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MINERS BEAT CARROLL

Miners Whip Copperleafs 7-4

OREDIGGERS WIN IN FAST, ROUGH HOCKEY GAME

The Miners won what may be the last game on Thursday, January 30, at the Civic Center. Five Missoula boys, Bob Tabor, Tom and Harold Uphill, Ron Grekul, and Bob Van Housen gave the Orediggers a shot in the arm and some needed bench strength.

The first period was fast with Kougioulis and McManus opening the scoring for the Copperleafs with two fast goals. Larry Nelson scored near the end of the period, taking a pass from Jack Hunter to make the tally 1-2 in favor of the Leafs.

Uphill scored again for the Miners at 3:45 in the second chukker to tie the score 2-2. Van Housen and Tabor scored later and the Mines led 4-2 at the end of the period. The Leafs were handicapped by penalties and couldn't keep up the pace.

Jack Hunter potted one early in the third period with an assist from George Blumfield and Tabor. The Leafs made the score 5-3 a few minutes later when Tom McManus looped the puck around hard-working goalie Banghart. Full of pep, the Orediggers pushed in two counters in 15 seconds, with Tabor netting the first and Hunter the second with an assist from Blumfield and Poad.

With 6:40 left to play, Bronson scored the last goal for the Leafs, making the final score Mines 7 - Copperleafs 4.

The wild last period also a beautiful exhibition of tripping, boarding, charging, and bare-knuckle boxing by members of both teams. Don Ogrin of the Mines was ahead on points when the sheriff's deputies stopped a one-round battle of Ogrin vs. McManus in the penalty box.

Although bolstered by the Missoula boys, the Mines regulars played on even terms with the Leafs. Banghart played a big part in the Oredigger victory with 29 saves.

The game may be the last of the season for the regular Mines team, although some of the members may play independently with the Butte team.



Big Mike Freebourn goes up for two against Carroll as the Orediggers win their first basketball game in three years. Carroll players are Walsh (23) and Pecora. Freebourn led the Mines scoring with 17 while Pecora tallied 23 for the losers.

Miners Upset Carroll 76-70 To Set the New Pace for '58

A fired-up Oredigger team swept on to their first conference victory February 1 by downing Carroll College of Helena 76 to 70. The win, the first in three years, came only after overcoming a 38-30 half-time deficit.

The Miners burst open in the second half and tied the score after the first five minutes of play. Then, with the lead changing hands every hectic minute, the game developed into a rough contest with three players from each team leaving the floor with five personals. Free shots in the final three minutes by Jim Freebourn and a basket by Don Mahagin gave the Orediggers the edge they needed for victory.

The well-balanced scoring of the Miners, led by Mike Freebourn with 17, King and Bennett with 15 and Jimmy Freebourn with 13, was the big factor that proved too much for the Saints.

Louis Pecora was high for Carroll with 23.

Ed Simonich MSM Hero

Ed Simonich, all-around coach and Director of Athletics at M.S.M., is probably the greatest booster and most interested person concerning sports at the school.

Big Ed, as he is respectfully referred to by those who know or work with him, is as well qualified for his position as anyone in his field. He has been a coach for eighteen years.

A stellar football player, Coach Simonich also participated in high school basketball and track for three years and, although never lettering, he was a member of his college track team. Being a sprintman, he competed against Ralph Metcalf, the title holder, in a 100-yard dash in 1939. Coach Simonich played football four years in high school; four years at Notre Dame, three of which he lettered; and one year with the professional Chicago Bears.



PROF. ED SIMONICH

Simonich's coaching career began in the fall of 1939 at Carroll College in Helena. That same year Carroll won its first game in several years under a revised athletic program. Leaving Carroll in 1944, Simonich played one season with the Bears, and in December of 1944 he returned to Montana to coach at Boys Central High in Butte. In the spring of 1947 he went to Sioux City where he coached until the spring of 1955. The fall of 1955 marked Simonich's return to Butte and Boys Central, where he stayed until last fall.

During the last football season, Coach Simonich's team (the Orediggers, of course) won no games. The Coach in looking back on the past season states, "Although not winning on the gridiron, I feel that much has been accomplished on the football field towards the future development of the athletic program at M.S.M."

