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COUNCIL POSITIONS OPEN

Women Enjoy W.A.A. Fete

Thursday, Sept. 23, at 5 p.m. the women of State College met in front of the gym to begin the annual Hare and Hound Chase. Three different trails led the various teams in a timed race to Rocky Nook where prizes were awarded to the winners. The menu consisted of pork and beans, mixed green salad, French bread, coffee, and ice cream. Following dinner the W.A.A. board was introduced after which the hikers were entertained with games and a community sing consisting mainly of service songs.

Darlene Sherfey was general chairman of the affair. She was assisted by Dorothy Dickey, who had charge of food, and Catherine Merritt, who had charge of trails.

Girls were informed that hockey started last Monday, but there is still room for more players. Those interested should meet on the field 9th hour.

Members of the W.A.A. board are Marje Lassell, president; Pat Burke, vice president; Darlene Sherfey, secretary; Catherine Merritt, intermural sports manager; Dorothy Dickey, athletic manager. W.A.A. sponsor is Miss Dorothy Van Deman.

Music Department Enrollment High

In spite of the general low enrollment in school this year, the music department continues to thrive. Anticipating the lack of men, there is no A Cappella Choir or band. However, the Women's Glee club is one of the largest organizations on campus, and the Mixed Madrigal Ensemble has been filled. The orchestra has a large personnel, but more musicians will be welcomed.

Dr. Van A. Christy expects a normal season of recitals and concerts which will be open to the public. There is also a possibility that some solo work will be incorporated into the assembly program.

First department meeting will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 28, where activities for the coming year will be discussed and officers elected.

Hopper Elected Senior Prexy

Elections of class officers for the coming year were held Tuesday, Sept. 14, with the exception of the freshman class the results are final. Later in the semester the freshmen will meet and hold another election. At that time permanent officers will be chosen.

Senior class officers: president, Dorothy Hopper; vice president, Dorothy Lypps; secretary-treasurer, Bob Leonard; publicity chairman, John Campbell; social chairman, Odie Myers; representatives, Barbara E. Burtis, Gloria Gherini; sponsor, Mr. L. E. Chenoweth.

Junior class officers: president, Ed Hambly; vice-president and social chairman, Barbara Berry; secretary-treasurer, Barbara Shedd; representatives, Genevieve Gibney, Hartford Archibald; sponsor, Dr. E. Noble.

Sophomore class officers: president, Carolyn Viets; vice-president, Bill Lawrence; secretary-treasurer, Virginia Landon; representatives, Billie Boye, Betty Patterson.

Freshman class officers: president, Bob Hardy; representative, Betsy Rose.

Yacht Club Gives Tests

Gathering at East Beach on Sunday, September 19, the Yacht Club held its first meeting of the season.

At that time applicants for the club proved their eligibility by various swimming tests. Those desiring to become members may do so by making application and passing the swimming test at East Beach, Sunday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Officers of the Club are Commodore, Bob Stansbury; Secretary, Paula Stansbury; Treasurer, Cathy Reid.

Any person who would like to edit the Handbook for this fall is asked to contact Harold Martin in the Graduate Manager's office. No special qualifications are required. Both new and old students are asked to apply with the exception of incoming Freshmen.

Opening the first Associated Student Council meeting of the 43-44 school year by giving the oath to new members, President Wilf Seaman presented several problems to those assembled.

Due to many persons leaving school, there are now four council positions and that of Editor of the Handbook to be filled. Left vacant are posts of activities control board chairman, vice-president of the student body, finance chairman and ticket chairman. Any students wishing to fill these vacancies are asked to present their applications with qualifications to the Graduate Manager's office before noon today.



WILF SEAMAN, A.S.B. President

Crown and Sceptre To Hold Meeting

Crown and Scepter, honorary women's sorority for seniors will hold their first meeting at the home of Dean Lois M. Benink, Sunday, October 3.

Eligibility for membership in the organization is based on scholarship and extra-curricular activities of the women prior to their senior year.

Rocky Nook Scene of Picnic

Y.W.C.A. members opened the season with a lively picnic at Rocky Nook, Wednesday, September 22.

Entertainment consisted of several games, volley ball and baseball.

Lending a more serious note to the day was the initiation of new members into the organization. Membership cards were then given to those who participated in the ceremony.

Committees for the affair were initiation, Nancy Morrison, Jean Allinder, Betty Horn; invitations, Esther Foley, Jean Scott, Lily Atkinson; food, Jean Scott, Pat Burke; clean-up, Lila Atkinson.

Miss Marion Hammond is sponsor of the organization.

October 15 was set as tentative date for a dance with the Marines at the Marine Air Corps Station at Goleta. One hundred and fifty college women have been asked to attend the dance. Those women desiring to participate may sign on the bulletin board in the administration building.

