

Senate nixes 'Awareness' proposal; misunderstanding?

The A.S.B. Senate Tuesday angered handicapped students by refusing to endorse Awareness Day. Other action during the meeting included naming six new senators, tabling a measure to finance new jackets for the wrestling team, and allocating \$1,060 to buy a pool table for the Student Lounge.

"The Senate may not have really understood the motion they were voting on as it was presented by the Handicapped Committee," said Dave Schroeder, ASB president, who was surprised by the failure to endorse Awareness Day.

According to a spokesman for the campus Enablers Center, several handicapped students were "hot under the collar" about the motion's defeat.

Awareness Day, which will take place on an April date yet to be chosen, is aimed at giving nonhandicapped students first-hand knowledge of mobility problems faced by those confined to wheel chairs.

Wheel chairs are made available to nonhandicapped participants so they may practice getting around campus and see what it's like, the Enablers Center spokesman explained. Schroeder said he believes the Senate will endorse the event next week, as the ASB body has in the past.

Yesterday's meeting marked the first time in four weeks the Senate enjoyed a quorum. A special election last week added five new senators. A sixth was Tuesday appointed оп Schroeder's recommendation.

"I want to work on facultystudent rapport and on Senate attendance," remarked Jerry Cooley before being recom-mended and chosen by his fellow senators. Cooley has served on various community service projects after spending six years in the Army.

The other new senators are Margie Gonzales, Tyrie Bivings, Juan Cortez, Broderick McDaniels, and Gloria Martinez, winners in the special election.

The Senate decided in another action to table a wrestling team request that new jackets for their conference victory be purchased with ASB funds. The district took over the financing of sporting events a year ago, and perhaps it, rather than the Senate, should pay for the new jackets, Schroeder indicated. The motion is to be discussed again at the next meeting.

The purchase of a new pool table was voted for the Student Lounge. The lounge recently acquired a new color TV and stereo sound system by Senate action.

Daylight assault prompts warning on empty buildings

Campus police suggest that deserted buildings be avoided not only at night but during the day as well, in view of an assault last week in the Language Arts building.

The assault took place about 3:25 p.m. Tuesday, March 15, shortly after an FCC coed entered the building to use a restroom. While she was in the restroom, she said, a CSUF student walked in on her and demanded a kiss. When the assaulter saw that he had drawn blood from her mouth, he fled the

"We located him the next day

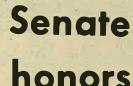
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after interviewing witnesses and examining a beer can left behind," said Ken Shrum, SCCCD police chief. "We went to the suspects home the following day to question him but found that he was not at home. Later that same day he came to our office and confessed. He had been in the Media Center listening to tapes when he decided to leave and get a drink of water."

The suspect said he did it because he "thought it would be cool." The suspect apparently had been drinking heavily but remembered "too much," accord-

ing to Shrum. "I think females who must go into deserted buildings should never do so alone," said Shrum. "Whenever possible they should go to populated buildings, such as the Cafeteria or the Bookstore.

"This campus is one of the quietest in the state. There is a university in the bay area where one rape occurs every week, on average," said Shrum. "If any student feels unsafe on campus they should call our office and we will send an officer to escort them to their car."



Patty Callaghan, FCC student won a first place trophy and a \$300 scholarship from Standard Oil in the management decision- making in human relations competition at DECA Conference.

CSEA for classified

AFL-CIO unit will bargain for teachers

Fulltime instructors in the State Center Community College District have elected the State **Center Federation of Teachers to** represent them at the bargaining table under California's new collective bargaining law for schools.

The vote was 189 for SCFT, an affiliate of the American Federation of Teachers (AFL-CIO), 110 for the State Center unit of the California Teachers Association, and five voting for no represen-

Nominal fees

tation.

The State Center unit of the California School Employees Association was elected to represent classified employees. CSEA won overwhelmingly against no representation to represent "white collar" em-ployees, and 32-19 in a runoff vote over the Service Employees International Union (AFL-CIO) to represent "blue collar" employees.

