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O'Boyle Elected Vice President

At a special meeting of the Student Council, Thursday, September 23, Eleanor O'Boyle was selected to serve as vice-president of the student body. Miss O'Boyle will hold the office for a term of one month, after which time a general student body election will be held. Extremely active in high school Miss O'Boyle held the offices of student body president, Girl's League president, Editor of school paper, and president of the California Scholastic Federation.

A junior in class standing, Eleanor O'Boyle is a member of Phateres, Nani Leilani and vice-president of Delta Phi Delta, E.C.E. fraternity.

Elected as finance chairman for the ensuing year is Orla Myers, senior home economics major. Miss Myers, a member of Delta Zeta Delta social sorority, has had much experience in auditing and financial matters and has held the position of treasurer in several organizations.

Mildred Camp, first-semester freshman, was chosen by the council to edit the student handbook. Ticket salesman for the coming year will be Mary Ann Zajec.

Dr. Noble New Jr. Class Advisor

Friday, September 24, the junior class lost its sponsor, Mrs. Arthur Wentz, the former Miss Jane Christopher and Assistant Dean of Women.

Since entering as freshmen, Mrs. Wentz has guided and sponsored the activities of the class of '45 and her loss will be deeply felt.

In appreciation of her capable guidance, the juniors presented Mrs. Wentz with a compact as a farewell gift.

Acting as the new sponsor for the class will be Dr. E. Noble, science instructor.

"It is hoped," said Bobbie Berry, social chairman, "even with the lack of men, that we will have as many and as gay parties as we have had in the past."

CLASS MEETINGS

Class meetings will be held October 5 in the following rooms:

Freshmen ... Auditorium
Sophomores ... Room 80
Juniors ... Room 90
Seniors ... Room 10

Faculty Fetes State Students Today At Oak Park Picnic

Phelps Reports Regent's Meet

Dr. Ellison and I attended the forenoon session of the Regents' meeting made up largely by local representatives of various organizations.

Chairman Rowell asked what was wanted in the way of educational change. There was no answer. We were then left to state what we wanted in case the college is taken over. We indicated that we had done a good job in developing something here which apparently the locality does not want. Dr. Ellison made a point of Assemblymen Robertson's wanting national rating in football. Then when it was pointed out that the college wanted two things settled—the program to be followed and the standards on which it would be operated. Dr. Ellison again pointed out a difference in standards but insisted that ours produced as good results as those of the university.

Our lead along those lines tended to set the discussion all day. No program other than ours came out at anytime. The report finally settled down to the understanding that if taken over the college would continue to operate on its own program as developed and justified through the years and with its own appropriate standards.

It was indicated that a final vote on the question of taking over may be expected at the October 22 meeting.

You may have noticed headlines in Sunday's paper indicating that we and San Jose were left out in the allocation of funds for post-war development. That is the case here because we can not furnish satisfactory area for planning until we get additional land we have wanted, and San Jose is not ready probably to make comprehensive plans on the addition of two blocks of land when six are needed. It should be said in our case, too, that the State would not make an allocation which might go over to the university. That will be withheld until action is taken on the option. If the university takes over it will be its responsibility to develop a new procedure for financing.

Replacing the annual Faculty reception, the faculty committee is sponsoring a student body picnic for all members and their guests, Friday, October 1, at Oak Park.

Each student must bring his main course, and eating utensils. The faculty will furnish coffee, various desserts and paper cups and plates for coffee and dessert.

Volleyball, baseball, dancing and other games will be the entertainment for the evening. Equipment for the games will be set up about 4 p.m. with dinner starting at 5:30 p.m. After the dessert has been served, square dancing and games will be featured.

Many affairs of this sort were held during the summer session, and it is hoped that the fall picnics will prove as successful, reported Dean Lois Bennink.

Committees for the picnic are desserts, Miss Spike; coffee and utensils, Dean Bennink; publicity, Mrs. Ruth Doolittle and Dean Bennink; tables, Harrington "Pop" Wells; serving, Miss Florence Clark; games, Miss Gladys Van Fossen and Dr. Erick Noble; square dancing, Miss Elizabeth Sehon and Mrs. Marion Anderson.



