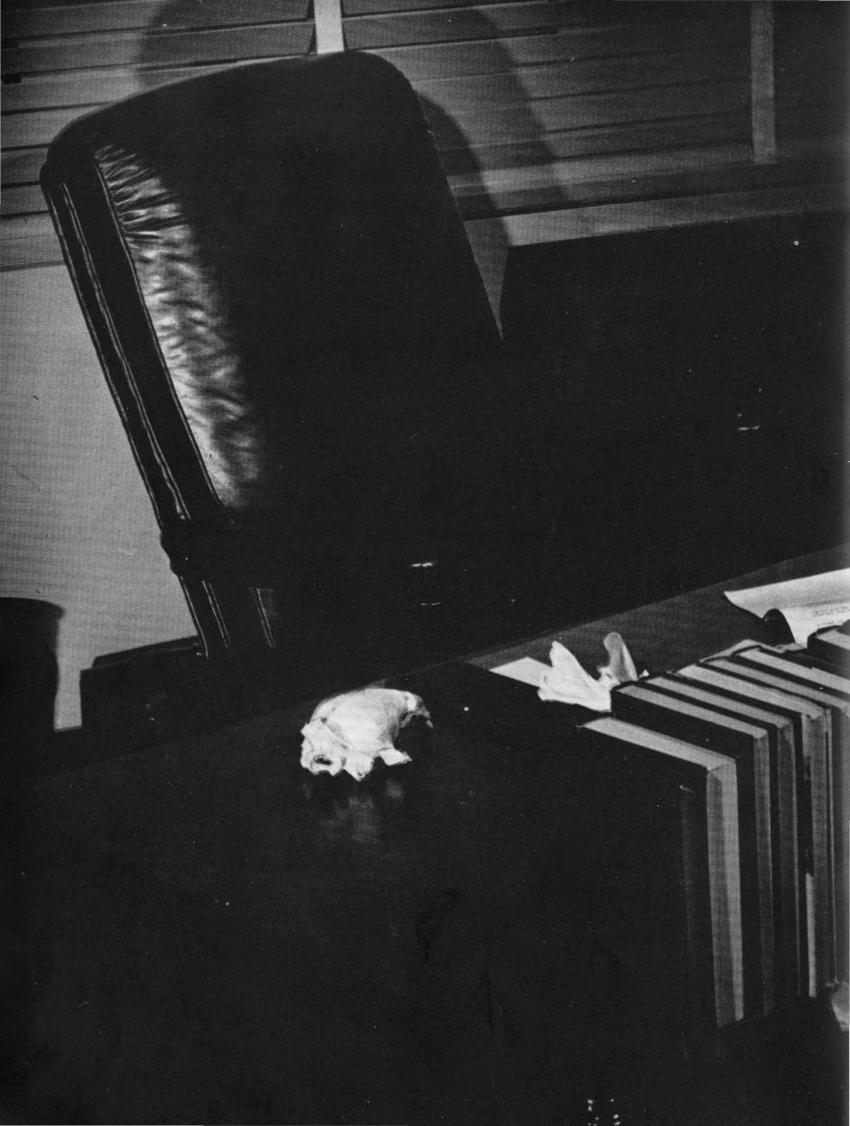


# **FOREWORD**

To present and preserve the glories, achievements, and memories of a year at Tech has been the goal of the staff. It is hoped that this volume will be not only a living journal of the student's undergraduate college years, but also a useful and compact guide to the many facets of life on the campus for those serving Caltech at the present. The Editors wish to express their sincerest appreciation to the entire staff, without whose conscientious and cooperative assistance this yearbook would not have been possible.

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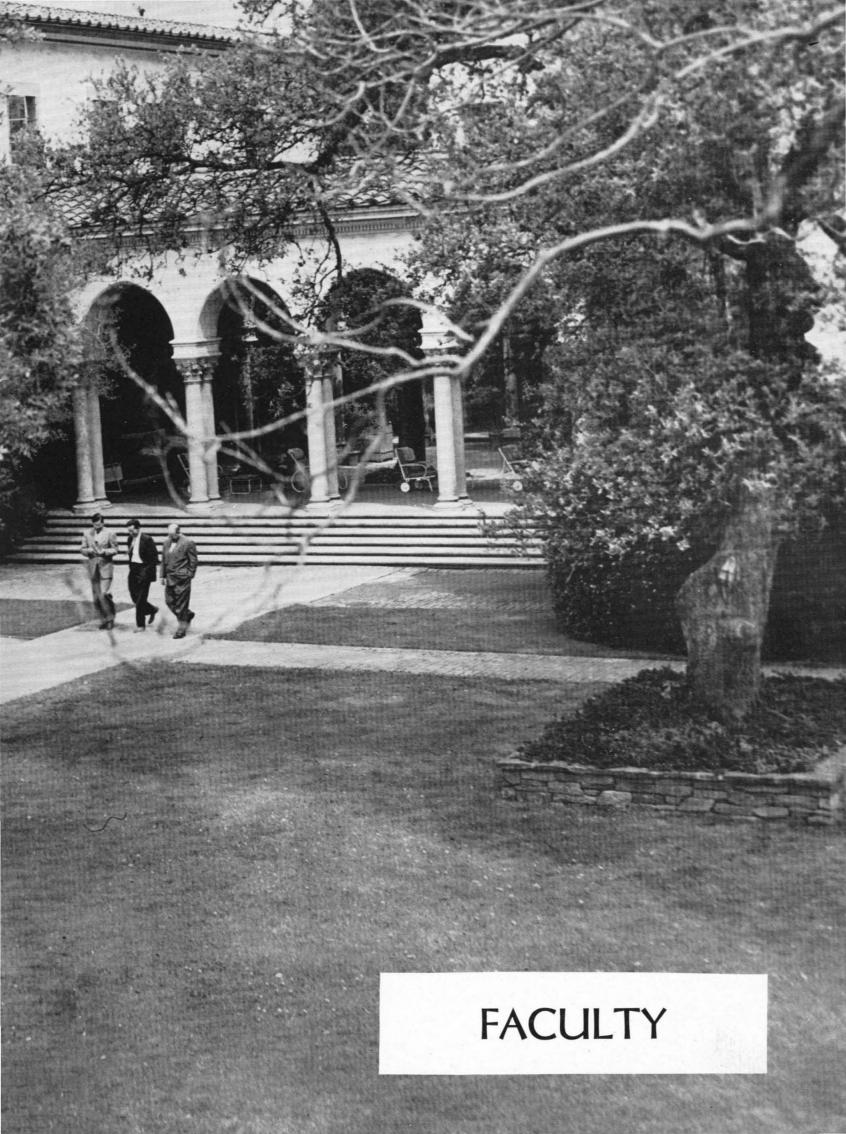
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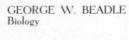








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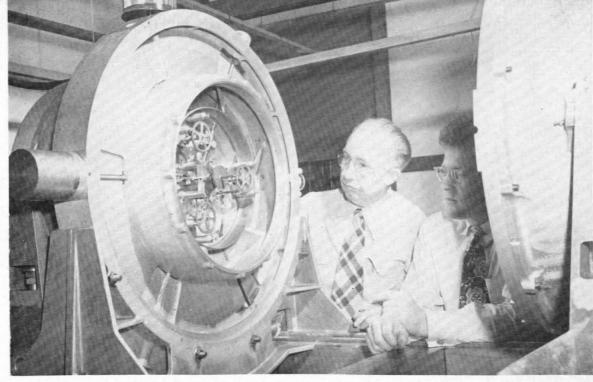
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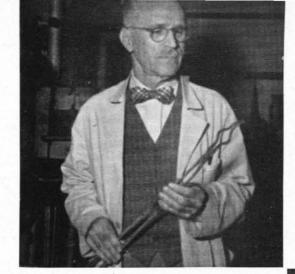


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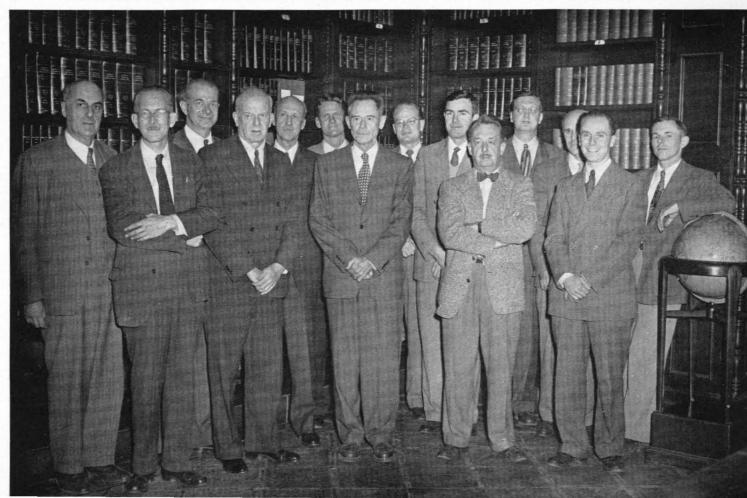


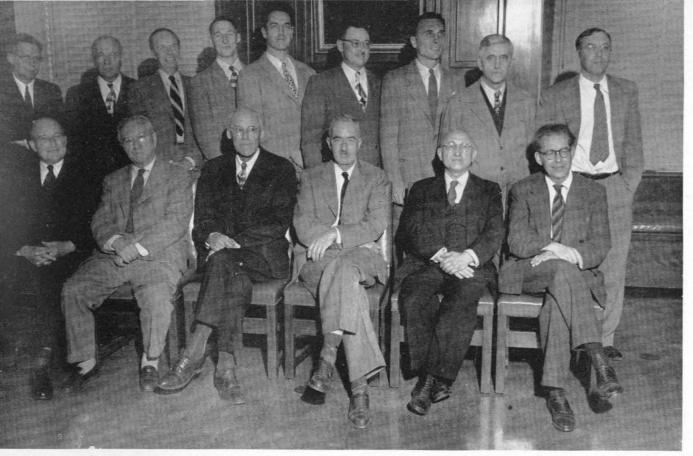
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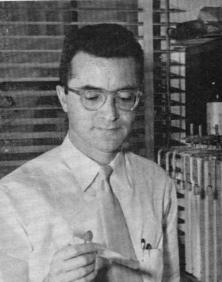
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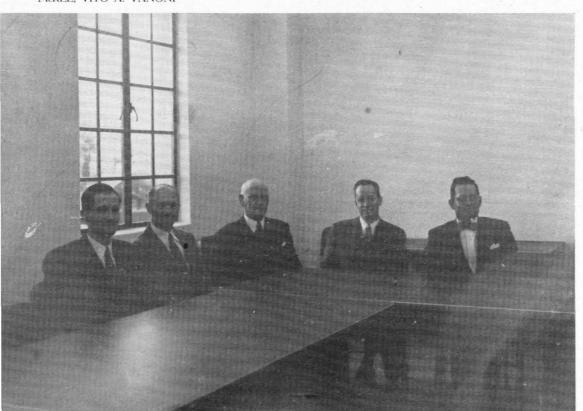


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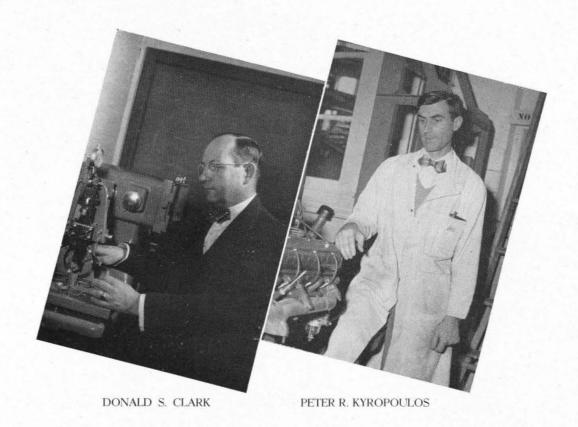
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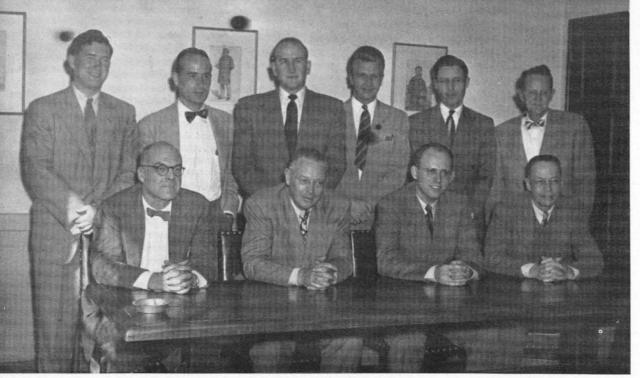




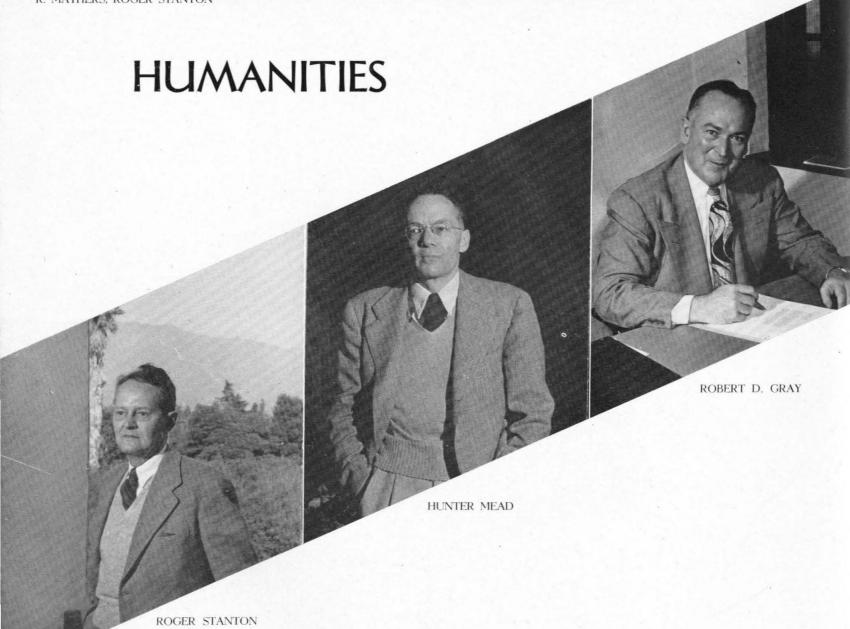
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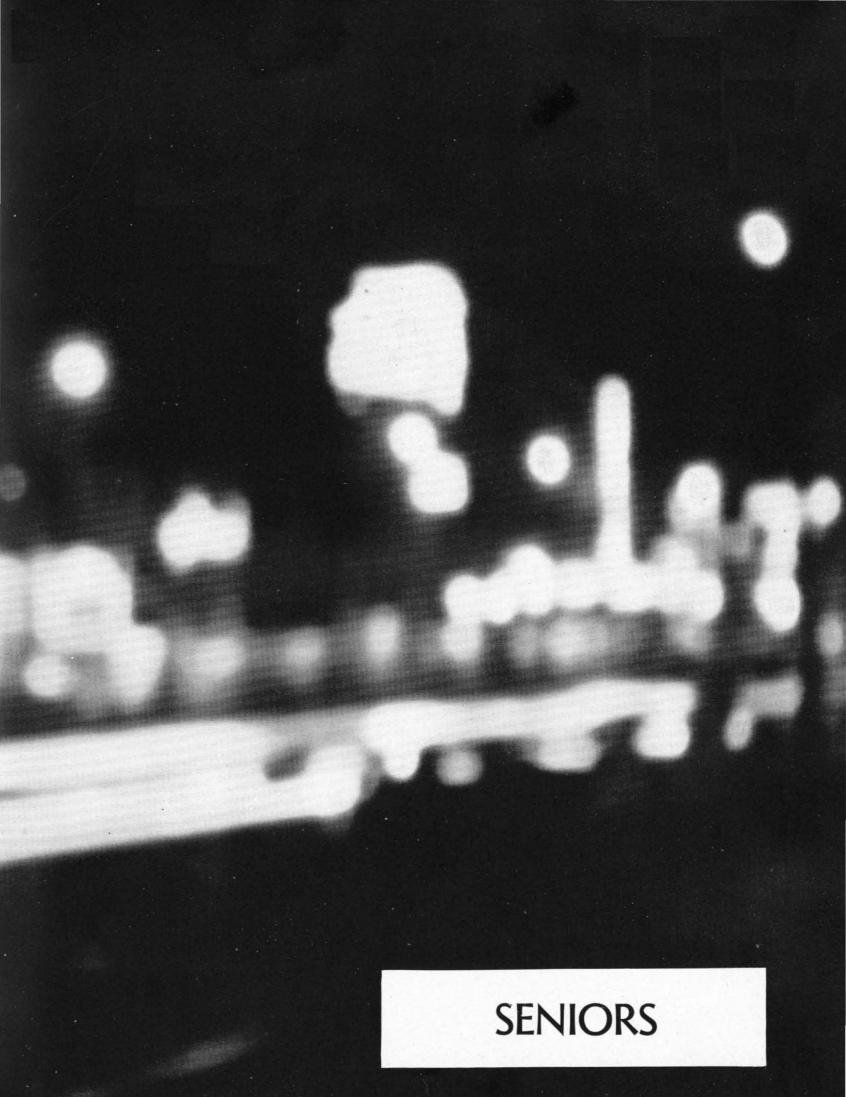
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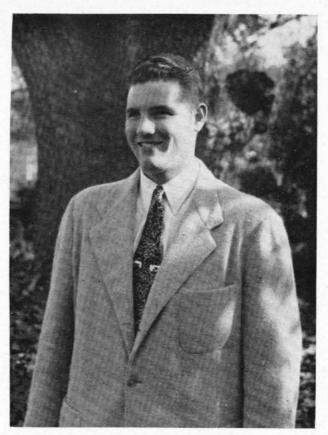








ROBERT COBB-SECRETARY



ROBERT MUNRO-TREASURER



# SENIOR CLASS

The class of 1951 was the first after the last war to be composed mostly of non-veterans and was thus much younger than the previous ones. Frosh camp, initiation, and the Frosh-Soph Mudeo soon fixed that. Before long, they too were hardened in the old routine.

At the end of the Frosh year, only about 140 of the original 175 were still around, the others having left for greener pastures definitely elsewhere. In succeeding years, several more have done likewise but were replaced by some very able men. This turnover did not interfere with the normal activities of the senior year; they were just as hectic and produced fully as many gray hairs as those of former years.

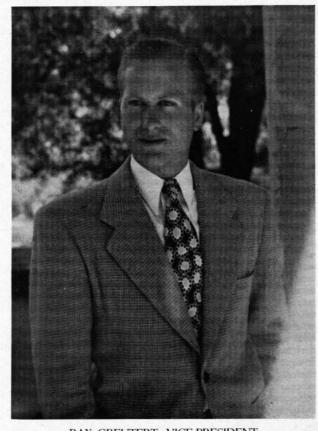
Ditch Day, to everyone's complete surprise, occurred in the middle of the third term. It is rumored that one could have floated a rowboat in the beer provided at the beach but the fellows selfishly decided to drink up the refreshments instead. What little was left was not for long as the festivities were transferred to Mountain Oaks, certainly with no loss in the high spirits of the day.

In May, there came the Garden Party at which time the veterans of four hard years had a chance to meet the faculty under much more auspicious circumstances. Dancing and general chatter lent themselves to a very delightful afternoon. The annual Junior-Senior Prom was held this year at the Oakmont Country Club to the smooth rhythms of Ivan Scott's music. Through the blackness, there could be seen some mighty happy alumni, well accompanied and uninhibited.

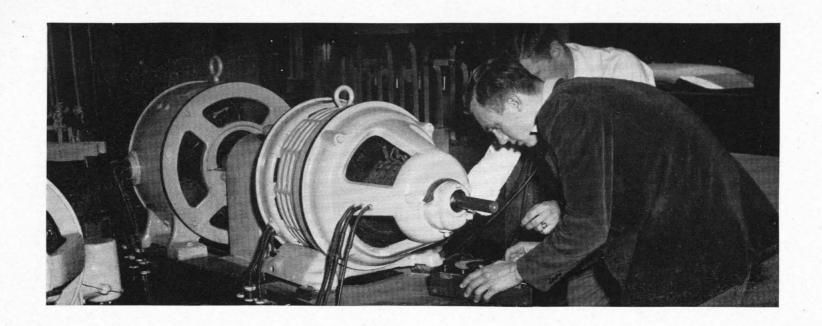
Jobs were plentiful; some with Uncle Sam were well-nigh inescapable. Here's hoping for the best of luck for the class of 1951.



JOHN FEE-PRESIDENT



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# **ELECTRICAL**

### MICHAEL BASIN

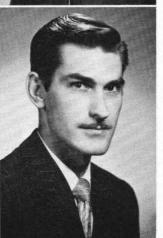
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Mike, who is from Los Angeles,
lists "girls" as a pre-Caltech
activity. How dull! At Tech
Mike has been a member of
the AIEE and Throop club. He
has also extended his interests
to electrical machinery and deep
sea fishing. Mike wants to go
to graduate school here at Tech
(why not Scripps in view of his
peculiar interests?) to obtain a
Ph.D. in EE.

### RICHARD BEMIS

TBPi
A native of Oakdale, New York,
Richard names electronics, boating, and photography as major
interests. A member of the
Radio Club, he can also be
seen around Throop Club every
so often. For the future, he
plans either grad work here at
Tech, a job with North American or NOTC, or will take
any other good opportunity
which presents itself.







### RODNEY BUNKER

Hailing from Porterville, California, Rod transferred to Tech as a sophomore. Found time from the nightly grind to play football for Throop and become a member of the AIEE. Has hopes for graduate school or failing this, a short hitch in the Navy.

### DANIEL E. CARNEY

After a hitch in the Navy, Dan was beckened to CIT from San Bernardino JC. He spends much of his time commuting from Colton where he resides with his wife and daughter. After graduate work, Dan plans to enter the teaching profession.









### BERT HYLAND CLARK

The V-12 program at CIT during the war gave Bert his start here and after three years as an ETM in the Navy he lost his desire for travel and came back to his home state to finish his schooling here at Tech. To get a job and retire young are his plans for the future.

### THOMAS CONNOLLY

From Havre, Montana by way of the "Glorious 45th" division of Uncle Sam's Army, Tom has made the halls of Dabney resound with rhythmic melody as a member of the first "one piano, eighty-eight keys, and forty fingers make it easy quartet. Besides soloing on the drums, he has burned the midnight oil as a member of the staff of the California Tech. Grad school beckons after CIT.

### EDWARD F. DAVIS

TBPi
"Big Ed" started at Tech in
'46, but after a short all-expense
tour of Japan at the request of
his draft board he returned to
these hallowed halls. An inhabitant of Eagle Rock, he
moved into Blacker in his Junior
year. The fact that he is a
member of AIEE and secretary
of IRE betrays that he's one
of that select group, the EE's.
Plans seem to include the usual
alternative of study at Tech or
enlisting in the Air Force.

### ROBERT W. DeGRASSE

The clue on Bob can be given by the letters W7LCV/Mobile, cryptic to any except a fellow ham operator, who would know instantly that he is from the Pacific Northwest. Yakima, Washington is the exact place. Listing AIEE, IRE, President of Radio Club, Ski Club, band, orchestra, and work on the "Tech" as activities, Bob shows the usual EE's ability to get in on the fun. He plans grad work if not taken by the Army.

# **ENGINEERING**

JOHN W. DYER

Jack came to Tech directly from his home town school, Santa Maria Union High. A member of the AIEE, he was also concerned with House activities, having served as Treasurer, UCC, and member of the Social Committee. What he does in the future seems to depend a lot on Ol' Unk Sam.

### FRANKLIN GOODMAN

Frank, who comes from La Crescenta, is well on the way to providing himself with a secure and comfortable old age, having three children to date. A former navy man, Frank is active in his church and on campus has been president of the Caltech Christian Fellowship. He plans either to continue his present job on a fulltime basis, or else go on to graduate school.

### PHILLIP HALVERSON

Phillip Halverson, prime cog, hails from smog-besieged L. A. He's been active in his house: UCC real keen, they say; Social chairman for the troops; Foreman in the Student Shop; Ricketts crew and flamer man; Double E that's hard to top. Gaze into his crystal sphere: UMT his greatest fear.

### ALBERT S. JACKSON

Al is from Sylvia, Kansas. However, he has been away from home a long time for he spent half a year at Glendale College, one and one-half years in the Navy as a motor machinist, and two years at Muir before coming to Tech. At Tech, he has been a member of the AIEE, IRE, soccer team, and the staff of the very great "California Tech." He plans to go on for an M.S. degree and then return to USNOTS at Inyokern if the Naval Reserve doesn't find him first.













Howie claims the distinction of being the only undergraduate member of the Alumni Associ-ation. Earning a B.S. in ME in '48, he decided that electricity was here to stay and is now slaving towards an EE degree. Has been active in house sports and expresses a decided, if in our opinion, somewhat futile interest in Stanford women. Four hundred miles is a long way for a date.



### JIM McQUISTON

**TBPi** This lanky Angeleno boasts a record collection ranging from Bach to Brubeck. Queries as to "where's Jim?" were directed to the local folk dancing establishments where he was wont to do the Neopolitan Tarantella. Jim spent the rest of his spare time playing volleyball for Dabney, acting as UCC, and cataloging for the Tau Betes.





RICHARD S. PARDEE T³, TBPi Steve is the quiet, bashful, all-American kid from Indianapolis. American kid from Indianapolis.
At Tech he has been active in
interhouse and varsity sports,
playing varsity golf for three
years. Other activities include
student chairmanship of the
AIEE and a famous pre-marital stag. Steve plans graduate school at Tech or M.I.T.





### WILLIAM R. SMYTHE

Rod, fearing his father's reputa-tion for making boys out of men in the physics option, decided to get to physics graduate school via the EE option. While at Tech, he has been a member of Throop club and has played interhouse foobtall. His hobbies include flying, hiking, and hot rods. It is rumored that he has ideas about "remodeling" the family 1950 Ford. The way he drives, it will be remodeled in one way or another.

# **ELECTRICAL**

# **ENGINEERING**

### EDWARD STERN

T, TBPi
Ed is an EE with Physicist
tendencies. He made Tau Bate
in a walk and has been active
in AIEE and Throop Club. He's
played on frosh and varsity
football, basketball, and baseball teams. He enjoys astronomy
and tinkering with electrical
equipment as hobbies, and plans
to go to grad school to work
toward a Ph.D. in Physics.



### JOSEPH E. SUNDERLIN

Joe spent some time in the Navy taking advantage of the RT program before starting his college life. After one year at Phoenix College, he transferred here as a sophomore and entered Fleming as a junior. A member of the AIEE, he wants to find a job involving plenty of rest upon graduation.

### GEORGE TRILLING

While George lists EE as his option, he intends to go on to grad school in physics. Those of us who know him are sure he'll do well. He went to Hollywood High School, and still lives off campus, but came originally from France. He's a member of AIEE and (as might be expected, TBP) and just to keep the grind from getting him down, indulges in photography, tennis, and hiking.





### ARTHUR E. WENNSTROM

Another of Tech's many Southlanders, Art is a resident of Los Angeles. As a loyal Blackerite, he went all out to help win the Snake Trophy. He distinguished himself by finding Smythe terribly easy. For the future, Art plans to study EE in the East.

### Not Pictured

### KWOK-YING CHONG

Steve spent a year in England sampling the Midland smog before migrating to CIT. Previous to this he spent some time collecting jungle sores and leach bites while in the Malayan resistance. Steve was a member of Blacker House and excelled in soccer. Spent his spare time at the Musicale and making a closer acquaintance with the Golden West.

### HENRY ITO

Displaced from Seattle, Wash., by the war. Henry spent the war years in a relocation camp in Idaho. After attending Los Angeles City College, Henry worked at UCLA as an engineering aide. Giving this up for the life of a student again, he came to Tech as an EE. He is a member of the AIEE and is too busy graduating to think of the future.

### TERRY W. KOERNER

Originally from Iowa Terry transferred from Santa Ana J.C. to Tech. While at Tech he was noted for building high gain motorboating amplifiers and haunting the Monrovia airdrome. Spent summers understudying construction practices in Kings Valley. A top student Terry was also a member of the AIEE.

### ROBERT F. O'CONNELL

One of Tech's few "Leather-necks," Bob came from Erie, Illinois, before spending three years in the USMC. While taking great pride in his wife and son, he found time to be active in AIEE and was elected to Tau Bete. He looks forward to a job as an engineer in the electronics industry.









### FREDERICK BAILY

A native of Bronxville, New York, Fred transferred to Tech from Amherst in '49. Since then he has kept his spare time occupied by occasional trumpeting for both the orchestra and the band, to say nothing of his activities in the ASME and SAE. His future plans seem mainly to involve heading East.

WAYNE BEEBE

**TBPi** Married for the past four years and the proud daddy of two kids, Wayne hails originally from Salt Lake City, Utah. A member of Throop Club, he participated in intermural basketball, tennis, and vollyball. Sharp enough to make Tau Bete, Wayne is also active in the ASME. He'd just love to keep on going to school as long as someone else will support the deal and will go into Aero at Tech next year.

HARRY BEGG

Now married but with no family, Harry also spent some time for Uncle Sam, Air Forcewise in the South Pacific. Vice President of the frosh class. Treasurer of the YMCA, and chairman of its finance drive (1948-49) Harry's also been active in the band and orchestra. He plans graduate work in Mechanical Engineering.

