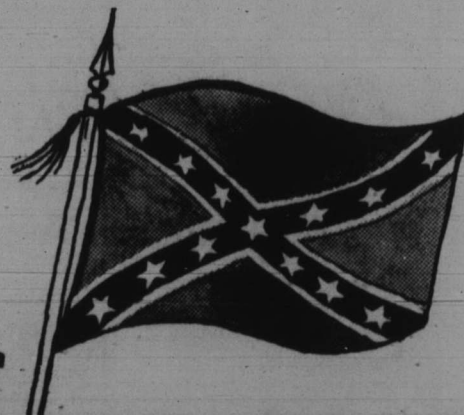


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Christmas Sno-Ball To Be Held Dec. 20 At Flamingo Hotel

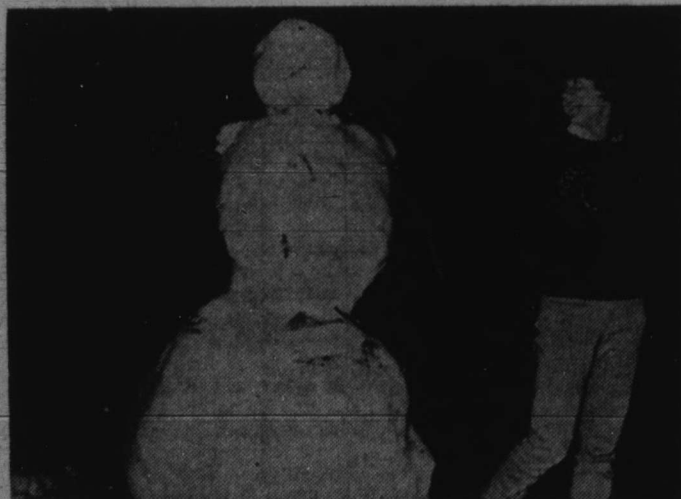
The newly finished McCarran Room at the Fabulous Flamingo Hotel on the Strip is the setting for the 5th Annual Sno-Ball this year. The dance, put on by CSNS, will be on Wednesday, Dec. 20, from 8:00 until 12:00 p.m. The elegant dance, which will be semiformal, including dark suits for males and cocktail dresses for females, will be highlighted with the crowning of a Sno-Ball Queen. The Hotel Flamingo is furnishing all refreshments, decorations, and even a band. This dance is one of the biggest at Nevada Southern all year; so all you guys hurry up

and get your date with your best girl. No one should miss out on this fun. See you at the dance.

Merry Christmas

From the

Rebel Yell Staff



"I'D LOVE TO!" — says Jessica Sledge as she accepts a date with Mr. Snowman for the Sno-Ball which will be held in the McCarran Room of the Flamingo Hotel on December 20.

(Mike Gordon Photo)

STUDENT LOANS AVAILABLE

Announcement to Students Regarding National Defense Student Loans:

National Defense Student Loan Applications and re-applications are now available for those students desiring to borrow under the terms of the National Defense Education Act. The application forms must be obtained from the Counselors in Room 216, 122, Grant Hall and submitted before January 10, 1962 for loans during the spring semester of 1962.

Those students who applied for the fall and spring semesters and were approved for the fall semester only must submit a re-application form. Students who have had previous National Defense Student Loans from the University of Nevada prior to the fall semester of 1961-62, and who desire further assistance, must submit a re-application form, for this spring semester. New applicants can secure the information and application forms from the Counselors offices.

The National Defense Student Loan Program is a long term, low interest means of financing

your college education. Engineering, Education, Mathematics, Modern Foreign Languages, and Natural Science majors are the five priority groups as established by the National Defense Education Act of 1958.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Jeffers or Dr. Kittredge in Grant Hall.

Epilogue Received Thanks

The following telegram was received by Corky Poole on November 27, 1961: Surprised and deeply touched by the high honor of having the Epilogue dedicated to me. It was a privilege to have been present in the early days of Nevada Southern and watch the students and their elected representatives to C.S.N.S. develop a student body possessing that finest of all intangibles, a truly democratic campus life and sincere college spirit. This exciting experience will always be a part of me and for it I thank all the students of Nevada Southern.

