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MONDAY

## ATTENTION!!!

The following people are the new ASB officers:

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Song-Girls — Pam Ackerson, Bonnie Baker, Diane Rose, Kathy Johnson

## Woodwork and Music Awards Assembly Presented to P. T. A. To Be In June

The Emil R. Buchser High School P. T. A. held a business meeting last Wednesday, May 25th, in the school cafeteria at 7:30. The meeting was conducted by Mr. Philip Schuyler.

New officers were inaugurated. They are as follows:

President, Mrs. William Della Maggiore; Vice President, Mrs. William Montgomery; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. Clifford Droke; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Kenneth Lindsey; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Jack Triplett; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Joe Comento; Treasurer, Mrs. Dale Papenhausen; Auditor, Mr. Bob McGuiness, and Historian, Mrs. Everett Souza.

To entertain the people present, the Buchser High School a cappella choir sang under the direction of Mr. Melvyn Di Salvo.

Also, the industrial arts classes, instructed by Mr. Dale Tygrett, exhibited their projects.

Buchser's second annual academics awards assembly will be held on Thursday, June 16, this year.

The purpose of these awards is to give recognition to the students who have put forth the most academically and to encourage other students to do better.

The first awards will be given on the basis of the ten students in each grade that have received the highest grade point averages after five grading periods.

Awards will also be given to the top three students in each department. Included in this category are art, business, English, home economics, industrial arts, foreign languages, mathematics, music, girls' physical education, social science, and science. There will also be one award for public speaking and one for journalism.

The Outstanding - Scholar of - the - Year award will be given, and several scholarships will also be awarded at this time.



FINALISTS IN COUNTY-WIDE CONTEST: (back row) Sharron Sook, Carol Wallisch; Sue McStocker; (front row) Pat Andrews, May Saito, and Barbara Mitchell. Pat Andrews and Barbara Mitchell placed second and third in the essay contest sponsored by the Santa Clara County Central Labor Council.

## STUDENT PLACES HIGH IN N. F. T.

On April 5, 1960, the National French Test was given to interested first year French students at Buchser.

Barney Berger who placed high in this test was given a special prize, the Prix Special du Chapitre de la California du Nord A. A. T. F. Barney was presented with his prize on Saturday, May 14, 1960 in Dwinelle Hall at the University of California in Berkeley. Barney and the other winners also saw a movie, listened to some speakers, and were given two lovely books with colored pictures of France.

## SENIORS MAKE BIG HIT WITH "THE BROOM AND THE GROOM"

"The play was fabulous!", "It was a riot" "You should have gone." "You really missed a wonderful play." These are typical of the numerous congratulatory and complimentary remarks heard among the audience and students Friday and Monday.

Although the audience was small Thursday, the word had gotten around by Friday, because on that night the cast played to an almost capacity house.

Preceding the play, four numbers were played by the string orchestra, conducted by Melvin Di Salvo. These numbers were "I'm Falling in Love With Someone," "Begin the Beguine," "I'll See You Again," and "The Syncopated Clock."

After these numbers, the curtain went up, and the house grew silent. The first thing heard coming from the doorway of the Thompson's house

was, "David! David, put me down." Then David Thompson, played by Phil Short, came in carrying Alma played by Mary Jane Orason. From then on the play was a riot. Alma Thompson was a supposed descendant of a witch from Salem, Massachusetts and had inherited the power of witchcraft. Alma's Aunt Rina gave her a broom which had certain aeronautical powers to guide her through the air. Trouble, of course, develops as Alma develops her flying ability. The Air Force is brought in when she is picked up on radar as an unidentified flying object.

As the plot thickened, the play became funnier, and the house roared with laughter.

After the play was over, backstage became crowded with people wanting to congratulate everyone on an excellent presentation.

## Ground Broken For New Adrian Wilcox High School

On the site of the future A. C. Wilcox High School, a ground breaking ceremony was held on May 19 at 10:00 a.m.

The ceremony began as the "Star Bangled Banner" was played by the Buchser High School band under the direction of Mr. Jim Paris. A prayer was then offered by the minister of the First Baptist Church in Santa Clara.

Mr. Huxtable, assistant superintendent of the Santa Clara City Elementary and Union High School Districts, talked on the importance of the home, church, and school. He stated that in the near future there would be approximately 14,000 students in the Santa Clara schools. Mr. Emil R. Buchser, superintendent of the Santa Clara City Elementary and Union High School Districts, was then introduced.

