

Senate flip-flops on quorum; plans Turkey Hop tomorrow

The Senate decided Tuesday that a quorum is in fact two thirds of "all elected members" and not just senators, making the number needed for a quorum 14 instead of the 12 they decided upon last week.

This came after a mild dispute last week regarding the constitution and Robert's Rules of Order.

It also was agreed by the Senate that the constitutional review committee should meet to review and discuss points of conflict in the constitution and by-laws.

Senator Keith Tracy was selected the new student mem-

ber representative to the Board of Trustees for FCC, a position previously held only by the ASB president. Tracy was selected over two other students vying for the position.

Another communication to the senate was that there will be a new class offered next semester, for students involved with ASB, entitled Speech 28 A-B. The class involves organizational leadership.

Legislative Vice President Al Quintana said he is investigating means of helping Enabler students gain access to hard-to-reach places. An ironic aspect of

this is that Senator Jim Brooks, an Enabler student, cannot reach the Senate office upstairs in the Student Center building.

Senate Adviser Dave Dickey announced that DECA is doing a research study on ASB involving such questions as, "Do you have an ASB card", "What has ASB done for you," and "What would you like to see ASB do."

A "Turkey Hop" is scheduled for tomorrow night in the Student Lounge starting at 8:30 p.m. This dance is free to ASB card holders and will cost \$1.00 for the general public. Tickets are on sale in the Cafeteria.

No new vice chancellor planned

John S. Hansen, who was named chancellor of SCCC, will begin his new duties Jan. 6, on a three-year annually renewable contract at a salary of \$49,500 per year.

Hansen served as one of two district vice chancellors since 1975 and prior to that he was assistant superintendent, education, for the district for almost nine years. Hansen, 57, was administrative dean and vice president of FCC before taking a

presidential position at Grossmont College in 1961.

"Community colleges in California bring many benefits to the taxpayers and represent a real educational bargain," said Hansen.

"In this Post-Proposition 13 era, the challenge for this district will be to continue to provide significant and meaningful educational programs and services despite reduced funding availability."

"As chancellor, my primary objective will be to support and further the efforts of the Board of Trustees, administrative personnel, faculty members, and classified staff in their efforts to meet this challenge."

Hansen revealed that no one will fill his present position when he becomes chancellor and, as for the negotiations with the district faculty, he hinted that an end (a signed contract with the faculty) is in sight.

Instructor honored by trustees

Anne Walker was named faculty member of the year by the State Center Community College District Board of Trustees Tuesday night.

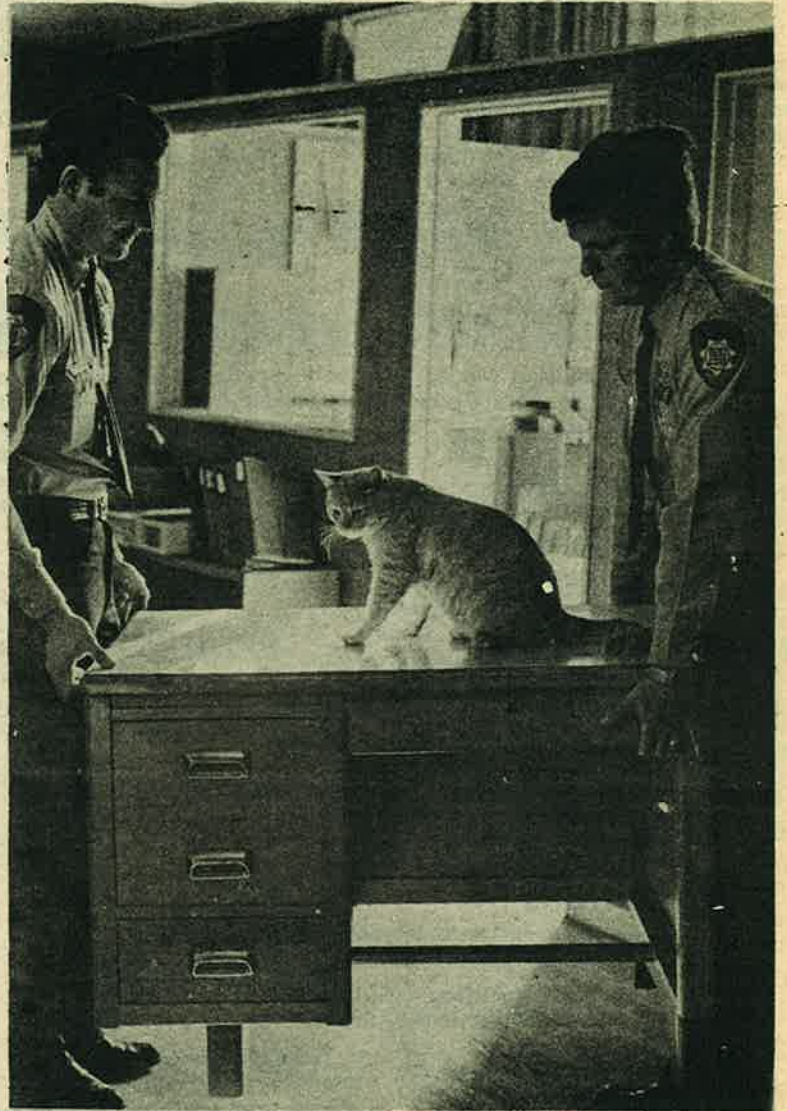
She was teaching her Tuesday night work experience class when she was summoned to appear before the board of trustees. "It was a complete surprise," said Walker.

