

# Owl Swimmers State Champs



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### Kathleen Loly State Honor Award given Miss Gordon at AGS banquet

Miss Nancy Gordon, Foothill sophomore, has won a \$300 Kathleen Loly state honor award. Announcement was made at the fourth annual Alpha Gamma Sigma Honors Banquet last week.

According to Miss Anne Fish, AGS adviser, the award is one of eight given in the state. It is based on grades, leadership, unselfish service to others and ability to profit from financial

assistance. Miss Gordon's grade point average is 3.94.

The banquet was attended by approximately 96 students, faculty, board members and guests. It was held at L'Omelette French Restaurant in Palo Alto.

**DALE TILLERY**, University of California professor, spoke to the group on the subject, "I Sing to Ears that are Closed."

Tillery's theme was that many teachers today cannot get their message across to students. He said, "Students aren't willing to make real self-investment in their studies. They shop in bazaars for ideas, but take only those bargain at prices."

He added that "Foothill" makes intellectual life easier because of its teachers, library, speakers and concerts."

**PURPOSE OF THE** banquet, according to Miss Fish, is to honor student members of AGS. In order to qualify for membership in the honorary society, students must have a minimum of 42 grade points, with a grade point ratio of 3.0 or more, in at least 12 units, with no grade lower than C.

The Foothill chapter, organized in 1959, has 91 members, 12 of whom have been members for more than one semester.

AGS President Terry Polhill served as master of ceremonies at the banquet. Other officers are Michael Holt, vice president; Richard Hooper, secretary; and Marilyn Crock, treasurer.

**STUDENT CHAIRMAN** for the banquet was Diane Meek. She was assisted by Barbara McCrea, Patty McFarland, Margaret Maninger, Kathleen Arnold and Lynn Stewart.

Mrs. Mary A. Lanathan has been in charge of table decorations for each of the four annual banquets.



Shown making last minute corrections to Foothill's literary magazine, Foreground, which is scheduled for completion early next week, are (from left to right) the magazine's sponsors: Mr. Mel Applebaum, Miss Nayan McNeill and Mrs. Nora Bartine, and student staff members and contributors: Gerald Slick, Patty McFarland and Kathy Holbrook. (Photo by Norm Starratt)

### Literary magazine to appear next week; features student contributed articles

Foreground, the Foothill literary magazine, will make its appearance on campus next week.

The magazine will be sporting a color cover which has a modernistic design prepared especially for Foreground by Karen Coumbe. Previous issues have had white covers.

There will also be some changes in this year's format, according to Mrs. Nora E. Bartine, English instructor and magazine sponsor along with Miss Nayan McNeill and Melvin G. Applebaum.

**THE MAGAZINE** will include fiction, poetry, reviews, explanations and articles contributed by

approximately 35 Foothill students.

Included in the publication will be two long stories by Mary Maugham and Don Wasson and two poems by Douglas Dwyer.

There are three book reviews. They include Camus' "The Adulterous Woman," reviewed by Don Wasson; Bradbury's "Golden Apples in the Sun," reviewed by Norma Lowe; and Price's "A Long and Happy Life," reviewed by Teddy Stephens.

**IN CONTRAST** to the previous year, much of the editing on the magazine was done by the English-40 class in creative writing.

Price of the magazine is 50c. It will be sold in front of the Campus Center, the library and the Language Arts Building.

### Fall ASFC elections slated for May 23

Election day is approaching. May 23 Foothill students will vote for officers to represent them in school business and activities fall semester.

To be elected are six student body officers: ASFC president, vice-president, secretary and commissioners of finance activities and communications.

**SOPHOMORES WILL** elect a class president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer.

May 15 is the deadline for filing petitions for office.

Information sheets for the May 22 Sentinel Election Blue Sheet are available in Room C-31 from Mrs. Jean Thatcher.

Candidates are asked to fill out these sheets and return them to Bill Floyd, Sentinel advertising manager, in Room M-26 no later than 11 a.m. Monday, May 14. Any received after that time cannot be printed in the Blue Sheet.

Candidates wishing to place an advertisement in the Blue Sheet should contact Floyd as soon as possible.