MINES (76)	G	F	P	T
M. Freebourn	7	3	5	17
Bennett	5	5	5	15
Smart	1	0	3	2
Belanger	1	0	0	2
J. Freebourn	4	5	1	13
Coolidge	0	0	1	0
Roberts	0	0	0	0
Mahagin	3	2	4	8
King	5	5	5	15
McMillan	0	0	1	0
Lueck	1	2	0	4
Totals	27	22	25	76

CARROLL (70)	G	F	P	T
Kelleher	7	0	3	14
Walsh	5	3	5	13
Kingston	2	2	4	6
Pecora	8	7	1	23
Stenger	0	4	2	4
Lehendorf	2	3	4	7
Hogan	1	0	1	2
Wren	0	0	5	0
Courchene	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	19	26	70

TEWTONG TO SPEAK

The public is invited to attend the meeting of the International Club to be held the evening of February 17 at 8:00 P. M. in Museum Hall.

Dej Tewtong, of Bangkok, Thailand, will give a talk about his country, including its history, language, architecture, painting, literature, religion, music, and customs, and will show photographs of his native land.

A coffee hour will follow the program.

A little satisfaction was realized so far during the present basketball season in the Mines defeat of Carroll. The Coach is happy the way the team has come along and developed, and believes that the win over Carroll has given the boys added incentive. The Coach believes, "Winning is brought about by every one working together to develop the desire and will to win." (It is the general consensus of the members of the team that the Coach's efforts and faith in the team have been the outstanding factor of the team's first win in three years.)

Coach Simonich is deeply interested in the intramural program at the School. He stresses that the physical education a man can obtain is just as important to that man, as an individual, as intellectual education. This is especially true today, because of the widespread use of automobiles and the lack of physical exercise.

Concerning the intramural program itself, the Coach is disappointed in the number of students signed for the various sports this semester. He says, "It is important that everyone at the School of Mines plan to compete in one of the sports, because active participation in any form of athletics is necessary for the development of the whole man."

C. C. Goddard and W. A. O'Brien, Geologists, Given Promotions

Charles C. Goddard, Jr., mines geologist since 1949, has been promoted to geologist in charge of the Butte mines and Wallace A. O'Brien has been advanced to the position of mines geologist, it was announced Thursday by Chester H. Steele, vice president of The Anaconda Company in charge of Western operations

Both Mr. Goddard and Mr. O'Brien are natives of Butte, graduates of Montana School of Mines and veterans of The Anaconda Company's geological department here. Their fathers, C. C. Goddard Sr. and W. A. O'Brien were prominent early-day contractors who accounted for much of the building in Butte.

Mr. Goddard graduated in 1927 from the School of Mines where he was a leader in student affairs, serving as president of the student body and of the Anderson-Carlisle Technical Society and also as editor of the school paper and yearbook. While attending college he worked part-time as a miner.

Mr. O'Brien attended school in Roseburg, Ore., and Butte before entering the School of Mines from which he graduated in 1923. He joined the Anaconda Company that same year as a sampler, went to the mining engineering department in 1925 and to the geological department in 1928.

He is a past president of the Montana School of Mines Alumni Assn., and presently is a member of the executive committee of the School of Mines Research and Development Foundation.

COMING EVENTS

February

- 21—Basketball; Northern, here.
- 28—Basketball; Western, there.

March

- 11—Ohio Oil Company interview. Representative: Mr. L. C. Powell.
- 12—Student wives meeting in the coed room. 8:00.
- 14—Shell Oil Company interview. Representative: Mr. A. S. Grundy.
- 17—My Three Angels, Museum Hall, 8:00 P.M.
- 18—My Three Angels, Museum Hall, 8:00 P.M.
- 24—Convocation, University Players, Museum Hall.
- 28—Science Fair, Civic Center.
- 29—Science Fair, Civic Center and Easter recess begins.

Remember Engineering Day
May 15 and 16, 1958. Tell everyone you meet about it!!

ASSM Dollar Holding Steady

When student council president Gene Lanier was questioned regarding the problems of the A.S.S.M., his reply was "money." Gene stated that the additional \$2.50 paid by each student this semester is just sufficient to make up the amount lost through the decreased enrollment. If the lost-enrollment deficit had not been made up, the amount allotted to each organization would have had to be cut. This cut would have curtailed many activities that have been planned.

The council is also working on a new health insurance plan which will be of more help to the student. More information regarding this policy will be released as soon as possible.

The possibility of starting the school year earlier and ending it earlier is being studied by the student council.