JOHN W. BJERKLIE T, TBPi John spent a frosh year in the U. of North Dakota, a couple of years in Korea for Uncle Sam, and came here as a sophomore. He came into Fleming as a junior, made Tau Bete, and joined ASME. Art and building model airplanes are his hobbies as anyone can plainly see by paying his room a visit. As for the future, he says, lost nothing in Korea.

# MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

### RAY D. BOWERMAN

From nearby San Bernardino, Ray came to spend his time and talents for Blacker House. He ran for the leather lungers for three years and was to be seen on many an interhouse team. Active in both the SAE and the ASME, Ray plans to either go to work or have his work cut out for him by his Uncle Sam. No doubts exist about preferring the former course.

### ROBERT G. BOYER

Bob spent a joyous stretch in the Army Air Corps as a gunner before coming to Tech. His new Caltech ingenuity enabled his charming wife to present him with an offspring. Bob has been an active Throop clubber and a member of the ASME. He looks to sales engineering as a future profession.

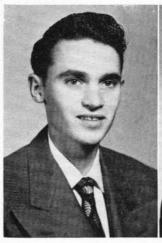
### FRANK BUMB

Frank hails from Corpus Christi and is soon to be married. As Vice President of Blacker House he was largely responsible for the rejuvenation of their esteemed Associate program. esteemed Associate program. Being a member of ASME and SAE, Blacker Publicity Manager, UCC and BBTBS head waiter keeps him busy. A summer spent in Alaska fighting mosquitoes for the Bureau of Public Roads is his bid for fame. Frenchie will attend grad school at Tech school at Tech.

### ROBERT EUGENE COVEY

TBP<sub>i</sub>

Bob spent a few unwelcome and pob spent a few unwelcome and regrettable years in Korea with the army before starting his collegiate career. From right here in Pasadena, he enjoyed two years at PCC before transferring to Technologies. ferring to Tech as a junior. In Throop Club and a member of the ASME, Bob indicates no desire to graduate into more army service. Instead, he plans to marry Joyce and come back next year for grad work in aeronautics.











### ROBERT P. DAY

After convalescing and two years at Long Beach CC, Bob came here as a freshman. Former years were spent working in oilfields, shipbuilding, trucking and caddying. Now married. (no family as yet) and active in the ASME, Bob hopes to enter the field of research and development of guided missiles upon graduation.



### JOSEPH DENNEY

Another northerner from Kent, Washington, Joe spent his pre-Caltech days at the Univ. of Washington and then in the Navy as an ETM. A married man, he was also a social member of Dabney House. Hobbies include hunting and guns. After he receives his BS in June he will go on to grad school in metallurgy.



### ARTHUR R. CUSE

### HONOR KEY

Since journeying from Jersey City, Art has had an interesting and varied career in four years at Tech. Prominent leader in underground activities; c h a mpioned Tunnel's cause as Keeper of Cans, Cardinal, and Pope in Blacker. After job in Alaska "Moose" was writer for "Tech," member of SAE, ASME, CES, PBAA; headed Sailing Club as Commodore. Became ASCIT First Rep this year. Plans for grad work in Business at Harvard; then exploitation of natives in South America.



Hailing from North Hollywood, Dean spent three years on the varsity basketball and baseball teams, lettered in baseball, and also played for the Big Red. The Glee Club, the ASME, and the Big "T" took more time. Mary Helen proved a great attraction and an Easter trip to Mexico City was the result. Uncle Sam permitting, an easy job would be welcome. Very much 1-A now, he wonders just how easy a life the army permits.



Hailing from Melrose, Mass., Ollie spent three years in the 29th Infantry Division as a Staff Sergeant before coming to Tech. Last summer he journeyed to Switzerland to marry the girl of his dreams, and has since lived off campus. A valuable member of the ASCIT government, he served as 2nd rep., sec'y, and V.P. In his spare time he was an enthusiastic skier and member of the Ski Team.



### JOHN HALLSTROM

John was off campus for his first three years at Tech and then decided to come to Blacker at the beginning of his senior year. Engineering is his main interest and he is a member of the ASME. He loves to listen to music and to tinker around with his model "A" Ford. In the future, Uncle Sam permitting, he will probably have to go to work.









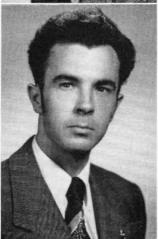
### WILLIAM HENLEY

Bill's hometown is cold, cold Chisholm, Minnesota. As a member of the U. S. Army Bill toured Europe before coming to Tech. A married man with two children, he modestly exclaims. "Twe been too busy lowering the average GPA to be active on campus." Despite all this modesty, Bill has been a member of the ASME and plans to go on to graduate school here at Tech.



### JOSEPH MANGIN

Joe, originally from North Hollywood, now calls San Marino home. His early interest in that vanishing phenomena the "hot rod" naturally led him into the SAE and ASME of which he was Secretary-Treasurer. Future plans include marriage in June and after that grad school in ME.



### CLYDE H. KELLEY

Clyde's history reads like a travelog. After three years in Uncle Sam's Army and two years in England, he spent time gathering knowledge from four different colleges and finally settled down here in forty-eight. By his own confession he will be glad to finish school and squat down here in Southern California.



### JOHN W. MORRISON

Originally from God's country (Nevada City) Mo is UCC of Fleming's infamous Alley Five. Always to be seen on house teams, he helped many a Big Red Team to victory. A former chairman of the institutors, he now spends his effort at the presidency of the Cal Tech Yachting and Polo Club. He plans to get a good soft job after graduation, but Uncle Sam may have some job already planned just for him.



### MARSHALL KLARFELD

Bud "TV" Klarfeld has been Muntz's pride for two years and still hasn't been able to beat the tax laws. Social chairman and interhouse basketballer for The Big Red, Bud also dabbles with the Drama club, the Ski Club, and the ASME. As for the future, he plans a life of marriage and travel, having already retired.



### RICHARD NUNO

Dick first started here as a frosh in 1942. The army then treated him to a vacation as a BAR man in France and Italy. In his younger days, he went out for frosh track, but now he's just trying to stay in school and be married at the same time. An ME, he plans to get a job and start a family as soon as possible, sees a future in coordinating engineering and writing.



### DAN BROWN LEMAY

One of the two members of the Front-Wheel-Drive Club, Dan set up housekeeping in Pasadena with his lovely wife from hometown San Diego. He was active as Student Chairman of ASME, Secretary of Dabney, Sports Editor of the 1950 Big T, Dabney Crew member, and wrote a bit of Western Pulp material on the side. Future plans include Air Force OCS or a civilian job.



### VICTOR D. PORIZKY

Vic came to Tech and Ricketts via Salt Lake City. As a well known handicapper at Santa Anita, he has worked ardently at trying to outguess the ponies. After graduation he plans to settle in Las Vegas with high hopes of beating the gaming tables with Porizky's sure-fire method.







PETER PRICE

Being from Canada, Pete naturally was one of the mainstays of Caltech's ski team. Besides being Prexy of the Ski Club, he has actively recruited many to skiing during his four years at Tech. As a true organizer, he also helped introduce soccer as a minor sport. Like many others, he plans to continue with graduate work in ME.

### DAVID RATHJE

Dave, the man with the Pepsodent smile, is from the Windy City. On campus, he has been a member of Throop Club and the ASME. His future plans include a "job with lots of security and free room and board." In view of his planned marriage it is difficult to tell whether he has struck it rich or whether Uncle Sam wants him also.

### PAUL SKOGLUND

Probably one of the oldest men in the senior class, Paul graduated from high school way back in 1956. He worked until the Army treated him to a three year field trip in the South Pacific and Japan. Active in Throop Club, SAE and ASME, and Alhambra civic affairs, he plans upon graduation to finally go to work to support his wife and two kids.

# MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

### LOUIS STALLKAMP

Another loyal Throop Club member, Lou is from South Pasadena. He's spent the best years of his life on the baseball diamond, and has collected one frosh and three varsity letters during his time, at second base and shortstop. Plays softball in the summer for a "change." Graduating as an ME, he plans the army, or foreign or production work for the future.

### BJORN THORSTENSEN

Bjorn came to Tech by way of Oslo, Norway. To the surprise of no one, he was one of the regulars making the trip from Pasadena to Snow Valley where he did a lot of skiing including racing for Dabney. He was also a staunch supporter of Dabney's social functions and rarely missed a beach party.

### ALBERT E. VAN HISE

Al's another with whom the Engineering option has been the consuming passion. Off campus for the entire four years here at Tech, he has been married for the past year and a half and highly recommends this course of action. A member of the ASME, he plans to go to ME grad school here next year. After that, he figures he'll just have to go to work for once.







### LARRY SOKOL

Active in the interhouse sports and social affairs of Throop Club, Larry came here from Alhambra with the experience of having had his own dance band in high school. He's also written several pieces for the school paper. Still single, he plans to try to stay out of the army (everybody's got a way) and go to work for industry.





### L. RUPERT VREUGDE

Dutch came to Tech after spending his early years in the Netherlands, Dutch East Indies, and Houston, Texas, which last he now claims as home. Not satisfied with our warm balmy clime he spent much time up at Snow Valley where he was Ski Team manager and Ski Club Secretary. His future plans are aimed towards work in the field of engineering design.



# MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

### ROBERT LEE WAID

Bob transferred here in his junior year from Chaffey J.C., and found he had to work a bit harder. From Ontario, Bob was the two year "iron man" of the track team. Also very active in interhouse sports for the Big Red Machine, he was a mainstay in this year's fight. An ardent ME, he will attend grad school if Uncle Sam will just lay off a while.



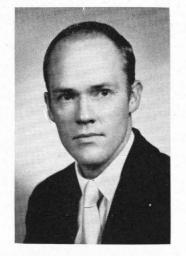
### G. BERK WELCH

The Cosmopolitan Rudolph has been playing tennis at Tech for the past four years. He managed Frosh and Varsity teams, and was elected tennis captain in his senior year. Was UCC of Blacker's Lower Presidential. He went to Harvard summer school in '50 and hopes to return there for grad study in Business Administration.

### Not Pictured

### EMIL BOBLETT

Hailing from Indianapolis, Emil served in the Army Air Corps for three years before coming to C.I.T. Possessing a high degree of personal initiative and originality, Emil is a co-inventor of a new type electrostatic generator and super portable Geiger counter. He has also taken an active part in Musical and student shop.



### FRED WOOD

HONOR KEY
River Forest, Illinois, should
indeed be proud of the active
career Fred led while at Tech.
A four year Beaver member and
at one time Vice-president of
that organization, he has been
Frosh Prexy, Rally Commissioner, Board of Control member, and President of Dabney
House, participating the while
in frosh baseball, interhouse
athletics, Dabney quartet, and
PBAA. He will be heading
towards Harvard Business School

### JIM LUSCOMBE

Jim came here in his frosh year and promptly found himself class president. He played frosh football and participated in several interhouse sports for the Big Red Team. A Fleming House constable of some note, he later moved off campus and got married at the end of his junior year. Having previously spent a little time in Japan, he doesn't worry about the draft, will find a good job next year.

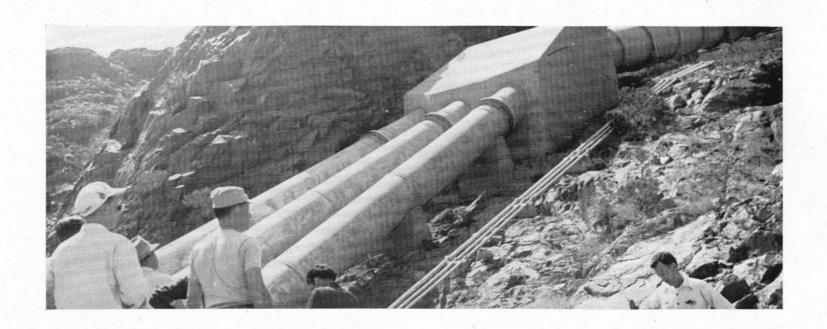
### ELMER F. WARD

Not being able to turn to the GI bill for benefits, Elmer was forced to spend all his spare time keeping his wife and two young breadwasters in presentable condition by working for a local engineering firm. They are so satisfied with his work that he was offered the job of chief engineer before he graduated. Originally from Cleveland Elmer has decided to make California his home.

### WILLIAM WRIGHT

After migrating from Long Beach and Catalina, Willie soon became congenial host of Tunnel's Club 37. When not occupied with PBAA activities, was feature editor of "California Tech," co-photo editor of 1950 "Big T," photographer for "Engineering and Science," and SAE secretary. Became Tau Bete pledge in junior year. At present divides time between wife Jane and William V. III and research in metallurgy. Hopes for Ph.D at Tech.





### CIVIL

### **ENGINEERING**

### KENNETH R. BERG

Ken, the man with the velvet voice, hails from Hollywood. At Tech he has been active in the ASCE, YMCA, and in inter-house and varsity athletics. He has also been seen frequently indulging in that clever method of self-torture known as weight lifting. Ken plans graduate school in the East, if possible.

### DEAN BLANCHARD

Dean, whose home is in San Francisco, is most famous for his efforts relating to the gentle art of body culture. In between art of body culture. In between the happy hours spent weight-lifting and attempting one armed handstands, he acquired two varsity tennis letters and was a habitue of the local ski slopes and spear fishing beaches. After graduation Dean plans to go into construction work, possibly overseas.

### WILLIAM E. EILAU

Bill is one of these ambitious Bill is one of these ambitious guys who's gone through the M.E. option as well as being a C.E. Pre-Tech, he spent three long years in the Army Air Force, serving as a navigator in the E.T.O. In keeping with his versatility, Bill has been a member of both ASCE and ASME while at Tech, and is now hoping the Air Force Reserve will allow him to apply his education as a civilian. his education as a civilian.

### JOHN G. ELLIOTT

After transferring to Tech as a junior, from UCLA, John became an ardent Throop Club member, active on all their interhouse sports teams and usually to be found playing bridge in Throop Lounge come noontime. John is a member of the ASCE, and though his draft board has plans for his immediate future, his interest in water supply and water works will probably decide his lasting career.











### JOHN R. FEE

T, HONOR KEY

Versatile John came to Tech after three and a half years as a captain in the army and after graduating from the University of Kansas in Business Administration. His activities were many: President of Senior and Soph classes, Treasurer of ASCIT, Secretary of Blacker House, member of ASCE and Beavers, UCC, and national Representative of YMCA. Soon to be married, he plans to find a job wherein he can utilize his third degree. after graduating from the Uni-



### BRUCE HEDRICK

Boris of the blue taxi distinguished himself in many fields of activity at CIT. Musically, he played a hot trombone, sang in the Dabney House quartet, and spent many a Thursday night crooning at the track. Athletically, he earned four varsity baseball letters including selection as all-SCIC pitcher Also, the varsity club and the PBAA, of which he was presi-dent, claimed his membership.



### RICHARD M. LIBBEY

T3, TBPi, HONOR KEY Honolulu's pride, Dick spent three years on the varsity water polo, basketball, and swimming teams. He set a new record for Tech in the 100-yard swim and lech in the 100-yard swim and was a mainstay in the water polo team that went all the way to the Southern Cal finals with Fullerton. A Beaver and president of the Tech YMCA, Dick was also Vice prexy for the Fleming Big Red. He and Ann made a couple at many a Ann made a couple at many a Fleming social function. He plans to go to grad school.



### ROBERT MUNRO

Bob's a Throop Clubber from San Marino. Known for the weight he can put behind a bat, he played varsity baseball for three years, varsity football for one, also frosh football and tennis. He may be seen on all manner of interhouse teams for the greater glory of Throop. Now senior class treasurer and recording secretary for the ASCE, he plans very soon to be cannon fodder for the much greater glory of Uncle Sam.



EARL CHARLES HEFNER

### BRADFORD HOUSER

A sea dog from Uncle Sam's Navy, the old man has estab-lished an enviable record at Tech: Editor of Calif. Tech, President of Blacker House, Editor of Little T, President of Brad has traveled far and wide — Panama, French Riviera, Samoa, and Waikiki. Origin-ally from Wash., D.C., he is now married and lived off campus his senior year and part Interhouse Committee, YMCA Publicity Manager. Curly spent a year at Oregon State before entering Tech. He is well known of his junior year. Brad has been active in sports, having letters in swimming, cross-country, football, soccer, and water-polo. Eventually he plans for his crushes on high school girls and plans for graduate to live in the tropics near a body of water.

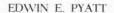


### CIVIL

### RITCHEY NEWMAN

work in structures.

Ritchey, who comes from Duluth, Minn., is an ex-Navy man, and there is a possibility that the Navy will again be using his talents soon. At Tech the Glee Club made use of his golden throat, while the frosh cross-country team, ASME, SAE, and ASCE made use of his other aptitudes.



With his savoir-vivre, Ed was a natural for directing Blacker's notable social program and for railroading assessments through. As secretary of ASCE he did a noteworthy job. Eddie enjoys mountain climbing, psychology, and has a Boy Scout troop in Redondo Beach. Future plans include grad work at Harvard in Sanitary Engineering.







### DON W. SCHMID T<sup>2</sup>, HONOR KEY

Don, under whose inspirational but not always patient leadership most of these blurbs were written is a local farm product, coming from Anaheim High. Never one to work too hard, Don nonetheless went out for both varsity football and tennis the entire four years of his stay here, played on interhouse teams, was vice president and treasurer of the ASCE, an adroit UCC of Blacker, Dancing Class wheel, and had the thankless task of Big T class editor.

### ALFRED SERENO

Al, native of Honolulu, spent time in the Army, and was a Waikiki beachcomber. Active in sports, he has numerals in frosh basketball and baseball, and has played varsity football a n d basketball (three letters). ASCE and Varsity Club member, he was also active in Rowdy sports and social life. UCC of notorious Crud Alley, Al has two ambitions: 1. To return to Hawaii; 2. To beat the ponies.







### ROBERT TEAM

Bob was born in far off Shanghai and has spent most of his time traveling from one place to another. Attendance at 14 different high schools provided the necessary background for his sojourn here. Membership in ASCE and Blacker House where he helped in their drive for the Interhouse Trophy rounded out his schedule. Bob believes the 18 months he spent in Japan will keep him out this time.

### **ENGINEERING**

### Not Pictured

### ROLAND A. BERNER

Roland put in two happy years as radio officer in the maritime service before starting at Tech, but as often happens he changed from EE to CE. He hails originally from San Jose, but his family recently moved to Pasadena. He was active in sports, both varsity and interhouse, is a member of the ASCE, and is a diligent pursuer of the social joys. He says he's glad to get out and go to work, if Janet thinks it best.

### URI RETTER

Uri came to Tech from the Hebrew University at Jerusalem, Israel. While on campus, he has been a member of the ASCE and the Musical. He is greatly interested in the current "Return to Nature" movement. After graduation Uri plans to return to Jerusalem,

### ROBERT E. SMITH

Sober parliamentarian from Santa Cruz way where he did a summer stint as crime photographer, Bob was active as president and secretary of the student ASCE chapter, vice-president of Pi Kappa Delta in which he received the debaters' gavel, Ski Club member, frosh footballer, and Dabney UCC. He plans to enter water supply or sanitary engineering.



### JACK M. SWEETMAN

Jack came to Tech after getting his start as an S.I. at John Muir City College. Pre-school days had included a rousing stretch in Uncle Sam's Air Corps. Tech activities include membership in the ASCE; and now, having made the fatal error of getting married this last Christmas vacation, Jack is hoping to settle down and enjoy life.









#### MICHEL BADER

Listing Santa Monica as his home town, Mike is yet reknowned as a master of the continental approach acquired from his native Parisian environs. At Tech he has been active in the YMCA, serving as their national representative and has been a stalwart on the Dabney House Social committee Dabney House Social communes and IH bridge teams. Mike plans to come back next year and bridge the gap between math. and physics.

### LEO L. BAGGERLY

T2, TBPi, HONOR KEY The heighth of well-roundedness has been attained by Leo. his activities varied from soccer to the regional co-chairman of the YMCA. He is seen at all social functions and leading the yelling throng at the CIT foot-ball games. Leo's future plans to be as well filled as his under graduate days. Grad school and marriage are in the future.

### MITCHELL BAIN

Mitch spent two years in the Mitch spent two years in the Navy, some of it in electronics school, is now happily married and expecting the beginnings of a family. Originally from Miami, and a physicist, he's been working in the Biology Department with electronic equipment for the past couple of years. He collects classical records and loves to fool around with amplifiers while not snakwith amplifiers while not snaking Smythe.

#### ROBERT E. BIBLE

From Abilene, Texas, Bob spent all too much time with the Navy before coming to the halls of the Big Red. Co-athletic man-ager during his junior year, he took time out between the last two years, but decided to come back after a little rest. Bob was seen on many a house team, more than any other man of the house. After graduation, he has a job all lined up with Chance Vought in, you guessed it, Texas.

### **PHYSICS**

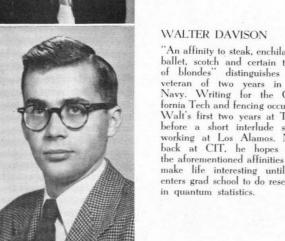


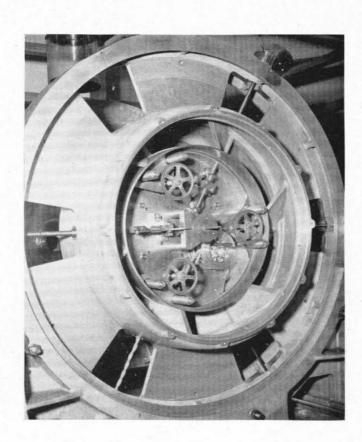
### DOUGLAS CALLEY

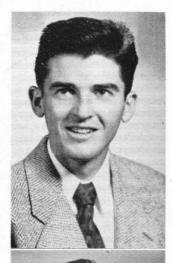
Doug can usually be found at the Musicale or practicing with the Tech orchestra. Spends his the Tech orchestra. Spends his summers away from smog filled Los Angeles visiting Mexico with the socially elite. Is well known for his four pair of glasses and his ability to grab a seat in the front row. Plans to teach after he finishes his toil at Tech.



"An affinity to steak, enchiladas, ballet, scotch and certain types of blondes" distinguishes this veteran of two years in the Navy. Writing for the Cali-fornia Tech and fencing occupied Walt's first two years at Tech, before a short interlude spent working at Los Alamos. Now back at CIT, he hopes that the aforementioned affinities will make life interesting until he enters grad school to do research in quantum statistics.

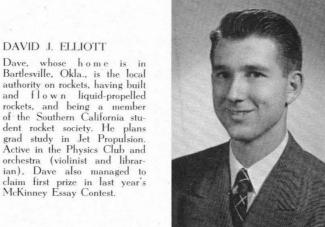






One of the physicists who chose to suffer through Smythe, Walt also suffered through track, and also suffered through track, and cross-country during his stay here. Living off campus (L. A. to be specific) Walt was a social member of Fleming for a long time, but has recently become affiliated with Throop Athletic Club. He plans to go into the Air Force after school in spite of the advice of those who suffered with the fly boys.

WALTER EDWARDS



### JON GOERKE

DAVID J. ELLIOTT

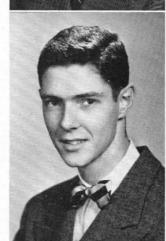
From West Orange, New Jersey, "Argegi" has earned fame as Veep, Social Chairman, and Historian of Dabney; Art Editor of the '49 and Editor of the '50 Big T; Beaver; cartoonthe '50 Big T; Beaver; cartoonist and special writer for the Tech; and in IH sports. This charter member of "The Redbelly League" has logged at least 5000 miles east to the ivory towers of Claremont in search of the wily snapper. Jon will continue his search at Yale Med school in the fall.

HONOR KEY



### FRED EISEN

A physicist with definite tend-A physicist with definite tend-encies toward EE, Fred has spent his spare time during the past two years working over electronics equipment for United Geophysical Co. From Tulsa and proud of it, Fred was on the rally commission, managed the track team and was sharp enough to make Tau Bate. He is coming back for more (grad school).



### MONTAGUE GRIFFEN

Coming from Brawley, California, Griffen lists as his ac-complishments: four years of PE and a devil may care attitude. His interests at Tech lie in the Musicale and Throop Club. His plans for the future will prob-ably be interrupted by a winter vacation in Korea.

### ROLAND W. JOHNSON T<sup>2</sup>

Another local product, Roland is a member of the fearsome Throop Club combine which is leading the interhouse race this year. While he played and lettered in varsity baseball he also found time to play interhouse tennis, volleyball, softball and (surprisingly enough) baseball. He seems to think that the Air Force can use a man who's taken Smythe.

JOHN B. JOHNSTON TBPi From nearby Whittier, John made Tau Bate in a breeze. Band manager and active in house volleyball for The Big Red Team, Johnny splits his spare time between hiking in the mountains and desert and performing anatomical dissections on the famous '56 Ford. He plans grad school in mathematics followed by a teaching career if Uncle Sam will permit.

### THOMAS LAYTON

TBP: quiet good natured fellow with a wife and two happy years in the Army Medical Corps, Tom is another of the topnotchers who plans to go on to physics grad school. From Kays-ville, Utah, Tom has spent four happy years here in the land of smog and no snow.











### CARROLL R. LINHOLM

Another local boy, Carroll did time at both PCC and Muir, and being immune to the smog of the city of the Angels, continued here at Tech. He is active in IRE, AIEE, and the Musicale. Although still single he is by his own admission weakening. If the Navy doesn't interfere he hopes to get some of that easy money offered to all scientists.



#### ROBERT W. MADDEN

Another Navy RT, Madden immigrated from Massachusetts to study physics at Caltech. As a "ham" and trustee of W6RRO, his New England conscience is well known in the area. But the smog and wild California drivers will force Bob's return to his native Worcester for a job or graduate work.

### HAL MARTIN

A San Marinan who wandered academically from West Point via Cornell, SC, PCC, to Caltech, where he finally settled down close to home. Here at Tech he alternated his time between Debate, playing soccer and cultivating beautiful friendships with many campus secretaries, and, before its demise, was prominent in the CIT Toastmasters' Club. After Graduation he plans to go to work, probably with IBM.



#### HUGH J. MARTIN

Living a rather nomadic existence before coming to Tech, Jack was soon to rise to the top of our Tennis squad. Having found life a little lonesome here, he returned in his senior year accompanied by a wife who helped him in his relentless siege of grad schools. His voluminous notes taken in every history class were often the source of detailed investigation at finals time.



### PETER MASON

T<sup>3</sup>, TBPi, HONOR KEY
From Waterbury, Vermont,
Uncle Peter has made sailing
his chief avocation and hopes
to sail around the world in his
22 foot sailboat. He was Treasurer of ASCIT and lettered in
both track and cross-country.
One and a half years spent in
the Air Force conditioned him
for the job of Upper Presidential's UCC. He typilies the
browbeaten physicist and is
interested in aeronautics grad
work.



### GEORGE MERKEL

George, a San Francisco product, achieved lasting fame as one of the stalwarts on the Dabney crew team, which activity earned him the name "Golden-throat George." In a more serious vein, he was active as a debater, UCC and Tau Bate. Although in a rash moment he purportedly spent his grad school money on a car, he probably will continue in Physics at Cal.



### JOHN MOSS

Having played both frosh football and baseball, John, whose home is in Riverside, Calif., has kept keenly interested in sports, mainly interhouse. Serving as Athletic Manager for the Rowdies this year, he has still managed to reserve plenty of time for his favorite pastime—bridge. "Future plans?" says John, "I'm in the inactive reserve."



### CHARLES PAULSON

Coming to Tech from Palm City. California, Chuck quickly retired to the "Greasy" where he could almost always be seen rationalizing over a cup of lukewarm coffee. His pre-Caltech days were unhappily spent as an RT in the USN, thus making him one of the last of that noble but vanishing species. Future plans include staying out of the Navy and working for Westinghouse in Pittsburgh.











### WALTER PFEIFFER

Walt spent a little time for his Uncle as a navigator in the Air Force. Now married and a proud papa, he's been treasurer and vice prexy of Throop, as well as president of the Beavers. He's spent three years catching and guarding the hot corner for the Preislermen. Now in Physics he plans a bright unregimented future in some lucky aeronautics grad school.

### WINSTON ROYCE

A self-styled Bixophile from Arcady, Win was one of the "unknown contributors" to the Tech, but assuaged the aroused wrath of Dabney by serving on many social and athletic missions for the house. The UCC, red belly league, and PBAA, of which he was treasurer, claimed his soul, but aeronautics grad school will probably win out.

### WILLIAM F. SAMPSON

A physicist who loves to dabble in old electronic equipment, Bill foresook the pure halls of Fleming to marry his one and only from seven miles west this last Christmas vacation. Band manager, he also blows a mean trumpet for the orchestra. As for the future, he'll undoubtedly snap up the first golden opportunity.

### GENE SHAKESPEARE

Gene graduated in '45 from an L. A. high school, whereupon the Army grabbed him for a year's service on Guam. Here at Tech his non-academic interests have been chiefly in track. The Rowdies are rightfully proud of him for his virtually inevitable victories in cross-country. His plans for the future are uncertain. "Hard to say now," says Gene.

### **PHYSICS**

### RICHARD SMYTH

Rich generously lets four towns claim him: Ada, Okla., Long Beach, Pasadena, and Richmond, Calif. His spare moments are occupied with track, cross-country, watching TV in his room, and evidently there's something else—he's engaged! Last year he slaved as co-editor of the Little T. Unless the Army disagrees, he plans to work for the Navy in a civilian capacity.