### National, state JC records fall; FC scores 91½ points in El Camino pool

By KEN BISHOP

Freestyle Bob Benson scored the deciding points while setting a national JC record in his 440-yard event but it was a team effort which carried Foothill College's swim squad to a victory in the state JC swimming and diving championships last Saturday evening at El Camino College in Los Angeles.

The great balance of the Foothill squad which saw one or more Owl swimmers score points in 12 of the 16 events, found the Owls locking up the meet with two events remaining.

The Owls dethroned four-consecutive-year champion Long Beach City College, scoring 91½ points to 66½ for the runnerup Vikings. Santa Monica was third with 58 and Los Angeles Valley fourth with 49½.

**STILL IN THE** process of setting traditions and precedents, Foothill's squad added another when it became the first team representative from Northern California to ever take the team crown.

Benson was named high-point man in the three-day affair, scoring 18 and swimming 4:25.0 to better his pending 4:25.2 effort in the 440.

Nine national and 11 state JC marks were broken while another, the 50-yard freestyle in which Owls Lew Jamison and Rich Belding swam, was equalled in both categories by Jim McGrath of LA Valley.

**FOOTHILL NEEDED** only two first places and a tie for another to combine with the depth. A total of 10 swimmers in the 18-man travelling party scored points in the win.

Paul Podoska of Pasadena scored an upset with a faster heat time than Santa Monica's Augie Shima in the 1500-meter free Thursday as Santa Monica took the first-day lead with eight points.

Foothill stood third with six.

Benson hooked an arm over a lane marker in the turbulent pool in the finals of the 200-yard individual medley and lost a possible national and state mark in the event won by Oakland's Gary Baker in 2:04.8. Benson just missed the recognized mark of 2:05.1.

**POOL CONDITIONS** afforded those swimmers in the lead the rare opportunity to literally crave their way to victory. The lane markers weren't tightly secured and the roughness of water gave the leaders a wide lane and those trailing a close fit.

Owl Steve Barnett qualified in a lifetime best at 2:12.1 in the event and finished sixth in the finals at 2:13.5.

George Spear of Bakerfield cracked the national 200 butterfly mark with a 2:09.1 time while Barnett and Bob Wilhelm failed to make the finals of the event which opened the Friday action.

**JAMISON AND BELDING** qualified for the 50 free finals with 22.7 and 23.4 times and finished second and in a third-place tie respectively. McGrath won the event, squalling the national and state marks of 22.5 while Jamison finished second at 23.0.

Belding, one of two sophs on the Owl squad, won the flip of a coin for third place medal, swimming 23.4 in the finals.

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### Carnival set June 1

Booths—ranging from a dunking machine to a cotton candy concession—will be stationed throughout the Campus Center for the Carnival set for June 1.

Concession bids for the carnival are still open, according to ASFC Vice President Bob Katheiser. "We have extended the deadline date for petitions to May 18," Katheiser explained.

No admission fee will be charged for the carnival.



Nancy Gordon

### Red Cross Drive on campus; 100 pints established as goal

Members of the Palo Alto chapter of the American Red Cross will be on campus next Wednesday for the purpose of collecting at least 100 pints of blood, according to Bob Katheiser, ASFC vice president.

AOC representatives have been taking volunteer singups this week, and at press time had signed up about half the desired quota.

Some questions may arise as to the purpose of this blood drive, so the Sentinel will attempt to give some answers.

**THE CREDIT CLUB** entitles any student or faculty member who gives blood, to receive blood at any time without obligation of having to pay it back. The only cost would be the administration fee.

Since blood must be used within 21 days from the time it is drawn, it is available through any of the Red Cross contracted hospitals to the community. However, blood is also available to the donors.

The requirements for giving blood include being between the ages of 18 and 59. (Parental permission is necessary for people between 18 and 21.) The minimum weight is 110 pounds. Any recent illness or medication may disqualify the donor, but a qualified physician will be on hand in the "drawing room," which will be set up in the student activities office, to determine if a person qualifies.

**THERE ARE A** few items a donor should and should not eat prior to donating. Four hours prior to giving blood, one should not eat any food of a "fatty" nature. All fruits with the exception of bananas are okay. Toast (without butter) and jelly and black coffee are also acceptable.