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EDITORIAL

PROCRASTINATE IF YOU CAN

Don't put off 'til tomorrow what you can do a month from now. If registration is from 8:30 to 12:00 come at about 11:58 if you cannot make it later. For pictures scheduled Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday be one of the crowd arriving stylishly late Friday. If you can talk the photographer into Saturday, all the more power to you. A prof who demands a report tomorrow is entitled to it in about a week—depending upon your mood. It is worth that decrease on your grade percentage if you succeed in making him sweat it. You are really pulling an A for effort if you can manage an all night crowd 'n cram session before semesters. But of course if you can not, try the osmosis method. Open the book to parts you don't know or if you are not sure of the material in question open it in the middle. Get in a real cozy position and rest your head gently on the book. The knowledge will seep in as you sleep.

Oh, be sure you put off going to basketball games until the season is over. Put off the gabness with your roommate; if you are really persistent he may not even talk to you by the end of the year! Don't let anybody set a date for a party. Hold off for semester week. If you have any comments to make to the editor, put those off too—he will most obligingly put off answering them.

BUREAU OF MINES PUBLISHES MEMOIR 36

The Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, Butte, has available for sale Memoir 36, "Bedrock Geology of the North End of the Tobacco Root Mountains, Madison County, Montana," by Rolland R. Reid, Dr. Edwin G. Koch, Director, has announced.

The report is largely concerned with the bedrock geology of this area. Since work on ore deposits in the Tobacco Roots is still in progress, only broad structural control for ore deposition is described.

This paper contributes to a more complete understanding of the early geologic history of the region. Evidence for two periods of metamorphism in pre-Beltian time, both of which have affected Cherry Creek and Pony gneisses, is presented. The report contains information on the discovery of previously undescribed deposits of magnetite, talc, graphite, vermiculite and sillimanite. These deposits may ultimately become of economic value as the industrial appetite for minerals increases.

A special section on "Suggestion for Prospecting" should be of particular interest to prospectors and mine operators.

Mr. Reid joined the faculty of Montana School of Mines in 1953, leaving in 1955 to teach at the University of Idaho, Moscow. He mapped the geology of the Tobacco Root area during the summers of 1954, 1955, and 1956.

The Bureau's memoir series deals principally with a study of the basic geology of an area. Such a study is absolutely necessary before the economic phase can be intelligently investigated.

Memoir 36 costs \$1.00 and may be secured by writing Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, Room 203-B, Main Hall, Montana School of Mines, Butte, or by calling at the Bureau's offices. Personal checks made payable to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology are acceptable.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"YES, I FIND IT EASIER TO GET DATES NOW THAT I HAVE A CAR."

WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE

(Montana Standard)

You can add languages to the list of things our schools have been found short of in the last few weeks.

Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare Marion B. Folsom has brought this new deficiency to light in a request that something be done about it. Specifically, Mr. Folsom wants aid for research in teaching methods, for language institutes and for centers to expand offerings in seldom-taught tongues.

Mr. Folsom has found that half of our high schools offer no modern language training whatsoever, less than 15 per cent of our high school students are studying a foreign tongue and only about 15 per cent of our college students are taking language training.

Meanwhile, he says that about ten million Russian youngsters are studying English, but fewer than 8,000 Americans are studying Russian.

Our record in the State Department isn't so good either. Most of our diplomats have to depend on interpreters when they are sent to a foreign land to represent Uncle Sam. Less than half of our diplomats can read or speak German, French or Spanish. Only a fourth of our incoming foreign officers are proficient in any foreign tongue.

Some two billion people—about three fourths of the people of the world—speak a language other than English.

It seems obvious we depend too much on our dollars to speak for us.

ENGINEERING DAY

Plans for a bigger and better E-day are forging ahead steadily. Committee heads are working closely with representatives of the various departments which are going to arrange displays. Many committee heads are planning to arrange meetings and will shortly call for volunteers to assist them in preparing exhibits and explaining these to the visitors.

Your attention is called to the notice on the bulletin boards which explains that although May 16 is a holiday, students will be required to come to school on that day. It is suggested that students volunteer their services as early as possible so that they can be assigned to the department of their choice. Watch the forthcoming Amplifiers for more details on Engineering Day developments.

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Montana School of Mines may be the smallest school in the conference in which it is playing but its school spirit is on a par with the biggest school it plays against.

The attendance of the students at the pep rallies and games has built this spirit.

