pacific tennis

training their sights on their third c c a a tennis championship in a row, the defending champion tigers, under their new coach, emmett shoffner, look like a good choice to repeat their conquests of 1947 and 1948...

coach shoffner, who replaces phil garlington, last year's tennis mentor, is a valuable addition to the tiger caching staff, having been a member of north carolina state's tennis team from 1940 to 1943, before graduating from the wolfpack school with a bachelor of science degree in ceramic engineering... this year marks the inauguration of shoffner into coaching in intercollegiate athletics...

generally conceded to be number one man on the tiger tennis team is hank pfister, who won the cccaa singles title in 1948... the dark haired san franciscan also won the oregon and british columbia singles championships and the victoria and british columbia doubles titles, with jim livingstone...

after the number one spot coach shoffner has a tough time selecting ranks for don hamilton, darrel winrich, don hall, clint arbuckle, and ted collins...

so far this season the pacific netters have registered 8-1 victories over stanford university and george pepperdine college and a 6-3 conquest of the university of california... the tigers lost a tight one to the highly touted university of san francisco netmen by the score of 4-5, but hope to gain revenge when they encounter the dons again later in the season...



dragoo (mgr)

arbuckle winrich

collins

hamilton pfister

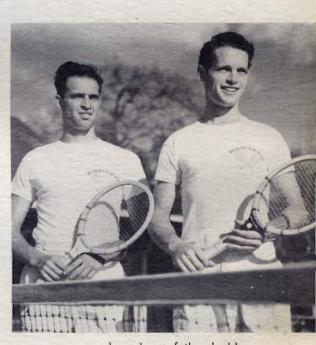
schoffner (coach)



ted collins displays backhand



hard serve by clint arbuckle



champions of the doubles hank pfister and don hamilton

stockton college tennis



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korbholz tucker

ferguson cunningham (ast.coach) jacobus haley

the stockton college tennis team, under the coaching of ralph mason, assistant stockton college football coach in the fall, and bill cunningham, a letterman from last year's cub team, got off to a slow start in league competition, probably due to the fact that three of their first matches were rained out.

with the top four netters, don jacobus, lee tucker, james kenneth fergusson, and richard haley, the cub team is a strong contender for any of their junior college rivals... jacobus is rated high in junior competition (18 years of age or under), and haley, another freshman, is an outstanding prospect... tucker, with stockton high last year, and ferguson, a cub veteran, are both good, consistent players...

jacobus and ferguson team up in the doubles competition, as do tucker and haley...

rounding out the team are philip korbholz and ray viscarra, second year men; larry bingham and van sweet, freshman prospects; harry jordan, a definite prospect, and larry galli...



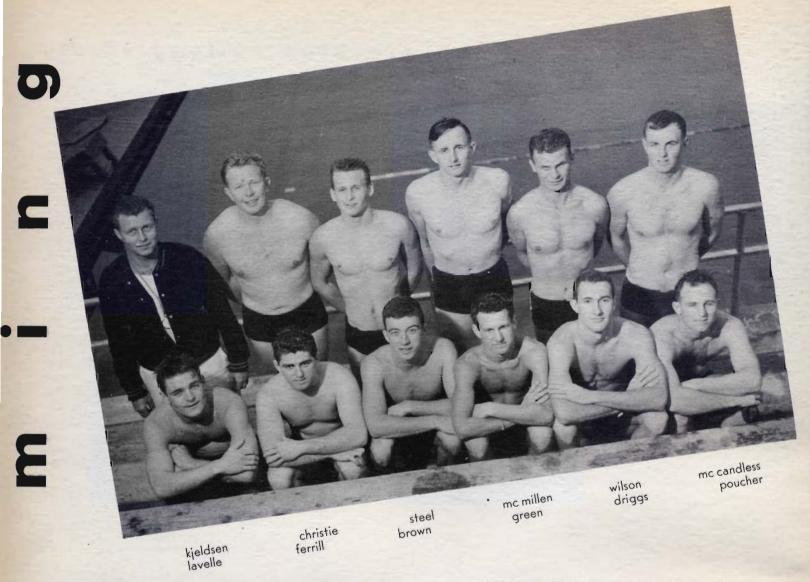
don jacobus and a cannon ball serve



rich haley, leading club netman



about to make a backhand return is lee tucker



chris kjeldsen's hard luck swimming team of 1948, with a few additions and replacements, seems to be going places this year...