**MORE WILL BE SEEN**—Students who partake in the Choral Capers will have a blast as hinted here by John Baker, Annette Schenck, John Allen, Jody Schenck and Barry Hunt. The event which is sponsored by Foothill's Skyline Chorale will rage for two evenings, tonight and tomorrow. Money from the tickets will send the chorale to a competition in Los Angeles May 19 (Photo by Norm Starratt)





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## Editorial . . .

### Foothill unmentioned

Newspapers carried articles recently announcing the National Merit Scholarship winners from high schools and colleges in this area.

The question that came to mind was, why wasn't Foothill College mentioned?

The main reason, according to Miss Dorothy Anderson, counselor, is that Foothill is not a member of the National Merit Program.

The National Merit tests are usually given to high school students. The student who scores the highest on the test chooses the college he wants to attend.

Miss Anderson said, "Scholarship winners select Eastern colleges. She added that these students usually choose a four-year college, and go on to graduate work.

The National Merit Scholarship Program has three operational objectives:

(1) To discover exceptionally talented young people, and to encourage them to obtain a college education.

(2) To work with individuals in establishing scholarship programs that utilize the services available through the Merit Program.

(3) To conduct research related to the foregoing and publish the results for the information of educators and the public.

"Students who apply for the National Merit Scholarships are very gifted," Miss Anderson said. She added that if a student starts at a four-year college or university he avoids the need for transferring.

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## Foothill a two-year college

# Transfers number 50 per cent

By JESS WILSON

Foothill College is destined to remain a two-year institution, according to Dr. Hubert H. Semans, Foothill's dean of instruction.

Dr. Semans, author of three studies on the junior college role in higher education, qualified his statement by calling attention to the trend toward more transfer students in the four-year institutions. "Approximately 50 per cent of University of California juniors are junior college transfers," he said.

IN LIGHT of this trend he is pleased with Foothill's performance. "The Los Altos campus has opened new vistas in the academic and extracurricular areas," Dr. Semans said.

He enthusiastically cited the following educational advan-

tages of the new campus: large library, increased counseling area, new listening library and an auditorium.

According to Dr. Semans, "As a result of specialized facilities, courses in nursing and x-raying have been added. Closer counseling contact and added study facilities have greatly enhanced Foothill's potential."

HOWEVER, HE emphasized the need for a progressive curricular program, saying "Foothill must remain fluid with the times without becoming unstable in its curricular opportunities." He is convinced Foothill will follow such a plan.

Though optimistic about Foothill's future, Dr. Semans expressed concern over a few of the problems which are confronting the college.

In particular he cited the book thefts in the Campus Center and library, and the possibility of unsightly paths being worn in the lawns. He feels these are student problems which should and will be solved by the student body.

ACCORDING TO Dr. Semans, "Despite the increased area at the present campus, evening courses in engineering and drawing are at the capacity of their facilities." He referred to this dilemma as an omen of what will eventually confront day students.

Semans added that plans are being laid for more 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. classes but said these measures would provide only limited aid.

Dr. Semans, who received his M.A. and Ph.D. at the University of Southern California, has served on the California and the State Board of Education.

IN HIS writing Dr. Semans has referred to the junior college role in higher education as unique because it is "geared to production and community service as well as to liberal education." He said he feels Foothill is an excellent example of a junior college maintaining programs of excellence.

## Organized crime increasing in Calif. charged attorney general candidate

"Organized crime in California today is on the increase" charged Bruce Allen, R-Los Gatos in an address last week to Foothill students on behalf of his candidacy for state attorney general.

Allen said, "publications from (Attorney General Stanley) Mosk's own office show the rate of crime increase in California during his term." He added, "and Mosk labels the organized crime charge as 'extraordinarily irresponsible.'"

"IN 1959, proposed legislation to untie police hands dealing with narcotics was blocked by (Governor 'Pat') Brown and Mosk." Allen explained, "the only way the police can make a narcotics case is by buying it. If the dope peddlers say 'no Since peddlers primarily trade with minors, any undercover man is immediately suspect.'"

Allen cited another example

of legislation-blocking in 1960 when Governor Brown's commission on narcotics recommended legislation.

ALLEN CHARGED, "Brown and Mosk didn't allow the subject to be presented because the legislature was in session over more important things—things like the size of grapefruit containers."