The good attendance, fine spirit, and cheering at the games have given both the cheerleaders and the team the feeling that the student body is completely behind them.

As we all know school spirit is an important part of college life. Attending games and cheering for a team make the student feel he is a part of a loyal group all pulling together for one purpose and that is to win the game. Through this group participation the student takes a personal interest in winning the game. It becomes an important goal symbolizing the victory of a thing in which he believes. He revels in victory, or he is a good loser with the spirit that next time will mean victory.

In school spirit as well as in every thing else Montana School of Mines boasts quality.

CONVOCATIONS

A coed sponsored pep rally was held February 7 in Museum Hall to bolster school spirit for the game with Eastern, February 8.

The rally was a veritable hoop-la-la with cheers, coach-talk, an introduction of the team, and a humorous sports quiz.

Sandy McGonigle played the whimsical quiz-master, accompanied by the puppet panel of Duane Diekman, Gordon Parker, John Templin and John Chellew.

The program concluded with the singing of the school song.

At the convocation of February 14, "The American Engineer" was shown. The film was of particular interest to all engineering students.

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Simonich Suspended By Supporters

In case anyone was wondering, Coach Ed Simonich wasn't being dragged from the floor following the Carroll game. No, he was supposedly being carried triumphantly from the fracas. Unfortunately, the official coach carriers at M.S.M are slightly out of practice.

It is reputed to have been three years since the Orediggers won their last basketball contest and ten years since the Carroll Saints have suffered a defeat at our hands. Small wonder that Simonich was the hero of the day! But hardly anyone stays in school ten years and so, when the final whistle blew and the rooters rushed from the stands, there were no experienced voices to say that a coach should be lifted thusly and supported in such and such a way and be sure that his head is higher than his feet.

Maybe the next time will be better—let's hope it won't be another ten years.

"Yes, I'll give you a job," said the manager of a small store to the applicant. "Your first duty will be to sweep out the store."

"But I'm a college graduate," said the young man.

"Very well then," replied the store manager. "I'll show you how."

COPPER GUARDS DINE AT VEGAS CLUB

The evening of February 3 the Copper Guards held a dinner meeting at the Vegas Club. The dinner was attended by faculty advisor Mr. McCaslin as well as present and past members of the organization.

The business portion of the meeting was devoted to forming committees to sell tickets and concessions at the remainder of the home basketball games.

Within the next few weeks, members of the freshman class eligible for Copper Guard membership will be presented to the group as initiates.

The final item of business was the discussion of various ideas for an annual Copper Guard campus project. In conjunction with this, a committee was appointed to investigate the possibility of re-surfacing the tennis courts. Any worthwhile ideas on projects to better the campus will be welcomed by the Copper Guards. Simply corner any member and tell him your ideas.

Student Wives Hold Pot Luck Dinner

The Student Wives held a pot luck dinner Sunday, February 16, in the Museum hall. Ham, baked beans and scalloped potatoes, and desert were served. The dinner was attended by the student wives and their families and the sponsors and their families.

A fashion show will be the highlight of the evening when the student wives entertain the Faculty Womens Club on March 12. Sara Marguerite, popular dressmaker and sewing teacher will present the program. Her students will model their own creations.

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EASTERN TOPS MINERS HERE

Eastern Montana College of Education's fine basketball team came back in the second half to overcome the School of Mines five, 68-51. After a close, well-fought first half in which the teams traded basket for basket, Eastern slowly began to pull away in the rough second half.

The favored Yellowjackets led at the half by a single point, 31-30. In the second half, however, the Miners couldn't get their offense working and had trouble hitting the basket. This, together with Eastern's accurate shooting and rebounding, made the difference.

Mike Freebourn's rebounding, ball-hawking, and all around good play, coupled with timely baskets by Jack King, Mel Bennett, and Ron Rickman, kept the persistent Miners in contention all the way until near the end. After Freebourn and Bennett fouled out in the second half, the game was all over for the Miners and from then on, Eastern scored almost at will and was never headed.

Tom Flom, Eastern forward, contributed the top performance of the night, leading all scorers with 14 points. He also played a fine defensive game. The individual scoring leaders for the Orediggers were Ron Rickman, who tallied 12, and Mel Bennett, who garnered 11. Rickman, playing for the first time, also did well in the rebounding department.

Colorful pre-game and halftime entertainment was provided by Eastern's band, snappily attired in their blue and white uniforms. Two majorette's and a tap dancer also performed.