coach chris, who made the little all-american team as first string guard when he played football under amos alonzo stagg in 1934, also coaches the bengal basketball team as well as the swimming team... kjeldsen started coaching the pacific swimming team in 1936, and has been at it ever since...

the tiger swimming team is dotted with such dependable stars as sprinter bobby steel and distance man don driggs, two of the ccaa's outstanding swim stars over the past two seasons... an addition from sacramento junior college, wayne lavelle, teams up with steel in the 50-yard free style and the relays, while dick polentz teams up with steel in the 100... in the 220 it is bob brown and ralph johnson...

the 150 backstroke features three possible entrants; frank poucher, joe wilson, and john mc candless... bill mc millen and jack ferrill swim the 200-yard breastroke, while in the 440 free style it is driggs and graham christie...

the 400-yard relay usually consists of brown, driggs, lavelle and steel... this relay combination set a new pool and cop record of 3:40.0 when they swam against cal earlier in the season...

in this same meet poucher chopped two-tenths of a second off the 150-yard backstroke pool record by posting a time of 1:40.1...

some of the early season scores are pacific 45, san francisco olympic club 29; pacific 50, san francisco state 24; and pacific 48, university of california 27...

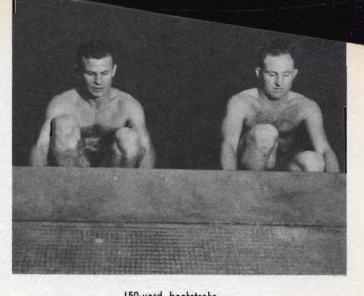




bob brown

220-yard freestyle graham christie

don driggs

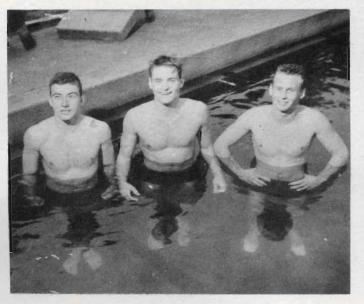


joe wilson

150-yard backstroke frank poucher



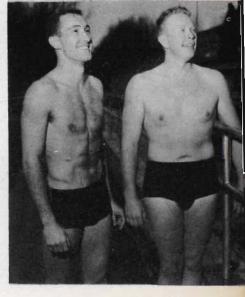
50-yard freestyle mc candless wayne lavelle



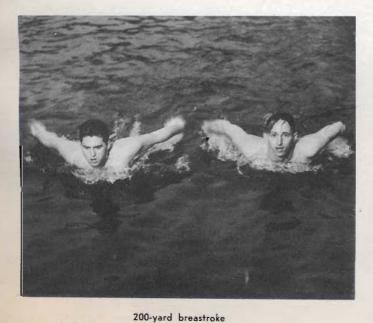
bob brown

100-yard freestyle wayne lavelle

bob steele



don driggs graham christie



jack ferrill

bill mc millen



diving morrie green

stockton college swimming



bill anttila

the record breaking crew of swimmers that cub coach bill anttila has this year is the answer to a coach's dream... so far this year the cub mermen have broken records 31 times, and have broken every conference record and seven national junior college records...

dick cullenward, the 1949 paa 200 free style champ, has set nejec records in the 220 of 2:15.8 for a 20-yard pool, and 2:16.0 for a 25-yard pool... in the 440 cullenward set another nejec record for the 20-yard pool of 4:55.5...

jon stebbins, the powerful breastroker who holds the paa 100 and 200-yard breastroke championships, has set a 20-yard pool ncjcc record of 1:03.2 for the 100-yard breastroke... stebbins has also broken the ncjcc record, the conference record, and the pool record for our 25-yard pool in the 200-yard breastroke with a time of 2:24.5...

backstroker gene nyquist completed the 150-yard backstroke in the time of 1:45.4, breaking another nojcc record...

sprinter bob jiminez tied the conference record of :24.9 for the 50-yard free style...

another outstanding swimmer for the cubs is denny pace, who holds the 1949 paa 100-meter free style championship...

rounding out this aggregation of champions are gordon gillin and rod york, sprinters; chuck moore and harold ball, distance men; breastrokers joe moore and paul rose; and backstrokers bob fairchild and britt smith...

to date this season the cub natators have won seven meets and lost one, and taken second place in the national junior college swimming championships... the cubs lost out to the powerful fullerton junior college defending champions, who racked up 571/2 points to the cubs 421/2... the third place el camino junior college swimmers collected only 17 points...