Mr. Buchser briefly outlined the importance of the American schools. He then went on to tell a little about Mr. A. C. Wilcox's background. Mr. Buchser said that Mr. Wilcox



had graduated from the Santa Clara schools, become a member of the school board in 1930, and continued to hold that position to the present day.

At this time, Mr. Huxtable introduced Mr. Buzz Hanes, president of the Santa Clara Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Fred Richards, architect of Buchser and Wilcox High Schools, the people representing the P. T. A., Student Body

presidents of Buchser and Santa Clara High Schools and Jefferson Intermediate School, and others connected with the schools.

Mr. A. C. Wilcox threw the first shovel of dirt; Mr. Buchser, Mr. Keech, and John Walker, Student Body president of Jefferson, followed his example.

The program was concluded with a musical number by the Buchser High School band.

## Bruins Have Two Winners In Road-E-O

Buchser scores again — this time with two winners in the Teenage Road-E-O contest, held May 21. The two winners were Mike Pitts, who took first place, and David Cline, who came in second. The other two students who were entrants from Buchser were Terry Hummel and Larry Jobbins.

Both Mike and David will compete in the state finals, which are being held in Santa Clara June 25. If they win in the state finals, they will receive a trip to Washington, D.C., and a \$4,500 scholarship.

All the entrants had to pass a written test, and then on Saturday they had to drive their cars through an obstacle course.

## Buchser Honored At Two Banquets

Mr. Emil R. Buchser was honored at two banquets last week. On Wednesday, May 18, 1960, he was honored by the County Board of Education. Members of the freshman, junior and senior classes served. On Saturday, May 21, 1960, Mr. Buchser was again honored — this time by the Santa Clara Teachers' Association. Also honored Saturday were Mrs. Nadine B. McCoy, Miss Muriel Steinhart, Mrs. Mary Bagnatori, Mr. Paul Hichborn, and Mrs. Juanita Smith, who are all retiring at the end of this school year. Members of the Future Teachers' Clubs of Buchser and Santa Clara High Schools and some freshman and sophomore students served at Saturday's banquet.

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## TAKE HEED . . .

At last Friday's assembly, Mr. Stocking addressed the student body with comments on the vandalism and indifference exhibited by some of the students.

The *Bear Prints* has brought some of these situations into light before; also, the student council and faculty have attempted to stymie such actions . . . all without result.

Failure to react to these attempts at keeping Buchser High's reputation and appearance on a fine and justifiable level resulted in Mr. Stocking's issuance of an ultimatum.

Certainly if the "few" don't take heed this time, Mr. Stocking will have no reason to hesitate before closing the snack bar or suspending "undesirables."

## "HIGH" LIGHTS

### Mountain View

The Junior Carnival theme was "The Gay Twenties", and the event was scheduled for May 3.

The MVHS Band, Mixed Chorus, and Girls' Glee Club were combined on Thursday, April 28, to present their annual spring concert at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

### Los Gatos

Commercial Art students Franci Balcomb and Al Cheney were recently named winners in local poster contests.

Last Wednesday, the students at Los Gatos had the pleasure of hearing the Marine Band from the Department of the Pacific, San Francisco. The band presented a concert during an assembly in the boys' gym.

### Samuel Ayer

The "Touch of Venus" set a magic spell over the Senior Ball presented by the class of 1961. April 30 was the date; the location was the De Anza Hotel. Couples danced to the music of the Bob Berry band from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m.

### San Jose State

Chuck Butte, sponsored by Phi Sigma Kappa, and Marie Giancoli, sponsored by Alpha Omicron Pi were voted the "most typical" students at San Jose State at the annual Joe College - Betty Coed dance on May 6.

### Cupertino

Cupertino High School held its first annual junior prom on April 29 in the Cafetorium.

### Petaluma

"The Unknowns," a 5-piece combo from the Bay Area, and Bill Wood, KFWB disc jockey, were featured at the "Leprechaun Leap" held in the multi-use room on March 12.

## Magazines Help To Promote World Study

Magazines and newspapers both play an important part in the education of a person. Several classes at Buchser, recognizing this fact, used magazines and newspapers during class time to help the students learn about the problems of the present and the past.

U. S. History classes used the *Weekly Review*, a small newspaper which interprets world events for the students.

*Reader's Digest* is used as the basis of study in several English classes. It contains stories and articles which interest English and social science classes and further their knowledge of world affairs.

