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# SAEMeetMonday Luncheon Club For At 4; All Invited **Exhaust Valves To Be**

# **Subject of Movies**

All students are invited to attend the meeting of the SAE in 206 ME at 4:00 P.M. next Monday, Jan. 20th. A representative from Thompson Products, makers of internal combusion engine exhaust valves, will speak and will show a movie about the manufacture of his company's products.

The program should be of interest to all engineering students because many interesting industrial processes will be illustrated by the film.

#### Field Trip Planned

After the meeting, a field trip to the Thompson Products plant will be arranged. Attending the meeting makes you eligible to go on the field trip, so be sure to atend if you are interested, even though you may not be a member of the SAE.

## Aristophanes' "Clouds" **Rehearsals To Start**

Monday night, Tech thespians. o'erleaping tremendous obstacles in the form of abject confusion, vied enthusiastically for parts in general business training, accordthe forthcoming Greek play, The Clouds of Aristophanes.

Our own Oliviers, hearing scraps from the new, revised, and modernized Clouds, found themselves rolling on the floor. Several unfortunates were carried away in spastic hysteria.

Among those to survive and win roles were Bruce Worcester. Mitch Cotton, Dick Roehm, Tom Tracy, Jack Ottestad, Dave Caldwell, Bill Bellew, Tom Stix, Fred Smith, Rex Ragan, Leo Breiman, and Charles Shaw. Several parts are still contested. Leigh Sheriffs, with the aid of Walt Mudgett and Jack Ottestad, is undertaking the Augean task of preparing props.

Rehearsals are to start next week under the leadership of Carl Price.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Friday, January 17-

Throop, 12:30 p.m.

#### **Upperclass** Starts **Speakers To Feature** Thursday Noon Meetings

An Upperclass Luncheon Club, patterned after the very successful Frosh Luncheon Club, was started this week. A small group of upperclassmen, for a service charge of ten cents, meets in the training table room every Thursday noon to hear campus and community leaders and make their acquaintance.

Last term the Frosh Luncheon Club met and heard such interesting speakers as Dr. Pauling, nance, visiting Caltech on an in-Col. Goldsworthy, and guests PJC and neighboring from schools. The new club promises to continue in the same vein, and for the project. should provide a worthwhile hour per week.

Those interested in joining the club should sign up in the Y office soon, for the number of members must be limited and the list is being filled fast.

# For College Men

A great postwar demand is developing for engineers, chemists, salesmen and men with ing to a survey conducted by the bureau of placement of Northwestern University.

The survey, which was based on information from 110 companies, indicated a 51 per cent increase over 1940 in the number ates who would be employed.

The greatest need, according to the survey, will be for engineers in the following order: Division, Army Engineers. chemical, mechanical, electrical. civil, and aeronautical.

Second only to the need for engineers will be that for men for problems in the aerodynamics with general business training of missle design. received in schools of commerce or colleges of liberal arts. Chemists and salesmen place third and fourth, respectively.

#### Features Loman Orchestra previous tunnels. **First Social Event** Since War For Grads Pep Rally on the steps of

# Break Ground For Supersonic Tunnel At Arroyo Jet Lab Army, Tech Faculty Cooperate In Project

Ground was broken Tuesday at the Institution's Arroyo Seco Jet Propulsion Laboratory site for the construction of a three million dollar supersonic wind tunnel.

Major General Everett S. Hughes, U.S. Army Chief of Ordspection tour of Southern California Ordnance installations, turned the first shovelful of earth

Construction of another supersonic wind tunnel is already in progress, as reported previously in this publication, adjoining the Guggenheim Laboratories on the main Institute campus.

Army to Construct Tunnel

The Arroyo Seco tunnel will be constructed by the Army Corps of Engineers. The project Survey Shows Need Corps of Engineers. The project is financed by the Ordnance department and is under the general supervision of the Caltech Jet Propulsion Laboratory.