Music will be furnished by an orchestra composed of enlisted men from the base. Transportation will be furnished for the women to and from the dance. Dress-sport will be appropriate for the evening's entertainment.

Members of this year's council are president, Wilf Seaman; secretary, Bea Terres; A.W.S. president, Dorothy Sands; W.A.A. president, Marje Lassell; Editor El Gaucho, Marjorie Simmons; Social committee chairman, Edie Van Meter; rally committee chairman, Dorothy Kenniston; senior class representatives, Barbara Burtis, Gloria Gherini; junior class representatives, Hartford Archibald, Jane Gibney; sophomore class representatives, Billie Boye, Betty Patterson; freshman class representative, Betsy Rose.

Music Group Plans Concert

Phi Lambda Mu, women's honorary music sorority, will hold its first meeting of the semester on Wednesday, September 29 at the home of Dixon Howell. There, plans for the annual spring concert will be discussed as well as plans for the entertainment of service men.

Any students wishing to work on El Gaucho are asked to contact Marjorie Simmons or Edie Van Meter either in the El Gaucho office or through the mail boxes. Any help will be appreciated



states, "has been formally endorsed by the heads of every political party of France except Petain's, by every labor union, and by every underground organization." Not only did Hull cavil over the Free French seizure of St. Pierre and Miquelon islands, but he mollified Vichy France for over two years, collaborated in the person of Robert Murphy with pro-Vichyites in Africa, and has deemed unworthy of proper recognition the labors of General De Gaulle. He has assuaged unctuously the sensitive feelings of Fascist Spain.

He has dismissed Welles, the only liberal in his collection of antiques and now he is angered because the American people protest too much. Indeed the forthright Drew Pearson has been branded with the unseemly epithet of "chronic liar" because he did complain. With Welles gone, and the Russophobe James Dunn at his elbow, he will make even more rocky the path to Soviet-American understanding.

Perhaps most clearly of all, we see his intentions in his at-

titude toward our elusive conquest, Italy. Nourishing the claims of Savoy, he is preserving intact the local despotic machinery and dashing the hopes of secularism. Most lamentable of all is the fact that our president tacitly approves Hull's reactionary interpretation of foreign affairs. Are the dictators to be outlawed in this roundabout fashion? Are we to have permanent peace and security by squelching the little man of Europe and elevating a Sovoyard or a Petain?

We are today engaged in a bitter and total war—the majority of us wholeheartedly and even with sacrifice. We are told that this war will insure the democratic principles, the four freedoms to all men. But can it be that in our State department, ridden as it is with inefficiency and career diplomacy, there is dominant the spirit of Metternich, the obdurate obsession with the status quo?

Is this auspicious for the brave new world?

E.C.

EDITORIAL

Last week, Americans were clutching tenaciously at the beachheads in Italy. Red armies smashed deeper into the Ukraine, the headlines said. The Jap stronghold at Salamaua had been captured by MacArthur and the Aussies, and Lae was doomed to similar fate. Festung Europa seemed but an idle Hitlerian conceit as Germans withdrew from Norway and Finland. To many, the beginning of the end had arrived.

With the far horizon of victory in view, with hope in the air, the minds of the thoughtful naturally turn more and more to the peace and a post-war world. Our "good, gray" Cordell Hull, although some would prefer "senile, vituperative", has declared that our primary consideration should be the pursuit of the war effort; time enough

to think of peace when the war is won. This admonition is good enough for the far-sighted among the American people, but not sufficient for our secretary of state. For his current machinations present the prima facie conclusion that he is manipulating a post-war world incompatible with the democratic ideals of the people who are winning this war for us.

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Odie

JACK ROSE

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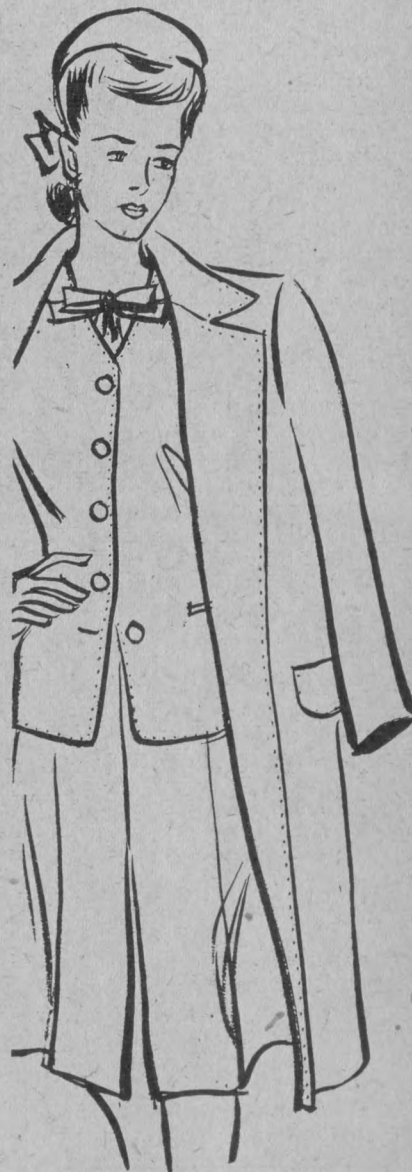
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Odie