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Four ASB senators plus three "people who have not served on the Senate but have done a lot for students" were honored by the award of lifetime membership at Tuesday's Senate meeting.

Kim Finney, Kenneth Mitchell, Brody McDaniels, and Rosemary Lopez were given lifetime membership for having been active and productive senators for several terms.

Jose Luis Barraza, former student who was community relations advisor to MECHA: Student Lounge Hostess Sylvia Harris, and Don Watson, financial aids director, are the new lifetime members who have not served on the Senate.

FCC Dental Clinic will polish choppers

Did you know you can get your teeth cleaned without leaving campus?

All you have to do is phone 264-9400 — FCC's Dental Hygiene Clinic - and make an appointment and you can have your teeth cleaned and have oral x-rays taken for nominal fees. According to sophomore Patti Maruko, president of the FCC Junior Dental Hygiene Association, anybody can use the service.

The clinic is run under a teaching format. The students cannot fill cavities, but they can clean your teeth, take x-ray's, and administer a fluoride treatment.

The clinic is open on Monday and Wednesday from 8 to noon and from 1-5 p.m. On Tuesday the clinic is open from 9 a.m. to noon and 1-5 p.m. Thursday, the clinic is open from 9 to noon. The clinic is closed on Friday.

Nancy Byrnes, an instructor. said there are 20 students in the dental hygiene program. Freshmen are allowed to see one patient during a four hour session, while sophomores may see two patients. The clinic has 16 units for patient service.

Students in the program mainly study plaque control, cleaning of teeth, and fluoride. The money charged for tooth care all goes to the school.

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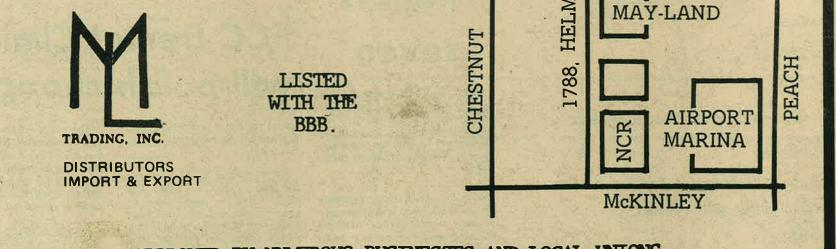
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NewsBriefs

Enabler sponsor car wash

The Enablers Club is sponsoring a car wash Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Shell service station at Van Ness and Olive Avenues.

President Hapet Topjian said the price will be \$1 per car, \$1.50 per van.

Parking

For approximately the next six weeks various parking lots on campus will be under repair. Please make every effort to park in adjoining lots during this time.

'Massacre'

"Texas Chainsaw Massacre" and the movie classic "The Birds" will be shown on campus April 1, in B-14 from 7 to 11 p.m. Admission is free to all ASB card holders.

Summer jobs

Students majoring in health care or related fields may apply for summer student assistant positions located throughout California, including Fresno. Applications may be obtained at the Placement Office and must be postmarked by 5 p.m. April

Bessie Jones

Folk artist Bessie Jones, an internationally known authority on black culture, will conduct all-day workshops starting

Saturday, March 26 at Fresno State University. Hours are from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Room 101 of the Industrial Arts Building.

'Germany'

The Fresno Convention Theatre will show a World Geographic Film "Germany," on March 26 at 8:20 p.m.

EOP aide

Lee Adams, EOP Director at California State University Bakersfield will be available at the Cafeteria foyer March 22 from 10 a.m. to noon.

Choir to visit

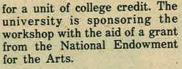
On March 31, the FCC Theatre will present the Fullerton College A Cappella Choir, a vocal jazz ensemble. Time 11 a.m.

