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Newman, Richards Vie in Presidential Finals

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Thespians Score in 'Romeo and Juliet' Gaucho Voters Near Thousand Mark During

Nichols, Jorgensen, Hile Two Ratings Gain Artistic Triumphs Put El Gaucho In Shakespeare Tragedy In High Ranks

Play Continues Run Tonight, Tomorrow; Haas, Manspeaker, Magness, Hanley Stand Out; Veterans Make Final Bows

By JIMMEE FULLERTON El Gaucho Special Writer

A verbal symphony with 30 pieces and as few discords as near finesse allows with the discords drowned by the outstanding beauty and flowing loveliness of the whole piece-that was the show "Romeo and Juliet" last night.

In a three-year period of college theater productions, this writer, has never seen a drama so beautifully portrayed, so gorgeously set and deeply enjoyable. "Romeo and Juliet", which opened a three-night run in the College theater last night, maintains the rich lore and thrilling emotional values which have always been associated with The Great Bard's greatest human tragedy.

Painted by an artist with the feeling of a D'Angelo, who through his belief in the greatest poet and playwright, is able to give to a much too unappreciative first-nighter audience somethinp beyond their desserts, Fredric W. Hile as director and actor in the part of Mercutio should be honored.

In applauding Winifred Nichols, portraying the most winning performance in her career of seven roles at this institution, it is not because it is her farewell performance to the S. B. S. C. stage, but because she unfolded new and hidden wells of talent which foreshadow her future gensen, a heartfeeling Romeo, who makes his farewell bow before Gau- DON ESTEY by 123 votes. cho footlights on Saturday night, should be praised for his understanding of and ability to dramatize Shakespearean parts. He has a fine Lie cantor modulated voice to carry his panto-

Meagre space to praise all, with few exceptions, draws to attention Slate Puppy



BERNICE SHEDD, A. S. secre-BERNICE SHEDD, A. S. secre-tary this year was delegated by the alist" award, which is accorded to Poly Caravan Associated Students to fill the posiand continued successes. Carl Jor-tion of vice-president in next year's papers from the first place group cabinet. She was victorious over selected for their outstanding quali-

Perfect Appearance



College Newspaper Receives Medalist, All-American Honor

"All-American Honor Rating" for superior achievement, an award made to outstanding college newspapers annually by the National Scholastic Press Association, was received Monday by El Gaucho. This marks the second successive year this honor

has been awarded to the local campus weekly edited this year by Syd Cohen.

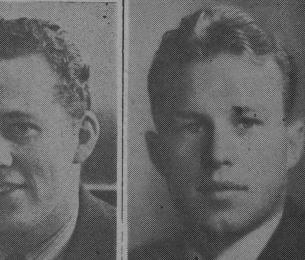
It is the second time this semester that the State College publication has been termed "outstanding", the N. S. P. A. award coming as an addition to the "Medalist" award presented in March by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. Few "All-American"

District of Columbia in the 1000-2499 enrollment division, El Gaucho

American" were presented to 11 other college newspapers. In the Columbia competition, the State College weekly received 975 points of a possible 1000. The "Med-

not more than 10 per cent of the **Visits Campus** ties.

make up and general appearance of the paper. In this division, 234 Wednesday. Forming a caravan from points, the highest number attain-



A.S. Primary Balloting

Bernice Shedd Wins Vice-Presidency; Art Chauvel, Alec MacGillivray Compete For Sophomore Representatives Position

By more than 100 votes, 977 Gauchos Wednesday shattered all former records for Associated Student Body elections. Emerging as finalists in the presidential race were Jack Newman and Jack Richards, juniors.

Cast of 100 **Rehearse For** 'College Life'

Student-Written Songs Top Roadrunner Revue; Benedetta Sebastian Stars

Paced by Director Doug Mattson 100 cast members of "College Life" 1940 edition of Santa Barbara

move with each rehearsal toward production dates May 15, 16, 17. Starring Benedetta Sebastion, deoriginal song numbers, dance rou-

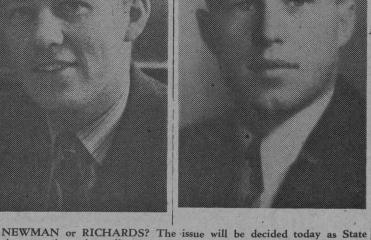
Jack Richards has served as chairines and acts. Songs "Don't Get Too Close to man of the Rally committee for the Heaven" by Warren Dorn, "Still past two years, member of the legi-I'm Wishing" by Jack Richards, slative council, member of Blue Key "Time Out for Santa Barbaca and vice-president of Beta Sigma

State", by Bert Fitzpatrick, "Lovers Chi. Serenade" by Gail Shepard and Jolene Every other office considered in Wednesday's election was filled by a Baddley, and "You're A Bit of Alright" by Miss Baddley and Bill majority being cast for a single can-

Guidinger, are the tunes to be use 1. didate. Miss Shedd Wins Bill Marvel's band will provide the The position of vice-president was musical background using arrangements by Tom Bosley, as well as be-

received by Bernice Shedd, with 533 ing featured in a few novelty spots. votes as compared to 410 tallies for The Dance Director is working Don Estey. Gracie Williams was several beautiful co-eds in routines elected secretary of the Associated Especially commendable, accord- visit "Poly Royal," 180 students But the brother acts couldn't quite that promise to give the show plenty students by a majority of over 200 votes, receiving 590 to 371 garnered "College Life" written by Mac sor. by Barbara Gearhart.