## THE MAKERS OF STEINBACH'S COLUMN

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### A MAD CALIFORNIAN IN KING ARTHUR'S COURT

KING ARTHUR: Court is now in session. First case.

SIR RHEE: This first one is rather short.

ARTHUR: I see. It's a brief case.

RHEE: Quite! This fellow was caught painting a funeral wagon pink.

PEASANT: Sire, I just wanted to see a hearse of another color.

ARTIE: Thirty dollars or thirty days!

PEASANT: I'll take the thirty dollars.

ARTY: Here you are. Now take it and git outta hyar. (Oop! I forgot which picture I was acting in.)

(SIR GHAD enters on a Triumph TR-3. He is a large genial looking man with a small red goatee.)

SIR GHAD: Egad! I just can't stand those stone steps. They play hob with the undercarriage.

SIR FINK: (a part-time used horse dealer): He does look rather shiftless. Why don't you trade him in on a new one?

SIR GHAD: Well, I would, but my wife has become attached to him, mainly because I left my bubble gum on the front saddle.

SIR FINK: Rather a matter of pride, eh wot?

SIR GHAD: Yes, it's a bit of a sticky wicket.

ART: Why are you feeding that old horse those bagels?

SIR GHAD: Well, sire, he's a horse of another — I just can't do it. I just can't do it. (He breaks into hysterical laughter.)

ARTIE: Pshaw! That sounded like it was going to be a good one.

SIR GHAD: Are you pshaw?

SIR FINK: I predict that it will be old by 1960.

(A messenger enters breathless.)

HIS HIGHNESS: Been at the vodka again, son?

MESSENGER: No, sire, I've a message.

ARTHUR: It figures.

MESSENGER: This one happens to be a Swedish messenger. The King of Sweden has invited you to tea.

ARTLESS: That suits me to a tea.

MESSY: Goode. I'll tell him.

ARTHUR: Say! How can you get from here to Sweden so quickly?

MESSY: Oh! Oh, I got a lift from a guy with a pink hearse.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The foregoing is fictitious. Any resemblance to any person, living or dead or both, is entirely coincidental.)

## HONORING THE DEAD

Most countries have one day in the year set apart for honoring their dead. That day in the United States is to keep alive the memories of those who have fallen for their country.

This day is mostly associated with the dead from the Civil War, but we mustn't forget those of the Spanish-American War and the World Wars. "These men have died that we might live."

The first observation of this day was on May 30, 1868, when several women in the South decorated the graves with flowers of both Confederate and Union soldiers. The

## KODIAK ARRIVES SOON

Buchser High's first yearbook, the *Kodiak* will arrive approximately June 8. There are, at present, no definite plans for distribution; however, students will probably receive their annuals during the week of June 6. The staff ordered 1310 copies from the Taylor Publishing Company in Dallas, Texas. As a courtesy measure, all of the schools in our S. C. V. A. L. league will receive a copy of the *Kodiak*. Mr. Buchser, Mr. Huxtable, Mr. Stocking, and Mr. Hileman will also be receiving copies of our first yearbook. A copy of the *Kodiak* will be left in the library.

Non-Student Body Card Holders have already had their chance to purchase the yearbook for \$4.50. There may be a few extra copies of the annual left over and will be

sold to the first bidders for \$5.00.

The 195-page *Kodiak* will have a black and white cushion cover. In order to keep the yearbook looking new, the Rally Commission will be selling plastic book covers for 35 cents.

Elaine Deckard, editor-in-chief, stated that all of the hard work done on the *Kodiak* was well worth the effort. Assisting here were Carol Nakano, co-editor; Marina Adamich, art editor; and May Saito, advertising editor. Working on layout and copy were Donna Ege, Ginny Perkins, and Linda Miller. Taken in place of a study hall, the members of the annual staff receive one-half credit for their work.

Next year's *Kodiak* will have a new advisor, Mr. Brummel, who is now teaching at Santa Clara. Eleven of the fifteen people who applied to work on next year's annual were selected to form the staff for *Kodiak*, '60-'61.

## GUYS and DOLLS



Basketball, basketball, and more basketball occupies the time of our boy of the week, Bob Runyon. An active member of this year's champion Thirties Basketball Team, he plans to play more basketball in the Summer League.

This 5' 10" member of the Sophomore Class was born in Lynn, Massachusetts, on April 26, 1944. He is the proud possessor of light brown hair and blue eyes.

