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Open Women's Rep Position

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HODIES, WEIDENBACH ELECTED PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT OF FRESHMAN CLASS

A small turnout and failure to properly mark ballots will bring students of Santa Barbara College back to the polls this Thursday and Friday to cast their votes in the runoff elections for the position of Women's Representative-

Sandy Bechtold '59 and Joanne Taylor '58 are the two candidates remaining in the race for the office, which is a voting position on Legislative Council, the governing body

of the Associated Students.

AWS ELECTIONS HELD THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

AWS elections will be held Thursday and Friday of this week. Voting booths, handled by Phrateres, Chimes and Spurs, will be open from 9 a.m. till 3 p.m. in front of the Library and the Student Union.

AWS cards are required to vote, and voting will be preferen-

President

Judy Dean and Helen Garben are the two candidates running for President of AWS.

Helen's previous experience for this position includes AWS Fashion Show co-ordinator, AWS Big-Little Sister asst. chairman and Panhellenic delegate. She was also on the Social Committee, a member of the Elemeds and asst. Rush and Social chairman for the Pi Phis.

Judy Dean's qualifying experience for this job includes being AWS treasurer and Hall secretary. She is also a member of Spurs, Elemeds, and pledge trainer of Chi Omega.

Vice President

Candidates for First Vice President are Shelly Shapiro, Martie Sutcliffe, Patty Pratt and Carol

Patty Pratt, a sophomore, was Pi Beta Phi song chairman, Activities chairman and a member of Publicity and Standards Com mittees in her freshman year.

Shelly Shapiro, also a sophomore, was chairman of Queens Judging Committee and is now brochure chairman of Special Events Committee and program chairman of Home Economics Club. She also was editor and social chairman of Delta Zeta

Another sophomore, Martie Sutcliffe has worked in Girls' League in high school and served as a committee chairman and parliamentarian. Martie is a member of the Library Committee, Special Events Committee, Aquacade and Delta Gamma so-

Carol Christell, a freshman, is vice president of the Social Club and Sigma Kappa pledge presi-

The girls running for Second Vice President are Gail Flemming, freshman; Mayla Lewis, freshman; Donna Mallon, jun-ior; Chotsy Jaeger, senior; Nita Jo Stockham, sophomore, and Julie Rhone, junior.

Nita Jo Stockham is president of the Delta Zeta sorority and was second vice president last semester. She is also co-chairman of Homecoming float, a

Australian Speaks

One of today's leading authorities on classic art and an outstanding archaeologist will be the guest lecturer for the All-College Lecture to be given in Bldg. 431, Rm. 102, at 4 p.m. today.

Dr. A. D. Trendall, professor emeritus of Greek and archaeology at the University of Sidney, Australia, will speak on "Classical Background of Western European Art." All students are cordially invited to attend by the Committee on Drama, Lectures and Music, the sponsoring agen-

member of Spurs, Scholarship Society and the Elemeds.

Julie Rhone was vice president of AWS at El Camino JC and is now a member of Chi Omega sorority, CSTA and El-

Gail Flemming was a member of Student Body Cabinet in high school for three years. She is now a member of Women's Glee.

Mayla Lewis was vice president of the Junior Class in high school and is now a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority and Rally Committee.

Donna Mallon was secretary of Santa Rosa Hall, hospitality chairman of the hall, a member of the Junior Class Council and on Special Events Committee of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Chotsy Jaeger has previous experience as second vice president of Sigma Kappa sorority Spring Sing and GGR chairman. She is a member of the Girls' Glee and CSTA. Chotsy is a transfer student from Westmont.

Secretary

Trudy Gerry, Kathleen M. Hayes, Lynn Hammock, Terry Trau and Sandy Meyer are running for AWS Secretary.

Lynn Hammock, freshman, is a member of Home Economics Club, is Delta Zeta sorority pledge president and is now Panhellenic delegate.

Terry Trau, freshman, is AWS Freshman Representative and working on the Board. Kathleen M. Hayes, freshman,

is a member of Sigma Kappa sorority and pledge treasurer. She was secretary of the Scholarship Society in high school.