and Marshall Laird, will offer a sa- The position of yell-leader, the tirical outlook on what the name im- most hotly-contested of the entire able, were awarded the local paper. San Luis Obispo, the group stopped The minutes of the Board of Ath-at the campus for a rally and luncontrol's recent mee were laughs and music. hoot, oribinator of the "twin yell Leading the Poly parade was Stu- read, and after considerable discusdent body president John Carri. 1-buru, who in addition to making the sion, passed. The council approved the Board's actions in slashing the the Board's actions in slashing the formance is being planned for high majority over Law Balal invitation, expressed his pleasure and grid budget, and went on record school students of Santa Barbara and 506 to 453. Class Representatives vicinity. Women's senior class representat-I, E.-H. E. Bill ive for next semester will be Virginia Alderson, victorious over Alice The following men received base-ball awards: Bill Adamson, Milton Munneke, 156 to 67. Kelly Hop-**Skating Party** mens senior representative aspirant, was unopposed. Patsy Bass will serve as represent-"Strictly no date", is the label at-Forrest Gardenhire, Walt Lohman, ative of the junior class. Miss Bass tached to the skating party students Ed Markham, Pierino Merlo, Dave polled 126 votes as compared with Morgan, Don Ripsch, Bob Stans- in the home economics and industreign over the celebration scheduled bury, Cliff Wrightson and John rial education departments will at-71 and 42, received by Donna Lambert and Georyia Mae Krebs, res-Moses. Receiving freshman awards tend Thursday night at the skating pectively. Men's representative will were Jack Gordon, John Gordon, rink on lower State street. be Bob Scott, another unopposed Transportation will be furnished Gene Howard, George LeGassic, candidate. Frank Thatcher, Al Zigelman and by men of the I. E. department, with Patsy Eaves, with a 13 vote majoreveryone meeting in the Quad at 7:30 Cal Roynolds. ity over the combined totals of her In addition to regular awards, the p. m. and proceeding to the rink. three opponents, will serve as soph-Students of the college will not varsity men will receive gold base- Price of admission is 15 cents. omore representative. Other candi-The home economics department dates for the office were Marilynn calendar includes the annual bridge Carlock, 49 votes, Helen Marr, 45 and Jean Pharoah, 32. Totals for men's sophomore representative were Alec MacGillivray, 117, Art Chauvel scribed the luscious barbecue to be department with Trenwith's furnish-98 and Stan Bartlett, 49. Short orders will be served during given for 40 cents a person by the ing the apparel and other merchants, Polls will open at 8 this morning and will close at 4 p. m. Ticket sale for the affair will be



collegians march to the polls in an attempt to set a new record for voting. Candidates for the office of Associated Students president in the finals are JACK NEWMAN, left and JACK RICHARDS.

Wharton Receives Competing against more than 500 colleges in 47 states, Hawaii and the Finance Position

compiled 750 points out of a pos-sible 1000. Identical awards of "All-ive council elected Tom Wharton, former editor of El Gaucho, to the newly created position of member-at-large of the finance committee last night. Also in th running were Warren Dorn, Don MacGillivray, Don Wooten, Gilbert McKeon and Kenneth Roberts.

The election for the important post at one time was aptly labled a "Martin vs. Coy" fued, with Alex Mac Gillivray speaking for brother Don, and Dick McKeon, board of athletic control member, plugging a Extending a blanket invitation to junior member of his family, Gilbert.

ing to Columbia judges, was the from California Polytechnic Insti- make the grade, as Wharton had of life. tute visited the State college campus a comfortable lead in the final bal-

San Luis Obispo, the group stopped lot.

voting session today when State College students storm the polls to choose between the two presidential State's famed Roadrunner Revue,

candidates and Art. Chauvel and Alec MacGillivray, competing for sophomore class representative. Service Records Record of Jack Newman includes

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service as sports editor of El Gaucho, athletic publicity director, Roadrunnure sophomore songstress, and ner Revue publicity manager and Mattson, "College Life" will feature conductor of a weekly, original radio program.

Polling 445 ballots, Richards was

within only 66 votes of a majority

which would have swept him into of-

fice in the primary. Newman, the

opposing finalist in today's election,

received 288 votes and Howard Jo-

ham, eliminated candidate, polled

Campus political prognosticators are

predicting another record-smashing

like rays from a flashing diamond, the names of Jean Haas, Ted Hanley, Irving Manspeaker and Thomas Magness. Miss Haas as Juliet's devoted nurse touched the audience as professional and tragically comic, as knees will bloom forth at the "Pupshe meant to be. Hanley has enriched himself with connections in py Love Prom" next Friday night at theatrical work over a period of the Knights of Pythias ballroom loyears that entitle him to be outstand- cated on Carrillo street. Jointly sponing on reputation alone, although sored by the freshmen and sophohis performance last night as Capulet needs no laurels on which to rest.

Manspeaker, big enough in voice der of Leap year with girls making and stature to command any eye or the dates and standing the expenses. ear, commanded all eyes and ears Admission will be by class cards and in his scenes, to outweigh in physique a charge of 25 cents for guests, it and spirit his co-Thespians. Thomas Magness, with handsome jutting jaw, was noted by the two groups of ofappeared more handsome and terri- ficers in charge of the affair. fyingly aggressive as the daring and Dressed in kid clothes, styles for doing Tybalt.

man's deep, reasonant and emoting frocks and rolled pants-with varia-Failure to mention Jack Freevoice would be a mistake, only being tions. in shadows for all his entrances and stage appearances keeps us from py Love Prom's committees include committing ourselves on other qual- Frosh president Alex MacGillivray, ities. Dale Bennet was a good Samson in a small role. Paris, played by pressive. Harry Sloan as the Prince captured the essence of his role and maintained the minimum for impres-

Robert Gwynn, was as imagined by bers; Bob David, sophomore prexy, readers of R & J, but not too im- hall; Jane Hunt, sophomore secresion but was a bit external.