### KENT STRATTON

HONOR KEY

Silver-tongued prexy of both Ricketts House and the Physics Club. Kent also had ties with the Beavers and the '49 Rally Committee. Students' Day saw him practically prostrate from getting the Guide Service organized. Claiming Irvington, N. Y., as his home town, Kent spent two years in Germany in Army Intelligence before coming to Tech. Future plans? "To work!" unquote.

### SANFORD S. SWEET

Some people go on from physics to engineering or to selling, but Sandy is one of the few in this year's class who is going into the ministry. A believer in the full life, Sandy has been out for basketball, volleyball, interhouse sports, Glee Club, Musical (Vice President), Pasadena Civic course, listens to records, and in his spare (?) hours puts in time at the Naval Ordnance test station.

### ALFRED THIELE

Just whisper the word "audio" around Al and you'll find yourself involved in a technical conversation about crossover points, bass responses, and the many other little details that haunt the average audio fiend. Al originally came from Texas, but spent his high school years in Glendale. No snake he, Al was secretary and also chairman of the IRE as well as a member of Throop Club and Physics Club.











### LESLIE WANLASS

Kent is a former ME—turned physicist. From nearby El Monte, he has been seen on many a Throop interhouse team. He went out for varsity basketball as a senior, and has been active in the IRE. As for the future, he seems to be disgustingly healthy, unmarried, and just the right age to make himself very desirable to Uncle Sam as soon as he obtains that sheepskin.



### WILLIAM WHITNEY HONOR KEY, TBPi

A man of many parts is this Techman from Spokane, Washington: to wit, Frosh baseball; Feature Editor and special writer for the California Tech; Activities Section Editor of this year's Big T; UCC, Secretary and Pope — now uncelibate — of Dabney; Beaver; and President of Tau Beta Pi. Bill was also noted for the longest "milk-run" in Tech history—CIT to Tucson, Arizona. He will enter grad school this fall.

### **PHYSICS**

### Not Pictured

#### JOSEPH BOOKEE

Artist and student, Joe is a talented young man from Hollywood, California. He is noted for his work as 1950 art editor of the Big T and for his fabulous amplifier designs which defy analysis. A Blacker house member for three years, Bookee finally joined the ranks of the commuters his senior year, claiming the student house diet had broken his spirit.

### WILLIAM A. DRAKE

Bill started here in his frosh year way back in 1945 but the Air Force snared him after the end of one year and he spent some unfortunate time as a corporal in the Air Force Air Communication Service. From Hollywood, Bill managed the track team for two years. As far as the future goes, he'll probably have to go to work.

### ROBERT M. WALP

A physicist with experience is old Bob, having been to MIT, separated Uranium isotopes while at Oak Ridge and exploded A-Bombs as a Naval Electronics Technician. When not studying Smythe or commuting from Arcadia, he has spent time in the Radio, Physics, and Ski Clubs and has been Secretary-Treasurer of the Musicale. Bob looks somewhat apprehensively towards grad school and marriage.

### **ASTRONOMY**



### GEORGE ABELL

Fleming's astronomer extraordinary, the only one in the senior class, George divides his time between Tech and the Griffith Observatory. From Van Nuys, he wasted a little time in Japan, courtesy of the Air Force. Music is a major interest; he is music editor of the Tech, a Musicale member, and may be seen many a Thursday night leading the parade down to the symphony in L. A. President of the Drama Club, he plans to continue star gazing in grad school.



### JOHN HOLMES

TBPi
John, the mad mathematician of
Ricketts House, admits to the
usual weaknesses of his option:
poker, beer, chess, and reading
the Racing Form. Not only this
but he has a deviled interest in
athletics, even plays golf for
dear old Caltech. From Normal,
Illinois, John says he plans to
return there as soon as possible.





### **MATHEMATICS**

### JOHN H. WALTER

One of the quieter Lemmings, John spent two very long years in the Navy fooling around with all sorts of electronic equipment between his frosh and sophomore years. From smoggy Los Angeles and a member of the Math Club, he plans a future at some grad school in the east.

### **GEOPHYSICS**

### Not Pictured

GEORGE M. SAWYER

After becoming acquainted with rocks near his home in Mojave, affable George maintained his contact with Mother Earth by helping the Air Corps dig ditches in Alaska. He came to Tech 5 years ago for CE, switched to geology, and this year gets degrees in geology and geophysics. Served as VP of Geology Club and Chairman of Junior - Senior Prom. Biggest smile on campus and loudest voice should take him far. Hopes to develop his rose quartz claim.

### EDWARD B. CRICHTON HONOR KEY

HUNOR NE.1
"Bermuda Bob," always in the center of activity, got Honor Key in frosh year, voted Big T Business Mgr. in soph year, Y Sec'y and Board of Control as a junior, and Y Prexy last year. His favorite pastimes include soccer, fencing, sailing, and flying. Future involves work in Mexico and perhaps India with the American Friends Service Committee.

### RICHARD S. SHARP

Dick originally aspired to make the grade in physics but soon turned to the rock pile which distinguishes him as one of the few Geophysicists in the class. While preferring more years of academic freedom or second best a good job, Dick hopes that his expert knowledge of amplifiers will guarantee a desk spot with the Army.





### **GEOLOGY**



### BARRIE H. BIELER

Barrie hails from Altadena and came to Tech from across the street at PCC. He has a cultivated interest in geology and spends his spare time back-packing in the Sierras collecting minerals and taking 35mm slides. Interested in lapidary and the Orchestra rounded out his schedule. He hasn't had enough yet and plans to go on for his MS here.



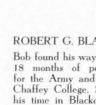
### RAYMOND H. GREUTERT

From Glendale and originally off campus, Ray saw the light and soon moved to Blacker where he became athletic manager. Athletic manager of his ager. Athletic manager of his junior class and Veep of the seniors, Ray was head Mudeo judge, served on the election committee, and is secretary-treasurer of the Geology Club. A PBAA member and sports writer for the Tech, he plans more school after the Navy and is interested in music and is interested in music and architecture.



### ROBERT G. BLAIR

Bob found his way to Tech after 18 months of pencil pushing for the Army and two years at Chaffey College. Spent part of his time in Blacker and served as an Instituter. Always eager in the field, he hopes for a high paying position as a geologist, preferably in Colorado.



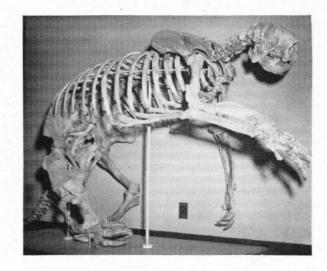


Former secretary to the Rowdies, Dave is a ready source of biting repartee; a constant, incurable dooler in boring lectures. able dooler in boring fectures. Left Whittier to fight his way across the ETO before coming back to Tech. Squandered many an hour at the bridge table—a diversion which only geologists can safely afford. Respected as UCC by his underclassmen, he could always be counted on for frank, fatherly advice. Future rather uncertain.



### ROBERT E. COBB

Here on a General Petroleum Geology scholarship for the last year, Bob is probably one of the few to nourish an ulcer during finals week. Now secre-tary of the Beavers, he's been Election Committee chairman, class treasurer and Veep, Throop Club Athletic Manager and Secretary, and a member of the PBAA. Active for the Cali-fornia Tech and the Varsity Club, he has three varsity letters in cross-country and one in track. He plans to stay away from the





DALLAS T. PECK T2, TBPi, HONOR KEY Fleming's irreplaceable prexy and Geologist supreme, could hardly wait out his term to marry Sue this last March.
From Spokane, he lettered in football twice, was co-captain, and carried off the Wheaton Trophy. A Tau Bate, and a Beaver, he was prexy of his junior class. The Fleming wait er's union and the PBAA also enjoyed his talents. He plans to go to grad school here (geology, of course).

### Not Pictured

RUBE KACHADOORIAN

Onetime Rickettsman, now practically a resident of Mudd, Rube is a native California from Fresno and Bakersfield Junior College. Saw duty with the Air Corps in the Mediterranean area, Europe. Content to sit back and enjoy life, wiles away his idle hours fishing and hunting, prefers women when other diversions unavailable. With a B.S. in his grasp, he will seek employment as an engineering geologist.



JOHN ROGERS

TBPi Johnny will always be remembered for his bridge. He wrote the column in the Tech, managed the interhouse bridge league, and at the drop of a hat, will freely discuss many an impossible hand. As a member of the Tech debating team, he's an able arguer and an even more able dispenser of sad stories. He also played basketball, both interhouse and varsity. A Tau Bate, he ardently wishes someone would start a vast school of geochemistry just for him.



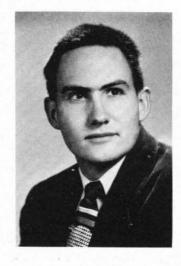
RICHARD B. TAYLOR

Ricketts Taubete Dick has been active through four years at Tech. Plans to go to grad school if Uncle Sam won't hold him back. He's an Interhouse athlete, back. He's an Interhouse athlete, Violinist nigh sublime, Orches-tra, geology, bridge take up much of his time. Claremont claims him native son: quiet, amiable Dick. Perseverance, friendly ways, and hard work make this boy tick.



### PAUL ARMSTRONG

Paul, who originally came from San Gabriel, spent two years at Pomona College before com-ing to Tech. At Tech he has been active in interhouse sports and has been on the varsity and has been on the varsity water polo team for several years. He is also a member of the Throop club bridge team. Paul was thinking about join-ing the Navy after graduation, but in view of his recent engagement, plans may have been changed.



RONALD T. CALDWELL Luckily, Ron is a resident of that quaint but charming town, Tustin, Calif. As a member of the Rowdy faction and an amateur radio fiend, he found time to take active interest in Pasadena's Church organizations. He looks forward to marriage and a good job in Chem Engineering.



### PAUL HELFREY

Former Throop member from Montebello, Calif., Paul spent his senior year among the Rowdies. Active in the student chapter of the ACS, he also displayed his talents on the copy staff of the Tech. For enjoyment he engages in bull sessions and putters in gardens. If Uncle Sam overlooks him, Paul may be found doing his grad work on this campus next year.





#### FRANK L. HOOPER

Frank's hometown is in Colon, Republic of Panama. Before coming to Tech as a sophomore, he spent two and a half years in the Army and a year at the Canal Zone Junior College. During his junior year, Frank married a local girl. On campus, he has played interhouse volley-ball and football. After graduation, Frank wants to return to South America to work in industry.

### DUANE NEVERMAN

T<sup>3</sup>, HONOR KEY

Famed for his other attachment during the time he was the editor of the Little T. Duane made that attachment more permanent by marrying her last February. From Alhambra, and a Beaver, he has been Athletic Manager, Treasurer, and President of Throop Club. He spent one frosh and three varsity years on the baseball squad. He's another who is definitely Army bound.



### HIROSHI KAMEI

The jovial celery farmer from Garden Grove hopes to go on to grad school here at the monastery. Before coming here he did a hitch with the Medical Corps. Hiroshi was active in sports as a member of the frosh basketball and varsity track teams as well as numerous Blacker interhouse teams. He also found time to manage the funds for the Junior Class and Blacker House.

### NEAL PINGS

Neal, one of the elite who knows the location of the Senior Bench, hails from far off Los Angeles. He has been active in the political machine at Tech, serving as the Junior and Senior representative on the Board of Control. Neal, a Beaver, has also participated in interhouse and varsity athletics, playing varsity football for two years. He plans graduate school at Tech.





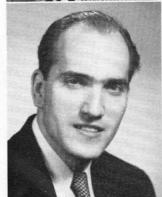
### WILLIAM KELLEY

Bill, from Temple City, is one man who can tell you what is happening to the Caltech libraries or librarians, since he has worked for the library while attending Tech. Other activities on campus include Throop Club and the Chem Club. Bill plans on a secure future with the U. S. Army upon graduation. He does not mention whether this is his choice or his Uncle's.

### SERGIO E. RODRIGUEZ

Rod's only regret in coming to Tech was his leaving a normal beach rat's existence in Puerto Rico. He maintained a well rounded life in Pasadena by studying, and in supporting the Rowdies IH sport program. For a while it will be grad school, but he will be chafing at the bit for the lethargic Caribbean life.





### ANTHONY MALANOSKI HONOR KEY

Fleming's grand old man, UCC, and indispensable bouncer, Tony is Beaver prexy and holds an Honor Key. He divides his talents between the Big T, the California Tech, the Drama Club, and the Election Committee. Management of the basketball team, the Instituters, and the PBAA take more time. He hopes the old bus'll take him as far away from the smog as is at all possible.

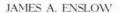
#### KAZUHIKO SATO

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Sato, the suave, quiet average
raiser, originally came from Pasadena. Before coming to Tech
however, he had the opportunity of accompanying the Government on a paid trip to the Gila
River War Relocation Center
in Arizona. From there he returned to Pasadena, went to
PCC, and then to Tech. At
Tech, he has been a member of
Throop club. He plans graduate school here in Chem.
Engineering.



### CHARLES J. BATES

Leading light and loudest mouth of the Blacker Bowtie Brigade and Bird Watching Society (who also serve meals on the outside), C. J. has managed outside), C. J. has managed to get a finger into most of the goings-on at Tech including sports, both interhouse and vars-ity, Glee Club, Band, Sec.-Treas. of Biology Club, and (cryptically) Cook of Kerckhoff Country Club. Originally from Belmont, Mass., Charley claims Santa Monica as home now.



Jim, Ricketts Vice Prexy, comes from Shorewood, Wisconsin, where he originally got his thirst for biology by watching frogs spawn in local pools. A true water dog, he played water polo and managed the swimming team. He plans grad school, then into competition with Turtox (Biological Supply House).









### Not Pictured

### CARL HILDEBRAND

Carl calls Pasadena his home although he has spent most of his life in the Philippines. Before coming to Tech, he spent 2½ years in the Navy. Carl took part in Frosh football, and was Vice President of the Soph class. His other activities included a summer putting out the Little T. Carl was active in the Caltech Christian Fellowship, and intends to enter the seminary to prepare for the ministry.

### EDWIN A. MATZNER See Chemistry

Don lists both Sheboygan, Wisconsin, and Glendale as home towns, and was at one time an exponent of the good clean life, managing the Dabney Shirt-shredding service. He was sure to be seen at every Dabney beach party among fellow sun worshippers, and his future plans call for work somewhere in the field of Biochemistry.



### HARRY P. RAPPAPORT

THORNE J. BUTLER

T. J. finally found his way to CIT via Hawaii and New Hampshire. He tried to make his stamp on the athletic front by lettering in basketball and tennis while sports editing the Calif. Tech. Generally famous for a hook shot, "Buttin' In," and a huge, black convertible. He saw the "light" in changing from ME to biology and hopes to make medicine a career.

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В

OLOGY

"Smiling Harry," one of Tech's many local boys, came to Millikan's Monastery after a regrettable hitch in Japan. His cynicism and sarcasm have been the biologists' delight. A desire to apply quantum mechanics to biology and a vehement hope that everyone will experience Army life are Harry's aspirations for the dismal future.





### RAYMOND SJODIN

CARL HIRSH

Carl hails from Huntington Park,

but he went to high school at the Webb School. He has his frosh numeral in football, and was active on the "Y" cabinet. He wants to go to Medical

School and hopes it will not be after a course in Uncle Sam's Grad School.

Ray came to CIT from South Gate by way of an eighteen month tour of duty with Uncle Sam. On his way to Medical School he will take time to acquire a wife. Ray was vice president of the Christian Fellowship while he carried out his program here.





#### ROBERT G. ADLER

Bob came to us as a junior after two years at Chaffey Junior College. From nearby Upland, Bob lists the Musicale, the Caltech Christian Fellowship, and the Chemistry Club as his main interests. A member of Throop Club as a junior, he transferred his allegiance to Fleming for the last year. The future may hold, draft permitting, grad work.

#### RICHARD BREWER

Dick had the fortune of attending "the cinema school, Hollywood High" before coming to Tech, and while here numeralled in frosh basketball and was a mainstay on the Darbs' IH teams. With the outside divertisements of folk-dancing, mountain climbing, and the Musicale "Car nal Dick" livened up his Caltech sojourn. He plans on grad school—eventually.



### ROBERT F. CONNELLY

After spending some time in the chair corps of the Air Force, Pop Connelly came to these lvy Halls in forty-seven. An active Throop Club member, he will long be remembered by the frosh who pledged under him. His time at the institute has been divided between his studies and family life. He plans to become acquainted with his family again upon graduation.

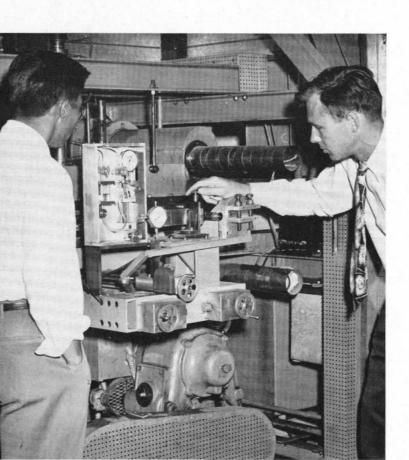




#### JAMES DENTON

Jim is one of the big guns in the potent Throop club bridge team. He has also been an active member in things musical on the campus: these include the Band, Glee Club, Orchestra and Musical. He is currently a member of the Pasadena Civic Symphony. Jim, a native Santa Barbaran, plans graduate school at Tech.

### **CHEMISTRY**



### Not Pictured

### CARL ANDERSON

Carl can be seen playing bridge at all hours in Fleming lounge. A definite bridge fiend, he has participated on both interhouse and intercollegiate teams. Here from Oildale by means of a four year Pepsi Cola scholarship, Carl dabbled in cross-country and was class editor of the '49 Big T. A member of the Chem and Biology clubs, he looks forward to the soft life of a chemist upon graduation.

### JOHN ELDER

John, who almost developed into a fixture at the Green Lake, is one of the Southland mob at Tech. While originally aspiring to be a mathematician, he ended up as one of the elite chemist's corps. A man of many talents, John hit the jackpot in the Athenaeum bookmaking scandal. While depressing a desire to become a beach boy, he will work in industry.

### LAWRENCE DYER

Never caught with his puns down, Larry's subtle wit never fails to amuse. He switched his loyalties from Throop to Ricketts, in whose lounge he spent many a long night snaking (English, no less) before slithering to his room. Hailing from L. A., he exercised his smog-coated lungs in the Debate Club. Plans include work in Chemical Industry, then grad school



### ERNEST DZENDOLET

Gracing the Ricketts House minutes with his clever wit, Ernie is also noted for his incredibly negligible coiffure. Hailing from Cambridge, Mass., he served in the U. S. Air Force. Also famed as a waiter extraordinate to the control of the contro dinaire, he is justly proud of his fine photographic work, and has also been active in the Art class. About future plans, to quote Ernie: "?"



### JAMES A. IBERS

TBPi The mad alchemist spent most of his freshman and sophomore years fouling up physics labs, but still he managed to gather himself together sufficiently to get into TBP, and engaged. Four years of it weren't enough, so Jim plans to go on to grad school. An L. A. product, he plays poker in Throop Club and goes on dates for entertainment.



### TAYLOR JOYNER

Always around when there's a little work to be done, Taylor's another hometowner from Los Angeles. Very much 1-A now, Angeles. Very much 1-A now, he hopes to go to grad school as a chemist "eventually." Taylor was always a loyal member and supporter of Fleming's Big Red Teams. He played frosh and varsity football for four long years and just loved the tough going. He lists the Caltech Christian Fellowship as yet another interest.



### ROBERT KURLAND

HONOR KEY, TBPi The man of many options, Bob from fabulous Beverly Hills, was also a man of many activities. He held the offices of Faculty editor, '50 Big T; reporter, feature editor, managing editor and just plain editor of that "noble experiment," the California Tech. The Beavers, Tau Bates, cross-country, and the Red-belly League also claimed his membership. After graduation grad work in P-Chem at Harvard or Cornell.



### EDWIN A. MATZNER

Ed went to high school in the shade of the pyramids in his home town, Cairo, Egypt. While taking two majors, he found time to be one of the shining lights of Fleming House as well as a member of the Chem and Biology Clubs, and the Cali-fornia Tech. Ed plans Medical School when he leaves.



### ULRICH MERTEN

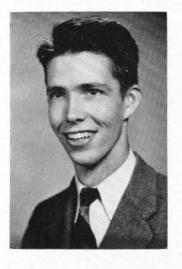
T, TBPi, HONOR KEY ASCIT Prexy, ass't and head yell-leader, Rowdy Librarian: debater and ???, he has won four gavels; member of Beavers; four gavels; member of Beavers; frosh football and swimming (numeral), and Varsity swimming and cross-country (letter)—these are a few of Mert's many achievements. Native of Houston, Texas, Mert and Texas are both proud of each other. Plans grad school.





### HOWARD T. MOWER

The fact that Howie has taken almost all the available electives in chemistry earns him the title of "Der Chemiker." Further-more, he was manager of the football team last year and has been seen at most of the ASCIT and Throop socials. Howie boasts of the unique ambition of doing anything but getting into the Army.



### CHARLES M. STEESE JR. HONOR KEY

A Beaver, Charlie hails from Arkansas. He played baseball Arkansas. He played baseball for one year, won a frosh track numeral, and ran cross-country for three years. The Big T activities editor in 1949-50, he was also copy chief of the Tech in 1949-50, managing editor in 1950, and business manager this last year. For the future, he plans grad school with certain forebodings as to what could happen in the mean time.

FRANK LANG-PRESIDENT

# JUNIOR CLASS

Noted for an amazing range of performance during the last year, the Class of '52 can look with pride upon the athletic prowess of Karasawa and Gray, Pilkington and Parnes; or upon the intellectual mettle of Kamb and Einwohner; or upon the political sagacity of Groner and Hanna. Creative aspects of student activities lay in the hands of Boppart and Engholm, who have piloted this year's Big T, and of Frank Ludwig, who completely renovated and revitalized the Friday assembly program.

The draft scare, as well as the increasingly difficult burden of studies, caused several of the Junior Class to bid farewell to the ranks, but in spite of these losses Norm Gray, the Athletic Manager, unified the talent available to bag a 60-37½ win in the interclass track meet.

As President, Frank Lang performed an admirable job of leading the class, though it's suspected that he also led on the campus co-eds with his curly golden locks. Babe Karasawa as Veep and Barclay Kamb as Secretary were also conscientious workers; and, now hunted by the Internal Revenue Department, Treasurer Gil Kitching managed the funds "interestingly."

Biggest events of the year were the Mudeo, which was refereed by a few unfortunate Juniors, the gala Garden Party in May, and the memorable Junior-Senior Prom on Graduation night.



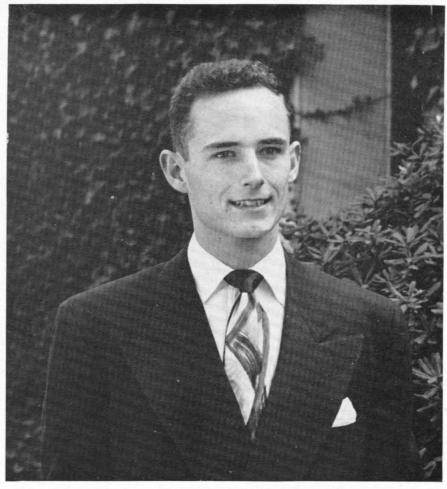






BARCLAY KAMB-SECRETARY





JIM LATOURRETTE-PRESIDENT

Under the leadership of President Jim Latourrette, the sophomore class returned en masse for their second year at Tech, to battle not only ME3, Swift, and the like, but also the indecisions of Uncle Sam. The year got off to a poor start when the lowly Frosh barely managed to eke out a decision over the Sophs in the annual "who makes the best colloidal argillaceous Homo sapien" contest. Although the Frosh did win, it was noted that of the 35 precipitating Frosh, only 32 came out of solution. A good time was had by all attending the Frosh-Soph dance including a rather small number of Sophs.

The mighty class of '53 took a close second in the interclass track meet winning the 440, 100, the low hurdles, and the relay. A beach party was held in the third term to finish out the year's activities.

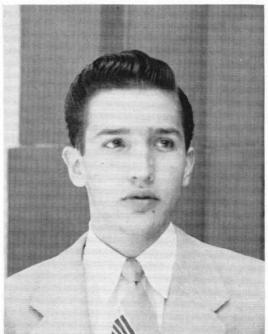
President Latourrette was assisted by vice-president Dave Stevens, secretary-treasurer Angel Ottati and athletic manager John Gee.



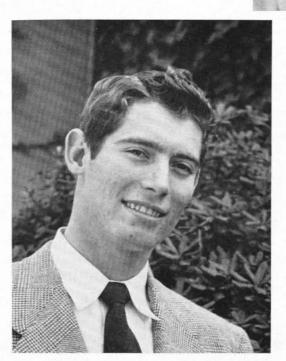
# SOPHOMORE CLASS

DAVID STEVENS-VICE-PRESIDENT





ANGEL OTTATI-SECRETARY-TREASURER



JOHN GEE-ATHLETIC MANAGER



LEE HENDERSON-PRESIDENT

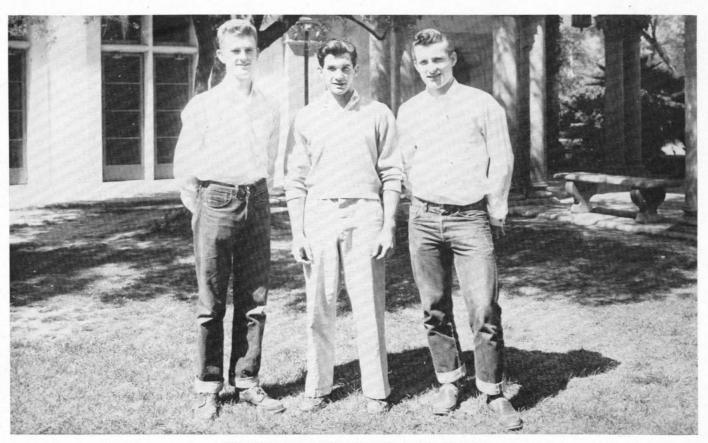
The class of 1954 is outstanding in both its own character and the way in which it came into being. From its first moments at Freshmen Camp the class has shown high spirit and ability. Led by President "Moose" Henderson, it quickly showed itself to be a valuable part of the student body. After enduring the traditional week of humiliating initiation by the Sophomores, the indomitable class of '54 toppled the Soph dignity, as they splashed to an overwhelming victory in the Mudeo. They became the first Frosh since the war to win this classic.

High athletic and social interests were evident. There were many who fought hard on the grids of football and in soccer during the fall and who made up a promising basketball squad and track and baseball teams in the winter and spring. The social calendar was crammed with successful mountain, snow, and beach parties in the three terms respectively, plus several exchange dances with Oxy, Scripps, et al.

This is the first class in Caltech history to enter on the basis of other than Caltech exams, and its work is hence a cause of much interest. Judging, however, by the record of extracurricular prominence and academic success, the experiment has been fruitful.

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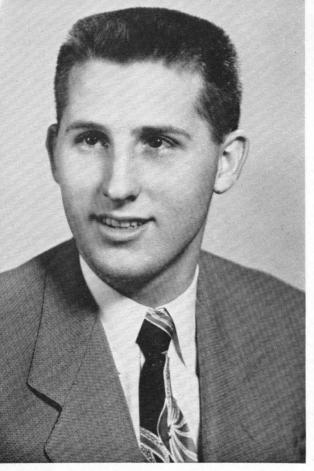
JOHN PEYTON, BRUCE KAISER, STAN OGDEN

Elected Officers: JOHN KIDDER, Vice-President; SAM VODOPIA, Treasurer; GEORGE JOHNSTON, Secretary; BRUCE KAISER, Athletic Manager

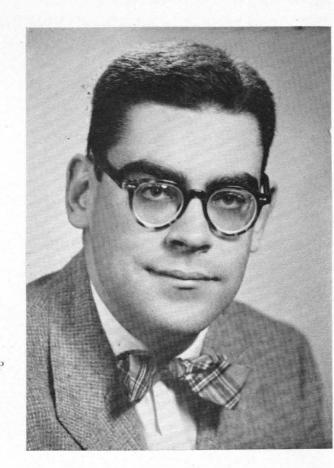








ULRICH MERTEN-PRESIDENT



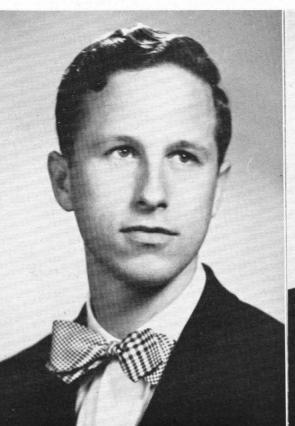
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Not Pictured: PATRICK FAZIO-SECOND REP

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OLIVER GARDNER-VICE-PRESIDENT

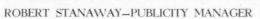




PETER MASON\_TREASURER









DAVID HANNA-ATHLETIC MANAGER



FRANK LUDWIG-RALLY COMMISSIONER

# **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**





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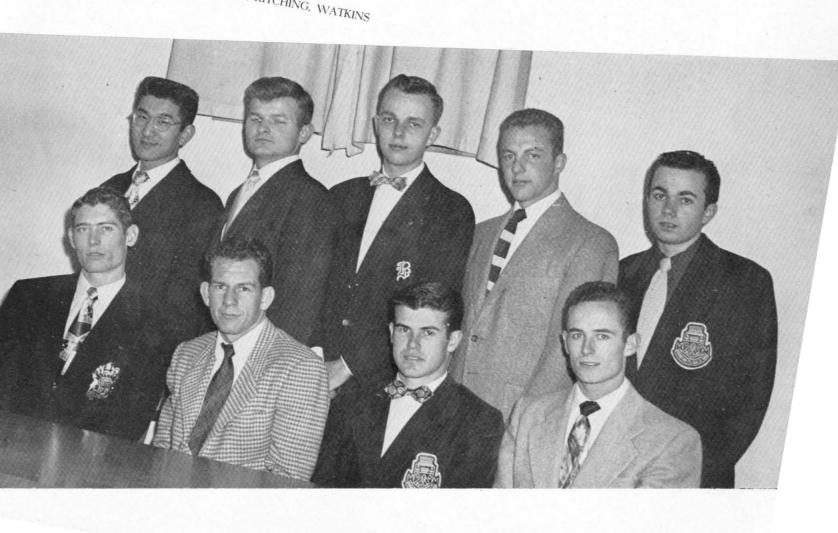
### **BOARD OF CONTROL**

The Honor System at Caltech is an institution perpetuated by the whole-hearted cooperation of the Student Body, and the efforts of the Board of Control. This system is responsible for our examinations without proctors and a genuine honesty in all phases of student life which is paralleled in very few colleges. Passing judgment on violations of our Honor System may be the primary duty of the board, but education of the student concerning the advantages of the system, along with outlining the precedent set down by past boards, has taken an important position in the duties of the board. Along this line, Olly Gardner, capable leader of the board, has done much in clarifying its position on many borderline situations which often arise. The wish of the board has been to make explanation of our system their primary interest and passing on violations a necessary duty.



