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Musick Is Chosen As JC Queen

Carol Musick, a Fresno Junior College freshman, was crowned homecoming queen.

Miss Musick and other queen candidates, Kiyo Butsumyo, Lydia Fhy, Izetta Rabon, Olga Hernandez, Joan Goodall, Pat Jones, Ellen Niere, Wilma Koenig, and Lucretia DeBenedetto were introduced by Don Lovelace, student coordinator, at a rally held on Friday in the Memorial Auditorium in honor of Ram Week.

Miss Musick was crowned by Lou Gununas, a former FJC football squad member, during half time activities at the game between Hartnell College of Salinas and FJC in Ratcliffe Stadium Friday night.

When asked how she felt, she stated, "I was speechless. I still can't believe it's true."

A crown of red velvet with silver prongs was placed on her head and she was presented with a spray of 18 red roses. All the candidates received white chrysanthemum corsages with an FJC banner on them.

Voting for the queen candidates was held at the entrance of the Ratcliffe Stadium before the game.

The queen and the other candidates were interviewed on local radio and television stations.



HER ROYAL HIGHNESS — Carol Musick was crowned queen of the FJC homecoming game. Miss Musick, representing the freshman class, won over nine other coeds.

Flores Announces Tuesday Feed

Tom Flores, Associated Men Students President, said that the annual "bean feed" honoring the football team will be held Tuesday, November 15th in the FJC library at 5:30 p.m.

All AMS card holders will be admitted free and those that have not acquired a membership card will be charged 50 cents. Flores urges all members to attend and said that there would be plenty of chile beans, salad, and French bread for everybody.

Fresno Coach Hans Wiedenhofer and his coaching staff of Clare Slaughter, Dick Handley, and Joe Kelly are in charge of the program and will introduce the Ram football players.

Fresno Eleven Hopes For Fifth Straight Win Friday

Fresno JC's football team will invade the Pasadena Rose Bowl Stadium Friday night in hopes of bringing home its fifth consecutive football victory when they meet the strong Pasadena City College. The kickoff is scheduled at eight o'clock.

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

November 11
Veteran's Day Holiday.
8 p.m.—Football (Pasadena City College, Rose Bowl, there)
November 17
12 noon—Christian Fellowship, S10.
November 17-19
California Junior College Student Government Association.
November 18
Last day to petition for credit.

Fresno Coach Hans Wiedenhofer and his crew will stay overnight after the game and will see the Washington Huskies play the University of California at Los Angeles football game Saturday morning.

Fresno Edges Hartnell
On Fresno's last outing, they edged the Hartnell College Panthers 27 to 25. It was Fresno's fourth straight victory and their fifth in the overall season.

Wiedenhofer was a little disappointed in his players' showing against Hartnell but had high praise for the fine work of Guard Delmar Moore. Moore, a Fresno High School graduate, has not had too much football experience and is improving rapidly.

J. C. White, Fresno's backfield ace, was hampered by an ankle injury and was not up to par against the Panthers. Nevertheless, the speedy fullback managed to score two touchdowns.

Rams In Condition
The Rams are in good physical shape with only one doubtful performer.

Don Birkle, who has worked at almost every backfield department, will be Wiedenhofer's choice for the right half position. Birkle played a good game last week when he filled in for the injured White at fullback.

Others starters named by Wiedenhofer are Harold Marquez and Richard Fendorak, ends; Thurman Burson and Tom Sano, tackles; John Aldredge and Delmar Moore, guards; Bernard Zarasua or Leo Hall, center; Larry Kaprielian and Birkle, halfbacks; Tom Flores, quarterback, and White, fullback.

Class Helps In Making State Meeting Plans

By Eleanor Franco

The conference leadership class of the Fresno Junior College is helping the student council make arrangements for the California Student Government Association Conference November 17 to 19 in the Hotel Californian.

The Fresno Junior College will be host to about 400 student delegates and faculty advisors from 56 of California's junior colleges.

McConnell Speaks To Administrators At Annual Meeting

The Central California Junior College Association held its annual meeting in Bakersfield Saturday with the Next Ten Years of Junior College Education as its theme.

