Daniel Boone Kills Ferocious Bear

Thrilling experience number one of the Christmas vacation was that of Cleve Cummings who killed a bear on the Barr ranch at Canyon Creek New Year's Day. The beast weighed over two hundred pounds, making him bigger than Fred Sievert.

Single-handed, since he carried a gun in the other hand, Cleve stalked the savage creature. Though his only weapon was a rifle capable of knocking over a bull, the hunter was fearless. "Boom," said the gun, and when the smoke cleared, there lay the bear (not a teddy bear) minus his soul. What he died of, no one has been able to discover.

The bear was in a trap.

### Barbara Unsoeld Secretly Married

Barbara Unsoeld, Humboldt senior who will graduate this January, is today no longer Miss Unsoeld. Since June 12, 1936, it was just learned, she has been Mrs. Robert Sargent Shute. Her marriage at Santa Barbara was kept secret until this Christmas vacation when she and her husband established residence in Compton, California where Mr. Shute is at present employed. Mr. Shute is a former University of Chicago student.

The couple met for the first time at the Pi Sigma Tau Scholarship dance held in the Arcata Women's Club last spring.

Mrs. Shute has taken an active part in student functions at Humboldt. She has had parts in plays given by the dramatics department. She was chairman of the House committee and chairman of the Hospitality committee. She was also secretary of the student body. This year she was a member of the student council.

Mrs. Shute will not return to Humboldt this semester.

### Grigger Almost Drowns In Treacherous Surf

Ex-Humboldt grigger Anders Nielson has a healthier respect for the sea and bears scars today that stand witness to the might and treachery of the ocean.

While fishing in the surf at the mouth of Mad River before Christmas, he was engulfed in a mammoth wave and narrowly escaped being dragged out to sea by the undertow as three companions helplessly watched his struggles.

The weight of water-soaked clothes and water-filled boots almost proved too much for Nielson, but after a terrific effort he managed to reach shallow water where his comrades could assist him. In his struggles, however, his gaff-hook was driven deep through his hand, necessitating doctor's attention.

### NOW TEACHING

Ada Sears, Humboldt State graduate, is now teaching in the "Land of the Midnight Sun." She recently accepted a position in the community school at Sitka, Alaska.

Smile! You won't get out of this life alive anyway.

## WINNING WRITERS SELECTED FOR CONTEST AWARDS

### JUDGES FIND DIFFICULTY IN DETERMINING WINNERS

The competition for the prize money in the Lumberjack's recent contest was extremely close before the four winners were picked, according to Zula Ballew, Imogene Platt, Mrs. E. M. Folsom, and Maurice Hicklin, faculty members who were the judges in the contest.

Final decision for the prose award of \$2.50 rested between Bessie Boehne's "Looking Inside" and Hope Dondero's "The Personality of Things." The balance was so delicate that highest ranking was given to Bessie Boehne only because Hope Dondero's essay contained minor grammatical imperfections.

Judging for the verse award was again close, Violet Susan's "I Must Forget" being chosen over Ensi Wirta's and Barbara Unsoeld's rivalling poems for the excellence of construction and the unity of expression.

As the best straight news story Jayn Harville's "Highest Ranking Hi Graduate Gets Award" won the \$2.50 prize, and John McGrath's resume of the football season won the \$2.50 put up for the best feature story. High mention was given Zorie Ivancich for her fine news stories. Nora Haapala also won serious consideration with her semi-feature, "The Five W's Of Humboldt's Band."

### Reckoning Nears For H. S. Truants

Students whose attendance at class has been intermittent this semester are reminded that there will come a day of reckoning by the following announcement from the college bulletin.

"Entering freshmen and students having a college scholarship average of less than a 'C' are subject to the following administrative regulations concerning excessive absence without excuse:

"(a) If the number of unexcused absences is equal to twice the number of credit units in the course, the grade is automatically reduced to 'D' in the Records office.

"(b) If the number of unexcused absences is equal to three times the number of credit units in the course, the grade is reduced to a 'F.'"

### Gags-of-the-Week

1. In a lecture to the Zoology LA class Mr. Poulney leaning over and whispering to Jim Hall, who was drawing a diagram upon the blackboard, "Hurry up, Jim, because I am just killing time till you finish."

2. Margaret Harris, after reading the Lumberjack's Literary Supplement: "I didn't know we had so many budding poets on our campus."

Ray Pedrotti: "Yes, but they never get out of the bud."

### Cash Awards Offered By Literary Magazine

"First the Blade", an inter-collegiate literary magazine, is offering \$65 in cash awards for the best poems contributed by college students before Feb. 1.

