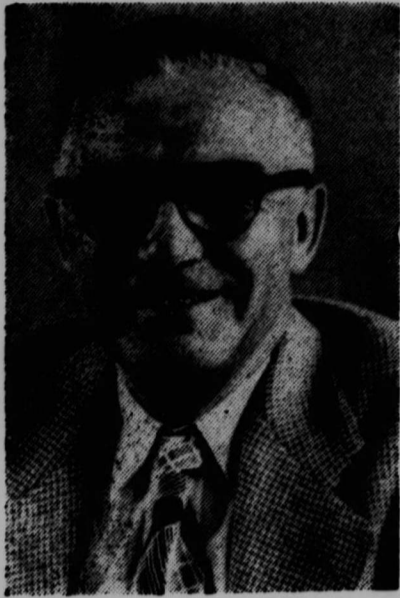


Presidents Greet All New Students



ARTHUR S. GIST

Freshmen and new students, welcome to Humboldt - - Humboldt, one of the best of the small institutions in the United States, noted for high scholarship, friendliness and personal interest in every student. May this new venture in your lives be one of your best. I would like to know each one of you personally, so "come and see me sometime".

Cordially,

Signed:

Arthur S. Gist, President,
Humboldt State College

Traditions To Be Enforced By Control Board

by Hank Frank
Vice-President,
Associated Students

Once upon a time - - as all good fairy tales go, when our Alma Mater was still in its infancy, when the big trees were little trees, and before the ivy started to climb, when the smell of paint and plaster still invaded these sacred halls, and the state was wondering whether or not it had made a wise investment, certain customs were born, which in the course of human events have mellowed, ripened, and aged, like a keg of moonshine, and become traditional.

As Humboldt State College is not a very large college, these traditions are relatively few, and being few, they should be easy to remember. But since college students have so much on their minds, I shall break the news gently and introduce only two of these traditions at this time.

NUMBER ONE: The wearing of high school "letter" sweaters. Students, you may stay - - but several of these sweaters have been observed wandering around the campus with Humboldt Staters inside them. These wandering sweaters must cease wandering about the campus of HSC. **High school letter sweaters are not to be worn on the campus at any time.**

NUMBER TWO in today's communique is the matter of smoking in the halls. This is strictly taboo and verboten, or otherwise - - forbidden. It is needless to say that there are many places to smoke about the campus other than inside the main building.

And now that I've had my say for today, I shall leave you happy with the thought that no more high school sweaters or Lucky Strikes will be found around the corridors, propelled by loyal Humboldters.

Arcata, formerly Uniontown, was the first town to be established in Northwestern California.

Humboldt Lumberjack #1

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1948

Handbook Due November 4

A STUDENT HANDBOOK, containing information about campus organizations, dramatics, publications, student body, faculty, sports, and other topics, will be published during Homecoming week, which begins November 4, according to Harold Tupper, the book's editor. Student body card holders may obtain the book for ten cents, while non-card holders will have to pay twenty-five cents for the volume.

Stadium Booth Gets Addition

A new addition to the Press-Radio booth, above the stadium in Redwood Bowl has been completed with the aid of the Humboldt Plywood Company, Davis Brothers Tire Shop, Bob Crittenden, Francis Morell, Chuck Wilcox, John Papandrea, Janet Oppenheimer, and Loretta Allen, all of who donated materials and labor. The booth has been enlarged to accommodate the KHSC public address system, sportswriters for the local newspapers, and radio stations KIEM and KHUM.

Two Student Officers Resign

There have been two resignations from the Executive Council of the Associated Students of Humboldt College since the beginning of the semester, according to Marc Melendy, president of the Association.

James Carvell, who held the office of vice-president of the Association, has resigned from the council to devote all of his out-of-class time to the pursuit of a full time position as assistant supervisor of recreation for the City of Eureka. Hank Frank, a senior, who was runner-up for the office of vice-president in the last student body election, has been appointed by the president of the Association to replace Carvell.

The second council member was Marna Murphy, a councilman, who resigned because of a too-heavy scholastic load. Marna discovered after she took office that she did not have the time needed for the fulfillment of the office to which she was elected.

She has not, as yet, been replaced. Her successor will be appointed by the president of the Association in the near future.

Announcements Made By Registrar

All changes in the class programs of students should be completed before October 15, it has been announced by Mrs. Myrtle McKittrick, registrar. After that date no changes will be made, except by petition, and such petitions are often denied.

