



STUDENT COUNCIL: Front row, left to right: Diane Avila, Barbara Fragus, Sharon Cummings, Shirley Huber, Jane Tradewell, Margaret Christianson, Sally Comacho. Second row: Vic Takeuchi, Jesse Jones, Harold Sinner, Jim Richmond, Al Grace, Jim Repape, Ken Pipes, Rich Armstrong, Augie Caldera.

Enrollment Hits 3,019, 600 Over A Year Ago; New Record Forecast

Six hundred more students have registered for the fall semester at Fresno Junior College at the end of the first week of school than a year ago. FJC has 3,019 students.

George C. Holstein, the dean of admissions and records, said there are 1,693 day students compared to 1,260 a year ago. The evening enrollment is 1,326, compared to 1,075 for last year.

Holstein predicts 1,750 day students and 1,500 evening students will give FJC the largest enrollment in its history when registration is completed in October.

There are approximately 513 classes conducted on the University Street campus. The only new course offered this semester is beginning French.

Students registered at FJC come to us not only from nearly every San Joaquin valley community but as far north and south as San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Late registration will be conducted from 8 to 11 AM in the admissions office and all changes of programs from 1 to 3 PM until Oct. 4.

FJC has added to the faculty 12 teachers for day classes and eight for evening classes.

Bookstore Has New Quarters And Manager

"The Fresno Junior College Bookstore is very proud of its new quarters in the Student Center. New equipment has been installed. In addition to class texts, many new lines of merchandise are now available," stated Wesley Anderson.

Anderson, manager of the bookstore, is retiring Oct. 4 and Gil Horner, who was a student at FJC in 1953-1954, will be the new manager. Mrs. Leona DeBerry is the cashier and head salesman.

It is following examples of bookstores all over in being a self-service store.

Council Plans Tuesday Meetings

Group Will Use Suggestion Boxes

Al Grace, president of the student body, called to order the first meeting of the council Tuesday, Sept. 17.

A permanent date of every first and third Tuesday of the month at 12:40 PM was set for the meetings in the Student Council office in the student center.

All commissioners with the exception of rally chairman have been selected. Grace stated that this position would be filled as soon as possible.

The slate of officers for this semester are: Grace; Sharon Cummings, secretary; Augie Caldera, vice president; Barbara Fragus, treasurer; Shirley Huber, president of AWS; James Richmond, president of AMS. Representatives at Large are: Arvid Allen, Rich Armstrong, Sally Comacho, Jesse Jones, George Lasher, Ken Pipes, James Repape, Harold Sinner and Vic Takeuchi.

Selected as commissioners are Jane Tradewell, social affairs; Diane Avila, social welfare; Ed Briggs, publications; Sonja Miller, oral arts; Al Laycock, scholarships; Phil Bertleson, athletics, and Margaret Christianson, publicity.

White Tells Students How To Be Successful In College

By KAREN McDUGALD

Fresno Junior College Students held their first assembly of the 1957 Fall semester last Friday in the auditorium of the University Avenue campus.

Al Grace, student body president, welcomed the students to school and introduced the new members of the faculty, student council, and chairmen of the various campus organizations.

Freshman Class Meets Tomorrow In Auditorium

Norman Mader was selected as temporary chairman of the freshman class in their first meeting Monday on the east lawn of the administration building.

The next class meeting will be tomorrow at 12:30 PM in the auditorium. Class officers are to be elected at this time. "Remember, freshmen," Mader explained, "this is your class! Let's get out and support it!"

Two committees were selected to assist the chairman. Janet Enos, Marge Guerry, John Alexander, Jan Gifford, and Sid Moseian make up the election committee. The social committee members are Margaret Christensen, Joyce Imperatrice, and Caryl Powers.

Grace then introduced Stuart M. White, president of FJC, who outlined the 10 important points on "How to get the most out of their college years."

Among the 10 points enumerated were:

1. Get acquainted with the college and make the most of its opportunities.
2. After becoming acquainted with the campus, spread out and become acquainted with the community.
3. Get acquainted with the administrative staff and faculty.
4. Take an active part in the student government.
5. Take inventory of yourselves to determine what kind of friends you want and what you expect of them.