DEAN LOIS BENNINK

Yacht Club Enrolls 100 New Members

The Yacht Club held their meeting on East Beach, Sunday, September 26, at the life guard station. Swimming tests were given to the members before they could qualify for full membership. About 100 members were present.

Coach Terry Dearborn demonstrated his lecture with a yacht and a rowboat which had been obtained for the occasion. Members of the Club were given actual experience in operating the two boats.

Membership in the club is open to anyone who can pass the swimming test. Further tests will be given next Sunday at the East Beach from 11 to 1:30 to those wishing to qualify. A meeting will be held following the swimming tests. President Bob Stansbury will be glad to give further information to anyone desiring to join the club.

Nurses Aid Course Offered State Women

Commencing October 18, a nurses aid course will be offered to interested State College women. The course will continue for nine weeks until the semester's end in February and is a credited class of one unit, meeting twice a week.

Dr. Helen Sweet, assistant Dean of Women, asks that all women interested in taking such a course, contact her in the Dean of Women's office at the earliest convenient time.

Women will receive their nurses aid certificate after completing 45 hours of training at a hospital; also, persons who take the course are expected to volunteer for a minimum of 150 hours per year at some medical institution.

A regular Red Cross course, it is being offered early in the year so that the community as well as the individual will profit. Instructor for the class is not as yet chosen, but she will be a qualified Red Cross nurse.

Women who have the time and would like to help are urged to participate as the community is in desperate need of more help in its hospitals.

AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



It was in Tunisia. The enemy's artillery was pounding our forces. Corporal John W. Percer of our Field Artillery saw his section chief fall, ran to the officer and staunching his wounds with a tourniquet. The shelling was intense, but the Corporal threw himself between the wounded man and the exploding shells to shield him until it ended. For that he won the Silver Star.

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Back Your Leaders; Attend Activities

Tradition is a heritage. And so, when we are forced to break away from tradition, we must find an adequate substitute for it until we can once again return to our former ways and measures.

To those of you who are entering college for the first time, it may seem lifeless and colorless; and those of you who are returning, compare it with the past. Since both our enrollment and activities are to be curtailed, it is up to us, both new and old students to take an active and interested part in all the dances, parties and programs that have been planned. This coming semester can be packed with activity or not, as you, the student body, choose.

It is up to you to show your campus leaders that you are behind them in whatever they plan and that you're ready, willing and able to back them in any kind of activity that they outline.

—E.V.M.

Buy More War Bonds!

Nani Leiland Holds Meeting

Holding their first meeting, members of the Nani Leilani chapter of Phrateres, met at the home of Barbara Senseny on Monday, September 20.

Among the forthcoming activities planned was the "Get Acquainted Party" for new members. A discussion was held as to the financing of future activities and despite limitations placed upon organizations by the war situation an eventful future is looked forward to.

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EDITORIAL

Settle back comfortably into that easy chair. No need to worry about post-war prospects. No more anxiety about international markets and finance, about production and economic security. For our own Eric Johnston, president of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, has just assured the gallant British allies that they need have no fears; American capital will assist their less profitable investments after the war, but British interest in international cartels just will not do, nor will that globaloney about co-operation as to air transportation. In any event, "the initiative of millions which a free enterprise generates" will triumph after the war, for Mr. Johnston has said it will.

To be sure, Mr. Harold Laski, the English economist and political scientist has had the effrontery to challenge Johnston's idealistic views about freedom of competition and his glib talk of "artificial" and "natural" monopolies, declaring that such naivete after the last war ushered in the great depression of 1929, that such a philosophy harked back to the "new Freedom" of W. Wilson, and that it cannot be maintained without some measure of the governmental supervision which Johnston so energetically spurns. (You can find a diluted version of one of Johnston's speeches in the latest issue of the conservative catch-all, *The Reader's Digest*) Then too, the *London Mirror* and the *London Times* have expressed an outrageous belief that perhaps the British do not care to have American business interests encroach upon their spheres of influence.

From the ramifications of the three weeks excursion of this resurrected Babbitt, we may derive a two-fold lesson. First, when we are denying American labor leaders the right to visit England and Russia because of the qualms of the State Department that they might stimulate a little mutual understanding, should we allow this doubtful messenger of good will assert, to the discomfiture of his hosts, the unofficial views of a small segment of American society? American observers in London have reported that this visit has certainly not dispelled any of the suspicions and doubts concerning future British-American relations.