Dr. T. R. McConnell, professor of education at the University of California, was the principal speaker. He chose "Implications of the Restudy of Higher Education for Junior College Instruction" as his topic. Dr. McConnell has done extensive research in this field;

Other speakers at the morning session, whose topics developed the theme of the conference, were Dr. Leo Wolfson of Fresno State College, who spoke on "Financing Doubled Enrollment," and Stuart M. White, president of Fresno Junior College, who spoke on "Relations with Senior Colleges and Universities."

Dr. Ralph Prator of Bakersfield College took "Instructional Innovations" as his topic and Dr. Ivan Crookshanks from the College of Sequoias spoke on "Promoting Vocational-Technical Education."

Luncheon was served in the cafeteria at noon and the afternoon sessions which were devoted to the problem of adapting instruction to changes ahead were conducted on a sectional basis.

Division meetings and their chairmen follow: administration, Garlyn Basham, Taft; business education, Miss Ethel McCormack, FJC; counseling and guidance, Herman Yeager, Coalinga; english,

Jim Ringer, an FJC student who is state president of the conference, said a tentative agenda has been sent to all the junior colleges participating in the conclave.

Only Known College

Fresno Junior College is the only known college in California that has a conference leadership class.

Joseph W. King, the instructor, said the course was set up ostensibly for conferences. He said its purpose is to instruct students in the planning and organizing of a conference, and it makes use of such a conference as the CJCGA as an instrument for training.

Members of the class volunteered to handle specific responsibilities in arranging the state conference.

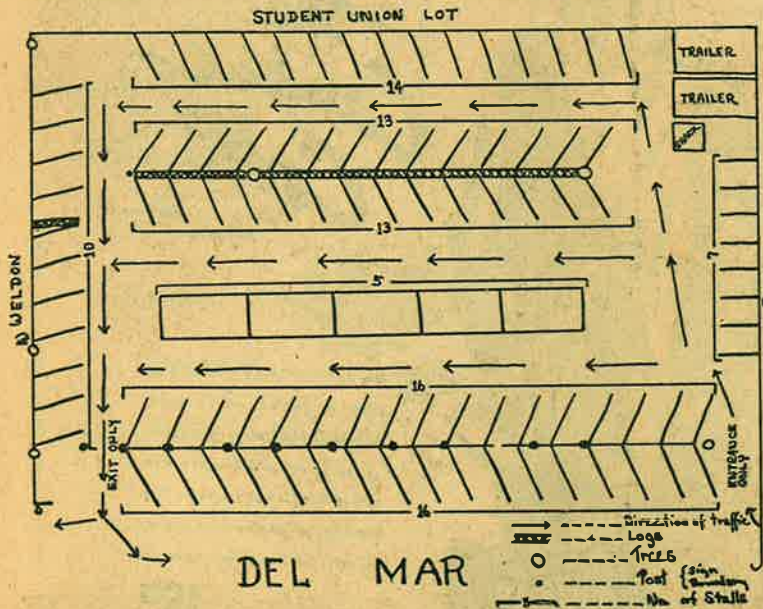
Committee Heads

The members of the class and the committee of which they are chairman include Jo Ann Monfort, registration; Lois Raybourn, lodging and meals; Carol Barsotti, welcoming; Ann McElwain, printing; Olga Hernandez, secretaries; Eleanor Franco, publicity; Ellen Niere, social; Barbara Wilkinson, finance; George Thursby, entertainment; Moses Hernandez and Jesse Albritten, material; Bert Ereman, coordinator; Ringer, state president, and Alfreda Barton, state secretary.

Ereman, student body president, and Edgar Wilkins, rally committee chairman, are Fresno Junior College's voting delegates to the California Junior College Student Government Association conference.

Miss Wilkinson, Miss Hernandez and Wilma Koenig were elected to be official delegates by the student council at a recent meeting.

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PARKING PLAN—Fresno State College Student Body President Newman Black has announced the above parking plan for the FSC and FJC parking lot at Weldon and Del Mar Avenues. The parking areas will be marked and student police will check violations. Collegian Drawing.



SIX LOVELY GIRLS—The girls above took part in the Ram Week parade through downtown Fresno. They are from left to right, Barbara Wilkinson, Marlene Stefano, Carol Barsotti, Diana Avila, Veda Luhm, and Loraine Jacinto.



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Students Are Congratulated For Exciting Ram Week

Probably there have been more "oohs" and ahs" during the past week at Fresno JC than there are students.