White went on to point out to the 1600 students that FJC was the first public junior college to be founded in the state after the legislature authorized their inclusion in the state's educational system in 1907.

At the conclusion of his speech, a short rally was held in honor of the first football game of the season.

Coach Hans Wiedenhofer told the students that for the month of August he had been seeking out prospective players for the Rams football team.

He concluded by stating, "when a student has pride in his school, pride in the field of work he is interested in, and pride in his school football team, the student should prove this feeling by attending all rallies, and assemblies, and be present at all of the football games. When this is done, this is called school spirit."

The pep girls, Barbara Fragus, Diana Diamond, and Dianna Avila, accompanied by the FJC band, brought the rally to its end.



STUART M. WHITE
... FJC President

PRESIDENT PREDICTS SUCCESSFUL FUTURE

For the faculty and administration of Fresno Junior College, I extend a most cordial welcome to all students as we begin the 47th year of Fresno Junior College.

The history of our college has been somewhat turbulent, but extremely interesting. Today we take pride in the progress of recent years, whereby we enjoy a fine campus, a high calibre student body, an excellent faculty, and appreciate the support received from the City of Fresno and surrounding communities.

I am confident that in the years ahead the students of today will look back upon their days at Fresno Junior College as being very memorable and worthwhile.

My best wishes to all for a successful and profitable year.

Stuart M. White
FJC President



ALAN GRACE
... SB Prexy

Grace Welcomes FJC Students

As student body president of Fresno Junior College, I would like to extend a welcome to all new and returning students.

As we start this 1957 Fall semester, we have many reasons to expect an enjoyable and successful year. Many events have been planned by your student council that should interest everyone.

Also, the buildings on campus have been completely repainted, and the grounds improved considerably. In addition to this, new faculty members have been added and we have use of the student center. These are only a few of the major reasons why this year should prove a great one.

If you have any ideas which would benefit the school, don't hesitate to give them to your student council. We of the council are here to serve you, so please call on us if we can help you in any way.

Remember, this is your school—so let's all get behind FJC and give it our full support.

Sincerely,
Al Grace

Student Body President

INTERCLUB COUNCIL WILL HOLD DINNER TO PLAN FALL ACTIVITIES

Members of participating clubs of the Interclub Council read their newly drawn up constitution at their first meeting on Sept. 19. The preliminary meeting of the semester was well represented by a majority of the campus organizations.

Open to all officially recognized campus clubs, under the able guidance of Mrs. Kay Seagraves, all proposed clubs will be granted a charter providing they have a constitution, sponsor, leadership, and conduct meetings. Anyone interested in forming a new club is advised to contact Mrs. Seagraves, the dean of women.

In the future the Interclub Council will send representatives

of various clubs to some of the orientation classes. In this way new students will learn about the different clubs and their purposes, and new members will be recruited.

A dinner will be held tonight in the Student Center for the representatives of the Interclub Council members and their sponsors. The main purpose of the dinner is to let the representatives get to know their sponsors better and to discuss plans for future activities.

The Interclub Council has many plans for the coming years and is under the leadership of Augie Caldera, vice-president of the student body.

FJC HOLDS STUDENT GOVERNMENT CONFAB

Sierra Sky Ranch was the scene Friday Sept. 13, of the Student Government Conference held from 10 A.M. to 9 P.M.

Joseph W. King, advisor to the student council, outlined the proceedings of the day, explaining council procedures.

The morning session was designed to acquaint the council members with the FJC constitution, completely revised by last year's student body officers. Also discussed was the co-ed lounge which is to be used by the students at any time.

The afternoon session consisted mainly of a talk by King on good leadership qualities.

AWS, AMS Plan Meetings Today

The Associated Women Students and the Associated Men Students will meet today at 12:30 PM in the social hall of the student center.

Shirley Huber, the AWS president, will conduct her meeting in the east end of the hall, while Jim Richmond, the AMS president, will hold his in the west end.



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Thirteen Instructors Join Fresno JC Faculty

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Thirteen new instructors have been added to the Fresno Junior College staff for the 1957-1958 school year. Included in this group are five who are transferring from other schools in the Fresno Unified School District and eight new to the system.

President Stuart M. White also announced the appointment of Mrs. Nora Simpson as school nurse.

Two of the transfers are from the Hamilton Junior High School. They are Mrs. Louise B.