Eugenie Mitchell



"WAY TO GO REBELS!" — yelled the cheerleaders and the student body time and time again Friday and Saturday nights as our team won two of a two-game series with Long Beach Navy in the season openers. The large turnout and the unbounded enthusiasm displayed by the crowd indicate a season rich in school spirit for NSU. Keep it up!

(Mike Gordon Photo)

The Rebels Speak

Letters to The Editor

To the Editor.

We have read and discussed the column written by R and I in the last few issues. We would like to have them answer this question — Who set them up as campus judge and jury concerning campus attire?

In the last two articles written by R and I they have complained about standard of dress on this campus. If they had attended other Universities as we have, they would find that our dress is comparable with the dress of the other campuses.

Standards of dress dictated by environmental conditions. Our environment is one of informality, therefore our dress is informal.

We feel that the students R and I, would be better to help build up our campus instead of degrading it. Let them offer constructive ideas rather than destructive criticism.

signed:

Ron Major, Bob Linn
Karl Larsen

To the Editor:

Just one question from an un-informed newcomer.

How goes it that this "fine" institute of higher learning makes no attempt whatever to provide the student body with lectures or assemblies whenever a qualified speaker hits town? The apathy of the Student Body is not so mystifying when one considers the obvious lack of concern of the Administration in promoting such activities.

I've noticed a large gymnasium and lecture room that could provide an adequate setting. Now, what do you do to shake the cobwebs out of the minds of those responsible for such functions?

I can already hear the trite answer . . . "We're so young". Like, youth and stupidity are always synonymous ?????????? RJ

To the Editor:

Many students on campus agree with me when I say that the students at NSU are not well enough informed about the various activities which take place on campus. When something is going to happen (a dance, game, election, party, or assembly) we would like to participate in the activity. Some students are not interested, but most of us are.

What I Think

By the EDITOR

For the first time the people of Latin America are demanding a better way of life. The uneducated classes are finally crying for human dignity and economic and social equality. In Cuba this was supposedly accomplished by revolution and the throwing out of the wealthy land owner class of people (which in many cases were Americans.)

The communist in achieving success have discovered that by putting a modern weapon in the hands of an uneducated poor man he acquires a little human dignity at once. This coupled with promises of more to come such as land and social reform gives them an avid follower who will fight for the cause. This very thing is happening today in Colombia. More people have been killed by the "bandido" raids and in reprisals than in the entire Cuban Revolution.

In Ecuador a successful left wing group seized control of the government and is now trying to blackmail aid from the U.S. Political unrest is very prevalent in Venezuela and Bolivia. In reality no Latin country is free from serious internal problems.

Those who realistically want to solve their problems are looking to the U.S. for help. Kennedy's alliance for peace program as a rule is being well received but as one latin diplomat said "it is too little too late."

President Kennedy has taken the first step in winning the confidence of the peoples of South America by his positive action in the Dominican Republic. Reliable sources claim that he was prepared to send in the Marines if it had been necessary.

His coming visit to Columbia and Venezuela should provide another step in winning the confidence of these people.

If our State Dept. will do an about face and look at Latin America realistically take positive action where and when it is needed it will have a stabilizing effect on the people and their governments.

Turn outs to school functions could be much greater if we were informed about them so that we could come.

I do not know who is in charge of publicizing these events but if nobody is "officially" in charge of it, please see that someone is appointed to take care of this. It could make a great difference in Nevada Southern.

the uninformed

A Stranger in the Night

By JANET HADLAND

Into the growing tension and fear of this confused age comes a Stranger in the night. His physical form is small, yet His spiritual magnitude is so great and so bright that He dispels the darkness of the night, making it brighter than the sun. This brightness shines everywhere, even into the darkest corner of man's heart, casting out what is ugly and bad and replacing it with what is good and beautiful.

This Light is available to everyone; there is no select clique to whom its healing power belongs exclusively. Every man has only to open his heart and let it in, and his form will be transformed into a smaller and less complete beacon of the Great Light. This Stranger is an eternal lamplighter.