Smith, sophomore, and Ruthe Suggs, freshman, as social chairmen, are in

Cohen Calls For Applications

Editorship

Aspirants to the editorship of El Gaucho for next year must submit applications by Wednesday, according to Syd Cohen, editor. Applications should be addressed to Cohen and should contain the candidate's qualifications, including previous experience, scholastic standing and ideas for improvement.

From the list of applicants, Cohen will submit one name to the State College Press board, who will consider this. If the name is acceptable, the -candidate will be considered by the legislative council for final approval.

Inaugurating a new policy this year, each candidate for the position will be required to act as editor for one edition of El Gaucho.

Love Prom

Gals in all their glory and bare mention in the Columbia contest were advertising, editorial content, sports news, headlines and typography more classes, the dance is in the or-

writing.

was termed "excellent" Six "Pacemakers"

the Prom are in the mode of short

Board members heading the Pupin charge of specialty dance numtary, orchestra; Patsy Eaves, freshman secretary, refreshments; Stan

Bartlett, frosh vice-president, tickets; Doug Winters, decorations; Dick Smith sonhomore, and Ruthe Suggs, Parole, Probation Officers Open

reshman, as social charmen, are in general charge of the dance and its publicity. Meeting on Campus Thursday

AWSTea **Fetes Mothers**

Honoring mothers and house mothers, the Associated Women Students are presenting their annual spring tea Sunday in Ebbet's hall from 4 till 6 p.m.

Thora Lindstrom, A. W. S. president, urges all women in the organization to attend and to bring their mothers if possible to the Association's main event of the year. Committees will include Marga. George, food and serving; Carol Moody, invitations; Faye Thompson and Mildred Meacha, properties; Beth Richardson and Barbara Phillips, decorations; Ethelrose Orloff,

program; Virginia Moss, publicity; charge of the clean up.

cheon in the College cafeteria. El Gaucho received 580 points in the division of technique and content of

Other subjects given outstanding

Judges of the National Scholastic season. Press Association were most complimentary in regard to the elimination of mistakes, both typographical and grammatical, editorial, news and sports content, and the general make-up of the paper. Each of these

From the college newspapers adjudged worthy of "All-American" rating, six were chosen as "Pace makers", signifying exceptionally

outstanding achievement. Chosen for this year were The

Teachers College; The Michigan ger. Daily, University of Michigan and

Minnesota.

that of his school at entering into athletic relations with Santa Barbara The two schools will meet on restrooms and an office at La Playa La Playa field during next football field.

Entertainment was provided by the "Collegians", while local and Berman, Joe Blake, John Ceccarelli, Cal Poly students danced in the Jack Fitzgerald, James Fitzgerald, Quad. Carricaburu introduced Jeanne De Fossett, of San Luis Obispo who

for the northern city starting today.

Cafeteria Closes Thursday, Friday

Cauldron, of Fenn College, Cleve- be served in the cafeteria Thursday balls in recognition of winning the land Ohio; The Daily Cardinal, and Friday of next week because of C.C.A.A. championship.

University of Wisconsin; The Daily the Parole and Probation convention After the politicians had worked tea and fashion show to be held in Texan, University of Texas; The being held on the campus, accord- up a good appetite displaying their the cafeteria on Saturday, May 18. Echo Weekly, Milwaukee State ing to Mrs. Mary Ida Sands, mana- forensic wares, Dr. Helen Sweet de- Models will include women from the

The Minnesota Daily, University of lunch hour from the door inside the rally committee. Full backing to the the prizes. "Gaucho Club" affair was given by the council.

gin Wednesday, with the price set at 35 cents. Refreshments will be

served. **DeWitt Enthralls College** Audience

Keeping the audience spellbound the entire hour, Jack DeWitt, journalist, author and world traveler re-

counted his experiences before the Santa Barbara state college student

De Witt has traveled extensively throughout the world and has had greatest story, was of the experiences that he underwent in aiding a pris oner escape from Devil's Island.

The house and gardens of Dean and Mrs. Paul Avery Jones will ag-

orities.

Calendar

Today-8 a. m.-Associated Students election, polls open, student body office.

3:15 p. m.-Baseball, Gauchos vs. San Francisco State, Laguna field. 8:30 p. m .- "Romeo and Juliet', College auditorium Tomorrow-

2:15 p. m.-Baseball, two games, Gauchos vs. San Francisco State, Laguna field.

8:30 p. m .- "Romeo and Juliet" College auditorium.

9 a. m.-Crown and Sceptre breakfast.

4 p. m .- AWS Spring tea.

7 p m .- Phrateres business meeting, Pine hall.

7:30 p. m.-Fraternity meetings Tuesday-

4th hour-Class meetings

5:30. p. m .- College Y meeting Thursday-

12:20 p. m.-Blue Key luncheon. California Parole and Probation officers convention opens.

sociation will open its annual con- former classmate of President Clar- lief Administration will speak at Tuesday.

section meetings.