Allen said he was running for the office because the legislature can't "correct the situation when it is actively opposed by someone in a position like Mosk."

Allen's talk was sponsored by the Young Republicans.

## Paintings at Festival

Leon Applebaum an artist who has exhibited nationally, locally and internationally since 1946, will exhibit his paintings during the Independent Film Makers Festival May 17, 18 and 19 in the tppreciation hall.



CONSOLE CUTIES—Foothill coeds Nancy Wassner (seated) and Carole Meddal are shown using the business department's new console which aids in practicing various speeds of dictation. (Photo by Norman Starratt)

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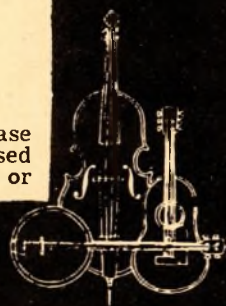
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# Political parties recognized

Ed. Note: The Sentinel is presenting this feature in view of the fact that the political clubs on campus have been very active.

This being an election year, the political clubs have been able to call upon speakers to present their views to the respective political groups; Young Democrats, Young Republicans and Conservatives.

A new political club, Foothill Associated Student Party (FASP) has been organized too recently to be included in this story.

## Young Republicans

With a membership of 65, Foothill Young Republicans claim not only the largest club on campus, but the largest YR college group in Santa Clara County.

Members are active not only on campus, but at county and state levels. Besides attending weekly meetings here, groups of five or ten attend monthly YR meetings in San Jose, according to Jim D'Amico, president.



Seven delegates attended the state convention in Los Angeles last month, and two more attended another state meeting in Sacramento two weeks ago.

Major purpose of the club, D'Amico said, is to work for the election of Republican candidates. Another goal is to present the ideals of the Republican Party to "non-committed" Foothill students.

The YR's recently acquainted themselves with the working of the state legislature by spending a day in Sacramento, watching government in action.

The club sponsored the appearance here last week of Bruce Allen, candidate for state attorney general.

Ronald Reagan, movie-T.V. personality, will appear here under club auspices May 20. On the same program Lloyd Wright opposing Sen. Kuchel in the June primary, will speak.

George Christopher, mayor of San Francisco, is scheduled for May 22. He is running for lieutenant governor.

D'Amico said there is a possibility that Joseph Shell, gubernatorial candidate, may appear here at a later date.

According to D'Amico the schism between liberals and conservatives in the Republican Party also exists in the local group. However, differences are "friendly," and he expects the "pre-primary split to be reconciled after June 5."

D'Amico describes himself as "to the right of Nixon and left of Shell and Goldwater." He says emphatically he is not a Bircher. He declares himself strongly anti-Communist, but doesn't approve of Welch's tactics.

Interestingly, Jack Cox, president of the Foothill Conservatives and ardent Welch supporter, is an active member of the YR's.

Other YR officers are Ed Wright, vice president; Cindy Hall, secretary; Earl Rother, treasurer; and Dana Reed, sergeant-at-arms.

Faculty adviser is William Wagner, social science instructor.

## FC Conservatives

The Foothill Conservatives is one of the smallest, perhaps the busiest and certainly the most controversial club on campus. Formed last November, the

club started with five members, now has 15.

The club has sponsored three speakers on campus: General Dean, Karl Prussion (who suggested Cox ask Robert Welch to come to Foothill) and Welch.

Cox stated the club's objectives recently in an article in the "Student Statesman," a national conservative newspaper for high school and college students:

"The Foothill Conservatives are dedicated to promoting an understanding of Communism internally as well as externally. We propose that the American people protect the freedom and privacy of the individual by opposing further centralization of government."

The club has two advisors, William Long and Paul Evans, both instructors in the electronics department.

In regard to the question of whether or not Chief Justice Earl Warren should be impeached as advocated by Welch, Cox said, "The club feels the supreme court has made some mistakes."

Asked if the club felt Welch was correct in calling former President Eisenhower "a dedicated Communist sympathizer," Cox replied, "We do feel there could be Communists in our government."

The club receives advice and financial aid from the Palo Alto Elks Club "Americanism Committee."

Cox said the club is looking for members who are "interested in and dedicated to furthering conservatism and strengthening the ideals that have made our country great."