By illuminating the night, the Stranger clears away the blackness of doubt and makes man's position as an outcast clear to him. He then lights up the only path to a lasting and true happiness and shows man that only through His brightness can this path be found.

If this is true, that the only path to true happiness lies through this Great Light, then why is He called a "Stranger?" Why have all men not recognized Him as the director of happiness and rushed to Him? There are many men who have so many other wordly lights shining into their eyes that they are blinded by them and fail to see the all-encompassing true Light. By shutting this Light out of their hearts, they make the Being that radiates it a Stranger.

Who is this mysterious Being, this Great Light, this Stranger? From His tremendous brightness and power, we expect Him to be a mighty and magnificent king. But when He arrives we see only a lowly new-born infant, brought to life in a stable, the lowliest of shelters, with only the livestock for midwives. Yet kings traveled hundreds of miles to see and worship Him; shepherds were awed in His presence. Why should these things be? The answer was simply that these people had seen His Light in the form of a great star, and it had led them the only road to true and lasting happiness — this new-born infant. For this child was God — God made in the form of Jesus Christ. God the Great Light, taking a human form so that He might more fully shine on and enlighten mankind. Christ the Beacon, shining His Light of Love down through the ages into the disordered and frightened world that is 1961.

Although the Light is strong and bright, there are those who refuse to open their hearts to it or are so blinded by other lights that they fail to see it. Because of their blindness, these gropers for happiness miss out on the only true happiness, eternal life with Christ. To them, the Holy Infant is just another stranger in the night.

What about you? Have you missed the Light? Are you stubborn or blind? You still have another chance you know. He'll be coming again Dec. 25. When He comes to you with His precious gift of Light, will you be ready to let Him in, or will you too say, "There is no room in MY inn!" Don't lock Christ out of your heart. Don't let him be a stranger in the night.

Action Demanded For Nev. Southern

By KATHIE TOBIN

We should all be thinking about the immediate problem which exists between the Reno Campus and the Nevada Southern Campus.

NSU is obviously getting the short end of the deal concerning financial assistance which is so badly needed. Our campus is in dire need of an adequate book store, cafeteria and dormitories, etc.

We must face the fact that if we wait for the minds in Reno to make the decisions and to allocate the money which is needed to handle NSU, we will all be grandparents. This same type of partiality exists not only in relation to the University, but also in allocation of State money for roads, buildings, etc., which favor the Reno area — giving Reno the gravy and Las Vegas the crumbs.

Unquestionably the Southern Nevada and Reno areas will eventually be compared to Los Angeles and San Francisco. Clark County is going to outstrip Washoe County tremendously in the coming years.

The financial benefits from the university to the community cannot be measured. Many towns in the country have grown and prospered, over a period of years, because of their university alone. The university provides a source of revenue for the local merchants. It also provides for a rise in population which results in an overall betterment of the community. A prosperous and growing university can do nothing but good for the community. NSU seems to be having a difficult time moving ahead as fast as it should.

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SPORTS REPORT

Rebels Make Clean Sweep!