Among other outstanding speak- keley. Other outstanding speakers

of the state association and local Director of Institutions of the State eral of California, and John P. Plo-

lic in these matters and thus extend anthropology at the University of day night at the court house with a ain be the scene of the annual Sig-

east for the meeting, and Dr. D. G. the college campus has been obtained show next Saturday. Campus women Wednesday-

ulty with the local probation office. ther to play cards and view the la-

With an expected registration of versity, and at present Associate Ebbet's hall. Robert W. Burns, Cali-300 out of town delegates besides a Justice in the United States Court fornia administrator of the National large local attendance, the California of Appeals in Washington D. C. who Youth Administration, and Edwin body, during the assembly, sponsored will fly to Santa Barbara from the Probation and Parole Officers As- East for the conclave. Miller is a J. Cooley, director of the State Re- by the Associated Men Students on

ference Thursday, on State college ence L. Phelps at Stanford. campus. Nationally renowned pro- Also speaking on Thursday's pro-

the three-day meeting.

officials and interested citizens", said

to everyone who is interested."

prominent speakers such as Honor State Prisons.

Sothern California and Duke Uni- will speak at Friday's luncheon in lowed on the campus.

bation authorities will speak at var- gram will be Francis H. Hiller, field James Johnston, warden of Alcatraz many hair raising adventures. His ious sessions of the conclave during director of the National Probation Island prison; August Voilmer, pro-Association who is responsible for fessor emeritus of police administra-"The purpose of the conference much of the probation work done tion at the University of California is primarily educational, for both throughout the country.

Arthur G. Evans, secretary-treasurer ers are Aaron J. Rosanoff, M. D., will be Earl Warren, attorney gen-

chief probation officer. "We re- of California; Dr. Nathaniel Cantor ver, state supervisor of probation. cognize the will of the foreign pub- of the department of sociology and The conclave will conclude Satur-

invitations to attend the meetings Buffalo, who is coming from the general session and banquet. Use of ma Alpha Kappa bridge-tea fashion

Highlighting the schedule will be Schmidt, psychiatrist for California through the cooperation of the fac- and numerous townspeople will ga

Las Espuelas, dishes, and members able Justin Miller, former dean of Will Rogers Jr., editor and pub-of the A. W. S. board will be in law schools at the University of lisher of the Beverly Hills Citizen there will be no student parking al-by members of the seven college sor-

The general session will hear and former chief of police at Ber-

Sig Alphas Sponsor

Sunday-

Yearly Fashion Show Monday-

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Editorial Comment

Heavy Student Vote One for Democracy

When 977 State College students smashed all voting records in their unprecedented turnout to the Associated Student polls, they not only stamped an "X" for their favorite candidates, but they cast a decisive vote for democracy.

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A lax attitude on election day-disrespect of a citizen's most valuable right-is a dangerous step toward losing that right. But a record vote is a toward losing that right. But a record vote is a stern warning by a free people to any person that challenges their freedom that the electorate is not challenges their freedom that the electorate is not asleep.

While this election taught a lesson in group response, the A. M. S. election two weeks ago taught one in individual response. For in that contest had one more vote been cast for either of two candidates, it probably would have meant a different outcome. This was a dramatic answer to the "what good is my single vote" attitude.

On the lighter side, this election showed that the college student is certainly not falling behind in modern methods of publicity and propaganda. Gaily painted cars, swing bands, public address systems, fancy posters, serial cards, leaflets, boats in the pool, newspaper advertising, and even a tag on the college mut, "Gaucho" (who invaded the sanctity of the polls, incidentally) were vote-getters for various candidates.

One couldn't help feeling that elections at S. B. S. C. run a little too high financially. Perhaps more rigid rules effecting expenditures would aid in ironing out this problem.

All in all we can be proud of the manner in which the election was handled, and congratulate the election committee on its fine work. When the finals are completed, we shall know that the winners were elected in a fair, democratic manner.

GAU-SHOW-CASE

By MARY RONK

this from Webster.

and everyone has a personality, for no two people have had the same experiences, think the same thoughts, or do the same things. However, one can't walk up to a friend and say "You look like you'd make good copy . . . what have you done that's interesting?"

We have to wait . . . and one day, quite unconsciously a person will disclose a fact about himself that might be true about one person in a million.

Mary Kunhardt, for instance. She's an international problem! Four countries claim the right to Mary's citizenship . . . and until a month ago, it was a source of some worry to her. She was born in Urga, Mongolia she isn't- an American citizen, but on her 21st birthday, she will have to pledge her allegiance to one of the four countries.

Also of interest is the fact that she wouldn't have been faced with this decision if a bomb had been five minutes earlier, or her departure had been five minutes later, from the postmaster's home during a Mongolian revolution! She was too young at the time to be greatly alarmed, but now she's extending thanks to the fates.

Many times we believe what we read and require no further proof . . But Brooks Stroud was somewhat skeptical when he read about a tribe of cannibalistic Indians living on the island Tiburon which lies just off the coast of Mexico. He had an opportunity to check his facts in the spring of '37 however, when he passed by the island and talked to the skipper who had actually been ashore.

The story is that these Indians were a part of the warlike Yacqui tribe, and had caused the Mexican gov ernment so much trouble they were exiled to the island. The Indians continued to come ashore and cause trouble on the mainland; so soldiers were sent to the island, but, for some reason, their attempts to exterminate them failed. Finally, clothes were sent to the island as a friendly gesture—but the clothes were infected with small pox germs! Needless to say . . . this thinned the Indians out considerably!

The Indians number about 250 now, and they're infested with disease. Their living conditions are of the lowest . . . they eat live fish, and were seen devouring orange peels thrown from a boat. Brooks' informer, the skipper, told him that he had put in at the island after a storm and found the stripped boat of an old Russian fisherman. Nearby was the body of the fisherman, part of it had been cut away, and pieces were hung in the trees . . . offering proof that the group were cannibalistic! Not a pretty story, but one which makes Brooks realize that perhaps this western hemisphere -L. G. is not so civilized as we think.

