Candidates Withdraw; Controversy Cools

by Dick O'Malley

Last-minute withdrawals and the addition of a write-in candidate for ASCIT President have entirely changed the complexion of Tuesday's balloting for ASCIT officers. But what promised to be an inordinately interesting event is still inordinately interesting.

Most of the interest in the last few days has been in the sudden withdrawal of the candidates of Alan Shusterman and Phil Naecker for the offices of Vice President and BOC Secretary, respectively. The current Board of Control had been split on the question of whether to support these candidates or the candidates of Steve Greaves and Jill Becktold instead, but that question has apparently been resolved rather efficiently.

Editors Go Grey

In fact, it was resolved so suddenly that at least one Tech editor was prepared to write an editorial supporting a "no" vote for the two offices until an explanation could be given.

Unfortunately for the proponents of controversy, Shusterman says he withdraws simply because he didn't feel he'd have time enough to do the job as well as he'd like. Hence, Naecker also withdrew, because he'd considered his candidacy as that of a token write-in.

This left the opposition (such as it was) in a quandary. The possibility of actually running a "no" campaign was mentioned, but was not seriously considered in the light of the sudden withdrawal of the BOC member. "No such campaign was mounted since there were insufficient flaws in these candidates to warrant it."

The sudden reappearance of Larry Wise as a (write-in) candidate for President creates an excellent chance of having the election thrown into a runoff (probably to be held, if needed, sometime next week along with the proposition that's somewhere in this issue). Jim Buckman and Dick Beatty will be listed on the ballot, though, and Wise will not be, which makes it difficult to predict any kind of outcome.

The other withdrawal was that of Rich Feldman from candidacy for IHC Chairman (for tandem-mount to the same reasons as Shusterman's withdrawal). This cuts the race down to a traditional Page-Fleming battle between Richard Atwater on the south side and Dennis Mallonre to the north.

Foods Walk In

The only other race of truly continued on Page Two

Watson Lectures

Hoyle Draws Two Full Houses

by SMC Sweeney

One thousand people were turned away Monday night from the Watson lecture series as Sir Fred Hoyle packed both Beckman and Ramo auditoriums with his talk on "The Emergence of Intelligence in the Universe."

Dr. Willy Fowler introduced Sir Fred, reciting his long list of honors and accomplishments. Although most Techers are familiar with Hoyle's SF, most probably don't know he has authored an opera libretto, among other items.

One in a Hundred

Hoyle began by limiting the area of his speculation for the evening to some sort of chemical based on carbon existing under reasonable conditions (i.e. no sun creatures or black hole denizens). If one assumes at least roughly similar conditions and circumstances to the Earth's, then one can expect many beings like us simply from the vast number of planets involved.

Sir Fred elaborated, estimating that perhaps half the stars in our galaxy have planets (about 100 billion planets). In the solar system, only the earth so far is known to harbor life. Hoyle demonstrated with slides how different the appearance of the earth is from the appearance of other bodies in the solar system. He concluded that life as Earth knows it may not arise elsewhere in the solar system.

Making order-of-magnitude guesses, Hoyle estimated that perhaps 90% of all planets are unsuitable astronomically (too close or far from sun, etc.) for life, and that 90% of these are probably chemically wrong (not carbon, oxygen). This gives about a billion potential life-sites throughout the galaxy. Hoyle speculated that the 10% favorable percentage may rise in the future, pointing out that similar pessimistic predictions in the past have given way to more optimism.

Techers Scrounge Too

Given these probabilities for at least favorable conditions for the development of life, Hoyle estimated that maybe 10 to 100 million cases of life have arisen in the galaxy. This would put the closest site about 30 parsecs away.

Of all the instances of life in the galaxy, how many can be expected to be "intelligent"? One needs to know the level of "intelligence," the frequency with which organisms attain this level and how. Hoyle postulated an assignment of "intelligence" according to the complexity of an organism's nervous system. In this case, the threshold of "intelligence" is only slightly below ourselves.