Unexcused tardies are the thing that peeve him the most; so don't delay him in the hallway so that he'll have to get one. Hamburgers are tops on his list of favorite foods while "Love the Way You Love" is his favorite in the field of hit recordings.

His ideal girl should possess blonde hair, blue eyes, and be 5' 1" tall. (Doesn't she go to Buchser?)

At one of the basketball games at Campbell, Bob's most embarrassing moment arose. He let his man go by, and he tied up the game. It must not have hurt the team's standing much though, because they still won the game!

to be set aside "for the purpose of strewing with flowers or otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country during the late rebellion, and with the hope that it will be kept up from year to year."

This custom was kept up by those comrades and others and especially by the Sons of Reason for choosing May 30, has been explained in this way: in France the 30th of May has been set aside to commemorate the day when Napoleon's ashes were brought to France from St. Helena. This day was called "The Day of Ashes."

In order to establish a fixed time for Memorial Day, it was suggested to the National Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic that he set a specific day for decorating the



Attention! Attention! Introducing Merry Edwards, our brown-eyed girl of the week for this issue!

This fair Bruin was born in Fort Sill, Oklahoma, December 23, 1944, 15 years ago.

Her hobbies consist of sewing, (she makes all of her own clothes) dancing, BOYS, and going places with the gang.

Merry's favorite song is "Another Sleepless Night" and her favorite foods are (I thought she'd never stop) lemon meringue pie, tuna fish sandwich, potato chips, and naturally pizza.

She had a very hard time deciding upon her pet peeve but finally came to the conclusion that it was people who complain about themselves.

She has a boxer dog as her pet. Lady weighs sixty pounds, and the only thing Merry doesn't like about her is that, whenever Lady gets tired, she climbs up on Merry's lap.

Her most embarrassing experience occurred when a policeman stopped her at 12:30 a.m. to find out why she didn't have any shoes on.

Merry's high school ambition is to be a cheerleader and editor of *Bear Prints*. Then she wants to go to college and study to be either a journalist or a psychiatrist.

Being elected vice president of the freshman class and going to the junior prom in her freshman year were the most exciting things that have ever happened to her.

graves of the Union soldiers. Therefore, General Logan, the commander, named May 30th Veterans of America. May 30th is now a legal holiday in all of the Northern States and in the Possessions of the United States. In North and South Carolina, Memorial Day is observed May 10th, while in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, and Mississippi it is observed on April 26th. Still other Southern States celebrated June 3rd, June 6th, and June 9th.

## SHIRTS and SKIRTS

By SHARRON McKEANY

Neatness counts! Linda Therriault knows that. I certainly would like to know how she keeps herself so neat.

Her wardrobe is fabulous too! I especially love to see her white, blue, and brown pleated skirt.

Eleanor Maes has a darling flowered rose and white blouse with a matching full soft-pleated skirt and wide-wide belt of the same material.

Lynda Gentry, a Buchser SENIOR, has a smart and sophisticated blue and white plaid wool coat — the new 7/8ths length, with a matching straight skirt of the same wool. It has a large collar and a deep blue satin coat lining.

Gail Allen has a beautiful pink plaid cotton dress with a big full skirt and a big bow.

Sherry Brooks has a beautiful lavender plaid cotton with a rolled collar. The outstanding feature of the dress is that she made it with her own hands.

Jean Murphy is another girl who always manages to look extremely neat and clean. I just love her full soft-pleated pink cotton.

Rose Marie Carrillo has a darling ivy-league green shirt-waist that she wears once in a while. The color looks very becoming on her. It flatters her complexion.

That's all for this time. See you next issue!

## Buchser's T. V. Set Arrives

Buchser's first closed circuit T.V. set has arrived. The equipment was donated to Buchser by the Vicon Corporation in San Carlos through the help of John R. Baker's son. Someday in the future other rooms will have T.V. sets in them. Then, any exciting event at Buchser can be transmitted to any room which wants to see it. With special equipment, outside programs can also be seen.

The students in the second period public speaking class were the first ones to use the set. Each student sat in front of the camera for a few seconds and watched himself. To some students this was somewhat surprising. Carol Niensteadt even did a little campaigning. She showed some of her posters on T.V.

