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Singers Vie for Trophy

Five Colleges Enter
Men's and Women's
Choral Groups

Trophy to Be Awarded
Contest Selections
Are Chosen From
Two Numbers

Men's and women's glee clubs from five colleges, including Santa Barbara State, will vie for the silver trophy to be awarded by James G. Warren of Los Angeles to the winner of the Pacific Southwest Intercollegiate Glee Club association contest, which will be held at 8 p.m. on April 6, in the Santa Barbara high school auditorium.

Mr. Warren will be accompanied by his daughter, Eleanor Warren, who composed "Song on a May Morning," one of the contest numbers of the women's glee clubs. Entering the contest are colleges from San Diego, Pomona, Redlands, Occidental and Santa Barbara.

Contest numbers for the women's glee clubs will be selected from two songs, "Emite Spiritum" by Schuetky, and "Song on a May Morning" by Eleanor Warren. "Morning Hymn" by Henchel and "Requiem" by Brahms have been practiced by the men's glee clubs. One of these numbers will be sung for the contest.

Registration and rehearsals for the 300 glee club members will take place on this campus during the morning, making up the largest off-campus group entertained in the history of Santa Barbara State college. A banquet will be held at El Paseo before the contest. The Associated Women students will sponsor a reception with informal dancing in Ebbets hall immediately afterwards.

Tone-Quality
Tone-quality and presentation are the two essentials to be considered in judging the winner of the five colleges. San Diego State college was awarded the trophy last year. Two years ago Pomona college carried off national honors as well as first prize in the Southwestern Intercollegiate Glee club contest.

Directors of the glee clubs who will attend are Miss Deborah Smith, head of the music department, and Fred Beidleman, San Diego State college; W. P. Olds, University of Redlands; Ralph Lyman, Pomona college; Cyril Swan, Occidental college and Mrs. Helen M. Barnett and Clifford Leedy, Santa Barbara State college.

The student committee, working with the educators, consists of Lois Jo McPheeters, manager of the women's glee club; Allan Lambourne, manager of the Men's glee club, and Harold De Jonge.

Drama Class Performs Soon

Mrs. Harold Davis' play production class is now working on an entertaining program of three one-act plays to be given soon, preferably before Easter vacation.

The three plays now in rehearsal are, "When the Whirlwind Blows," a tragedy by Essex Dane; "Sad About Europe," by Philip Johnson; and "The Gray Overcoat," a mystery drama by William Randall.

An interesting method is being used in regard to the settings for the plays. The same flats are to be used with a few minor changes in scenery for each play. This method is used extensively at the Pasadena Community Playhouse in both their one act and three act plays.

This program is being put on for the sole purpose of entertaining the students, and no admission will be charged.

H. Wells Speaks to Nature Study Class

The nature study group of the evening high school heard Harrington Wells, State faculty member, discuss the California food and game fish last Tuesday.

He noted that commercial fishing is one of the largest industries in the state, and that although California game fish are nationally publicized, their habits are not generally known.

Announcement Deadline Set

The deadline for ordering senior announcements is April 12. Samples of cards and announcements can be seen in the display case in front of the co-op store or may be obtained from Miss Clara Wylats. Seniors are urged to order their cards and announcements as soon as possible.

"April the 12th, the last day before Easter vacation, is absolutely the final day for ordering the announcements," says Martin Verhoeven. Announcements are ten cents apiece.

W.A.A. Play Day Success Despite Rain

In spite of rainy weather the annual Play Day which took place last Saturday on the Santa Barbara State college campus was quite successful, according to members of the Women's Athletic Association, in charge of activities.

The pirate hunt which was to be the main feature of the event was not given because of the rain. However relays, deck tennis, badminton, shuffleboard and volleyball served as enjoyable activities for those present.

A pirate dance given by Olive De Mott, Grace Roscoe, Clara Ross, Helen Gray, La Rue Steelsmith and Lorraine Koehly was well received during assembly. Registration for the 12 schools represented took place in the administration building at 9 a.m. Relays, indoor games and folk dances were the main activities until noon.

Box Lunch
At noon the pirates had box lunches in the gym. After luncheon each school performed a stunt. Irene Samson, Doris Martin, Frances Heminyaw and Dorothy Weber were in charge of games and entertainment.

Attending Play Day were delegates from Santa Ynez, Santa Paula, Oxnard, Fillmore, San Luis Obispo, Lompoc, Carpinteria, Nordoff and Santa Barbara high schools; Santa Barbara Catholic Girls school and Ventura junior college.

Women Attend A.W.S. Council at Whittier 'U'

As guests of Whittier college, Lucille Bolton, Julia Lynch and Wilma Kiesner, official delegates, left the campus Friday morning, March 22, to attend an A. W. S. convention.

Miss Edith Churchill, former manager of State college cafeteria, entertained the visitors at a luncheon.

The women registered on the Whittier campus at one o'clock, and then attended a general inspection of the campus. At six o'clock, the guests were present at a banquet at the College Inn. Mrs. Mendenhall, wife of the president of the college, gave the welcome address. The following morning the delegates met in a final meeting at Platner hall, lunched at Green Arbor Inn, and left on the return trip at one o'clock.

The purpose of the convention was to discuss questions and problems facing the A. W. S. association of Southern California colleges.

Other colleges represented at the convention were University of Redlands, Pomona college, Occidental college, and the host, Whittier college.

E. E. Ericson Speaks at Institute Meet

E. E. Ericson, head of the industrial education department of this college, has been invited to speak in an institute program for industrial arts teachers, which is to be held on Thursday evening of this week in Los Angeles.

The meeting was arranged by Howard D. Campion, assistant superintendent of schools in Los Angeles. The general topic for the evening is "Current Problems of Industrial Arts" and Mr. Ericson will speak upon "Present Trends in Curriculum Construction."

The program which is held in the Frank Wiggins Trade school, will begin with a dinner at 6:30. Superintendent Campion will be the toastmaster at the dinner and in charge of the following programs of entertainment and addresses.

Figures Show Percentage of Student Grads

Only one-fifth of the freshmen students enrolling at the Santa Barbara State college study diligently enough to complete the work required to graduate from the institution within the usual four year period, according to the results of a recent survey made by Clarence L. Phelps, president of the college.

Taking the class of 1930 as an example, it was found that less than 25 per cent of the students who had entered succeeded in keeping their grades high enough to continue their studies and to measure up to the scholastic standards set by the college.

38 Per Cent Stop

Of the 200 members in the 1930 class, 38 per cent were either disqualified or had to leave school while on the verge of disqualification, and some of them did not complete even one semester's work.