Trudy Gerry, freshman, is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority and a Junior Panhellenic repre-

Sandy Meyer, sophomore, has had previous experience as the secretary of RHA. She is a member of Beta Beta Beta, is Madrona Hall president, a Delta Gamma and a member of the Sailing Club.

Treasurer

Candidates for AWS Treasurer are Sheila Higbee, Sandy Fry, Kathy Nye, Karen Davidson and Carlene Hester.

Sheila Higbee, freshman, is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and vice president of her pledge

Sandy Fry is on the Santa Rosa Judiciary Board, the La Cumbre staff, and social chairman of the Delta Gamma pledge

Kathy Nye, sophomore, is on the AWS Board.

Karen Davidson, freshman, is an active member of the AWS Board and the ASB Legislature and Executive Board.

Carlene Hester, junior, is a life member of California Scholarship Federation.

CLUB NOTES

The new "Art Club" meeting will be Wednesday, March 5, at 1 p.m. in Bldg. 416, Rm. 212.

Officers have been elected: Richard Downs, president; Marilyn Pank, vice president, and Doree Graham, secretary - treas-

Two movies will be shown: "The Loon's Necklace" and "What Is Art?"

RHA Bull Session Discusses 'Great Books'; Girvetz, Stuurman and Kelly Air Opinions

by Louis Robinson '60

Thursday evening, Feb. 28, the Student-Faculty Committee invited Professors Douwe Stuurman, Harry Gitvetz and Paul Kelly to speak at its monthly "Bull Session" in order to discuss the socalled "Great Books Plan," a proposal for this college.

In a topic that was quite "close to home" to the students of Santa Barbara College, the speakers turned the session into a pro-andcon argument over the merits and shortcomings of a system such as that which would regulate what the "liberally educated man" should be held responsible for in the way of books which have influenced Western culture.

10 or 20 Books

The proposed plan, if passed, would mean that every student at the college, in the Letters and Science Division, would be held responsible for reading 10 or 20 books, chosen by the faculty, which have been responsible for the shaping of our present culture. The student would be tested on these books in an objective type of examination before he graduated, and could not graduate without having passed the required examination on these

Girvetz Opens

Dr. Girvetz, first to speak on the subject, clearly defined the purpose of the proposal as he stated the necessity of an understanding of the forces which have influenced our modern society and how many times the socalled "college man" will leave an institution of learning without actually realizing these forces.

"This would insure a liberal education," said Dr. Girvetz. "A new level of learning would be achieved, as the faculty would not be remote from the students." He also said that with the adoption of the plan, he could picdents conversing together discussing Plato's Republic in a

spirit of unity between the students and the classics.

Stuurman Parries

As expected, Prof. Stuurman cut Dr. Girvetz's statements quite cleanly and with an edge of sarcasm. He opened his side of the discussion with a praise of "Mother's Day" and a defense of his senility in contrast to the "younger but less areas In 'younger but less experienced" Dr. Girvetz.

On a more serious tone, Prof. Stuurman explained how people (students) should not be regulated, as such, in their quest for liberal education, and that the experiences that he had had with a system such as the proposed Great Books Plan had shown him that the over-all result of forcing knowledge into the individual had a non-lasting or detrimental effect. "The individual," he said, "should seek his book or books, that is, that reading which he feels will most pertain to his individual personality." Reading should be a personal thing and not something which someone dictates. Dr. Stuurman also feels that this type of intellectual discipline should not be maintained

in a college of liberal education.
"Discipline," he feels, "is good for children, but we should leave it on a juvenile basis, not in a college or university. College is not a place where an individual is told what to say, but rather a place where he may speak."

"I like the word scholar," he said, "and what it means, coming from the word schola which used to mean a place of leisure, where one interested in intellectual pursuit would seek to relax with intelligent minds in a spirit of understanding."

Mudrick Questions

Dr. Mudrick, not a guest speaker but a member of the capacity crowd that packed the Santa Rosa Lounge to hear the speakers, raised the question: "Is a man necessarily educated mereture an idealistic portrait of stu- ly because of a vast amount of

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CAST ANNOUNCED FOR NEW PLAY

The cast has been announced for The Adding Machine, the next student dramatic production, which will open Friday, March 21, in the Little Theatre. Mr. Zero will be played by Jack Ford, Mrs. Zero by Carolyn Clark, Daisy by Yvonne Bonsall, Shrdlu by Mike Seely, and The Boss by Jack Taylor. Others in the cast include Diana Lillie, Dick Perry, Sylvia House, Beth Slaybaugh, John Vincent, Fred Rudzinski, Mickele Rosenbrock, John Simmons, Diana Watts, Pat Kelly, Noel Blanc, Bob Rogers, and Jeannette Justin.