Mrs. McKittrick also wishes to impress upon students the necessity of all changes being made according to the prescribed procedure, because as long as a course card is in the hands of an instructor, the student whose names appears on the card is recorded as taking the course and is expected to attend class. If the student does not attend class, under the assumption that he, or she, has dropped the course, but does not retrieve the course card from the instructor, the instructor has no choice but to assign the student a failing grade.

In other words, when a course is dropped, the student concerned must get the course card from the instructor and turn it in at the registrar's office.

ATTENTION SENIORS!

The registrar's office also announced last week that all seniors who are candidates for a degree or credential in January, June, or during the Summer session should register for such degree or credential as soon as possible.

STUDENT DIRECTORY FILE

For the convenience of students, a student directory file is available in the office of President Gist's secretary, Mrs. Frances Tolle. The registrar urges all students to keep this record to themselves correct and up to date.

Any student desiring information about the whereabouts during the day of any other student should utilize this file instead of making inquiries at the registrar's office.

VISITOR'S PERMITS

According to the registrar, thirty students are attending classes on visitor's permits. Some of these students cannot register because the records of their work at other schools have not been received by the registrar's office, while the rest will not be allowed to register until they have passed entrance exams.

Mrs. McKittrick urges these "visitors" to complete the necessary registration requirements as soon as possible.

FIVE YEAR COLLEGE

In 1947, Humboldt State College received authorization to grant the General Secondary Credential. This authorization entails a year of graduate study, making HSC a five-year college.

The 1,250,000,000 pencils used each year by Americans could draw a line 43,475,000,000 miles long.

The College Sign



No longer will tourists and visitors to the local scene be aware of Humboldt State College only if they pass by the small sign situated at the foot of the college hill on Highway 101. Henceforth, all passersby will be greeted by a huge electric sign advertising the college (pictured above) which has recently been completed in the Arcata Plaza, after being under construction for over a year. While many have seen the sign already, only a few know the story behind it.

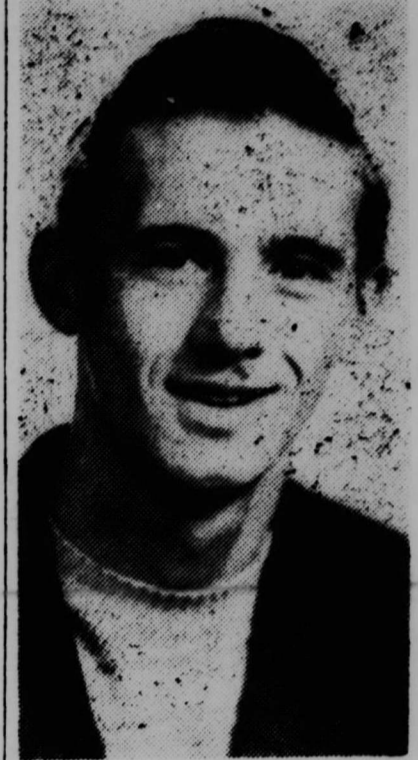
The "college sign," patterned after an illuminated theatre marquee, is in the form of a redwood log with interchangeable letters silhouetted on a white glass background. On top of the log the words "Humboldt State College" are displayed in green neon.

The sign was first conceived by the rally committee of HSC as a substitute to a proposed canvas banner, which was to be stretched across the main street of Arcata to advertise college events. The

finished sign is a perfect medium for informing the local area about college events, from football games to plays to Summer school schedules. At the same time, it is a means of publishing HSC to visitors and tourists.

Sponsored by the rally committee and the Arcata Chamber of Commerce, the sign project was financed by the Chamber of Commerce and the 1947 Sempervirens Staff. Assisting the rally committee

Continued on page 3



MARC MELENDY

The opening of the Fall Semester at HSC seems to be the beginning of Humboldt's greatest year. An influx of nearly 300 freshmen has been particularly beneficial, not only to the college, but also to the student body, which has been during the past two years, a comparatively dead and unprogressive organization.

During the year of 1946, we were faced with the problem of expanding student body activities on a minimum wartime budget. Overcoming this problem, we were faced with a nearly insurmountable debt in 1947, because of a failure on the part of the Federal Government to reimburse the student body for G. I. student body fees. In the Spring of 1948, the Government finally decided that the ex-servicemen must also participate in student body affairs and, as a result, the money owed us by the government was received.