Jack Rose

1117 STATE STREET

Goebel Elected Pan-Hellenic Head

Members of womens Greek organizations on campus this week held their first meetings on Monday evening. Arrangements were made concerning the coming fall social events, and elections were held for offices vacated by non-returning students. Lucy Goebel was elected Pan-Hellenic president, the position recently occupied by Helen Virginia Webster.

CHI DELTA CHI

The first meeting of Chi Delta Chi was spent in planning the date for their first Open House. Plans were also made concerning the Faculty Tea to be held in the near future. Chi Delts announced their full support of the student body Marine dance.

DELTA SIGMA EPSILON

Members met at the home of Jean Dyers on Lausen Road for a short meeting. Dates for Open House were discussed and a tentative date for the Faculty Tea was made.

PHI KAPPA GAMMA

Election of officers constituted the main portion of the meeting. Lucy Goebel was elected President, the position recently vacated by Helen Virginia Webster. Edith Sutherland is the new treasurer and Marion Hoffman was chosen corresponding secretary.

Dates for the first Open House and the Faculty Tea were discussed.

ALPHA THETA CHI

Holding the second meeting of the semester, Alpha Theta Chi made arrangements for their Open House and Faculty Tea. The traditional box of chocolates was passed announcing the engagement of Faye Thompson, Alpha Thete alumnus, to Lt. Anthony McGowan.

Following the meeting a party was held honoring Mrs. Anita Hitchcock, sponsor and house-mother for the sorority. At that time she was presented with a silver candy dish, an expression of the appreciation of the girls.

SIGMA DELTA PHI

Members spent the evening making out the calendar for the semester. The first Open House tea was planned for October 12, with a patriotic motif as the scheme. A Faculty Breakfast was also planned at this time.

Chocolates were passed by Mildred Forward announcing her engagement to Rodney Colvin, U.S.N.R., former member of Sigma Tau Gamma.

GIRLS!

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Due to a new order recently from Washington, all men attending state education institutions are required to take some class in physical education regardless of their unit standing.

All men who have not reported either to Mr. Terry Dearborn or Dean C. D. Woodhouse are asked to do so immediately. No credit of any kind will be given men who have not completed this new physical education requirement.

GAMMA DELTA CHI

Gamma Delts set the date for their Faculty Tea on October 31. Dates were also scheduled for Open House teas.

An election was held at which time Dolly Geissler was chosen as treasurer.

Gamma Delt members announced their full support of the Marine dance scheduled in mid-October.

DELTA ZETA DELTA

Delta Zetes held their first meeting at the new Sorority House on Alameda Padre Serra and spent the evening electing new officers and setting dates for their annual Faculty Breakfast and Open Houses. October 17 was the date scheduled for the Faculty Breakfast to be held at the home of Mrs. Jane Abraham.

New officers elected are secretary, Barbara Burtis; treasurer, Kathryn Stockton; alumnae representative, Dorothe Regan; pledge-captain, Jean McClure; social chairman, Edie Van Meter; sergeant-at-arms, Odie Meyers.

Marge Simmons, Shirley Rogers, and Helen Mitchell passed chocolates announcing their engagements.

Dimes y Diretes

by EDIE VAN METER

Ever since I was a wee tot . . . and I was a wee tot once . . . I've wanted to write a column. Now, I am faced with a glaring Underwood, an empty cerebellum and six inches of space. I'd shiver in my boots if the ration board would give me boots to shiver in, and California would allow such a thing. I press an icy hand to a feverish brow, close my eyes and start to write.

Welcome, dear freshmen. With a 10 to one ration welcome anyway. Some of you aren't doing so badly, though. Consider MARGARET UPSON, blonde frosh whose Marine Cpl. supplied a whole house of gals with dates . . . not to mention keeping her busy three weeks in a row.

RALPH JOHNSON, one of THE remaining junior men, says farewell to S.B.S.C. this week to report to Cal Poly to start his training in the Naval Air Corps.