Contributors may be any student registered during the scholastic year of 1936-37 in a California university, college, or junior college.

Prizes offered include \$20 for the best religious poem; \$15 for the best poem of the collection; \$10 each for the best ode, sonnet, and ballad.

Manuscripts should be addressed to "First the Blade", The Par-nassians, Mount St. Mary's College, Los Angeles.

### H. S. Women Begin Volleyball Games

Women's interclass volleyball games began yesterday noon. The remaining games in the series will also be played during the noon hours so that Coach Fred Telonicher may have the college gymnasium for men's basketball practice. The following class teams were chosen, according to Hazel Nichols, general volleyball manager.

Freshman team: Irene Paddock, Valerie Barker, Bessie Boehne, Myrtle Boehne, Rose Marianne Flowers, Belva Wahl, Helen Halsby, and Wilma Simpson. Substitutes: Virg niaBelloni, Mary Floccini, Irene Dolson, and Nora Haapala.

Sophomore Team: Blanche Lowry, Irene Anderson, Nathalie Brenner, Vesta Marke, Vesta Moxon, Helen Connick, Celia Pozzi, and Beatrice Hanson. Substitutes: Isabelle Wilson, Margaret Easley, Lanyette Gregory, and Gladys Hinman.

Junior team: Gladys Marke, Ruby McCallister, Margery Hyner, Hazel Nichols, Hazel Smith, Billie Feilding, Merle Morton, Frances Poulson, and Lois Hedley.

Senior team: Goldie Tamburovich, Mona Acton, Zorie Ivancich, Evelyn Quarnheim, Barbara Jean Russell, Jane Cotter, Eloise Chase, and Margery Brenner.

Officials for the volleyball games were also selected. They are as follows: Tuesday, January 5, Lois Hedley and Hazel Smith; Thursday, January 7, Virginia Torp and Zorie Ivancich; Tuesday, January 12, Ruby McCallister and Billie Feilding; Thursday, January 14, Goldie Tamburovich, and Evelyn Quarnheim; Tuesday, January 19, Mrs. Monica Hadley and Virginia Torp.

In case there is no tie the games scheduled for Wednesday, January 20 will be played Thursday, January 21.

### State Students Should Study Seriously Soon

With the re-opening of college, Humboldt State students should be entering upon a several weeks' period of concentrated study, campus average-raisers caution. Preparation for mid-year finals should be well under way, since they commence Monday, January 25, and end Thursday, January 28.

The spring semester will begin February 1.

## JOE DALY RESIGNS POSTS TO TAKE S. R. A. POSITION

### PERFORMED OUTSTANDING STUDENT SERVICES WHILE HERE

Joe Daly resigned his positions this week as president of the Teacher's Association, chairman of the Board of Control, and vice-president of the student body to take an appointment as Case Aid worker on the State Relief Administration.

Absence of Joe Daly from student affairs will be keenly felt, Oden Hansen, student body president declares.

Among the many other services rendered Humboldt State by Joe Daly, one of them was his organizing and coaching a track team last spring. At the University of San Francisco, from which he graduated with a B. S. degree at Christmas 1936, Joe Daly was a varsity track letterman for three years, his last year being captain of the sport. He was also a member of the varsity boxing team. His fellow athletes gave him the signal honor of electing him to the secretaryship of the Block Club, organization for letter winners in a major sport.

In accepting his new position Joe Daly has not abandoned his plan of teaching when the opportunity offers itself. He will receive his teaching credentials at the end of this semester.

### Santa Claus Remembers Humboldt State College

Santa Claus remembered Humboldt State College during the holidays, even if students did not, and as a result students and faculty will benefit from many new conveniences.

The power-line post that stood so long in the middle of the front parking lot, and which authorities feared so long as a hazard to the life and limb of incautious students, was removed to the side of the road. Ornamental lamp posts have been installed on either side of the steps leading up to the main entrance and will be completed shortly.

Even habitues of the men's smoker thought for a while Monday morning that old St. Nick had outdone himself when they found a cot set up by the radiator and a full length mirror on the wall. It was all a horrible mistake, they soon learned though, when janitors came in a body and carted the booty back to the girls' dressing room where it belonged.

Another recipient of the white-whiskered gift-giver's generosity whose gift was not taken away from her, was Miss Sarah Davies, secretary to President Arthur S. Gist. A new telephone was installed in her office.

### Students Reported To Have Celebrated At Inn

Report has it that many Humboldt students celebrated the New Year at the Eureka Inn. Confirmation, however, could not be made at a late hour New Year's morning.



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## Hail And Farewell

It is HAIL to the greater Humboldt of the future. It is also farewell in this issue. Your editor takes this means and this moment to say goodbye, fold his tent about his trusty—if somewhat worn and battered—typewriter, and vanish into the fastnesses of the outside world.