In addition to the 19 per cent who completed their four year term and graduated from State, 5.5 per cent are still enrolled in the college and "are likely to graduate," according to Mr. Phelps.

In regard to the other reasons why students left school it was found that four per cent left because of their health; 13.5 per cent were transferred to other schools;

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D.Z.D. Presents Fashion Show at El Mirasol

For the benefit of their scholarship fund, the Delta Zeta Delta social sorority presented a fashion show at El Mirasol Hotel last Saturday afternoon.

About two hundred guests witnessed the style show given under the direction of Mrs. Esther Ludeke. Much of the credit for the success of the affair goes to Mrs. Ludeke for her excellent work of direction. She is the president of the local section of alumnae in Santa Barbara, and also is president of the Delta Zeta Delta alumnae association.

During the earlier part of the afternoon the guests played bridge. Music for the fashion parade was furnished by Vic Janssen and his orchestra.

In place of their annual book usually published, the sorority decided to give a benefit fashion show and bridge.

Dresses for the afternoon, evening, and the street were presented by the Jack Rose Smart Shop. The gowns were modelled by Ella Cornwall, Kay Case, Myrtle Holt, Louise Holden, Betty Remp, Lillian Talbot, Florence Stuart, and the sponsor, Mrs. Byron Abraham.

Beach and play togs shown by the Ott's Sport Shop were modelled by Catherine Cornwall, Margaret Beddome, Persis Freeman, Ruth Hilty, Connie Allen, Lita Boeseke and Mary Lee Townsend.

Riding and sports clothes from the Mayfair Shop were exhibited by Betty Greenwell, Ellen Roe and Nancy Davens.

General committee in charge of the event was composed of Rose Greenwell, Betty Greenwell, Florence Stuart and Ester Ludeke.

Co-sponsor of the sorority is Mrs. Charles Ott.

Enterprising Pirates of State Answer Call of Seas in "Mutiny on the Bounty"

"Yo-ho my lads, heave-ho me hearties, the sea calls every man." That was the challenge, and several Santa Barbara State college Gauchos answered it. Among the enterprising pirates were Doug Oldershaw, Joe Robinson, Harry Killian, Leroy Findlay, Harold Sanderson, Don Hart and Harold Hart.

With the arrival of the Bounty and her sister-ship, Pandora, in the harbor for the purpose of filming the picture, "Mutiny on the Bounty," many gallant lads from Santa Barbara State donned striped blue and white sailor pants, wigs tied in pig-tails, and their most truculent sneers, and embarked on a movie career. Some wore bandanas on their heads, some carried daggers between their teeth, and some even wore grim, black hats, formidable reminders of the days of Captain Kidd.

One of the hardest jobs was rowing the longboats and towing the Bounty. In this scene, the ship was supposed to be becalmed in mid-ocean. For inexperienced seamen,

Teachers Resume Positions

Nettles, R. McKelvey
Return From Leave
of Absence

History Instructors
Scanlan and Ganzert
Leave; Year of Work
Completed

Two former Santa Barbara State college teachers, H. Edward Nettles and Raymond G. McKelvey, will return to the State college at the beginning of the fall semester to resume their teaching courses, according to word received by President Clarence L. Phelps.

Both Dr. Nettles and Mr. McKelvey are connected with the social science department. Dr. Nettles during the past two years has been active at the Springfield, Missouri, State Teachers college. While there he has been teaching and doing research work. He is a graduate of Cornell and was obtained to teach for State while on a leave of absence from his former college.

Works on Doctorate
Mr. McKelvey has been attending Columbia University where he has been studying to complete his doctor's degree. McKelvey did his undergraduate work at Pomona.

Dr. Ralph Scanlan and Dr. Fredrick Ganzert were selected to fill the vacancies left by Nettles and McKelvey and at the present time it is not known whether or not these men will leave, although Dr. Scanlan may go to Washington to assist as junior member of the "brain trust," advising the president on social legislation.

Mr. Phelps explained that Nettles and McKelvey did not give up their teaching status at State but they would return. At the end of the first year their leaves were extended at their request, since their work was being satisfactorily done by Dr. Scanlan and Dr. Ganzert.

Dr. Scanlan has resumed his duties as an officer of the Democratic club. He previously had requested a leave of absence because his academic burden was too heavy.

Heads Convene for Session at Arizona State

During the latter part of May, a meeting of the Pacific States Presidents association will be held at Phoenix, Arizona with the Arizona State Teachers college at Tempe acting as host. The purpose of the meeting is to exchange functional policies among the student body presidents.

All student body presidents and elects from colleges and universities of the Pacific states are invited to attend. The conference is to last three days.

Alden Smith of the University of California is president of the association, and William Clark of University of Arizona at Tucson is secretary-treasurer.

Debate Team Splits Meet at Redlands

Upsetting an old score, the Santa Barbara State college debating team composed of Garlyn Basham and Bill Ogle defeated the University of Redlands orators last Saturday afternoon at Redlands. The evening debate on the same topic was won by Redlands.

The topic, pertinent to present disturbances in Europe, was "Resolved: That the Nations of the World Should Agree to Prevent the International Shipment of Arms and Munitions." Although the State college debaters had prepared for the negative side, they were asked to take the affirmative just before the debate at 2:30 p. m.

Turn Tables
"Our victory is important in spite of the fact that Redlands turned the tables on us in the evening debate," said Bill Ogle. Redlands took the affirmative in this debate.

Last semester the State college team, composed of Don Livingston and Garlyn Basham, lost to the University of Redlands. Redlands also won the Pi Kappa Delta forensic tournament at Stockton this year, at which forty schools from eight different states were represented.

Women Attend Convention at Mills College

Traveling north to Oakland, 20 delegates will represent Santa Barbara State college at the convention of the Athletic Federation of College women, which will be held at Mills college, April 5 and 6.

Shirley Warner and Dorothy Weber, next year's W.A.A. president and athletic manager, respectively, will attend the convention as official delegates. Mrs. Winifred Hodgins and Miss Gladys Van Fossen, athletic instructors, will accompany the representatives. Unofficial delegates are Doris Martin, Wyllys Anderson, Ida Pagliotti, Birdena Walters, Kay Boyton, Evelyn Maitland, Lucile Gaudin, Blanche Stewart, Reva Walsh, Margaret Beddome, Geraldine Slayton, Bertha Richards, Grace Roscoe, Dorothy Taylor, Olive De Motte and Irene Samson.