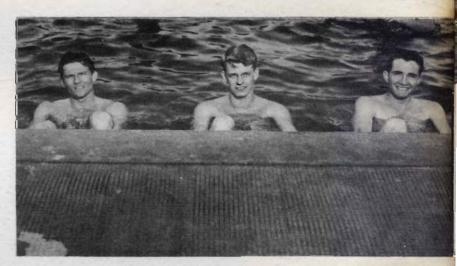
dick cullenward and denny pace took first and second place in the 220 freestyle in this meet, with cullenward repeating with a first in the 440 freestyle... stockton's ace breastroker, jon stebbins, took a second in the 200-yard breastroke, as did backstroker gene nyquist in the 150-yard backstroke event...



breastroke j. stebbins

p. rose

i. moore



b. smith

backstroke g. nyquist

r. fairchild



anttila (coach) moore rose moore ball gillen

s smith cullenward parrott giovannoni nyquist (capt.)

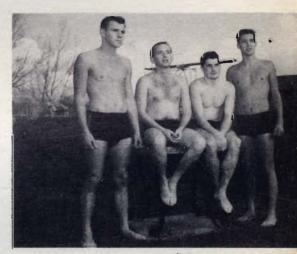
stebbins albert pace

farquhar (mgr.) york jiminez

fairchild



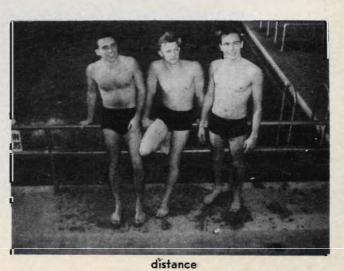
divers g. parrott | l. giovannoni | r. albert



sprinters
d. pace g. gillen r. york r. jiminez



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r.jiminez c.moore d.pace r.cullenward

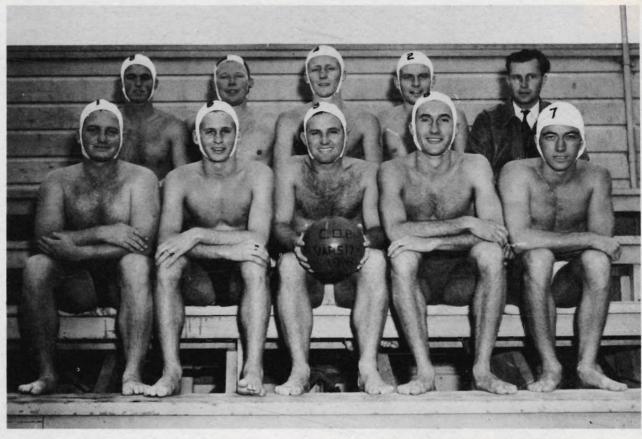


c. moore

r. cullenward

h. ball

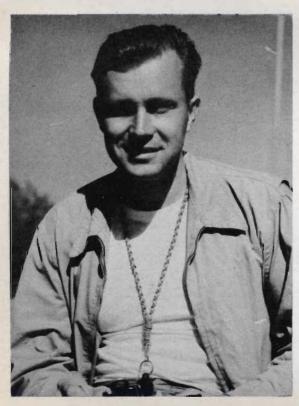
water polo



john mc candless graham ralph johnson bob steel

christie ken mork don kent frank poucher don driggs

bill anttila bob brown



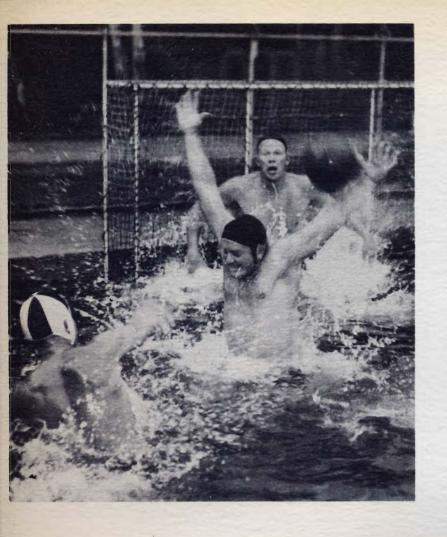
bill anttila

the first water polo team in the annals of pacific athletics shared the fall sport spotlight with football as a second varsity attraction... with coach bill anttila at the helm, the mermen were victorious in seven of eleven contests against the best opposition in northern and central california...