The box:

MINES (51)	G	F	P	T
M. Freebourn	2	5	5	9
King	4	1	1	9
Rickman	6	0	4	12
J. Freebourn	3	0	0	6
Bennett	5	1	5	11
Mahagin	0	0	2	0
Lueck	0	0	2	0
Coolidge	1	0	0	2
McMillan	0	0	0	0
Totals	22	7	20	51

EASTERN (68)	G	F	P	T
Kuser	1	5	3	7
Haugen	3	0	0	6
Benner	2	1	0	5
Espeland	4	0	1	8
Deeney	2	3	2	7
Winters	4	1	1	9
Fairfield	4	2	1	10
Flom	5	4	3	14
Dunlap	1	0	1	2
Hilton	0	0	1	0
Totals	26	16	13	68

Intramural Basketball Standings

Team	Won	Lost
Goofs	7	0
Third Floor	6	0
Nicholson's	6	1
Theta Tau Tongs	5	1
Sigma Rho 1	4	3
Theta Tau Gears	4	3
Theta Tau Hammers	3	4
Play Boys	3	4
Crnich's	3	4
Sigma Rho 2	2	5
Rats	2	5
Sigma Rho 3	1	6
Theta Tau Garnets	0	7
Sigma Rho 4	Dropped from League	

The high point men in intramural play so far are:
 Ken Erickson—15 points per game
 Don Zipperian—14 points per game
 Namen Nichols—13 points per game
 Gary Riley—13 points per game

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Stan Mikuse shoots the puck between the legs of Copperleaf goalie, Beanie Park, as the reinforced Miners downs the Leafs 7-4. Other Mines players are Treweek (left), MacKnight (background), and Bob Tabor (1). Unsuccessfully attempting to block the puck are Copperleaves Johnson (6), Walsh (13) and Bronson (on ice).

Theta Tau News

Theta Tau Honors Professor McCaslin

Mr. John G. McCaslin was honored by Theta Tau's Psi Chapter in a formal initiation on the night of January 12, 1958. By this initiation, Mr. McCaslin became the seventh man to be so honored by Psi Chapter since the founding of the local chapter in 1932.

Since Theta Tau is a national engineering professional fraternity, Mr. McCaslin was honored for his contribution to the engineering field as a practicing engineer with Boeing Aircraft Company and as one who contributes much of his time and effort to the development of future engineers. This honor is not one of just local consequence. Mr. McCaslin was unanimously elected by all the national chapters and the national officers of Theta Tau. All brothers of Theta Tau have by this action welcomed Mr. McCaslin as an honorary brother. This method of selecting honorary members is rigid, but it insures that only qualified and deserving members of the profession can have the honor bestowed upon them.

Psi Chapter Definitely Host Chapter For Regional Conference

Word has been received by the local chapter that the Regional Conference of Region IV will be held in Butte. For some time Psi Chapter has worked to insure that this conference would be held here. Although this conference is held every two years, Psi Chapter has not had the distinction of host chapter for many years. This is due to the fact that Montana School of Mines is the smallest of all the schools in our region, and as such does not have the facilities available to the chapters on the larger campuses.

Some well-known large schools will be represented at this conference. The Universities of California and Utah are the largest, but not small in any regard are the University of Arizona, and the Colorado and South Dakota Schools of Mines. Psi Chapter sincerely hopes that this conference will show our brothers from these larger schools that our school is very capable of handling such a program.

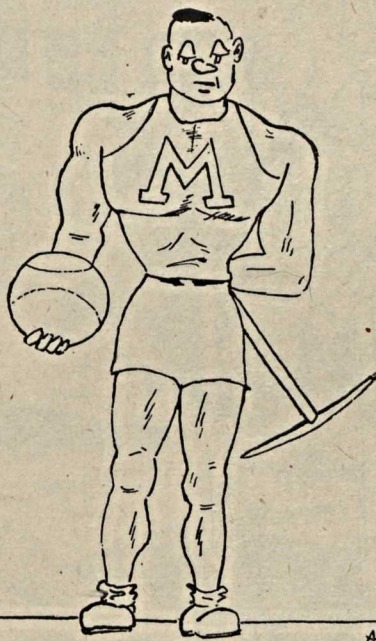
The active brothers of Psi Chapter have proposed the middle of April for this conference. The definite date will soon be published. All the active brothers extend a hearty welcome to all alumni of Theta Tau who find it possible to attend.