But to these exclamations, I also would like to add my congratulations to every student, group, and organization that made the Ram Week at FJC the most eventful and exciting event that I have witnessed during the three semesters that I have enrolled in the school.

Nothing glamorous can be obtained unless it is planned and replanned. But planning is only one part of the many, many details which must be worked out before an event can be put before the public.

The assembly was one of the best—perhaps second best only to last semester's talent show—that any student could have seen over the past three semesters.

Every feature of Ram Week certainly proved that every individual worked hard, and unglorious to make a better homecoming for this school. To these individuals I say thank you for the way you cooperated with the Rampage in order that the paper might publicize the many features of Ram Week.

I know that every student, faculty member, and every employee in the junior college wish to thank the many, many individuals who spent many hours making this event one of the most exciting in Fresno in many a season.

Freshman Candidate Chosen Queen

Was it that the Freshman class has two sets of officers that made them come through with flying colors last Friday night, or was it that they had a queen candidate that would make anyone start flying?

I am glad that the student body picked their queen by a vote at the game, because in my opinion the candidates were so pretty, and talented that only a number of students and faculty members could put their votes together and come up with a winning girl.

All of the candidates were well chosen and all represented FJC in a way that the school should be represented.

I wish to congratulate pretty Carol Musick for her winning the crown. Whether she or one of the other candidates was more surprised is a question that remains to be settled.

Rambler Staff To Give Away 1956 Yearbook

The Rambler Staff is going to give away a free copy of the yearbook to the person who turns in the best snapshot. Snapshots are supposed to be of junior college students, and the best ones will be published in the yearbook.

Students who are interested in entering snapshots may contact Franz Weinschenk, Rambler staff adviser, or one of the staff members.

Bobbie Burton, editor of the Rambler, said that the deadline for getting the copy of the yearbook is December 1.

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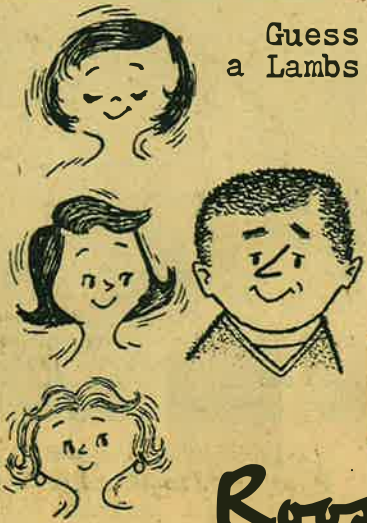
UC Professor Speaks
In Bakersfield Saturday
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eering and mathematics, Harry Renoud, Reedley; English, Miss Gwen Hatcher, COS; technical and industrial education, Norman Harris, Bakersfield; science, A. E. Bryant, COS, and social science, William Scalpino, Taft.

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CLUB NEWS

Brown Is President Over 25 Members

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The club officers are Brown, president; Foote, vice president; Jackson, secretary; Edwards, assistant secretary; and McClay, treasurer.

The representative for inter-club council is McArm.

Plans are being made for a Christmas Party which will be held December 21, in the Ramble Inn.

Alpha Gamma Sigma

Alpha Gamma Sigma is going to hold an initiation at noon in M117 on the Fresno State Campus.

Sam Albanese, president of Alpha Gamma Sigma, will preside over the initiation.

Freshman Class

The Freshman Class will hold a noon dance in the gym on the Fresno State College campus November 17.

Ray McCarthy, adviser for the group, said that all students are welcome to attend the dance. There will be no admission charge.

They are also going to hold two cake sales, one Tuesday and the other November 22 in McLane Hall, to raise money to pay for the class pages in the yearbook.

The class is planning to sponsor a car wash November 22 at a Stanislaus and Blackstone service station. The charge will be \$1 per car.

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Three Out Of Five Believe Mid Term Exams Important

FJC is in the process of mid-term examinations, which makes a good question of the week. The question is: "What do you think of mid-term examinations?"

George Mekitarian: "Im opposed to them. It's too much to study at

one time! There is too much reading and going over the chapters. The instructor starts throwing assignments at you and you wind up with 100 chapters and a ton of notes to study. There is just too much material covered in such little time."

Amelia Arriola, freshman student from Montana, "I believe mid-terms are an excellent idea as long as we are prepared for them. It shows how you're progressing and if the students have applied themselves to the best of their abilities. Also one might realize instructors have made the preparations to benefit the students."