Walker, who is the DECA advisor said, "I was honored, but feel that this honor is shared with the active and enthusiastic members that have made DECA a valuable asset to the business community."

DECA recently received an award for being the No. 1 chapter in the nation for membership growth, achieving 156 per cent growth. Last spring DECA won nine state and four National awards for being so

actively involved on campus and in the business community.

Ms. Walker was recently named state DECA advisor of the year.



Charles Anderson, left, and Jim Stovall help move Barney and the desk to the new Campus Police offices, located in the new maintenance buildings on Weldon.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Happy Thanksgiving Ski Club planstrips, elects Carol Ramirez

The FCC Ski Club is taking new members until Dec. 1. The cost is \$5 and entitles the member to special discounts, demonstrations, fund-raising events, ski trips to China Peak and Badger Pass and other meetings.

The Ski Club is not just for experienced skiers. There are a lot of non-skiers in the club. It's an opportunity for someone who has never skied before to learn and have fun with others and with experienced skiers there to assist at all times.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, Nov. 22, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room B in the Cafeteria.

A "Ski Tahoe" trip is planned in January. For further information, come Wednesday.

Officers for this year are Carol Ramirez, president; Miles Mitchum, vice president; Kim Kor, secretary; Carrie Owen, treasurer, and Yvonne Perreira, ICC representative.

Forgiveness petitions

All students repeating a course for which you previously received a "D" or "F" can petition for forgiveness of the former grade. If the course you

are repeating was originally taken at FCC, the deadline to petition is Dec. 8. Forms may be obtained at Counter "A" of the Student Services Building, lower level.

Police seek dispatchers

The FCC Police Department needs dispatchers. A student has to be carrying at least 12 units to be eligible. Some typing and shift work is required. Pay is \$2.75 per hour for about 19 hours per week. Call 442-8201 for details.

Women's net tryouts

There will be a meeting for all women interested in trying out for the women's tennis team today (Thursday) at 3:30 p.m. in G-98.

AFROTC seeks applications

Transferring sophomores: The Air Force ROTC Detachment at

CSUF is accepting applications for enrollment in the professional officer course for the fall 1979 semester.

A qualifying test will be given at CSUF on Nov. 17, Dec. 1 and 8. Call 226-6400 or 487-2593 to register for the test.

FCC gets new flags

There are two new flags flying on the flagpole in front of the administration building. Congressman John Krebs, D-Fresno, provided the flags to replace the tattered ones that were there.

No paper for Thanksgiving

There will be no school Nov. 23 and 24 because of Thanksgiving. The Rampage will be taking the week off too, but will return Nov. 30.

COUNSELORS' RAP

Error corrected in volleyball dare

Although I vaguely remember having made a comment about my male prowess, I want to make myself perfectly clear. Last week's volleyball challenge was erroneous.

You see, there was a three-minute gap or rather a three-word gap and the correct statement should read as follows:

Counselors Walter Brooks, Don Munshower, Dana Jessen and the LA Rams stand a fair chance at beating City's volleyball team.

—Walter Brooks

Interested students must have completed Biology 20, 22, and 31 and Chemistry 2A and 2B or 2A and 3 by the end of this semester to be eligible. They should have a 2.86 GPA if possible. Have them hand carry their applications to Fresno State Admissions Office and ask to see Diane Hamforth who will be screening for admission.

Classes in Mill Cabinet

Do you like working with various types of wood? Do you enjoy operating wood working machines and hand tools? Do you enjoy the satisfaction of making something with your hands? If you answer yes to all of the above, then classes in Mill Cabinet are for you. Check it out in the Counseling Center.