Hazelton, English, and Mrs. Sara J. Dougherty, physical education. The other transfers are E. Harrison Hall from the Continuation High School, business; Malcolm L. Bourdet from the Sequoia High School, physical education and baseball coach, and Mrs. JoNell Krikorian from the Yosemite Junior High School, speech and English.

The instructors new to the system are Marvin L. Belford, music; Mrs. Wilma Bradley Weston, business; Mrs. Margaret Collier, business; Francis V. Higgins, engineering; Lawrence W. Martin, business; Dr. Paul J. Pastor, hygiene and swimming; William A. Reynolds, Jr., French and English, and Walter F. Whitmann, Jr., science.

Belford has bachelor and master degrees from Drake University and has taught music for the Des Moines, Iowa, city schools. Mrs. Weston has a bachelor degree from Missouri State Teachers' College and a master's degree from the University of Southern California. She taught for the Lynwood High School and the Moberly, Mo., High School and Junior College.

Mrs. Collier is a graduate of the Fresno State College and has worked as secretary, office worker, and office manager.

Higgins holds bachelor and master degrees from the Indiana State College and master degrees from the University of Michigan and the Case Institute of Technology. He has taught in Ohio, Iowa, Michigan, and Indiana.

Martin has a bachelor degree from the Eastern New Mexico University and a master's degree from the New Mexico Highlands University. He has taught at the Hollister and the De Moine High School in Albuquerque. Dr. Pastor has bachelor and master degrees from the Springfield College of Massachusetts and a doctor's degree from the University of Oregon. Last year, he taught swimming at the University.

Reynolds has bachelor and master degrees from Stanford University, where he has also studied for three years for a doctor of psychology degree. He studied at the Sorbonne in Paris. He has taught at the Yuba College in Marysville and has been a teaching assistant at Stanford. Whitmann has bachelor and master degrees from Stanford University and an associate of arts degree from San Jose State College. He has been a teaching assistant at Stanford and San Jose.

Mrs. Simpson has a bachelor of

Science degree from the Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College and is a graduate of the Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing. She has been a nurse for the city health departments of Berkeley and Santa

Barbara and a staff nurse for hospitals in New York City and Baltimore. She also has been an elementary teacher in Oklahoma. No information is available at this time on Mrs. Krikorian.

Rampage Institutes Club News, Publicity Coverage

The staff of The Rampage, student newspaper of Fresno Junior College, joins with school officials and its student body president in welcoming you to FJC. If you are a returnee, welcome back. The Rampage will at all times endeavor to bring the latest news to its readers and with your assistance we hope to continue making it a publication that the entire student body will enjoy reading.

In order to print news items concerning the various campus organizations, The Rampage has instituted a policy whereby all news stories from clubs on campus must be in The Rampage office every Monday at 2 PM.

We wish to cooperate at all times with the various clubs, but because of the time element involved in the makeup and printing a newspaper, the Monday deadline must be observed by all concerned.

Mixer Dance A Success

The mixer dance which was held last Friday evening in the social hall was rated by the students who attended, as very successful.

The co-sponsors of the dance, the Associated Men Students and the Associated Women Students, were extremely pleased with the near capacity crowd of approximately 600 students.

The purpose of the dance, as stated by the officers of the sponsoring groups, was to make it possible for students to become better acquainted with each other.

Excellent music for the dancing pleasure of the group was provided by a very capable band under the direction of George Roessler. Other members of the band are Vince Petroni, Charles Tilghman, James Ross and Gerry Pino.

—Bob Bertholf

FJC Bands, Choir Seek New Members

All students with previous instrumental and vocal experience are invited to join the Fresno Junior College bands and choir, announced Lowell C. Spencer and Marvin L. Belford, music instructors. They are available at Adm. 137, 139 or 141.

A well-blended and balanced sounding choir of 30 voices joined the first day, but Spencer anticipates and hopes for more in the next few weeks.

He plans to develop some small vocal groups such as a quartet and sextet.

