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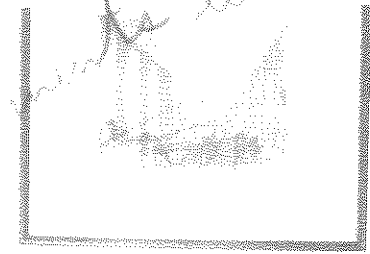
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## SOPH SIGHS

By JOE BOUCHER

January found the Sophomore class like the proverbial cat trying to stay up on the roof—busy; or as the farmer would express it, “Bogged right down to the axles.” Those who have studied Special Pathology, Anatomical Neurology, Embryology, Public Health, Technique, and Basic Science all at one time will understand. Despite the load, the class morale still rides high and one hears such wit in Pathology Class discussion of tumors as, “Well, doctor, in what category of tumors would you place ‘Oklahoma?’” It seems that the “wisecrackers” have more than met their match in the person of Dr. Ed. Samuels, our new Pathology instructor.

Not that Dick Hans is a believer in the old saying that “It is cheaper to move than to pay rent” but he has found that there are times when one must do both. It seems that after much chasing around locating an ideal habitat, the Hans trio settled in a comfy, little four-roomer — three weeks later they found that the roof had been sold from over their heads and they must be on the move once again.

Speaking of moving, the Failors have just sold their abode on Reedway and have already found another one. Further on the subject of moving—Don Grandy has shifted quarters and is now located at Hawthorne and 21st Ave. Say! what have we got in this class — a bunch of Nomads?

Norman Hansel has been beckoned by Uncle Sam and must report on the 21st; and just after celebrating his 21st birthday at that. The numerologists would probably have some comment to make on that one; however, it looks as if a deferment might be in the offing for the rest of the year — due to the fact that his grades are where they should be.

We must have a politically-minded class since three are running for student body offices: Leroy Nickila for Secretary-Treasurer; Joe Boucher for Student Body Representative — which reminds me, I must away and attend to some speech preparing.

## LEGISLATIVE NEWS

By DON MATTSON

Several bills have been introduced in the Oregon State Legislature affecting the Drugless Healing Arts. Perhaps the most important of these is House Bill No. 254 which is an act to define the term physician in the Oregon statutes.

The committee of the Medical Affairs of the House of Representatives, headed by Dr. F. H. Dammasch, Chairman, held a hearing on February 8th giving both the proponents and opponents of the bill ample time to state their opinions as to how the bill would affect them.

Proponents of the bill were representatives of the medical profession, State Board of Health, and Dr. South, Multnomah County coroner.

Opponents of the bill were the Oregon Osteopathic Association, represented by Dr. Gordon of Salem, the Oregon Association of Naturopathic Physicians by Dr. Ralph I. Shadduck and Dr. A. R. Hedges; the Oregon Association of Chiropractic Physicians by a panel composed of Dr. W. A. Budden, Dr. W. J. Gallagher, E. D. Mattson, and Mrs. Minnie Bolland, Association attorney. Several individuals asked to be heard by the committee so they might state the point of view of the public as patients of the Drugless Healing Arts.

Hearing by the Senate Committee on Public Health was held Monday, February 12, 1951, on the Senate Bill No. 153, otherwise known as the Masseur Therapy Bill. The proponents failed to clearly present their case. Dr. W. J. Gallagher spoke for the opponents and was short of time and doing so well that the Oregon Osteopathic Association gave him of their time to finish his case. Dr. Gallagher asked for a committee to be formed by the opponents and proponents of the bill with the purpose in mind to rewrite the bill so that it would be acceptable to all branches of the Healing Arts. Senator Jack Lynch made the arrangements necessary. The finished draft is now being presented in Bill form and should pass the State Legislature.

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## SOUTH WALL

Nat Bragen was cornered in the hall recently and asked what his plans for the South Wall were for the coming year. As most of you know the South Wall was not a thing of beauty, but with the guiding genius of Nat and many enthusiastic volunteers, he accomplished a remarkable deed. In the not too far future we hope to see the fruits of their efforts converted into the "Ivy covered walls of Western States College."

Nat will not be able to put forth much effort this year, he informs us though that one of his able assistants of last year, Ray Wade, will see that the project will continue. We do hope those of you interested will donate some spare time and a few plants or garden supplies. Let us not see Nat's efforts be in vain.

"What is home without a mother?" said the boy to his girl on the phone.

"I am, tonight," she sighed.

## GOINGZONZ

The student body presented Dr. and Mrs. Budden with a beautiful bouquet of flowers on their Thirty-second Wedding Anniversary. We hope they are around for thirty-two more.