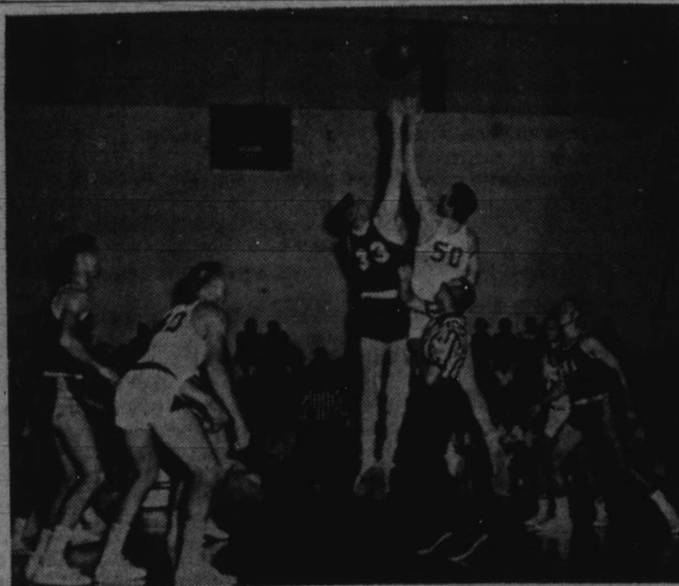
Nevada Southern's opener with Long Beach Navy dispelled any doubts concerning the ability of the mighty Rebel team and the school spirit of the student body. The Rebels went on to "sink" the Navy both nights. The cheering section was with the team all the way. Cheerleaders and their excited followers warmed up their vocal cords at the J.V. games. The Cubs came out ahead in two close battles with the varsity squad of Las Vegas and Gorman High Schools. Although the fans were emotionally and physically exhausted from these close games they were able to muster up enough strength to cheer the Varsity team on to victory.

Congratulations should go to head cheerleader Vonne Stout and her hard-working crew. The crowd was so keyed up that it took real skill to organize them into a unified cheering section. Once this was done, shouts could be heard from under the Rebel banner which matched those from across the gym floor.

One fellow who was obviously enjoying himself was Beaugard, our mascot. Thanks goes to Ernie Ohlson and Dan Porter, who displayed their interest in Nevada Southern by painting the handsome picture of Beau in the center of the gym floor. There seems to be quite a mystery connected with Beau — do you suppose anyone knows who he really is?

Faculty members and other Las Vegas also came out in full force to support NSU and the Rebel team. The encouragement and support shown by these people proves beyond a doubt that Las Vegas has the potential to become a full fledged "college town." This attendance and cheering at the games, and the turn out to the dance Saturday night showed that there are many Nevada Southern students vitally interested in the school they are attending.

Norman Johnson, Fey Commissioner, was heard remarking that if this display of spirit becomes traditional, "the battle with Reno is already half won."



Rebels tip to win opening game

Who's got the ball? — The Rebels start their cage season for 1961 with a tip off between Tim Leonard of NSU and a Long Beach Navy cager. Although the ump seems to be very evenly

matched, NSU took the ball and went on to score two points. This was the theme of the whole weekend, as NS went on to win both games against Long Beach.

Open House Success Thanks to N.S. Guides

According to Dr. Kittredge, Counselor, the success of the November 22nd Open House for local high school seniors was in large measure due to the efforts of Nevada Southern students, particularly those who acted as guides. He commented on the efficient and confident manner in which twenty-some guides escorted 600-700 visiting high school seniors around campus in small groups.

Dr. Kittredge stated he would also like to express appreciation to CSNS Executive Council and Senate, to the individual student organizations, such as Psychology Club, and the members of various classes, all of whom made important contributions to the Open House, along with faculty and staff.

Dean Carlson has just returned from a meeting of the National Mental Health Association in Miami. He was a bit disappointed because he took his swimming trunks and didn't get to go swimming.

Cubs Win

The NSU Cubs have shown the Student Body that they are a ball club with lots of spunk, by coming from behind 26-18 at half time to beat Las Vegas High 50 to 48 and to overcome a deficit of 12 points at half time and edge out Gorman High in a thrilling overtime 55-54. Don Duszinski sparke the Cubs against Vegas by scoring 18 points. Ray Dameron was high man against Gorman with 21. Harry "The Springer" Dodd kept NSU in the ball games by dominating the back boards throughout the last half of both ball games.

Jay Knapp, with 10 seconds left in the ball game hit a do-or-die jump shot from the corner to win the game against Gorman.

Coach Adams blames the poor showing of the Cubs during the first half of their ball games on the lack of team work and



Take Long Beach For Two in A Row

The Varsity Team defeated Long Beach Navy in two season openers Friday and Saturday night. The better played game of the two was Friday when the Rebels shot a remarkable 62% during the first half to lead Long Beach by 23 to 9 in the first ten minutes of play and 47 to 21 at half time. Not insinuating that we have a thief on our ball team in 5'-11" guard Dave Shay, but he did steal the ball from the opponents and scored 16 points, which did not make them too happy. "Big Tim" Leonard, Bill Farr and Don Helm controlled the boards throughout the game scoring 15, 12 and 8 points respectively. Arlen Hafen, instead of driving our team crazy as he has in past years when he played for Dixie College, accomplished the feat of downing 18 points the first night and 21 the second.