Soprano

The Fresno Musical Club will present Jessye Norman, soprano, March 30 at 8 p.m. at the Convention Center Theatre.

Seek club

The workshop will demonstrate how much more there is to black culture than was revealed in TV's "Roots." The class is good



Chinese circus

The Chinese Circus Revue of Taiwan will be shown at the Convention Center Theatre March 27. Two performances, 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Buck Owens

Buck Owens and his Buckaroos will present a Western Dance Show at the Fresno and Convention Center Arena April 16 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

'Raisin'

On April third the Fresno Convention Center will present a musical "Raisin." Tickets are on sale at the box office at 700 M St.

New Year

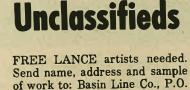
The Iranian New Year Celebration will be at the Sherator Inn March 27 starting at 6 p.m.

'Galileo'

"Galileo" a film by Joseph Lasey will be shown at the Theatre March 29 at 7:30 p.m. The film stars Topol.



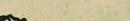
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Camera eye's view of 'Charley's' Aunt'

The day of the show is tonight at 8:15 p.m. in the art center theatre on campus. The other days are on March 18,19,24,25 and 26.



Chester (Randy Stump) proposes to Babbs, the phoney Charley s sumt





Babbs (Karl Mumir) is caught smoking by Charley's Aunt (Silvia Lester).



The boys Dan Farmer and Jack (Rich Johnson) are caught with Charley's Aunt's clothes.



Kitty (Sloan Dawson), Babbs, and Amy (Allison Wright) in a scene together.

Photos by Henry Barrios

City of Fresno newly elected Mayor, Dan Whitehurst.

Photos by Kip Smith

New Fresno mayor, 28, wants to involve citizens

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By Fonda Kubota

Fresno are you ready for a whole new outlook, leadership or change in this growing community?

Youngest ever?

The change occurred 10 days ago, when City Councilman Dan Whitehurst, 28, took oath of office for the position of mayor. He is believed to be the youngest mayor ever elected in Fresno.

"It's a challenge. It gives you the opportunity to be creative. First of all, it's fun to win an election," Whitehurst said with a smile. "It's a combination of months and months of planning and hard work."

Whitehurst won the mayor's race against opponent Ted C. Wills by a margin of 114 votes. The final count shows 15,310 votes for Whitehurst and 15,090 for Wills.

"It was kind of a mixed feeling, because at the time it was announced, it was so close that it appeared to me that there would be a recount," said Whitehurst. "There was a fear that we really didn't win.

"We felt all along, right from the start, that we could win if we ran the right kind of campaign," and their theory was right. "The victory didn't come as a surprise, but we felt pretty good all along."

He is originally from Los Banos, graduated with a BA degree at Saint Mary's College in 1969, and a MA in urban studies from Occidental College in 1973. He also attended Chapman College's World Campus A-float in 1965, and University of California's Hastings College of the Law. He has been a city councilman since April 15, 1975.

Wife Kathleen and son Keenan were thrilled about the results of the election. There will be a lot of demands in being a mayor's wife, but "it's easier to be a mayor's wife than a candidate's wife."

"She doesn't have to go to the headquarters every day. Her life is going to be a little more routine and more relaxed again," Whitehurst pointed out.

Being mayor for a short time, his plans are very much the same since the campaign. He supports budget cuts on property tax rate, historic preservation of old buildings, revitalizing downtown, freeway system, urban growth management, energy conservation, free enterprise, attracting new business, eliminating wasteful programs, policy departments, squaring off the city boundaries, and new people on city commissions.

Whitehurst encourages interested citizens to apply for commission assignments in the near future. He hopes to attract talented young people, senior citizens, middle range people, housewives, business, and many others who want to get involved in city government.

"I want to get a good cross section and the best people available, regardless of age."

He will meet with the press and "ask them ideas and how we can help with the flow of communication from city government to the people," Whitehurst added.