## OUR TEACHERS



Our featured teacher, Mr. Lyon, is a "true-blue" Texan, having been born in Amarillo. Mr. Lyon graduated from New Mexico State University, and then served in the army for six years, traveling to Hawaii, Alaska, and various other places. After being discharged, he began his teaching career as a coach. He has spent seven of his eleven years of teaching in coaching and was awarded the Coach of the Year award in 1952, in New Mexico.

When asked what he thought of Buchser, he replied, "I have taught in four different high schools, one of which had an enrollment of only one-hundred and sixty-five, and Buchser is the best one of them, both student and faculty-wise. I wouldn't want to change a thing."

For a pastime, Mr. Lyon likes to watch football and baseball games. His favorite food is "Texas t-bone," and his pet peeve is talkative girls.

As for future plans, Mr. Lyon is now working on his Pupil Personnel Credentials.



We at Buchser are very fortunate, for our faculty is one who has been through an electrifying experience. Yes, a Buchser science teacher, Mr. James Reed, was struck by lightning while flying in an airplane.

Mr. Reed, a graduate of San Jose State, has been teaching various subjects for nine years. He has taught on the secondary school level in Ukiah, San Bernardino, Sunnyvale, and, of course, here in Santa Clara.

### Flew Bombers

During the Second World War he served four years in the Air Force as a lieutenant, and flew bombers as a pilot, bombardier, and navigator.

Mr. Reed is married and is the proud father of four children, two of which are twin boys.

### Challenge Is Important

Concerning education, Mr. Reed feels that teen-agers should get their money's worth out of school by working to challenge themselves.

"Society is rough on the unprepared high school graduate," he added, "and worse yet on those who leave school without a diploma."

Last, but not least, Mr. Reed thinks Buchser High is tops.

### SENIOR NOTES

Commencement practice-sessions for the first graduating class at Buchser will begin on June 13. After two hours of final tests, the graduates-to-be will practice marching into the boys' gym.

On Wednesday, June 15, there will be a breakfast for the seniors at 7:30 in the morning, after which time the seniors will practice some more and then take their final tests for 6th and 7th periods. There will be no school for the seniors on Friday; they will come that night for graduation.

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## CLUB NEWS

The Future Teachers' Club served at a banquet sponsored by the Santa Clara City Teachers' Association on Saturday, May 21, 1960. The banquet, held in the cafetorium was given to honor Mr. Emil R. Buchser, Mrs. Nadine B. McCoy, Miss Muriel Steinhart, Juanita Smith, Mary Bagnatori, and Paul Hichborn, who are retiring at the end of the school year.

### SCIENCE CLUB

Lick Observatory was visited by the members of the Buchser High School Science Club last Friday evening. The students viewed the planets and moon through thirty-six-inch telescopes and twelve-inch telescopes. They also were allowed to view the one-hundred-twenty-inch telescope.

### A. S. B.

The A. S. B. council had its annual outing last Friday, May 20.

Mr. Seibert, Mr. Unger, and Mr. Bergna accompanied the A. S. B. officers and class presidents to Rio Del Mar and Mr. Seibert's home.

Highlighting the afternoon was a very closely contested volleyball game. Mr. Bergna, Mr. Unger, Jerry Hirata, Clyde Spencer, Sharon Sook, and Don Holiman defeated a team composed of Mr. Seibert, Paul Stuart, Johnny Dawson, Diane Rose, Phil Short, and Lynne Watkins, by a score of 21-20.

After the game and a few hours of sunning on the beach, the party adjourned to Mr. Seibert's house for a steak barbecue.

## Emporium's Hi Teen Representative

Sharon Sook has been the representative from Buchser High School for Emporium's High Teen Board during the current school year. This year five prospective candidates are to be nominated by Sharon as the outgoing representative and by Mrs. Zick. These names will be sent to the head of the educational department at Emporium. She interviews each girl and chooses the representative.

The chosen representative receives a course in modeling. She gets a fifteen per cent discount on her clothes, and her starting salary is the starting salary of any other sales clerk.

Sharon has worked two days a week since she has been Buchser's representative at the Emporium.

### BOWLING CLUB

The last activities of the Bowling Club, 1959-60, were the two sock hops held in the Girls' Gym. According to the advisor, Miss Goodell, the turnout for these dances was fair.

Miss Goodell mentioned the fact that next year the bowling club will be formed in accordance with the rules of the American Bowling Club.