"The Value of Individual and Group Sports" will be the topic which Santa Barbara will use in leading a discussion group. This convention, which is a western conference, is the same as the one held at this college last year, according to Ida Pagliotti, W.A.A. president.

The women are leaving April 3 and will return Sunday night, April 7. Saturday and Sunday will be spent in San Francisco. It is also planned that a visit will be made Friday afternoon to the Berkeley campus.

Individual automobiles will be taken on the trip.

DAUGHTER BORN

A daughter, Dolores Estelle, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Corwin of Bakersfield on March 18. Mrs. Corwin is the former Esther Gormley, elementary education, '29.

Phelps Expresses Congratulations

Congratulations! To both the debate team and the track team. The winning of a debate against Redlands is exceedingly gratifying as it is an achievement in an intellectual field of a high order and one in which this institution takes a great deal of pride.

The track team in making such a fine showing against Pomona, conference champions, deserves a great deal of credit. Nick Carter's boys are coming along fine and should promise some very outstanding results in another year.

PRESIDENT PHELPS.

'Hobo Brawl' Marks End of Beard Contest

The beard contest is ended! There are no more Russians about school! Everyone is again happy! Rejoice!

Dave Pollack, the master hair-grower was awarded the prize for the scrawniest beard—a "nickel plated" bottle of hair tonic. The fellow who had the longest and thickest beard was Bruce Le Claire; the reddest, Jean Mercer; the blackest, Charles Luse. Professor "Pop" Wells acted as judge.

All prizes were awarded at the Brawl staged at Tuckers grove last Friday. Seventy-five lads were present, and they succeeded in swallowing 30 loaves of bread (not whole, of course), and two wash tubs full of chili beans.

Many games were played, but the most interesting, perhaps, was the three legged race, in which Tim Cornwall and Jack Knight took honors.

Cliff Leedy's Band Presents Aud. Program

Rafters rang in the auditorium Tuesday morning with the strains of Barnum and Baily march, the opening number played by Cliff Leedy's Gaucho Band.

Morning Hymn, one of the contest songs for the men's glee club was sung, followed by "Old King Cole," a comic number.

Bradford Tozier played two violin solos, "A Spanish Dance," and "Capris van Waugh," by Fitz Chrysler, accompanied at the piano by Stanley Cox.

"Invictus" and "Home in Wyoming" were the numbers sung by the men's quartet, composed of William Poole, Leonard Schofield, Howard Van Winkle and Don Watson.

Allan "Bud" Lambourne, student director, led the band in March Slav, by Peter Tschalkowsky.

What's the racket? Only Gumpertz skidding down the aisle to direct the band in Humoresque—Who's Next, and how he directed it! As an encore number he did a dance to Humoresque in a sinco-pated form.

Elbert Cochran, baritone soloist, sang "That's Why Darkies Were Born," "Deep River," and "Without a Song," accompanied by Anita Cochran, his sister.

"Bud" Lambourne, Tim Cornwall and Bob Goux sang "Love Is Just Around the Corner," "Some of These Days," and "Mississippi Mud," and were accompanied by Bud Lambourne on the guitar. The program closed with the Alma Mater directed by Fred Lambourne.

Mrs. Lyans Speaks on 'Integration'

"Integration" in the elementary schools was the subject of a talk given by Mrs. Florence Lyans of the college faculty, before the third and fourth grade teachers of the City Teachers' association yesterday. Speaking at the Jefferson school Mrs. Lyans told them how the manipulative side of studies may be successfully integrated with those of the social sciences so as to make the subjects of special interest to the students.

"We are teaching the children in the schools, this creative work, not to make a list out of each one, but to add defintely to the interest in their studies and to develop an appreciation of this form of work," stated Mrs. Lyans.

Ashworth Chooses Play Cast

P. Pope, G. Goldsmith
Have Leading Roles
in Drama

One Showing Only
Play Revolves Around
Activities of Grim
Spectre of Death

With a large and experienced group of actresses and actors the Players-club is ready to begin rehearsals for "Death Takes a Holiday."

Friday, April 26, has been tentatively set as the date for the performance. Stage settings for the play will be made by the class in stage design, directed by Walter Cheever of the art department.

The two most difficult parts are being taken by Peggy Pope and Lyman Goldsmith who are playing the parts of Grazia and Prince Sirki or Death.

Remote Character
Grazia is a lovely girl of eighteen who, although sweet and kind, is very oddly remote. Mr. Goldsmith first appears as the shadow of Death. His head is covered by a black hood and his body surrounded by a long black cape. His voice is rich and full of ironic humor. On his second appearance, death is represented by Prince Sirki, who is dressed as The Grand Duke of Russia.

Alfredo Chavez, who played a lead in last semester's play, "The Royal Family," again takes a leading part, that of the Duke, a man of about forty five and owner of the large home in which the action of the play takes place. Winifred Jones takes the part of Alda, a restless, blame young woman of 28. Carolyn Hoefler plays the Dutchess, a rather mysterious woman of 40. Verlayn Byder portrays the Princess of San Lucca, a sweet woman who is maternal and solicitous.

Follett Participates
The part of the Baron Cesaria, a gruff gentleman of 70 years who has a merry eye—for beautiful women—will be played by Don Follett.

The parts of the butler and the maid have not been cast. Rhoda Fenton, a handsome girl of 24 is played by Constance Brisco. Miss Brisco has played several Lobero leads. Eric Fenton is Merrill by Robert Wilms. Thomas Merrill takes the part of Corrado, the Duke's son who is in love with Grazia, and Don Follett plays the part of the Major.

"With this splendid cast," stated manager Bill Ogle, "and an excellent play such as this one, we are sure to make a success of it."

"The play," went on Mr. Ogle, "is to be given one night only"

Phebe Steer Exhibits Dolls

A novel form of education is now being exhibited in the library. It is a collection of wooden dolls carved for Phebe Steer by her father in the days before she went to school, done for the purpose of acquainting her with figures from history, race groups and typical Americans.

The dolls are tiny, their bodies being made from spoons and their heads and limbs of other discarded materials.

Some of the most interesting dolls represent Lincoln, Washington, Wilson, Uncle Sam, John Bull, Kaiser Bill, Rip Van Winkle, Santa Claus and Beau Brummel. Foreign people reproduced are the Irish, Indians, Scotsmen and Spaniards.

Many comic strip characters, a G.O.P. elephant and a Democratic donkey, a negro band, Colonial army, Toytown fire department and police force and many barnyard animals complete the collection.