Working on the Lumberjack has been a great joy and a great experience, in spite of the many sleepless nights spent on it. Working for you has been a joy, too, because you have been an extraordinarily kind audience. Oh, yes, I admit, also, that we do not see eye to eye in all things. Yet we had no serious quarrels, nor, it is our sincere hope, have we harmed or unduly slandered anyone. The Lumberjack had as its chiefest aim that of informing and entertaining you. Of course, it was not without its more serious ideal of being able in some fashion to exalt and inspire you. Our success in that direction, however, had best be left to the obituary writers.

Now, just a few remarks at random and I conclude my departing. Always men must work under restrictions and limitations, limitations of mind, of muscle, and of multifold others. This Lumberjack, we recognize, is not a tenth the paper it could and should be. Our omissions have been many, our shortcomings enough to shame us. We are reminded of one of our most serious failures by the mention of us and our anti-war editorial in the editorial columns of the "Youth Leader", a paper published in Eureka "for the common solution to the problems of youth in the Redwood District." The paper will be left in the library for any of you who wish to read the indictment.

Ending just now is still an impossibility without an acknowledgment of the fine work of the Lumberjack staff, in particular John McGrath, Esther Ritola, Hope Dondero, and Jayn Harville. Nor by specific mention of these few do I wish to slight the many others who gave of their time and their pens to the paper. Too much praise and gratitude cannot be given to Business Manager Jack St. Claire and his meritorious service. Furthermore, in the giving of thanks, the Arcata Union and the "shop" staff who do the mechanical work on the Lumberjack are deserving of a big share.

So, with the dawning of this new year, it is farewell. Or, as the Islanders would say, "Goodbye for a while."

## Wooden This Exasperate You

- 1—A little Bird flew Daly.
- 2—Carl forgot his Owens and went out for a game of Goff.
- 3—The Sun's fors gave a Black-burn to a Wrigley bug.
- 4—Harr is Morgan to Swap racks-ets.
- 5—Mac Phers' son's Star Key isn't on the ring "no-more".
- 6—The Ritola-la is the main attraction of the Feri 'n celebration at Humboldt.
- 7—The Oh-Man is Moore Savage than ever before.
- 8—The pilot was warned not to Tinker with the Wing.
- 9—May vey visit your Still if we don't ask for a sample?
- 10—"Jennings will park--er if you wish, Madam."
- 11—Un--soeld his books either to pay Van duz er leave town.
- 12—Because Max couldn't skip in Well, They decided he should walk.
- 13—The raving Mad son was firmly captured in the Grove.
- 14—When the Shannessy was ruined, a flooded new Baldwin in the House by the sea.

Helen Sundquist, graduate of '36 is teaching grades 1-4 at Orleans.

### Bruised Seniors Result Of Class Skating Party

Members of the senior class at Humboldt State College returned home with torn trousers, bruised knees, and arms, after attending the skating party for the senior class at the Occidental Hall skating rink recently.

One of the highlights of the evening was the hockey game played on skates and in which the college students participated.

Refreshments were served at Evelyn Quarnheim's home later in the evening.

Those attending were: Dr. Oscar Anderson, class advisor, Tommy Tinker, president of the senior class, Marie Nordquist, Nona Acton, Goldie Tamburovich, Evelyn Quarnheim, Thelma Pesola, Jane Cotter, Barbara Jean Russell, Devina Taggart, and Jay Jones.

### THAUMATURGIST

Headline in the Cincinnati (U.) News Record, "Roosevelt to Address Students," followed by the box insert, "Famous Magician will be at U. C. Friday."

## DALY PASSES THE BATON



### Lois Ohman Entertains Friends In Holidays

Lois Ohman, Humboldt State freshman, entertained a group of friends at a luncheon and cards held at Hillside Farm during the holidays.

Prizes were awarded to Beverly Bullock, Thelma Baker, and Muriel Swanson.

Attending the party were Katherine Wrigley, Patricia Smith, Marjorie Wing, Marjorie Ohman, Josephine Brizard, Margaret Harris, Helen Mackins, Carol Hine, Jean Melde, Jean Mitchell, Marian Goff, Marian McDonough, Annette Daly, Betty Johnson, June Sprague, Jane Shanessy, Marion McPherson, Aleise Norton, Susanne Minor, Louise Crothers, Evelyn Frost, Helen Ruzic, Mary Samons, Jeannice Hornbrook, Merle Morton, and Lois Ohman.