Allan E. Puckett, youthful engineer who is supervising design and construction of the tunnel, and will later be in charge of its operation, was also present at the groundbreaking ceremonies, as were Dr. Lee DuBridge, Institute President: Dr. Theodore von Karman, Guggenheim Aeronautical director; Dr. L. G. Dunn, Jet Propulsion Laboratory Director; of inexperienced college gradu- B. S. Mesick, Army Ordnance liason officer attached to the Institute, and Colonel Edwin H. Marks, Chief of the South Pacific

Puckett explained that "greater flexibility" will be built into

#### **To Embody Improvements**

who also designed the supersonic wind tunnel operated by the the Institute. Army at Aberdeen Proving Grounds, in Maryland, stressed Athenaeum Dance Feb. 8 that the new tunnel would em- ticular post. A University of Aribody improvements suggested by zona graduate, Mr. Hall was with

# Tech Meets Oxy Here Next Tuesday Night In Opener **Exchange Rally Features** Monday Night Activities

The home basketball season of the Southern California Conference is officially opened at Tech next Tuesday night when the Tiger from Oxy invades eBaver territory in the first of two meetings on the two-round schedule. Both As and B's clash, with Tech hoping to add another victory over Oxy to the previous 19-7 win ♦in football.

#### **ASCIT Nominations** Due February 21 **Student Body Elections** To Be Held March 7

Student Body elections for next term will be held on March 7, 1947. At this time students will Editors and Business Managers of the publications.

All nominations must be in by February 21. They must be handed to any member of the present Board of Directors, in writing.

On Friday, February 28, the assembly period will be devoted to ed to one and one-half minutes. Campaigning, posters, and so nominations assembly. After that east of the wire in front of numbers. Throop Hall, but not on the doors or windows of buildings.

# Geo. Hall Appointed **Publicity Director**

On behalf of the school The California Tech wishes to extend a hearty welcome to Mr. George the new research instruments H. Hall, recently appointed to fill the newly created post of public relations co-ordinator. In the future his office in 361 Arms will The Caltech faculty member, be the central clearing house for all information concerned with

Mr. Hall's previous experience has fitted him ideally for this parthe Arizona Daily Star in Tuc-"We have learned much the son, following which he became hard way the past year about public relations director for Con- dents. Up to now the police force things which must be tested," solidated Vultee, and later has been lenient with violators,

#### **Monday Night Rallies**

To raise any lagging morale, and give all the "Eager Beavers" a chance to forsake their books for a half hour or so, an exchange rally has been planned for next Monday night at 10:00 (P.M., that is), on the lawn between Fleming and Ricketts. Lang Hedrick will introduce vote on all the members of the Oxy's Buzz Baker who will take Board of Directors and also on over the duties of master of ceremonies. The show will include both masculine and feminine performers, plus songs and yells apienty.

Leading the array of Tech talent performing at the "sneak" rally on the Eagle Rock campus are Frank Wolf, who will act as nomination and acceptance M.C., Hugh "Frankie" Carter, speeches, which should be limit- Bill Muchlberger, Jack Ottestad and Danny Markov, who will do a dwarf act. Completing the comforth, may not start till after the pany will be several members of the newly organized glee club, time they may be put anywhere who will render several musical

#### **Oxy Probable Favorite**

Comparing the results of games against mutual opponents gives Oxy the edge, despite their disastrous loss to Whittier. But Tech, against Loyola, showed much improvement over previous contests, and can make a game of it.

# "No Parking" On California Street

The city of Pasadena has just installed "No Parking at Any Time" signs on the South side of California Street between Arden Road and Hill Ave.