UC Davis counselor

Jose Michel from University of California at Davis will be on campus to discuss UC programs. You're invited to attend this informative session Wednesday, Nov. 20, from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Conference Room A, Cafeteria.

November priority

Reminder: The month of November is the priority month for applying for admission (Fall 1979) to any State University or to the University of California. Applications available in the Counseling Center.

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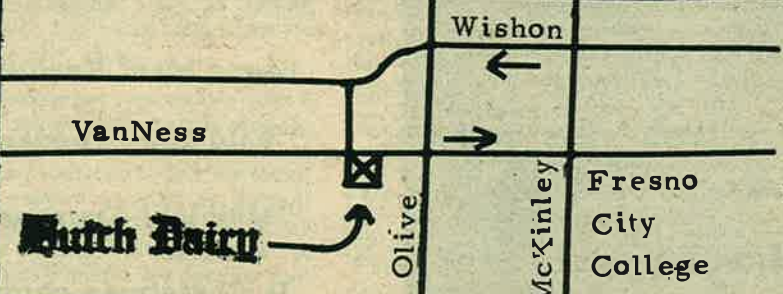
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Birds of a feather flock together, as did FCC students from the same high school. Alumni of Bullard and Clovis High Schools formed the closest-knit groups.

They could be seen perched on planters and benches around the fountain at all hours of the day. It was easy while walking through the plaza to pick out what school each group had attended. If you knew one person's alma mater in the group you could be fairly sure the others' was the same.

This is all a thing of the past, though. Birds, even though not

very intelligent animals, fly south when it gets too cold for them. People, being more intelligent, run in all directions when it gets too cold for them. This flight has taken them away from the plaza and into sheltered areas.

Perhaps, each group will claim an area in the Cafeteria or Library for themselves, but that seems unlikely.

The cold weather, that finally came, may serve to split apart the comfortable groups one entered in high school and force the members to mingle with the entire student body in all its diversity.

—Michale Lehman

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| 1 Get Off | Foxy |
| 2 Kiss You All Over | Exile |
| 3 Hot Child In The City | Nick Gilder |
| 4 MacArthur Park | Donna Summer |
| 5 Mind Blowin' Decisions | Heatwave |
| 6 You Needed Me | Ann Murray |
| 7 Boogie Oogie | Taste Of Honey |
| 8 How Much I Feel | Ambrosia |
| 9 Whenever I Call You Friend | Kenny Loggins |
| 10 Reminiscing | Little River Band |

Rist Rocket get after release o

By Dennis Holseybrook

"They got some real talent and a real future ahead of them." Those were the words of Mayor Daniel Whitehurst as he presented the key to the city to Jack Lockwood, Gus Garabedian, Phillip Radinoff and Mike McMillian, also known as Rist Rocket.

The occasion was to support local artistic talent in Fresno. Rist Rocket is the only Fresno band so far to receive the key, and other than Supertramp, they are the only band to receive it. This big event took place last Thursday at noon.

All the members of Rocket hail from Fresno and all graduated from McLane in 1970 and 1971. Off and on, the band has been together 10 years (the band as

we know it now has been together for about 1½ years).


Fresno, being a disco town, makes it hard for a rock band to make it. So for Rist Rocket, it was a hard climb to where they are today.

When they would play high schools, they were always being asked to play only disco, which they didn't want to play. They want to play danceable rock music.

About a year and a half ago, John Dutra, president of Sun Productions, signed them on and it seemed that things were looking up. Not too long after that, Dutra signed up Marco Chenault to help him out by working full time with the band.

Since then, things have been looking up for them. The boys recently released their first

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album, Rist Rocket, on Sun West Records. The album was produced, in part, by Dutra and features some of the finest songs written by Rist Rocket.

Every song on the album is different from the others and some could make good singles. Jack Lockwood describes their music as: "Rock and Roll. Heavy enough for the FM crowd, but commercial and melodic enough for the AM crowd."

The album was recorded at Kenjo Studios (who also recorded the Folly's Pool and Wild Blue Yonder). There are some good rockers on the album, complemented by mellower songs.

Phil's lead vocals are superb and fun to listen to. You can't overlook other fine talents on the

album: Jack on lead and rhythm guitars, Gus on rhythm and lead guitars, Phil also on bass, and Mike on drums and percussion.

Some of my favorite songs on the album are: "Will it Last Forever" (a fine mellow, melodic tune featuring Phil's dynamic vocals), "Rocket and Roll It" (an excellent rocker featuring fine performances by the whole band), "Nothing But Memories" (another fine rocker, but danceable for even the disco crowd).