H. E. Students Save Canned Goods Labels

Are you saving labels from all the canned goods you have purchased lately? This is the request that the Home Economic club has made to all the women who are in this particular department. All labels are to be handed in by April 10 and left in the Home Economic club room.

EDITORIAL COMMENT



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Library Adds Select Books for Students

During the past two weeks the library has been made richer by the addition of some 65 new books. New purchases are being made rapidly in the spring months.

Additions in the field of science are: Trumper: Toxicology; Sollman: Manual of Pharmacology; Industrial Electronic Tubes, Manual of Experiments in Industrial Electronic Tubes; Rusby: Properties and Uses of Drugs; Cahn: Spring Dogfish; Latimer: Reference Book of Inorganic Chemistry; Davis: Modern Acoustics; Corwin: Science of Plant and Animal Life; Henderson: Good Eyes for Life.

Fiction and literature—Poole: His Family; Davis: Icebound; Gardner: Handbook of Children's Literature; Johnson: Anthology of Children's Literature; Hilton: Goodbye, Mr. Chips; Weekes: Literature and the Child; Currie: Fishers of Books; Rosenback: Books and Bidders; Canby: American Estimates; Brooks: Like Summer's Cloud; Drew: Puss in Boots; Brady: Genevieve Gertrude; Smith: First Nights and First Editions.

Biography and history—James: The Raven; Howe: Barrett Wendell and His Letters; Weaver: United States History by Units, Vol. 2; Hendrick: Training of an American; Carman: History of the United States; Nevison: Goethe; Damon: Thomas Holley Chivers; Strachey: Portraits in Miniature; Walsh: Mission Bells of California.

Art and drama—Holmes: Principles of Landscape Designing; Moses: American Dramatist; Nicoll: Masks, Mimes and Miracles; Dale: How to Appreciate Motion Pictures.

Music—Davidson: Stories From the Opera; Ewen: Composers of Today; Clark: Cowboy Songs.

Psychology—Menninger: Human Mind; Gessell: Infant Behavior; Laird: Why We Don't Like People.

Home Economics—Sherman: Food and Health.

Express Thanks for 'La Vista'

Alpha Phi Gamma wishes to express thanks to the student body for its splendid cooperation in the sales of "La Vista," in its first appearance. The sponsors feel that the enthusiasm shown in this issue has warranted the continuation of its publication next year.

S. B. State Wins National Publicity

Santa Barbara State college is getting nation wide publicity. In the March 16 issue of Chicago Daily News a picture of two State college botany students were handling a five pound mushroom, the largest on record. This picture appeared in the rotogravure section, and mentioned Santa Barbara State and California sunshine.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Editor El Gaucho: Perhaps the newly titled "La Vista" is trying to live up to the moniker of the progenitor, the "Literary Supplement" — perhaps. Anyhow, a composition of mine was refused by the editor. I don't try to kid myself that it is "literary" or "poetic" or anything other than my opinion put to bad rhythm and worse rhyme.

I am not asking you to print it because I should feel sorry for a world deprived of it, but because it would be the best way to get the little nuisance where I want it—to a group of people who would not listen to a recitation—from me.

Here it is: I realize that pedagogues have no imaginations. Though really are important cogs in life's queer machinations. Each one of them is like the wheels. We find within their heads— They just keep going round in reels. Like asses in mill-treads. (Our simile we haven't called As good as we could make it: As didn't want the thought, though bald, To be exactly naked). But to resume the clothed thought: We seem to be a-straying. But who can blame the student taught By master asses braying? We do not possibly infer That we are little asses. And know that all of you concur That stables are not classes! And though he makes the work a bore—

Figures Tell Number of Student Graduates

(Continued From Page Three) 9.5 per cent found employment other than teaching; 3 per cent either traveled or married and only 2.5 per cent were unaccounted for.

In commenting on the statistics shown by the survey, Mr. Phelps stated that two-thirds of the students who are accepted without recommendation are as successful in their college careers as accredited students.

Mrs. Florence Lyans Presents New Work

The third graders at Jefferson Elementary school, under the guidance of Mrs. Florence Lyans of the State college faculty, are at present studying life and conditions in Alaska. In connection with this subject and to add to the concreteness and interest for the students, Mrs. Lyans is going to show movies and slides of this region which she took while on a tour some time ago. By means of these movies the children's idea of Alaska as a place of only ice snow, Eskimos and polar bears will be greatly changed.

Oh, how we do despise it;— Our teacher is the model for Success—he typifies it! And though, you see, he takes a toll. Our teacher is the spirit That guides us to the final goal And leaves us nowhere near it! I realize that you can find sufficient space and justification to enable you to print this in your next edition. Be assured, I do not consider "El Gaucho" a poor substitute for "La Vista"! Quite naturally, I contributed my verse before I saw "La Vista." But neither do I like acidulous grapes. Remember—need I remind you? This piece of verification refers to pedagogues. Those rule-bound, repetitious tyrants and the intellectually humble though friendly and helpful instructors are as different as McCuffy's "First Reader" and Easley Jones's "College Composition."

—JAMES MURRAY.

CALENDAR

Wednesday, March 27—College "Y"; band. Thursday, March 28—Inter-relations club; Alpha Phi Gamma; W.A.A. board. Friday, March 29—Bridge tournament; Hell night. Saturday, March 30—Inter-fraternity dance. Sunday, March 31—Formal initiation for sororities; I. E. picnic. Monday, April 1—Fraternity night, Phi Delta Pi, social groups, Delta Phi Delta. Tuesday, April 2—Department meetings; Kappa Delta Pi.

School Head Calls Meet in Sacramento

Called by Vierling Kersey, State superintendent of schools, a meeting to discuss the budget for the State colleges was attended by President Clarence Phelps. The meeting was held last week at Sacramento and was attended by all State college presidents.

"In spite of the increased growth of some of the colleges, the budget for the biennial period will remain practically the same," according to Mr. Phelps. He also stated that some time in the near future a new plan may be worked out and presented at the proper time, but that no one knows what chance it would have of succeeding.

At the present time the cost per student is \$234.35, and if the enrollment increased sufficiently it might be lowered down to \$213.89. He pointed out that the larger the number of students attending school, the lower the expense.

I OBSERVED:

A fire engine in front of Miss Ramell's house on Monday morning. Fred Hinds sleeping in his 8 o'clock on Monday. Too much week-end, Fred? Jack Nolan and Ruth Rogers on a bench in the quad together. And we thought it was Jack Maloney all the time.