The play, written by Elmer Rice, is an expressionistic drama which depicts with some comedy and some tragedy the debilitation of man in the Machine Age. It will be directed by Theodore Hatlen, with technical direction by H. Winston Park.

Successful in their campaigns for the positions of Freshman Class President and Vice President were Bob Hodies and Janet Weidenbach.

The former won in a landslide, being within 40 ballots of a majority on the first count of the preferential vot-

Void Ballots

A number of the ballots in the Women's Rep race were declared invalid by the Election Committee, as they were either improperly marked, or unmarked. Many voters failed to vote past their second or third choice of candidates, thus preventing any candidate from receiving a majority

Sandy Bechtold and Joanne Taylor remain as the two candidates who received the most of the first, second, third and-so-on

Less than 725 voters showed up at the polls during the two-day session of voting. Present student en-rollment is 1,998.

Fellman Statement

Election Committee Chairman Carol Fellman 57 made the following statement about the bal-

"The reason for these runoffs, even under the preferential system which is supposed to prevent them, is that the system, while superior to others in the long run, is not infallible. The explanation for this fallibility lies not in the system itself, but in the voters. As long as voters fail to follow the preferential instruc-tions, there will be runoffs."

Carol has decided to hold the runoff election in conjunction with the AWS election, which takes place this Thursday and

Qualifications

Candidate qualifications for Sandy Bechtold and Joanne Taylor are as follows:

SANDY BECHTOLD '59 Student-Faculty Committee Laurel Hall President Aquacade Chairman RHA Orientation Com. Chmn. Manzanita Hall President RHA Secretary Special Events Committee Homecoming Chmn. for Hall

WPE Publicity Committee Aquacade Charities Committee Junior Class Council Junior Panhellenic Delegate

JOANNE TAYLOR '58

Sandy is also one of a group of students which has proposed a number of amendments to the Associated Students Constitution.

GRADUATES

Candidates for graduation June 6, 1957, or August 2, 1957: If you did not pick up application-forgraduation papers in the registration line, please call at the Office of the Registrar, Bldg. 427, at once.

DEADLINE TODAY

State and Korea veterans must sign vouchers today in order to receive this month's checks on time. Office of the Dean of Men.



BARBARY COAST attracts visitors year after year. Here is a picture of a past carnival which met with tremendous success. This year's presentation appears to be even bigger and better.

'Great Books'

Continued from page one Dr. Mudrick felt the entire idea was heretical and that the old teutonic idea of scholarship, that of knowledge for information's sake, was a completely false way of educating. He also mentioned the fact that the proposed Great Books Program list had little similarity in subject matter and that a person could not be able to tie in the various aspects of the material in a tangible pattern.

Kelly Realistic

A realistic approach to the matter was offered by Dr. Paul Kelly, who claims to be a "middle of the roader" in the proposal's argument.

Said Dr. Kelly: "This is not a question of what road the automobile must take, but rather one of will the automobile be able to

run at all?" He stated that he could see clear advantages and disadvantages for the proposal, but that basically the entire idea could be handled in a very realistic manner.

"I don't question the ideals," he said, "just the mechanics of the thing. Other places have tried a system similar to this proposal, offering the reading material to top students desirous of this type of education. Why must there be such a jolt here all of a sudden? Still other places offer some-thing like this in a Western Civilization and Culture' type of course. I personally feel that a student will get a lot more out of, say, great books, if they are a part of a regular course in which an instructor may be able to work with the individual in order to define the individual concepts presented by the books which have been so influential to Western culture."

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Authors Defend Constitution Changes

We would like to thank Dick Goode for his interesting discussion, in last week's El Gaucho, of the proposed amendments to the Associated Students Constitution.

It gives us the opportunity to do something we feel is important, that is to answer any questions which might arise.