My alltime favorite is "I Can Feel the Pain" (an excellent mellow tune that also features fine performances by the whole band).

All in all, I think the album is good and worth buying. Go to Tower Records, buy the album, and Rocket and Roll It Tonight.



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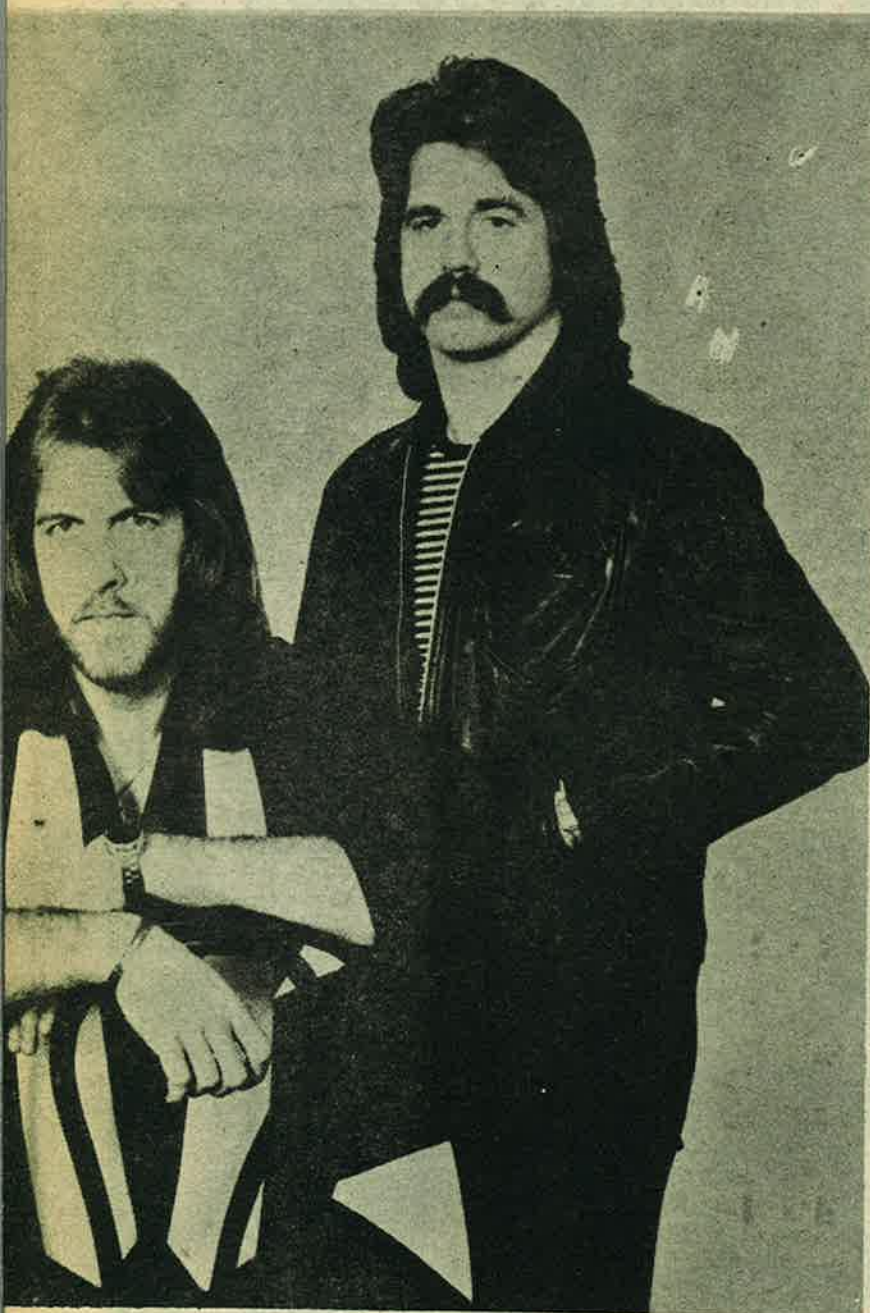


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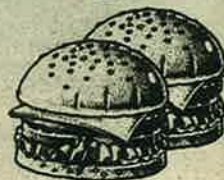
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Scott Scambray (89) catches a Jeff Dempsey TD pass.

Photo by Henry Gutierrez

Rams shellac Reedley 62-0

By Henry Gutierrez

In blasting the Reedley Tigers Friday night, the FCC Rams put themselves again in the record books with a 62-0 shellacking of their cross-district rival.

This victory margin was the largest in FCC gridiron history and also the most points scored by a Ram team.

In amassing 602 net yards to the Tigers' 116 yards, the Rams completely dominated the Reedley squad.