"Ill be going to Sacramento and Washington, D.C., to meet with our legislators and chat with them and see what's going on in Fresno. It's kind of fun making contacts."

On Wednesdays from 3 to 5 p.m., Whitehurst established an open door period for students and others to drop by without an appointment, "to talk to me about anything."

"I want to establish a good feeling among council members, to meet each of them and talk about their own goals, what areas they're interested in and just develop new teamwork," he said. "People are very much excited and encouraged what we can do to create a new energy."

Within a month, he will deliver a state of the city address, which the mayor makes every year.

After the next four years, Whitehurst has plans to run again in 1981 or give up politics for awhile. "Public life is a demanding sort of thing."

ISA, Iran student group, wants homeland democracy

By Lori Eickmann

He appeared typically Persian -tall, with a dark complexion, and spoke with strongly accented words. He was alternately controlled and nervous, and his eyes occasionally darted around.

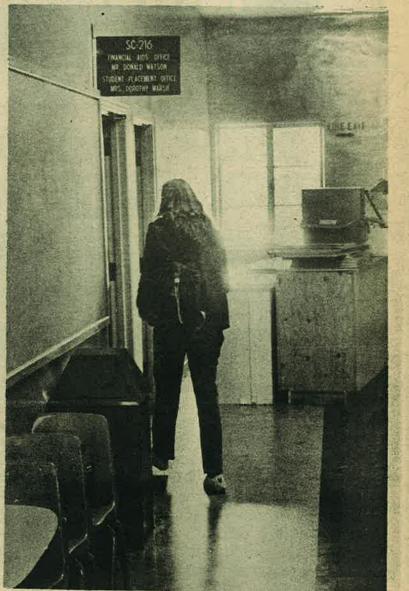
Reassured that his real name would not be printed, Ahmad began to speak about his native country, Iran. He spoke of the political situation there and of a movement born of that situation, the Iranian Students AssociaAssociation of the United States, contends that the U.S. government supports the Shah in order to protect American interests in oil and the middle east.

The ISA is working with revolutionists living in Iran in an attempt to drive out the Shah's government and U.S. powers.

An Iranian student from CSUF stated that Iran has "the most repressive regime in the world, through the Shah and his secret about this problem."

The ISA is attempting to become an official organization on campus. Associate Dean, Women, Doris Deakins reported, "One member is bringing me their Constitution for approval. Next they'll need approval from the Interclub Council, and then they'll become an official club."

Deakins added that the students would become members of the Northern California ISA, but



tion.

"The ISA is against the Shah," Ahmad began, adding simply, "They want to change the government (of Iran) to a democracy."

But, of course, to change is not simple. The ISA has more than 75,000 members outside of Iran, Ahmad says. Most Iranian students studying abroad are members of this group, he said.

"Every month we have a meeting," Ahmad revealed. "They give us knowledge of how we can fight them (the Shah's regime)."

Ahmad contends that Americans support the Shah. "We try to tell them what is going on in Iran. tell them to write to the pres.jent, Jimmy Carter. But the government supports Shah."

"Resistance," a pamphlet printed by the Iranian Students police, SAVAK."

SAVAK is comparable to the CIA in this country, according to the ISAUS. They have published numerous accounts of SAVAK's "gestapo" methods, which are aimed at those who oppose the Shah, stating that these methods include "...flogging of the soles of the feet, extraction of finger and toe nails, and electric shock treatments," among other tortures.

Ahmad said he believes there are four or five SAVAK agents on campus. "Nobody knows who they are; a friend could work for them, you don't know.

The Shah can't do anything to us here--we live here, our president is not Shah," he continued. "But if I go back to Iran, they could put me in jail, torture, and finally, shoot me." He said that he is going home this summer and is "worried the organization on campus would be called the FCCISA.

I. Ward Lasher, associate dean of admissions and records, said there are 27 Iranian students enrolled this semester, "many more than in the past."