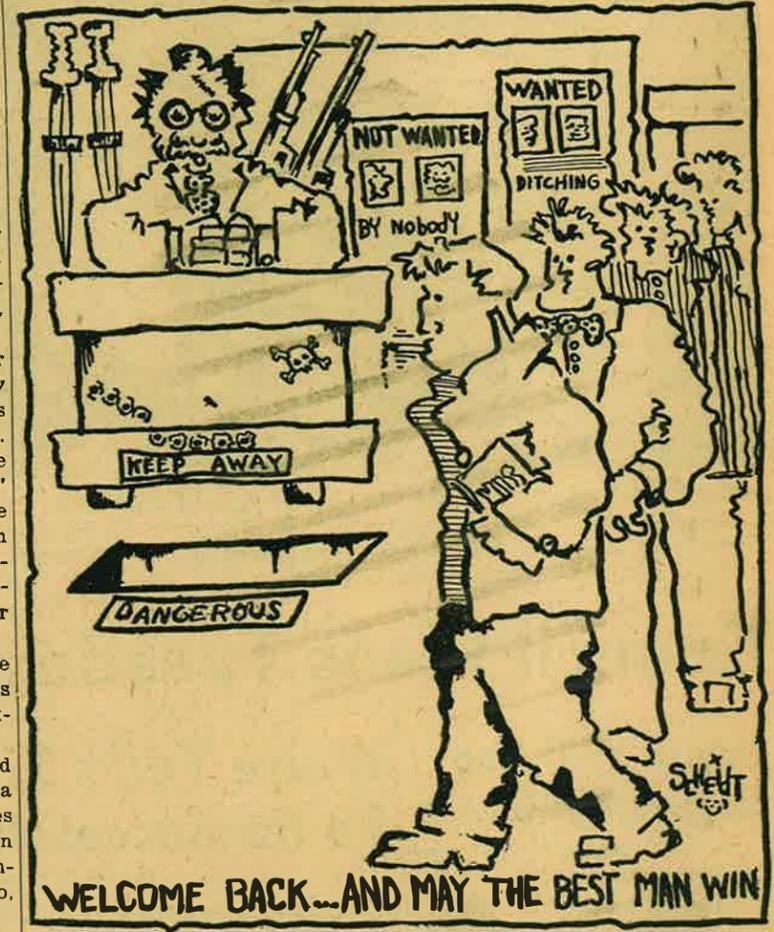
"Next month the choir will entertain at the Ahwahnee Hotel in the Yosemite Valley. The occasion is the 50th anniversary celebration of junior colleges throughout the State of California," said Belford.

A new campus club called The Fine Arts Club is now in develop-

ment to promote musical and social activities this semester. It will consist of activities having to do with music, art and drama. All students interested in this club are urged to join.

Belford is developing a marching band and has about 25 students at present, but wants at least 40. He also plans to develop a concert band for the concert season this year.

"The music department looks very promising, but more students are needed for the fulfillment of plans and goals to make this a good year at FJC musically and socially," stated Bradford.



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By WAYNE COOKE

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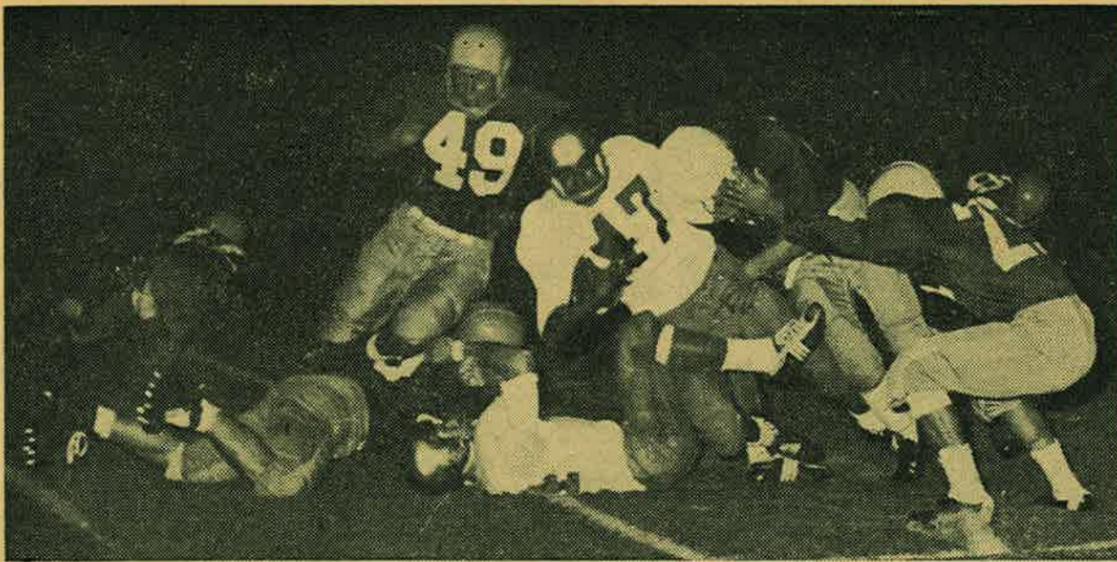
These are just a few of the many varied athletic activities offered this year by the Fresno Junior College athletic department.