FCC put a damper on the Tigers explosive offense. Rod Fries was intercepted twice, once by Mike Grieco and the other time by Jimmy Hill. In all, the Tiger QB's went 8 of 25 for 75 yards and were constantly harassed by the Ram interior linemen.

FCC scored first on a John Rayford three-yard run in the first period. Rayford finished the night with 196 yards. This total gave Rayford a new school record of 2,506 total yards of all-purpose running.

This record erases Vic Lamanuzzi's 1968 record, and Rayford still has one game left to add to the total.

Mark Griffin posted 68 yards and two TD's and Larry Sciacqua had identical stats. Sciacqua scored twice on a "crazy draw," a play designed to fool the opposition and it also had many of the fans baffled.

Quarterbacks Jeff Dempsey, Nick Papagni and Dwayne DeManty all had a field day with the Tiger defense. Dempsey finished with 186 yards on 11 of 18 and three touchdowns. Scott

Scambray caught two aeriels, one of 12 and the other of 8 yards, and George Wright brought in a 38 yard Dempsey bomb for the other score.

Nick Papagni played sparsely and ended up 5 of 14. DeManty came in the final period and notched two TD passes. Tony Polanco made a fine catch of a 31 yard DeManty pass. A one yard catch by Mark Griffin rounded out the scoring for the Rams.

Punter Alan Clark only punted once and his one effort was 35 yards, late in the third period.

The Rams end up the 1978 campaign with an important contest against the College of the Sequoias at 1:30 p.m. Saturday in Visalia. COS is currently undefeated and fourth rated in the nation.

Rams begin wrestling season Friday against BC Renegades

Athletic Director Hans Wiedenhofer and wrestling Coach Bill Musick as of now have not yet decided on the men who will be on next year's wrestling team, but they hope to have the names by this week. On Friday the Rams wrestlers will face Bakersfield. The team has been for the last weeks been training five days a week, and to now Paul Bolanos, is considered says Mr. Wiedenhofer, "one of the best in the state". Tony Blanco, is good, both are 118 lbs. At 126 lbs. is Larry Kaprielian, who has the

inside track right now, Bob Roy, Ralph Torres, and Chris Schofield, tie at 134 lbs., next comes Al Duran at 142, Dean Shimizu 124, Mike Roth 150, Russ Lichfi and injured at the present time is John Bufford, both at 158 lbs. At 167 is Frank Scott, he's considered a good prospect, Randy Carlock at 177 is doing great after two years of being absent from wrestling and at 190 is Frank's twin brother Forrest Scott.

Dan Ghosoph a beginning wrestler is learning fast, the heavy weight of the team is

Charles Riddle and John Diaz, may wrestle in the heavy weight division. Right now the team is waiting for two football players Robin Green and Verlin Bishop, they should be coming next week. Other members on the team that help out are Don Rivers, Jeff Green, Frank Cantu, Gene Bradley, Balwinder Sall, Dave Garcia, Celzo Goronado, Marlin Royal, Juan Arellano, Jesse Frausta, Rene Arredondo, Angel Valenzuela, Ali Tabrizi, Bolivar Guevara, Gerold Hodges, and Dave Greamer.

COS wins

Waterpolo season ends with defeat in playoffs

On one of the coldest days of the year, the waterpolo team lost its bid to win the Valley Conference title against Delta and Modesto last Saturday.

COS, who came in on top with Modesto second, will go on to the Northern Cal playoffs. Coach Gene Stephens said "there is no excuse for the loss. They were our last two games and we went all out.

"Although the score indicates different against Delta (11-6), we did play a good game," said Stephens. Jim Turner was the top scorer against Delta with five goals. Dennis Gerrish scored one

goal. "Delta is the game we should have won," added Stephens.

The loss to Modesto, an aggressive, big, strong and skilled team, was 22-7. Gerrish came through with three goals, John Devere with two and Turner added one goal.

The All Conference team will be named soon and coach Stephens feels that a handful of FCC players will have the honor of being on that team.

Stephens noting this year's team is mostly freshmen, said "although we are losing some of our starters, we can look for the remaining players to be that much more experienced for next season."

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V'ball team ends so-so season this weekend

By Henry Gutierrez

The volleyball team will close the Valley Conference season this week with a trip to Sacramento for matches tonight and tomorrow night against Cosumnes and Sacramento City.

This series may play an important role in whether the

Rams go into the post-season Shaughnessy playoffs.

With identical 5-7 records going into tonight's contests, the Rams along with Sacramento City and Modesto are tied for the fourth spot.