1958 Newsletter

The latest Psi Chapter Newsletter is off the press. Any alumnus who has not received his copy should immediately send his address to the local chapter. The newsletter should prove interesting to anyone who has been associated with Theta Tau. This issue was published by brothers Johnson and Painter who are looking forward to another issue within a few months.

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BEAT NORTHERN!



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21
 8:00 P. M., At Mines Gym

Rickman Hoops For Miners

Ron Rickman, 19-year-old 6'4" freshman has given Montana School of Mines basketball team some needed height.

Ron entered MSM at the beginning of the 2nd semester as a general student. He is a graduate of Cathedral High School class of '57 in Helena where he played 3 years of high school basketball.

Ron served 6 months military service in the medical corps in the Army at Fort Ord, California, prior to coming to MSM.

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THE INQUIRING REPORTER

The Question: Do you think that the recent victories of the Mine's hockey and basketball teams have encouraged school spirit?

Answers: Wm. Painter, junior, "Yes, definitely. It shows in the students, but its too bad more of the faculty don't attend the games."

Ken Evans, senior, "Yes, but school spirit would be increased a whole lot more if there some changes made in the faculty and then fewer students would be transferring out."

Dart Davis, freshman, "Yes for the basketball game but can we say rightfully that it was a Mines hockey team?"

Gordon Parker, senior, "..... not necessarily."

M-Club News

Under the leadership of Coach Ed Simonich, the M Club will soon have a lounge all of its own. The room is situated to the south of the tunnel entrance in the gymnasium building. The room has been painted, and plans to procure furnishings are being developed. Thanks are extended to the Coed Club for offering to make suitable drapes to eliminate that bare look so prevalent in the coffee shop and other student meeting places. It is hoped that this lounge will bolster the increase in student morale. If the M Club can become the association it is on many campuses, then the morale will be directly affected for the good of all MSM students.

Drama Rolls

Tryouts for the yearly school play were held during the last of January. The play, My Three Angels, is the story of three convicts in French Guiana and their effect on the Ducotel family. Participating in the play are Tom Martin, Don Hendricks and Ross Wayment as the three convicts; Helen Duke, Maribeth Sullivan and Dave Malyevac as the Ducotel family; and in supporting roles are George Maxwell, Steve Postle, and Jacquie Trythall, and Gordon Parker.

Rehearsals, under the direction of Mr. Chance and assistant director Gordon Parker, began February 3, and the play will be presented on March 17 and 18.

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Tuesday, February 18

"THE INFORMER"

Wednesday, February 19

"DECISION AT SUNDOWN"

Thur., Fri., Sat., Feb. 20, 21, 22

"THE HUNCHBACK OF
 NOTRE DAME"

Sun., Mon., Feb. 23, 24

"THE GIRL MOST LIKELY"

Tuesday, February 25

NO SHOW,
 COMMUNITY CONCERT

Wednesday, February 26

FOR WHOM THE
 BELL TOLLS

Thurs., Fri., Sat., Feb. 27, 28, 29

"THE ENEMY BELOW"

SPECIAL NOTICE!

The Center Theatre will be open
 February 20, for an extended run
 of "PEYTON PLACE"

Research Foundation Announces Plans For Mineral Research Center

Plans to construct, equip, and staff a new \$2,000,000 center for conducting basic and applied scientific research in the mineral and allied industries were announced February 1 by the Montana School of Mines Research and Development Foundation, Inc.

The center, which will be located to the southwest of the present buildings on the campus, would be concerned primarily with research in the fields of geological, mining, mineral dressing, metallurgical, and petroleum engineering with a view toward aiding industry by finding new techniques or more fully exploring familiar paths in production, the announcement said. The center will operate closely with, but independent of, M. S. M.

All departments on the campus are expected to derive some benefit from the center as, for example, the Petroleum Department. To obtain the result of successful secondary oil recovery effort within the state, certain unknowns must be investigated and solved, such as: (1) Determine the original limits, saturation, rock and fluid properties of the stripper fields. (2) Upon completion of original reservoir data a study must be made to find the most appropriate method to use. (3) A study of the Madison Limestone. (4) Remedial treatment of oil wells, including techniques of a specific nature—such as selective plugging—may have to be investigated. (5) An equitable basis for unitization which paradoxically enough must be done first, but cannot be done until last or after the reservoir characteristics are known. The Mining Department will do research in the field of rock and soil mechanics through the use of a strength of materials laboratory. The present facilities are limited to a theoretical nature only.