Financially, the Associated Students are prepared for a year crowded with student activities which should be fun for all. However, these activities will not be successful unless we have one thing which, in my opinion, must be given the original impetus by our freshmen class. I am referring to "school spirit." Without this factor, the largest college in the world could not operate, and it is a problem which is becoming more difficult in our own school. I wish to emphasize that our new students are the ones who will revive Humboldt's old traditions and school spirit and carry them on through the next four years.

I would like to welcome the freshmen class to Humboldt State, and I urge them to take full advantage of their college years, not only in academic pursuits, but also in all student body functions.

Without student participation there cannot be satisfactory student government. Attend student body meetings, voice your opinions, and enjoy the programs.

Signed: Marc Melendy,
President,
Associated Students

NOTICE!

For the convenience of those concerned, the mail box for outgoing mail has been moved from the east hall and placed below the faculty mail box in the west hall, by the main entrance.

HUMBOLDT LUMBERJACK

EDITOR Vernon Whalen
 MANAGING EDITOR Janet Oppenheimer
 SPORTS EDITOR Don Terbush
 BUSINESS MANAGER Ralph Gilbert
 FACULTY ADVISER Mr. Bert Alward

WELCOME NEW STUDENTS

This paper, the LUMBERJACK, the official publication of the student body of Humboldt State College, takes pleasure in utilizing this space to welcome all new students to Humboldt State College. We hope your stay here will be as pleasant and enjoyable as ours is and has been.

Here at Humboldt State you will find the faculty learned, fair, and democratic, and the students of the student body energetic and kind.

Here there prevails a "small town" atmosphere. Here everyone comes to know everybody else and is proud of the fact.

The social activities of the campus are open to you, and because Humboldt State College is small, you do not have to wait until your senior year to gain recognition. You become a part of Humboldt State College the moment you register.

We know that we are going to like you. We hope that you will like us.

Again, we welcome you to Humboldt State College!

A TRADITION IS BORN

The opening of this school year at Humboldt State College saw the advent of a ceremony known as "College Convocation," a ceremony which is not unlike a wedding. The difference between a wedding and College Convocation is that in the former two people are spiritually united to each other, while in the latter a group of persons are wed to an ideal. The ideal in this case is the spirit and fellowship of college life. Not even the hardest "old timer," who has returned to college in middle age, can deny the merits of the ceremony and its results.

College Convocation, as experienced by those who were subjected to it when it was performed in the college auditorium on Wednesday, September 15, will leave its mark on everyone it touched.

It is needless to say that this ceremony should become a tradition at Humboldt, a tradition every bit as important to college life as are books, professors, and classrooms.

The mind in which this idea was conceived is to be highly praised.

WHY IS THIS ???

Last Saturday night the football team of Humboldt State College beat its way to a 6-0 victory over the highly touted Southern Oregon team. Both teams, as we understand it, played on the same field, a field which was covered ankle-deep with mud. And both teams played with the same ball under the vigilance of the same officials. In our book, this would indicate that both teams had the same chance of winning.

However, a reporter covering the game seemed to have a different idea. In a by-lined article, which appeared in the Humboldt Times on Sunday morning, this reporter knocked himself out proving to his own satisfaction that HSC won the game because mother nature had blessed it with a deluge of water prior to the ball game. He implied that HSC could play its best in mud, but that poor old Southern Oregon was outside its element.

This reporter said: "Rain and mud were the greatest allies of the Lumberjacks last night." This is to imply, no doubt, that if Marc Melendy were not part mudhen he could not have dashed 65 yards to a touchdown.

"The combination (rain and mud)," says our reporter, "proved to be a great leveler, for it prevented the fast, hard-hitting Red Raider backfield from moving downfield with any consistency."

Was the same not true with the Lumberjacks? They have proven their backfield as hard-hitting as any backfield they have faced. And isn't it quite possible that the mud and rain kept our backfield bogged down. For all we know, we would have scored a dozen touchdowns if it had not been muddy.

And what is this "leveler" business? From what we could gather, the HSC-Southern Oregon game was played for the express purpose of learning which of the two teams was the better. We were not aware of the fact that mud and rain would be considered as two HSC teams against one Southern Oregon team.

Also, we do not follow our reporters reasoning. "Throughout most of the game," he said, "the Southern Oregon eleven held a slight upper hand, although in net yardage from running and passing Humboldt gained 100 yards compared with 96 for the Red Raiders." Well, could be. Before we came to Humboldt we attended a small country school.

The last two paragraphs of our reporter's story were written for posterity. We quote: "On a dry field, on another day, the Red Raiders could possibly have run off with victory. But this was October 2 and there was mud and breaks had to decide the contest, if indeed it was to be decided at all.