Size

Dick seems to feel that the amendments would increase the size of the Legislative Council. However, if you read the amendments carefully you will find this is not the case. One reason for this is that the committee chairmen will be chosen from among the representatives, something which Dick went on to criticize later in the article.

We see no reason to believe that holding a committee chairmanship would interfere with an individual's ability to represent those who elected him. In fact, it would make better committee chairmen and better representatives. It would not only make the chairmen more truly a part of the Legislative Council; it would bring the committees closer to the student body.

We also see no reason to believe, as Dick does, that election of the representatives in the fall would weaken our student government. Very little work is done by the Legislative Council during the summer or the first weeks of school. That which must be done before the representatives are elected can be handled by the president, vice president, class presidents and other officers who will still be elected in the spring.

Group Conscious

Finally, Dick seems to feel that by replacing the representativesat-large with representatives elected by specific groups we would create a "group-conscious cam-pus." Today, Dick claims, the representatives are "responsible to the "whole student body." While this is theoretically true, in practice they are responsible to no one but themselves. No single representative can know what the whole student body

A representative can more easily know - or find out - what five per cent of the student body wants. And 20 such representatives, each representing five per cent of the student body, can better speak for the whole student body. For, after all, the whole student body is no more than the students who make it up.

Our problem is to find the best way to represent these students. We feel they can be better represented by students who live among them and know their problems, than by six representatives who feel responsible to a group so large that it can not possibly be represented. Such a system which only serves to make clearer to Legislative Council student opinions already held — cannot possibly create divisions which do not already exist.

President's Platform

We would like to close with a quotation from the platform of our present student body president, printed before his election, in the El Gaucho of Wednesday, April 18, 1956:

"It is also time to consider . . . (making) . . . our Men's and Women's Reps more representative. . . . Too few on this campus know or have ever met any of the six Reps-at-Large. . . . What we need is adequate representa-

"When a candidate for a major office presents a platform he should keep a copy of it to place on the wall directly in front of him—if he gets elected.... I've a thumbtack, the rest is up to

What happened to your thumb-tack, Dick?

Perry - Crane - Adler Wilband - Breeding Newby - Hart - Bechtold

At The Movies

by Jack Nakano

FOX ARLINGTON

Tuesday - Thursday "Battle Hymn," Martha Hyer, Rock Hudson

"The Light Touch," Margaret Johnstone, Jack Hawkins

Tuesday on

'Wee Geordie, 55 Bill Travers, Alastair Sims
"So Little Time," Maria Schell,

Marius Gording Schedules subject to change

without notice.

GREEKS SPEAK

by "Al" and "Mac"

It's Barbary Coast time at SBC As by looking around you can plainly see,

Each boy with fur upon his face Denotes the season that's taking

We're all looking forward to seeing the productions put on by DG, Chi O, KAT, Pi Phi, SAE, and Mask and Scroll in this year's Barbary Coast. We also hear of some really terrific novel ideas for other entries in the carnival. And incidentally who was the lucky buyer of the SPE's plans for BC?

Congratulations to the LCA's on winning the Intramural Basketball Championship by defeating the GDI's!

The Pi Phi's were being serenaded by the Delt's for the pinning of Mickey Wheeler and John Rose, while at the KAT house Marcia Bookout was being honored by SAE for her pinning to John Grubic.

Has everyone remembered to send their post card voting for DG Mary Lou Spitsnaugle in the Campana Campus Beauty Contest? Best of luck Mary Lou.

Last week the SPE's were busily serenading. At the Chi O house they honored Everett Johnson, then traveled to the KAT house for the pinning of Fran Chamberlain and Tony Joseph. This was followed by a double serenade at the Pi Phi house for Mariana Summerhill and Garven Kusky and Patti Williams and Bob Randolph. The Sig Ep serenades are uniquely characterized by two flaming torches and their band.

Exciting romantic news at the DG house is the recent engagement of Robin Walsh to LCA Alum Chuck Rainey. They are planning a summer wedding.

Saw SAE Bob Kieding, Pi Phi Marty Campelio and Phi Delt Bob Miles, KAT Mary Hartnet having many laughs at Disneyland this last week end.

Congratulations to LCA's new initiates who became full-fledged actives last Sunday!

Also heard that some SAE's were very busy last week end traveling south to San Diego to see the game and a little bit of country south of the border.