Important Announcements

Dean William Ashworth will speak to members of the English and unclassified departments next Tuesday morning in the auditorium. His subject will be "Death Takes a Holiday."

The magazine entitled "Food Buying Today" is still available and those wishing to purchase a copy may do so by paying 75 cents to Arthur Glover, Jr. this week.

There will be an important meeting of the Block S society tonight at the Anacapa club.

Senate Bill 72

Much agitation against the proposed Senate Bill 72, which would make State colleges of the present State Teachers colleges, has been coming from the University of California. An editorial which appeared some weeks ago in the Daily Californian has summed up these objections under certain headings, briefly stated as follows: (1) They are not needed; (2) Because of inadequate laboratory and library facilities, they would be educationally unsound; (3) There is not enough money in the State to finance them without limiting the funds available for the Berkeley school. The editorial concludes by saying: "For instead of one University budget seeking approval in the Legislature there would be nine. What a log-rolling contest that would be!"

It would seem what the University of California is interested in is not how much better it would be for the student public at large but how much worse it would be for their particular school.

One of the main arguments in favor of the proposed change is that it would tend towards making better smaller colleges than we now have. The small school for undergraduate work has certain advantages that cannot be overlooked, among them better opportunities in orienting students to college life, greater opportunities for student-teacher relationships, and less expensive education for those who could not afford to attend the State university.

Is not one of the strongest criticisms against modern education that it is a mass affair? That students are pushed through required courses like Fords going down a factory assembly line, the difference being that while Fords are all alike, students are not?

We do not deny that some curriculum and method changes will need to be made if the teachers colleges become State colleges, but we do resent being pushed aside simply because the State universities are having difficulties in getting their budgets accepted.

We may forgive those who bore us; we cannot forgive those whom we bore.—Rocheffoucauld.

Art—Music—Drama

To compare the story of Rigoletto, which was given by Metropolitan Civic Opera Company Friday night at the Granada, with the stories of other operas, one would not find again a more complicated, undesirable, irksome plot than this one.

Guiseppe Verdi, the father of opera, found better material in Aida, it is obvious, and he made a better musical job of it. Rigoletto music is comparatively dull because the story moves so rapidly there is no time to dwell upon the appealing sections. It jumps and scans the story with dry precision.

We were glad, of course, more than glad, to have Rigoletto come to town. In fact, anyone who did not go Friday night missed a treat. The orchestra was extraordinarily large for a traveling company, the scenery was sufficiently elaborate, and the presentation on the whole was professionally finished.

One particular thing the opera lacked was a whit of humor. We like comedy in opera, because operatic humor can be made excruciatingly funny, by a twirl of the orchestra alone, not to speak of what can be done on the stage. The capacity of music to express the unspeakable reaches into humor as well as into beauty. We are reminded of musical humor in Reinhardt's "Midsummer Night Dream" last summer in the Hollywood Bowl. Rigoletto lacked the appealing touch.

Tandy MacKenzie in the role of the Duke appealed to us especially. He had a lustrous quality, smooth and soft, and besides showing musical dexterity he exhibited an ability to act. His movements were not the impulsive, stereotype, operatic ones which we have seen and disliked; they were reserved, almost modest, and nicely appropriate. He commendably combined his drama with his music and that is an intricate task.

Rigoletto's voice and character portrayal was equally good, although his part was not particularly likeable. The rendition of the famous Rigoletto quartet deserves commendation.

Many State college students attended.

W. S. Bagdatopoulos Talks at Art Dinner

Mr. W. S. Bagdatopoulos, art student and painter, and Mrs. Bagdatopoulos were guests at the monthly dinner of the art department which was held at El Cortijo, Tuesday evening, March 26.

Mr. Bagdatopoulos is a member of the National Royal Academy of London, which is England's highest honor. He gave a short talk on his experiences as an art student and on his travels. He has studied in India and on the continent. He and his wife are shortly returning to England and from there they intend to go to Greece and later to India.

TORRID TOPICS or Bolts From a Nut

More poetry by Rezzonico: From the rock bound coast of Maine to the blue Pacific... WALNUTS. Listen my children and you shall hear... WALNUTS. It goes on like this, but don't ask us. No spikka da hainglitch.

"Hunky" Hart, an his patent leather hair, has had propositions from seven major oil companies to advertise their oils and grease.

"Corley" Clark got a note. It was one of these "best fren won't tell you, but I will" things. He was frothing at the mouth for a week.

"Findog" Findlay got 25 dollars for driving off the bowsprit of the movie company's boat. When he got back from the trip he had three teeth taken out. You figure out which end he hit on.

Concider, concider, aw helk, MUSE upon the sad case of ye colymnist. Upon walking home he was given a lift by a couple of sorority pledges. After driving about two blocks one of the girls suddenly screamed, "GOSH, gee, stuff. We are not supposed to talk to any men this week." Whereupon they forcibly ejected ye colymnist and HE HAD TO WALK HOME. His

GAUCHO GOSSIP

We overheard two co-eds chatting about "Buppy" Moore. According to their talk, he is the original heartbreaker here at State. "Buppy" however, emphatically contends that he hasn't broken a heart since he was in high school!

"Gump" Gumpertz broke down and took Letta Allen to the theater. After the show, she had an ethereal expression on her face. Was it Fred Astaire's dancing, Irene Dunne's singing, or just Gump's own dear personality?

Babe Cornwall has been walking only comment was "NO, NO, a thousand times no."

Sid De Rosa has offered to lend his profile to the "Roadrunner Review."

"Two Gun" Smith was seen parked with an unidentified male near the breakwater. (My scouts are failing).

Clemens and Coy (those two playboys of Anacapa St.) had some paddles. They were using these paddles on the campus in the most atrocious places. Some fun, hey kid. (Stuff, such and raz-ma-taz.) Games played by the Zulus: No. 6 "House"

It used to be "I Love Louisa" and "I Love a Parade" but now it is "Isle of Capris." Sorry, I left two days ago. Now I must get at my letter to my Alpha Sig, I'm going back to San Francisco.

Ah-h-h-h, not to be understood—such a pleasant, relieved feeling.

Games played by the Zulus... No. 7. HOUSE Characters: Fuller Brush Man, Ice Man, Ford Salesman and "Donk" Hart... Shucks, the game's off. Nobody was home. Ya, ya, ya, didja ever get fooled? "Why yes," she said, "And I liked it." So I stayed for tea.

Mrs. Crowell Attends District P.T.A. Meet

Mrs. Mary E. T. Crowell, State art chairman of the P.T.A., attended the board meeting of the fifteenth district at Buellton, March 22.