Why is there an increase in the number of students from Iran? "Stop and think," Lasher pointed out. "From any country, they realize there is more freedom here."

Ahmad, who came to the United States 14 months ago, chose Fresno because his cousin lives here. He came to study.

"You don't have too many colleges in Iran," he explained, adding that only 35-40 percent of the people get higher education. "But some of them know

the people get higher education. "But some of them know what's going on," he stated. "They're trying to change the whole government." A student finds out that the Financial Aid and the placement office has been moved to the new Students Services building. Now located at \$\$201 for Financial aid and \$\$232 for the placement office.

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SPORTS BRIEFS

Westmoreland named All-Valley Conference



Ram freshman guard Daryl Westmoreland has been named

as one of the first team All-Valley

for 1977.

mento City's Jim Stephens, the conferences Most Valuable Player, College of the Sequoias' Chuck Evans, San Joaquin Delta's Amos Staffold, American River's Andy Gust and Cornell Beaty of Cosumnes River. Gust, a 6-8 center, and Westmoreland were the only freshmen on the team.

Swimming

Despite individual best performances by a handful of swimmers, the FCC swim team still bowed to powerful Bakers-field 64-39 on Tuesday.

Coach Gene Stephens was enthused with his medley relay team of Mark Walker, Paul Haugan, Dawson Wright and Mike Freuler. The foursome combined to clock a 4:01.7, 1.7 seconds from qualifying for the Northern Cal championships on April 22.

This coming Tuesday, Ram swimmers travel to Reedley for a conference meet with the Tigers

"Our times have been coming down," noted Stephens. "We

gave Bakersfield all we had. They have excellent swimmers, plus they rate very high in their conference. I feel that, in all, it was a fine meet."

Fresno's Tami Green smashed a four year old 50 breaststroke school record by two seconds in swimming an impressive 34.1.

Haugan and Monte Peckingpah turned in personal bests in the 200 individual medley, clocking 2:14.6 and 2:25.5 respectively, and frosh diver Rick Harris claimed Fresno's only first in the diving events.

Womens tennis

The women's tennis team will try to bounce back from a tough loss at the hands of San Joaquin Delta, when they take on College of the Sequoias at home Friday.

The Rams lost three matches in the third set in coming out on the short end of a 6-3 decision. The loss leaves the team's season record at 2-3.

Winning at Delta were Jenni-

fer Regall and Chris Rutherford in singles, and Soccoro Bolanos and Pam Cruse in doubles.

Mens tennis

The men's tennis team, who have experienced more of the agony of defeat than the thrill of victory this season, had to put up with more of the same in dropping two matches in Sacramento over the weekend.

Fresno will meet College of the Sequoias in Visalia on Friday before matching up against Modesto at home on Saturday.

The Rams were outclassed against Sacramento City on Friday 7-2. Judd Conley and Joe Pombo teamed for a doubles win, as did Joey Heffington and Will McFeeters.

Against American River on Saturday, the Rams lost 5-4. Pombo, Heffington, and John Haug were victorious in singles, while Pombo and Conley won their doubles match.

FCC is now 2-3 in conference action and 2-6 for the season.

Womens track

All it takes to stage a successful women's track meet is a bright sunshiny day and a large field of competitors, which includes some of the best women tracksters in Northern California.

All these elements came together Saturday in Ratcliffe Stadium, as 13 schools from Northern California competed in the Fresno Invitational track meet.

The Rams did well considering the large contingents sent from such schools as DeAnza and Hartnell as compared with 11 athletes competing for Fresno.