Hope to see all of you at the Kappa Sig Beachcomber's Ball this Sat. night. It promises to be

Britain's View on Barbary Coast

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Following our long established policy of bringing London readers up to the moment analysis of cultural and social trends in the colonies, we print the following from our American correspond-

Grand good fun and merry whimsy are on the docket for March 8 and 9 at the Santa Barbara facilities of the University of California during its tenth annual post war Barbary Coast extravaganza.

An outdoor event, Barbary Coast combines the most audible elements of Mardi Gras, the socalled Fourth of July, and St. Ignatius Fire Drill, with colourfully decorated booths, humourous and dramatic entertainment, gustatory satisfaction and any number of impromptu parades and fistic exhibitions.

Notable for sociological and physiological reasons are the themes of the booths and thespic exhibitions. For a fee, one may relieve himself of innate tensions and supressed frustrations by attempting to destroy an unfortunate derelict automobile with a heavy maul, or by bathing some un-washed member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity with a well aimed toss of a missile. These 'games" are indicative of colonial barbarity in its basest form.

For those who prefer the finer diversions of United States Society, there are facilities for golfing-on-the-green, and a booth for marriage and divorce, a well known Southern California pas-

Entertainment, provided by the members of several Greek-Letter Societies as well as the Musk and Snail, a horticultural group, ranges from the burlesque to the

Featured performers may include such humourous personalities as Gay Dawn and Elvis Presley. However, this is question-

Events will be distinctly and didactically explained by a score of lusty-lunged lads who will attract attention by barks and other ripping outbursts. Due to lack of planning, these gentlemen

must speak simultaneously. Because of the unbridled "gay, clean fun" involved in such a celebration in America, four stalwart police officers and a number of incognito National Guardsmen will be present.

A list of those who will not attend includes such noteworthy personages as Dr. N. V. Neale, Ernest Hemingway, Norman Spivack, Rin-tin-in (tin-rin), Warren Spong and Melvin Cloniwouskvi. Everyone else will attend, for this will be a monumental Jolly Bash in the traditional 100 per cent American way.

Activities Calendar

TUESDAY, MARCH 5

12-1—Chimes, Quiet Lounge 12-1—Phys. Sci. Club, S1100 4-5—All-College Lecture, 431-102

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

12-1—Assembly Committee, AS

12-1—AS Orientation Commit-

2-3—IA Club, Mesa Auditorium

3:30-5—Special Events Commit-

tee, Quiet Lounge

tee, Conference Room 4-5—AWS, Huddle

4-5—La Cumbre staff, office

5-7—RHA Council, X Room

6-7—WRA Basketball, Gym

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7:30-9—CSTA, S1100

9-4—AWS Elections

7:30-9:30-Folk Dancing, 422-

7:30-9:30—Home Ec. Club, 494

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

12-1—Alpha Mu Gamma, 404-

4-5—Bio. Seminar, S1100 7:30-10—Scabbard and Blade

4-5—Spurs, Huddle

Conf. Rm.

-Esties J. C. Cobb III

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GAUCHO TRACKMEN

team under the guidance of Coach Nick Carter resoundingly defeated the Long Beach 49ers last Saturday afternoon at Long Beach. The score was 981/2 to

This was the opening meet of the season for both squads and is quite indicative of what will be one of the greatest squads to come to SB in quite a long time.

The Gauchos won 13 of the 15 events . . . missing only the top spots in the 220 low hurdles and the high jump. The Gaucho thinclads smashed meet records in the shot put, javelin, broad jump, discus, mile, and 100 yd. dash and tied meet records in the pole vault and 120 yd. high hurdles.

Gaucho depth is adequately displayed by the fact that of 43 meet places, the Gauchos swept 30 of them.

STATISTICS

100 vd. bash — 1 Scott (SB); 2 Morris (SB); 3 Olivas (SB); 10.0. (New meet record — Old record 10.1, Gene Gillers, LB,

880 yd. run — 1 Yanez (SB); 2 Suess (LB); 3 Kyle (LB);

120 high hurdles — 1 Patcha (SB); 2 Williams (LB); 3 Majoors (SB); 16.5 (ties meet record).