"Big Tim" led the Rebels in scoring Saturday by dumping in 24 big points. High point man for Long Beach was Myers with 12 and 22. Don Helm, besides playing a terrific game had 10 points added to his credit. Half time score for the second game was 33 to 25.

Coach Drakulich said "Naturally we're pleased with the performance of the team both nights. We could not tell if Long Beach was playing up to par. A better test of the ability of the team will come this weekend when we play Arizona State and Grand Canyon there. By playing on a strange court with an unofficial deficit of 10 points, we will be put to a good test."

hustle. Thursday the Cubs had a rematch with Gorman High at their gym and for the first time this year showed they were able to play a complete ball game at top speed. Coach Adams cleaned the bench as the Cubs went ahead by 15 points at half time, and finished the game with a 56-47 win over the Gaels.

Campus Capers

By VONNE STOUT

N.S.U. STUDENTS SEEN SLEEPING???? ON FREMONT STREET??!! Many people were in a state of amazement Thursday night, Nov. 30th, when they saw a group (a large, large group) of our own students parading up and down Fremont Street all attired in their favorite PAJAMAS! No one missed those students; one could hear them for blocks, screaming school yells, — not seeing them 'twas an impossibility, especially with our mascot "Beauregard" leading the crew. Whether they were driving, walking, drinking, gambling, waiting for a train in the depot, eating peacefully in the El Cortez or the Blue Onion, they were all terrorized, or rather reminded, that the N.S.U. students were full of spirit. Even patrons of the Hotel Sahara saw part of the P.J. crew, Johnny Curler, Jim Griffin, Karen Lindblom and another mixed up pajama gal up at the penthouse balcony trying to throw pennies to some poor, unsuspecting gentleman. Too bad they almost hit his head! But then, Nevada Southern students on the streets in P.J.'s have an excuse for lack of brains. Later on, K-E-N-O listeners heard this same crew win a contest just for giving the disc jockey the telephone number for reservations for the recent play — **The Adding Machine.**

Stan Alexander had a little trouble keeping his nightgown on. That's what you get for trying to act like a girl, Stan.

THE TWIST HAS HIT!!! Garret Gobell, Mike Fennell, Ray Demmon, and Gene Shill are twisters from way back, or at least they are trying. Just ask 'em gals and guys, they'll be more than happy to teach anyone how to twist. They're experts! At the after-game dance, Dec. 2nd, Dr. Frazier said he couldn't "twist" but he could put on a pretty good dirty-boogie!!! Our campus is indeed privileged to be blessed with so much TALENT????

THE STORK HAS COME TO NSU CAMPUS AGAIN! This time he's come with three little girls. Parents are Corky Poole, president of our student body, father of Barbara Ann; also: Phil Waldman, senior in Education, father of Deborah Ann, and Mrs. Fitzgerald, staff member in the Library, mother of Siobon. Congrats, parents!!

Ask poor, bruised Mike Williams why he is all black and blue. It couldn't be from double spins in a parking lot, or from smoking cigars or from listening to Beethoven, or from falling from a two-story building, could it, Mike? No this is very mild compared to the punches JoDee Auston has been giving him. Come on JoDee, give the guy a break!

YOU OUGHT TO BE ASHAMED!!! — Lenny Yelinek, Dennis Knowles, David Davenport and Roger Mauer. These four were actually trying to STEAL some of the cookies that the Cheer leaders had worked very hard to make and were trying to sell. Honestly, what did you guys do when you were in grade school — steal the other kids marbles? I've often heard about people like you!!! This is just a warning to all students. Beware of these four hoodlum proteges.