FCC lost two important matches last week. Modesto on Thursday defeated the Rams to

stay in contention for this important playoff spot.

COS, the defending champion, also was victorious over the hapless Ram squad. In the event of a fourth place tie, there will be a fourth place playoff game to determine the entrant.

Coach Sara Dougherty seems optimistic on her team's chances of getting into the tournament.

Women run well in NorCal meet; Connie Hester finishes fourth

The women's cross-country team keep improving their times, teamwork and performance despite stiff competition from other teams.

Coming in behind first place finisher Ann Witherspoon in the Northern Cal meet Saturday at Crystal Springs was FCC runner Connie Hester who placed fourth with a time of 18:12. Serena Domingues came in seventh, Nora Vargas 18th and Ann Olson 21st among 73 runners who finished the race.

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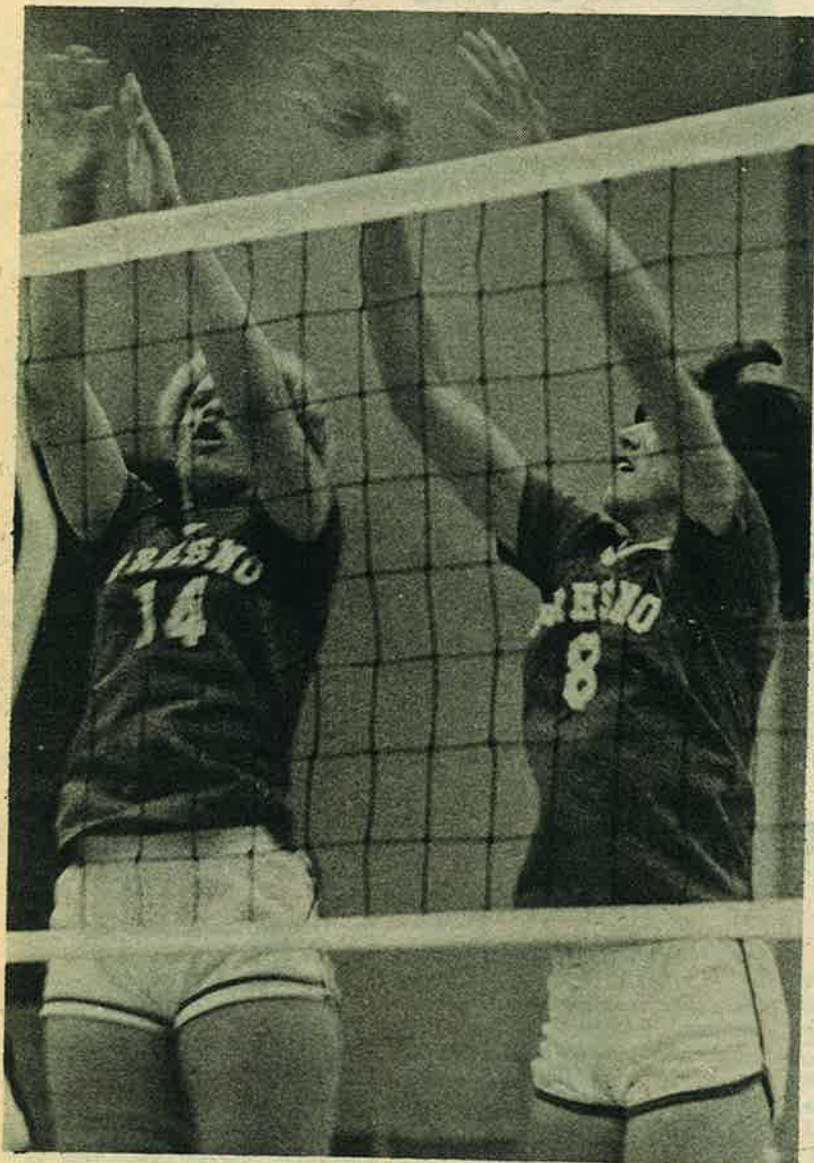
pace over the first two miles but lost it in the third to West Valley runners. Domingues, Vargas and Olson, on the other hand, kept running strong and passing runners as they worked their way towards the front.

Overall, coach Bob Fries calculates that the girls improved their time on the average of 41 seconds per team member since they ran the course in October.

On the men's team Greg Pope was the only runner who qualified for the meet. The Rams

missed qualifying as a team by three points in their last meet. Pope finished 17th with a time of 21:28 in a pack of 84 men runners who competed.

The girls have one more meet to run before calling it quits for cross country and beginning practice for a tough track season. Ram women will travel to San Diego's Balboa Park where coach Fries said "we can let it all hang out, and we will all go out a bit faster, run our best times of the season and see how many teams we can beat."