Dr. Geneva Nelson from Burns, Oregon, has been in Portland visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Larson. While here she spoke to the students at W.S.C. about practice in a small town.

What Chemistry instructor has been receiving perfumed letters?

We are proud to learn that the Chirogram, published by the Los Angeles School of Chiropractic, has adopted our style for their paper.

It has been our contention right along that the SynErgist was very well styled, not only in a professional manner but the type of news published.

Our future aim is to bring the students the type of news items and feature articles that will be both entertaining and enlightening.

The stainless steel cooking demonstration, which was held on February 3, was put on by Dick Stober, John Kelly, and Delbert Coulter. They most aptly demonstrated what delicious meals can be prepared by the waterless method of cooking. The small charge to the students and their friends was donated to the Students' Wives Auxiliary for much needed equipment in the kitchen. There were door prizes and entertainment, also guest speakers.

Recently married—Floyd K. Dees and Dolores C. Miller on January 26, 1951, at Vancouver, Wash. Edgel Wood was best man and Maurice Stanford bridesmaid. They are living at 6901 S.E. 110th Ave.

Karl D. Peterson and Lillie Mona Nicklaus were married at Vancouver First Baptist Church on December 30, 1950. Mr. and Mrs. George Berg acted as best man and bridesmaid respectively. They are at home at 3918 S.E. 39th Ave.

## FRESHMAN NEWS

By H. M. SHEPHERD

It seems as though the freshman class is being hardest hit so far as the draft is concerned, Snorkland has already been called back to the Air Force; LaValley and Demint have their orders to appear for a physical, but they are hoping for a deferment at least until the end of this school year. All three of these men are ex-service men and reservists.

On the brighter side of the news we have the freshman dance that promises to be the social event of the season. All of the details of this "Shindig" will appear in the March issue of the SynErgist, look for it there.

Sheik: "I know a man who has been married for 40 years, and spends every evening at home."

Sheba: "That's what I call real love."

Sheik: "The doctor calls it paralysis."

## SENIOR NEWS

By ART JOHNSON

The Senior class, under the leadership of President Carl Darby, have held several class meetings during the past two weeks and are well arranged in the preparation for their coming graduation, which is to be held in the college auditorium on Thursday night, March 29, 1951 at 8 p.m.

Twenty-six students will receive their diplomas on that night, twenty-two will have the degree of Doctor of Chiropractic conferred on them and the remaining four the degree of Doctor of Naturopathy. State Representative Neuberger will be the principal speaker.

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**Basic Science Questions****PHYSIOLOGY:**

1. Explain the effects of a moderately severe hemorrhage on (a) lymph production, (b) heart rate, and (c) urinary output.
2. Account for the fact that the velocity of the pulse wave along a large artery is not the same as the rate of flow of the blood within the vessel.

**BIOCHEMISTRY:**

1. Name one component of blood of each of the following types, the determination of which is important clinically: (a) a non-nitrogenous organic compound; (b) a nitrogenous organic compound; (c) a cation.

**PATHOLOGY:**

1. List the possible causes of the presence of excessive quantities of fat in the stools.

**BACTERIOLOGY:**

1. List the postulates of Koch. State to what extend these have been fulfilled in establishing the etiology of the following diseases: (a) epidemic typhus fever; (b) tuberculosis; (c) poliomyelitis; (d) gonorrhea; (e) leprosy.
2. Name two diseases best diagnosed by (a) the isolation of the organism; (b) serological procedures or skin tests. Cite your reasons for placing these diseases under (a) or (b).

**PUBLIC HEALTH:**

1. What services may a physician expect to receive from the laboratory of a state or city health department?
2. What can the family physician do to eradicate diphtheria in his community? What should the health department do?

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2. This is due to the elasticity of the artery and the whip-like movements of the entire artery with each beat.

**BIOCHEMISTRY:**

1. (a) Glucose. (b) Urea. (c) A cation is an electropositive element such as hydrogen or a metal, which in solution would be attracted to the cathode, or negative pole.

**PATHOLOGY:**

1. Diarrhea; lack of pancreatic lipase in the intestine; lack of bile salts; ingestion of large amounts of fat.

**BACTERIOLOGY:**

1. Refer to a text for Koch's postulates. (a) Yes. (b) Yes. (c) Yes. (d) Gonorrhea cannot be transmitted to experimental animals but in the human, Koch's postulate can be fulfilled. (e) No (cannot be grown on artificial media).
2. (a) Tuberculosis (*Mycobacterium tuberculosis*); diphtheria (*Corynebacterium diphtheriae*).  
(b) Syphilis (Kahn test); typhus (Weil-Felix).