"And on this night the gods smiles on Humboldt, Bless 'em!" Yes, it was a break that decided the game in favor of Humboldt. It was the break Melendy made when he skirted 65 yards.

As for a dry field deciding in favor of Oregon, we wonder if the Red Raiders ever played on a muddy field before. From what we can deduce from Geography books, not much of Oregon is desert.

THE WHISTLERS

What a pity that students
 Who whistle in halls
 Can't be confined
 Behind stone walls.

The World Pool

by Phil Simon

"Apparently there is something wrong with the teaching at the colleges and universities, at least for some people. Probably no communism is taught in colleges, but there is undoubtedly a terrifying amount of uncritical endorsement of almost any nonsense that can package itself as a 'program' or identify itself with the inchoate passion for 'planning' which has addled the brains of so many people."

So reads, in part, an editorial of the Saturday Evening Post, generated by the considerable number of collegians attending the recent Wallace party convention and quoted by the Humboldt Standard—which paper recommends that the Post's editorial be required reading for all college students.

We will not question the Standard's intentions in making such a recommendation, but as to its judgment concerning what is worthwhile reading, we are compelled to take issue. It will be a dark day in the history of American education when students must resort to the Post's editorials for enlightenment on affairs of the day.

Are we to infer from the Post's criticism that programs and planning are socially undesirable? From implications in other parts of the editorial, planning smacks of communism. This is a distressing revelation. It seems that we are faced with a choice between communism—the Russian variety, we presume—and the discarding of all our co-ordinating techniques. Imagine the consternation in the offices of Standard Oil alone.

Concerning the "uncritical endorsement of almost any nonsense," we haven't noticed any at Humboldt State College. Of course, educational institutions are relatively unhampered by economic pressure and, to an extent, can be objective in their analysis and exposition of current social ills—an approach which is naturally distasteful to the forces of reaction and their mouthpieces, which, of necessity, thrive on a certain degree of ignorance in others and cannot afford a disinterested examination of social phenomena—especially when the findings are a part of college courses.

Then there is this tidbit, also from the S. E. P.: "Maybe if the sober facts of the present got as much attention in some college courses as the 'challenge of the future' the kids at the Wallace convention would at least know what they are hollering about."

At the moment, this writer is not concerned with the "hollerin'" kids and their choice of a presidential candidate, but he maintains that in two years of college education he has been introduced to more "sober facts of the present" than he was able to abstract from some seventeen years of occasionally reading (when he had absolutely nothing else to read) the drivel so prevalent in many periodicals of the Saturday Evening Post calibre, which are not so much interested in the dissemination of facts as they are in creating a social atmosphere beneficial—at least from a short-range viewpoint—to a small minority.

Man's life expectancy in the industrial population of the United States reached an all-time high of 66½ years in 1947.

California's population will reach 15,000,000 by 1965, of which 1,025,000 will be in the 18 to 21-year-old college age group, it has been predicted.

Student Body Hears Dr. Nash

Last week Humboldt State College played host to Dr. Vernon Nash, a world-famous scholar, who addressed the student body in assembly on the subject, "United World Federalism."

Dr. Nash, whose speech at the college was sponsored by the HSC chapter of the World Federalists, explained the necessity of world government, predicting that "we will have either a world government or a world war within three years."

"We can have a sovereignty of wars or of peace," said Dr. Nash, "but not both."

In the case of a third world war, Dr. Nash feels that the entire human race can be exterminated. We are now in a day of plenty, rather than scarcity, he said, and this plenty should be used for construction, not destruction. Poverty is no longer necessary, he added, but the fact is constantly being overlooked.

Speaking specifically of this country, Dr. Nash said: "The United States is no longer an island free from attack, but can be reached by any foreign country so desiring."

Lost and Found

Each year many articles are lost by students of Humboldt State College, and most of them are never found. But some are, and when they are found they are turned in to the Associated Student office (Room 107), where they may be retrieved merely by being identified.

At the present time the following items are being kept by the Associated Students office, awaiting their owners: some money, a scarf, a slide rule, a leather binder, two combs, three pairs of glasses,

Announcements!

Wanted! Tenors, altos, and sopranos, for the Humboldt State College Chorus. If you desire to give forth with music, report to Mr. Fulkerson, room K, just opposite the works-shop. Women meet Mondays and Thursdays, noon. Men meet Wednesdays and Thursdays, noon.

All Humboldt State College students are invited to attend an art exhibit to be shown by Mr. Reece Bullen, assistant professor of art, and Mr. Melvin A. Schuler, also an assistant professor of art, in the college social unit from October 19 to October 31.