Hoyle suggested that organisms acquire more complex nervous systems in "scrounging," as be it called, for food-energy. As an organism scrounges, it improves its nervous system, which in turn improves its ability to scrounge, and so on. Eventually, if a species survives, its nervous system may become as complex as ours--thus indicating "intelligence."

We've Had It

Once intelligence has appeared somewhere, it is necessary to estimate how long it will persist. If there are many instances of intelligent life lasting but a tiny fraction of the life of the universe, our chances of finding them will be slim indeed.

Looking at numbers, Hoyle continued on Page Seven

PEG Program Starts Wednesday

by Dave Sivecrets

You may have noticed a few unfamiliar faces at dinner in your house this week. They were people working with the Personal Encounter Group Program. It's an encounter session to find out what's all about. As an example of what it's about, here's the reporter's report:

"What do you really think about it?"

"It's a good chance to meet people you wouldn't otherwise meet.

"You work on yourself. You think about things other than tomorrow's homework."

"Being a member of this group gives me a good place to test my emotions and get sincere feedback."

"It's a great place to meet people they really want to know you."

"You get direct confrontation no workaround. You can test your own theory of reality safely."

"Learn how to relate to people, so your needs can be met, and you meet some really neat people."

"It's safe to be honest and Continued on Page Three
Blood ‘n’ Gore

We last saw Fred as he began to ride with the expedition to the ancient ruins. We now rejoin his first adventure, already in progress.

We rode along in double column. Hugh at the front, myself near the middle next to a local village pastor named Atha­nasius. For obscure reasons Atha­nasius considered himself a mis­sionary to the “heathen” elves. His latest potential convert was Am­alric, a surly elf who only travelled with Catholics because he liked to ride with them.

In such a company of fifteen adventurers and their hired men I approached the ruins of the ancient castle. It lay at the top of a low rise, reduced by time to a mass of fallen stones under a light blanket of new snow. The previous expedition had scouted out the surface and left markers at all the openings that led underground. The markers were gone now, but Lloyd found a likely looking entrance near the middle of the ruins. A brief discussion among all the party led to a common point. We were about to enter a long column with fighters at both ends and the minds of the monsters (including myself and) eldritch clumped in the middle. A few torches were lit, the horses tied, and we started down a passage that sloped gently down into the earth.

Down Deep

After descending for about forty feet the passage leveled out and ran another forty feet till it reached a wall. At this point there was a door on the left side and another passage branching to the right at ninety degrees and ending in a door ten feet away. The door on our left yielded easily to a shoulder, revealing a corridor running off into the distance with a brace breaking off to right away from it about ten feet down. We started in this direction.

I had just reached the door when I heard a noise to my right and turned to see a mob of blood-thirsty hobgoblins bursting through the door and charging toward the defensesless center of our party. Thinking fast (at least as fast as I ever think) I threw my spell at them.

The first sixteen fell over unconscious and I ran for the rear of the party as the next wave came trampling over them.

The Fighting Begins

Amalric and Robert pushed past me followed by the other fighting men of the rear guard. Opposite them in the doorway appeared Hugh and in between surged the hobgoblins cutting our party in half. Hugh ran one of the monsters through with his first blow and then leaped off the head of the one behind him. His side one of our group went down. A volley of arrows feathered two in the second rank while our swords sliced up the first. Amalric fell over dead with a curse on his lips, killed from behind by a sling shot from one of our own hirelings.

The fighting intensified as the hobgoblins tried to push back our line. A cruel blow struck down Robert and Lloyd leapt forward to take his place. Then from the far end of the party came the cry that they were outmatched. A group of the hobgoblins had taken an alternate corridor and come out at the branch just beyond the door where they fell upon the front of our own party with a fury.