Letters to the Editor . . .

Dear Editor: We have just wit- fine spirit on the part of the men, nessed the most unusual election in the history of A. M. S. Out of this election we, as men students and voters, have revealed some very encouraging facts about student government and politicians. We could not help noticing the politicians and, shall we say "souvenir-seek-ers" as they "gathered" signs and mutilated characters. Campaigning was heated and spotty with "recounts", revotes and "write-ins" putting much doubt into the minds of the voters as to the legality or authenticity of this election.

But out of this tumult, we were pleased to see that an interst and a

gave us a record vote. But the most encouraging observation was seen in the fine sportsmanship displayed by candidate Warren Dorn as he suggested that we be spared the trouble of the needed re-election and advocated that the office be awarded to Howard Eckles, who though there was not a majority vote cast, was leading in votes. My thanks to the "loser" Dorn who has raised my opinion of student leaders.

C. W., W. J., A. P.

WE SHALL HAVE MUSIC . . . Dear Editor: The student body is

continually hearing of monetary troubles from the student legislative council, and it seems that any suggestion as to how the A. S. can make money should be welcome. It seems logical that a Wurlitzer

located in El Gaucho Club would be a profitable venture. -A. G.

SLAPS C. Y. L.

Dear Editor: I would like to take this opportunity to write that I believe you were mistaken in stating the California Youth Legislature would be worthy of S.B.S.C. support. In my opinion it was nothing more than a meeting of a egocentric group of thwarted socalled left wingers who are a menace to our democratic United States liberal movement.

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I do not aim this statement at

After the smoke of mud-sling- flashing about with a South Pasaing and hair-pulling elections are over, the whirlingest (excuse me, Noah!) season of society will break forth. It has already begun to break (our limping wallets!) with the Delta Zetes' fashion show on the First, the Sig Alpha style showing

of sororities on May 4, which you should not miss, Phrateres and Beta Sig formals on May 4 . . . to mention a few . Now about the past . . . hmmm , and the Bowery Brawl. More people were passing in and out and seemed to be in the best of spirits. Hope Graverson and Ray Gage were very charitable—Ray ways were. what it took; Adelene Harp and Dick Saxe arrived very lateflat tire trouble probably; Dwala

Branyon and Kenny Ray still behaving like steadies; Georgia Mae Krebs keeping her out of towner away from wolvesses; Gracie Williams didn't get there at all?? Jane Woods and Lou Bedell were really whooping it up; Vivian Girvetz

from

a difference"



AT MASSACHUSETTS STATE COL-

LEGE, CLEMENT BURR IS PRES-IDENT OF THE JUNIOR CLASS AND

HIS BROTHER, FREDERICK, PRESIDES

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By Basil Vance

THE UNIV. OF ALABAMA HAS

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CAN BE TRACED BACK

175,000,000 YEARS!

El Gaucho

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INCREASED FROM

25 FIFTEEN YEARS AGO, TO MORE THAN 450 TODAY!

JUNIOR COLLEGES

LITTLE SHADOW

I USED TO BE!

Campus Camera

JR.

dena flash; Arthur Porter imported his home-town girl from the tullies; Bernice Shedd and Frank Ellings seen together after a long separation; Barbara Leach received permission to let her boy friend's pal, George McDonald escort her to the brawl; Harry Sloan escaped duties long enough to accompany Mary Zappone. At the El Paseo Saturday night:

Harry Schmidt and Kelly Hopmans were seen escorting two gals from San Francisco State, who by the way were both student body officers; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Russell were the same sweethearts they al-

Leo Snedaker, who was practically a married man, has been seen free-lancing it lately.

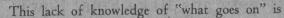
Santa Barbara, California, Friday, April 26, 1940

Editor's Note:

The best feature of the current election, in our opinion, is the fact that all the shouting will be over by today. The usual postmortems and might-have-beens will linger, but the posters, pamphlets, signs and clusters of political groups should disappear. After viewing the campus in the throes of its political "crisis," President Phelps is said to have remarked that a sign should be constructed designating this place as Santa Barbara State college.

The "experts" seem to have been right when they predicted a record turnout at the polls. 977 collegians voted on Wednesday; the number should be exceeded today. Significant is the fact that freshmen, for their numbers, turned out less than

the other classes. This may be attributed to shyness, lack of knowledge of the candidates or an apathetical attitude toward student body affairs. One fellow we talked to knew that an election was going on, but did not know the location of the polling booths. We informed him that they were located in the student body office. He didn't know where the student body office was. No, we told him, the student body office was not in the cafeteria.



not too amazing. Hundreds of students come to this institution every day, go to classes and go home. This, in part, may be due to the strict departmentalization. Men of the industrial education department, to use an obvious example, park their cars back of the shops and never see the rest of the campus.

The suggestion on Wednesday's ballot, labled "Proposition No. 1" might have had some effect, indirectly. If many of our disinterested collegians were forced to park off the campus or on the new parking lot, they would have to walk through "new sections" of the campus to reach their classes. To carry this thing through to its logical conclusion, they might even be inspired to an appreciation of the aesthetic as they observe for the first time, State College's beautiful Quadrangle and the eucalyptus trees dotting the campus. Events of the past few days, with politicos running madly hither and thither dragging voters to the polls have almost overshadowed the work being done in the Little theater this week. Director Fredric W. Hile should have an ace this time in "Romeo and Juliet". At this writing we haven't seen the play, but from a glimpse of a dress rehearsal, we look forward to one of the most beautiful productions presented before the local footlights. We are told that we severely criticized Hile's last effort, perhaps unjustly. Well, as Hile would put it, there are critics and critics and as Hile's bosom buddy, William Shakespeare phrased it, "The play's the thing." We have no qualms about the Bard, Hile's ability as a director and the College thespians. -S. C.