The Research and Development Foundation has been incorporated under Montana law. The administrators of the foundation are: John W. Warren of Butte, director and head; Roger V. Pierce of Salt Lake City, associate director and chairman; and Dr. Arthur E. Adami of Butte, associate director. Mr. Warren is the Chief Ventilation and Industrial Hygiene Engineer for The Anaconda Company, Mr. Pierce is a mining consultant, and Dr. Adami is Dean Emeritus of The School of Mines. All three are alumni of the School of Mines.

The financing of the Research Center will be by national foundations, industries, groups, and individuals. According to President Koch, "There has always been a great need for a mineral research center in the Western mining region, and new and capable men will be attracted by such an idea."

"So, he says t'me, 'Babe you are very laconic,'" explained Gert. "Gee, Gert, what's it mean?" asked Myrt. "I dunno," replied Gert, "but I bopped him on the nose just to play safe!"

Blew Himself Out?
"How many sons have you, Mrs. Jones," asked the new neighbor. "Two living and one who became a saxophone player," was the reply.

"How did you manage while waitin' for me, lady?" asked the plumber as he viewed a flooded basement. "Oh, fine," said the housewife acidly. "I taught the baby how to swim."

Our Joe Paup
Joseph X. Paup, the poor man's Jackie Gleason, is nursing injuries received when bounced by an automobile. His comment is that "a traffic jam is what motorists make out of careless pedestrians."

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THE WEEK IN ASIA

THAILAND

Final returns announced last week for the general election show that the Unionist Party—since merged in the army's National Socialist Party—won 45 seats. Of the 160 seats contested, the Democrats won 39. Left-wing parties captured 15 seats, compared with 22 at the last election. Independents won 61, most of them from the Seri Manangasila Party of the former Premier, Pibul Songgram. Lieut. Gen. Thanom Kitkhaclon, the Defense Minister, is the Premier-designate. He said he would ask Nai Pote Sarasin, Provisional Premier since September, to stay on and advise his Government.

PAKISTAN

The Central Cabinet last week took various decisions to effect economy in Government expenditures after considering Part I of the Economy Committee Report, which contains recommendations of a general nature. It also decided to appoint a three-man committee headed by the Prime Minister and including the Ministers for finance and the Interior, to review rules regarding pay and allowances, and other prerequisites of Ministers.

INDIA

Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru told Congress Party members of Parliament last week that there is no cause for despondency over the difficult economic situation facing the country. The difficulties about food and foreign exchange were not insurmountable, he told the party members attending an end-of-session meeting.

MALAYA

Communist terrorist leader Chin Peng, "no longer counts," the Government said last week. In an official broadcast, it said Premier Tengku Abdul Rahman took the position that the Government would have nothing more to do with Chin. "The Prime Minister and the Government are prepared to accept the surrender of any communist terrorists or groups of terrorists in any part of the country," the broadcast added.

CEYLON

As of press time, it was reported that the floods that have taken a heavy toll of life and property in many parts of Ceylon are subsiding. The number of dead is unofficially put at 225, but the toll is expected to rise as the waters recede. Thousands of homeless persons have been virtually without food. Authorities fear that stocks of medical supplies may soon run short, and the Government has made an urgent appeal to the World Health Organization.

INDONESIA

Premier Djuanda denied last week charges by Dr. Mohammed Hatta, former Vice President, that recent Government measures against Dutch interests in Indonesia had been started without adequate planning. The Premier was answering criticism contained in an article by Dr. Hatta that appeared earlier in several Djakarta papers. The Indonesia News Agency quoted the Premier as saying that Indonesia wanted negotiations and a peaceful settlement of her claim to West Irian (western New Guinea), but that any negotiations with the Netherlands "must be on the transfer of sovereignty over West Irian to Indonesia."

JAPAN

Prime Minister Nobusuke Kishi announced last week that he will set the date for dissolution of the Diet (Parliament) "at his own discretion." The opposition Socialist Party announced it will file a resolution urging dissolution of the House of Representatives on Jan. 27 and started its election preparations. Mr. Kishi said he would not be swayed by Socialist demands. He emphasized that he will make the move for new elections when he is ready, but he refused at the same time to say anything definite about the date or the method.