These signs have been ignored during the first part of the week by a large number of Tech stu-Saturday night, February 8, Puckett declared. "This 'tool' North American Aviation in In- but continued violation of this

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OXY GAME TUESDAY RALLY MONDAY



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#### THE CALIFORNIA TECH-

Baedeker

The long heralded Musicale

Sunday evening concerts are fin-

ally at hand. The first concert of

the season is to be held this Sun-

day in Dabney Lounge at 7:30

p.m. and is scheduled to run for

Rolf Sinclair, Musicale Prexy,

will M.C. an all-Beethoven pre-

sentation which will include the

9th Symphony, the 5th (Emper-

or) Concerto, and the Leonore

Overture No. 3. These selections

represent a somewhat mild start

of a season which will feature

more exciting music in the near

future. Remember, Musicale con-

certs are a cheap yet pleasant

rific hit with Tech jazz fans.

Ray's amazing drumnastics kept

about two hours.

Sunday Program

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#### way to entertain your girl and yourself, and those seats on the WANTED! **Ice Skating** balcony sofas are not reserved! **Noon Concerts** Campus representative for No decision has been reached Daily 2:30 to 5, 7:30 to 10:30 as yet on the status of noon con-**Topper Doughnuts.** Attractive Sat. & Sun. Morn. 10 to 12:30 certs; however, Musicale mem-Skates for Rent bers who would be interested in proposition to right party for Instructions conducting them are urged to one or two hours work each contact Sinclair. Pasadena Winter

Jazz Blow-off Bauduc's bash in Culbertson Gardens this morning proved to be a ter-

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HAL S. DUMAS

**Ray Bauduc** 

his audience spellbound, while a

fine guitar performance was of-

fered by Nappy Lamare, another

New Orleans oldtimer. The Ral-

ly Committee should be congrat-

ulated on an excellent assembly

presentation, a repetition of

which is certainly something to

look forward to.

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Me Too A columnist on the Fresno State College paper reports he is living for the day "when Mr. F. E. Boone of Lexington, Kentucky, develops smoker's hack ---when Mr. District Attorney is impeached for mal-practice of office - and when Superman

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From The Exchanges

A course leading to an associ-

ate degree with a major in Air-

line Management has been added to the Air Center curricula of

Denver University. Five quarters

of college work are required to

Reporters on the Williams

College student paper inter-

viewed a noted seer who is help-

ing to locate a missing college

student of Bennington College

A 473-foot spur of the Erie

Railroad has been constructed on

the University of Rochester cam-

pus to transport the forgings for

their new cyclotron's magnet to

its construction site. The rail-

road has been named the "Cyclo-

through her mystic powers.

be eligible for enrollment.

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starts drinking Ovaltine to build

Father: "What makes you skip school all the time, Johnny?" himself up!"

tron and Southern."

Johnny: "Class hatred." not.

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# phone and Telegraph Company. Started as a *clerk* with the West-ern Electric Company in 1904.

WALTER S. GIFFORD

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Walter S. Gifford	Amer.Tel. & Tel. Co.	1904 Chicago	\$10 week	Clerk, Payroll Dept.
Chester I. Barnard	New Jersey Bell Tel. Co.	1909 Boston	\$50 month	Clerk
*William C. Bolenius	Wisconsin Tel. Co.	1921 New York City	\$28 week	Traffic Inspector
*Allerton F. Brooks	Southern New Eng- land Tel. Co.	1911 New Haven	\$12 week	Engineer's Assistant
•Victor E. Cooley	Southwestern Bell Tel. Co.	1911 San Francisco	\$60 month	Clerk
*Hal S. Dumas	Southern Bell Tel. & Tel. Co.	1911 Atlanta	\$50 month	Traffic Student
Randolph Eide	Ohio Bell Tel. Co	1911 New York City	\$15 week	Special Inspector
*Joe E. Harrell	New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	1913 Atlanta	\$14 week	Clerk
*Russell J. Hopley	Northwestern Bell Tel. Co.	1915 Fort Madison, Ia.	\$40 month	Collector



RUSSELL J. HOPLEY President of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company. Started as *collector* in Fort Madison, Iowa, in 1915.



WILLIAM A. HUGHES sident of the Indiana Bell ephone Company. Started Telephone Company. his telephone career as a ground man in Kansas City in 1917.

