

**HOMELESS RAM** . . . Sam the Ram III will soon be evicted from his present home at the Fresno State College agricultural campus because of needed space. His caretakers, pictured above, States Hines, Nick DiLiddo, and Shirley Hansen, have left school. Can you offer him a home?

## 'Case Of The Missing Ram' Or Where's Sam The Ram

Where's Sam the Ram III? Is he ready for the slaughter house? Or is he in the butcher shop already? Who's taking care of him?

Well, to tell the truth, Sam, Fresno Junior College's mascot who made his grand entrance at the student body football rally in October, is now in need of a new home and caretaker.

Sam is being ousted from his present home at the Fresno State College agricultural campus because of needed space.

Joseph W. King, rally committee adviser, said the ram is a pedigreed animal which was paid for by Billy Reed, who operates a local service station near the junior college campus.

Sam III is the third mascot FJC students have had since the school opened in 1948. The original Sam died and was buried on the campus May 9, 1951, after three years of faithful service. Sam the Ram II was acquired for the FJC-College of the Sequoias football game about three years ago.

King is in search of a new home for Sam III and assures anyone interested that FJC will pay for his board and room.

## Five Students Attend Leader Day Conference

Students from 49 high schools and six junior colleges throughout the San Joaquin Valley attended the Student Leaders Day Conference May 1 at the Fresno State College.

The day program began at 9 a.m. with registration of students and assignment of guides, after which an assembly followed.

Preceding a tour of the campus, Rosemary Hensen, freshman orientation chairman, spoke on "How To Continue Leadership In College."

A lunch followed which was furnished by various fraternities and sororities. After lunch a tour was conducted to the new college campus at Cedar and Shaw avenues.

The guests also attended the FSC vs. Pepperdine baseball game.

The students who participated from Fresno Junior College were Patsy Still, Frances Purroy, Art Lea, Blanche Milhahn, and Gerald Bender.

## Dean of Men Announces Final Selective Service Test Will Be May 20

Raul Starr, dean of men at Fresno Junior College, announced that Thursday, May 20 is the last date that the Selective Service Qualification Test will be given during the present academic year.

Early filing will insure a test and other necessary supplies for the student at the center he selects or at a nearby center. Starr also advised students when filling in the application, available at local selective service boards, to cross out "April 22" opposite the space reading "Center No." and write in "May 20."

## FBLA Conclave Elects Fred Hall State President

Fred Hall, of FJC's chapter of FBLA, was elected state president of the Future Business Leaders of America last weekend during the annual California convention of the organization in Sacramento.

Hall and 10 other delegates from Fresno Junior College chapter returned to campus Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Edna K. Hartley, an adviser.

He will attend the FBLA convention in Dallas, June 14 and 15. The 400 delegates at Sacramento selected Long Beach as the site of the May, 1955 state convention.

Other officers elected were Jean Sacquety, John Muir College, Pasadena, vice president for junior colleges; Anna Souza, Manteca High School northern vice president; Mona Kyle, Dinuba High



FRED HALL

School, central vice president; Yvonne Mathisrud, Culver City High School, southern vice president; Betty Miller, San Juan Union High School, Sacramento, secretary; Gracie Lee, Reedley Junior College, treasurer; June Johnston, Fontana High School, reporter; and Lurita Johnson, Pasadena City College, parliamentarian.

FJC students at the convention included Hall, William Bailey and Louella Williams, voting delegates; Gladys Popp, Patricia Nicklasom, Rosemary Taylor, Mildred Shaw, Samuel Albanese, Charles Fox, Franklin Antoyan and Jo Ann Monfort, who led a workshop entitled "Responsibilities and Problems of a Sponsor."

## Associated Women Students Hold Nomination Dinner

The Associated Women Students held a dinner last Tuesday night in the Ramble Inn.

The purpose of the dinner was to nominate officers for next fall.

Petitions can be taken out by any AWS-member who was not present at the dinner. They must have 12 units, a "C" average, and an AWS membership card.

Nominees for the coming election are: Loree Briggs and Ellen Tally, president; Mary Brumfield, Gwln Wilson and Beverly Baird, vice president; Mary Lou Kolstad and Iva Hendrix, secretary; Dorothy Ragsdale, Janice Bryant, Susie Brantley, and Bonnie Warren, treasurer; Lynnell Rice and Helen Embry, historian.

Miss Willa Marsh, dean of students, was the guest at the dinner, and Mrs. Hazel Pedersen was the sponsor.

Vena Holt will be in charge of the AWS election to be held in the main office on May 12 and 13.

Iva Hendrix was appointed as historian of AWS to replace Sandra Sims, who recently checked out of school.

## AMS Plans Barn Dance

By MARY FIORENTINO

Here's the big chance of the season for all Fresno Junior College students to put on their best western duds and come to the Associated Men Students' annual barn dance May 14 in the Marigold Ballroom.