Leon Sutton: "I don't think that mid-terms are important. The stu-

dents shouldn't be given a mid-term exam because there has not been enough material covered in the various classes. Also there is a confusion of organizing notes and cramming a few nights before the exams. There is too much pressure on the poor students."

Margaret Thoms, FJC Secretary: "Mid-terms always make a lot

of typing for me. Seriously, I think they are good in a way. It shows you how a student is progressing before the final. It also makes you study a lot harder. I'm in favor of them."

John M. Mock, FJC instructor: "Mid-term exams are important. It gives the student opportunities to organize material in such a manner that he will have a better understanding of the course. It also gives him an opportunity to prepare himself for a comprehensive final examination."



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EXCHANGE NOTES

Dean Slates
New Course
At San Jose

A new course, Philosophy 160, will be offered to seniors in the spring semester according to Dr. Fred Harclerod, dean in instruction at San Jose State College.

"Freedom and Life's Ideals" will be the title of the course. Its objective will be to prepare students to face the world of reality, Dr. Harclerod said.

VAN NUYS VALLEY STAR

The Monarch Forensic society of Van Nuys College triumphed again when they walked away with four of the top awards in a speech contest held recently at San Diego State College.

THE REDLANDS BULLDOG

Students at the University of Redlands will participate in the writing contest, Forest Lawn Writing Awards, again this year.

For the past two years, Redlands has won the first prizes amounting to \$5,000 each. Last year they took first, second, and third place awards. Altogether, more than \$20,000 has been won by the university.

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A TYPICAL STUDENT—The cartoonist conception of a student, just before and after the mid-term examinations, is shown above.

Sagherian Finds American
School System Pleasant

Vahe Sagherian, student from Lebanon, is finding the American educational system as pleasant to do business with as the people with whom he has come into contact.

He has been in Fresno since the start of the fall semester and except for a possible summer trip, plans to reside here until the completion of his education. His major is architectural engineering and he plans to teach this subject in Lebanon upon his return to that country.

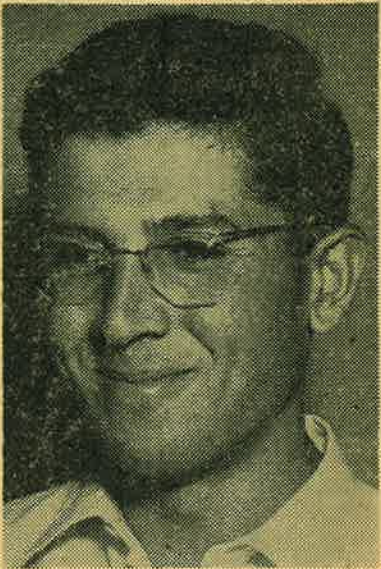
Compares Different Customs

In comparing and contrasting the different customs of his country and the United States, Sagherian said he noted that in the school as well as in everyday life, the attitude of the people was quite friendly. He also said he had noticed that the relationship between the teachers and the students, whether in or out of school, is much closer than in the schools of Lebanon.

He observed that the young people of this country are more forward and have closer personal relations with older people. They make friends with relative strangers much more easily than the Lebanese children.

Sagherian said his main reason for coming to America to study, is that a formal education in Europe is much too expensive for the average family.

"Secondarily," said Sagherian, "I

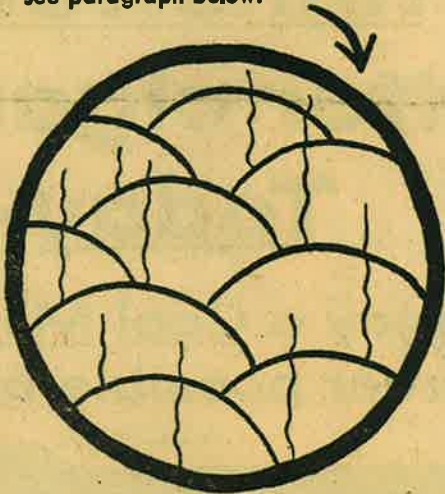


VAHE SAGHERIAN
... Foreign Student

want to become familiar with the American type of education which, I feel is superior to anything that I would get in my country."