ON CRUTCHES? What happened to Larry Lemmon? He's been seen hobbling around school but still telling jokes. He's probably still asking everyone "How's your mother?!" I don't know what his problem is. He either has an avid interest in his fellow students' Mothers' health, or he's studying to be a humanitarian. Maybe his mother kicked him too hard. This could be the reason why he is on crutches. What's the story, Larry?

HAVING CAR TROUBLE? In the last week I saw many students complaining about their cars. Maynard Chambers was seen with a tow truck, trying to get a young lady's car out of a ditch after one of last week's games — Mike Tobin was seen pushing his car down Maryland Parkway due to an insufficient amount of funds and an empty gas tank — Ray Pollard keeps shifting from his yellow and white Ranchero to his cute white old, old Pontiac. He's either having trouble with both of them, or he has a change of personality, or he's just plain rich. — And then there was Glenn Carroll who had coke spilled all over his front seat by some clumsy female type. I think he's decided to either get a good cleaning job, buy new seat covers, or get this girl a book entitled **Balancing Tricks.**

FUR TRIMMED SHORTIE P.J.'S??! This is what unattached Gary Doctor jokingly said that he was going to buy Toby Rott for Christmas upon seeing a pair in a store window. Gosh Gary, is this what you buy all your girl friends for Christmas???

Well, Christmas vacation is coming up. Everyone be sure and be good. Don't carol too much, don't fall down a snowy mountain, don't have too, too, too many parties, study lots and

NANCY FREDRICKS

The A.W.S. Woman of the Month is the very personable Miss Nancy Fredricks. Nancy is well known for her interest and support of Nevada Southern. There are few activities that take place on the NSU campus without some contribution from Miss Fredricks.

Nancy, a freshman, is a member of Nu Sigma Upsilon and is the hardworking copy editor of the Epilogue.

Nominations for AWS Woman of the Month may be turned in to Jessica Sledge or any one of the AWS officers. Voting takes place at the AWS meeting which are held every first and third Wednesday in Room 245, at twelve noon.

Sigma Theta Chi Hold First Meeting

Sigma Theta Chi, a newly formed sorority on campus, held its first meeting at the home of Miss Kathie Tobin, Sunday night, Dec. 3rd.

Pat Wrest, versatile freshman was elected president and presided over the meeting. Pat is a freshman and is majoring in elementary education.

The other officers elected were: Janet Chatterton, vice-pres.; Kathie Tobin, treasurer; Rebecca Brown, secretary, and Virginia Backus, historian.

be sure and come to the games on Dec. 15, 16, 18, 21, 28 and 29th. Also, don't anyone miss the fabulous SNO-BALL to be held at the Flamingo Hotel in the Convention room on Dec. 20th. It should be a beautiful dance and all will be excited to see who is queen. See you there everywhere and anywhere).

And as DALE DOUGLAS says, "Everyone's out to lunch!" or Van Quinn's — "LIKE LATER MAN!!!"

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The Rebel Yell is your only form of communication on campus. Any one wishing to be a staff member see Marshall Stout or any one of the editors.

CLUBS PLAN BUSY SCHEDULE

The Psychology Club will hold its next meeting on December 15th. At this meeting, a guest speaker will address the members on the subject of "Psychology as a Profession."

The Biology Club will have as a guest speaker at the December 7th meeting, a member of the Fish and Game Commission. The biologists are looking forward to a field trip to Davis Dam and the Colorado river during the Christmas holidays.

The Newman Club is holding a Christmas tree cutting party at Mount Charleston on December 17th. On December 22th, the club members intend on going caroling, and a party for underprivileged children will be held during the holidays.

The Desert Club is in the process of buying "The Standard Works of the Mormon Church" and will donate the set to the college library as soon as it is completed.

Nu Sigma Upsilon, the first sorority on the NSU campus, is presently making plans to go Christmas caroling with the Sigma Gamma members. The in-the-near-future plans of the sorority include ushering for "The Adding Machine," and choosing their pins and blazers.

The Sigma Gamma members are operating a concession stand at the basketball games. Their current projects include a New Year's Eve party and a scholarship fund for a high school student.