# NEW OFFICERS

Front: GEE, HANNA, CALLAGHAN, LATOURRETTE Back: KARASAWA, BILLINGS, BOPPART, KITCHING, WATKINS





GREUTERT, STEWART, MALANOSKI, STEESE, COBB

# ELECTION COMMITTEE

## PUBLICITY COMMITTEE



McEWING, HEFNER, WELCH, DANIELS, JONES, STANAWAY



LUDWIG, CALLAGHAN, CRAMER, KIDDER, LATOURRETTE, ORVILLE, BAGGERLY

# RALLY COMMITTEE

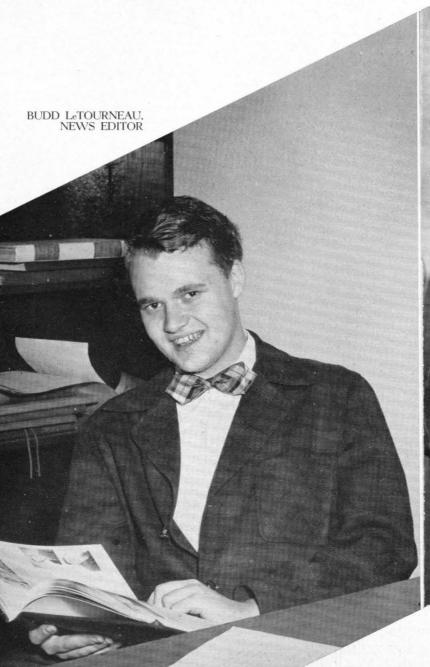
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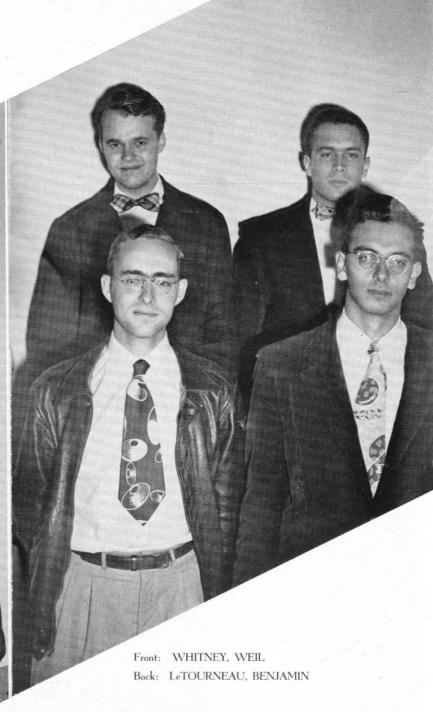


DUANE NEVERMAN-EDITOR OF THE LITTLE T



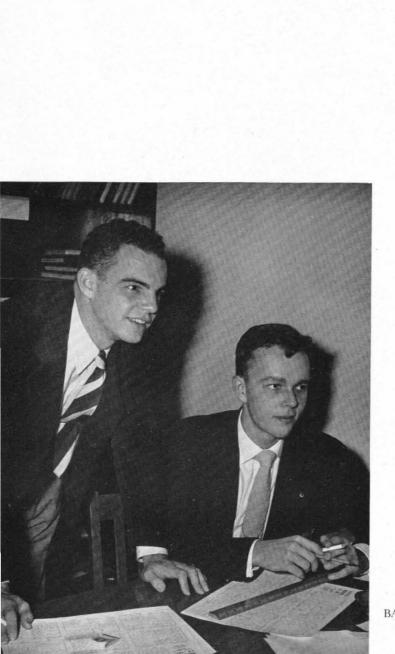
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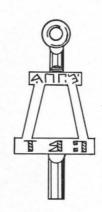








BAGGERLY, BASIN, BEEBE, BEMIS, BOPPART, BJERKLIE BUMB, COVEY, DAVIS, EINWOHNER, EISEN, GOODMAN GRAY, HELFREY, HOLMES, IVERS, ISRAELSON, JACKSON JOHNSTON, A., JOHNSTON, J., JONES, KURLAND, LAYTON, LeMAY



### TAU BETA PI



Front: BJERKLIE, WHITNEY, TAYLOR

Back: IBERS, KURLAND

LEVY, LIBBEY, McCOOL, McQUISTON, MASON, MERTEN MILLER, OLIVER, PARDEE, PECK, PERAULT, PRESTON RIGGS, ROGERS, SATO, STERN, SWEET, TAYLOR TRILLING, VERDIER, WHITNEY, WINSOR, WRIGHT





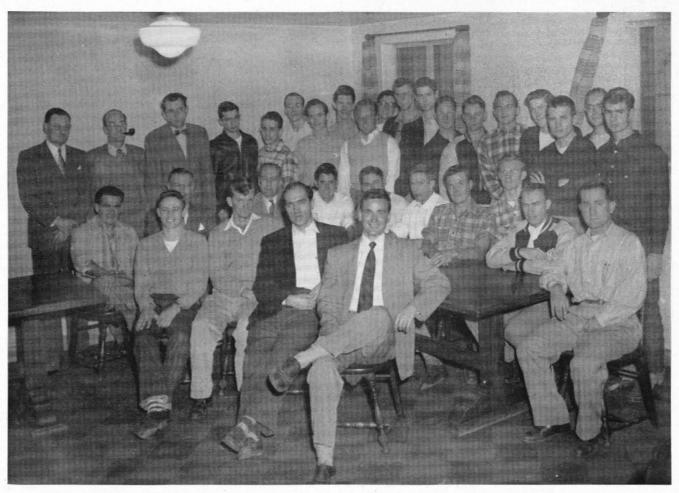


# HONOR KEYS

GARDNER, CUSE; FAZIO NOT PICTURED

BAGGERLY, BOPPART, CUSE, DAILY, ENGHOLM, FEE GARDNER, GOERKE, GRONER, HANNA, LIBBEY, KURLAND MASON, MERTON, NEVERMAN, ORVILLE, PARNES, PECK SCHMID, STANAWAY, STRATTON, TAUTZ, WHITNEY, WEIL





Back Row: JAHNS, STRONG, LINDVALL, SNIDER, FAZIO, GRAY, LATOURRETTE, STEESE, FEE, KURLAND, LIBBEY, GOERKE, GRONER, MASON, ENGHOLM, NEVERMAN, STRATTON, WHITNEY, STEFANIDES Seated: KATCHADOORIAN, COBB, EATON, PRESTON, JONES, MALANOSKI, HEFNER, BRADLEY, PECK, JONES, NOBLE, TAUTZ, PFEIFFER, PINGS

### **BEAVERS**

The Beavers, campus honor and service organization, started off the year in the spring with an initiation of the new members at the home of Dr. DuBridge. Several weeks later the annual beach party was held at Emerald Bay.

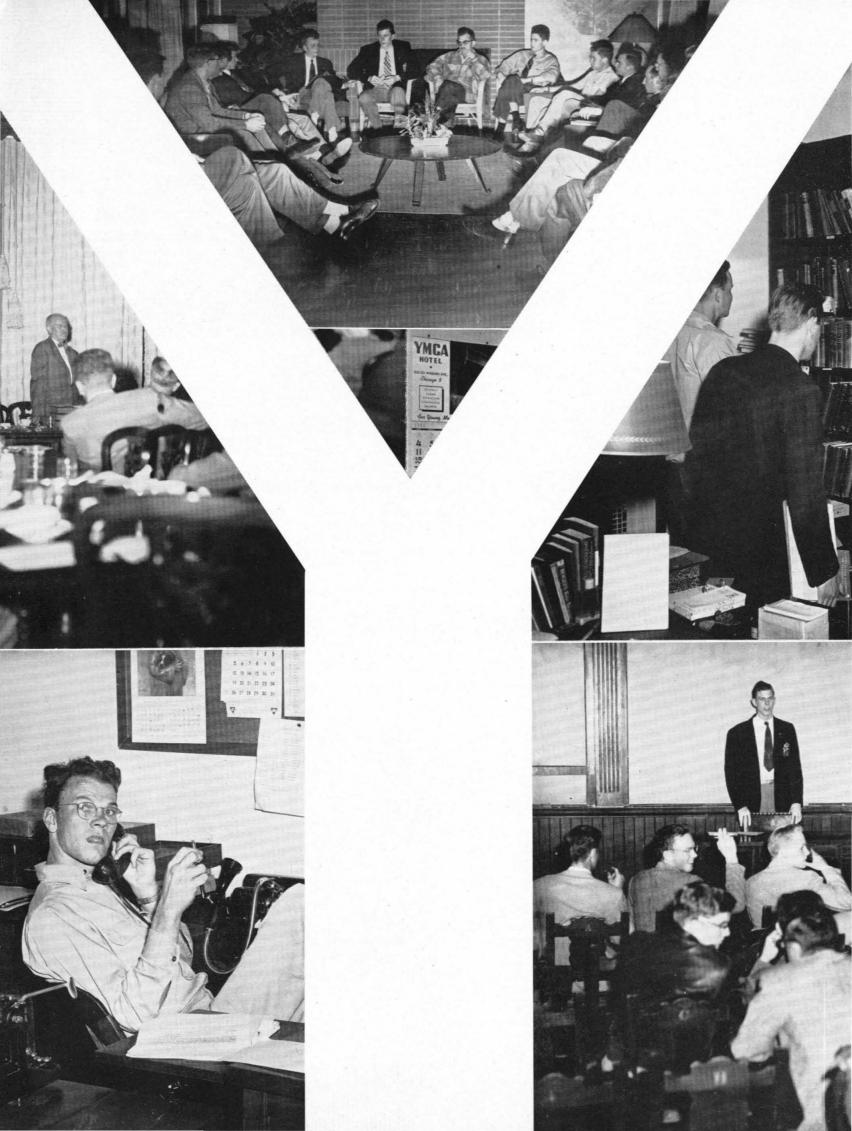
In the fall, activity began early on the three perennial Beaver projects. Management of the New Student Camp was carried out successfully, most of the organizational work having been completed the previous spring. The Guide Service, under the direction of Kent Stratton, was extended beyond its normal activities, and contributed greatly to the success of Student's Day. In continuation of the program inaugurated the previous year, informative talks were given to more than twenty-five high schools in Southern California to stimulate interest in a Caltech education.

The evening meetings of the Beavers, held at faculty members' homes one night each month, were particularly valuable in bringing mutual problems to the fore. The membership of both student leaders and faculty members in the organization makes it an especially good liason between the two groups

it an especially good liason between the two groups.
The Executive Committee, consisting of Tony Malanoski, president; Noel Reed, vice-president; Bob Cobb, secretary; Howard Preston, treasurer; was ably assisted by Dr. Paul, the faculty advisor of the Beavers.



Front: REED, MALANOSKI Back: COBB, PRESTON



New President Phil Orville with Wes Hershey



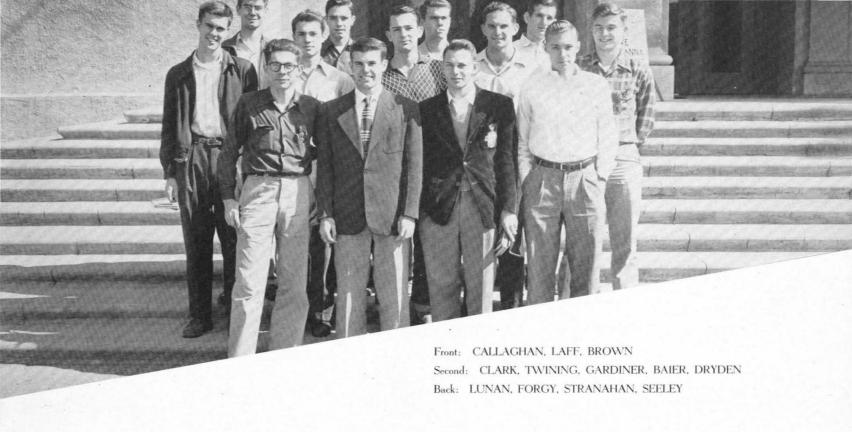
### **YMCA**

President Dick Libbey, assisted by VP John Boppart, Secretary Phil Orville, Treasurer Leo Baggerly, National Representative Mike Bader, and Publicity Manager Tom Stockbrand, led the Caltech Y through another successful year. Early in the fall the Cabinet retired to Board member Stan Johnson's beach house at Laguna to plot the Y's course for the year, and came up with a program notable for its wide range of interests and its emphasis on living Christianity. The Y kept up its familiar book exchange and loan services, and sponsored several well-attended forums on music, modern art, and contemporary architecture. Christmas vacation saw a large and enthusiastic group of Tech men off to the Asilomar Conference for five days of fun and inspiration. The annual Y spring finance drive fell just short of its goal this year, but the sharply reduced number of students more than accounted for the deficit.

The big event of the Y's year was the completion of the new residence, located half a block north of the campus on Holliston. This beautiful modernistic structure provides housing for Executive Secretary Wes Hershey and his family, and is used for many Y events, such as evening discussion groups, cabinet meetings, and forums. New officers for the coming year are Phil Orville, President; Barney Engholm, Vice-President; John Marion, Secretary; Carl Larson, Treasurer; Mike Lourie, National Representative, and Irwin Rubenstein, Publicity Manager.



Front: CHUAN, LIBBEY, BAGGERLY, HERSHEY Back: BADER, BOPPART, STOCKEBRAND



# **INSTITUTERS**







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### **ASME**

Front: DANIELS, SNIDER, BOZAJIAN, HALLSTROM, SKOGLUND, NOLL, CLUTZ, WRIGHT, PORIZKY, RUBIN, LeMAY, MANGIN, DR. MORELLI

Second Row: BARMORE, BURGER, BEEBE, WELCH, MORRISON, DAILY, OLIVER, SOKOL, STANAWAY, BOYER, NUNO





# SAE

Front: PARKER, CASSIDY, PRESTON, EASTON, MANGIN, CUSE, NOBLE Back: JOHNSON, DENNIS, WAGNER, CONNER, KENNON, HENLEY, LeMAY, VREUGDE, KYROPOLOUS



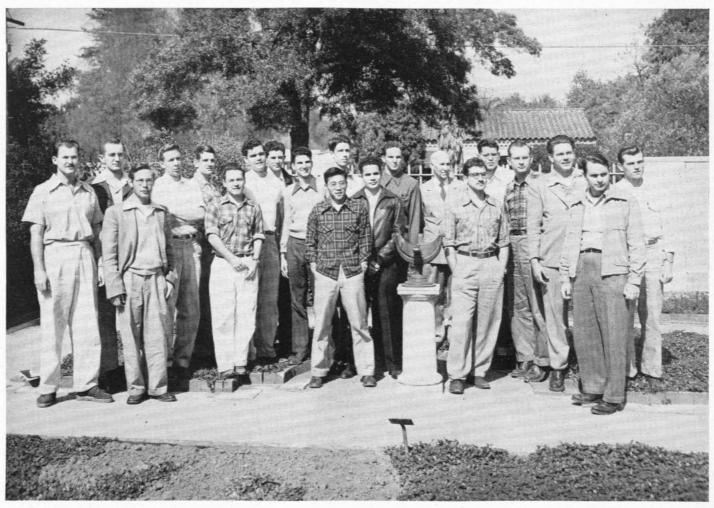
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THIELE, LINDHOLM, BOOKEE, McCOOL, DeGRASSE, DAVIS, RICHTER

Front: GRAY, BASIN, TRILLING, O'CONNELL, ITO, DeGRASSE Middle: BUNKER, STERN, PARDEE, CONNOLLY, JACKSON







Front: WEBBER, BUTLER, VERDIER, JONES, SEELE, MAUER, DONDANVILLE, RUBENSTEIN, DYER, KAMEI, STEESE, HOOPER, BAIER, PROFESSOR LUCAS, MISHANN, KELLEY, WEBBER, CONNELLY, RICHTER, RAWN

### ACS

To encourage students to participate in professional organizations after graduation, the AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY has provided for the organization and affiliation of chapters of students in the Chemistry and Applied Chemistry options of A.C.S. accredited institutions. As an affiliate, the student receives the Society's organ and may subscribe to technical journals and other services; as a member of the student chapter, he may attend seminars to hear speakers from industry and from other campuses, whom he would not normally encounter in his academic work, and to hear and present papers on student research. The Caltech Student Affiliate Chapter was one of the first to be formed, its charter being granted in 1938.

Some of the projects undertaken by the Chapter this year include field trips to acquaint members with local industries, presentation of an exhibit of all the available elements for the Chemistry Department, and the institution of a glass-blowing course to acquaint interested individuals with the rudiments of this valuable art. Plans also include participation in a regional meeting of the A.C.S. Student Chapters of Southern California. A vigorous membership drive was undertaken at the first of the year, with the result that seven-tenths of the students registered for the Chemistry and Applied Chemistry option are members

of the Chapter.



TAMMY, CZERCZEWSKI, CALLEY, NEWBURN, ABELL, WALP

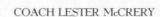
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WADE, CALDWELL, THURSTONE, WHIRRY, GARDNER, CLAY





# DEBATING





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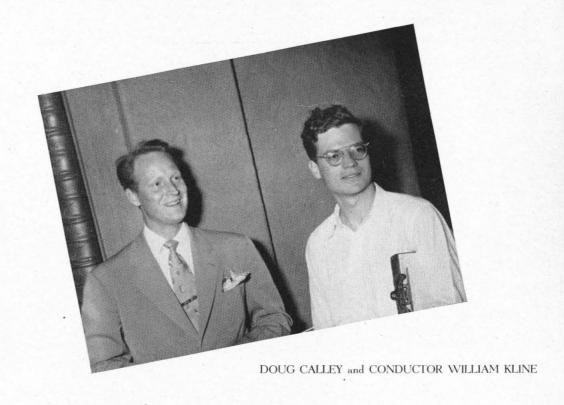
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Front: DRYDEN, JOHNSTON, SUNDT, RICHARDS, ENRIGHT, KING, MARION, LAFF, SAMPSON Back: HAMBERGER, WOOD, WEIL, CONNOLLY, MARSH, BAKER, ROSEN, RAMBOW

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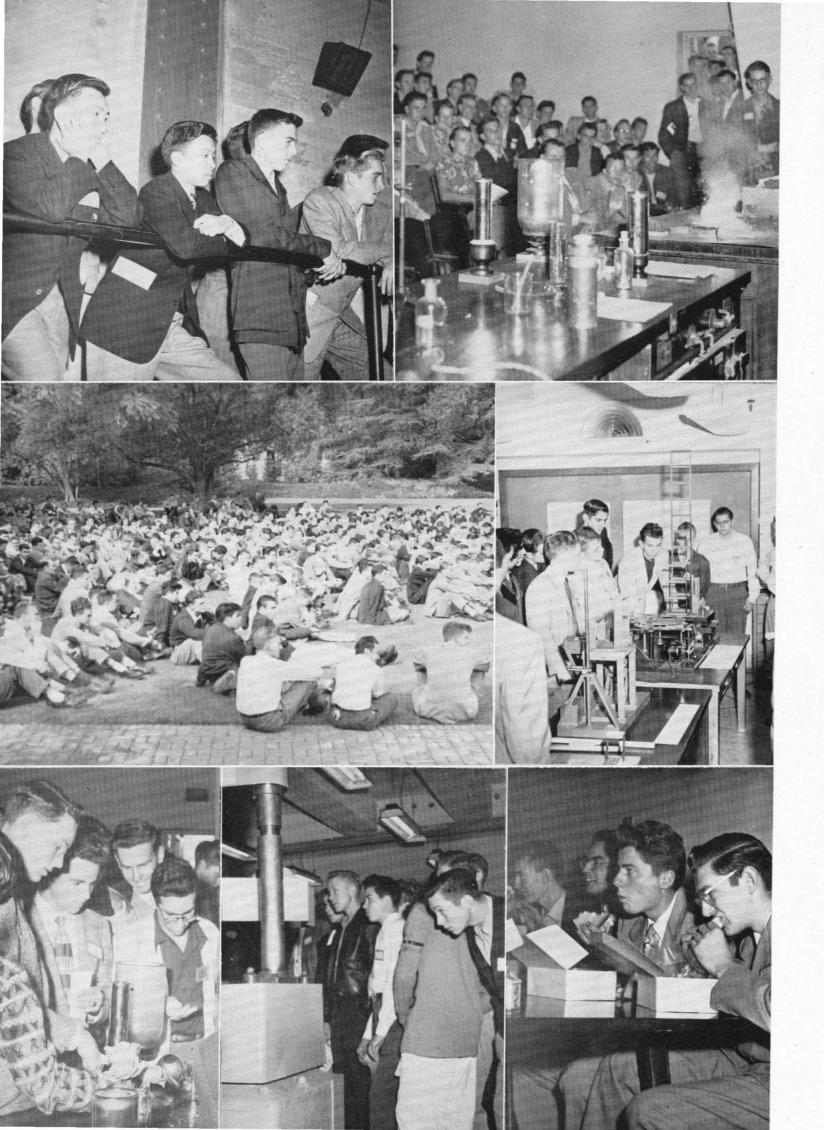
# **ORCHESTRA**

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Back: KLINE, WOHLWILL, INGERSOLL, CLARK, DIXON, BIELER, ANTZ, ZENTNER, BROWN

Not Pictured: DAVIES, DENTON, RASOFF, SAMPSON, VAN LINT, WEIL





### STUDENT DAY

The re-establishment of an organized visitors' day at Caltech was the result of the situation which faced the Admissions Committee during the first post-war years. Just after the war applications boomed, and a record number of men sought entrance to Tech. Then, year by year, the number began to decrease. Both the faculty and the student body began to consider new methods of presenting the Institute and its educational program to prospective students.

As a result, the pre-war Open House, or Exhibit Day, was revived under the name of Student's Day. The original policy of holding open house had brought in larger and larger crowds, with the proportionately larger bills for damages. It was hoped that by extending personal invitations to interested students, and restricting attendance to the possessors of these invitations, the Institute might hold crowds and damages to minimum levels.

Professor Varney of the M.E. division was appointed to form a faculty committee, and Carl Hildebrand, senior biologist, assumed responsibility for the undergraduate participation in the program. Together these two groups laid the plans

for Student's Day 1950.

Letters were first sent to all high schools within a fifty mile radius, and even to some farther away, asking for the names of science majors who might consider Caltech for their college training. Personal invitations were sent to each person

whose name was returned.

Arrangements were made on campus to insure that each visitor was welcomed and directed to one of the student houses or Throop Club. Guided groups left each house regularly to tour the campus and to visit some of the fifty-six exhibits and demonstrations which were being staged. In the afternoon, a series of lectures was presented which threw some light on the general role played in modern society by each of the sciences.

A box lunch was provided at noon and Tech men shared the houses and surrounding grounds with the visiting students. Dr. DuBridge spoke to the assembled group. A large number of teachers had accompanied the visiting students and they were treated to lunch at the Athenaeum and to a talk by Dr. Pauling. In all, some 150 or more Tech students and faculty members took part in Student's Day. Everyone concerned finished the day's activities with the assurance that the purpose of Student's Day had been fulfilled, that 700 students and 100 teachers had returned home with a better understanding of Tech.

WILBUR VARNEY

CARL HILDABRAND







Renewing acquaintances after lunch at the annual Alumni Seminar

### **ALUMNI**

The Cal Tech Alumni Association is no ordinary run-of-the-mill Alumni organization. It has never demanded that the Board of Trustees fire the football coach, nor does it supply funds for athletic "scholarships." Its primary goal is service, service to the California Institute and to the Alumni. The Association has a distinguished record of introducing and developing activities which have proved so successful that they have been taken over in part or in whole by the

For example, the placement service, now wholly an Institute function, was initiated by the Alumni for the benefit of Tech students and graduates. Another example is *Engineering and Science*, a monthly magazine reporting current research and activities at Tech, as well as student

Dr. Millikan entertains a distinguished group







The San Francisco Alumni chapter picnics in Tilden Park



Lady guests at the Alumni Seminar find old bones fascinating

and alumni news. This publication, still officially the Alumni magazine, now receives strong financial support from the Institute.

At present Alumni energies and attention are focused on the Alumni Fund, first objective of which is the long-awaited and sorely needed gymnasium. The Fund, launched in 1948, totaled \$70,621.59 on February 1, 1951, and will probably approach \$100,000 by the end of 1951. The Fund has shown itself to be a lusty and growing infant with such a strong heart beat that ultimate attainment of the goal is assured.

Many people do not realize that the Association has active chapters in New York, Washington, Chicago, and San Francisco, and you don't have to be in Southern California to be an active Alumnus. Other chapters can and will be organized as the need develops. The Association further serves its members by sponsoring many activities providing contacts with old friends and renewing ties with the Institute. Among these are the Annual Seminar held on a Saturday each spring when hundreds of Alumni, wives, and guests assemble on the campus to hear lectures and see demonstrations reviewing the latest in campus research. The Oxy-Caltech Football luncheon precedes the "big game" and brings Alumni of the two schools together. Square dances, field days, dinner dances, field trips, supper meetings, picnics and the annual meeting and class reunions in June round out the program. Some of these activities are represented pictorially on the accompanying pages.

Relaxation, refreshments and talk at the Alumni field day

The Alumni Magazine, Engineering and Science, is widely read

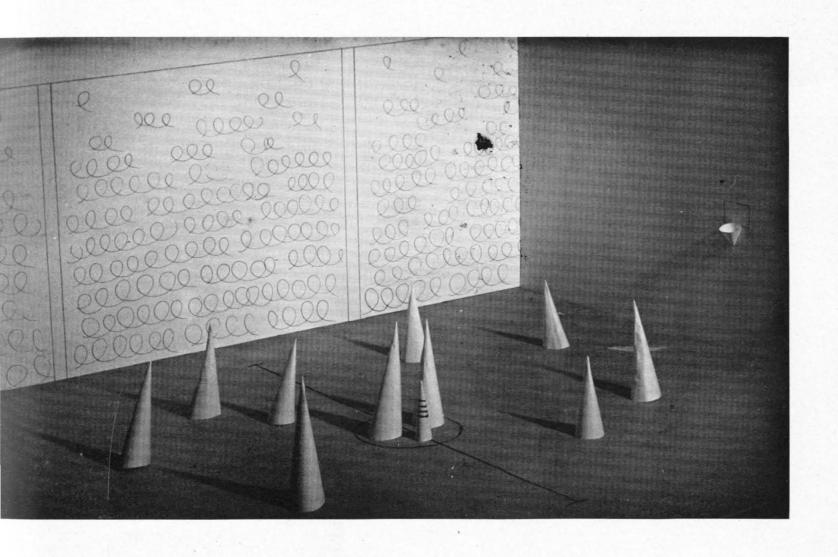




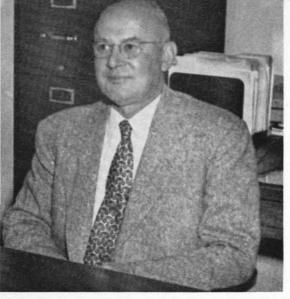








# **SPORTS**

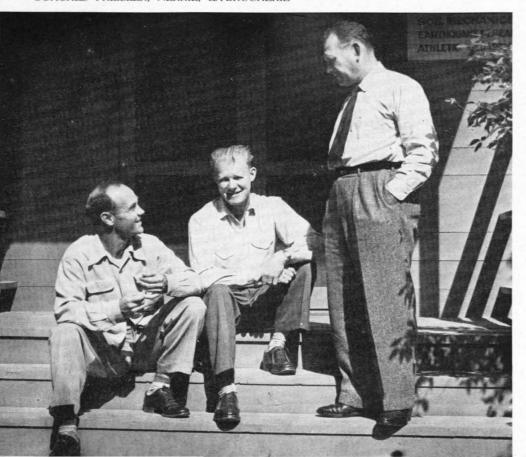


HAL MUSSELMAN

# ATHLETIC OFFICE

Under the able leadership of Director of Athletics, Hal Musselman, the athletic department has supervised another year of Caltech sports, Mr. Musselman having been aided by Coaches Jim Nerrie, Bert LaBrucherie and Ed Preisler. Handling all the facts and figures on Caltech teams has again been very capably managed by Miriam Coyle and Louise McGee. A special vote of thanks goes to the athletic office from the Big T and the California Tech sports editors for their co-operation in supplying statistics for these publications.