There will be a meeting of the California Student Teachers Association at 1 p. m. Thursday, October 7, in the College Elementary School library.

Students holding Humboldt State College student body cards are admitted to the Eureka Theaters, Inc., theaters for 40c.

Eureka High School has sent a letter to the student body of HSC, informing students that student body card holders will be admitted to Eureka High School football games for 75c. All others will be charged \$1.

Our nation will need 1,000,000 new teachers during the next decade, yet less than 500,000 will be trained.

Unless checked, the present shortage will seriously impair the education of children.

two tie clasps, a pair of gloves, a physics book, an English book, a dictionary, dissecting kit (what kind of students do we have here this year!), two rings, a compact, five fountain pens, four repeater pencils, an address book, and a driver's license.

No, no people.

When in Eureka

it's

FREDRIC'S

Specialty of
The House

CHICKEN IN THE BASKET

Deep Fried the Way You Like It and Steamed to a Juicy Tenderness. Golden Brown French Fries, hot butter roll and honey. A delicious meal for \$1.30.

★

Fish and Chips

French Dip Sandwiches

Drought Beer by the Pitcher

★

Delicatessen items for all occasions

(CLOSED MONDAYS)

3 blocks north of Hiway Patrol Office on Hiway 101

Phone 1883-R

Improvements Being Made At H. S. C.

Improvement is wonderful, but its costly. It has cost Humboldt State College its ivy walls. During the summer the ivy was removed so that the walls of the main building could be replastered and painted. The result of this project will be the return of HSC to its normal peacetime appearance. Early in the war the college was painted the green shade it now displays so that it could not be used by enemy countries as a landmark. The green will be replaced by another color.

NEW LIGHTS

A project now in process at HSC whose cost is computed in dollars only, but which is a great improvement to any public institution, is the new fluorescent lighting system now being installed in class rooms and in the library. The new fluorescents will replace the old incandescents.

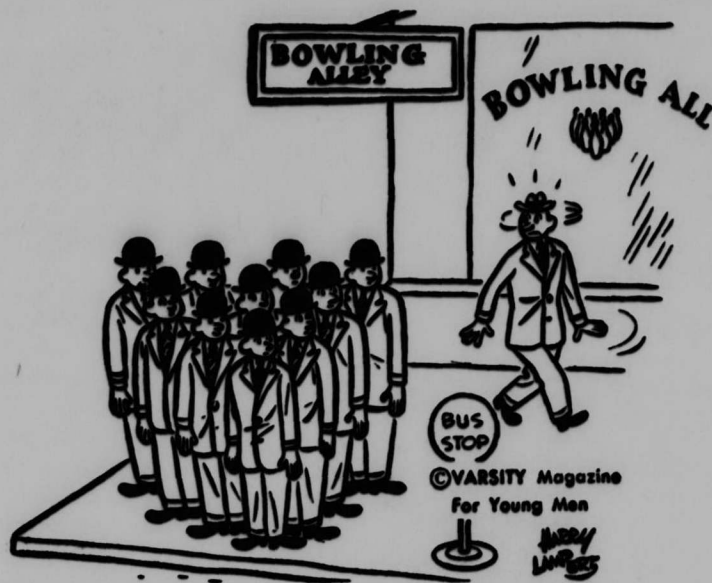
REDWOOD BOWL IMPROVEMENTS

A new scoreboard, now in the process of being installed in Redwood Bowl is another improvement on the slate. A large electric time clock, donated by the Butter-nut Bakery, has already been installed at the north end of the football field, and inserts for downs, yards, and scores will be installed by the Flash Electric Company of Eureka in the near future.

A second improvement to Redwood Bowl now under way is the completion of the college track. It is expected that this job will be done by early Spring.

OTHER IMPROVEMENTS

Other improvements which have been made to HSC property recently include the sanding and re-



More Sign

Continued from page 1

in construction of the sign was a chamber committee, under the chairmanship of Franny Great-house. The huge log slabs of the sign were donated by the Arcata Redwood Company, the painting was contributed by Luther Hunt Motors, while engineering advice was provided by the G. and G. Tractor Company.

Constructional know-how was supplied by the Aggeler Electric Company, Lee Brookings Cabinet Shop, the Eureka Neon company, and the officials of the city of Arcata. The Dolly Varden Lumber Company furnished the mobile crane which was used to lift the sign into place.