These are presidents of operating telephone companies

of the Bell System. They all started at the bottom

of the ladder ... Nine years ago the Bell System

first published an advertisement like this, except

that there are now thirteen new faces in the pictures.

These new presidents also started at the bottom.

The Bell System aims to keep the opportunity for advancement open to all.

One of its traditions is that its executives come up from the ranks. That has been true of the business for many years and nowhere is it better illustrated than in the careers of the men who now serve as presidents of Bell Telephone Companies. As a group, they have put in 611 years of telephone service, an average of 36 years each.

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*William A. Hughes	Indiana Bell Tel. Co.	1917 Kansas City	\$60 month	Ground Man
*Thomas N. Lacy	Michigan Bell Tel. Co.	1905 Philadelphia	\$10 week	Installer
*H. Randolph Maddox	Chesapeake & Potomac Tel. Cos.	1921 Washington, D.C.	\$30 week	Student Engineer
*Graham K. McCorkle	Illinois Bell Tel. Co.	1902 Eminence, Ky.	\$20 month	Office Boy
*Floyd P. Ogden	Mountain States Tel. & Tel. Co.	1911 Kansas City, Mo.	\$40 month	Student-Clerk
Philip C. Staples	Bell Tel. Co. of Penna.	1904 Baltimore	\$12 week	Salesman
*Mark R. Sullivan	Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co.	1912 San Francisco	\$50 month	Clerk
*Carl Whitmore	New York Tel. Co.	1910 San Francisco	\$65 month	Field Man

\*Asteriaks indicate new presidents since December, 1937.

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#### PHILIP C. STAPLES President of The Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania. Started with Bell System as salesman in Baltimore in 1904.





CARL WHITMORE President of the New York Tele-phone Company. First BellSys-tem job was in San Francisco as a field man in 1910.

Friday, January 17, 1947-

### Blacker Wins In **Dicobolis** Defense Defeats Dabney 35-31 In Basketball Game

Blacker House successfully defended its possession of the Discobolis Trophy last week, for the third time in succession, equalling a record performance last attained by Fleming in 1942.

Challenged by Dabney in basketball, the Blacker boys were respectively. In a third game definitely underdogs in the match. They amazed the onlookers by piling up an eight-point standings. lead at the half, only to tire in the last quarter, as Dabney's two could do no wrong easily rolled teams kept the game at a fast over a Dabney team which could pace. After being tied at 29-all, do nothing right. The score of Blacker pulled away on two free throws and two buckets to win tery of the situation by the Redhandily, 35 to 31.

#### Fleming Challenges in Track

Blacker will attempt to make it four defenses in a row next week when it answers Fleming's challenge to a modified track dash, the 880, and a four-man mile relay.

He: "Does your girl smoke?" Other: "Not quite."

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# Fleming, Ricketts **Cop Gridiron Games** Leaders Play Monday Winner May Be Champ

The opening of the interhouse touch football league saw Fleming and Ricketts get away to a flying start by copping their contests with Throop and Dabney, Dabney squeezed out a win over Blacker to gain third place in the

A classy Fleming team which 36-2 indicates the complete masmen. They employed a fast running attack interspersed with long and short passes to completely outplay the Dabneymen. **Ricketts Also Triumphs** 

Ricketts used the old razzledazzle in their 12-0 win over the outmanned men from Throop. Only one half was played, but that proved the "Rowdies" too much for Throop.

In the first game of the short season, Dabney edged Blacker by pushing over a touchdown in the last quarter to win 12-6. The contest was marred by an accident in the last 2 minutes of the game in which Dabney's Dale Vrabeksuffered a broken leg.

Attention Baseballers A meeting of all candidates for varsity baseball will be held Monday, January 20, at 4:00 P.M. in Room 101 Dabney. All men interested in coming out for varsity baseball should attend.