Hugh fell, and I ran for the city and Continued on Page Seven

Controversy

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An unusual consequence is, surpris­ingly enough, the race for class president of Tech. Two individuals have decided to risk flunking themselves out in the quest for journalistic experience. The current editors have made no bones about staying neutral, and in fact favor the team of Chauney, Llewellyn, Swirtsen, and Yashi­da, primarily because a team of editors ensures that at least one of them will remain academically达标. Tim Groat did not submit a statement, and remains obscure about his motives. Sandy Mc­Corquodale, on the other hand, has not been so obscure, and is vehement about the lack of quality exhibited lately in the workmanship, which is fully visible as a treat for the eyes of any Caltech student. Sandy Mc­Corquodale, on the other hand, has not been so obscure, and is vehement about the lack of quality exhibited lately in the workmanship, which is fully visible as a treat for the eyes of any Caltech student.

I have interviewed Gul Agha, candidate for Treasurer, and find him exceptionally wellqualified for the office. He has had ample past experience in previous offices and shows himself to be competent in handling financial affairs. As this office is prac­tically a three-day-a-week job requiring a fair amount of skill, I urge you to vote for Gul Agha. —Olé Anderson

AsSThEre

Obscure Letter Received

It is easy to ascertain that most Techers consider ASCIT pretty Mickey-Mouse, to wonder if per­haps our elections have something to do with it.

“Tis possible that pending the nominations sheet in Winnie last Friday when one individual came to me at the office... “There must be something I can do in ASCIT.” He took a brief look at the list and proceeded to Continued on Page Three

Paper Sponsors Contest, Prizes

(Nuclear-Powered Typewriter)

Twelve years ago The Calif­ornia Tech offered its genuine antique L.C. Smith typewriter to the authentic Caltech under­graduate who could come up with the best Tom Swiftly. George Reeke of Ricketts took first place with the classic “I just don’t understand quantum mechanics,” Tom paid starrily. Reeke never claimed his reward. After a decade plus of waiting for Reeke (the toad) to show up, we’re going to declare the previous contest null and void.

Hence, The California Tech is pleased to sponsor a contest for the best Caltech-oriented Tom Swiftly submitted by midnight, Friday, February 28, by any authentic Caltech undergraduate. The prize for this contest is, of course, a full-sized office typewriter. This is no piece of junk, this is no trash; it is out of the goodness of our hearts that we contribute this fine quality-filled item for the advancement of the art of handwriting.

This fine, antique L.C. Smith typewriter has both upper and lower cases, an important ad­vancement in the field of type­writer construction. The fine

FRANKLY SPEAKING

by Phil Frank

Three more volunteers like Rita and we could sign up the whole school.
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Campus Calogy

Dissent Brings Needed Changes

by Walter Cronkite

(Mr. Cronkite is Managing Editor of the CBS Evening News. He
has been a reporter for more than thirty years. In 1962, the
Cronkite was awarded a Peabody Award and a National Tele-
vision News Award, among other awards. In 1969, he received
the Wtre Award of the American Press Institute.)

After a few thousand years of
self-civilization, there are so	t
ting, non-verbal communi-
sation, body-painting, and body
image (how you see your body—
ugly, athletic, etc. and how this
affects your behavior) are gone
through.

It's great, I'm relaxed just talking with you.

G: "It's a lot of fun. There's no
right or wrong, we don't try to reach
a conclusion, because life's not a
course.

At the end, it's hard to say
what's happened. We're not
problem oriented—just sharing
and growth.

"Each year I've been in this,
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write down an office. A couple of
seconds later someone pointed
out that he had signed up for
a non-elective office. He then
looked at the listing closely this

Try Freedom of speech, press and
religion. It is the foundation of our free-
dom. It does mean that we must
let our revulsion to the
transgressions of the militants blind
us. Society is going to change,

The only question is whether youth's
tendency to help and,
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Procedure

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candidates the person with the
largest plurality will be elected.