**PUBLIC HEALTH:**

1. Serological tests such as the Wasserman test; diagnosis of cultures and smears; widal and all other special agglutination tests; in some states materials for Schick, Dick, and tuberculin tests and antitoxins and antisera for the treatment of indigent cases.
2. The family physician can encourage inoculation against diphtheria. The Health department can conduct educational programs to inform the public of the benefit of diphtheria inoculation and can supply the physician with toxoid and Schick toxin for distribution to indigent cases.

**SIGMA PHI KAPPA**

By CHUCK BROWN

Sigma Phi Kappa met on February 13th at the school, under the leadership of Chancellor Ken West. We were fortunate to have with us at this meeting Dr. Pefley who demonstrated his foot technique. An added attraction at this meeting, also, was a cash door prize. Lucky Peter Pisk was the winner! Movies taken at the Annual Picnic of the Fraternity last summer were shown.

Congratulations are in order for two newly-wed Brothers—Floyd Dees and Karl Peterson. Both boys seem to be holding their own fairly well. We understand Charles Gray is soon to be removed from the state of bachelorhood, also.

Sigma Phi Kappa is planning an informal dance for Friday evening, March 16th. It is to be held at Western States with music by Johnny Petert's band. Dance committee members include Art Johnson, Brown, Fields, Tarr, Lane, Mather and Frazier.

C. R. Johnson, Bradley Storts, Jerry Reese and Charlie Brown are candidates in the forthcoming student body election. Best of luck, fellows!

This soldier hadn't had a date for two years and his morale was getting something awful. Then he heard that there were some mighty cute pigmies on an island 20 miles away. So he swam all night and hid in the bushes. Just before dawn, he heard the pattering of little feet and jumped out and made his capture. Well, sir, there was an awful struggle and, just as the sun came up, the soldier found himself kissing a kangaroo.

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Arizona	*	*			High School	3 yrs. of 6 months	*
Arkansas	*	*			High School	3 yrs. of 9 months	*
California		*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	
Colorado	*	*			High School	3600 class hours	*
Connecticut	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 8 months	*
Delaware		*			High School	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Dist. of Columbia	*	*			H. S.—2 yrs. college	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
Florida	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
Georgia		*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	
Hawaii		*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	
Idaho		*			H. S.—2 yrs. college	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Illinois			*		High School	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Indiana			*		Chiropractors Not Admitted to Board		
Iowa	*	*			High School	3 yrs. of 6 months	*
Kansas		*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	
Kentucky		*			High School	4 years (4000 hours)	
Louisiana					No Provision For Licensing Chiropractors		
Maine		*			High School	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Maryland		*			High School	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Massachusetts					No Provision For Licensing Chiropractors		
Michigan	*	*			High School	2745 hours	*
Minnesota	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 8 months	*
Mississippi					No Provision For Licensing Chiropractors		
Missouri		*			High School	3 yrs. of 9 months	
Montana		*			High School	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Nebraska	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
Nevada		*			High School	3 yrs. of 6 months	
New Hampshire		*			High School	3 yrs. of 6 months	
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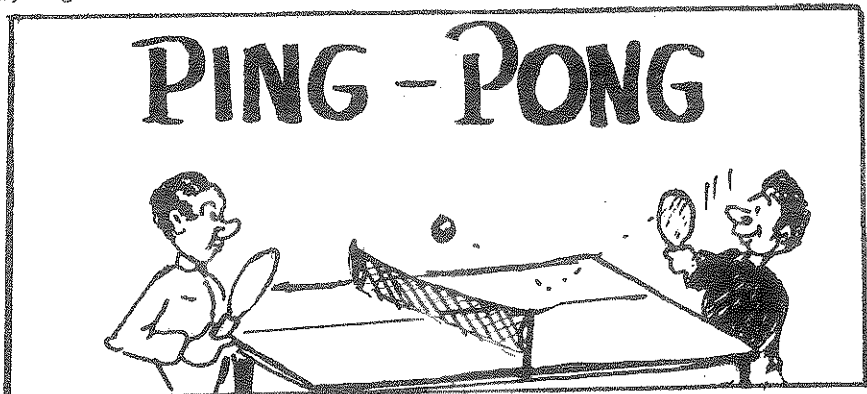
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New York					No Provision For Licensing Chiropractors		
North Carolina		*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	
North Dakota		*			H. S.—2 yrs. college	3 yrs. of 8 months	
Ohio			*		High School	4 yrs. of 6 months	
Oklahoma	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
Oregon	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
Pennsylvania				*	H. S.—1 yr. college	4 yrs. of 9 months	
Rhode Island	*		*		H. S.—1 yr. college	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
South Carolina			*		High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	
South Dakota	*	*			High School	4 years	*
Tennessee	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
Texas	*	*			H. S.—2 yrs. college	4 yrs. of 8 months	*
Utah		*			H. S.—1 yr. college	4 yrs. of 8½ months	*
Vermont		*			High School	4 years (3600 hours)	
Virginia			*		H. S.—2 yrs. college	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Washington	*	*			High School	2 yrs. of 9 months	*
West Virginia			*		H. S.—2 yrs. college	3 yrs. of 8 months	
Wisconsin	*	*			High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	*
Wyoming			*		High School	4 yrs. of 9 months	