Wrestling will begin at the end of football season.

The swimming pool is now open. Instructional and competition training will begin as soon as possible. Those interested in the course can see the coach in the gym or at the pool between the hours of 2:40 to 4:30.

Basketball will begin Oct. 15. Those who are interested watch the bulletin for an announced meeting.

Those who are interested in track and cross-country who are not participating in football or basketball can see Erwin Ginsburg in Room 103 in the library or in the afternoon at Ratcliffe Stadium. This is an individual sport, therefore workouts can be arranged according to the student's program.



FIRST GAME — Hood, 47, Fullerton halfback, fights for extra yardage in the second quarter of last Friday night's Fresno-Fullerton game. Identifiable Ram players are Andy Mastoras, 49, and Frank Eller, 23. Fresno tied Fullerton 6 to 6.

Fresno JC Rams Open Football Season With 6-6 Tie With Fullerton JC Hornets

The Fresno Junior College Rams will travel to Stockton to tangle with the Stockton College Mustangs tomorrow night after opening the 1957 football campaign in surprising fashion by tying the favored Fullerton Junior College Hornets 6 to 6 before a

crowd of 2,000 last Friday night in Ratcliffe Stadium.

The Hornets got a break in the opening minutes of the game when Jerry McKee recovered Vestee Jackson's fumble on the Ram 13 yard line. Four plays later Forrest Younger circled right end for

four yards and a touchdown. The attempted conversion was wide.

In the second quarter, the Rams moved from the Fullerton 36 to the 19 on a pass from Eldon Bryant to halfback Ken Pipes. An intercepted pass halted
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Ram Gridders Play Stockton Friday Night