Broad jump — 1 Ellington (SB) 22 ft. 7½ in.; 2 Sims (SB) 20 ft. 75% in.; 3 Kennedy (LB) 20 ft. 4 in. (New meet record—Old record 21 ft. 5 in.; Black (SB) 1956).

Discus — 1 Coutts (SB) 130 feet 6 in.; 2 Hoover (SB) 128

feet. (New meet record - Old record 129 ft. 4 in., Coutts (SB)

220 yd. dash — 1 Morris (SB) 2 Ellington (SB); 3 Olivas (SB)

Mile run — 1 Collins (SB); 2 Suess (LB); 3 Mullins (SB); 4:35.0 (New meet record — Old record 4:36.5, Quintant (SB)

2 mile run — 1 McClenathen (SB); 2 Rutberg (LB); 3 Richards (SB); 10:04.

220 low hurdles — 1 Woolev (LB); 2 Patcha (SB); 2 Majors (SB); 26.3.

Pole vault — 1 G. Foss (SB), 13 ft.; 2 B. Foss (SB), 12 ft 6 in; tie for 3rd between Howenstein (SB) and Graves (LB), 11 ft. 6 in. (ties meet record). ft.; 2 Kahn (SB) 180 ft.; 3 Fair-

Javelin — 1 Kelliher (SB) 197 banks (LB) 174 ft. (New meet record — Old record 189 ft. 7 in., Ballester (LB) 1956).

440 yard dash — 1 Smith (SB); 2 Godfrey (SB); 3 Haoson (LB); 52.1.

2-mile run — 1 McClenathen (SB); 2 Sebio (LB); 3 Richards (SB) 10:05.

High jump — 1 Kennedy (LB) 5 ft. 11½ in.; tie for second between Drake (SB) and Gray (LB) 5 ft. 10 in.

Shot put — 1 Lyons (SB) 45 ft. ¾ in.; 2 Holcombe (LB) 44 ft. 11¼ in.; 3 Van Pelt (SB) 43 ft. 7 in. (New meet record -Old record 42 ft. 71/2 in. Coutts (SB) 1955).

Mile relay — Santa Barbara (Collins, Smith, Morris, Godfrey), 3:32.5.

RUSS HOYT '59, RAY WARD '59 SPORTS EDITOR ASST. SPORT EDITORS

Gaucho Cagers Bow To Pasadena 84-77 In NAIA Playoff

Tuesday, March 5, 1957

In what amounted to their last game of the season, the SBC cagemen dropped to Pasadena-Nazarene, a hard-fought game. The two fives played at the Bellflower High School gym last Saturday night before a most impressive crowd, but the superior rebounding strength of the Pasadena quintet was too much for the Gauchos.

Though the rebounding statistics of 54-54 show a close battle on the boards, the much taller Crusaders completely dominated the boards. Santa Barbara was getting only one shot from the floor and were not hitting well enough to offset Pasadena.

The Gauchos hit 29 field goals for 76 attempts, netting a 38 percent shooting average, while Nazarene hit 41 per cent and hit 24 of 38 at the free throw line while the Gauchos got 19 of 25.

The use of a full court press to overcome th evicious height advantage was not as effective without the service of veterans Dick Acres at center, guard Leroy Herrick and forward Lee

The Crusaders though not boosted earlier in the game, had it 46-33 at the half. A few minutes into the second half and it ship of the tough Gaucho wall.

was 54-37. Then the Gauchos began to trim down the lead somewhat. The Gauchos got the lead down to a close 64-57 . . . but a seven point Pasadena streak set up a lead which even a last four minute Gaucho surge could not cope with.

This was the last basketball game of the '56 - '57 season, and leaves the Gauchos with a 7-16 college competition record and an 8-16 overall. The final Gaucho CCAA record was 5-3.

Puailoa, Morris, Pullman Feted at **Football Banquet**

Last Thursday night in Santa Barbara at a banquet held by the Santa Barbara Booster's Club, Sut Puailoa, Johnny Morris, and Jic Pullman received the year's crowning football honors.

Sut Puailoa was named as the most valuable player, and received his trophy as well as a watch for being one of the two game captains for the season.

Johnny Morris, Gaucho half back was named outstanding back, and received his trophy as well as a watch for being the other game captain of the year.