### G. A. A.

Due to bad weather on May 24, the G. A. A. picnic was cancelled. Instead of the picnic the girls went bowling at the Sunnyvale Bowl. After they bowled the came back to the school and had a pot-luck. The rest of the evening they played different sports.

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# Camden and Del Mar Succumb to Bruin Pitching and Hitting

By JOHNNY DAWSON

The varsity baseballers moved into a tie for fifth place in the league standings after winning two games in two days, May 17 and 18. The Bruins wound up their season last Tuesday against Mt. View.

## Buchser Collects

### 9 Hits In 9-1 Win

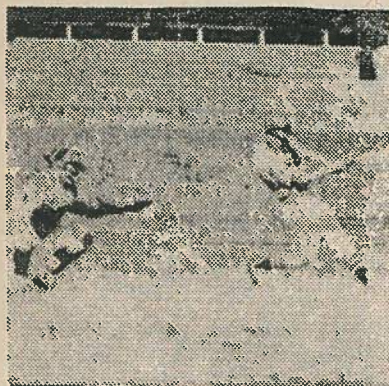
### Over Camden High

Bob Reem and Jim McGuire both collected two singles, and Rich Mannelin came up with his second triple in as many games to provide the Bruins with some fine hitting.

Jim Buck led off the first inning with a triple but was thrown out attempting to score on Reem's fly-ball to the center fielder. After two runs had already been scored in the second inning, Mannelin stepped up to the plate with the bases loaded and promptly let loose with his triple.

Buchser pitcher, Jim Austin walked the first man he faced in the fifth inning and allowed him to score on back-to-back singles by the power men in the Camden line-up. The walk turned out to be the Cougar's only run of the game as Austin allowed only eight well-spaced hits.

In the bottom of the fifth, four Bruins drew walks, and all scored, accounting for Buchser's final runs. The final score was 9-1 with the Bruins winning by a very decisive margin.



## Block "B" Sponsors Honor Court

The Block "B" Club initiated a new honor for all varsity players who are chosen for all-league at the end of each playing season, or the team who wins the championship of the league.

There were three of our Bruin football players who were chosen all-league. They were Jim McGuire, Jim Buck and Charlie Peters. The trophies honoring them are on display in the Boy's Gym trophy case.

The Thirties were honored this year because they were the first championship team, but from now on only varsity players and varsity teams will be honored.

The club had been thinking about this system of honoring outstanding players for a long time, but weren't certain about how to do it until the sponsors saw the idea in the trophy book.

## Prout Strikes-Out

### Eight Men; Pitches

### Five-Hit Victory

Bob Prout pitched and batted the Bruins into a tie for fifth place on Wednesday, May 18.

Prout struck out the side in the sixth frame and one man in the first through the fifth inning to set a Bruin strike-out record. (The Bruins figure in a league strike-out record — strike-outs by a team in one game; 19, against Campbell's Walt Christiana, May 12.) Del Mar got only one extra base-hit off Prout, as the lead-off man in the bottom of the fourth tripled, and scored the only run of the game for the Dons.

The Bruins got their first two runs in the top of the fourth when Prout singled home Jim McGuire and Louie Basile. Buchser scored one more run in the fifth, and Prout scored the final run of the game as Jim Buck singled after Prout tripled with two out in the sixth.

After getting two out in the final inning, Prout ran into trouble by allowing two successive singles and then walking the next man. Then Jim Buck came in, in the bottom of the seventh inning, with the bases loaded, to strike out the last batter of the game.

## FOOTBALLERS START SPRING WORKOUTS

Spring football practice is now unofficially underway with a strenuous weight-lifting program, and will officially begin on June 1, after the close of the spring sport season.

Seniors Dick Johnson, Lee Garrett, and Fant Horton are acting as assistant line coaches. Rod Jones, Mike Burke, and Wayne Toledo are working with the backfield. Toledo, incidentally, is managing the weight-lifting, and has devised a new exercise, the tortuous wrist-roller.

The weight-lifting will be continued throughout the summer.

## Gardner Takes Second In S.C.V.A.L. Trials

The West S. C. V. A. L. Track Finals were held at Camden, May 13.

Buchser's D squad earned 13 3/4 points; the C squad 11 points, and the A and B squads 9 and 2 points respectively.

Jeff McClain was the only person who placed for the B squad. He received 4th place in the 320 yard run.

Ron Gardiner of the A squad took 2nd place in the 100 yard dash, and also took 4th in the 220 yard dash. Also for this squad Charles Peters placed 4th in the shot put.