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British Columbia		*		Junior Matriculation	4 yrs. of 8 months	
Manitoba	*	*		Junior Matriculation	4 academic years	*
Ontario			*	Junior Matriculation	4 yrs. of 9 months	
Saskatchewan		*		Junior Matriculation	4 yrs. of 8 months	
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Maritime Provinces				Chiropractic Not Recognized		

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By W. R. FLORES

Dr. I. C. Lamson has extended an invitation to all table tennis players of W.S.C. to form a team and join the league of the Portland Table Tennis Association. This cordial invitation brings also the generous and tempting offer of a trophy for Western States College (whether the team is entitled to that wonderful proof of human achievement, if it wins or loses, is a little business to be negotiated as yet!!) This trophy will be presented by the Basic Endocrines, Inc.

At the present time, there are a considerable number of competent players in the college that, with a little practice and organization, could make up a team powerful enough to compete against local teams of the league and perhaps make them feel of molecular size in a tournament. Needless to say, there are potential players among the practicing doctors who, no doubt, will be more than willing to give us a helping hand. Among these potential players, there is an ex-state champion of Oregon, well known for his subluxation producing service, who is also famous for producing compound

fractures of the ulna and radius of players that attempted to oppose him in a game. With all these opportunities in mind, we should be able to develop a team that the College and the professions could be proud of. From a standpoint of public relations, this type of activity is most effective, and, since we no longer maintain a basketball team, why not encourage an active table tennis team? Yes, Yesss, I am coming to the point . . . but, of course, this requires quite a bit of work and planning if we want something of collegiate level and the player will have to save his reserve energy to dedicate it to this activity but . . . that can be accomplished.

For this project all the ping pong players of the college will be recruited and, as it has been suggested by several students, a ladder will be drawn and from that ladder the winners will be elected to the team. The team must be composed of at least eight of members, six of which will be the active players and two will be the replacements whenever required. The time and place for this ladder will be announced shortly and all students are invited to contact the writer for further details.

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## WOMEN'S AUXILIARY

By JO ANN STORTS

**JANUARY MEETING**—Our meeting of January was called to order and old business was discussed. After business meeting, we were honored with Mr. Joe Boucher as our speaker on Dietetics. We all felt that the evening was well spent and also a very educational one. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by Donna Flagg, Ruth Cullen, Jewel Rapp, Audrey Long and Jo Ann Storts.

**FEBRUARY MEETING**— This was the meeting of all meetings. The meeting was called to order and we soon learned that there was plenty of old business at hand. Lenna Kennicutt gave a very interesting talk on the organization of the Auxiliary and how it was still in its infancy. The purpose of the Auxiliary is to help us better understand the responsibility of being a Doctor's wife. She also gave us some pointers on Robert's Rules and Regulations, pointing out how lax we have been at our past meetings. The rest of the meeting was very much improved after that lesson. Thanks again, Lenna, for that timely lesson. Reports were given by the Friendship Chairman, Doris Johnson, and Membership Chairman Pat Boucher.

A report was given on the Rummage Sale and we are happy to say it came to a successful conclusion. The Auxiliary wishes to take this opportunity to thank any and everyone who took part in helping make the Rummage Sale such a success.

Under new business it was moved, seconded and carried that we have a chairman with sub-chairman who will be responsible each month to see that everyone is contacted about our meetings. The remainder of February, March and the first part of April we are having a membership drive ending with a Buffet Bite. Margie Woods will be in charge of the arrangements. She plans on inviting all the husbands and the school bachelors to the Buffet as well as new members. (Editor's Note—How about bachelor women.)