Dennis Kates and his Sunshine Boys will furnish the western music for the dance, which will continue from 9 to 12.

### Big Affair

Robert Moxley, president of AMS, promises that this will be the best barn dance that FJC has ever had and everyone is invited to attend.

Queen candidates who have been selected from various clubs are Judy Long, FBLA; Loree Briggs, Rambling Collegiates; Beverly Baird, AWS; Frances Purroy, Red Key; and Janice Bryant, Newman Club.

### Ticket Sellers

Moxley said the dance is going to be one of the biggest events of the season and to buy your tickets soon from the ticket committee, who are Floyd Quick or Ernest Wolf, FJC instructors. Tickets may also be obtained in the main office or at the door. Admission to the dance is fifty cents with student body card for couples and \$1 without.

Bill Bailey and Floyd White are in charge of decorations. Jean Bartlow and Boyd Deel are in charge of publicity, and Al Herrera and Bruce Miner are in charge of entertainment.

## Election Polls To Close Today

By MILDRED SHAW

The anxiety of the election will soon be over and everyone will know who the fall semester officers are as the election polls close today at noon.

The candidates who are running for president are Sue Sheehan, Martin Isler and Dean Lee.

Other candidates and offices they seek are Allan Eldred, Robert Moxley, and Dorothy Ragsdale, vice-president; Joy Hunt, Mary Lou Kolstad, and Bonnie Warren, secretary; Mary Brumfield, Karlo Demoorjian, Jack Handjian, and Ellen Tally, treasurer; William Bailey, Henlen Embry, Ann Nelson, Lynnell Rice, James Ringer, Margaret Sisneros, and Gwen Wilson, representatives at large on the student council.

The judges of the election are Lucille Allen, Max Ramsey, Stanley Avedisian, Kenneth Lundberg, and Ray Harris. The clerks are John Embrey, Charles Etter, James White, Maynard Idleman, Tom Barnett, Ben Koda, Lawrence Benke, Sandra Cook, Aram Azadian, and Gladys Popp.

The election committee members are Pat Still, Blanche Milhahn, Susie Brantley, Bonnie Warren, Vena Holt, and Joe Gonzales.

## Rambling Collegiates Schedule Pot Luck Picnic

The Rambling Collegiates have scheduled their potluck picnic today at the Ash grove of Roeding Park.

Tables for the picnic have been reserved from 4 until 9 p.m. Dinner will start at 6 o'clock. Games will be played before and after dinner.

Carole Gostanian, president of the Collegiates, announced at a meeting held last Tuesday in S-22,

## FASHION NOTES

## Spring Formal Features Pastel Strapless Gowns

By ELLA PAPAGNI

An array of pastel shades were highlighted at the Spring Formal last Friday night.

Strapless gowns proved to be the most popular.

Loree Briggs was attired in an orchid net ballerina length gown, with a purple bodice sprinkled with tiny violets.

White Is Accented With Blue  
Jean Fitzhenry was wearing a very full, white net full length gown, with a strapless bodice and net stole. Her waistline was accented by a baby blue sash.

Mary Fiorentino was wearing a peacock blue, ankle length nylon tulle gown, with a matching stole.

Chantilly Lace Adorns Bodice  
Eileen Nilmeier wore a light green strapless gown also of net. Her bodice was of, chantilly lace with a very full skirt.

Also wearing green was Janet Warner, who was fashioning a Nile green strapless gown, with tiny ruffles running through the skirt. With it she wore silver shoes.

## Three Receive Merit Awards

Three Fresno Junior College students received certificates of merit at the annual spring press conference held at Fresno State College's new campus Saturday.

They include Haruo Yamaoka, editor, Margaret Sisneros Hernandez, assistant editor and Mildred Shaw, exchange editor.

"The certificates were awarded on the basis of outstanding work and time put forth towards the weekly publication of the Rampage," said John Duke, executive secretary.

The conference was sponsored by the San Joaquin Valley Scholastic Press Association and FSC journalism department.

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

### MAY

- 6—FBLA, B-6, noon.
- 6—Collegiate Pot Luck, Ash Grove, Roeding Park, 4-10 p.m.
- 7—AWS President's Tea and Spring Cabinet, Mrs. Pedersen's home, 8 p.m.
- 7—Nisei Club Meeting, B-7, noon.
- 7—Inter Varsity Christian Fellowship, B-11, noon.
- 7—Cake Sale, main hall, A.A. Degree.
- 8—Baseball, Porterville, 2 p.m.
- 11—Alpha Gamma Sigma, B-11, noon.
- 12—Red Key, S-22, noon.





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## James E. Welden Retires After Teaching 24 Years

By NORA BARTON

James E. Welden, Fresno Junior College trade and industrial education chairman and director of vocational education for Fresno City Schools, is planning to retire following the 1953-54 school year.