And then, we are forced to witness additional evidence of the anachronistic views of American business, as exemplified by the constant reiterations of the Republican party, in demanding a return to Utopian freedom of enterprise. "We are finding out in the United States today that there is no such thing as over-production," was Mr. Johnston's scornful reply during a debate with Laski, after Laski had pointed out the chaos resulting from the last war. That's funny, Mr. Johnston, but we'd always thought that the problem of over-production never exists during a war. That's why Hitler's economy has never collapsed—because it has operated on a war-time footing for the last ten years. No doubt, reconstruction for peace will probably engage our fullest industrial capacities for a time, but we can scarcely hope to operate on a war-time basis forever. The day for gearing our economy for peace will come eventually and when it does, the providential state is the only hope for a secure America. —E.C.



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I'll be waiting at the Campus Corner tomorrow with lots to show you ... see you then ...

Odie

JACK ROSE

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Greek Women Plan Open Houses

Sororities were busy this week planning for the annual faculty teas and setting dates for the Open Houses which are to be held soon.

CHI DELTA CHI

Members of Chi Delta Chi set the date for their Faculty Tea for October 17. Music for the affair will be supplied by Dorothy Keniston and Lorraine File.

Chi Deltas announced the completion of the service flag honoring former members Polly Walker, Laurette Lovell, and Peggy Shedd.

Those Chi Deltas who graduated last semester were gifted with leather key cases by the sorority.

Evelyn Johnston announced her forthcoming marriage to Bob Shelley, U.S.N.R., on October 28.

TAU GAMMA SIGMA

Elinor Huddleston revealed her engagement to Ed Rice, U.S.M.C., at last week's meeting.

October 21 was decided upon as the date for the first Open House while the Faculty Tea is to be held October 17 at the home of Mrs. Helen Barnett. Alumnus Pat Moore was present at this meeting.



MARY ELLEN FINDLEY
Announces Engagement

DELTA ZETA DELTA

Meeting at the Delta Zeta Delta house on Alameda Padre Serra, members discussed plans for the annual Faculty Breakfast to be held at the home of Mrs. Jane Abraham. Dates for the Open Houses were set at October 18, November 16, and January 10.

Plans were made to complete, up to date, the service flag presented to the school last year.

ALPHA THETA CHI

Alpha Thetas named October 31 as the date for their Faculty Tea to be held at the home of Lloyd Hitchcock. The first Open House is to be held on October 12.

Jean Ausman passed chocolates announcing her engagement to Jimmy Bates of the U. S. Army, stationed in Texas.

DISCRETION ... OR VALOR?

"What was you running up the street for this morning?"
"I was running to stop a fight."
"What was fighting?"
"Me and another fellow."

Dimes y Diretes

by EDIE VAN METER

Congratulations to ELEANOR O'BOYLE, newly appointed vice-president of the student body ... a good woman for a good job.

Funniest thing I've heard for a long time: ODIE MYERS was wearing a white tennis sweater to council meeting last week, and GLORIA GHERINI and MABLE BARKER admired it. "It's Barbara's," Odie admitted modestly. BARBARA BURTIS then admitted that it had been given to her by her fiance LORENZO DAL'ARMI. "Yes, I know," Gloria told them. "I gave it to him for Christmas." Four pretty girls with four pretty red faces.

Entertaining the Marines at their sorority house, members of Alpha Theta Chi last week had an informal waffle party. Among those present were ex-Gauchos BILL STARR, WALLY COLE, DON NAGLE, and CHUCK MANUEL, now serving in the Marine Corps at Redlands.

Two more chocolate-passing events recently revealed were those of MARY ELLEN FINDLEY, Gamma Delta Chi, to LT. JEROME L. MILLER of the Army Air Corps, and ELINOR HUDDLESTON, Tau Gamma Sigma, to ED RICE, U.S.M.C.

DON TAPIE, ex-Sigma Alpha Kappa, has reported for duty at the Army Air Corps Bombardier School at Carlsbad, New Mexico ... Tapie started his training at Santa Ana Air Base.

JEAN AUSMAN, Alpha Theta Chi, surprised her gal friends and the neighbor Delta Zetes with her announcement of her engagement. Seems as if Jean will be married about the last of October or the first of November.