Denise Jones (14) and Brenda Silva (8) in the game against San Joaquin Delta.

CSUF overflow helps make basketball prospects bright

By Henry Gutierrez

With football season coming to an end, the FCC basketball team will be running full gear into their preparations for the 1978-79 season.

Head coach Chuck Stark is beaming over notable men's prospects Ricky Ryan, Willie Alexander, and Keith Postler. All three didn't play last year and bring two year's eligibility to the Ram camp.

Having only four returnees from last year's team which posted a 12-17 overall record and a 6-8 Conference record, Stark looks at the three talented transfers along with all-Metro picks Craig Cleveland, a 6-4

Hoover grad, and guard David Ramirez from Roosevelt.

Ron Chapman, a 6-5 center from Fowler and John Langston another 6-5 center from North Carolina, will mainstay the predominantly freshman squad. Chapman averaged 7.1 points and 6.9 rebounds last year, and Langston dropped 6.9 points and handled 6.4 rebounds as a frosh.

The Rams also will look toward frosh Jeff Black (6-5) of Modesto, Ron Edwards (6-2) of Stockton, Anthony Jones (6-3) of Oakland, and out-of-staters Willie Jackson (6-3) of Texas, Reggie James (6-2) of Arizona, and Keith Wright of Illinois.

Stark commented on the great season of CSUF last year and the coaching of Boyd Grant. Stark

said, "The fact his program was so good last year and people did so well, a lot of kids aren't afraid to stay in town with the idea of maybe going out there someday."

With a lot of quality kids staying in town to play ball, Stark said he feels he has the best squad in the four years he's been the head coach.

"We don't have anyone over 6-5, so we can rotate our third, fourth, and fifth positions," he added.

The Rams opened play Nov. 24 at the Ram Gym against Lemoore Naval Air Station.

(Next week the women's basketball squad will be highlighted.)

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Meaning of Yule

Thanksgiving will be here next week. A month after that comes Christmas, and already shopkeepers are decorating for Christmas. What galls me is that we seem to have forgotten the entire concept of Christmas.

Christmas is the day of the birth of Jesus Christ, it is not the birth of Santa Claus.

Advertisers, merchants and manufacturers have turned a once holy day into a mockery.

Christmas is supposed to be a time of happiness. Instead it is a time of running from store to store for gifts.

No matter how you believe, that Christ was the son of God or a normal man, you must surely feel some anger or nausea in the treatment of a great man's day.

Look at it this way. Wouldn't you feel a bit angry if the birthday of John Kennedy were to be treated in the same manner as Christmas? Sure, you would. Then why not Christmas?

This Christmas, try to remember the meaning of it. And have a Happy Thanksgiving.

—Doug Hamilton

Do it yourself-- for many reasons ----

Fred had "the urge but not the nerve" to ask Ann out, so he paid someone to do it for him. Chutzpah is a new service that advertises they'll tell someone off for you, ask someone out for you and ask your boss for a raise. They also claim that, "It's fun, easy and it works."

Perhaps, it's fun (at least it's funny) and easy (too, that's the problem) but as to whether or not it works I'm more than a bit skeptical.

Aside from the fact that the service is so ridiculous it's hard to take seriously, it's also extremely impractical. I couldn't even begin to count the number of times I've become irritated and wished to tell someone off. Take the hairdresser that didn't follow directions, the gas station attendant that charged my battery only to have the car charge three feet into a garage

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and no further, the teacher who insinuated I was a cheater and my mother who was just plain hard to get along with, all would have had to be reckoned with yesterday. Add that to the number of desirables I'd like to ask out (the service also caters to the female who'd like to do the asking) plus the fact that I'd like a raise. We're talking about a lot of phone calls which equals a lot of money.

Even assuming Fred and I got dates, indirectly gave people a piece of our mind and got raises to pay for more phone calls to be made on our behalf, we'd still be losers. What Fred or anyone else who'd take advantage of the service mentioned needs is an

encouraging kick in the butt to get them going or an assertive training class or both. (There is an assertive behavior training class offered at FCC.)

Though, I'm not a shy person and, in fact, I'm usually very outspoken, I know the feeling of being afraid to say something, but I think it's dishonest not to say what's on your mind yourself.