A short talk was given by Mrs. Crowell on art work and how art ties up with every day life.

about the campus looking kinda lost. Maybe it was because "Hunky" has been off the campus quite a bit lately. But he's back again, tra-la, tra-la!

—and the Sig Alph pledges. They look more like hobos than ever!

Violets are red, Roses are blue, Rena likes Bobbie, He likes her too—so what?

And is it true that "Dado" Knight goes for Margaret Heltman in a big way? How nice! They're both lovely children!

Who was it at the recent frosh party that walked away with the meat cleaver from the cafeteria? Any clues to its whereabouts will be appreciated by all concerned.

"Cy" Ross is giving Barney Dupes a lot of competition these days for the title of the "Great Lover."

Jane White sorta goes for Syd De Rosa—or is it just the other way? By the way, how're Jean Dooley and Syd Smith getting along—or don't they anymore?

Bobbie Fosdick, Pasadena flash, knows where there are some swell tangerines up on the hill. Lead us to 'em, Bobbie!

Has anyone seen the way the Oakes-Phillips combination was progressing at the dance on Saturday night. Looking at one another with an "Oh, what a Christmas present you'd make" expression.

And the way Bob and Lucille were holding hands in dark corners. What has happened to the rest of Bob's harem?

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GAUCHO GAB

By BILL HOYT

Sagehens and the Gauchos:

The meet is a tie. After an afternoon of racing, hurdling, jumping and hurling, the total points add up to an equal number for each team. It all depends on the final race, the relay. The winner of that finale will be the victor. The teams appear to be of equal ability, both in running time and physical condition. It's a toss-up as to the winner and depends on the way the race will be run and who'll get the breaks. There it is. The fellows go to their marks—Get set—the brief pause seems to be three times its length and then with a deafening suddenness, the gun goes off. The lead-off men do a nice bit of running, they're even all the way around the track. The baton is passed to the second sprinters—"Oh he's losing. Get on a horse! Shake the lead! Run, run, run!"—Not so bad after all, number three man is gaining slowly. Com'on pal, pull—As the anchor lap starts only five yards separate the final two runners and bit by bit—"he's closing up the gap. COM'ON PULL! RUN! PUSH! GIVE! They broke the tape together—Who won? Ooooooh, Pomona.

That's an idea of how close that Pomona meet was. The score just before the relay was 64½ to 61½ and with a final five points in the relay, State could have won. Several fellows showed up well under rather stiff competition. Joe Nightingale, the Gauchos' sprinter took a first in both the 100 yard and the 220 yard dash over a fellow that was scheduled to beat him. Captain "Tiny" McCollough tossed the shot out further than he has all year, which is just three quarters of an inch short of the conference record which he holds. Leonard Fisher came through admirably with a second in the discus after George McCollough had been disqualified.

Baseball didn't fare so well in the southern areas. Several bad cases of fumble-itis spoiled their chances in both of the games. They hope that the added experience that they gained between now and their return meeting with Redlands and La Verne will enable them to prove their superiority. Whittier and Chapman, this next week-end. Better luck, fellows!

Who's Who—Intra-mural golf looks as though it will be a rousing success what with all the rates that sound like they are rock bottom and will enable nearly every student, male and female, to partici-

Campus Coffee Cup Capers

Bill Hoyt and Hi Stanley, self-appointed pledge captains of the Alpha Theta Chi sorority look somewhat lonesome this week, since the girls cannot speak to boys.

Speaking of pledge captains, we understand that a pledge to one of the fraternities took his F.C.'s hug in a squeeze to the dance t' other night . . .

Who said there was no cooperation between the fraternities? We saw Buppy Moore (Taua Omega) borrow a coffin nail from Al Scott (Beta Sig) to give to Jack Knight (Sig Alpha)—matches furnished by non-fraternity man—unidentified.

Co-operation has, however, for the nonce been thrown to the four winds this week during that trying period of date-setting for the inter-fraternity formal to be held Saturday night. They will, nevertheless, all be brothers in agony when they get poured into their straight jackets and start the weary wrestle.

CONFERENCE CINDERMEN MEET HERE

Varsity Nine Meets San Jose Today

Trio of Contests Slated

Beginning at 3 o'clock this afternoon on Cabrillo field, Coach "Spud" Harder's Gauchos horsehiders will cross bats against the strong San Jose nine in a determined effort to smooth off the rough spots which were responsible for their losing two of their conference games last week.

This game is a non-conference game and should give the Hardermen a chance to get back on their feet and start playing their regular brand of ball. The San Jose boys will be no push over for the varsity though as they have quite a string of victories to their credit including a 6 to 5 victory over the University of California.

Batteries for Santa Barbara will probably be Rezzonico behind the plate and Fisher taking over the pitching duties, although both "Bort" Bortolazzo and Hi Stanley will be on hand to help out.

Mert Miller will probably occupy first base although he may be called on to hurl a couple of innings. Lebeck is slated to hold down second and Robinson will take care of the third sack. Kahn, one of the most consistent hitters and fielders on the varsity will probably leave his accustomed position at third and play at shortstop.

In the outfield, the lineup will include Voorhies at left field, Keith center field and Bortolazzo, right field.

Friday the Gauchos will journey south where they will play Chapman college in a non-conference game at Los Angeles. On Saturday they will meet the Whittier diamond men in a conference game. Whittier rated above Santa Barbara in the conference standing last year and this year has played Occidental and won one game by a score of 4 to 1 and lost one game by a score of 17 to 3.

Fisher outdid his best record by nearly a foot at Pomona—"Moose" McCollough, after being unable to qualify, heaved the discus beyond the winner's best mark after the meet—"Tiny" McCollough set a new school record at Pomona—At Redlands, Voorhies, the diamond speed hound, jumped two benches and a pile of hurdles, ran up on the grandstand, knocked down two kids and then actually caught the "Olde pelote."

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GAUCHOS NOSED OUT AS RELAY GOES TO POMONA

Sounding a warning to other conference teams that they must now be reckoned with seriously on the track and field, Coach Nick Carter's gallant Gauchos turned in the best performances of their collective careers, as they were just nosed out, 69½ to 62½, by the Pomona Sagehens, winners of the conference track title for the past two years, last Saturday at Claremont.

The meet was so close that the final event of the day, the relay found the Sagehens leading by a scant three point margin, which left the final result hanging on this event. The Gauchos baton-passers made the race close, and so another man Bowlus closed the 10 yard handicap that Pollard, Pomona fourth man, had over him at the start of the last lap, only to have Pollard pull away slightly and win by a yard, the southern fans were given a thrill that they will not forget in a long time.