Representing the line, Jim Pullman was awarded the outstanding lineman trophy in recognition for his veteran leader-

LA STATE DESTROYS GAUCHO NCAA HOPES

Santa Barbara's Gauchos suffered a triple setback last night as they dropped their third CCAA Conference game in a row by bowing to Los Angeles State College 72-71.

The UCSB quintet missed out on a chance to represent the CCAA in the NCAA Regional playoffs at Reno, Nevada, Tuesday against the University of Nevada, they missed a chance to share in their first Conference Crown since 1941 and also lost the services of star forward and All-Conference Nominee Lee Smelser for the major part of the second half and possibly any

post season play.

The Gaucho's loss left them with a 5-3 CCAA slate, one win short of a first place tie with San Diego's Aztecs who sport a 6-2

Los Angeles State currently has a 4-3 mark and can tie the locals with a win over Cal Poly's mustangs, also 4-3, in their final game of the

Gauchos Lead at Half

The Gauchos led at the half way mark 43-38. The Diablos started the second half with a full court press and quickly narrowed the margin to 43-42 with "Sinny" Blanton connecting on two long jump shots for the visitors.

At this point Smelser injured his right knee cap in a skirmish under the Gaucho basket and had to be carried from the floor.

Seconds later the visitors went ahead for the first time of the evening to take a 46-43 lead.

A hook by Dick Acres closed the point spread to one and Don Hoopengarners first of two free throws tied the score at 46 all. Hoopengarner missed his second charity toss but grabbed the rebound and connected for two points on a jump shot to make it

The Diablos moved ahead again and the Gauchos couldn't catch them until Jim Whalen tallied on a long set shot to give the UCSB five a 65-64 lead. Acres put a jump shot in to increase the margin to three points with two minutes and 42 sec-

onds left in the game.

Two tip-ins by Diablo center Bob Laemmle put the visitors back in front 68-67. Barkey Nets Two

Ralph Barkey, who kept the Gauchos in the game after Smelser was injured, netted one on a set at the 1:21 mark and it looked as if the Gauchos had the win

The locals couldn't stave off the Diablos however and Laemmle added two more digits followed by two charity tosses by Jack Swartzbaugh.

Two free throws by Acres brought the Gauchos to a one point deficit but a last second desperation shot by Barkey caromed off the rim as the gun sounded.

GAUCHOS DEFEAT ALUMS **OPENER**

Santa Barbara's Gauchos, showing a classy staff and clutch hitting, opened the 1957 gaseball season with a 6-2 victory over an Alumni squad last Saturday.

Keeping the old grads at bay with but four hits were Bob Pope, Jim Hezlep, Ron Huesser, and "Satchell" Biggers.

With the game six innings old, the Gauchos held a narrow 2-0 lead on single markers in the second and fifth innings. In the seventh, however, an inside-thepark home run by first baseman Roger Wilson of the alums tied the score at 2-2.

The Gauchos successfully recaptured the lead in the bottom the seventh on some hitting by shortstop Pat Mills. It was his second hit of the day, a screaming line drive double through the middle of the alumni

In the last of the eighth, the Santa Barbara ball club put the game on ice with a big three-run

STATISTICS

Alumni (2)	AB	H	E
Gorrie, cf	3	0	0
Chauson, 3b	4	0	0
Davis, ss	2	1	1
Stevens, rf	4	1	0
Miller, If	4	0	0
Raeburn, 2b	4	0	0
Wilson, 1b	3	2	2
Arons, c	3	0	1
Counts, p	1	0	0
Cohen, p	2	0	0
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	30	4	4
UCSBC (6)	AB	H	E
Wipf, rf	3	0	0
Coulter, 2b	4	0	0
Mills, ss	5	2	0
Walski, 3b	4	1	0
Brunello, lf	3	0	0
Iman, cf	5	2	0
Wright, c	3	2	0
Evans, 1b	1	0	1
Pope, p	1	0	0
Keller, 1b	1	0	0
Hezlep, p	1	0	0
Huesser, p	1	0	0
Biggers, p	1	1	0
	33	8	1

rally, highlighted by Dave Iman's second double and a two run single by Biggers.

The Gauchos hope to stay on the victory path this weekend as they travel to the border city for contest with the San Diego MC RD and San Diego NTC.