Anyone who understands all of
the above can consider himself
in line to succeed Cronkite as

Remember this, though.
ASCI provides a means of
expressing dissatisfaction with all of
the candidates. A vote "no" is
a vote against everyone running for
an office. Don't hesitate to cast it if you feel overcome by
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Jim Backus
Richard Beatty

VICE PRESIDENT
Steve Grennan

SECRETARY
Dol Anderson
Eric Kaler

TREASURER
Gail Asha
Chen Sun
David Whitcomb

IHC CHAIRMAN
Richard Atwater
Dennis Mallon

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS
Bob Bleicher
Jon Teich

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES
Jack Bacon
Keith Jenkins

DIRECTOR-AT-LARGE
Marc Berger
Lee Fisher
Chris Wheeler

ACTIVITIES CHAIRMAN
Joel Gunter

ATHLETIC MANAGER
Carol Stevens
Team of Raymond Jean
Deborah Wilson

BOC SECRETARY
Jim Bechtold

TECH EDITOR
Tim Groat
Sandy McCroroudale
Team of Brian Chaney
Jim LeWellyn
Dave Sivertsen
Ken Yoshida

NEWS BRIEFS
In accordance with the ASCIT By-Laws, absentee ballots may be cast by anyone who expects to be absent from campus on Tuesday. This can be done by seeing Jill Evansater (Lloyd) any time before midnight Monday.

Jim Backus

"DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT. The President shall be the official representative of the student body, and shall be chairman of the Board of Directors and a member of the Executive Committee. He shall have ultimate responsibility for the proper observance of all responsibilities delegated to members of the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, or any committee thereof."

Jim Backus

The first order of business is to find out what the students want and communicate their ideas to the administration. By establishing a new post similar to the Dean of Students but directed more toward personal needs than managerial duties is desirable. More student feedback would be good, not just for students but also for the administrators, who I feel want to know what the students want and are not getting any coherent sort of impression of student attitudes from those with whom they talk. The only other immediate goal is to sharpen the security force and hopefully cut down on thefts.

In the long run, I, for one, would like to see ASCIT take a larger role in the management of student-related businesses concerning food, housing, and recreation. Such a program holds twofold promise in that it gives the students ultimate responsibility for those affairs with which they are most dissatisfied, namely, inefficient maintenance, poor food, and rising costs, and it provides an opportunity for the ambitious person to work his way through school while acquiring experience in an economic context. In particular this applies to those services which are not under the direct management of the Institute. In the past similar efforts have yielded significant results, reflected not only in the students' paychecks but also in a higher standard of service and lower costs.

Dick Beatty

ASCIT's mission is two-sided. First, and most obvious to students, is the 15 kilobucks/year sponsorship that social events, parties, clubs, etc. In the past it has done a reasonable job at this but everything can improve.

But the other role of ASCIT, and perhaps the more important one, is acting as the official student voice in academic, administrative, and community affairs. As students we are very directly affected by Institute policy and therefore need a strong voice (Whether or not we are heard is another matter). Student opinion has a positive effect on both the Board of Control and the Institute, and such is probably more accurately interpreted and presented.

I'd like to get ASCIT moving for the students. We could all sit on our collective corporate rump and let the world pass us by-but if Caltech is really "at the leading edge" we deserve better. Student participation is very important, and I try to interpret and present it accurately.

Steve Grennan

The Vice-President's first concern is with his job as Chairman of the Board of Control. The role of the Chairman, as I see it, is to assist, rather than to direct, the Board in arriving at its decisions. Before the meeting, this purpose is accomplished by investigating all aspects of the case awaiting consideration, assembling facts of evidence and testimony into a consistent picture of the matter before bringing it to the Board for consideration. Often this information is gathered from several sources, and the investigation takes a good many hours.

When the case is ready for presentation to the Board, the meeting is called by the Chairman, and his role changes from investigator to moderator. During the meeting, the Chairman's task is to furnish all information which could have a bearing on the decision of the Board; in the discussion, his purpose is to make certain that all arguments are fairly represented, and that every member's opinions are heard.