COACHES PREISLER, NERRIE, LA BRUCHERIE





SERENO, LIBBEY, REED, PECK, KARASAWA; PRICE, HEDRICK, COBB, HOUSER

## VARSITY CLUB

The muscle-trust spent most of its time this year in the fields and all but neglected to function; we are assured, however, of activities in various social lines beginning almost any day, at least to the extent of self-perpetuation.

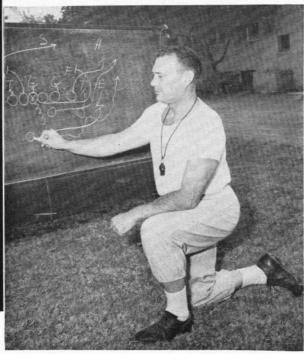
The traditional annual pilgrimage to the township's booze parlours, if staged this year, was unpublicized to the extent that outsiders were entirely unaware of such activities.

The Varsity Club, incidentally, is composed of lettermen, membership to which is by special invitation. It is even rumored that shady initiations are held in a dark cave somewhere near the La Brea Pits.

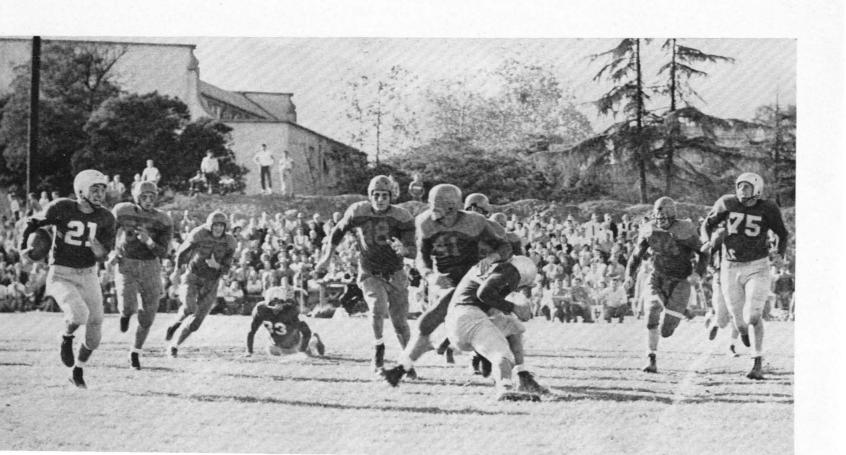


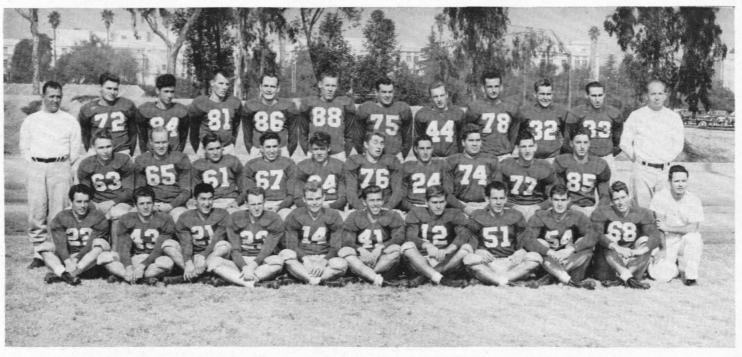






# **FOOTBALL**





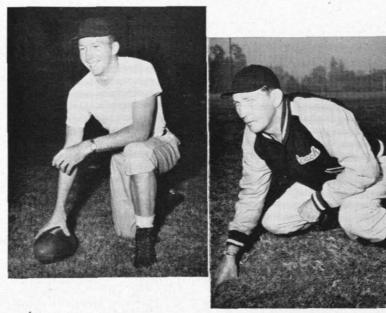
COACH BERT LA BRUCHERIE, FULLER, PARNES, IRWIN, JANSSENS, MOORE, TALLMAN, KITCHING, ERNEST, WALLACE, WOODY, COACH MEHRINGER

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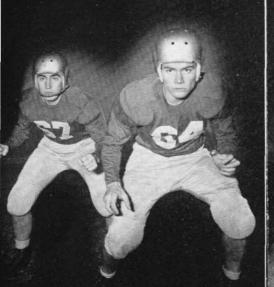
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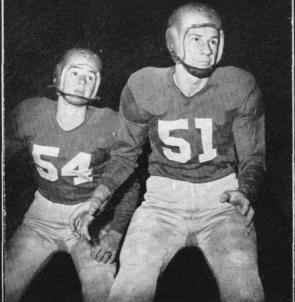
Spring Practice last year looked good, very good. In the last scrimmage that winds things up, we shoved Oxy back and forth across the field. Prospects looked the best in three years. Summer, however, took a terrible toll. Chucker Norman decided to stay away and farm. "Fullback" Lewis enlisted in the Navy; and "Tank" Miller found U.C.L.A. more intriguing. But that was not all, End Michelson broke his leg in the second week of practice and Quarterback Marshall was drafted.

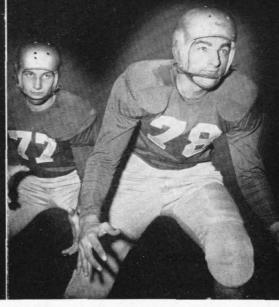
Dallas Peck and Noel Reed were elected co-captains and inspired the team to the spirit and fight which the rooters so admired and cheered throughout the season. Woody, Walker, and Stefanides were all-conference, and Dallas Peck won the coveted Wheaton Trophy.



COACHES IVAN MEERS, PETE MEHRINGER







N. PECK, LAMAR

STEFANIDES, HANNA

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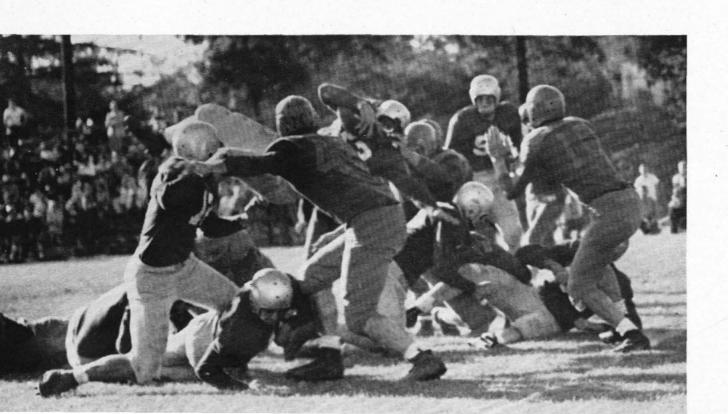
### **FOOTBALL**

#### SANTA BARBARA 47 CALTECH 7

After only two weeks of practice the Beaver squad entrained to Santa Barbara to play the potent and powerful Gauchos. In the first quarter the Gauchos intercepted a Beaver pass and ran it over for a touchdown. The hard punching Beavers then caused the Gauchos to fumble. Babe Karasawa recovered and ran it over two plays later to even up the score. From then on the better condition and the superiority of seasoned players began to tell and turn the tide to the Gauchos. Most of their scoring was on punt returns and intercepted passes.

#### SAN FRANCISCO STATE 36 CALTECH 7

A plane trip and a tour of California's Golden city, San Francisco, were not enough to sustain the Fighting Beavers as they met their second defeat in as many weeks. The 'Gators had too much strength and power, and passed their way to an impressive victory over an improved Beaver team. Halfback Jack Walker went 37 yards over tackle for the lone Beaver score.





WOODY, KARASAWA, WALKER, MOORE



#### WHITTIER 55 CALTECH 7

The game which marked the opening of the 1950 SCIC also marked the third defeat of the Beavers.

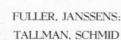
Whittier took the lead early in the first quarter on a 21-yard touchdown pass, then increased to 14-0 on a 46-yard run over tackle, and made it 21-0 on a short pass. Led by fullback Hal Woody the Engineers struck back and traveled 87 yards in 12 plays for their lone tally. The touchdown play was a 14-yard pass from Jack Walker to Don Schmid. A much more polished Caltech squad forced Whittier to keep their first string in most of the time.

#### OCCIDENTAL 20 CALTECH 7

Caltech threatened from the initial kickoff when they marched from their own 20 to Occidental's 20 to lose the ball on downs. Late in the second quarter Oxy broke for the only score of the half. Oxy opened the half with an 80-yard march to lead 14-0. Tech took over and drove from their own 24, scoring on an end-around pass from Randy Moore to Jack Walker. Oxy retaliated to go out in front 20-7. The game ended with Tech on Oxy's 1-yard line.

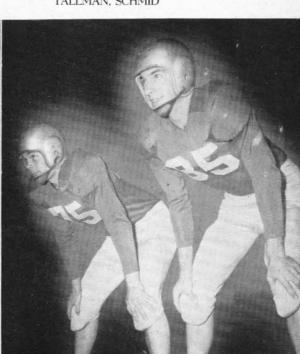
#### REDLANDS 34 CALTECH 13

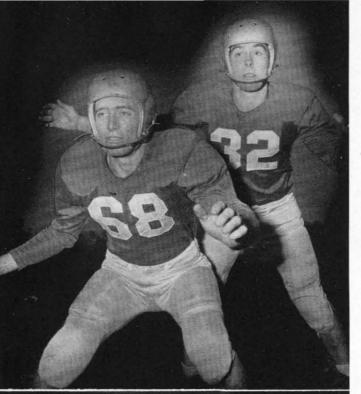
Dominating the entire first half the Bulldog's rolled up 27 points before the Beavers got their bearings. Early in the third stanza Jack Walker found some blockers and did some fancy running in returning a Bulldog punt 55 yards for a TD. The Caltech passing attack showed its power by racking up 200 yards and a touchdown.

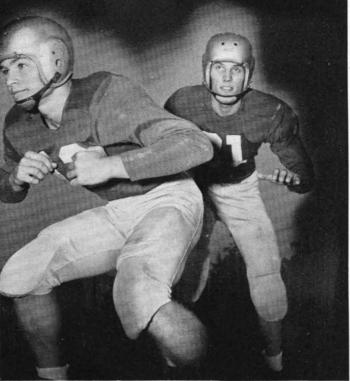


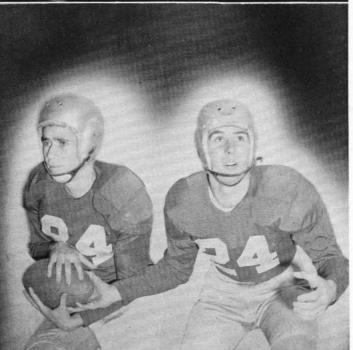












### **FOOTBALL**

#### CALTECH 27 LA VERNE 12

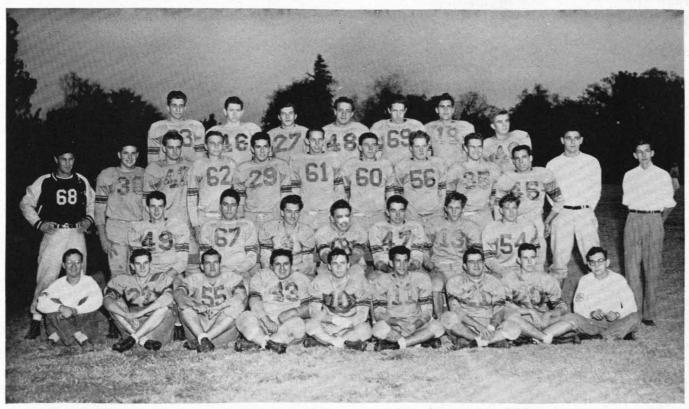
It happened! After a 15 game abstinence a Caltech football team said, "We can win, we will win, and we did." La Verne received the kickoff and scored on a 48-yard pass play. Tech took the kick off and marched 74 yards to lead 7-6. La Verne returned the favor going 77 yards in 6 plays and scoring on a 46-yard pass play. Not to be outdone Tech moved 94 yards over through and around to even the score. The half ended 15-12 for Caltech. The third quarter was a stalemate. Woody barreled his way through the line to score one more touchdown and set up another as Tech tasted their lone victory.

#### POMONA 41 CALTECH 28

Leading all the way until the last quarter it looked as though Tech was going to make it two in a row. Recovering a Pomona fumble on the third play of the game the Beavers converted it into a quick touchdown and eight minutes later added another. With the score 14-0 the Sagehens found their equilibrium and scored twice before the half. Tech 14-Pomona 13. Tech, behind driving Woody, took the kickoff all the way back. Reinke of Pomona scored again. Tech 21-Pomona 20. A 37-yard punt return and intercepted pass gave the Sagehens 14 more. A 51-yard TD pass to Woody put the Beavers in the game again but slippery Ed Reinke again got loose for the final Sagehen TD. Woody made all four Tech touchdowns.

GEE, WALLACE; JOHNSON, IRWIN; PARNES, TEAGUE





E. KAISER, BELLINGER, KRIGER, HANDEN, PLAMBECK, DONDANVILLE, C. WILLIAMS.

ED PREISLER—Coach, GOETTEN, JOHNSON, HOOK, ABBOTT, HOSEGOOD, KIRKPATRICK, BAILEY, HODGES, PROFET, MANNY BASS—Coach, J. WILSON (Mgr.)

KIDDER, VODOPIA, BROSE, HENDERSON, STRYKER, GAUSS, LLOYD

WALL (Mgr.), TYSON, TAYLOR, SHULMAN, R. SMITH, B. KAISER, SALIBA, DAVIS, RAY (Mgr.)

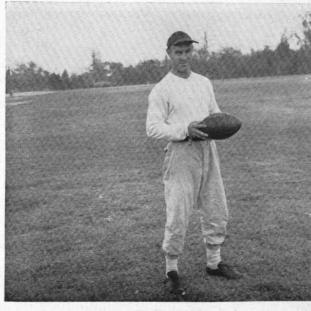
### FROSH FOOTBALL

Blessed with a minimum of experience but a maximum of spirit, the frosh footballers came through for the second straight year with one win over Redlands. Though the rest of their games weren't so successful, that win made it a worth-while season. And with the experience gained, they'll help make it tough for the varsity's opponents next year.

With Coach Ed Preisler handling the backs and assistant Mannie Bass working with the linemen, the team showed steady improvement. Bart Stryker, playing fullback, hit hard in all the games, while Lee Henderson at end and Hugh Taylor at guard were outstanding in the line. It was hard to pick out individuals; the whole team was in there fighting all the time.

#### Scores:

Whittier	38	Caltech	0
Occidental	65	Caltech	0
Pomona	25	Caltech	7
Caltech	19	Redlands	13



ED PREISLER, Coach

# WATER POLO

Under the expert coaching of Don Garman, the Beaver waterpolo squad had their best season in years. Not only did they beat Oxy twice and win nine of their 15 games, but they came in second in the local water-polo league.

It is hard to say whether the high point of the season was the first or the second win over Oxy. After taking a close 5-4 decision from the Tigers in the PCC pool, our team was challenged for a return match. In this rubber game, there was no question who had the better team, the Engineers winning 11-1.

After an undefeated season in their division of the waterpolo league, Caltech defeated LACC 16-4 in the quarter-finals. However, Fullerton proved a little too much for the boys to handle in the finals, especially with their coach out of town on business.

In the way of individual honors, Bill Barmore was named to the All-Conference team at his position of forward.

VON HERZEN, LIBBEY, CONNER, ARMSTRONG, WEIL LAFF, STOCKEBRAND, STOFEL OGILVIE, HAIRE, HOUSER, BARMORE, JACOBS (Mgr.)









# FROSH WATER POLO

#### VARSITY SCORES:

Caltech 16, LA State 6

Compton 7, Caltech 5

Occidental 6, Caltech 5

Caltech 12, PCC 7

Caltech 16, Muir 4

Caltech 17, UCLA Frosh 4

Caltech 5, Occidental 4

Caltech 12, Cal Poly (SD) 1

Caltech 24, ELAJC 11

Compton 5, Caltech 1

Caltech 11, Occidental 1

Caltech 16, LACC 4

Fullerton 9, Caltech 2

### **CROSS COUNTRY**







SCOTT, BOWERMAN, MASON, DICKINSON, MERTEN, STEESE, PATRAN KAMEI, PILKINGTON, SHAKESPEARE, COBB, MARSHALL

Caltech's Cross Country squad turned in a creditable season, but again they couldn't seem to get by the powerful Oxy squad this year, although they won a tie for first in conference standings because of an Oxy loss to Pomona. Only other loss was an early season practice with Muir.

Finishing one-two for Tech in most of the meets were Pete Mason and Bill Pilkington, while Bob Cobb usually placed a solid third. Gene Shakespeare, Francis Scott, Dick Dickinson, Ray Bowerman, Ulrich Merten, and Bill Blodgett rounded off the squad.

Best meet of the season was a narrow 27-28 victory over Pomona which was run in a driving rain. The

other meet results were as follows:

Muir 27, Caltech 28 Caltech 25, PCC 32 Caltech 18, Whittier 43 Oxy 25, Caltech 35 Caltech 27, Pomona 28 Caltech 24, LA State 34 Caltech 25, Redlands 33

We won five and lost two in our dual meets. Oxy was victorious in the all-conference meet, with Tech a close second. Final score for the all-conference meet was Oxy 40, Caltech 46, Redlands 68, Pomona 83, and Whittier 113.



# **MUDEO**

For the first time in eight years, it was the frosh class who won the Mudeo, winning by a 5-2 margin. Red-faced sophs explained the disaster with alibis such as student house food, fair judging by the junior judges, and a migration of the soph dug pit holes toward the soph side. Anyway, the Frosh-Soph dance was enjoyed by all attending, although the sophs seemed somewhat in the minority.



## **SOCCER**

Caltech's "miracle" soccer team brought the year to a successful conclusion with two victories the last week of the season. The big upset was a 2-1 victory garnered at the expense of UCLA. This was the Bruins' first collegiate defeat in nearly two years and came as a tremendous shock to the team which had pulverized the Beavers, 16-2, last year, and was rated third in the nation.

For its tremendous victory, Mentor Huttenback presented the team with the "Old Shinbone" trophy.



HUTTENBACK (Coach), CRICHTON, DUDEK, VARTANIAN, SALKELD, PEYTON, BHANJ DEO, SCHLINGER, PERDIGAO, BEUF, HASTRUP, BAGGERLY, JONES (Coach)

PRICE, GUTIERREZ, OTTE, INGLIS, WELCH, WEBER, NOBLE, WOOD, OTTATI JOYCE, EMERSON, MILLER, KLUTZ



Statistically speaking, we find that in eight games the Beavers scored 35 goals to their opponents' 15; thus averaging a lusty 4.4 goals per game. The leading scorers were Reinaldo Gutierrez with 19 goals, Carl Otte with 6, and Bob Wood with 4. Gutierrez's 19 goals appear to make him the highest scorer in the entire nation this year.

Especial mention should be made of the outstanding play of the two inside forwards. Swaroop Bhanj Deo and Capt. Ernesto Weber, without whom the outcome of most games could have been different, and that of Goalie Chuck

Miller and Halfback Leo Baggerly, two of the most improved men on the team.

#### Scores:

UCLA 7, Caltech 2

UCLA 3, Caltech 2

Caltech 2, UCLA 1

Caltech 15, USC 0

Caltech 4, USC 3

Caltech 2, San Diego State 1

Caltech 5, Thatcher 0

Caltech 4, Thatcher 2





COACH SHY

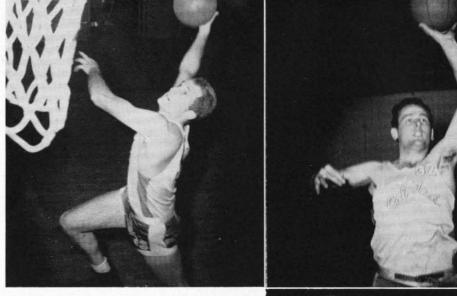


The 1950-1951 season proved to be a very unsuccessful one for the Caltech varsity. After being handicapped by a late start and injuries to several key men, Tech lost its conference opener to Oxy, 58-35. Successive losses to Redlands, Whittier, and Chapman did not deter the Beavers, for they roared back against Pomona and were defeated only in the last minute, 43-41, after being ahead most of the game.

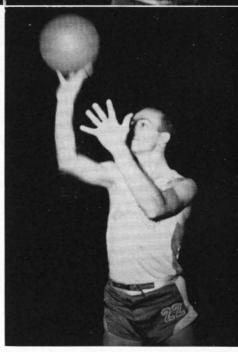
Again showing their familiar good first half-poor second half pattern the Engineers went down stubbornly to the Oxy Tiger, 62-57. The following week-end Tech got its revenge as the Beavers fought dearly for a close 57-55 win over Redlands. The Tech-Bulldog game was unquestionably the climax of the season. Whittier, Chapman, and Pomona proved rude hosts as they brought Tech's season to a close.

Leading the Beavers throughout the season was their capable center. Thorne Butler. Thorne not only was the team's highest scorer, but was third highest scorer in the six-team conference. Wisely enough, he was elected to a position on the SCIC all-conference team for the second time. Great improvement over last year was shown by Al Sereno, a scrapper all the way. Al's drive was monumental in it's importance to the team. Although they had plenty of tough knocks and hard nights, the Beavers were always in there trying and gave all the teams many anxious moments.

BUTLER, PATAPOFF, GRAY

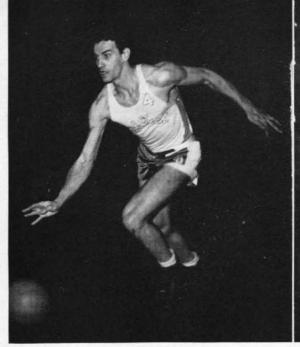


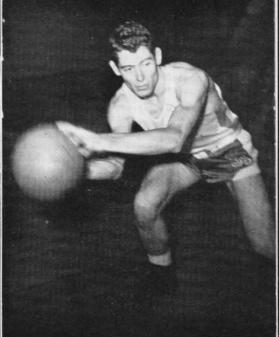
# **BASKETBALL**



CASSIDY (Mgr.), MICHAELSEN, MOORE, LIBBEY, BUTLER, TAUTZ, ROGERS, STEVENS, COACH SHY
PATAPOFF, GEE, GRAY, STERN, DAILEY, SCOTT, IRELAND, SERENO



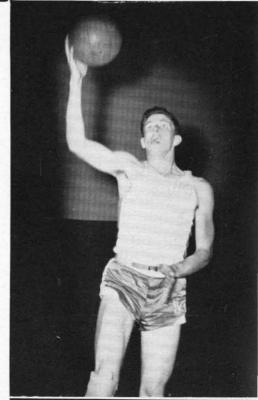


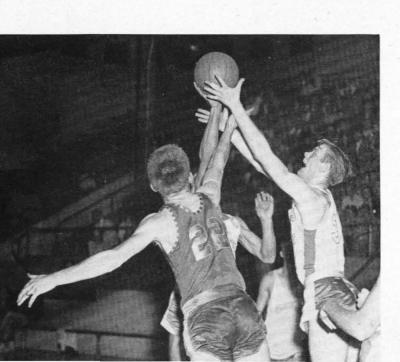


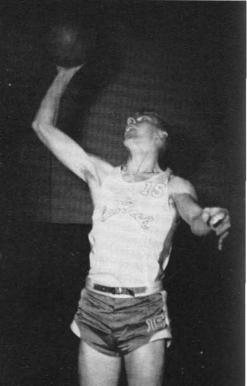


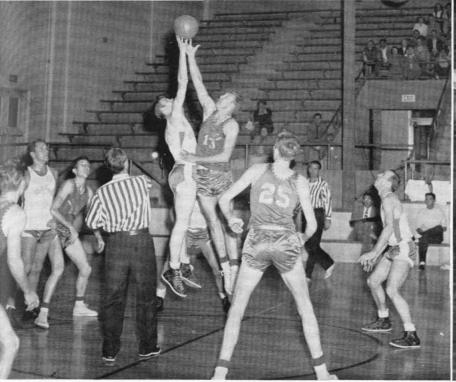
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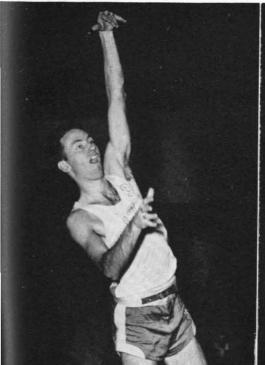




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41	La Verne*	56
35	Occidental	58
49	La Verne *	60
34	Redlands	49
40	Whittier	63
38	Cal Poly (S. D.) *	52
42	Chapman	72
45	LA State *	73
41	Pomona	43
57	Occidental	62
57	Redlands	55
52	Whittier	71
55	Chapman	88
52	Pomona	65
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* Non	ı-league.	

STEVENS, STERN, IRELAND





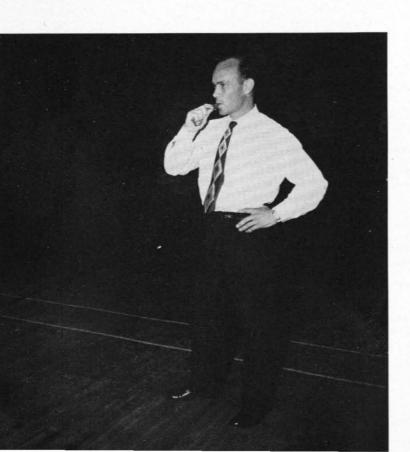




SUNDT (Mgr.), VODOPIA, LYNAM, JOHNSON, ANSON, SMITH, HENDERSON, COACH PREISLER

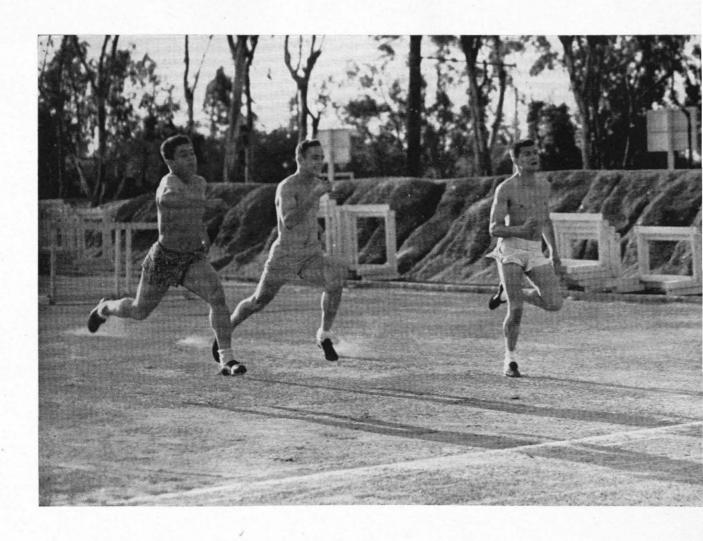
CROSBY, TAYLOR, PLAMBECK, DONDANVILLE, KAISER, PEYTON

#### FROSH BASKETBALL



Coach Ed Preisler's frosh basketball team also had a wealth of aspirants, but unfortunately most of them had little or no experience. Playing most of their games as prelims, they ran up a 3-7 conference record. Mainstay of the team was center Fred Anson, who piled up an amazing 27 point per game average, half of the team's total. In one game against Chapman, Anson piled through 45 points, more than the total scored by the opposing team.

Other outstanding performers for the casaba team were Curt Johnson, whose wicked hook shot dismayed more than one opponent, Charlie Plambeck, and Dick Smith. Back in the guard positions, Hugh Taylor, Lee Henderson, and Bruce Watkins helped break up plays under the basket.



#### **TRACK**

Hurt by the loss of several men before and during the season, Tech's team just couldn't seem to win one 'till late in the season. At the start the team took third in the Conference Relays in which Oxy showed their strength. Score was Oxy 67, Redlands 29, Caltech 14, Whittier 7.

The next meet was at Redlands, and while the team put up a good fight, they just didn't have enough to get by a strong Redlands team which won 77-54. Features of the meet were five sweeps, Caltech's in both hurdles, and Redlands in the 100, 220, and pole vault.

Then came Easter vacation, and immediately following a triangular meet with Muir College and El Camino J. C. Muir managed to take the measure of the Tech team, but we did beat El Camino. Score was Muir 72<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Tech 61, El Camino 28<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

Then occurred the debacle—the Oxy juggernaut rolled over Caltech, 116-15. Tech couldn't get a first, and got only three seconds.

Just to show that they weren't discouraged, the team bounced back to get by Whittier, 69-62, in a real battle. Whittier led most of the way, but a sweep in the low hurdles gave us the meet.

Prospects are good for the Pomona meet, and as for the Conference meet, who can say?