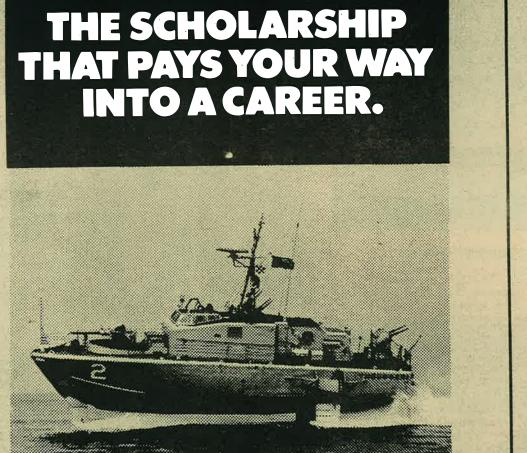
Some of the noteworthy efforts displayed by the Rams were put forth by Grace Robles and Polly Banks. Robles placed in three events, second in the javelin, third in the shot put, and fifth in the discus. Banks came in third in the 440 hurdles.

FCC scored 32 points in logging an eighth place finish. They will next compete in Merced on Saturday.

DeAnza won the meet with 107 points, while Hartnell, Reedley, and Cuesta finished a distant second, third, and fourth, with 59, 56, and 55 points respectively.

Motocross

A reminder that the 10-speed motocross, put on by FCC's intramural sports program, will be held today at noon on Weldon Avenue. Participants must furnish their own bicycles. Sign-up sheets are posted on the Intramural bulletin board in the



Gym.

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Brad Terry

Conference basketball selections FCC's 6-3 freshman finished the season second in conference scoring with 274 points and a 19.6 starting at 3:30. per game average. Westmoreland joined Sacra-

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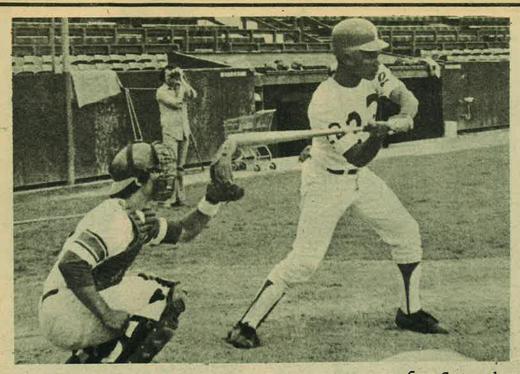
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IN STUDENT LOUNGE

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Rollo Adams, FCC's leading hitter, tunes up for Saturdays game.

Rams sweep double header, Cosumnes Saturday

The Fresno City baseball team stung Reedley pitchers for 19 hits and 19 runs in the first game of last Saturday's doubleheader, then took advantage of some early Reedley errors and cruised to a 4-0 win in the nightcap.

Although pleased with the wins, coach Len Bourdet stated, "Reedley's pitching wasn't parti-cularly good, but I won't overlook 19 hits in one game."

Reedley could manage a mere 10 hits during the afternoon as Ram pitchers Dean Moranda and Jerry Stovall, plus relievers Ed Arias and Mickey Wright recorded 18 strikeouts between them.

The Rams travel to Sacramento Saturday for a noon doubleheader against Cosumnes River, now 1-3 in league. Fresno will entertain Modesto at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Euless Park.

This past Tuesday, Wright, in his first start for the Rams, allowed eight hits in the early going, but held on to blank American River in the last five

innings in leading Fresno to a 6-3 win.

Now 3-1 in conference action and 10-6 overall, Fresno is tied with San Joaquin Delta, Modesto, and Sacramento for the league lead.

Rollo Adams and Dave Morgan led the Rams hitting attack against American River. Each had a double and a single. Greg Sieb picked up a pair of singles and Mike Richardt and Jeff Dempsey each drove in a pair of runs.