When the meeting is concluded, the Chairman's task is to represent the opinion of the Board to the Dean, in sufficient detail that the Dean will be able to follow the case through its chronological development, reviewing the reasons for the Board's decision, and make in informed judgment of his own. Stated briefly, these are the responsibilities of the Chairman. I bring to the job an understanding of the Honor System, and a knowledge of Board procedure, but most important is the experience I have gained in the last year as Secretary of the Board. The Secretary has access to the records of the BOC, and is aware of cases currently awaiting consideration, before they are brought to the Board. The Secretary sometimes assists the Chairman with investigations, or can carry them out independently, and occasionally helps write the recommendations to the Dean. I have experience with these things, which a regular board member does not. And, I have enjoyed the work. What I get from it is a sense of personal satisfaction from helping with work I consider to be very important.

In addition to his work in connection with case meetings, the Chairman must coordinate other Honor System-related work, such as the talks with Computing Center administrators and student users during the summer, which resulted in a policy revision statement on computer use, published in the Tech. I term. And, his attention is not entirely confined to the undergraduate community. Because of the number of grads and undergrads taking the same courses, it is a matter of concern to the BOC Chairman, as well as his counterpart on the GRB, that graduating students receive a thorough orientation to the Honor System.

But, the Vice-President is not only concerned with the BOC. The Constitution also be a responsi

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PRESIDENT

Dick Beatty

"DUTIES OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT. The Vice-President shall, during absences of the President, assume the duties of that office. He shall be a member of the Board of Directors, the Executive Committee, of the Board of Control. He shall assist the President in coordinating the policies of the Associated Students, and in his capacity as such, also help to insure the continuance of the Honor System as a vital force among the students."
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Jon Teich

The duties of the Director for Academic Affairs demand initia­tive and leadership. Every student has the right to be a voting member of the Board of Directors, and there are ideas and concerns that we must address. I believe that you, the students, are capable of making decisions that affect your lives. The student body is the heart of Caltech. I am dedicated to strengthening the student voice at Caltech.

By Brian Chaney

The EPC is also working on a revision of the Honor System rules for next year and the academic faculty committee. This is an important issue, especially in light of recent events. The EPC is working to ensure that the Honor System is fair and just.

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MTI Training Killer Hoppers

by T. Tinseleck

Imply it is may seem, the kangaroo article that appeared three weeks ago in The California Tech was a hoax. Evidence has been uncovered that the article was actually a small part of a vast plot masterminded by MIT, with the avowed purpose of undermining Caltech’s status as the foremost science institution in the world.

The plot was uncovered through the efforts of a Tech staffer who was assigned to follow up the kangaroo story. Wandering into Spalding expecting the worst he found, much to his surprise, that there wasn’t a kangaroo in sight—not even a mutated one.

It was patently obvious that the article was not only a hoax, but it was also seeped in cartoon satire. Our intrepid staffer scoffed a rat.

Headlong into the Breach

An editor confirmed the staff’s suspicions: the article in question was not only a lie, but it was also a gross violation of the policy statement. The MTI editors who produced the story were relieved to hear that their efforts had not been in vain.

Fiends in Sheep’s Skin

For two years, M.T.I. has been infiltrating Caltech with an unknown number of agents cleverly disguised as transfer students and graduate students. Rumor has it that the fragile disguise is threatened by a high level of M.T.I. administrators who have infiltrated the institution. The story is about to be published.

Suspicion grows: someone, somewhere, has successfully infiltrated the defenses of Caltech with an unholy weapon. Rumor has it that the MTI editors have infiltrated the community. The story is about to be published.

Ah, but how, you ask? Simple in theory, find the problems and the complaints, and help inform the community about the honor system and the workings of the B.O.C. Also, the Secretary is a staff liaison to the chairman of the Board of Directors who is called upon to represent the chair of the Board. This may include helping investigate suspected honor system violations, helping write recommendations to the Dean, and helping inform the community about the honor system and the workings of the B.O.C.