Joe Nightingale, Gauchos sprinter, pulled the biggest upset of the day when he walked off with the 100 and 220 yard dashes. "Tiny" McCollough re-established himself as the best shot-putter in the conference, at the same time missing his own school record by a mere one-half inch, as he tossed the iron pellet 43 feet 6¼ inches. Larry Bowlus turned in an iron-man performance by taking the 880 in 2:5.6, besides coming home second in the 440, and running his lap on the relay team. Roland McDonald took both the mile and two mile without a great deal of effort. "Toby" Holcomb copped the pole vault at 11 feet while Allan Garber tied Fenton of the Sagehens for fifth in the high jump.

Outstanding for Pomona were her co-captains, Phil Newman and Dick Pollard. Newman ran a pair of fifty hurdle races to win the 120 yard high in 15 seconds flat, and the 220 lows in 24.7. Pollard beat "Honker" Lee of Santa Barbara in the javelin throw a toss of 179 feet 5 inches, and later saved the meet with that extra burst of speed that led him to the tape ahead of Bowlus in the hoad.

FRESHMAN NINE DROPS GAME 8-5

The wild arm of Dave Pollock plus poor batting of the team spelled defeat for the frosh horsehiders last Saturday afternoon when the Santa Monica Junior college nine handed them an 8 to 5 pasting in Santa Monica.

Dave, who had a bad day all the way around was transferred from his position of catcher to second base after threatening to break all of the windows in Marion Davies beach home, which is located near the baseball diamond. Bud Cummings, frosh coach, counted 14 errors against Pollock. There might have been more but the Tehachapi Indian school does not teach its students to count any higher than 14.

On the whole the fielding of the yearlings was up to par, Erhart, Luse, Fosdick and Murray were outstanding both by their fielding and slugging. These boys should press their older varsity brothers very closely next year in the competition for varsity baseball berths.

Golfers Attention!

With 25 men and women already signed for membership in the newly organized college golf club, plans for the development of a team on the campus are progressing rapidly.

Dues of 50 cents a semester entitles all club members the privilege of playing on the Santa Barbara Golfer's association course in Montecito for 25 cents a round.

To develop golfers and promote golf as an intra-mural sport which later would turn into a regular inter-collegiate activity is the main purpose of the group.

All those interested in golf as a sport and those who wish to learn, are urged to sign on the bulletin board or in Fred Allred's office.

HARDERMEN LOSE PAIR OF LEAGUE GAMES IN SOUTH

Contributing a brand of baseball very much inferior to that shown in their first three games, the Santa Barbara State college Gauchos dropped their first two Southern Conference league games to La Verne on Friday and to Redlands on Saturday on the respective southern diamonds.

Coach "Spud" Harder's charges outdid both of their opponents, but displayed sloppy fielding to lose 5-3 to La Verne and 8-6 to Redlands. In both games the Gauchos had the tying runs on the bases in the ninth inning.

"Don Fisher went the whole nine innings, allowing only seven hits and three earned runs. Bortolazzo was at bat one time as a pinch-hitter and cracked out a two base hit for a 1,000 rating. Kahn.

After staying the Hollywood Plaza, the Gauchos squad drove to Redlands the next morning for the second conference game in two weeks. Julio Bortolazzo started as pitcher with Rezzonico as the other end of the battery. "Bort" chucked good ball, but bobbies by his teammates let in four unearned runs. He cut down the Redlands outfit with five scattered hits in four innings.

Mert Miller pitched for the remaining five innings and allowed only three scattered hits and one unearned run. But this time the Gauchos bats started booming, but they couldn't overcome the eight run total of Redlands. With the tying runs on second and third in the ninth inning, Skeeter Voorhies repeated the finale of the La Verne game by grounding out by a few inches. Rezzonico, Kahn, Miller and Bortolazzo led the batting with two hits each. One of Rezzonico's hits was a three base blow, the longest of the game. The Gauchos should have taken them by about four or five runs, and expect to show the local fans a track meet when La Verne and Redlands come here for their second meetings with Santa Barbara.

Morris, Voorhies, Keith, Fisher and Bortolazzo took care of the outfield positions during the two games. Voorhies, Miller, Kahn, Lebeck and Robinson were the infielders, while Fisher, Miller and Bortolazzo pitched. Rezzonico caught in both games.

Frosh Nine Entertain Black Foxe

Taking the field against the Black Fox military academy, the State college freshmen baseball team will endeavor to get back in their stride when they play this Friday at 3 o'clock. The game will be staged at Cabrillo field.

A short practice game will be played against the Bacom's All-Stars on Wednesday in an effort to round the frosh into shape for their game Friday. Judging from the type of ball at Santa Monica last week it would seem as if the "Gauchos" need plenty of practice both in batting and in fielding.

Bud has plenty of good material for his first year team and it is only a matter of time before they will round into shape and get the "old eye" on the ball.

The lineup may be shifted around but tentatively selected for positions are Pollack, catcher; Shires, Erhart, pitcher; Nibers, first base; Fosdick, second base; Langlo, third base; Murray, shortstop; Lindquist, Smith and Luce will hold down the outfield.

Sport Calendar

Track—Varsity vs La Verne and Whittier, Saturday, Phelps field.
Frosh vs Whittier freshmen, Saturday, Phelps field.
Baseball—Varsity vs San Jose State, today, Cabrillo field.
Varsity vs Chapman college, Friday, Los Angeles.
Frosh vs Black Foxe, Friday, Cabrillo field.
Varsity vs Whittier, Saturday, Whittier.
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State Given Even Chance to Win Triangle Meet

If the aces in the hole that Nick Carter pulled out of his sleeve last week keep up the good work, Santa Barbara State stands a chance to knock over a couple of conference rivals this Saturday, when they entertain Whittier and La Verne in a triangle meet on Phelps field.

The excellent showing that Coach Carter's boys made against Pomona makes them rate on practically even terms with Whittier's Poets, a position that no Santa Barbara team has been able to attain for some time. If past performances run true to form, the Gauchos and Poets should make a two-way battle of the meet for first place, with the Leopards from La Verne bringing up the rear.

Frosh Vie in Second League Track Fray

Providing old Jupiter Pluvius doesn't decide to rain them out again, the Santa Barbara State frosh will attempt to continue their unbeaten track and field record this Saturday when they tangle with the Whittier babes in a meet that is slated to be run off in conjunction with the varsity fracas. The local yearlings had a meet with the Cal-Poly Mustangs called off last week, which was the second Saturday this year that wet weather has forced them to remain idle.