anttila molded his team around the experience of fullerton ic transfers frank poucher, bob brown, ralph johnson, and graham christie... to this nucleus he added don drigs, wayne lavelle, don kent, and john mc candless for a complement of sprint potential... ken mork and bob steel rounded out the ten-man traveling squad...

in informal ccaa competition, the tiger septet won three tilts while losing one... the lone loop loss was suffered at the hands of san jose state, national junior aau titlists, whom the tigers also defeated in a previous meeting... the remaining pair of league wins were notched over cal poly, whom the bengals two-timed 9-0 and 17-5...

frank poucher was a runaway winner of individual scoring honors with 59 points; don driggs with 18 goals was runnerup... art kent was the team's student manager...





season's scoring

c. o. p.		opponents
7	california	5
9	cal poly	0
2	california	4
6	san jose	5
12	cal aggies	9
5	stanford	8
15	cal aggies	1
9	olympic club	11
17	cal poly	5
7	cal faculty	4
6	san jose	9
96		61





gym team



dick limb via the rope



perfect form displayed by millard stroh



bob mc mahon and a front giant on the hi-bar

coach szyper guided the bengal muscle men through a mediocre season this past year... high point of the season was the ccaa championship meet at san diego, in which the tigers' doubles team, composed of stroh and adam, walked off with first place in the double event... the cop team as a whole took third place...

the team will suffer only the loss of dick limb by graduation... with plenty of experience behind his men coach szyper looks brightly to the future season, especially with fast-developing hal kuttner and leading point man bob mc mahon bolstering the team's strength...



coach szyper

hal kuttner

malen stroh

millard stroh

dick limb

don adam

bob mc mahon

golf

boasting a record of four wins and one loss in intercollegiate competition to date, the pacific golf team appears to be well on its way towards the ccaa championship...

under the able tutorage of coach larry siemering, who doubles in brass as head football mentor in the fall, the tiger linksters have a good example to follow... siemering consistently shoots in the low 70's, and has twice in his golfing career made a hole-in-one...

with vernon "bud" troyer and andy blossom holding down the number one and two spots respectively, and bud solomon, russ shepherd, bob beckham, wayne hardin and wayne vanoose rounding out the rest of the team, the tigers have a team that can not be taken lightly by other link rivals...

so far this season the pacific golfers have looked impressive by drubbing san francisco state and modesto ic by identical scores of 251/2 to 11/2, beating the university of california to the tune of 231/2 to 31/2, and defeating st. mary's 161/2 to 101/2...



andy blossom

ross shepherd

fred solomon

bud troyer



displaying correct stance are ross shepherd and fred solomon



following through on his put is andy blossom

ski team



ellton murphy

eddy kauppila

roger wickman

bob wilson

bob mc mahan

the college of the pacific ski team, led by captain bob wilson and coached by ray witcher, a former university of new hampshire ski ace, completed its first season as a recognized varsity sport...

although weak in the slalom and down hill events the bengal men were supported by a strong jumping and cross country team, the latter being one of the strongest on the west coast...

the team this year was composed of bob wilson, ed kauppila, and bob mc mahon, all four event men and members of last year's squad... to round out the quintet were roger wickman, a cross country specialist from worcester, mass., and ellton murphy, a slalom artist from yosemite...

this year's competition was topped by three major meets; the reno winter carnival, the pacific coast inter-collegiate ski union meet at yosemite, and the vanderbilt meet held in the sugar bowl... the high point of the season was the winning of the pacific coast inter-collegiate ski union cross country championship against such competition as the university of nevada, california, stanford, ucla, and usc...



bob wilson shows form in the slalom



w. a. a.



june downer president

harriett sheldon advisor

the women's athletic association completed a very successful season last fall and this spring... led by advisor miss harriett sheldon, and president june downer, the girls ranked on top in hockey, basketball, tennis, swimming, volley-ball, baseball, and other activities...

out-of-town games were played in chico, sacramento, modesto, and brentwood... during the basketball season the girls were hosts to six colleges for a sports day... living groups also participated, with zeta phi taking the tournaments... officers who were outstanding for the season were june downer, president; mae pratt, corresponding secretary; hilda wunderlich, recording secretary; marge arppeispach, treasurer; marge waters, sports manager, and betty o'neill, historian...