During case meetings, the Secretary has a unique and important role. She or he has prior knowledge of the case and hence has more time to prepare the issues involved. Unlike the Chairman, who must remain neutral throughout the meeting, the Secretary may help side crystallize their arguments, and help the Chairman.

The Secretary also pursues projects which the Chairman does not have time to do. For example, I would like to organize a revision of the Honor System Booklet, including in it the policy statements that the Board has written since its publication. I believe that the B.O.C. because I think the honor system is an important part of life at Caltech. I have enjoyed my work as house B.O.C. rep and would enjoy the duties of Secretary of the Board. I am willing to devote a good deal of time and energy to being Secretary of the Board, and I think I could perform the duties honorably, fairly and openly to the job.

Jill Bechold

DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD: To be secretary of the B.O.C.

Jill Bechold

The Secretary of the Board of Control has two main duties. One is helping the Chairman of the Board, usually associated with the job of secretary of an organization—answering mail, setting up meetings, outlining notices about meetings, etc. More importantly, the Sec­retary calls our own Chairman of the Board. This may include helping investigate suspected honor system violations, helping write recommendations to the Dean, and helping inform the community about the honor system and the workings of the B.O.C. Also, the Secretary is a staff liaison to the chairman of the Board of Directors, who is called upon to represent the chair of the Board. This may include helping investigate suspected honor system violations, helping write recommendations to the Dean, and helping inform the community about the honor system and the workings of the B.O.C.

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The Team

Not so long ago, you even in the memories of the bewhiskered staff, The California Tech was respected across the world, even taken into the Soviet Union.

But, lo, a great shadow fell across the world. The spleen of Eugenian, decayed and decrepit, is loath to best itself.

A team of energetic freshmen have taken it upon themselves to rouse the dying beast. Ah, but you, ask you? Simple in theory, find the problems and cure them. In practice it is another matter.

We all make jokes about the Tech not being worth the paper it’s printed on, but when it comes down to it, it is hard to find but all the most blatant problems. We may report to the Dean, but there is little we can do until these are actually encountered in the same way others can begin to solve now.

In this example of the need for more contributors, not just staff writers, but everyone. By gathering more material from the Caltech community at large, we want to make the paper more important to student needs.

That’s really what it’s all about.

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MIT Training Killer Hoppers

by Steve Grennan

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It is somewhat difficult to review this show for all you entertainment-hungry readers, since the only chance you will have in the immediate future to see this combination at the Ice House is Sunday night. The reason for this will be explained later. On to the review itself.

The Muledear and Moondog Medicine Show (note: this is not to be confused with the MMSMMS) are a duo of sorts, yet they are somewhat difficult to see in that limited scope since they fill up the entire stage at all times. Their act involves skits, raucous, blackouts, improvisations, and the audience, among other things that you probably haven't seen before. This is a very good thing, in that it is refreshing, but at the same time somewhat difficult to view in that limited scope since it is the fact that the featured act is the Ice House will be Pat Paulsen. Pat Paulsen gained national notoriety as the man who did sort of a calypso number (making funny noises with his hands) for the showcase. In all forty had attacked us and we'd lost nine men repelling them. We were roused from our thoughts by a lookouts' frantic signals. A large force of orcs was bearing down on us from the same direction as the hobgoblin attack. This time we had a moment to prepare ourselves and we used it well. Hugh crouched with the front line of orcs whose sword broke off at the hilt. He was looking for Hugh. I found him lower in orcs with the blood of fourteen monsters on his sword, blood flowed and dripped among the dying creatures. The orcs' morale wavered and broke. With a yell of triumph, they followed us as they fled down the corridor and disappeared. As the sounds of fighting moved away I worked my way forward to look for Hugh. I found him lower in orcs with the blood of fourteen monsters on his sword, blood flowed and dripped among the dying creatures. The orcs' morale wavered and broke. With a yell of triumph, they followed us as they fled down the corridor and disappeared.