It is needless to say that the student body and faculty of Humboldt State College extends wholehearted thanks to all persons and firms instrumental in transferring the "college sign" from a dream into reality.

finishing of the main gym floor, and repainting of the Co-op.

Fraternity House In Operation At H. S. C.

Humboldt State College now has a fraternity house. It will be known as the Varsity House. The house was formerly known as the Little Apartments. It derived its name from the fact that it will house all Varsity lettermen and potentials who live on the campus.

The house is not completed yet, but when it has been relieved of all taints of its former self, it will house thirty-five men students, possess a study hall, lounge, and eight bathrooms.

At present there are only eleven varsity men staying in the house. They are occupying one apartment. The house in its present state contains three apartments. One of the two unoccupied by varsity men is occupied by Miss Edella Johnson, associate professor of modern languages, and Mr. John Van Duzer, assistant professor of speech and drama, lives in the other. Miss Johnson and Mr. Van Duzer will move into the New Little Apartments now under construction as soon as their respective apartments are completed.

Life in the house is not all roses for the varsity men under the present circumstances, according to most of the men living there.

One of them puts it this way: "There are eleven men in that apartment, which has one bathroom. Can you imagine eleven men standing over one washbowl, all brushing their teeth at the same time?"

Frankly, no. But think of the practice the football players get.

The United States Office of Education estimates that it will cost the U. S. 15,000,000 to provide the new school and college buildings this nation needs.

IN A NUTSHELL

Each week the LUMBERJACK office receives several stories and comments which are difficult to write into regular news stories, despite the fact that they are interesting and worth printing. Henceforth, the best of these pieces will be published in this column.

Now that it's all over, perhaps we can gripe about it a little more objectively. The ordeal of registering, that is. This year, it seems, a new system of registration was inaugurated. This system, no doubt, was formulated to speed up the process of registering, to eliminate hours of standing in line, and so forth. However, it did no such thing. This semester it took individuals much longer to register than it ever has before, with some people standing in lines for as long as four and one half hours. Perhaps this snail's pace was due to the fact that the gym, where registration was originally scheduled to be held, was unavailable, and registration had to be held in the halls. Whatever the difficulties which brought about such a state of affairs, they shouldn't happen to a buck private.

It would appear that under the new, more efficient system of registration, it takes only twice as long to register as it did under the old, inefficient system.

Did you know that our new football coach, Lou "Choo Choo" Tsoutsouvas doesn't have a degree in Physical Education! He holds a master's degree in Business Administration. He became a football coach because every place he taught they asked him to coach and, needless to say, he was good at it.

The LUMBERJACK is off to a flying start this semester, but is treading on precarious ground. It stands a chance of losing its amateur standing. Its staff now boasts two former professional newspaper men and one active professional. The later is Don Turbush, sports editor, who is a staff member of the Humboldt Standard. The two former are Mr. Bert Alward, the faculty advisor, who has worked on several West Coast papers, and the editor, who has delivered, picked up (using a stick with a nail on the end of it), and written for newspapers.

There are some 687 students attending Humboldt State College this semester, according to the registrar's office. A complete and accurate count will not be known for another six weeks, due to late registrations and withdrawals. Despite this, it is estimated that nearly 700 students will have enrolled at HSC by the end of the semester.

Humboldt State College owns a large tract of second-growth redwood forest, situated behind Redwood Bowl, in which have been cut a number of trails and clearings for the purposes of recreation and botanical study.

More than 1,000,000 illiterate adults live in New York.

Frosh Initiation Successful, Say Upperclassmen

by Marilyn Brizard

After a strenuous two-day initiation, last Thursday and Friday, approximately 280 new students are settling themselves into college routine as fully recognized members of the Student Body.

Regulation initiation attire was knee-length jeans, no socks, and ties knotted high above T-shirts for the men; women, forced to sacrifice style, wore skirts above the knees and left their hair unset and free of pins and their faces minus make-up.

Froshmen sang the Alma Mater (more capably, in many instances, than upperclassmen), gave up their places in co-op and bookstore lines to upperclassmen, and, forbidden to cross the inner court, trudged the long way around through the halls to every class.

An efficient Sophomore posse punished all offenders during the initiation. A 1st offense brought a ten-minute nose-to-post punishment; a second, 15 minutes in the stocks in the inner court. Those who were apprehended ignoring initiation regulations a third time appeared for punishment Friday at noon assembly where the entire Student Body enjoyed their mock-punishment, as well as a show of Freshmen musical talent displayed.