## Young Democrats

The Young Democrats Club is a small organization with a membership of 14 students.

The club has sponsored such speakers as Burton Wolfe, editor of the "California n," a liberal magazine; Professor Bunzel from Stanford University; and Ernest Bessig, executive director of the Northern California America Civil Liberties Union.

Wolfe spoke on the dangers of the "radical right." Bunzel spoke on the similarities of the "radical left" and "right" wings and what they represented to democracy. Bessig discussed the American Civil Liberties Union and why it wants to abolish the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

"We don't just want to attack the radical right," says Duncan Lloyd, president of the group, in giving the aims of the club, "we want to consider ourselves liberal Young Democrats and to identify ourselves with the C.D.C. (California Democratic Council)."

He added, "We want to get across to Foothill students what liberals really do believe and a more broad-minded view of world problems."

The main goal of the group right now, however, is to increase membership, according to Lloyd. It is necessary to have at least 20 members in order to affiliate with county, state and national Young Democrats.

"We also want to form study groups in seminar form to examine all problems of the world, not only from a liberal point of view, but on an over-all view from different resources, and then tie them together," says Lloyd.

Other club officers are Larry Fogal, vice president; Nelson Mosher, acting secretary; and Doug Olmstead, acting treasurer. Advisor to the club is Mrs. Jacqueline P. Wiseman, social science instructor.

The club has two speakers

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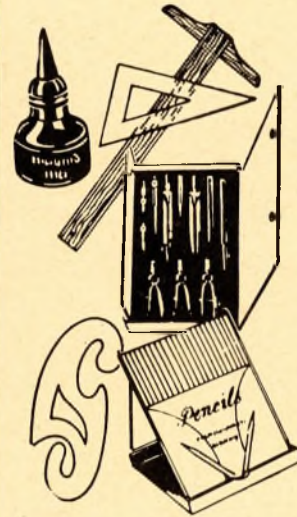
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**PHOTO FINISH**—Russ Pierce (second from left) of Foothill College edges out Vallejo's Morris Bryant (far right) to win 220 yard dash in 21.5 seconds during Coast Conference track and field championships here Saturday night. Pierce also won the 100 in 9.9 as Foothill copped the league title with 161 points.

(Photo by Norm Starratt)

## Foothill baseballers near second league crown; play Cabrillo Saturday

Fourth place Cabrillo College remains the only obstacle in the way of Foothill College gaining

(Cont'd from Page 1)

Bert Desmond (2:07.7) and Mike Hewitt (2:08.4) swam second and third in the 200 backstroke finals behind state record-setter Tom Phillips of Santa Monica.

Benson earned a standoff with Valley's Jim Bain in the 220 free finals after the latter rallied to deadheat the race. Benson was clocked a tenth of a second faster in 2:04.4.

Long Beach's flashy Donn King set state and national records in the 200 (2:20.3) and 100 (1:03.1) breaststrokes. Owl Benny Bendel missed the finals in both races with 2:31.1 and 1:08.0 clockings.

Divers Bill Robison, Dave Snyder and Bill Parker gave the Owls a big lift in both the one and three-meter events.

Robison finished third and fourth in order; Snyder took fourth and third and Parker sixth and fifth respectively.

The 440 freestyle relay squad of Hewitt, Art Snyder, Jamison and Birch set a state mark of 3:26.2 in the trials and won the finals in 3:24.9 after Valley had been disqualified in 3:24.5. The latter Owl effort bettered the national mark but was under a pending 3:24.3.

Foothill held a 51/1-2, 34/1-2 lead over Long Beach after Friday.

Art Snyder began Saturday evening's action, tying for fourth with Baker in the 100 butterfly in 55.8.

Birch swam 50.2 and Jamison 51.0 for second and fourth to McGrath (49.8) in the 100 free while Desmond (58.2), Hewitt (59.1 tie) and Bruce Baum (1:00.2) finished 3-4-6 in the 100 back.

With the meet cinched, Des-Birch turned 3:51.6 in the 400 medley-relay for fourth spot. Santa Monica established a national mark of 3:46.8 in the race.

## Owl trackmen nab conference crown; Fresno Relay Saturday

Foothill College's track team advanced into tomorrow's Fresno Relays with their biggest win of the season now behind them. The Owls wrapped up the Coast Conference finals in sterling fashion, totaling 131 points last Saturday in Foothill Stadium.