COACH LA BRUCHERIE





COACH LABRUCHERIE, TAUTZ, PILKINGTON, KLEIGLE, IRWIN, WAID, STEPHANIDES, MUEHLBERGER, WOODY, COACH TYSON;

HEACOCK, PARNES, SHAKESPEARE, STEVENS, JORDAN, MIDDLEBROOK, JOHNSON, MASON, DICKENSON; MANAGER DRAKE, KAMEI, WALKER LATOURRETTE, RIGGS, MOORE, AAGAARD, MANAGER COBB

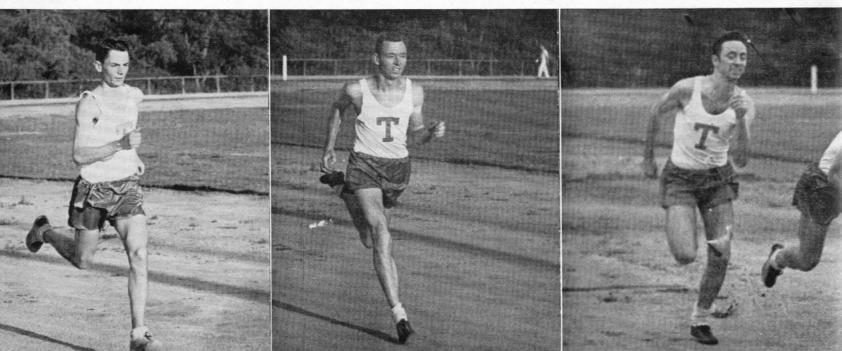
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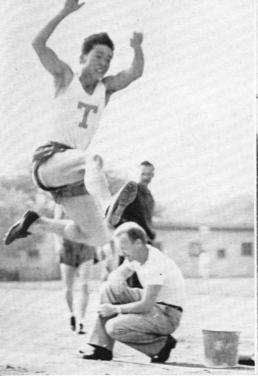
Best all-around man on the Tech team was no doubt Bob Waid, who ran the high and low hurdles, broad jumped, high jumped, and occasionally ran the sprints or a leg in the relay. Bob broad jumped 21'10" this year so far, and nearly always managed to score at least 10 points.

The hurdles duo of Bill Irwin and Jim Kliegel raked in many points for the team. Jim especially has improved over his frosh year.

Al Johnston in the 440, Paul Aagaard and Bob Parnes in

MASON, PILKINGTON, STEVENS









KAMEI, WAID, WOODY, AAGAARD

the 880, and Pete Mason in the mile and two mile took plenty between them. Pete managed to pick up two double wins at this writing. He says he's a sick, tired old man.

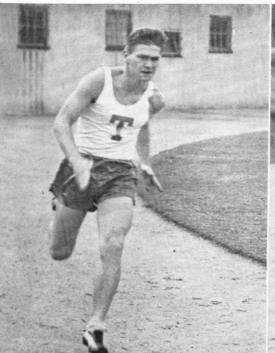
Don Tautz improved greatly in the pole vault, going over at 12'6", bettering his personal mark of 12'0". In the javelin Sam Middlebrook and Neil Stephanides are battling out for the most improvement. John Noble was throwing a nice 174', but he unfortunately departed after second term.

In the shot and discus Ray Heacock showed tremendous improvement, getting out to 128' in the discus, while Hal Woody turned in for steady good performances in the weights.

A mile relay team consisting of Jim LaTourrette (also a sprinter), Al Johnston, Bob Parnes, and Dave Stevens has been in there providing tough competition.

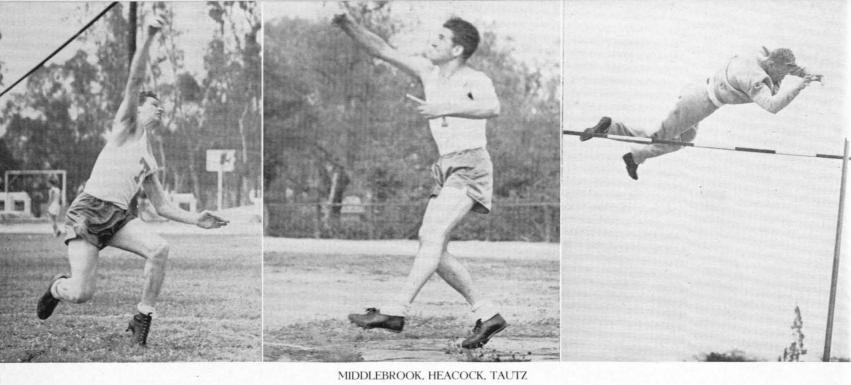


#### JOHNSON, LATOURRETTE, PARNES



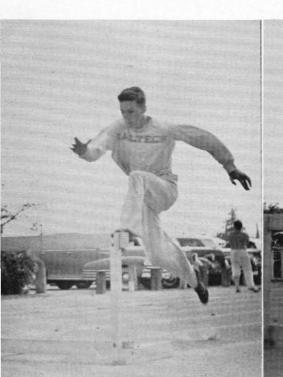




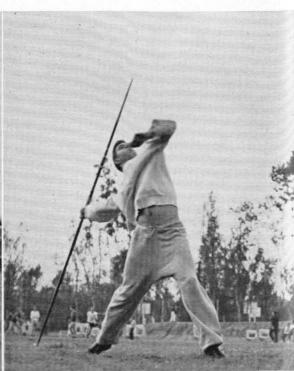


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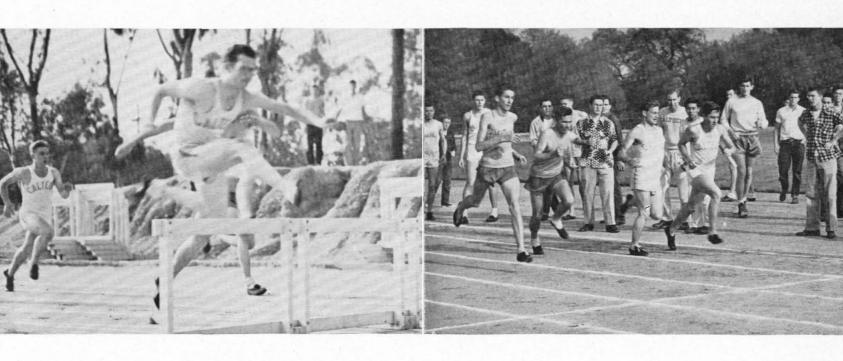
KLEIGLE, IRWIN, STEPHANIDES







#### FROSH TRACK



The frosh track team started out the season with a second place to Oxy at the conference relays, held at Occidental. Showing fair strength in all the field events except the pole vault, and with a pair of good dash men and a hurdler, they seemed ready to provide stiff competition for their dual opponents.

Bruce Munn and John Lloyd in the dashes proved a hard combination to beat. Keith Campbell, running both hurdle events and doing the broad and high jumps, usually ended up with a pile of points. Tom Kirkpatrick showed promise in the middle distances, while Paul Cramer took on the longer runs. Earl Evleth and Gene Kaiser were worth eight points in the shot put in most meets, while Cole Williams whirled the discus and Dick Hodges tossed the javelin.



COACH LA BRUCHERIE,
PARKER, KRAMER, VODOPIA,
MUNN, HODGES, KIRKPATRICK,
KAISER, CORBIN;
MANAGER DRAKE, CAMPBELL,
GAUSS, EVLETH, DRYDEN,
LLOYD, BIRKLAND,
SMITH, BROOKS



COACH GARMAN, RAMBOW, WEIL, OGILVIE, LIBBEY, CONNOR, VON HERZEN; WYMAN, MERTEN, STOFEL, VICKMAN, HOUSER, REED, MANAGER JACOBS

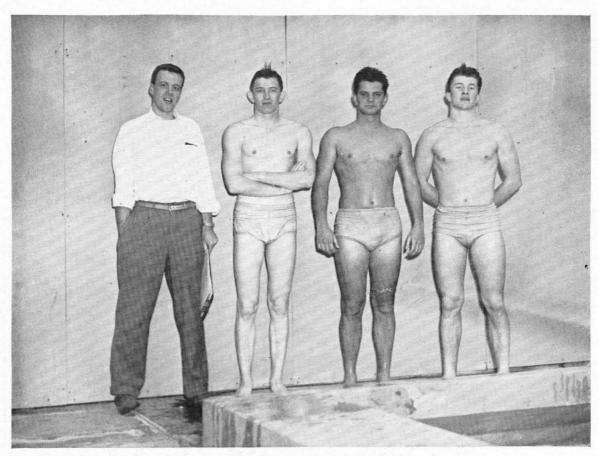
COACH GARMAN

#### **SWIMMING**

First place in the conference is the goal of this year's swimming team. Under the coaching of Don Garman they have already defeated every team in the league but Oxy by at least 25 points. With the best pair of sprinters in the conference and a strong team in all the other departments, hopes are high that the Tigers will also fall. Our depth in almost every event may be the deciding factor. Libbey, von Herzen, Weil, Connor, and Houser are the mainstays of this year's squad. Among them they have taken almost every first place in all the meets so far this year. With only Libbey, Houser, and Merten leaving by the graduation route, prospects are good for the following year.

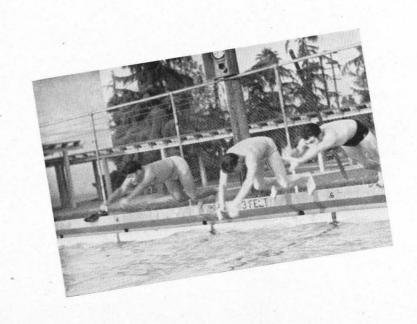
MERTEN, WEIL





COACH ENSLOW, ELLET, PERIGAO, BRYAN

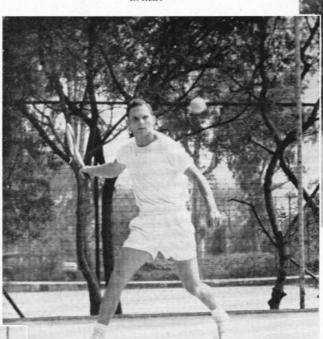
## FROSH SWIMMING



#### **TENNIS**

LA FLEUR

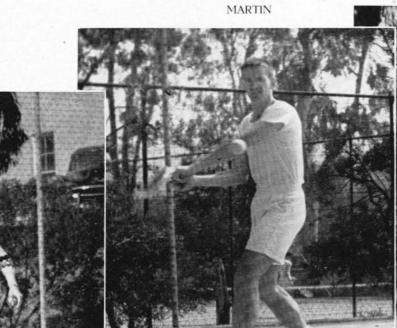




Tech's netmen got off to a rather slow season and at the end of the first round of conference tennis matches failed to score a win. As we go into the second round Redlands looks very good, especially after taking Tech by a 9-0 margin. The team to beat seems to be Whittier, who barely edged Tech out with a 5-4 score. Matches with Pomona, Santa Barbara, Oxy, L.A. State have rounded out the current schedule.

Big gun on the Tech tennis squad was the first doubles duo of Jack Martin and Palmer Smith, winner of last year's Scott Trophy. These men seem to be winning rather consistently. Berk Welch was team captain and coach was John Lamb.

WELCH



**IRELAND** 

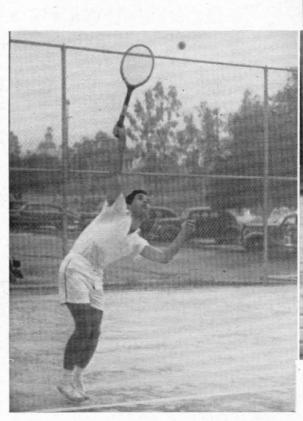


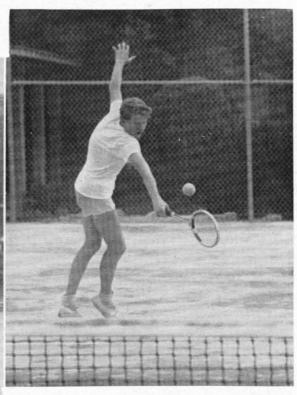
COACH LAMB



EMERY, MARTIN, IRELAND, P. SMITH; WELCH, BAIER, LA FLEUR







KAISER, PATRAW

## FROSH TENNIS

COACH WATERHOUSE

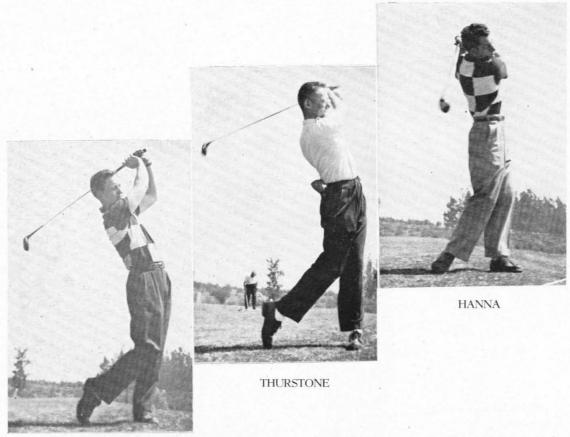
SARGENT, POTTER, PATRAW, KAISER, DAVIS, RICHARDS, JOHNSON, COACH WATERHOUSE





BLANCHARD, DAVIES, THURSTONE, HOLMES, PECK, HANNA

## **GOLF**

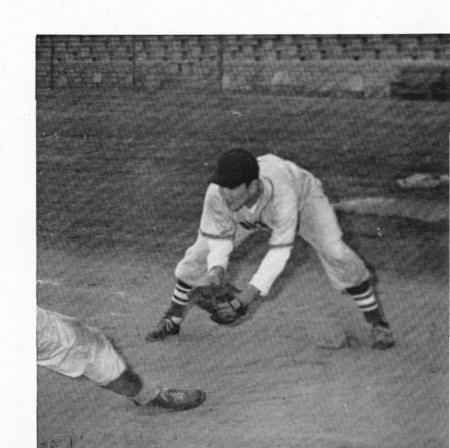


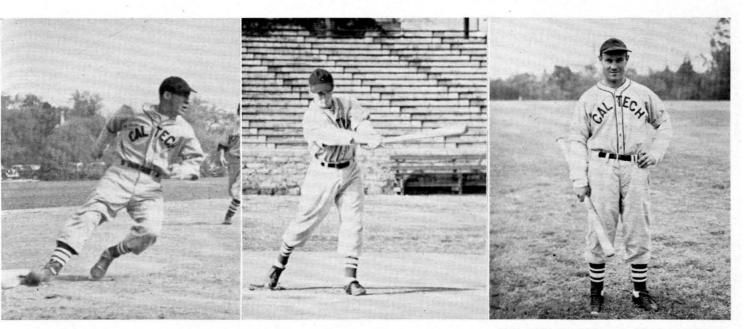
PARDEE



SNIDER, HEDRICK, STEWART, WISE, STERN, JOHNSON, KOONS, WINSLOW, CONNER, GRAY, ED PREISLER—Coach PITTON (Mgr.), DAILY, JOHNSTON, SAUER, PFEIFFER, SMITH, WILLENS, STALLKAMP, KEIR, JOHN FEE (Mgr.)

## **BASEBALL**





PFEIFFER, STALLKAMP, COACH PREISLER

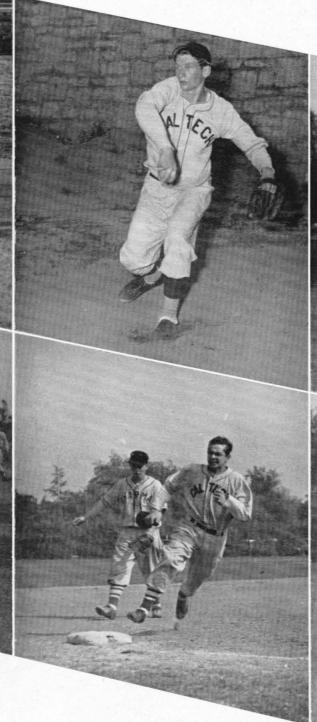
Caltech's baseball nine got off to a flying start this year to win two of its first three league games against Pomona and Redlands. The Pomona game went into ten innings before Tech was able to break the tie and win, 10-6. Against Redlands the Beavers won, 6-5. On the other side of the ledger the batsmen lost to Oxy, 12-5. This put Tech into a tie for second place as we go to press. The remaining games to be played in the first round are with Chapman, which is supposedly weak, and Whittier, which also has a 2-1 record. Non-league games won by Tech were with La Verne, 4-5; Cal Poly (S.D.), 10-1. Losses were to Cal Poly (S. L. O.), 6-5; LA State, 15-14, and Pepperdine, 16-8. These are, of course, but a few of the 27 game scheduled season which the Beavers will play. Prospects look good especially if the squad can improve their fielding, as their batting is at present very strong.



HEDRICK, GRAY, JOHNSON

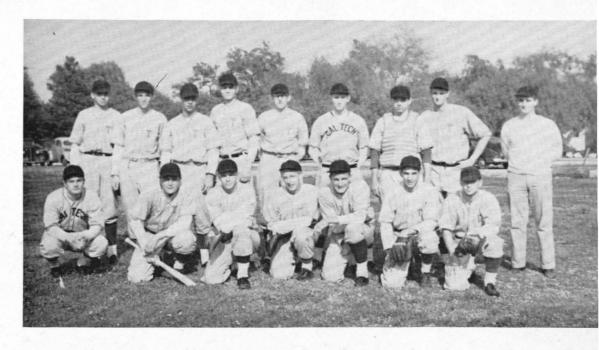
#### **BASEBALL**

WISE, WINSLOW, NEVERMAN KARASAWA, SNYDER, KOONS



The '51 edition of Tech's hard hitting baseballers was captained by Louis Stallkamp and Walt Pfeiffer and again coached by Ed Preisler. The pitching staff included Norm Gray, John Winslow, and Bruce Hedrick. Behind the plate was catcher Walt Pfeiffer. Dave Koons was first baseman, Roland Johnson patrolled the second base area, while Babe Karasawa was responsible for the third sack detail. Louis Stallkamp played short while left field was covered by Bert Snider, center field by Bill Wise, and right field by Duane Neverman.

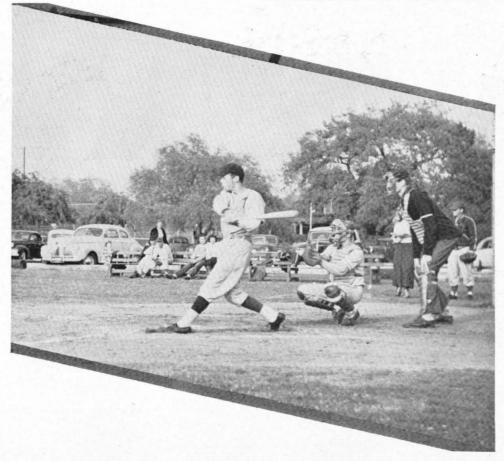
MILLARD, PECHACEK, CLARK, HOOK, NICHOLSON, BELLINGER, STRYKER, KIDDER, MANAGER ROSEN; COACH DAVIES, GARRISON, SALKELD, TURCOTTE, HENDERSON, KAISER, SMITH



#### FROSH BASEBALL

Lack of experience popped up again to the detriment of the frosh baseballers. Under the leadership of Dick Davies, they started out the season with a painful 50-4 loss to Oxy, but bobbed back the following week to take an 8-7 decision from Redlands. With a little experience under their belts, they showed possibilities.

Wielding a big stick for the diamondmen was catcher Bart Stryker. Performing the mound duties was Bob Salkeld, with Don Hook backing him up. Around the infield were Bob Pechacek, John Kidder, and Fred Garrison, while snagging flies occupied the time of Dick Clark, Lee Henderson, and Don Turcotte.





LATOURRETTE, MILLER, VICKMAN

## YELL LEADERS



### **INTERHOUSE SPORTS**

As we go to press the Interhouse Trophy race is drawing to a rapid close. With football season already started, and volleyball the remaining sport, Throop is ahead with 105 points against Blacker's  $94\frac{1}{2}$ , Dabney's  $84\frac{1}{2}$ , Fleming's  $77\frac{1}{2}$ , and Ricketts  $57\frac{1}{2}$ . A win in football would insure Throops winning the trophy.

The first sport of the season, baseball, was won by Throop, who copped all four of its games. Blacker and Fleming were tied for second with a 2-2 record while Dabney and Ricketts tied for third with 1-3. Blacker took over the lead by taking a second in the cross-country competition. Ricketts was the winner by placing Smyth and Shakespeare first and second in all three runs. Dabney was third, Fleming fourth, and Throop did not enter.

The final sport of the first term was basketball, which was won by Dabney followed by Throop. Fleming, Blacker, and Ricketts. The season was very good with several of the games going into overtimes and some very close scores including a 26-25 victory for Fleming over Blacker. High scorers were Leon Michaelsen, Bob Packwood, Fred Anson, and Sandy Sweet.

As the first term came to a close the Interhouse standings were Throop 45, Dabney  $41\frac{1}{2}$ , Blacker  $39\frac{1}{2}$ , Fleming  $38\frac{1}{2}$ , and Ricketts  $27\frac{1}{2}$ .

Blacker emerged victorious in the tennis tourney making a clean sweep of all its matches. Softball ended in a deadlock between Blacker and Throop each losing a game. Dabney and Ricketts tied for second with Fleming taking the celler.

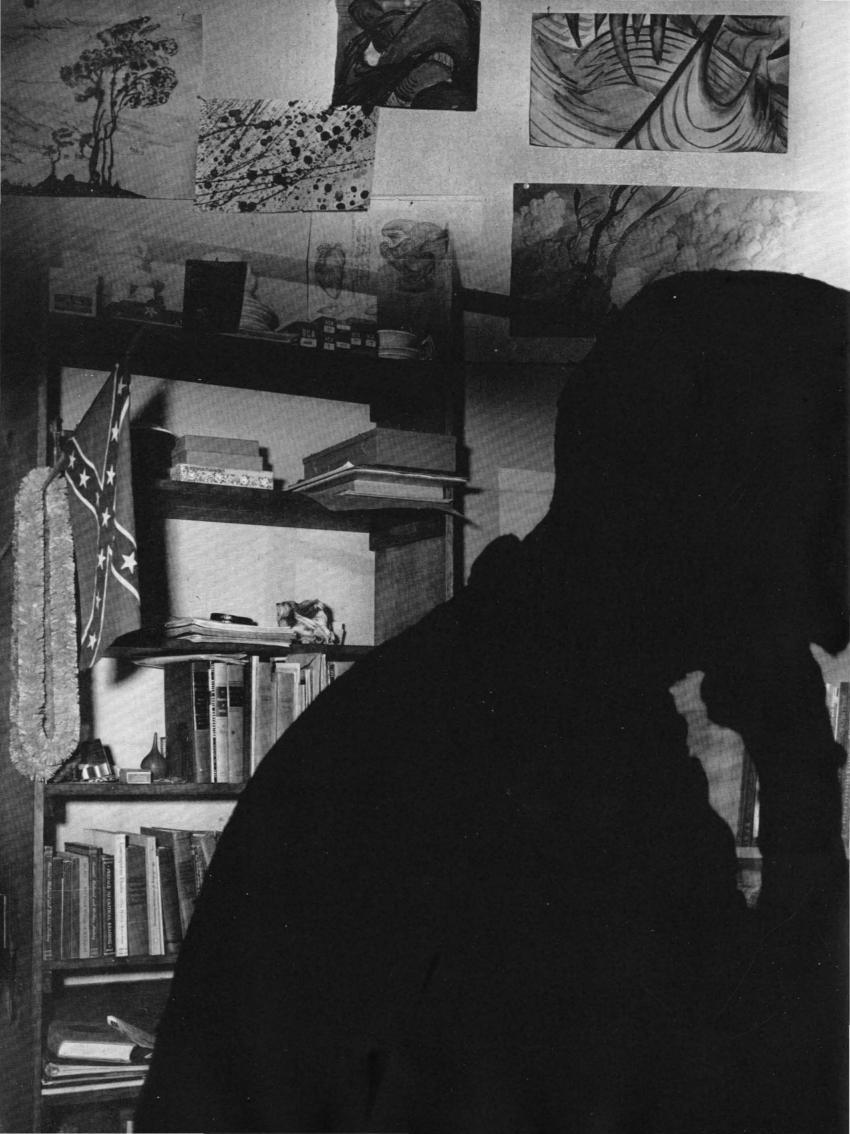
Throop showed superior strength in amassing 52 points to win the Interhouse track meet. Fleming was second with 42 points followed by Dabney 33, Blacker 24, and Ricketts 3. In winning the meet Throop took six of the fourteen first places.

Dabney completely ran away with the Interhouse swim meet by totaling 58 points to second place Blacker's 24. Fleming had 22, Throop 19, and Ricketts 17. The Darbs took all the first places except the 4-man relay which went to Blacker. Frosh Norm Ellet established a new Interhouse record in the breaststroke event by beating the nine year old record by 0.6 seconds.

Thus at the end of the second term Throop is still ahead by the above mentioned score. Competition is keen in football and Throop has won its first game with Dabney, 8-6. Blacker lost to Ricketts, 12-0.

The Discobolus has been wandering as usual, and has been seen on all the houses' mantels. Throop has been making effective use of a strong handball team in maintaining possession while Blacker and Ricketts engaged in a soccer duel (which ended in a deadlock) on one occasion.



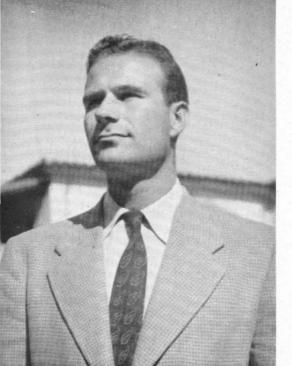






MASTER OF STUDENT HOUSES GEORGE K. TANHAM





BLACKER-CAREL OTTE

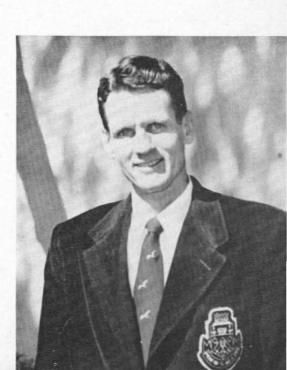
## RA'S



DABNEY-DON NORRIS



FLEMING-NORM BULMAN



RICKETTS-DAVE MASON



GOERKE, DESTABELLE, LIBBEY, CATTERLIN, ENSLOW, PINGS WOOD, NEVERMAN, PECK, HEFNER, STRATTON

MRS. LANG, MRS. HALE, SUE HUCK, MRS. TYREE GLEN GREEN



OFFICE





**BLACKER** 



HEFNER, STEFANIDES, CATTERLIN, KAMEI

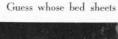
EARL HEFNER

The year 1950-51 has left its mark on Blacker House. There are new waterspots in the Tunnel, new names in any number of little black books and a large family size bottle of Hadacol in Stan Groner's medicine cabinet.

Casting only the most casual eye around Blacker it would be impossible to overlook the Tunnel. Indeed, the usual case is that its fame, or perhaps notoriety is a better word, has preceded it. It has been reported that dates of Dabney men have surreptitiously whispered to their escorts, "The hell with the television set, I want to see the Tunnel!" Noted hell with the television set, I want to see the Tunnel!" Noted not only for the "Tunnel Rainmaking Society," the "Southeast Rocket Testing Grounds," and the "Saturday Evening Bowling and Hockey Club" the Tunnel claims as its native son Leo Baggerly, Treasurer of the Caltech Y and Chairman of the Southwest Region Student YMCA.

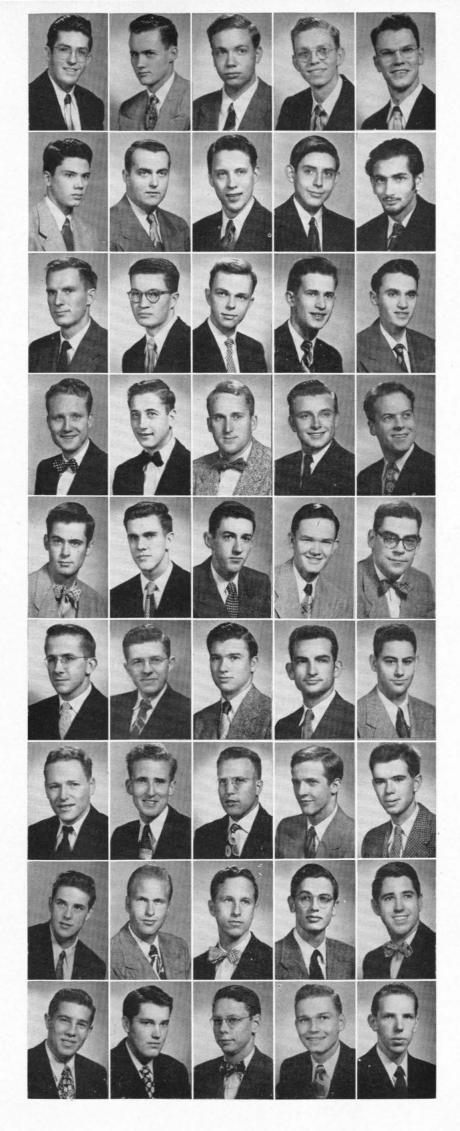
Just a stone's throw and around the corner we happen on to the Annex and the home of the one and only Art Cuse, a fine First Rep for ASCIT. As Blacker Pope he has brought peace to all through his inspiring spiritual guidance. Also making his abode here is Ray Gruetert. As Co-Athletic Manager, Ray and his fellow Co, Don Tautz, have led Blacker through a fine season of Interhouse sports. Starting off with a tie for second in baseball, a second place in cross-country, continuing with a rousing first in tennis, and a Throop-Blacker tie for first in softball, the Blacker teams have pulled in enough points to put the House in second place for the Interhouse Trophy. With strong hopes for first rank swimming, football, and volleyball teams Blacker will not be at all adverse to making room on its mantle for another trophy if the need should arise.