First Month End Clearance of the Spring Season **Reductions throughout the entire store.** It would pay you to come in and see what drastic reductions we will be having for this 3-day Special Event! Dresses ·Coats Millinery Sportswear Ph. 3365 Sweaters •Skirts · Blouses .Suits



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El Gaucho

Gaucho Nine Ends Season Against San Francisco State



By JACK NEWMAN

Jack Newman's radio column "On the Sportside" can be heard each Wednesday evening at 8:15 p. m. on KDB, the Mutual Broadcasting station.

With Golden Gaters Locals Chalk Up Season's Record of

Twenty Wins, Four Losses; Stansbury Leads Batsmen With .380 Average

Bringing to a close the most successful baseball season in the This Friday and Saturday nistory of the local institution, Coach Spud Harder's California winds up the season for the var-Collegiate Athletic association champions hook up in a three game sity baseball club. Never in the series with the San Francisco State college Golden Gaters at Lahistory of the college has an athguna Field.

letic squad been so successful. The Gauchos will meet the Bay Spud's lads have gathered 20 City aggregation in a single game to-day at 3:15 and a double header wins out of 24 contests which is some apples. Included in their list tomorrow starting at 2:15.

Hurling today's battle will be the of victims were teams from the University of California, San Jose State Hilltoppers' leading pitcher, Jim Fresno State, Cal-Aggies, Loyola, Fitzgerald, cagy left hander, who and San Diego State. And earlier in has a season's record of eight wins the season, they nearly dropped the and one loss. Fitzgerald lost his first game against the Fresno Bulldogs Hollywood club of the Coast League in a close 7 to 5 battle. last week in a 12 inning fracas after

Standouts were pitchers Cliff chalking up eight straight wins. Wrightson and "Lefty" Jim Fitz- Big Shanty Stansbury, cate Big Shanty Stansbury, catcher, gerald. Fitzgerald lost but one game in 8 starts, while Ripsch as he belted the ball at a



pounding out homeruns, was eas-

ily the outstanding man on the

squad. Spotted early in the season by Joe Devine, Yankee baseball scout,

Ripsch seems destined for a major

league tryout next year. Markham,

keyman in one of the finest infields

in collegiate baseball, was outstand-

ing for his handling of difficult

chances as well as hitting way over

the .300 mark. Stansbury, burly

backstop, also hit well over .300 and

sparked the squad from behind the

bat with sharp patter and heads-up

Berman, chunky first sacker, Jack

ning three game

baseball.

Buddy Wright- .380 clip. Ripsch is in second place with a .360 average. son wound up Little Eddy Markham, in a terrific on the losing

batting slump, after a great start, is in third place with a .325 average end only twice in 8 trips to and short stop Jack Fitzgerald fol-lows with a .323 average. the mound. Relief hurler Gardy "Diz" Gar-

The Gauchos' probable starting lineup will find Stansbury catching, denhire took care of the Jim Fitzgerald pitching, Micky Berpinches by win-

base; Jack Fitzgerald, short stop; Big guns of the swat brigade were Ripsch, third base and Bill Adamson topper's relay quartets at the annual Don Ripsch, Eddie Markham, and Dave Morgan and Peirino Merlo in Cal-Poly relays tonight at San Luis in the shot put, and 125 feet in the "Shanty" Stansbury. Dean, while the outfield. Obispo.

In winning the 2C2A champion-ship, the Hilltoppers encountered ship, the Hilltoppers encountered Nural Baseball 10 victories with only two losses. Fresno and San Diego tied for sec-ond place, each winning six and Begins Play Fresno and San Diego tied for seclosing six. San Jose was far in the ruck, winning only two games. The season's record is even more

imposing, the local nine winning 20 games and dropping only four against such foes as U. S. C., California and Loyola, besides its 2C2A

Then there was Joe "Pompoon" Blake, speedy outfielder, Mickey Spartans Set Fitzgerald, consistent shortstop, Bill Adamson, husky left fielder, Pierino For Gauchos

Johnny Ceccarelli, new utility man, and finally last, but definitely not least, little Walt Lohman, sensational Merlo, veteran outfielder, Dave

Santa Barbara Cindermen **Travel North**

Locals Compete in Cal-Poly Relays at San Luis Obispo

Coach Roy Bohler takes his Gaucho tracksters north today to compete in the annual Cal-Poly relays at San Luis Obispo against some of the top-notch cinderpath aggregations in central California. The dual meet originally scheduled for tonorrow with the Southern California Athletic Association has been in-definitely called off.

The Gauchos championship four nan 880 yard relay quartet is expected to easily garner a win in that event. The quartet, composed of Hovis Bess, the Gaucho sprint/king, Captain Billy McArthur, Bill Morgan and Burdett Gandy, won the collegiate division relay championship at the Long Beach relays last month.