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shoulder through the clerks and we began to meet this new threat. Wild-eyed with triumph he did all night. Another song, which I have never heard, and entitled "Love Games," was also very good. To live things up he did most of a calypso number subtitled "Any Port in a Storm." (The title was "Wham, Bam, Thank You Mam," but I didn't mention that.) Martin Yarbrough is just the sort of act that you should see. The Ice House has a board of directors that the Ice House will be Pat Paulsen. Pat Paulsen gained national notoriety as the man who did sort of a calypso number (making funny noises with his hands) for the showcase. In all forty had attacked us and we'd lost nine men repelling them. We were roused from our thoughts by a lookouts' frantic signals. A large force of orcs was bearing down on us from the same direction as the hobgoblin attack. This time we had a moment to prepare ourselves and we used it well. Hugh crouched with the front line of orcs whose sword broke off at the hilt. He was looking for Hugh. I found him lower in orcs with the blood of fourteen monsters on his sword, blood flowed and dripped among the dying creatures. The orcs' morale wavered and broke. With a yell of triumph, they followed us as they fled down the corridor and disappeared.

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Fencers Strike PCC

by Lt. Brigade

Last Thursday, the Caltech Fencing Team beat (yes, folks, I said beat) the followers of P.C.C. in fair and honest competition by a score of 7 to 2. This victory reversed the results of a previous match, in which Caltech was defeated by a similar score. I guess that this goes to prove that on any given Thursday, any team can...

The members of last week’s victorious foil team were John Ernest and Steve Comens of Loyd, and Paul Whitmore of Rice, allophoners. After the official nine bouts were completed, other members of the Caltech team fenced the P.C.C. followers. This series ended due to lack of time tied at a score of 142.

Training in the other two weapons continues, with freshmen and others learning the basics of epee and saber. As yet, we have no set lineup in these weapons, so persons interested in fencing can take the class thus learning the fundamentals, and then make a spot for themselves on the team. Let me add, that we hope to have a good turnout next year, one that may enable us to repeat our league, but only if we can get a woman’s foil team. Here’s your chance, women of Caltech, to participate in a sport where no matter how good the turnout is, we would not be allowed to compete without your help.

In any case, next week’s meet against Cal State LA has been moved to Tuesday night, so the results ought to appear in next week’s Tech.

No TV for Oxy Game

by Bob D.T. Handy

Because the forum has not been sold out for the Caltech vs. Occidental hockey game this Saturday, Feb. 22, at 3:15 p.m., there will be no T.V. coverage.

Bob Watson, steel-throwing specialist, and Dan Avey, the cunning tacticalist, and Herb Winnett of the Associated Students of the Caltech Tennis Club, are upset that more spectators will not come to see what promises to be an exciting hockey game.

“It’s hockey,” as one fan put it, “is the most exciting of all sports. Watching Caltech take on Occidental is almost a religious experience. The excitement is so great, it’s like a religious experience.”

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Track Splits Round Meet

by Dave Siverson

Last Saturday the Tech track team opened their season with a victory over La Verne and defeat over national track powerhouse Occidental in a three-way dual meet.

Due to a minimum of material, Caltech took La Verne 71-50. Against La Verne, Shuman threw the javelin a strong 153-2, Herbert heaved the shot 45-8, his best yet. Gregg Gildner turned over a personal record 54.7 quarter, nipping La Verne in the tape with a final time. Duane Griffin and Ray Jean scored in the half mile, and Herbert paid off again in the discus.

The Caltech team, as yet undefeated this season, urges fans to take advantage of this phenomenon, once in a lifetime, free seat offer at the Fabulous Forum. Come and see what will almost certainly be a triumph of the human spirit. Enjoy a cram of excitement. "Watching Caltech hockey," as one fan put it, "is instant transportation to the gates of ecstasy." So come on, we mean, we goddamn invited you, against national track powerhouse Occidental in a three-way dual meet.

Propositioned Again!

Sometimes during the week after next Tuesday’s elections there’ll probably be a run-off election for one or two ASCIF offices. But even if there isn’t, there’ll be a proposition on the ballot. This one...