MALDIVE ISLANDS

Ibrahim Nasir has been appointed Premier of the Maldiv Islands, succeeding Amir Ibrahim Ali Didi, who resigned for health reasons. The appointment was announced last week by the Maldivian Government representative in Ceylon. The Maldiv Islands, southeast of Ceylon, became a republic in 1953, but the next year the sultanate was restored.

VIET NAM

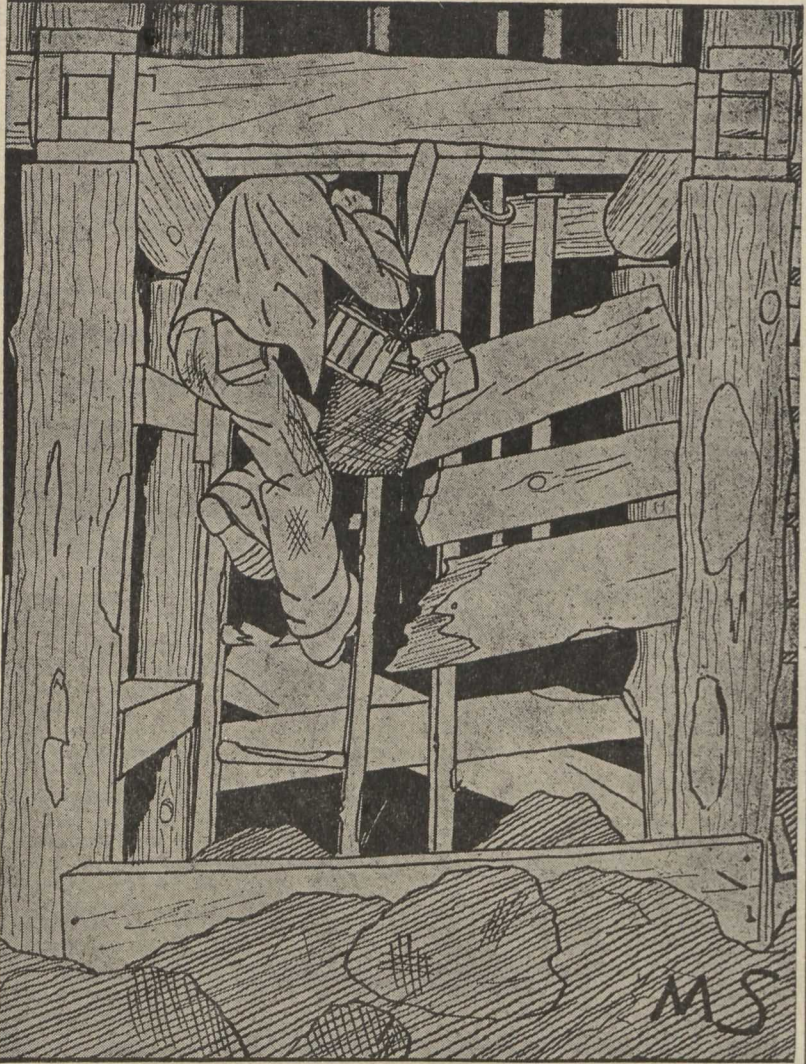
Kogoro Uemura, Japan's World War II indemnity envoy, held his last talks with Vice President Nguyen Ngoc Tho last week. Hopes dimmed for an immediate settlement as Mr. Uemura announced he will fly back to Tokyo this week "with or without a separations settlement."

JORDAN

The Government won a vote of confidence last week when Parliament debated a draft law for the 1957-1958 general budget. Of 31 deputies who attended the session 23 supported the Government and eight voted against.

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— AND, I NEVER LOWER MYSELF TO ARGUMENT WITH A STUDENT — I FLUNK HIM.

REMEMBER E-DAY!

Li'l Gee Gee the office vamp says the average man is proof that the average woman can take a joke.
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The young bride-to-be of an Indian brave was visiting the big city for the first time to make some personal purchases. Soon after she wrote him of all the modern things and said she had a beautiful hotel room with running water. Immediately the brave sent her a telegram reading: "Get rid of that Indian at once or wedding is off!"

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Until that night Butte was a vertiable outpost of civilization. A wagon road connected it with Fort Benton, 200 miles to the northeast, from which point transportation was afforded over the tortuous and dangerous channel of the Missouri River from St. Louis.

Because it was difficult to obtain necessary supplies and equipment for the mining industry the railroad was urged to extend its line north from Ogden.

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