Six new conference records were established and another tied at Foothill literally walked away from the six other scoring entries. The Owls set two of these new marks and figured in the tie.

**DIABLO VALLEY COLLEGE** amassed 64 points to take second followed by Vallejo with 57. Other finishers were Hartnell 50, Monterey 48, San Jose 44 and Menlo 10.

Charles Oakley gave Verne Wolfe's cindermen their first record with a 1:55.5 victory in the 880 yard run. This lowered by one-tenth second, the mark set last year by San Jose's Neal Chappell.

Bert Stringer topped by 15 seconds the old record in the two mile. Stringer's winning time was 9:38.7. Stringer and Oakley—in that order—followed Allan Chapman to the tape in the mile run as the later won by 25 yards in 4:21.4.

**OWL DICK CLAY** partially made up for the fractured foot injury incurred by 14 foot vaulter Dan Washer last week in practice, by tying Bill Huston of Hartnell in the pole vault at 13-6. This equaled the previous standard held jointly by two men.

Russ Pierce blazed to a double victory in the 100 and 220

in winning times of 9.9 and 21.5 and Clayton Aderson tied Diablo's Mickey Toner and Hartnell's Steve Burns for honors in the high jump at 6-2.

Sid Nickolas of Vallejo was the meet's high point man with 26½ points. He took first place in the 120 high and 220 low hurdles in new conference record clockings of 14.8 and 23.7 and annexed third place in the broad jump.

**THE BROAD** jump winner was Willie Anderson of Vallejo with a leap of 23-1/2. Menlo's only points came through a record 52-7¼ toss by lefty Mike Gridley to win the shot put and George Koolery of Diablo Valley won the discus at 145-2½.

Another peak performance came in the 440 where Hartnell's Al Smith breasted the tape in 48.4 for a new record.



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**FOOTHILL ROARED** into first place Saturday following a 6-4 and 5-3 doubleheader victory over co-leader Vallejo JC on the winner's diamond.

Wayman Crowder relieved starter Rich Taylor with one out in the fourth inning and clamly struckout 10 batters and allowed only one hit in the remaining 4½ innings of play.

Veteran centerfielder Argust Smith led off the bottom of the second inning with a booming homerun to left field to pace the Owls in a 5-3 seven inning nightcap triumph.

**TOM HEWTON** went all the way to pocket the win.

Lefthander Eddie Hoffacker, possibly feeling the sophomore jinx, failed to make his appearance in either games. However, the free wheeling southpaw may be called upon for front-line duty in Saturday's Cabrillo twinbill.

Hewton and Crowder are also expected to again see plenty of mound action.

S J City College jumped into second place in the standings earlier this week with a 15-4 win over Diablo Valley Monday and a 4-2 win over Menlo, Tuesday.

## Intramural open house Sunday; FC

Foothill College will play host Sunday to area two and four year colleges in an open house beginning at 2 p.m.

All facilities, according to intramural council advisor Miss Helen Windham, will be available. A dinner and dance with entertainmet is planned in the evening at the Campus Center.

Foothill copped top honors Saturday in the Monterey Peninsula College sports day.

Eight first places were garnered by Foothill. Included were first by Althie Hamm in the women's badminton singles, volleyball, bowling and men's and women's golf teams.

A track and field meet is slated from 7-9:30 p.m. Wednesday on the Foothill stadium track for both men and women.

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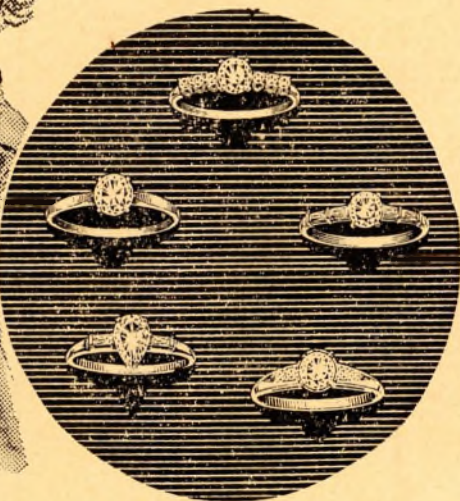
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