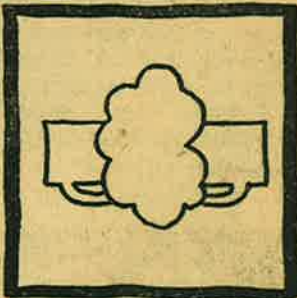
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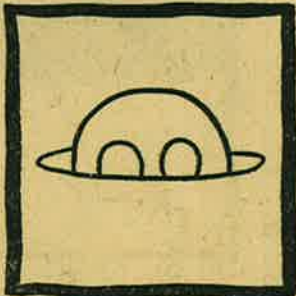


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GOOD CATCH—Nick Rendino, who played an outstanding game for the Rams in Fresno's 27-25 victory over Hartnell, is seen catching a pass thrown by Tom Flores.



Birkle's Three Conversions Give Rams 27-25 Edge Over Hartnell Panthers

The Fresno Junior College Rams, with Don Birkle's educated toe paving the way, took a 27-25 thriller from the Hartnell College Panthers of Salinas last Friday night in Ratcliffe Stadium.

Fresno, taking the opening kickoff, marched 70 yards in 12 plays with J. C. White bolting over from the three. Birkle kicked the extra point.

Move 75 Yards

After taking the kickoff, the Panthers ran off seven plays and then had to kick. Fresno took over and moved 75 yards in 13 plays, mostly on the ground. White, Birkle, and Larry Kaprielian were practically unstoppable, slashing off tackle and through the middle.

When the Hartnell defense tightened, Tom Flores pitched to Birkle in the end zone. Panther Guard Dave Cole broke through to block Birkle's try for the extra point. The first quarter ended with Fresno leading 13-0.

In the second quarter Hartnell started a drive, going 53 yards in seven plays. Quarterback Takeo Hirahara hit end Larry Butts on the five and lugged over for the TD. Ron Bernal kicked the extra point.

Hartnell got their second touchdown after taking a Flores' punt on the Panther 29 and going 71 yards in 11 plays. Hirahara hit Bob Fierro for 15 yards and the touchdown. Bernal's kick was no good. Fresno came roaring back with

just three minutes left in the first half, going 72 yards in nine plays. White smashed over from the one yard line. Birkle's kick was good and the half ended with Fresno leading, 20-13.

After a scoreless third quarter, Hartnell went 80 yards in nine plays. Hirahara snuck over from the one foot line for the TD.

Score Final Touchdown

The Rams scored their fourth and final touchdown on a 34-yard pass play from Flores to Kaprielian. Birkle's kick was good.

A short time later Hartnell moved 81 yards in seven plays. Hirahara's pass to Fierro was good for 12 yards and the final Panther touchdown.

SPORTLITES

By RUBEN BARRIOS

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John Foreman, star miler at Fresno Junior College, placed third in the senior three mile Central California Amateur Athletic Union cross country race last Saturday at Lake Millerton. Foreman, a former outstanding miler for Roosevelt High School, has also placed third in previous meets.

Dale Westfall and John Grosvenor, two other milers at FJC also placed in previous meets.

FJC runners practice daily at 4 p.m. in Ratcliffe Stadium, Roeding Park, or at Lake Millerton. Track prospects who are interested are to contact Coach Hans Wiedenhofer, who is in charge of the cross country team.

Eight Return

Six of the eight students that paced the Fresno JC tennis team in its first year of competitive tennis last semester have enrolled in school this semester.

They are Carol Barsotti, Fred Keoseyan, Eleanor Franco, John De La Rosa, Don Lovelace and Al Copus.

Nielson Returns

Stan Nielson, who last year could not be a squad member because of working hours, has also returned.

Dean Larsen, coach of last year's squad, has started a tennis tournament. Those entered in the tournament are the members of last year's team, Nielson, Larry Anderson, Richard Gibson, Larry Parker, Kaye Taylor, Rita Harris, Carroll Snow, Lois Taylor, Ann Mowrey and Lois Alsyne.

Failed To Enroll

Marilyn Mann, last year's CJCJA women's singles champion, has failed to enroll in school this semester.

De La Rosa was the men's singles player last semester. Copus played mixed doubles and Keoseyan and Lovelace played men's doubles.

Miss Franco and Miss Barsotti played both women's doubles and mixed doubles.

Fresno plays College of the Sequoias, Reedley, Taft and Porterville in league play. Last year Coalinga was not counted in the league standings, however, Fresno did play a match with the Falcon team.

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