The entire Freshmen class won much admiration from their fellow-students at Humboldt for their good-natured cooperation with initiation procedure as set forth by Sophomore committee-chairman Ken Dunaway, Irma Ball, and Eleanor Lorenzo.

Student body membership is prerequisite to participation in any extra-curricular activity sponsored by the Associated Students.

Humboldt State College holds the distinction of being the college farthest west in the United States.

The Humboldt State College auditorium seats 350.

When in Eureka Drop Your Hook

—at—
THE ANCHOR

★ OUR SPECIALTY IS SEA FOOD

Served in a Quiet Atmosphere with Nautical Surroundings.
HAND FED EASTERN TROUT — BROILED LOBSTER

IMPORTED JAPANESE FROG LEGS

Our NAUTICAL LOUNGE SERVES YOUR SELECTED DRINKS — from 7c non-on to 25c in our Unique Candle Light.

3500 Broadway

Bucksport

NED'S MEN'S WEAR

INVITES YOU

TO VISIT

ARCATA'S SMARTEST

And Most Modern Men's Shop

Featuring Americas Finest Branded Lines
At Prices That Fit Your Budget

Arcata Hotel Bldg.

925 G Street

Phone 59-M

**Complete Line
Of Cosmetics**

Drugs and Sundries

**Barnes Cut Rate
Drug Store**

Arcata Telephone 4

**TATMAN'S
BAKERY**
PIES — CAKES
COOKIES

16th and G Sts. Arcata

**Cottage
Grove Dairy**
GRADE "A"
DAIRY PRODUCTS

Phone 135 Arcata

HSC Gridders vs. S. F. State Friday

Gators Tabbed As Powerful Eleven

By Don Terbush

Fresh from their hard fought conquest against Southern Oregon's Red Raiders last Saturday, the high-flying Lumberjack eleven heads across the Golden Gate bridge to meet Coach Dick Boyle's undefeated and highly touted San Francisco State aggregation Friday night in the Lake Merced Stadium.

In their opening tilt of the season against the Whittier College Poets, the Golden Gators came out on top of an 18-7 score. This year's Bay Area pigskin aggregation is reportedly one of the strongest teams to represent that institution in a good many seasons.

Last year the Lumberjacks blanked the Gators, 19-0 in the Redwood Bowl, but last year the Whittier Poets also dumped the visitors in their opener and they couldn't do it in '48.

On the other hand, the Lumberjacks are going south with one of the finest early season records any green and gold eleven has ever boasted. Their starting line, as proven in last week's arc light tussle, is possibly the best in the Far Western conference.

Spearheaded by guards Gordon Schroeder and Tom Seufert, they repulsed Red Raiders backs time after time, while doing a superb job of clearing the way for green and gold ball carriers.

In the backfield, sparkplug Mark Melendy handles the reins of the "T" formation like an old master. Fullback Tex McKown, who does everything well, works with break-away speedsters Kenney Dunaway, Eddie Oliveira, Jerome Schroeder, Jack Stoops, Cliff Prelow, Jack Smith and Jack Newman to give the Lumberjacks a potent one, two offensive punch that is hard to beat.

Probable starting lineups for the crucial conference tilt will be as follows:

H. S. C.	Pos.	S. F.
Lawrence	LE	Matulich
Bishop	LT	Pudlowski
Seufert	LG	Root
Lawitzke	C	Morrow
Schroeder	RG	Brajkovich
Viracola	RT	Hungerford
Klein	RE	Bell
Melendy	Q	Davis
Smith	LH	Greenberg
Oliveira	RH	Flynn
McKown	F	Desalernos

The main building of Humboldt State College houses the administrative offices, faculty offices, classrooms, library, social unit, and auditorium.

MURPHY ELECTRIC CO.

Complete Radio and Electrical Services

Radios
Appliances
Refrigerators

On Plaza

Next To Postoffice

Arcata

Phone 20

Tom Seufert, Talented, Hard Charging Guard



By Jack Newman

Five feet eleven inches, 175 lbs., dark complexion, black curly hair. No, we're not describing John Garfield, but Tom Seufert, rugged Lumberjack guard and line backer deluxe for the green and gold varsity. "Soof", a name which his teammates immediately tagged him with, was largely responsible for Humboldt's smashing victory over the highly touted Southern Oregon Raiders.

Tom's knifing tackles and bone-crushing blocking has been the feature of hard-charging Lumberjack line that hasn't had its goal line crossed in three successive contests.

Where did he learn his football? Why was he Junior Varsity last year. How did he land at Humboldt? These questions have been flooding our office and demand an explanation.