Also entered is a four man mile relay team consisting of Bess, Mc-Arthur, Gandy and Herman Stauss. The Hilltoppers are also favored to win this event and are out to crack the school record of 3:26.1 estab-

lished last year. Bess, besides competing in the two relay events, will also run in the open 100 yard dash. He has been beaten only once all year in the century but will receive plenty of competition from Davis, Salinas

Junior College sprint ace, who has already hit 9.8s this year. Other men entering the meet include Wolf Heinberg, giant weight-

man who has marks of 45' 4' discus, and Chuck Crow, who has pole vaulted 12 feet 6 inches and Harder is busy handling his Calibroad jumped over 22 feet and Low-

tion baseball champs. ell Steward, 6 foot high jumper. The Gauchos thrice defeated track Several definite threats for first squad has only one more dual meet string jobs next football season and ward wall. left on their schedule. Next week uncovered in the persons of Tom ward wall. P their schedule with San Reid, rangy 170 halfback from Car-

Bohler's charges tangle with San Jose State and the following week trek north again to compete in the California Junior College guard highly publicized Fresno Relays. from Compton Junior college, Bob With the intramural basketball The track season will be concluded Scott, hefty fullback from the local tournament officially concluded and on May 17 and 18 with the Calif- high school, Cliff Graybehl, crack

wingman from Santa Monica Junior college, and Bob Stockton, 6 foot

inch transfer from Purdue. Outside of the newcomers, a few of the members of last year's varsity and frosh teams were out for the practice sessions, among them Mose Neely, first string fullback, Ed Larsen, tackle, voted the most valu-



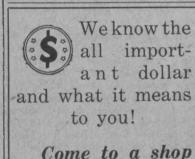
Proof that the Gaucho grid squad is going to be potent in the kicking department next fall is illustrated by BOB STOCKTON and TOM REID, transfers from Purdue and U. S. C. respectively, who punt consistently around the 60 yard mark.

Gaucho Grid Squad Begins Spring practice Sessions

Swinging into full stride, 37 gridders who answered the initial call for spring football practice at Phelps field settled down to hard work in preparation for the annual Coast-Valley brawl scheduled for the early part of May.

The practice sessions are being 1938 squad and has returned for nandled by Wilton Wilton, basketball coach, while Head Coach Spud another session of football. Present indications point to

fornia Collegiate Athletic Associa- backfield much stronger than last year and a line that although not measuring up to last year's standard string jobs next football season were should develop into a strong for-



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PATSY

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Honestly, when you see the new Pinafores, that are becoming so popular, you'll think that time is moving backwards and that the glamorous Civil War days are returning for sure.

The simple apron style, precious and feminine as it is. doesn't confine itself to one time of day this season. Fresh little morning cottons with play suits and Pinafores are seen next to afternoon's trim Pinafore costumes.

And here's something interesting Pinafores date originally back before 1847 when they were described by Webster as being a piece of washing material pinned on for the occasion. That doesn't sound so glamorous does it? But wait!-although it does look like an apron it is now developing into one of the smartest garments you can imagine.

I'm going to wear one today, and just see if you don't fall for it.

-PATSY

P. S.- Tomorrow's your last day to get in on the special sale of new Spring stockings



HOVIS BESS, the Gauchos record shattering sophomore sprint sensation, will anchor both of the Hill-

Next Week

the Print Shop crowned champions, ornia Collegiate Athletic Associamural baseball competition gets underway immediately with the ini-

tial games scheduled for next week. Thirteen teams have entered the tournament which is under the di-

man, first base, Markham, second

All games are to be played on Phelps field, week days except Fri-day. Two games will be a be played on



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Seven Sororities Take In New Members, Plan **Calendar of Events**

After a Fashion...

By MARY KUNHARDT

"When a costume complements mony held at the home of Mrs. H. you, but never dominates you . . . Klyne Headley, sponsor. The women then it has true style"... Vogue. With this in mind let's look over our college fashions and see the Marian Moser, Virginia Moss, Ruth front rank favorite clothes on our Larson, Betty Pickford, Frances Ro-

campus today. Georgie Hollins took us back to Shaw. nursery days with the very latest in ALPHA THETA CHI styles. An organdy pinafore over a Following the formal initiation cotton print. This is one of the many held at the home of Mrs. E. L. styles taken from way back when Hitchcock Sunday morning. the sor-Grandma was wearing pig-tails. The ority attended a luncheon at the revival of this style, minus the pig- Miramar. The former pledges include tails, by Georgie is indeed pleasing Virginia Alderson, Elizabeth Jacobs to the eye.

A suit for both casual campus days Jane McCaughey, Barbara Leach or dinner down town is being worn Shirley Reinecke and Jane Wood. by anine Rupertus. The jacket is DELTA ZETA DELTA tailored in the latest length and the skirt has a slight swing to it.Both the jacket and the skirt are made up in a light blue plaid wool, giving the the sorority's formal initiation of outfit that Vogue look.

even Schiapare!'i advise Red, White Dooley, Patsy Eaves, Pat Forsythe, and Blue fo: this season's most po Georgia Mae Krebs, Betty Nelson, pular combination. Here is your Betty Pitman, Margaret Sloan, Nancy chance to be patriotic and in style Streeter, Estey Talbot, Virginia at the same time.

With stripes so popular for evening and daytime, the Five-Footers are in the height of fashion with their red and white striped cotton print sport dresses. Did you see them Wednerday? These up-to-the-minute girls are quite the fashion leaders on cur campus.

The old saying, "You never know what make-up can do till you have to go without it," was proved to be true by the sorority pledges last week.

An orchid to Connie Gill for her attractive combination of mustardgold and forest green with a novelty belt and purse.

For suggestions to carry you coolly from afternoon "cokes" to sundown "parties"; read this column weekly.