Whoever said: "We have nothing to fear but fear itself", was probably a very sensible person. We all take risks everyday. Every time we get in the car to come to school we are taking a risk. If we make it, our reward is a day at school, however, when we take the chance of asking someone out for the first time our reward will probably be a bit more exciting. If we fail, though, the hurt won't be fatal as it might if we fail to see a car come around the corner towards us on the way to school. If we take the time and muster up enough courage to calmly talk with a ranting mother, we may find that she has a problem she hasn't told us about that is completely unrelated to us and that all she needs is our understanding. Only by taking chances and being honest can we make any gains.

It appears to me society is in a bad state when people are so insecure they'll go as far as paying someone to talk for them. The service wouldn't be there if people didn't support it. What they should, instead, support is their self-image. It's cheaper and more rewarding.

—Michale Lehman

ACTIVITY CALENDAR

Special events

Ram Association (Rally Club), 9-12 a.m., Committee Room A, Nov. 16

MECHA, 12-2 p.m., Committee Room A, Nov. 16

FCA, 7 a.m., Committee Rooms A & B, Nov. 17

Volleyball, FCC vs. Cosumnes River, Sacramento, 7:30 p.m., Nov. 16

Volleyball, FCC vs. Sacramento, Sacramento, 5 p.m., Nov. 17

Football, FCC vs. College of the Sequoias, Visalia, 1:30 p.m., Nov. 18

Soccer, PLAYOFFS, T.B.A., Nov. 18

Cross Country, STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS, San Diego, 12 noon, Nov. 18

Soccer, PLAYOFFS, T.B.A., Nov. 25

Classic Film Series - "SHALL WE DANCE?" at 7:30 p.m. in Forum Hall "A." Admission - \$1, FCC ASB cardholders - Free. For more information, call 442-8256.

Audubon Wildlife Film - "WILDERNESS ALBERTA" 7:30 p.m., College Theatre, General Admission - \$2.50, Senior Citizens and students - \$1.75 -- Lecture by Albert Karvonen. On cross-country skies, Karvonen explores Alberta's northern forests and the alpine regions of Banff and Jasper National Parks. He documents the winter lives of such hardy species as the flying squirrel, mink and weasel, and the spring courtship rituals.

ALBUM REVIEW

Blue Yonder's first album good

By Laura Batti

Wild Blue Yonder is a seven-member band that has just put out its first album, "Blue Print."

Though the album has its flaws, it has to be the best album that's been put out by a local group.

Members Judy, Bill and Jim Bixler, Phil Wimer, Tad Wadhams, Jeff Bowman and Alan Carlson are excellent musicians and it shows on the album.

Side 1 contains five contemporary jazz pieces. "Ridin' Next To You" is a nice little disco/jazz tune that's great to dance to. Wimer has a nice guitar solo on the piece.

One of my favorite songs is "Instant Gratification." Judy Bixler does a great job on vocals and Wimer shines on guitar. "This Is For You" is a soft, jazz piece featuring Bill Bixler on alto sax.

"Spoon Charisma" is a jazz piece that's highlighted by Bowman's performance on a steel drum. It gives the piece a nice sound. I don't care for "Under the Weather." The lyrics are repetitious, but the piece isn't too bad to dance to.

Side 2 starts with a short instrumental called "Prelude To Paradise," featuring Carlson and Bill Bixler on pianos. The instrumental goes right into "Paradise." This piece is more repetitious than "Under The Weather." This piece just doesn't make it.

"Last Thing In The World" contains some excellent sax work by Bill Bixler that saves this jazz/rock piece. "Tragic Emblem" is a nice moving jazz number that has a nice blend of vocals done by Bill and Judy Bixler. Bowman does a good job on vibes, as Wimer does on guitar.

"Begonia Snow," one of their slow numbers, is a bit too long,

but is saved by an excellent job on vocals by Bill and Judy Bixler.

"Blue Print" is a nice mix of jazz, rock and disco music. If you like easy listening music that you can dance to also, I recommend the album.

The album is out on Totally-outofcontrol Records and is produced by Wild Blue Yonder in association with John Schnell.

Film review

'Midnight Express'

By Doug Hamilton

Currently playing in Fresno is the film "Midnight Express." Let me give you a warning: the film is NOT for those of you who are faint of heart, due to the fact that it is very graphic.

Director Alan Parker has put together a fine film. The story is about the attempt of Billy Hayes, an American student, to smuggle a small amount of hashish out of Turkey, and the term he serves in prison.

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Brad Davis, who portrays Hayes, is dynamic and turns in a top-notch acting job.

The one flaw in the movie is that it does not quite follow the book. The film tends to overdramatize in some parts.

The producers also left out Hayes' affair with a male prisoner because the audience might not feel sympathy for a homosexual hero. This I'm thankful for (I'm just getting over Mr. Goodbar).

Again, this film is not for the squeamish.