FROM LONG BEACH

Tom had the advantage of great high school coaching, playing two years at Woodrow Wilson High in Long Beach, California. He was hailed by many in the southland as one of the best guard prospects ever turned out. Upon his graduation in 1942, there were at least three colleges seeking his services.

"Soof" selected Loyola University, where as a 17-year old freshman he challenged the varsity career was soon to be cut short however, for Tom received his "greetings" from the President in March 1943 and served a year in the New Guinea campaign.

Our boy then took a crack at Southern California's tropans under Jeff Cravath in 1944, but illness soon sidelined him. Tom then followed a Long Beach rush on Oregon University and had a second string post sewed up when the injury jinx again struck and Tom was forced to check in his togs.

Tom enjoyed Oregon, but because he was unable to obtain the courses that he wanted, was forced to look elsewhere for his education. The Arizona Wildcats felt the sting of his charges in early scrimmages in 1946, and "Soof" was serving notice to his fellow lineman when a broken hand benched him for the season. So, the injury jinx which

halts many a pigskin career, continually stymied Tom Seufert, a great prospect.

"Soof" decided to concentrate on his education and forget football - - it didn't pay - - at least not for him. Following another Long Beach trend, Seufert journeyed to redwood country for peace and quiet and to "hit the books". But the call of the gridiron was too enticing and Tom dusted off his football shoes and joined the Humboldt State Junior Varsity to take a crack at the fullback post. Ask last year's Jayvees how it felt to stop a small express train.

Well students, we got him now, and though Tom isn't as fresh as he was seven years ago, he looks like All Conference material to us, and who can say - - maybe Little All American.

Next Friday, gang, its San Francisco State and I know you'll have your eye on "Old Tom" wearing number "7" on his jersey and a nose guard on his face. See you in Frisco!

California college education, although practically free in tuition, still is out of reach of many qualified students because of the high cost of living.

LUTHER HUNT MOTORS

YOUR FORD DEALER

On The Plaza

ARCATA

Phone 57

BIG 4

FINE ITALIAN DINNERS

Guido Evangelisti

Phone 215

1 mile north of Arcata

Lumberjacks Bob Southern Oregon

Sparked by quarterback Mark Melendy's 65 yard game-winning jaunt, the Humboldt State gridders maintained their unblemished season record as they trounced the Southern Oregon Raiders, 6-0 in the Redwood Bowl Saturday night.

The youthful looking field general, who experienced no difficulty whatsoever in exchanging the gavel for the pigskin, gathered in a Southern Oregon punt on his own 40-yard line, retreated five yards to give his interference time to form, and then followed spectacular blocking by his teammates to cross the goal line untouched by human hands.

The conference win boosted the Lumberjacks scoring to 67 points in three games, while they remained undefeated, untie, and unscored upon.

Highest average scores in Army General Classification tests were compiled by men from States providing the most money for education, a study completed by the Research Division of the National Education Association indicates.

Montaigne said that a child "owes to education only the first fifteen or sixteen years of his life; the rest he owes to action."

Meet the gang

at the

WHIRL-I-GIG

SODAS MILKSHAKES
SANDWICHES

1618 G Street

Arcata

College News and Sporting Goods

Fishing, Hunting
Athletic Equipment
School Supplies

On the Plaza

Arcata

FOOD MART

Everything in the line of GROCERIES

and

FRESH MEATS

Arcata

Phone 507

A. W. Ericson Co.

PHOTO WORK
PICTURE
FRAMES
JOB PRINTING

Arcata, Calif.



HOPE GETS FLAG . . . Bob Hope has been presented with an official Olympic flag in recognition of his efforts on behalf of the International Olympic committee. Dean Cromwell, coach of the U. S. team made the presentation.

It is important that the College has correct local and home addresses of all students. A record of these addresses is kept both in the office of the Secretary to the President and in the office of the Registrar.

BEN FRANKLINS

Complete Line
Of Variety Store
Goods

"On The Plaza"

ARCATA

SEQUOIA GROCERY

FRESH FRUITS
VEGETABLES

Fresh Meats and Poultry
FREE DELIVERY

Phone 26

On Plaza

CORSAGES

CUT FLOWERS

POTTED PLANTS

Awful Fresh McFarlane Candies

Julie's Flowers

15th and G Sts. — Arcata

Phone 96

BONNIKEN and SORENSON CO.

Complete Auto Service

General
Petroleum Products

STUDEBAKER

and

MACK

17th and G Sts.

Arcata