ASB REMINDERS

Maranatha Magic Show

Two performances Wednesday March 30th from 12:00 till 2:00 p.m. and Thursday March 31st from 7:30 p.m. till 9:30 p.m. ASB FREE

ASB Movie

DOUBLE FEATURE, "Texas Chainsaw Massacre" and "The Birds" plus CARTOONS. Friday April 1st at 7:00 p.m. in B-14

Tied for lead

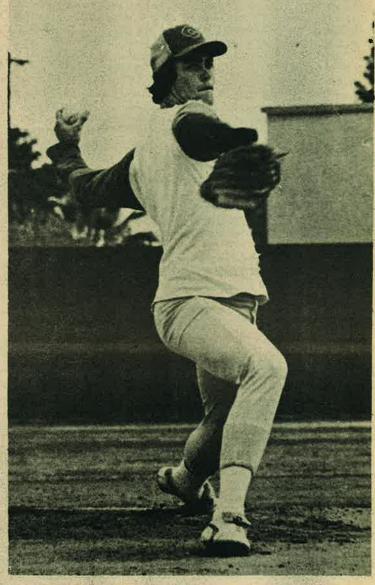
Linksmen face Giants today

When coach Hans Wiedenhoefer and Ram golfers travel to Plaza Park in Visalia today for a dual against College of the Sequoias, two important factors will be on the line.

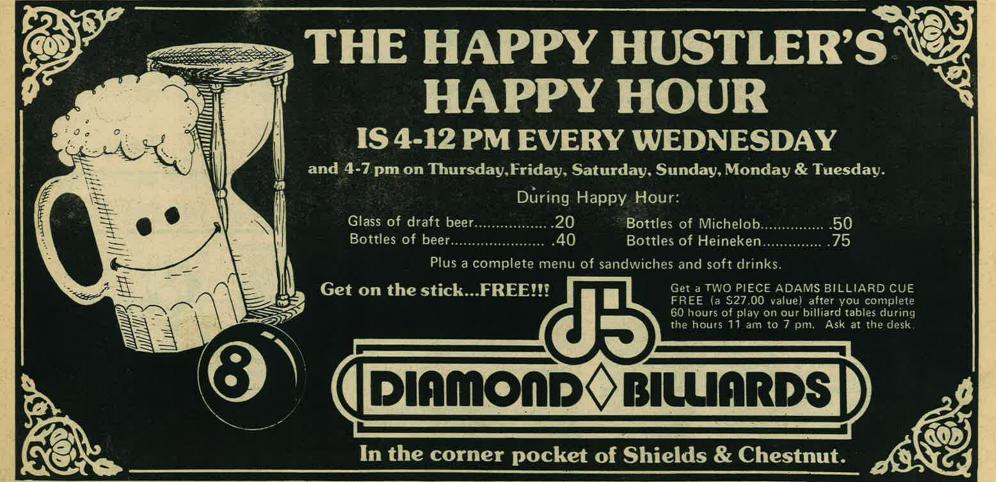
The Rams, now 8-0 in league play and 12-2 overall, will put their hopes for an undefeated conference record on the line. COS, however, will be trying to hold on to their 43 match win streak at home. The Giants have won the Valley conference golf crown the past two years with identical 12-1 records.

Last Thursday, Fresno squeaked by Modesto 390-391 on pressure putts by Tim Norris and Bill Walters. Walters was honored as JC Athlete of the Week as he shot a 73 against Sacamento last Thursday and a 74 against Modesto.

Fresno dropped Cosumnes River this last Tuesday 352-395. Norris shot a 68, Jim Lopes 69, Dave Lewis 70, Monte Walden 72, and Greg Williams 73.



South paw reliever Ron Leach unwinds during a practice last week.



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Back proposal to oust Senate

Currently on campus are a number of petitions asking for the ASB president to take action. These petitions are of a delicate nature and require some sort of explanation, since they regard the removal of the current ASB officers as a necessary part. The petitions being distributed are worded like this: "Be it enacted by the Associated Students voting that the

current government of the Associated Students be removed from office, and replaced through a special election to be held within ten (10) calendar days of passage. This referendum shall act as authorization to the Commissioner of Elections to expend up to two hundred dollars (\$200), in order to cover election costs.'