Welden, born in New York and attending schools there, has had an exciting lifetime and many colorful episodes. He said he also attended the Roosevelt High School and Fresno State College.

### Tragedy Strikes Family

Welden relates that his father, "harbor pilot" for ships, was killed in a shore accident when he was eight years old. His mother died two weeks following his father's death and he was sent to live with his grandmother in North Ireland. As a result of his stay in Ireland he has brought back with him a slight brogue.

Because of his grandmother's death, Welden was brought back to the states by his brothers and sisters at the age of 14.

### Jack of All Trades

Welden's experiences include his employment as a structural ironworker, a wood worker, and a general helper with the famous Buffalo Bill Circus. He also served in the U.S. Navy during World War I.

While touring with the Buffalo Bill's outfit, the company played in Fresno. "Then and there," Welden said, "I decided this will be my home town. Although it was 'hotter than blazes,' there was something about this town that I fell in love with and have made it my home ever since." His first job was with the old Barton Opera



JAMES E. WELDEN  
... plans to retire.

### Industrial Chemistry Class Has Projects

Graphs, charts and notebooks are claiming the attention of students in the industrial chemistry class, according to Floyd Quick, the instructor. Different alloys of steel and where each is used in automobiles and other machines are illustrated.

Other charts show samples of compounds with the name, formula, and its application.

## Exchange Notes

By ELLA PAPAGNI

### San Jose State

The faculty of San Jose State last week held the "Faculty Follies," which consisted of talent of the faculty.

They featured eight acts which were described as "one of the best shows of that type ever put on."

### Stockton College

The Stockton College annual slave day will hit their campus May 6 and 7. The boys will be masters on the first day, while the girls will dominate the second day. Slaves will be sold both days for ten cents.

### Los Angeles Valley Junior College

Annual judging of the AMS beard contest will be held Friday at the Fiesta dance of the Los Angeles Valley Junior College.

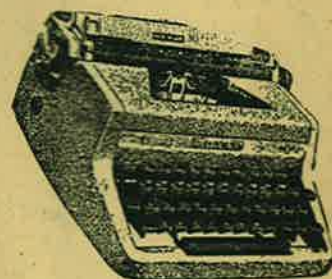
The boy with the longest beard will be chosen king. Princes will be chosen for the funniest, oddest color, scrawniest, best goatee, and best beard and mustache combination.

## Riggins Wins Speech Contest

Oliver Riggins, FJC student, won a speech contest last Friday afternoon which was sponsored by the Native Daughters of the Golden West, said Joseph King, speech instructor.

Riggins will speak Saturday afternoon for the district contest.

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# Ram Nine Wins Over Sacramento

By DONALD N. SHROYER

The Fresno Junior College baseball nine came out on top of last year's state champions, Sacramento Junior College, 6 to 5 to highlight the week's action by Ray McCarthy's horsehiders, when the Rams tangled with the champs Friday at Romain Park.

The Rams came out on the short end of two other contests played last week as the Castle Air Force crew scored a smashing upset 12 to 1 victory over the Rams on Monday, and the College of the Sequoias Giants scored a ten inning 4 to 3 victory over the Rams on Thursday.

## Bombers Walk

The Castle Air Force Bombers went through three FJC hurlers in their lopsided Monday afternoon victory as they piled up six hits and took advantage of twelve walks.

The FJC nine were originally slated to meet the Giants on Tuesday but ole' man weather intervened and the contest was postponed until Thursday afternoon. The Giants managed to push an unearned run across the plate in the tenth to maintain their CCJCA undefeated record.

## Pitchers Duel

The COS coach, Chuck Taylor, started his ace hurler, Bob Holowaty, but he relinquished the reigns in the eighth inning to Neil Frederickson. FJC coach Ray McCarthy went with his best pitcher, Richard Knight, who went all the way for the Rams and struck out seven batters, walked six and allowed ten well-spaced hits.

The Sacramento Junior College Panthers had the wind taken out



TWO BAGGER . . . Steve Santillan, Ram catcher, clobbers the horsehide to left field for a double during the Sacramento contest. Working behind the plate for the visitors is Sam Vartanian. The umpire is Dave Abel.

of their sails when the Rams unleashed a terrific attack Friday and downed the defending state champions 6 to 5.

## Schmitz Stops Panthers

Larry Schmitz went all the way for the Rams as he allowed eight hits while striking out seven batters and walking only five.

Dick Knight was the star performer for the Rams at the plate as he collected a pair of singles in three turns at the plate.

# TIGERS TAKE 14 TO 4 WIN

The Reedley JC Tigers put together a 17-hit attack to down the Fresno Junior College Rams 14 to 4 at the Romain Field Tuesday.