By GARY BECKER

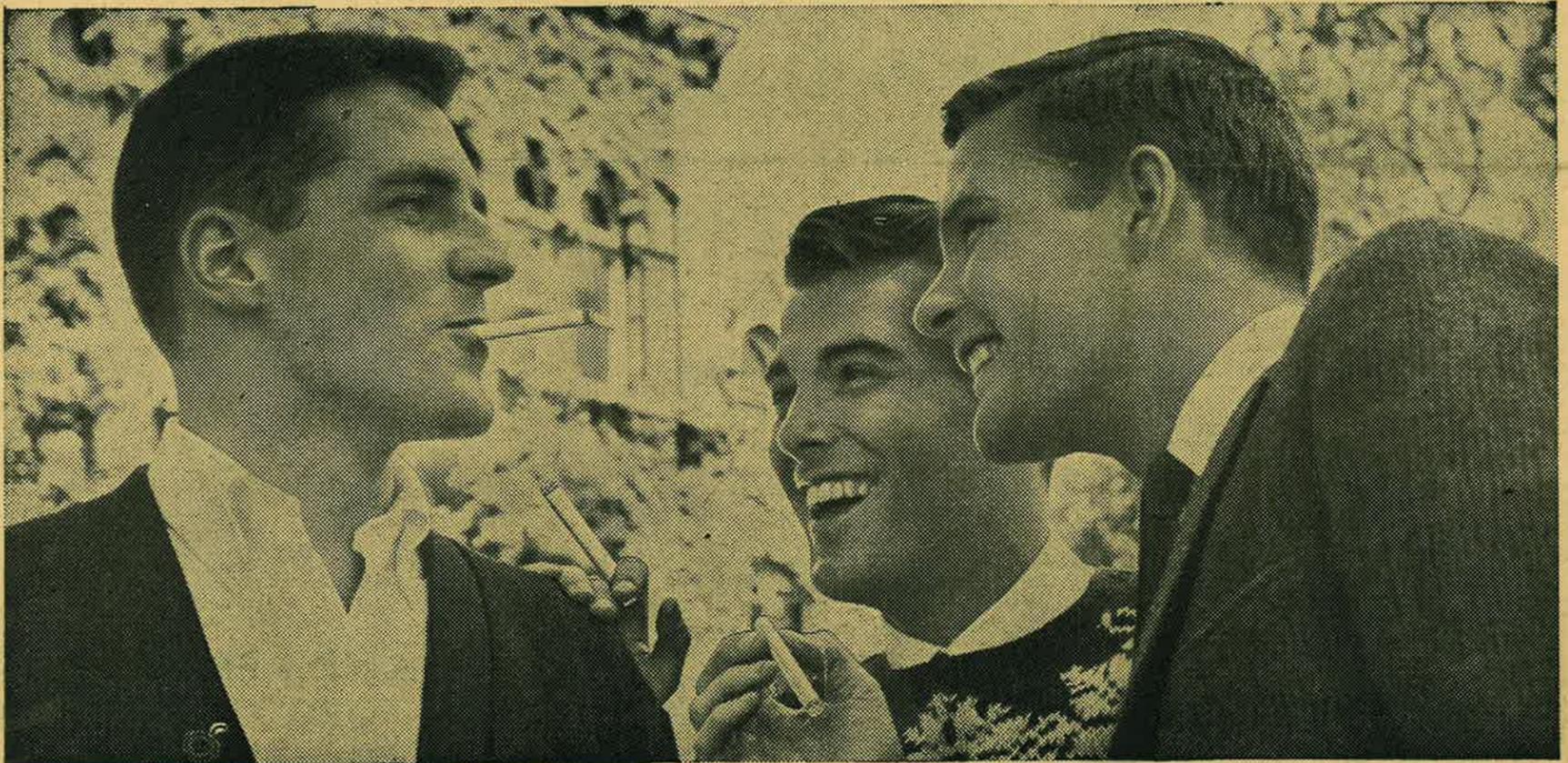
Coach Hans Wiedenhofer will take 35 men to Stockton tomorrow night as the Fresno Junior College Rams meet the tough Stockton College Mustangs. The two teams have met four times with each team winning twice. Kickoff time is 8 PM.

The Mustangs have played one game, defeating Yuba Junior College 20 to 14 last Saturday night. Stockton was last year's Big Eight champion.

Stockton has two fine backs in the form of halfback Marshall Dragomanovich, a returning letterman, and fullback Willie Simpson, an ex-Bakersfield High star. They have seven returning lettermen from last year's team which played in the Potato Bowl, and their line averages over 200 pounds.

Wiedenhofer stated that Stockton should be as tough, or tougher than Fullerton. He cited the outstanding work of Bill Herron, Louie Sanders, Bill Pritchard and Ken Pipes in the Fullerton game.
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College Picks Hansen New Administrator

John S. Hansen, dean of students at College of the Sequoias in Visalia for the past six years, has been named as the new administrative dean for Fresno Junior College.

Hansen, a native of Fresno, attended both Roosevelt and Fresno High Schools, graduating from Fresno High in 1938. He received his bachelor degree from Fresno State College, and his master's degree from Stanford University. He has also done additional

graduate work at Stanford, FSC, and Claremont Graduate School. The dean, who is married and has two children, served with the Army during World War II in the capacity of Link trainer instructor. He also spent some time overseas in the Marianna Islands.

He became a journalism instructor at COS in 1947 and also taught English, speech, and physical education, being appointed dean of students there in 1951.

The dean's duties here at FJC entail assisting the president in the administrative duties of the college in order to leave him freer to handle the building program and the problem of ever-increasing enrollment.

Ram Gridders Play Stockton Friday Night

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The probable Ram starting lineup is as follows:

Left End	Herron
Left Guard	Pritchard
Left Tackle	Lamb
Center	Lowery
Right Tackle	Miller
Right Guard	Sanders
Right End	Raco
Quarterback	Lujano
Left Halfback	Pipes
Right Halfback	Kobzoff
Fullback	Jackson

The fans should be in for an outstanding game as both teams feature classy fullbacks, Simpson of the Mustangs and Jackson of the Rams.