Buck Rogers?









JOHN ABBOT
JOHN AMES
DAN APPLEMAN
FRED ARMITAGE
LEO BAGGERLY

CHARLES BATES
ROLAND BERNER
BARNEY BETZ
CHEK BEUF
SWAROOP BHANJ DEO

BOB BLAIR
BILL BLODGETT
JOHN BOPPART
ANDY BOUSCH
RAY BOWERMAN

FRANK BUMB
SHERMAN BUTLER
THORNE BUTLER
DON CATHCART
KYLE CATTERLIN

JACK CHRISTOPHER
DAVE CLARK
BILL CONNOR
JIM CROSBY
ART CUSE

CHUCK DAVIES
BOB DEGRASSE
FRANK DRYDEN
LES EARNEST
LEON EDELSON

THEODORE EINWOHNER
JIM ENRIGHT
JOHN FEE
ED GAUSS
ERNST GEHRELS

JOHN GOETTEN
RAY GREUTERT
STAN GRONER
TED HARRISON
EARL HEFNER

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DICK HOSEGOOD

#### **BLACKER**

Swing your partner



Frosh

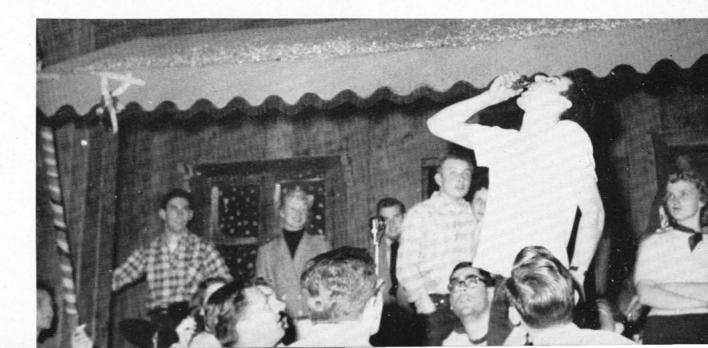
On our left we have the icebox but going to our right and up the stairs we approach that exclusive club. Whispering Cans. One night spent in the alley would explain the name; every morning at some ungodly hour the milkman clatters into the delivery-way immediately below. Whispering Cans is noted for its fine old custom of serving coffee and cake every evening. Frank Bumb and John Fee went so far as to get engaged to insure a steady supply of homemade cakes. The aforementioned Fee not only possesses the only electronic, perpetually flashing hat in the Student Houses but he is also Senior Class Prexy. His roommate, Hiroshi Kamei, has been eminently successful as House Treasurer, due no doubt to the fact that the open toed sandles he often wears make his toes, as well as his fingers, available for counting.

Down the stairs again and we give a passing glance to the Hole where House Librarian Bill Pilkington and Co-Athletic Manager Don Tautz are reputed to pass the time.

Into the courtyard and up again we go for a peek at Upper and Lower Frosh alleys. UCCs Chas. Bates and Don Schmid, of gridiron fame, rule with an iron hand, but there despotism is a benevolent one—coffee every evening. A man of note here is Frank Joyce, recently voted by unanimous acclamation the "Freshman most likely to." The individual shouting "Good God, I'm ruined! My stocks just fell another quarter point," is that Wall Street financier Thorne Butler, also known as a terror on the basketball court.



Looks good





#### **BLACKER**

We next make our way to that traditional home of the great, Upper and Lower Presidential alleys. First citizen of Lower Presidential is, of course, Earl Hefner. Whatever natural tendencies he may have towards graft and corruption have been concealed quite successfully during the past year and he can look back on a year of solid achievement for Blacker.

In Upper Presidential Sam Middlebrook, one of the Co-Chairmen of the notorious Blacker Social Committee, takes his ease. It is suspected that this graft-ridden group of wilful individuals take off on an opium jag before brewing up their nefarious plans. The amazing thing is that Ed Pyatt, the other half of the "Despicable Duo," has never lost an assessment; the troops come back again and again to take part in a social program that is punishing to even the individual of strongest constitution.

JOHN HOWELL
EARL JACOBS
ALAN JOHNSTON
FRANK JOYCE
HIROSHI KAMEL
BOB KOSTER

DALE KRAUSE
PAUL LANGDON
BOB LAWRENCE
WALTER LEE
MIKE LOURIE
KEN LUNEN

DUANE MARSHALL
PETE MASON
JOHN McCOOL
JOHN McCOURT
SAM MIDDLEBROOK
AL MISHAAN

BERNON MITCHELL

JERRY MITCHELL

BOB MONROE

BENJAMIN NOLAN

STAN OGDEN

MORGAN OGILVIE



The Blacker man finds himself overwhelmed with a Mountain Party at Camp Ivy, Square Dances, a Halloween Masquerade, Exchanges, Theater Parties, Record Dances, Barn Dances, a weekend Snow Party at Arrowhead, the notorious affair held at the Buwalda residence, Beach parties, a Valentine Dinner Dance, a Spring Formal, and a bewildering number of aftergame Open Houses. And as final proof that this group of incompetents is completely berserk there was the fantastic spectacle of a 25-foot mushroom towering over Blacker courtyard, monstrous spiders and webs, gigantic ladybugs and ants, and oversized vegetation when Blacker presented "Microcosm" as their Interhouse Dance theme. Sam's roommates, both crazy too, are Bob Parnes, the noted Big T Photographic Editor and track and football letterman, and Phil Orville, Y Secretary and ASCIT Assembly Chairman. The well known politician and ASCIT Secretary, Stan Groner, rooms hereabouts with his roommate John Boppart, Vice-President of the Y and Co-Big T Editor. Just down the hall is Kyle Catterlin, House Vice-President, and the man in charge of Blacker's very active Associate program.

Last, but not least, we journey to Upper and Lower Doc's alleys. Passing through Lower Doc's we wave a greeting to John P. (for Patrick) McCourt, Caltech's own smiling Irishman, and continue upward to where a "People are no damn good" sign on the door tells us that Pete Mason, UCC, TBPi, ASCIT Treasurer, lives here. Neil Stefanides also makes this alley his home and serves the House as Secretary. And glorious to behold, at the end of the alley shines an RA's sign. Carel (Mother) Otte is his name and for the second straight year he thinks he is keeping one jump ahead of the troops.

We now leave the Blacker of the past and present and look forward to another year, bigger and better than the last—draft or no draft!



Ray swings roughshod over Fleming



PHIL ORVILLE
BOB PARNES
JOHN PEYTON
BILL PILKINGTON
CHARLES PRIMBS
FRANK ROBBEN

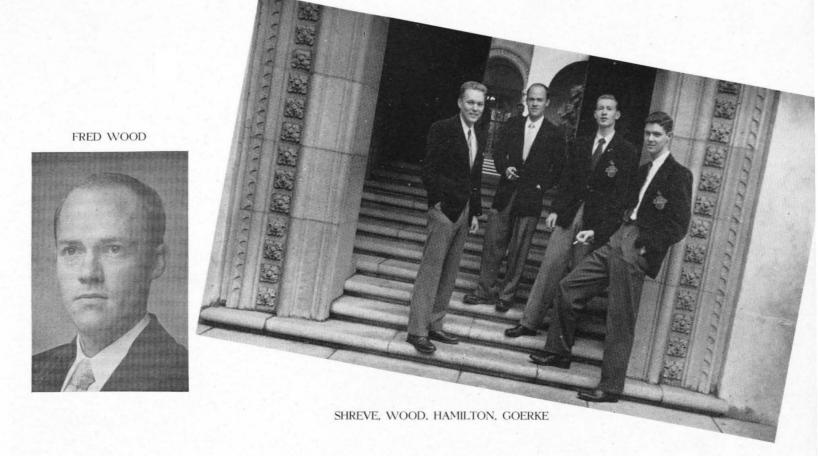
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CARL SAUER
DON SCHMID
GORDON SEELE

DICK SHARP
GUS SOUX
BOB SMITH
DICK SMITH
BART STRYKER
SANFORD SWEET

DON TAUTZ
BOB TEAM
DAVE TWINING
PERRY VARTANIAN
WALT WHIRRY
STAN WILKES

## DABNEY





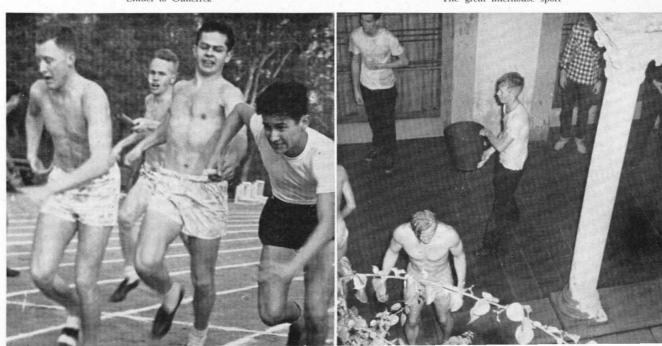
During the past year the men of Dabney stood in awe of the disheartening world situation. Yet they maintained a dignified nonchalance: the frosh were initiated in the spirit of normalcy, as well-dressed Men of Distinction. A fine addition to the House was RA Don Norris, whose diplomacy and good humor were matched only by the high quality of his female acquaintances. The troops were ably commanded by President Fred Wood, Vice-Engineer Jon Goerke, Secretary Ed Welch (succeeded by civilian Ron Shreve), and bill-burner T. Alexander Hamilton. Happily enough, the efficiency of the highest echelon of the Executive Committee Train again nullified the need for a raise in House dues. Tom Russell was

librarian; Don Stewart was Athletic Manager;—and the Energetics, Tom Stockebrand and Terry Thomas, serfed as co-historians. Spiritual upliftance came from Pope Bill Whitney and Cardinal Dick Brewer.

Notable service to the ASCIT was given by several Dabney men. Bob Davis acted as First Representative and Frank Ludwig as Rally Commissioner. Bob Kurland edited the California Tech; Bob Stanaway was Publicity Manager; Jim LaTourrette was soph president and he and Leon Vickman were assistant Yell leaders. In other important school positions were Bill Whitney as President of Tau Beta Pi; Tom Stackebrand as YMCA publicity director; Bruce Hedrick as PBAA chief; and Clark Kent as Superman.

Snider to Gutierrez

The great interhouse sport





DOUG ALVERSON
BILL, AVERRE
MIKE BADER
ARTHUR BAILEY
GEORGE BAKER

BILL BARMORE
JOHN BILLINGS
DEAN BLANCHARD
DICK BREWER
CLARK BRUNDIN

ED BRYAN
SIG CHAMER
TOM CONNOLLY
BILL CORBIN
HENRY CRANE

MANUEL CRESPO
ART CROWELL
CHUCK DANIELS
WALT DAVISON
DICK DICKINSON

NORM ELLET
TERRY FEISTEL
BOB GILLINGHAM
JON GOERKE
REINALDO GUTIERREZ

RICHARD HAM

TOM HAMILTON

BRUCE HEDRICK

NEAL HUNTLEY

BILL IRWIN

CARL ISAKSON
BILL KEMMEL
KEN KING
BOB KURLAND
BOB LAFF

JIM LaFLEUR
RICHARD LaFORCE
JIM LaTOURRETTE
ED LEE
MOISES LEVY

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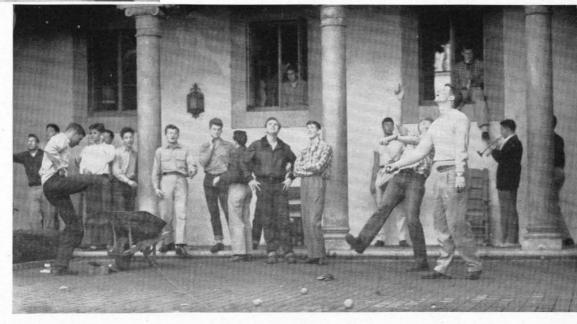
Wait!





You have beautiful eyes





Socially, Dabney more than maintained its reputation for staging a well-planned and well-executed social program, thus providing much sought after relief to the embattled troops. In the fall came the Interhouse: "A Day at the Circus." The nine foot highlight of the show was the servomechanistic green elephant which ate, flapped, winked, wiggled, etc. The next function was the Bohemian costume frolic held at the Arcadian home of Bob Walp (at the expense of several rolls of walp-paper). Then there were the two formals, five beach parties, and three barn dances. For sun and fresh air it was Sunset Beach with homelike hospitality and breakers, broken pool cues, ping pong, barbecue, et al. At Mountain Oaks it was

barn dances and entertainment and victory by the enhousecoated crew team. And then finally it was Win's Last Chance party at the Royce's nearby swimming pool and spa.

In athletics, the most success came in basketball. The House was loaded with talent and could muster two dependable teams. Sparking the undefeated squad were Leon Michaelson and Bob Packwood. In this and other sports the spontaneous cheering section kept the men fighting, as witness the fact that so far this year no House team has placed worse than third. The frosh class brought forth several fast men who shone in track events. The trio of Bruce Munn, Reinaldo Gutierrez, and Bill Corbin won four firsts

FRANK LUDWIG

DAVE MacDONALD

JOE MANGIN

KEN MARSH

HUGH MARTIN

JIM McQUISTON
GEORGE MERKEL
LEON MICHAELSON
J. C. NOLL
HANS PALMER

CHUCK PAULSON

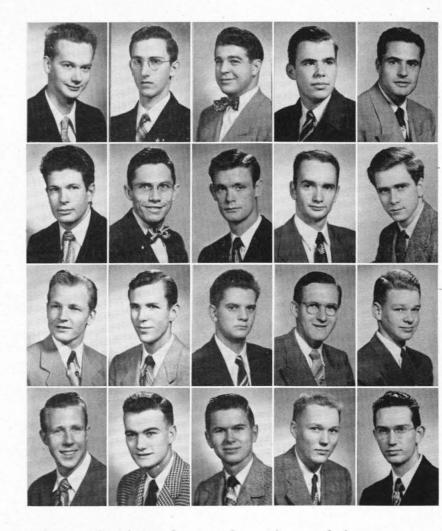
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GUNTHER PERDIGAO

HANK POLLET

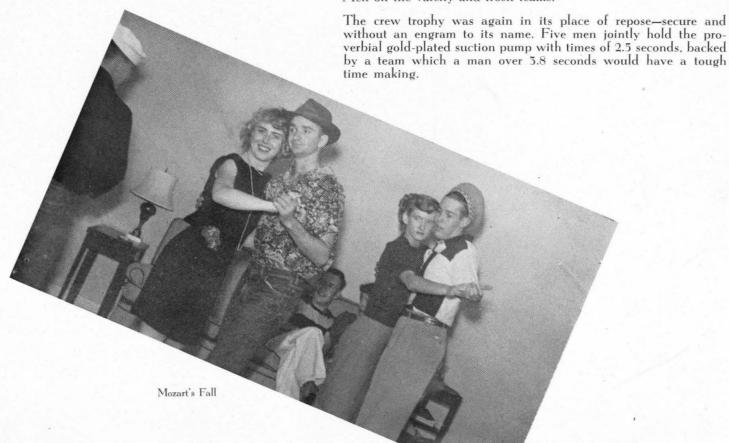
WILLARD RICHARDS

BILL RIHN
WIN ROYCE
TOM RUSSEL
RON SHREVE
BOB SMITH



#### DABNEY

and a second in the Interhouse track meet for a total of 25 points. Reinaldo Gutierrez gained a bit of fame by being highest scorer in U. S. soccer. The Skiing trophy is a new and welcome addition to Dabney's shelf collection. The CIT waterpolo team which fought its way to a conference championship got a big boost from all-conference forward Bill Barmore and the other seven Dabney Men on the varsity and frosh teams.





BERT SNIDER
BOB STANAWAY
DAVE STEPHENS
DON STEWART
TOM STOCKEBRAND

NICK SZABO
TERRY THOMAS
BJORN THORSTENSEN
DAVE TILLES
LEON VICKMAN

DON VOGEL

DUTCH VREUGDE

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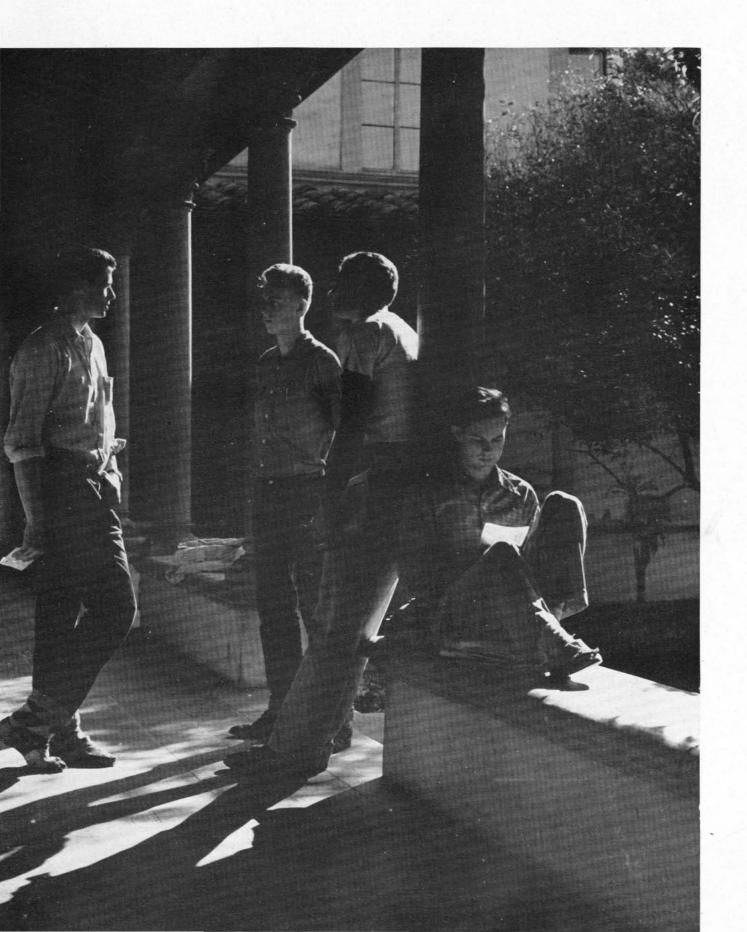
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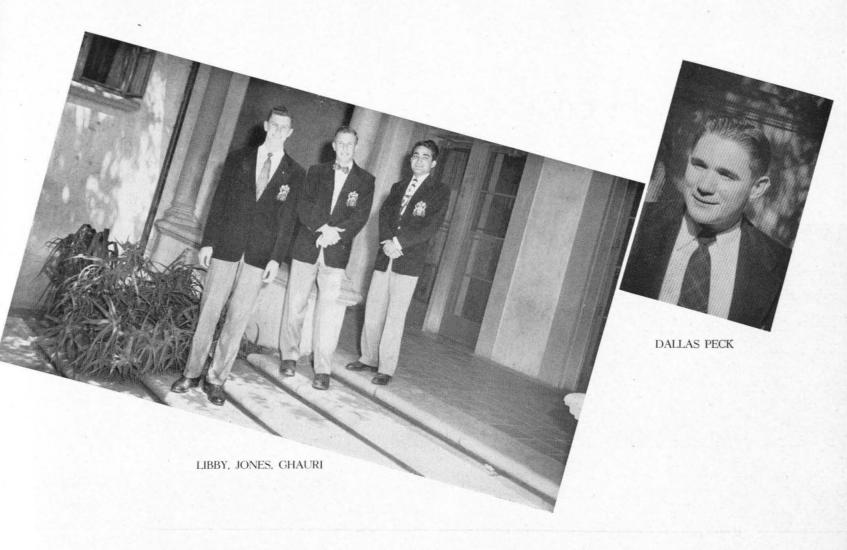
The Darbs had their share of memorable incidents. There were Hedrick and Wood warbling for the pure enjoyment of it all at the Track. The taxi was sold, marking the end of an era. There was initiation with its several surveys; the bowling alley was filled to capacity for a while—with plans: the Great Water Fight and the borrowed fire hose. It's easy to remember the annual orange fight—and Art Bailey's sleepwalking. Ah, nostalgia. 'Calls for another sip of our Hadacol over ice . . . .

A genuine snake

Men of Distinction

#### FLEMING





Dusting off the Old Lady for the eighteenth consecutive time, the men of Fleming House settled down to content of the men of Fleming Flouse settled down to another year of campus superiority in the Northwest Corner. Familiar yells of "fourth for bridge," "No coats and ties," or "Stranahan, let's go to Fisher's," were once more permeating Fleming court, which every noon was occupied by a devoted group of sunworshippers, including married men Montgomery and Pardee, whose home-made lunches aroused much envy among the troops subsisting on Tygon Tubing.

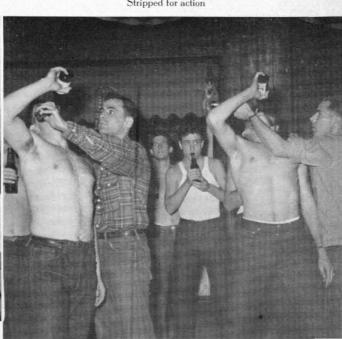
Mother "Blind Man" Norman Bulman spent his third year keeping his watchful eye over the troops. House

affairs were under the leadership of a capable group of officers, led by rock-hound president Dallas Peck. Vice-president Dick Libbey brought many prominent guests to Fleming's head table, while Waheed Ghauri, the "Pakistanian lover," kept the House records in good shape. Treasurer Dick Jones somehow managed to provide enough cash for the many House functions without the need of major assessments while a without the need of major assessments, while a semblance of order was kept in the alleys by peace-loving UCCs Ed Schlinger, Ed Matzner, Hank Keswick, Tony Malanoski, John Morrison, and Bob Madden. Cries of "Throw Katz out" often filled the dining room, but were always promptly dispelled by

Fleming vs. Throop



Stripped for action





GEORGE ABELL
ROBERT ADLER
DON ARNOLD
JOHN BEHNKE
BOB BIBLE

JOHN BJERKLIE
BOB BROSE
JOHN CAGLE
STU CAMERON
KEITH CAMPBELL

DICK CANTRELL
MELL CASSIDY
BILL CLAY
HENRY CLUTZ
JIM COLLINS

GEORGE COOKE

MORT CRAMER

PAUL CRAMER

SONNY CRUMP

DEAN DAILY

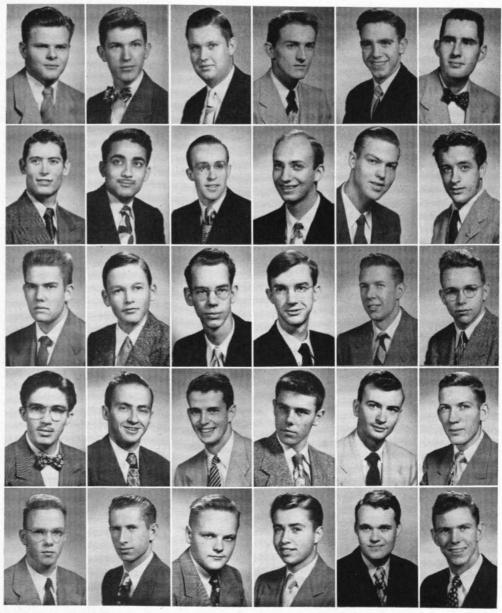
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TOM EMERY
JOHN FORGY
ALEX GANSA

JOHN GEE
WAHEED GHAURI
NORM GRAY
ALAN HABER
AL HAIRE
DON HANDEN

DICK HODGES
STEVE JACKMAN
DAVE JOHNSTON
JOHN JOHNSTON
DICK JONES
TAYLOR JOYNER

ROY KEIR
HANK KESWICK
JOHN KIDDER
TOM KIRKPATRICK
BUD KLARFELD
JIM KLIEGEL

RON KORSAK
HAROLD KRAMER
KAI KRISTENSEN
MO LERNER
BUD LeTOURNEAU
DICK LIBBEY



the heavy hand of constable Tony Malanoski, whose eye sent even the biggest floated frosh after the mop. John Gee as Librarian collected revenue from the House Library and saw to it that no one stole the pictures out of the latest Esquire.

Not to be outdone in ASCIT affairs, the Big Red had Tony Malanoski in the post of Beaver President, spreading the straight clue about Tech to potential future frosh. Dick Libbey led the Caltech YMCA on to new heights. Bill Sampson and John Johnston were the wheels of the band, and Budd Letourneau held editorships on both the California Tech and Big T. Six Fleming men swelled the ranks of Tau Beta Pi, and the Rally Commission, Orchestra, Debate Squad, and professional societies all claimed Fleming men as active participants.

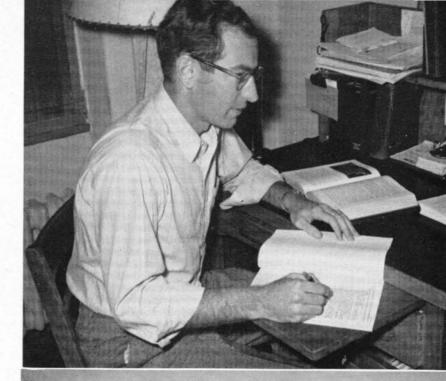
As usual Fleming put forth a colossal social program for 1950-51, made possible by the gallant and time-consuming efforts of co-social charimen Al Pitton and Mell Cassidy. Their infinite variety of gay and stupendous social affairs showed up the amorous instincts of a great throng of Flemingites, notably House lover John Forgy. A round of exchange dances provided amply for the filling of little black books, notable success being achieved especially with the charmers from South Pasadena. The fiances club of upper alley five also were steady attenders of the various events.

Behind the 8-ball

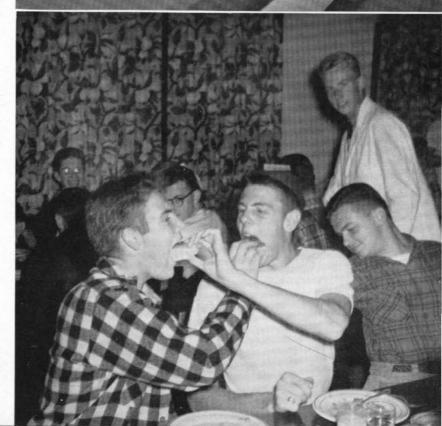
#### **FLEMING**

Yum!

The crowning event of the first term was, of course, the Interhouse Dance. Fleming's theme of Life on the Mississippi was effected by the conversion of the lounge into the grand ballroom of a showboat, with the side paddlewheels outside, the darkened bridge, refreshment salon in the dining room, and scattered nautical paraphernalia rounding out the decorations. Each term a very successful barn dance was held, at which the plaid shirts blossomed out and crew and flamer teams held up the honor of the house. High quality refreshments and Fleming's new ultramodern collection of 45 RPM records were featured at record dances following all athletic events. In February Timberlane Cottages at Lake Arrowhead was the scene of the annual weekend snow party, at which over thirty Fleming men and their dates enjoyed themselves skiing and just plain loafing about. A continued selection of beach parties, theater parties, formals, party dances, and other joie de vivre was promised for the spring term.









Pope George Cooke and his revered College of Cardinals blossomed forth in all their glory at the second term stag. In addition to the liquid and eyecatching entertainment, a number of unusual interalley contests were held to determine possession of the famous missing brass spittoon. Norm Peck will be long remembered for his agility with the marshmallows.

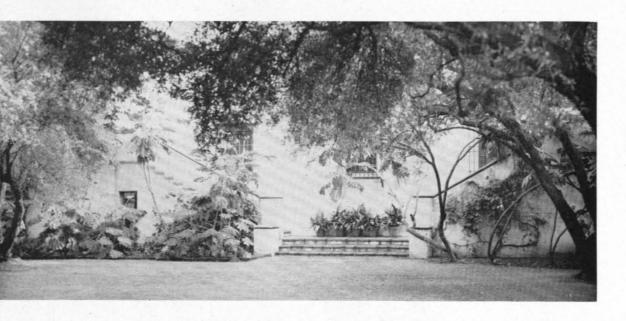
John Marion received the Golden Goose for a sad tale regarding the behavior of his auto on a cliff above Oxy. The usual water and orange fights with Dabney were in full sway, and the dangers from the Alley One baptismal rites beset any adventurous visitors to Bulman's belfry. The waiters Union had no trouble keeping the dinner consumption time under fifteen minutes.

A very active group of frosh was received into the fold in September but Friendship Chairman Brother Bruce Wallace succeeded in taming them and teaching the proper respect to Mr. Fleming and Prince Eugene, and in raising their sub-amoebic intelligence to the accepted level. The House was saddened by the loss of Bruce to the Army in January.

Fleming teams fought throughout the year in a valiant effort to retain the Interhouse Trophy in spite of disabilities and increased varsity participation. The Varsity Rating Trophy continued its long residence on the Fleming mantle, where it seemed likely to remain and the Discobolus spent its share of time on the local shelf. Norm Peck and Norm Gray worked hard as athletic managers, seeing that the Red teams were always ready for combat.

Outstanding seniors in Tech athletics include Dallas Peck and Noel Reed, both first string guards, whose

loss will be a blow to the Varsity. Peck was the recipient of the coveted Wheaton Trophy for outstanding football ability and leadership. Norm Gray, outstanding casaba - bouncer, John Gee, all-around sophomore athlete, Dick Libbey and Dick Von Herzen, in acquatic sports, and many others round out the list of Fleming Varsity athletes. All this rounds out another year of all - around accomplishments by the men of Fleming House.