Crown and Scepter **Breakfast Sunday**

Crown and Scepter, senior wo men's honorary organization, will new members are Anna Black, Barhave a breakfast meeting at 8 a.m. bara Clark, Mickey Berger, Vera Sunday, April 28, at the home of Deitrich, Sheila Grantham, Margaret Ellen Seymour, 519 Chiquita. The Hannaford, Ruth Jones, Lybbies purpose is three-fold: to discuss new Kneif, Mary Esther Hentschke, Helen members, make tentative plans for Marr, Minta McArthur, Cleonie Melthe senior luncheon, and to decide olnig, Helen Patton and Janice upon the purchase of a scholarship Loyd. cup to be awarded to one outstanding senior woman.

Prepare to be

Sunday afternoon saw closing of Hell-week with the formal initiation of pledges to the seven campus social ororities TAU GAMMA SIGMA

> Eleven pledges were taken into the sorority in the formal initiation cere-

mer, Marylou Royal and Lorraine

Virginia Alderson, Elizabeth Jacobs Marietta Grace, Marcia Meyer, Mary Inducts 12

A buffet supper was held at the home of Alice Freeman, following pledges Sunday afternoon. Pledges initiated were Elizabeth Del Alva Monteil, Amado, Whitehead, and Joan Dixon, Helen Dixon, Frances Waite, and Barbara Whitmore

GAMMA DELTA CHI A dinner in the sun room of the Miramar followed the formal initiaion of pledges Sunday afternoon. Pledges taken into the sorority and art ability. were Edith Bell, Ellen Crozier, Alpha

Duncan, Margaret Gow, Charlotte Holdsworth, Barbara Millon and Elinor Murphy. The group also completed plans for Evelyn Foster, Blanche Hubbard, lub

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

The Methodist church was the scene of the sorority formal initiation which was followed by a dinner at the Hotel Mar Monte. Pledges initiated were Barbara Gearhart, Mary Lee Yynch, Jean Pharoah, Alice Munneke and Marietta Spran-

РНІ КАРРА GAMMA

Following the formal initiation held at the home of Dawn Tripp a dinner was held at El Cortijo. The

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Postponement Board Cancels Frosh Picnic

Postponed by weather conditions and conflicting events the freshman class picnic which was scheduled for tonight at East beach was marked off the calen-

With action being taken in an officers board meeting Wednesday night, it was deemed advisable to center interest instead on the combined frosh-soph "Puppy Love Prom," next Friday night. Complete plans for this affair will be conducted at the class meetings Tuesday.

If there is a possible open date in May, the picnic will be held at that time, the freshman social committee stressed.

Art Fraternity New Members

Twelve candidates were initiated into Xi chapter of Delta Phi Delta national honor art fraternity, with a candlelight ceremony held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Fish, 20.5 Garden Street, and ban-quet held at El Paseo Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Dorothy Russell presided over the initiation ceremonies, as sisted by Mrs. Mary Uozomi, Miss Barbara Williams of Salinas, Walter L. Cheever, and Frederick Seegert. Elections to the fraternity are made on the basis of superior scholarship

The following group, all students in the art depratment, were inducted. Jean Anglemyer, Eudora Baldwin, Betty Doolittle, Kathering Fanning, their spring formal to be held to- Doris Iles, Crystal Lund, Elizabeth night at the La Cumbre Country Mosle, Dale Neuls, Ronald Hurt and Olin Russum.

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Fraternities Administer Initiation Rites to Pledges Monday Night

El Gaucho

Fraternity pledge seasons ended | fore the formal initiation ceremon-Monday night with the formal initia- ies. New members of the fraternity tion of 28 men into the various frat- are Stan Bartlett, Dick Brians, Norman Carlstead, Charles Moss, Wilernities

lard Reineck and Bob Scott. BETA SIGMA CHI discussed

plans for their annual formal to be TAU OMEGA met in the Gaucho held at the Samarkand next Satur- club at school Monday night for day at their Monday night meeting. the first part of their meeting which Plans for their annual barbecue to was a dinner for the actives given by be given in the near future at the the pledges. Following the dinner the home of Jack Richards were also dis- meeting adjourned to the Tau Omega regular meeting place at 7

cussed. Next week the fraternity will hold E. Valerio street for the formal ina joint meeting with the Alpha Theta itiation of the pledges. Those initiat-Chi sorority at the fraternity house. ed were Carl Cummins, Gorden Gra-Men who received their formal in- ham, Cornie Maaskant, Jack Stevenitiation Monday night were Art son and Dave Brener.

Chauvel, Bud Cook, Stan Darrow, SIGMA ALPHA KAPPA com-Warren Dorn, Gilbert Macy, Bob Newman, Bob Thomas, Bill Van pleted plans for their annual spring tea and fashion show to be given at Derhoof, Dick Van Derhoof, Jack the home of Dean Paul Jones next Wilkie and Blynn Wilson. Saturday. Dick O'Brien, Bob Clark,

GAMMA SIGMA PI pledges Howard Karjala, Walt Ziegler, Pete treated actives with the traditional Bancroft and Ernest Montiel were chicken dinner Monday night be- initiated into the fraternity.

DZD Schedules Fashion Show

El Paseo will again be the scene at a meeting Monday night for 16 of the semi-annual Delta Zeta Delta dinner and spring fashion show. This dinner and spring fashion show. This affair, presented every winter and following dinner include Jack Rose, spring by the alumnae chapter of Rodenbeck's, Marcel and Gammil's. Mrs. Jack Porter, president of the the sorority, will be held next Wedlumnae chapter and Mrs. Reid nesday at 7 p. m.

Prince are in charge of the affair. Plans were made by the sorority

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