The only Ram injury received in the Fullerton game was a sprained ankle suffered by end Lee Baker.

In last year's outing held at Ratcliffe Stadium, Fresno defeated Stockton by a score of 14 to 0.

The Mustangs are coached by Don Hall, formerly of the College of the Pacific, and in an advisory capacity is the grand old man of football, Amos Alonzo Stagg.



NEW FACULTY — Here are 12 of 15 new faculty members. They are, left to right, first row: Mrs. Louise B. Hazelton, Mrs. Margaret Collier, Mrs. Nora Simpson, Mrs. Sara J. Dougherty, and Mrs. Wilma Bradley Weston; second row, Marvin L. Belford, E. Harrison Hall, John S. Hansen, Dr. Paul J. Pastor, Malcolm Bourdet, Francis V. Higgins, and Lawrence-W. Martin. Not pictured are Mrs. JoNell Krikorian, William A. Reynolds, Jr., and Walter F. Whitmann, Jr.

President's Reception Honors Fifteen New Faculty Members

The Fresno Junior College held a President's Reception in honor of the new faculty members and their wives or husbands Sunday from 4 to 6 PM in the Student Center patio on the University Avenue campus.

President Stuart M. White of FJC and Mrs. White and Carl Rustigian, the FJC Faculty Club president, and Mrs. Rustigian formed the receiving line to welcome the 15 new members and their spouses. The Faculty Club assisted with the arrangements.

The guests of honor included were: Messrs. and Mesdames Marvin L. Belford, Malcolm L. Bourdet, James W. Dougherty, E. Harrison Hall, John S. Hanson, Francis V. Higgins, Lawrence V. Martin, William A. Reynolds, Jr., T. Wayne Simpson, and Earle B. Hazelton; Dr. and Mrs. Paul J. Pastor, Mrs. Wilma Bradley Weston, Mrs. Margaret Colliers, Walter F. Whitman, Jr., and Mrs. JoNell Krikorian.

Special guests who were invited included Dr. and Mrs. Erwin C. Kratt, Dr. and Mrs. Arnold E. Joyal, Dr. and Mrs. Irwin O. Addicott, Dr. and Mrs. Dallas Tuelier, Dr. and Mrs. Leo Wolfson, Dean and Mrs. James W. Malloch, and Messrs. and Mesdames Arthur L. Selland, James H. Robinson, George W. Turner, D. B. Wheeler, Erwin A. Dann, Lawrence E. Toddhunter, James C. Trombetta, Malcolm Davison, James W. Bradshaw, Robert S. Miner, George W. Warner, Jack E. Mulkey, John Solo, N. A. MacDonald, William Johnston and Charles F. Carpenter.

Faculty Club chairmen for the reception included Rustigian, general chairman; Naomi Edinger, refreshments; H. Dean Larson and C. Lowell Spencer, entertainment; Mrs. Dorothy Bliss and Mrs. Edna Hartley, decorations; Walter Witt, arrangements; John Castine, receiving line; Katherine Darling, invitations; Chester Gar-

rison, special details; and Philip D. Smith, publicity.

Entertainment included a medley of Broadway tunes, sung by Sonya Miller, a sophomore student. Judy Cady, a freshman student, presented pantomimes entitled "It's the same old Jazz, Momma," and "A good man is hard to find."

Refreshments were served by four of Miss Edinger's home economics students. Clara Randolph, Courtney (Cokey) Newman, Carol McIntyre, and Sandra Williams.

Hansen Praises Fresno Jaycee

I have always held in high esteem the Fresno Junior College administrators, instructors, and students with whom I have come in contact during the past several years. Certainly, when I was offered the opportunity to become associated with FJC as administrative dean, I was happy to accept.

I am proud to be a member of one of the most outstanding junior colleges in California, and, also, to be an employee of the Fresno City Unified School District, which I believe to be the top city school system in the state.

It is with enthusiasm that I look forward to helping FJC meet the needs of a rapidly-growing student body.

Perhaps I should add, too, that I'm real glad to be back in my home town.

John S. Hansen
Administrative Dean

Fresno JC Ties Season Opener, 6-6

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the drive and the half ended with the visitors leading 6 to 0.