#### **FLEMING**

BOB LYNHAM
BOB MADDEN
PIERRE MAHIEUX
TONY MALANOSKI
JOHN MARION
ED MATZNER

RANDY MOORE
JOHN MORRISON
AL NICHOLSON
GEORGE NORWOOD
DAN OLSSON
STEVE PARDEE

PETER PAULING
DALLAS PECK
NORM PECK
BOB PERPALL
AL PINE
JIM PINKERTON

AL PITTON
PHIL POTTER
ROBERT PROFET
CARL RAMBOW
DAVID RATHJE
NOEL REED

MORRIS ROBKIN
JOHN ROGERS
BENJI ROSEN
BILL SAMPSON
ED SCHLINGER
TOM SCRUGGS

TOM SLODOWSKI
DEAN SMITH
TED SMITH
PALMER SMITH
BOB SMITH
LARRY STARR

DAVID STEVENS

GEORGE STRANAHAN

JOE SUNDERLIN

DON SUTTON

NOBUYOSHI TAKAHASHI

DON TURCOTTE

DICK VON HERZEN
NEWMAN WADE
BOB WAID
BRUCE-WALLACE
JOHN WALTER
MILO WEBBER

RON WILLENS
COLE WILLIAMS
MING WONG
DAVE WOOD
BOB WOOD





With its traditional enthusiasm, Ricketts House roared through Selective Service and smog to another successful year of studies, sports, and the social whirl. House president and virtuoso of the three-toned dinner gong, voluble Kent Stratton ably led us in the paths of righteousness, the introduction of culture to the dining hall his only failure. The freshmen found a mother in VP Jim Enslow, whose calm efficiency was matched only by his Soph-imposed showers. Plying the fluent Secretarial pen, Ernie Dzendolet continued in the illiterate tradition, while Treasurer Alex Dessler retired to the infirmary with writer's cramp after a bookbalancing session. Under Johnny Moss's quiet management Ricketts became a formidable contender in Interhouse sports, and Phil Halverson covered himself with glory in the newly created position of Social Chairman. And latest addition to the House nobility was Resident Associate Dave Mason, whose patience and hardiness under duress has endeared him to our hearts.

Plunging with studied abandon into the social whirl, Ricketts mixed moonlight and modern magic into a glittering success in the Interhouse Dance. The theme, "Music Out of the Moon," was brought out by a vast interior "moonscaping" as revelers danced beneath the light of the glowing Earth and a host of twinkling stars, to music from the moon crater bandstand. In the court, its needle point reaching skyward, stood the shimmering Rocketship RKTS amid a battery of floodlights, flares, radar equipment, and an impressive firing panel. The official firing took place at eleven with a spectacular pyrotechnic display.

Also memorable on the social calendar was the annual Apache Dance, when the Ricketts underworld gathers in clandestine rendezvous in a small, notorious Parisian bistro. The flicker of candle light, the careless beret, the unshaven face, the short tight skirt, the soft music, . . . all combined to form a memorable evening.

Spring, amid countless beach parties, brought romance and sophistication as Ricketts men went high-hat to smooth music and fine food at the dinner-dance formal.

# RICKETTS



KENT STRATTON



Complementing the romantic formals and predatory exchanges was the ever-popular series of barn dances, where highbrow and hayseed mingle, and the lightning Ricketts Crew, sparked by Sewerpipe Polk, splashed competently through many a race.

The call-to-arms bit savagely into the carefree bachelor ranks of Ricketts House. Besides the untimely loss of Ted Romine, Riley Holly, and John Gliever to the Army, Navy, and Air Force respectively, and Al Marshall's temporary sojourn with Uncle Sam till he talked his sergeant out of it, tragedy struck as several hapless victims announced, amid a rain of cigars and symbolic suckers, their final surrender and engagements. They were individually consoled by sympathetic members of the House.

In the field of sports the monumental spirit and energy of Ricketts teams made them close contenders in every contest. Rich Smyth and Gene Shakespeare jogged home with first and second place for interhouse cross-country, the tennis team chalked up three tie-and-coatless suppers, and the spring volleyball and touch football teams lived up to their anticipated brilliant success.

MOSS, DESSLER, DZENDOLET, HALVERSON ENSLOW, STRATTON





#### RICKETTS

Oh-h Ball Paul!

In politics Ricketts promoted yell-leader Ulrich Merten to ASCIT President, newly-wed Olly Gardner to VP, and line-terror Dave Hanna to Athletic Manager. In the spring, House interest in campus affairs was demonstrated by the array of political candidates and literary aspirants running for office. The list was long, including President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Athletic Manager, Second Rep, California Tech Editor, and the business management of the California Tech and the Big T.

The initiation program, of particular interest to the Frosh, included the normal prelude of humiliation, damp encounters with neighboring houses, and the ordeal of

water-cooled meals, culminated by the official swearing in of the new members. The evening was concluded by an address by Nobel Laureate Dr. Robert A. Millikan, who shared his memories of Dr. Louis Ricketts and the genesis of this house, and later informally clued curious students on the origin of the Great White Cauldron squatting in the middle of the court.

Later in the term the Frosh had their first chance at the much-disputed Brakedrum, and many a night throughout the year its ringing challenge routed Sophomore and scum from their rooms to compete for the golden prize.

RODGER BAIER
FRED BAILEY
PHIL BATES
SID BELLINGER
CHUCK BENJAMIN
ROBERT BILES

PHIL BIRKLAND
DICK BROWN
DALE BURGER
RON CALDWELL
MIKE CALLAGHAN
FRANK CONNOR

RON CONNOR
BOB CRICHTON
LEE CUFF
ALEX DESSLER
CHUCK DUNN
DAVE DURHAM

JACK DYER

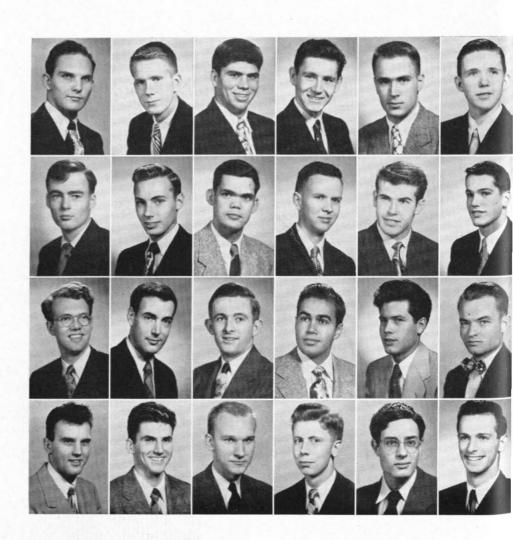
LARRY DYER

ERNIE DZENDOLET

WALT EAGER

BOB EASTON

STAN EILENBERG





DAVE ELLIOT
BARNEY ENGHOLM
JIM ENSLOW
ED EYLAR
OLLY GARDNER
BILL GARDNER

JOHN GLIEVER
BOB GRAFF
PHIL HALVERSON
KIM HAMBURGER
DAVE HANNA
JACK HARPER

PAUL HELFREY
LEE HENDERSON
CARL HIRSCH
RILEY HOLLY
JOHN HOLMES
DOUG INGLIS

GEORGE JOHNSTON
BRUCE KAISER
BABE KARASAWA
DAVE KNAPP
DAVE KOONS
CARL LARSON

A sedate aura of respect hovered over the House the night Ricketts entertained the entire DuBridge family at supper. For those of us whose last informal glimpse of Dr. Lee A. DuBridge was at Frosh Camp, the evening was a very pleasant opportunity to meet him and his family again. Several House wheels were noted showing Dick around the House, possibly in a vain attempt to lure him Tech-wise next fall.

But all is not fun and frolic at Ricketts. The House has produced its share of outstanding students, notably Dave Elliot, whose films of his rocket building ventures entertained and edified the student body at one of the finest assemblies of the year. The House, hardly noted for bookwormishness, is nevertheless familiar with the frequent and determined cry "Snake Time!"

Cumulatively, the year has been a highly successful one for Ricketts House. Caught between the grade-point and the draft, Ricketts nevertheless looks forward to the new fall term with anticipation, regretting the loss of the seniors and preparing for the new crop of freshmen.





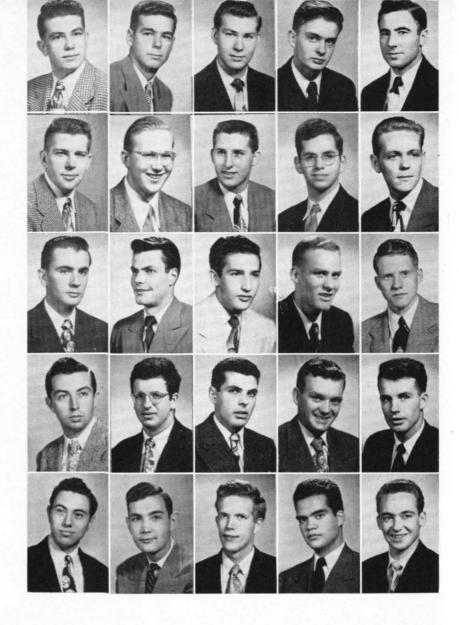
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CLIFF MAHLER
BILL McCORMICK
JACK McEWING

JAY McKINNEY
MIKE MECHERIKOFF
ULRICH MERTEN
DICK MILLARD
JOHN MOSS

RITCHEY NEWMAN
JOHN NOBLE
ANGEL OTTATI
BILL PARKER
GEORGE PATRAW

GIL PEPPIN
TED POLK
VIC PORIZKY '
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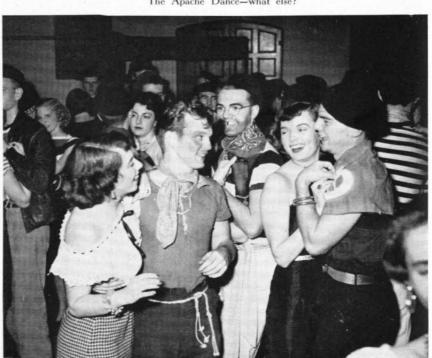


#### **RICKETTS**

Sweet music by Jack Harper



The Apache Dance-what else?





ARTHUR SAVRAN
AL SERENO
GENE SHAKESPEARE
JACK SIMMONS
RICH SMYTH

BOB SPENCER

RAY STANNARD

NEIL SUNDT

CHARLIE STEESE

KENT STRATTON

DICK TAYLOR
FRITZ THURSTONE
DON TIERNEY
DICK TRACY
TOM TYSON

SAM VODOPIA

DUD WAGNER

BRUCE WATKINS

JACK WALKER

JOHN WALL

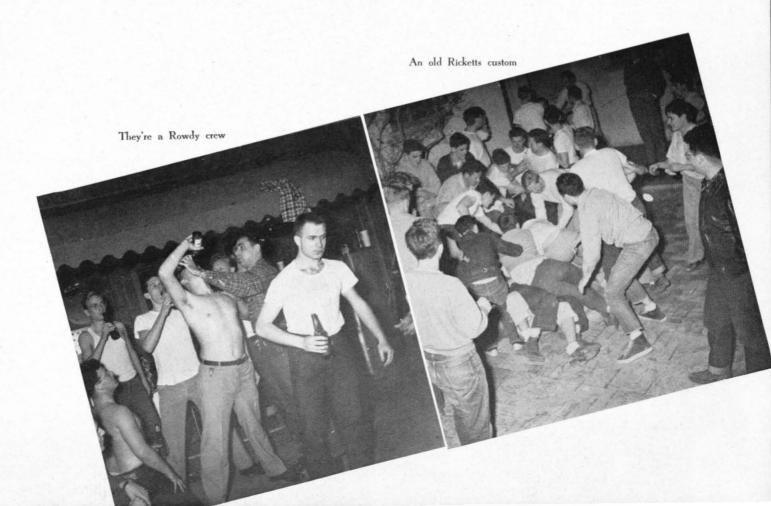
ERNEST WEBER

JOHN WEISNER

DICK WHITE

JIM WILSON

BOB SHERMAN





#### **THROOP**



Armstrong's engaged



Throop goes rustic

DUANE NEVERMAN

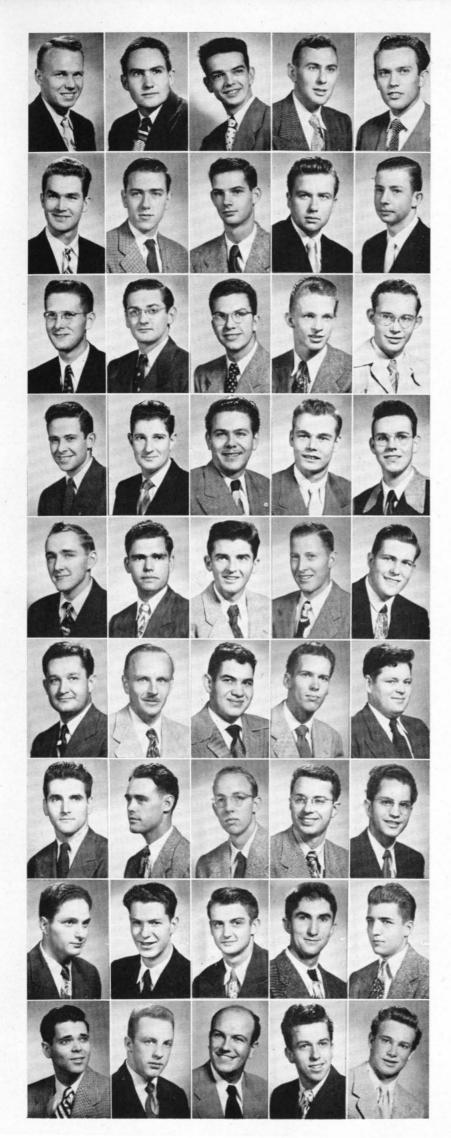


Amid a wave of political corruption and racketeering, Throop Club finally burst from its postwar lethargy into a daring, dazzling contender in all interhouse activities. In the spring of 1950, after the political bosses and gambling interests had elected a friendly administration, the sleepy club began to flex its muscles. That ever-popular (but corruptible) Duane Neverman was elected Dictator, and his chosen aides were Ray Destabelle, Vice-Dictator (and we do mean vice), Bill Edmondson, Treasurer (who proved to be the most persistent, tight-pursed, non-graft economist on the campus), and Ed Stofel, Secretary. The indication that things were going to be different next year came in the form of a thorough waxing of the student houses in IH football. With the Mosich-Patapoff pass combination and such linemen as "Moose" Fuller, Coach-player Neal Pings engineered a victory that touched even the heart of that eminent Historian and Advisor, Dr. Shutz.

When the fall of 1950 rolled around, Lyle Hoag and Pat Wilburn duly persecuted the Frosh initiates while instructing them that they







PAUL AAGAARD
PAUL ARMSTRONG
SAMUEL AUTREY
MICHAEL BASIN
JOHN BAUGHER

WAYNE BEEBE RICHARD BEMIS ROBERT BIXLER JAY BONDI GARY BOYD

ROBERT BOYER
HARTMOND BROOKS
ALLAN BURTON
GORDON CHAMBERS
STEPHEN CLARK

BOB COBB

PAUL CONCUS

BOB CONNELLY

NEAL COSAND

BEN DAVIS

JOHN DAY
RICHARD DONDANVILLE
WALTER EDWARDS
JOHN ELLIOT
FRED GARRISON

VICTOR GATES

JAMES GEHR

MELVIN GOLDBERG

VANCE GRANGER

MALBONE GREENE

RAYMOND HEACOCK
WILLIAM HENLEY
ROBERT HOLBROOK
RONALD HRUBY
RICHARD HYDE

JAMES IBERS
GEORGE JAFFRAY
CURTIS JOHNSON
ROLAND JOHNSON
BRUCE KAISER

CLYDE KELLEY
GIL KITCHING
FRANK LANG
CLARENCE LARSON
JOHN LLOYD



#### **THROOP**

Secret of Throop's finances

should never let their studies interfere with their college education. Receiving their education well the Frosh did such an uncouth thing as to rebel at a very inconvenient time during pledge week. Vice-Dictator Destabelle is still wet behind the ears, but the Frosh were thoroughly dried off and smoked out at a sidewalk picnic in front of Guggenheim. In due time, they became accustomed to their fate, and settled down to a peasant's life. Athletic manager Bob Cobb started the ball rolling on the IH trophy by producing a first in baseball and a second in basketball, to give Throop a slim lead at the end of the fall

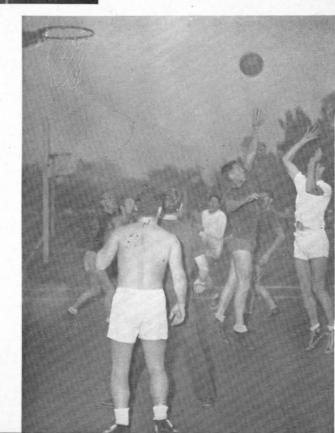
term. Dick Weeks led a bunch of old married men and Stan Rawn, in a sweeping 5—0 victory over Dabney on the handball courts to gain possession of the highly contended Discobolus. It adorned the Throop mantle through the Christmas holidays and was still collecting dust after upstart Fleming was so bold as to challenge for possession of it. They were immediately KO'd at basketball, with Vance Granger and Wayne Beebe leading the scoring.

The first term social activities, under the skillful guidance of playboy Gil Kitching, were a decided success. He mixed brawls, dolls, and molls with enough decent activities to maintain Throop's outwardly wholesome reputation. Barn dances, bowling parties, hayrides and, above all, the unforgettable IH dance, gave Frosh initiates plenty of opportunities to forget M.R.W. Throop's ingenious "Carnival" theme, complete with "lewd" sideshows, Marryin' Sam, various concessions, and Dick Hyde's orchestra, proved to be the main attraction of the evening, despite Ricketts' short-lived Rocket popularity. Come New Years Eve, all of Throop's gamblers, playboys, racketeers, that were still in town, pulled themselves together for a big blowout in Throop lounge, only to fall apart again at the first stroke of 1951 to kiss everyone else's woman while they still had a legitimate reason.



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#### **THROOP**



The second term got underway in spite of hangovers, headaches, and wild stories about a pair of white shorts. The gambling interests could now rightfully declare that they contributed to the Throop economy because of the conspicuous number of paid-up House members present in the club. There were some who doubted the validity of this type of economy, but with the aid of a few well chosen muscle men, these radicals were exterminated.

Continuing IH supremacy, Throop pulled through with a tie for first in softball, but only after that 9s, 100 yd. dash man, Reno Pierotti, made an astounding catch in right field. Ray Heacock and Gil Kitching, who ranked one-two in individual honors, helped Throop pulverize the Houses in IH track, to give the club a commanding 88 to 67½ trophy lead over second place Blacker. With strong prospects in swimming and football, Bob Cobb and other Throopers are hopefully eyeing a spot on the mantle where soon may rest the IH trophy. That spot is now occupied by the Discobolus, which was won back from Ricketts in handball, 3-2, after they chose to defend themselves against the old married men rather than face a young, sturdy, baseball crew.

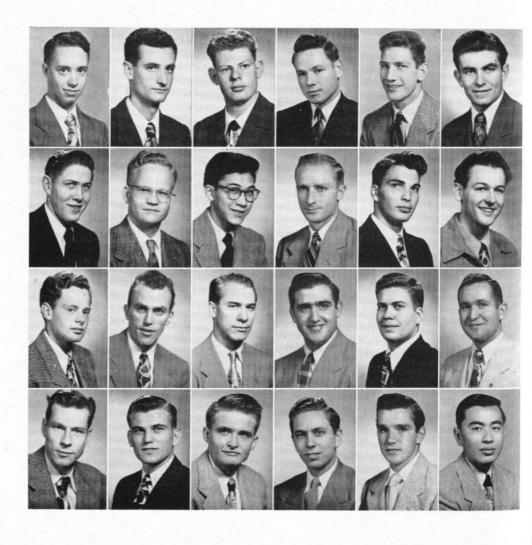
Much of the success of this outstanding year at Throop Club can be attributed, not to the petty bosses or their henchmen, but to that real political shyster, John A. Schutz. He had the effrontery to leave his political hangout any time

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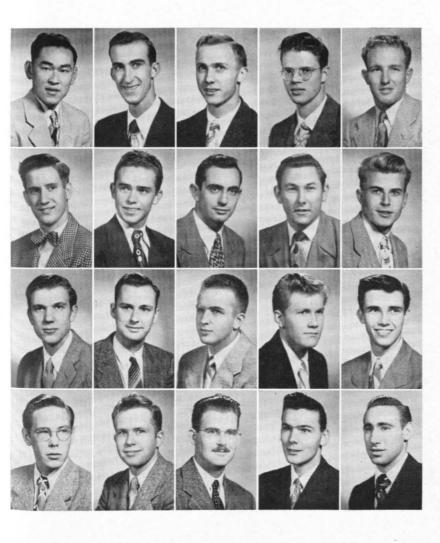
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that his boys were involved in IH warfare. He even attracted public attention by his undignified and unethical appearances along the sidelines for the purpose of cheering the boys on. Because Schutz successfully evaded all of the various traps of that economist, Edmondson, it was decided that such a talented person should be made an honorary member for the coming year. (Besides, he has a way with wealthy women.) The members would have made it for life, but for Edmondson's veheraent objections that such a monetary loss would undoubtedly affect the entire future of Throop Club.





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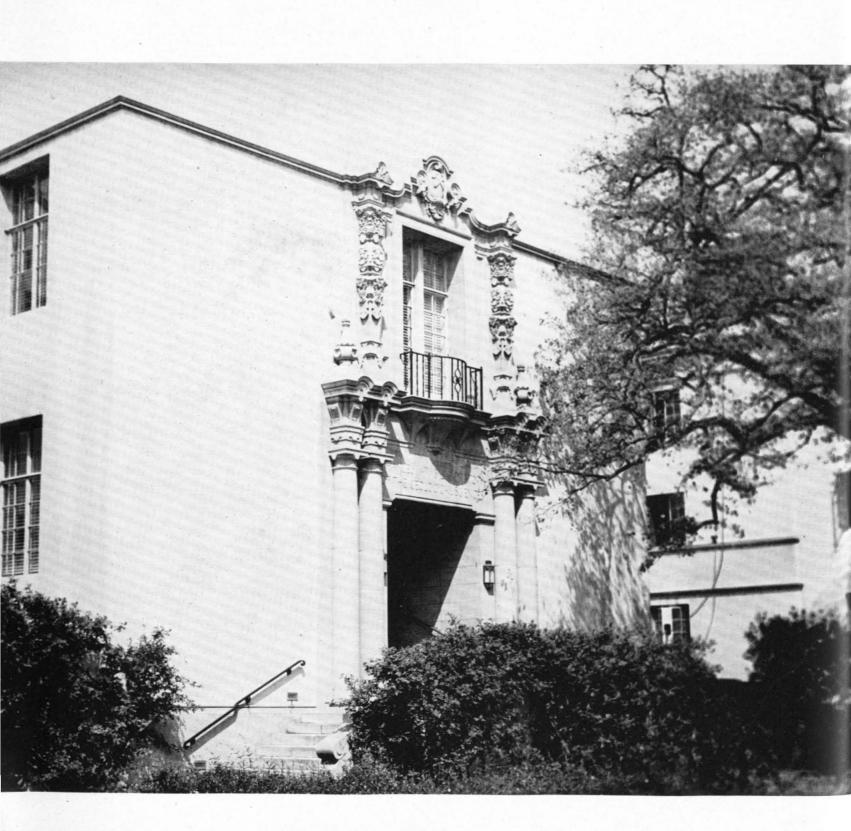
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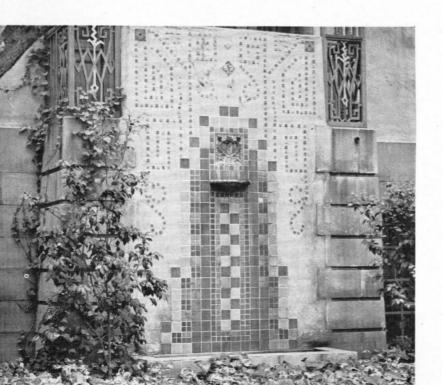
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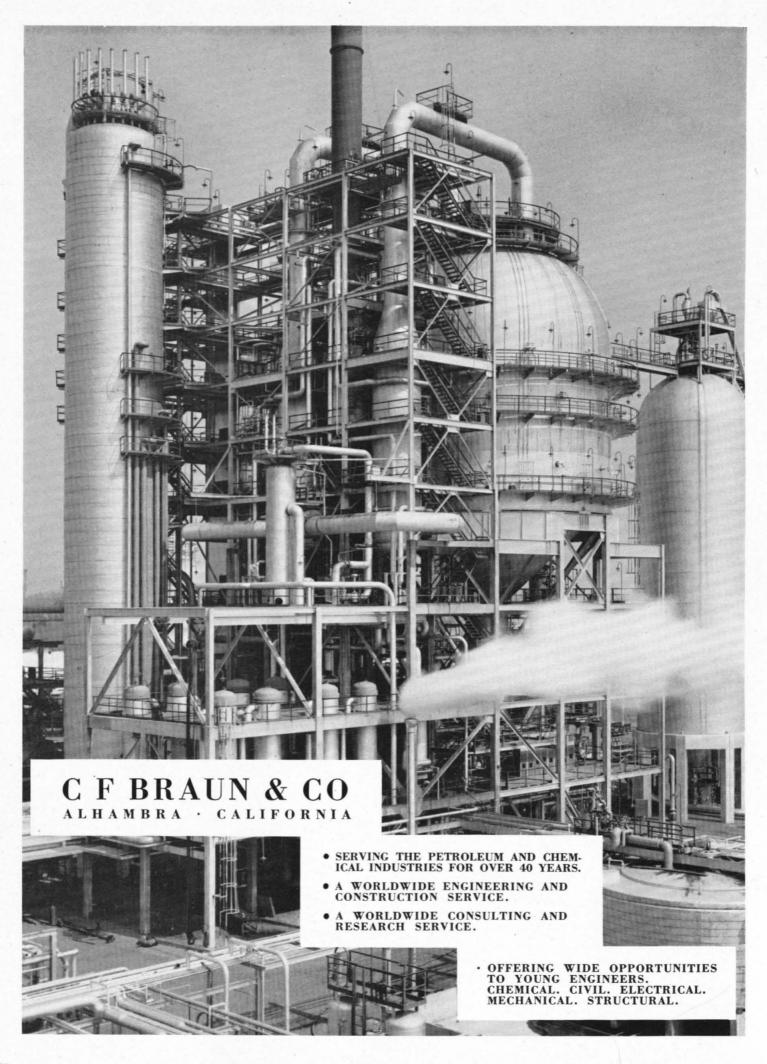


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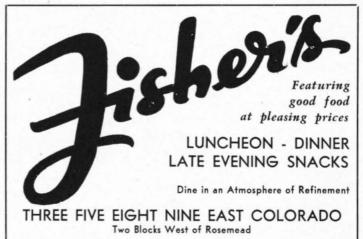
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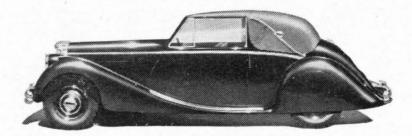
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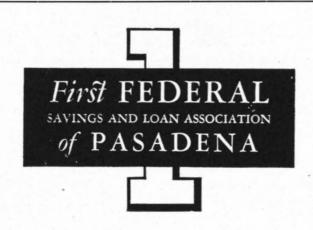
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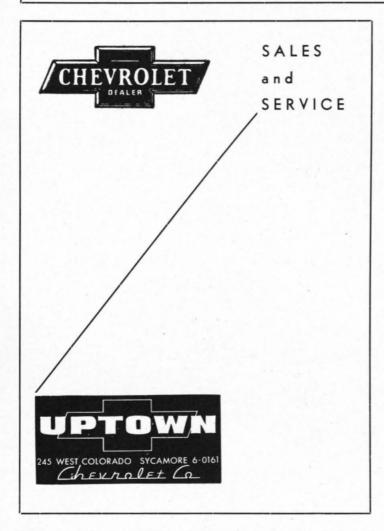
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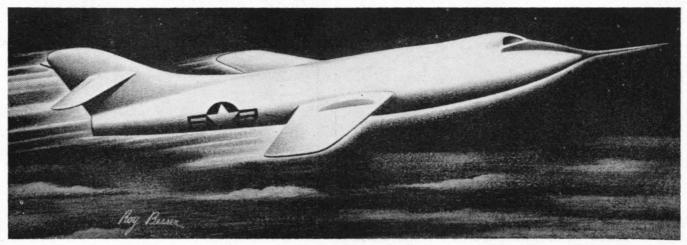


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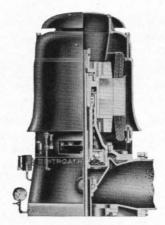
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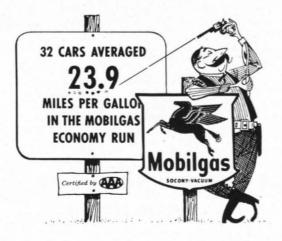
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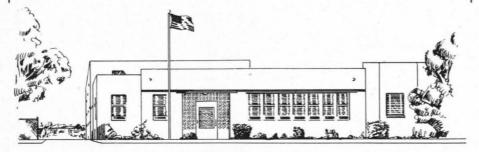


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