### Claire Speier Resigns From Board Of Control

Resignation of Clair Speier from the Board of Control was announced at the last student body meeting. She had served on the board for three years. Another student body officer held by her was that of treasurer, which she held for two years.

Announcement was also made at the same meeting of the appointment of Bob Madsen as the new track manager to succeed Virgil Hollis.

### Skating Party Discussed At Honor Society Meet

Discussion upon sponsoring a skating party for the entire Humboldt State College student body was held at the Alpha Psi Omega, national dramatic society, meeting held in the Green Gate Room, recently. Oden Hansen presided at the meeting.

Members of the society are Ed Warren, Laverne Elmore, Oden Hansen, John Van Duzer, Clare Speier, Beryl Unsoeld, Helen Mitchell, Violet Susan, and Devina Taggart. Garff Bell Wilson, professor of dramatics at Humboldt State College is the advisor.

### "CONS" CON ECON

N. Y. U. Profs are lecturing Sing Sing inmates on business. A recent topic was "Your Dollar and Mine."

Be careful not to speak—you might say something.

### Casaba Kings

Jimmie Moore, the few of you Humboldters who have attended the practiced games of the college have noticed, is wearing a cage over his glasses. Always a hustling, hard-fighting floor player, Moore has never rung up very many points in a college game. He has all the requisites, besides good vision, to be one of the best players—and maybe the best shot—the college has turned out.

In Vernon Thorton, Coach Telonicher has what many believe to be potentially better than Wally "the wind in the valley" Lozensky. Thornton works hard, is a better natural athlete, and so should be a better shot; but he has not learned to handle himself around the bucket or control his temper.

Coach Telonicher has a well balanced team this year with no one standing out so far. In Seidell and Givins he has dependable veterans and in Daly and Saunderson capable reserves, Daly showing up especially well against the alumni, McGrath, Villa, and Sandretto will probably be crowding up from the reserves.

### Humboldt State Alumni Begin Official Paper

Just before Christmas the initial number of the "Humboldt State Alumnus," official publication for the Humboldt State College Alumni Association, came to the Lumberjack's city desk. Editor of the publication was listed as Mr. X Y and possibly Z.

Officers of the Alumni Association are: Clyde Patenaude, president; Alice Renfro, vice-president; Ethel Pedrazzini, secretary; and Hugh B. Stewart, treasurer.

### LONELY HEARTS HEED

Wellesley boasts two Spinister's Clubs, one the "No Rata Datas" with the Bleeding Heart as club flower and with theme song, "Solitude." The other club, the "Forgotten omen", honors the Bachelor's Button and the lyric "All Alone." Taking their cue from Esquire, each evening they fervently pray "not for myself, but, dear Heaven, please send my sister a brother in law." They blithely ascribe their success to the fact that 'spinisters are born, not made.'

### Asilomar Delegates May Brief Conference

The eight Humboldt students who attended the Asilomar this year from Dec. 26 to Jan. 2 hope to give a brief of the conference before the student body next week.

Asilomar, which is a conference held by Christian college students of the Pacific Southwest, was attended from Humboldt by B. J. Russell, Helene Hansen, Clark Gilman, Alice Duguid, Dan Hunter, Frances Waters, Edith Jennings, and Wesley Hunter. There were 516 other students at the conference besides themselves.

At Asilomar many lectures and group discussions were given with the principal aims of familiarizing students with world problems, of teaching them to think, and of giving them a basis of Christianity.

### H.S.C.'s Goal Post Steal Like Bomb To Wildcats

Discovery of how Humboldt swiped Chico's goal post was like an incendiary bomb bursting in their face, according to an item in "Flashes From The Sports Front" column in the Chico Wildcat.

Said the column—"This week's bombshell !!! 'Humboldt State rooters borrowed an axe from the Chico Fire Department and cut down the Chico goal posts.'—News story.

"Chico—A hospitable community."

### Many Favorite Books Now In H. S. C. Library

New books in the library today that may be drawn for two-weeks periods include:

"Gods Country and the Women," by Oliver Curwood; "Showboat" by Edna Ferber; "Riders of the Purple Sage" by Zane Grey; "Tess of the D-Urbervilles" by Thomas Hardy; "Main Street" by Sinclair Lewis; "Anne's House of Dreams" by Mrs. L. M. Montgomery; "Judith of the Godless Valley" by Honore Morrow; "Still Jim" by Honore Morrow; "Freckles" by Gene Stratton Porter; "Girl of the Limberlost" by Gene Stratton Porter; "K" by Mary Roberts Rhinehart; "Tish" by Mary Roberts Rhinehart;

And there is the one about the student about whom it was said that if brains were dynamite, he wouldn't have enough to blow the dandruff out of his hair.