For the C squad Jerry Parkhurst placed 3rd in the 660 yard dash; Jerry Hirata, 4th in 75 yard dash; Eddie Quintanna, 5th in the discus; and Steve Walker, 3rd in the shot put.

For the D squad Yoshi Sato placed 3rd in the 50 yard dash, the broad jump, and the hop-step-and-jump; Al Marino also placed 5th in the hop-step-and-jump, and in the low hurdles.

Ron Gardiner qualified for division 2 — N.C.S. in the 100 and the 220 yard dashes. He'll run at Westmore High in San Francisco on Saturday, May 21. If he qualified there, he'll get to go to the Northern California meet.

Los Altos was first in the West S. C. V. A. L. finals.

## Campbell Clobbers Bruins, 8 - 1

Buchser had an off-day May 12 and did everything wrong as Campbell's Walt Christiana pitched a two-hitter and established a new WSCVAL record by striking out 19 of the 28 batters to face him.

Buchser scored its only run when Louie Basile got on base by way of the third error committed by the Buccaneers in the game; Basile scored on Rich Mannelin's single. Al Symes got the other single for the Bruins as he was the only man to face Christiana in the second inning without striking out.

To round out the day's activities, the Bruins committed 4 errors and a wild pitch, walked four men, and allowed 8 hits for an otherwise boring afternoon.

Several major league scouts, including one from the San Francisco Giants, attended the affair to see Christiana in action.

## ATHLETES TO BE FETED

### Block "B" Barbecue Set

The annual Lettermen's Club Barbecue will be held next Tuesday, May 31, at the Los Gatos Swim and Racquet Club.

The affair, which honors those boys winning their blocks, will include swimming, tennis, volleyball, ping-pong, and food.

Blanket awards will be presented to athletes who have been outstanding for all four years and have served the Lettermen's Club well.

## ATHLETICS INFLUENCE CAREERS

By GINNY PERKINS

How do athletics in high school affect the life of an individual? After talking to three of our top senior athletes here at Buchser, I found these answers:

Jim Buck has participated in football, basketball, and baseball. He has lettered in these three sports for the three years he has attended Buchser. This year, Jim made All-League in the West Santa Clara Valley Athletic League. He was also chosen for the second team of the All North County Basketball Team. Jim's favorite sport is football, but he would like to play major league baseball. Jim wants to attend San Jose State College, become a math teacher, and coach at the school where he will teach.

Charlie Peters has participated in football, wrestling, and track. In football, Charlie was selected as tackle for the first team of the All North Valley Football Team; he made West Santa Clara Valley All League and was selected by that organization as Most Valuable Lineman of the Year.

### Awarded Trophy

In addition to making All Central Coast Football First Team, Charlie was awarded a trophy by Buchser as Lineman of the Year. In track, he has participated in the shot put and discus throwing. He placed fourth in the track finals for



JIM BUCK

shot put. Charlie wrestles at 191 pounds. His favorite sport is football, and he hopes to play college football while he learns to be a P. E. teacher. He also hopes to coach at the school where he will teach.

Jim McGuire has also been an outstanding athlete. He has been active in football, basketball, and baseball, and has won several awards in these sports. In his junior year, Jim was given two honorable mentions; one in basketball, and one in baseball. This year, he was selected as Back of the Year by Buchser and he made second team on the All Central



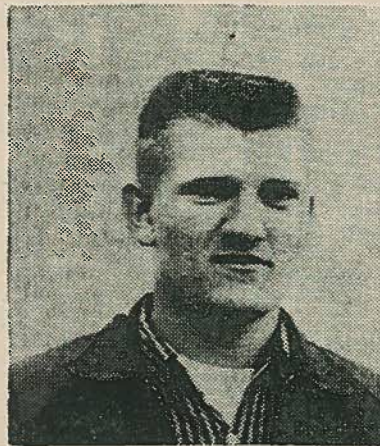
CHARLIE PETERS

Coast League. He was also given an honorable mention by those who choose the All American Football Team. This year, the Lion's Club, in conjunction with the Santa Clara Journal, selected Jim McGuire as the Outstanding Back of the Year.

### Makes Plans For College

Jim plans to go to Hartnell College in Salinas and study to be a P. E. teacher and coach football in his spare time.

From these examples of outstanding athletes, each of you may draw your own conclusions in answers to the question: Do high school athletics influence an individual in his choice of a career?



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