This bit of literary artwork is designed for one specific purpose: To establish the ability of the students to judge the actions of their government, and vote upon those actions accordingly. In short, a vote of confidence, similar to that which was held in India to judge Indira Gandhi and her political alliance.

Putting up this legislation to a student vote, would allow students to decide whether or not they wish to keep the same officers in for the remainder of the year, with their previous actions as a basis for decision.

Many have accused the Senate of being inactive except when it comes to their own well being, with neglect of the students. If this is a pervasive attitude, it would be reflected in the proposed recall election. If not, then those officers re-elected would not have to worry, and could continue on the path they follow today. However, the student body has the right and privilege to decide who they wish to represent them, and the actions of the Senate and Executive Board so far this year have warranted these actions to be taken.

Perhaps it was the Washington, D.C., trip which ired the general student body, but no definite response has yet been made. The students have the right to choose whether they condone or condemn these expenditures, as well as to establish a government that will indeed work for the students, with tangible benefits that all students can see and take advantage oſ.

No, there is nothing sacred about any government, least of all ASB, but the right of students is inalienable in deciding whether or not that government should be allowed to continue, I urge support of this recall petition, and urge all students

who have the chance to sign it as soon as possible.

-Mark Hernandez

ASB COLUMN

Expanded health services needed

Since the implementation of a mandatory health fee by the district Board of Trustees last August, there has been much concern by Students about the health fee and what it offers. Students have made it known that they feel the mandatory health fee of \$5 for full-time students and \$2 for part-time students is not something they appreciate having to pay. The ASB office has raised some questions and the faculty senate have raised questions. Questions such as:

1. How much money is collected?

2. How is the money budgeted and what is being funded?

3. Is the health fee money

evenings.

I believe it should be the purpose of Fresno City College Health Center to provide PRIMARY HEALTH CARE that can assist the student towards better health. The student's medical difficulties should not have to hamper or inconvenience the student's desire to acquire an education.

If Fresno City College would adopt a program that could utilize physicians and additional nursing staff, I believe students would greatly appreciate this service. It would be evident by the number of students using the facility. I would like to commend the members of this special committee for taking the time and interjecting their personal knowledge and experience into the possibility of an expanded health center for FCC students. This committee has the student's interest at heart. Also, I would like to commend the college nurses for theirgreatly appreciated knowledge and willingness to implement a long and needed program such as this. And to Dr. Dorothy Smith, you have all of my respect for having the desire to implement such a program. Doris Deakins, dean of women, thank you for your continued support. This committee is trying very hard to introduce the concept of expanded health services--a big job mind you-and they deserve recognition. Students-keep your fingers crossed and let's support and praise the committee and college administration for working and listening to the proposals presented.

ActivitiesCalendar

THE NEXT ASB JUNKET?

Tennis (Men's) COS 2 p.m. Friday, March 25, Visalia.



Track (Men's) American River and San Joaquin Delta 2:30 p.m. Friday, March 25, Golf, COS, 1 p.m. Thursday, March 24, Visalia.

Tennis (Women's) COS 2 p.m., Friday, March 25, Fresno City College.

Track (Women's) Merced Invitational 11 a.m. Saturday, March 26, Merced.

Baseball, Cosumnes River, noon Saturday, March 26, Sacramento.

Tennis (Men's) Modesto JC 10 a.m. Saturday, March 26, FCC

collected by the district? (A good portion is used for an insurance policy for the students-a proper expenditure for the students, is it something the students want?

It is my belief that the money could better be used for a health service program that is more readily available and tangible for student use. I would like to say that I am very pleased to serve on a special committee to help implement a health service program that would offer the service of a physician(s) and more nursing staff. In the future, it may be possible to go into the health center and have a doctor check you and run simple tests that would help diagnose health problems and needs.

Fullerton College offers a full-scale health program that has a medical director, approximately five physicians, two or three nurses, and a laboratory technician. They charge the students about \$4 and there are doctors and nursing staff available every day including the

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