The DZD's enjoyed ten pounds of hard won goodies Monday night when HELEN MITCHELL announced her two weeks old engagement to JACK STONER, and MARGE SIMMONS her forthcoming marriage to SGT. JACK ANDERSON of the Marine Corps. SHIRLEY ROGERS also announced her coming marriage to LT. DICK DEMORY, former Santa Barbaran, now of the Armored forces, on October 3.

Ex-Gauchos, now in the Marines, on the beach last Sunday . . . LANDO FIDELIO, BUD CARNEY, WALLY COLE, DICK FOX, and LARRY OSBORNE report the service is treating them well and keeping them happy.

To those gals who like to dance: Don't forget that we're planning a dance with the Marines on Friday, October 15. If you're interested in an evening

Picnic Held At Oak Park

Featuring a dinner of Spanish food, the Science department held their first social event of the year at Oak Park, Tuesday, September 21, at 4:30 p.m.

Entertainment consisted of baseball and volleyball games between the faculty and students.

A business meeting will be held in the near future for election of officers.

Chairmen of the event were Lorraine Delbrook and Pat Lynch.

of fun and entertainment, remember that only 150 women can attend, and that you want to be first to put your name on that list. Details will be given later through El Gaucho.

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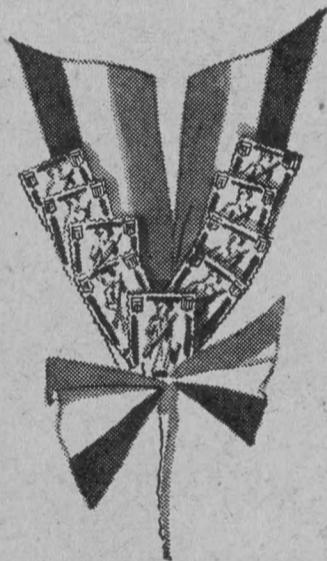


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Fall Enrollment Reaches 674 Peak

According to Jane Miller Abraham, registrar, 674 students have registered at State college for the fall semester. Returning students number 407, freshmen, 176, and 91 transfers from other institutions.

This is a small number in comparison to the figure from last



JANE MILLER ABRAHAM

Welcome Freshmen

by EDIE VAN METER

We welcome you
Indeed we do
To S.B. State College.

And hope you're here
For play and good cheer
As well as a little knowledge.

Tho' the ratio's 10 to one
Our programs spell fun
And we mind not, being under-
maned;

For there is a near-by base
Ah . . . what a lovely place
Where the situation's very well
in hand.

The only task
Of you, we ask is
That you cooperate!

It's up to you
To help us carry thru
And our semester will prove to
be great!

fall. After the first week of school for the 42-43 school year, enrollment was 1016, with 337 men included in this report. Although the difference is great, enrollment for this term is much larger than expected.

About half the men on campus, says Dean C. D. Woodhouse, are expecting calls into the Army or Navy reserves. The remainder are exempt for various reasons, some having been in the service and discharged for medical causes.

War Makes Changes On State Campus

One of the greatest changes this second major war has brought to our campus is the almost total lack of men and fraternities. In past years fraternities have taken a lead in planning and backing affairs which have added greatly to the social life here. It is hoped that new avenues for activities will be opened with the help of the Marines located in Goleta.

Although the records are not fully completed the number of men who have attended Santa Barbara College for at least one semester, and who are now in service, stands at 1063.

Killed in action: Ensign Phil Bates, Army cadet Vernon Duncan, Lt. Stuart C. Elder, Lt. Sid Getowitz, Lt. Cyril Hartley, Seaman Isaac Kahn, Lt. John MacLean, Major Dave Maynard, Lt. Robert Newman, Lt. Marvin Palmer, Lt. Jack Peres, Capt. Robert Purvis, Navy Cadet Frank Rafferty, Lt. Don Ripsch, Cpl. Charles Saling, Lt. William Walker, Ensign Jack Wilke, Av. Rad. William Owens, Lt. "Bud" Sullivan, Lt. "Tex" Magness, Lt. Gerald Swatzberg, Seaman Joe Lindsay, Radio W. T. Owens.

Missing in action: Lt. Danny Logan, Capt. Alec Simpson, Rex Eckles.

Prisoners of war: Seaman Henry Beherns, Ensign James McGrath.

Any student possessing information which would assist in keeping the records up to date is requested to bring such information to Dr. Irving Mather's office.

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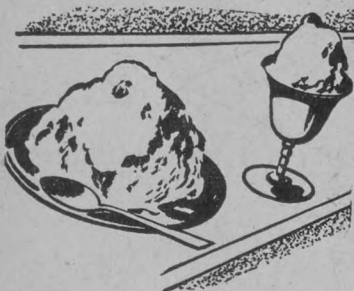


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