26 East California

FROM FINE



(In the middle of the block)

**Fencers Plan Match** 

ing club this term will be held in

Culbertson, Tuesday, the 21st, at

8 p.m. The meeting will include

an exhibition match and an ex-

The first meeting of the fenc-



# Varsity encounter played last Saturday night at the Pasadena

Paul Saltman outjumping Loyola at the start of Saturday's Game

# Lions Edge Bevos; Beababes Bopped; Pomona Tonight Cagers Meet Chapman,

Oxy, Redlands, Next Coming to life late in the contest, the Caltech hoopsters overcame a large Loyola lead and battled down to the final gun to a one-point loss, 40-39, in a

Armory. The game got off to a slow start, and the teams battled evenly to a 4-4 coun twith nearly half the first half gone. At this point, Loyola shifted to a closeguarding scatterball type of play and ran up a ten point lead before the surprised Beaver cagers checked it. Half time found the Lions holding a 19-11 advantage. Lions, Then Beavers Rally

During the first half of the final period the Engineers concentrated on whittling down this lead and diminished it to five points. The Loyola offense, however, caught fire once more and with seven minutes to go the Tech quintet faced a 12-point deficit.

The last part of the game witnessed a brilliant rally by the apparently beaten Beaver outfit. Several successful free throws and long shots by Bowen and Mullen decreased the lead quickly, and, with about two minutes to go, quicket setups by Montgomery and Cox pushed the Techmen into a 39-38 lead, their first since the opening minute of play.

#### Loyolans Freeze Ball

With about a minute to play, however, Schneider, Loyola guard, swished a perfect s ho t through the hoop from deep in right center court. The Beavers, without Bowen, Moore and Saltman, who had left the game on fouls, were unable to control the ball and Loyola took over and froze play until the final gun.

#### Meet Pomona Tonight

The Beavers first league game, to be played tonight at Claremont, pits them against Pomona and a zone defense. Tomorrow night the team travels to Chapman for a return engagement. In the first contest, Tech emerged with a rather effortless victory. Next Tuesday, the Occidental Tigers will invade the Armory in a continuance of that bitter rivalry, and next Friday finds the Beavers rolling to Redlands for their third league contest.

In the preliminary contest,



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#### Page 4-News

#### Campus Brewins

Dud Bennett, erstwhile Fleming operator, was somewhat crestfallen the other night. He met a very charming little number at the Green Hotel recently, but she told him that her heart belonged to Daddy.

#### Woodbury Wolf

I wonder who this ex-service chick is who has Ordway Manning running over Wilshire way to Woodbury College. Been hearing all sorts of things on this.

#### Oxy Co-eds

It looked like social night in Fleming Tuesday as several enticing numbers were seen in their lounge after dinner. I understand this was only the preliminary to a mixer with the Oxy girls in the near future. Also included on the athletes "get-acquainted-locally" list are the Pasadena Playhouse and PJC.

#### Smooth Snake

Fred Smith came out of his hole long enough to go out to the open house and give the Scripps girls a treat. As far as I can see from here he appeared to be doing all right.

#### Circular No. 3.1416

The following named US (undergraduate students to you), Revay, Edward; Honnald, Vincent; Oberman, Carl; Ryder, Red; Sheriffs, Leigh, were observed conducting themselves at a certain "Turner Inn" in such a manner as to bring discredit upon the monastery. They will be restricted to the limits of the steam tunnels. For the information and guidance of all concerned, notice is hereby given that the aforementioned establishment is declared "off-limits" to all US personnel. However, faculty members and their ladies will be permitted to enter the premises. (Distribution "n").

#### **Disturbance** at Dawn

More than one Blacker man was rather irate Sunday morning after a far from peaceful night's sleep. Cause of the bad tempers was a somewhat overly jubilant group of celebrants who had gone the rounds disturbing slumberers in the wee hours of the morning. It was all in observance of a venerable Army custom.

#### Hope for the Stricken

Quipped a lovely Clark freshman, "Why, I think Fleming men are almost normal."

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