Proposition 1/5

to change Article XVI Section 7b from:

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theatre his lecture. The administrator for these special shows (additional opportunities to see Pat Paulsen live) don’t grow on trees) is $3.50, which is what you pay for some places to see Rock and roll and the Nobodies. Anyway, if you get a chance to see these special benefit shows, you get the chance. Oh, by the way, in case you are wondering why Pat Paulsen wouldn’t give me a discount, I might have something to do with the fact that he, like many other people, doesn’t even try to make a profit after all costs and expenses have been paid for, that profit shall be given to the college and university administration (or by the Board of Directors and the current editor), this money shall be used to make improvements on the next year’s yearbook, or to reduce the student assessment for the next year.

- Nick Smith

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Spectators welcome.

Wrestlers Take Third

Tech Edged Twice in SCIAC

The Caltech Wrestling team finished out SCIAC with a set of close and disappointing defeats. They lost to Claremont a week ago Friday, Pomona last Thursday, and only managed third place in the conference tournament.

In the Claremont meet Mike Norman was leading in the 118 class, when he lost two points in the overtime. Next class Willy Moss had to face the top contender for the SCIAC championship. Once again Willy had him on the run, until the closing seconds. At 142 and 150 Bob Loveman and Chris Russell were beaten, but here Claremont barely added major decision points to their team score. At 158 Steve Vik came through with a clear win. At 167 Vince Fratello was upset, and at 177 Tom Snyder was barely beaten. At 190 Jeff Kelber faced the unit animal, and was soundly thrashed. At heavyweight Art Gooding faced incredible opposition, but came through with the most exciting of all the wins. After it was all over, he was earnestly trying to find out what had hit, or more accurately exhausted, with a six-stitch gash over his eye.

On the day after a few select Tech wrestlers went to the Biola Invitational Tournament for the toughest wrestling in Southern California. Vince Fratello came home with a third and Jeff Kelber, while failing to place, terrorized the star wrestlers in his class with unbelievable take-down skill.

On Thursday Tech hoped to pick up an easy win at Pomona. Things looked good as Mike Norman and Willy Moss pinned their opponents. Then Bob Loveman got pinned with some fancy moves, as did Chris Russell. At 150 Steve Vik picked up a win for Tech, but at 158 Vince Fratello got quick-pinned. Tom Snyder collected a pin at 177. At 177 Art Gooding was winning until the Puma wrestler applied an illegal key lock, almost tearing Art’s shoulder and stealing a reversal. In the process, one of the Tech wrestlers said a naughty word, which cost a team point. Rich O’Keefe picked up six more points for Tech, and Jeff Kelber obdiently went out unarmed to face Axel Borg. Jeff gave away a mere 110 lbs, which of course is a minor advantage.

Saturday saw the SCIAC tournament. At 118 Mike Nor­man finished out his senior year with a second place, and Willy Moss signed off with third at 126. Bob Loveman and Chris Russell took fourths at 134 and 142 respectively. At 158 (using Viraclo Fratello pinned two men, but finally fell apart and only took a half point. A curt Art Gooding overcame tough competition to take third at 177. At heavy­ weight Jeff Kelber picked up a 22 second pin to take thing. As the finals were about to begin the Bowlers were only 3½ points out of first place, but they couldn’t pull it out, and only managed two wins to fall six points behind of Pomona in third. The highlights were Tom Snyder who took second as a frosh, and Steve Vik. Vik lost about twenty pounds to make 150, most of it in one week. At the tournament he knocked theoverflow of the Pan­ man easily, but then had to wrestle the first-needled man from Whittier. Halfway through the first round Vik got psyched up, and the Whitter man didn’t have a chance afterwards. By the third round Vik was in firm control, and won the championship, disqualifying himself and resigned from the tournament. The weight loss got Vik to the finals and he only managed second place.

This week Tech’s toughest go to the district tournament.