Charles Ratliff was the leading FJC hitter with a double and a single in three times at bat. Dick Knight, the losing pitcher, also got a double.

# COS Wins CCJCA Track Crown

The Giants of the College of the Sequoias won their second consecutive Central California Junior College Association track and field championship Friday when they piled up 64 points on the oval of Taft Junior College.

The Pirates from Porterville Junior College carried off second honors as they scored 38½ points while Reedley Junior College placed third with 20 points.

## Ten Man Team

The Fresno Junior College Rams, with only ten men entered in the conference meet, collected 8 points to place fourth.

Due to a very heavy wind there were no new conference records established at the meet.

## FJC Places

Those who scored points for the Rams were Floyd White, third in the 440; Walter Torosian, third in the 100 yard dash and fourth in the 220; Don Kloppenburg, fourth in the shotput; and Dick Wennig, third in the discus.

Those who traveled to the meet to represent FJC were Ken Bain, John Carter, Chuck Embrey, Kloppenburg, George Montrose, Torosian, Tom Ryan, Jess Waller, Wennig and White.

# Baseball Squad To Play Pirates In Final Contest

The Fresno Junior College baseball team will carry their bats and balls to the diamond of Porterville Junior College tomorrow to play the Pirates in the Rams' final Central California Junior College Athletic Association contest of the 1954 season.

Game time is 2 p.m.

Coach Ray McCarthy of FJC will probably start his top pitcher, Dick Knight, in the Pirate contest.

The league standings at the beginning of this week show the College of the Sequoias' Giants out in front with six wins and no defeats.

Taft Junior College, another member of the athletic association, is not competing in the league in baseball this year.

At the beginning of the week the Rams had won seven and lost 18 games this year, including league and non-league games.

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# Sgt. Joe Rampage Solves Book Caper

By JOE RAMPAGE

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"Got a case for you. Somebody checked out three new books and I want you to find them."

2:40 p.m. Carty gave me the description of the three books.

Just The Facts, Man

"Shanty Boat" by Harlan Hubbard is a true story of the author and his wife who had been dreaming of a simple, carefree life, independent of the complex and hurried world of today. What did they do? They built themselves a shanty-boat.

"The Death of Kings" by Charles Wertenbaker is a story of the men who shape events from behind the scenes; who make or break public figures and private reputations; the men who control that latest and

deadliest engine of power, the news magazine.

Windy Description

"The Conquest of Everest" by Sir John Hunt. In this book, the author, who was the leader of the British expedition, gives the complete, authoritative, and deeply moving story of that great undertaking.

2:50 p.m. I took all the information down and started to walk out the door, when Darlene Horsch, assistant librarian, came in. She stopped me and asked.

"Care to check out any books?"

I replied, "No, because I already had three books."

## Rampage Souvenir Edition Planned

The souvenir edition of the Rampage will be on the stands May 27. This issue will be a review of the events of the school year. Social activities, club functions, and sports will be summarized.

There will be 1,000 copies of the souvenir edition this year. The souvenir edition will be in color and will include eight pages.

## SURVEYING GROUP HOLDS 5 A.M. CLASS

Keith Emmert, FJC's surveying instructor, and 6 students "held" class at 5 a.m. yesterday, when they met at the junior college to take a bearing on Polaris, the North Star, with a transit with the aid of the United States Naval Observatory tables which give its bearings.

As a result of this observation they found the true meridian or true north of Tuolumne Street.

Emmert said that compass readings around a city are not very reliable because of power lines, passing cars, underground pipe lines and other factors.

Students in the experiment were Byron Steinert, Ralph Heinrich, James Ford, Farrokh Shahpar, Oliver Riggins, and Richard Smith.



## FJC Gets New Bulletin Board

Have you seen Fresno Junior College's new bulletin board? It is in the main hall across from the bookstore. The board was designed and ordered by Art Lea, student body president, and built by Merle Sons' carpentry class.

The board is being financed by the Inter-Club council, with each club contributing a share, which they are raising by cake sales.

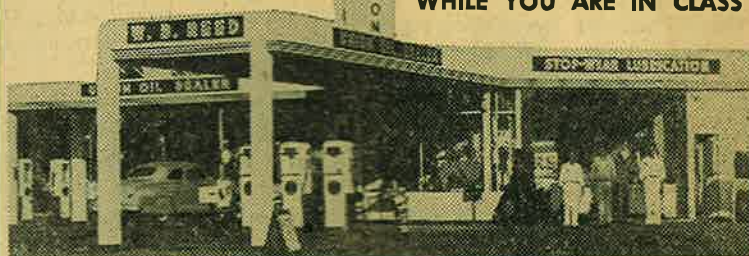
IT'S UP AT LAST . . . James and Floyd White, students of the carpentry class, put up the new bulletin board which was designed by Art Lea.

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