She: "The man I marry must be a hero!"
He: "Oh, you're not so bad as all that!"



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Sport Dance To Be Held October 15 At Marine Base

Working industriously to bring social activities once again to this campus, the student body has scheduled a joint dance for the women at school and the Marine Corps at Goleta. It is to be held October 15, at the Marine auditorium, and transportation will be supplied.

The number of girls who can attend will be limited to 150, and they must sign up in Dean Bennink's office.

This is the first of such dances and the Marine Recreation department, and the Associated Student Body of Santa Barbara hope not the last. Plans are being formulated which will enable us to entertain our hosts of October 15 at Rockwood in the near future.

Music is being supplied by the Port Hueneme band, and intermission entertainment will be presented by a unit of State College girls. Informal street dress will be appropriate.

Good attendance is hoped for, because the success of this dance will be an adequate measure of future social activities.

Phrateres Opens Year With Open House Tea

The Phrateres Open House Tea for the Fall Semester was held in the A.W.S. room Sunday, September 19, from 4:00 to 6:00. Dean Bennink, Mrs. Wentz, Dr. Erickson, Miss Phoebe Steer and Miss Firth poured.

The Phrateres president and the presidents of the sub-chapters were in the receiving line to greet the 140 girls that attended the tea. The sub-chapters displayed their books and pins.

Phrateres would like to welcome the new women students and the old members to attend their Whirl-Wind party to be given soon.



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Dates For Annual Faculty Teas Set

September 20 marked the first meeting of the Pan Hellenic council which was held in the A.W.S. club room.

Dates for the faculty Teas were set at October 17, 31, November 14, and December 5. The affairs are to be kept very simple, and each sorority is to choose a convenient time and sign up in Dean Bennink's office.

Helen Webster notified the council that her student teaching would make it impossible for her to continue her presidency duties.

Miss Bennink introduced Dr. Sweet, the new Assistant Dean of Women, replacing Mrs. Arthur Wentz.

October 24 is the date of the Pan Hellenic Tea to which all new women will be invited.

Plans were discussed for Intramural basketball and volley ball. It has been decided that volley ball will be played throughout the first semester, and basketball during the second.

EL GAUCHO

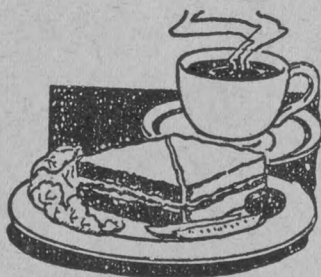
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Las Espuelas Plans Initiation

Discussing and planning the A.W.S. freshmen initiation will constitute the main business of Las Espuelas, honorary sophomore women's organization, when they hold their first meeting, October 8, at a breakfast sponsored by Dean Bennink. Breakfast will be served in the school cafeteria.

Joyce Evans is president of the sophomore women's society; Betty Patterson serves as secretary-treasurer.

Informal Tea Honors New Women

Las Meninas, sub-chapter of Phrateres, held an informal tea from 3:30 to 5:00 on Thursday, September 30, at 1917 Alameda Padre Serra.

Honoring new women, freshmen and transfers, the tea was very successful. Various games were played enabling the girls to become better acquainted.

President of Las Meninas, Grace Walker, was in charge of the affair. Other officers are vice-president, Margaret Walker; secretary, Alma Fisher; treasurer, Betty Jean Horne.

Wentz Resigns Post of Dean

Last week the loss of another important person, Mrs. Arthur Wentz, was felt by students at Santa Barbara College. Mrs. A. Wentz had assumed duties as Assistant Dean of Women in February of 1942.

Mrs. Wentz had attended Wesleyan and Ohio State as a biology major. Her experience which made her an eligible person for the post of Assistant Dean of Women include a year of work in adult education, work with the Tuberculosis Association, and of most importance, complete knowledge of The National Youth Administration and its duties.

As Assistant Dean Mrs. Wentz supervised housing and health programs, supervised the N.Y.A., and was general aid to Dean Lois M. Bennink.

Dr. H. Sweet, teacher of pre-medical physiology and other related subjects, has been selected to fill the place left vacant. Great interest has always been shown by Dr. Sweet in the students and their activities. Her knowledge of health education will serve in good stead, for many are the problems confronted concerning crowded living conditions.

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