Lola Smith promised to post signs on the bulletin board announcing all future Auxiliary meetings, so now you have no excuses for not attending our meetings. The chairman for this committee is Ruth Cullen and her sub-chairmen for each class are: Jo Shepherd, Freshman; Pat Boucher, Sophomore; Marian Spurlock, Junior and Margaret West, Senior. Betty Stober will be the chairman at our next meeting, with Doris, Pat and Katherine in there pitching. That meeting will be the third Thursday in March.

To finish this report I must report on the beautiful centerpiece for our February meeting which was made by Jewel Rapp. It carried the Valentine theme, being in the colors red and white. Two big hearts with red candles and red crepe paper. Jewel gave the decoration afterwards to the Freshman class for their dance. Delicious sandwiches were served, along with coffee and angel food cake and Jello as dessert. Don't miss the next meeting, girls.

## PHI NU SIGMA

By BOB ELSTROM

A group of the members of the Naturopathic Fraternity attended the Study Panel Meeting of the Washington State Naturopathic Association on January the 20th. The study panel, held in the Mayflower Hotel, proved to be both varied and pertinent in its scope. The fraternity members felt well repaid for their trip to Seattle.

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## PEDIATRICS CLINIC

By ART JOHNSON

Saturday morning, February 10, 1951, marked another successful day in the recently organized Pediatrics Clinic that is held on the second Saturday of each month. The clinic is under the direction of Dr. Robert Elliott, ably assisted by several practitioners from the field. Most prominent in disorders revealed so far have been those of ear, eye, nose and throat.

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Third young matron: "When I got married I wore a business suit."

## JUNIOR CLASS

By BILL SPURLOCK

An election of class officers took place during the Junior class meeting of January 24. Those elected were Bill Spurlock, President; William Feilds, Secretary-Treasurer; and William Whiting, Class representative.

Advancement is being made in Junior clinic. Some of the Doctors are assigned to patients through the office and many of the Doctors are procuring their own patients. A special Seminar class is planned in which a review will be made on some of the case histories and a class discussion will be made in consideration of diagnosis and treatment of the particular case. This is intended to aid the Doctor on the case as well as add to the experience of the class as a whole. Special instruction in Clinical Laboratory Technique is being rendered by Dr. Edward Samuels. Groups of six or eight Doctors are assigned to the laboratory every three to four weeks; during this time they will direct their special attention to all phases of laboratory procedures and its value in diagnosis. This will serve as an excellent review of the laboratory work taken previously.

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- March 2 — Student Body Meeting  
 March 5 — Phi Nu Sigma  
 March 13 — Sigma Phi Kappa  
 March 15 — Women's Auxiliary  
 March 16 — Sigma Phi Kappa Dance  
 March 19 — Phi Nu Sigma  
 March 27 — Sigma Phi Kappa  
 March 29 — Graduation  
 March 26 - 30 — Finals

A doctor in Brooklyn delivered a first baby one night and upon visiting the patient next morning inquired, "Well how is the son and heir this morning?"

Whereupon the patient replied in a monotone, "I don't know . . . I ain't been outdoors yet this morning."

## Nomination of Student Body Officers

By JERRY REECE

Hide those soap boxes — campaigning of W.S.C. politicians is about to begin. One of the most important Student Body Meetings of the year was held February 8, when nominations for Student Body Officers were made. Those nominated for election are:

President: Don Matson, Karl Johnson.  
 Vice-President: Doug Miller, Brad Storts.

Secretary-Treasurer: Jerry Reece, Le-Roy Nickila.

Student Body Representative: Charles Brown, Max Call, Joe Boucher.

After adjournment of the meeting everyone was discussing the possible outcome of the election and also what had happened to the Freshman class — not one nominee on the ballot.

Election will be held at the next meeting of the Student Body at which time those elected will take over their respective duties.

She: "Doctor, I want you to vaccinate me where it won't show."

Doctor: "What do you do for a living?"

She: "I'm a professional strip-teaser."

Dr.: "Well, it can be done, but it's going to be awfully ticklish."

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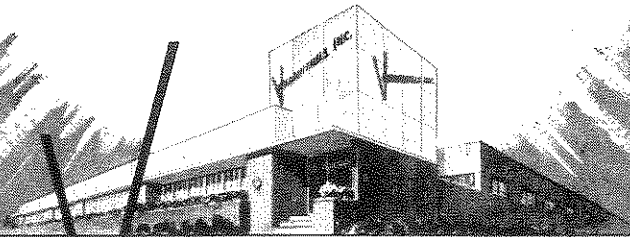
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