Coach Hans Wiedenhofer's forces got a break in the third quarter when a poor punt went out on the Fullerton 36. Jackson picked up a yard and then Pipes took a pitchout and raced 35 yards for the score. Alex Kobzoff's extra point attempt was wide and the score was tied up at 6 all.

The Hornets reached the Ram 11 late in the third period as a result of a blocked punt but the tough Ram defense held. The two teams battled back and forth in the final quarter with neither team getting inside its opponent's 35 yard line.

Outstanding on aerense for Fresno were Bill Herron, Fred Raco, Bill Pritchard, Bill Lamb, Walt Miller, Pete Mehas, and Jackson.

The Rams gained 163 yards, 132 on the ground and 31 through the air.

Phi Beta Lambda Plans Tuesday Meet

Prospective members of Phi Beta Lambda will be guests at a luau on the lawn by the tennis courts Tuesday from 3 to 7 PM. The guests and members will gather at the recreation center at 3 PM for a social hour with swimming and games planned for those who wish to participate.

Shirley Huber, the second vice president of the club, is general chairman of the affair. Her committee consists of Sharon Wallen, Sumi Faniguchi, and Bill Murphy.

President Ray Beach called his officers to an executive board meeting on the Friday of registration week to map plans for the semester. With the president were Vice-Presidents Shirley Huber and Charles Leavitt; Secretary Nola Meyers; Treasurer Sharon Wallen; Ex-President Dorothy Rubald and sponsors Mrs. Wilma Bradley Weston, Gervase Eckenrod and Mrs. Edna Hartley. The meeting was held in Mrs. Hartley's home.

The second executive board meeting was held in B-8 Sept. 16. All officers and sponsors were present to plan the agenda for the first club meeting which was held Sept. 18.

Regular club meeting dates were announced as the first Wednesday of each month at 7 PM in the coed lounge for a supper and social meeting.

Field trips to be arranged to various local business organizations were announced by Beach. He said, "Non-members are welcome to join these trips for which transportation is always available." Dates for the trips will be announced in the Rampage and a sign-up sheet will be posted in B-8.

Cafeteria, Coffee Shop Have Day, Night Hours

The Fresno Junior College cafeteria and coffee shop are now open for the convenience of students and faculty members.

Lunch will be served in the cafeteria from 11:30 AM to 1 PM and it will open again for dinner at 5:30 PM to 7 PM. The coffee shop is open from 7 AM to 4 PM and from 7:30 PM to 9 PM.

"We are very happy to welcome FJC students and we promise to serve the best meals possible," stated Mrs. Nina Stradel, who is in charge of the cafeteria.

ALMA MATER APPEARS TO BE ALMOST FORGOTTEN AT FJC

By SUSAN CYR

Beneath the high Sierras,
Here arched by blue above,
Hail to thee our Alma Mater,
Memories may we always love.
Tough years go by—we'll
not forget,

The Red and White ne'er fail . . .
Fresno JC may it still prevail,
Hail! Hail! Hail!

The above words and their accompanying music, although they are not currently in vogue on our campus and at our college's various events, were, five or six years ago, a flourishing, often sung alma mater.

Somehow, during the past few years, through no fault of present day students and student body officers, the practice of remaining at sports events until the alma mater had been sung was allowed to die out. Now the original alma mater has been completely forgotten. Few of the people on campus know that one ever existed.

When Fresno Junior College was first opened there was, of course, no alma mater. This situation continued for a few years

until some enterprising person decided that the JC students, like students from other schools, should have something to sing to show pride at being members of such a fine organization.

A contest was initiated and announced in the Rampage. However, nothing became of this, and a year later two of the faculty members got together to solve the problem. Dr. Lucille Williams, now retired, and Noel Frodsham, history instructor, wrote the music and words, respectively, to the alma mater.

It is a beautiful song, and what's more it is original. Its words are not those of some Ivy League university's alma mater with only the name of the school changed. Its melody is a copy of no other. Both the lyrics and the music reflect the beauty and the spirit of the San Joaquin Valley.

A lack of an alma mater is seen and felt at games. We don't want to be forced to gulp and stay silent when the "other side" swings into song. We have our own, original Alma Mater. Let's revive it!

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