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Goode Continues Discussion of Amendments

In continuing the discussion on the Constitution change from last week, may I point out some facts about the said proposals that might not be too evident, but are quite vital to the issue.

First, that the proposers of the amendments are all from the same living group, and that the two who write all the articles supporting the changes are roommates.

Secondly, that they seem to be in a great hurry to put these changes through, with the first public notice appearing Feb. 19, the first petitions appearing after the holiday, a week later, and approved the election schedule for the first part of April—a total time lapse of 45 days.

Petition Unnecessary

Third, that no petition is required so that these amendments could be discussed, and that anyone signing such a petition is advocating the changes—something not so clear on casual examination of the petition.

Fourth, that at no time was either I or the Legislative Council asked to venture an opinion on the new amendments—I wonder why?

Fifth, the argument that the new amendments would give us a type of government similar to the Federal Government's is true but a somewhat ludicrous one to make since there is a tremendous difference in the way we operate and the way they operate. A better comparison is "How do these changes compare to the method used to choose representatives and members of the Student Council at other colleges?"

58 Similar to Us

Here are the facts. Of the 82 colleges in the 12 Western States, including British Columbia, 58 have identical or very similar ways of electing officers and representatives as our present method. Seven have the type of system advocated by the proposers of the amendments. Twelve

schools had a different type, while in the case of five schools it was not possible to tell the exact system.

The existing clause that any petition for a Constitutional amendment must be approved is a good one, and put there for a wise reason. Before any legislative body feels that a petition is valid it must assure itself that the people who signed the petition were *informed* people, to whom was available the necessary information to make such a decision.

A Look at Petition

Let us examine this petition. To fully know this issue it would require a knowledge of the present Constitution and how the system actually, not theoretically, works. A knowledge of the advantages and weaknesses of the present Constitution, as well as those of the proposed one, including a knowledge of other types of constitutions, is necessary before one should feel he could advocate the change.

It is my belief that the Legislative Council, as any body elected to uphold the interests of all the students should honestly do, will re-fute the petition and form a committee to make a complete study of our Constitution and how to improve it. It would be composed of members of the Legislative Council, informed representatives of all the groups on campus, as well as faculty and administrative advisors. After such study, amendments would be put before the student body.

Rome was not built in a day and a new Constitution should not be pushed through in a month's time, with no study of what will result from it, how it will work, whether it is better all around than the old one, and whether there is a better one than both it and the old one. To do so is nothing more than pressure politics. No one expects to buy a pig in a poke. I don't expect the student body to buy one either.

Dick Goode '57 ASUCSBC President

FORUM...FORUM...FORUM...FORUM

Dear Sir

In Tuesday's El Gaucho the statement was made that "a high ranking member of the fraternity hierarchy" said that "If El Gaucho published the names of the fraternities with restrictive clauses, we could expect to 'find people standing on your front yard throwing rocks through your windows.'"

When I asked the Editor of El Gaucho who the individual was that made the above statement he expressed surprise at my short memory and said that I was the one who made the statement. I then reminded "El Gaucho" (as the Editor terms himself) that when I JOKINGLY made the remark "throwing rocks", I immediately followed it by saying that he would naturally gain the enmity of various fraternity men on campus and I did not literally mean that they would throw said "missiles."

When asked why he did not print the whole of my statement, the Editor said, "The part that I printed was the part that 'stuck in my craw', and that if I had printed the whole thing my position would have been weakened." I then asked him if he thought that he was making a fair presentation of the facts. His answer to me was, and I quote, "Fairness has nothing to do with my article as it is an editorial and not a news story."

When fairness is in opposition to the Editorial Policy of the

newspaper of a Liberal Arts College, then something should be done about it!

Sincerely yours,

Dan Hon '57

Editor's Note:

Score a hit and a miss for Dan Hon. Noel McGinn does not term himself El Gaucho. The error Dan has made is a failure to realize that any unsigned editorial appearing in El Gaucho speaks for the entire Editorial Board, whose names regularly appear in our staff box.

All unsigned editorials must be approved by a majority of these five people—anyone can author the editorial.

Dan is correct in reproving Mr. McGinn on the matter of fairness. He was, at the time he spoke those words, speaking as an individual and not as a representative of this paper.

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