The Whittier frosh will present a better balanced team than the Oxy squad which the Gauchos humiliated so badly a couple of weeks ago, and so the meet should be fairly close. If the Santa Barbara stars come through as they have in the past, though, they should come out on top.

Upper Class Girls Lead Tournament

A Round-robin women's volleyball tournament which started March 13 between the different classes is progressing quite rapidly. All the games are played in the school gym.

So far the freshmen co-eds are at the bottom of the league, while the seniors, juniors and sophomores have each won two games apiece.

Joe Nightingale, the apparent answer to Coach Carter's prayers for a good sprinter, has an excellent chance to cop both dashes from Hutchison and Moore, aces of the Whittier and La Verne teams, respectively. Johnny Baker, Whittier distance ace, will give Roland McDonald of the Gauchos the first tough competition he has met this year, and McDonald will be forced to put on the pressure to get by this meet unbeaten. If "Tiny" McCollough puts the shot out as far as he did last week, he will have no competition in his event. Elmer Lee and Bud Ewing, with a bit of luck, can take the first two places in the javelin for State. Wright of La Verne may break up this combination, however. Although he has been forced to take second each time to the aces of Occidental and Pomona, respectively, Bill Crow has run some nice races in the high hurdles, and he should give Santa Barbara a victory in this event this week. If Baker doesn't decide to run the 880, Larry Bowlus should chalk this race up also in the Gauchos victory column.

The biggest source of worry for the Gauchos will be a play by the name of Tebbis, who laid plenty of football for Whittier last fall, and who now takes care of the 440, high jump, broad jump, and the last lap on the relay for the Poets. He is slated to win all his three regular events, and probably lead the Poet relay team to victory.

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'Hell Night' to be Observed by Sororities

Sorority pledges will "get the works" on Friday night from 6:45 until the next morning, it was announced in the various sorority meetings on Monday evening. The girls were warned to wear heavy, old clothing and to bring flash-lights.

During this week, termed as "Hell Week," pledges are being made to do everything from using no lipstick to wearing their hair down and suffering brown freckles over their faces. It has been promised that no severe tactics will be used by active members on "Hell Night" this year.

On Sunday afternoon, all sororities will hold formal initiation, at which time the women will be inducted and all pledging activities will cease. Some of the groups are planning other initiation events in addition to the formal induction.

Two Departments Join in Picnic

Planning to unite in giving a picnic, the elementary and junior high departments will meet together next Tuesday at the regular meeting hour. The picnic will be held at the Outing club cabin April 7, with lunch at 12 o'clock and games in the afternoon. Further plans will be made at the meeting.

Marguerite Audureau, Bob Way, Bernard O'Reilly and Peggy Koepf compose the committee in charge of arrangements.

All members of both departments are urged to pay their dues to their respective treasurers before the picnic.

Phi Kaps Go to Theater

In honor of Phi Kappa Gamma, social sorority, the pledges entertained the members with a theater party at Club Chico, Friday evening, March 22.

The guests enjoyed Shirley Temple in "The Little Colonel." Following the feature, the women present went to the La Arcada restaurant.

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Students Dress for Farmer's Formal

State College "Hicks" got the chance of a lifetime Saturday evening at the sophomore class Farmer's Formal held at Rockwood, Grandma's Sunday dress and the old blue "jeans" got a workout as Hiram and Mirandy hopped around to the Chore Boy's Shuffle and the old Fashioned Hoe Down.

Prizes went to Lois Jo McPheeters and Lawrence Leslie for looking most like true "hayseeds." Lois Jo wore an ancient black velvet evening gown, a black poke bonnet and a red and yellow marigold corsage. Ann "safer-while-I'm-asleep" Seymour and Vincent "Hank" Banks took second honors. The biggest riot was caused by Marvino Jones, escorted by Ronald McDonald, who appeared in a bathing suit of 1910 vintage.

Fred Lambourne's orchestra provided music for the "jugging," and during the intermission, converted itself into a first class hill-billy band, rendering "She'll Be Comin' 'Round the Mountain When She Comes."

T. O.'s Deliver Silly Speeches

Short talks on "Filly Lou" birds, "Gnosturfur Bars" and other educational subjects by the Tau Omega pledges featured the meeting of the fraternity held last Monday night at their clubhouse on Santa Barbara street.

Ralph Karns was voted to have prepared the best talk of the evening and his imitation of the "Filly Lou" bird was so natural that he was exempted from the "Swating Bee" that followed. The pledges were also given a short lecture by James Coultas and Bob Moore on their conduct after meetings.

Dr. Charles Pruess, sponsor of the organization, attended the meeting and gave a short talk on the dues situation. Alumni present were Thomas Keating, Hal Polley, Douglas Kirkpatrick and Pinky Green.

Tau Gammass Enjoy Party at Club Chico

Club Chico at the Fox Arlington was the scene of an informal theater party given by the pledges of the Tau Gamma Sigma, social sorority, for the organization Thursday evening, March 21.

Hostesses of the affair were Marge and Eleanor Mellinger, Alice and Frances Hoelscher, Charlotte Pilling, Peggy Pope, Jeannette Banks, Elizabeth Denman, Charlotte Naess, Alice McCray, Louise Jackson and Jeanne Wood.

Guests were Barbara Clark, Betty Roulston, Betty Roome, Sue Knox, Isobel Ferguson, Lois Jo McPheeters, Barbara Seward, Marjorie Williams and Marjorie Cadwell.

I. E. Men Plan Picnic

"Bring your girl, your lunch, and your swimming suit," were the directions given to members of the industrial education department by Dick Lund, social chairman of the group, in telling of the plans for the annual picnic.

Coffee will be served at the outing club cabin at 12:30 p.m., after which games and contests will be held at Paradise camp.

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Gamma Delt Pledges Give Indoor Picnic

"Angels on Horseback," an outdoor picnic delicacy, featured the novelty indoor picnic given by the pledges of the Gamma Delta Chi for its members Friday night at the home of Peggy Brest.

After the supper the guests played bridge, Michigan and lotto, Margaret Holden won first prize for the evening. Members of the sorority present were Wyllys Anderson, Margaret Holden, Stella Smead, Frances Warring and Peggy Brest.

Pledges attending were Alice Hilgren, Dorothea Prescott, Edna Forbes, Betty Wishard, Louise Dalton, Bernice Baker and Mildred Davis.

Grand Council Inspects Fraternity

Plans for the coming convention were discussed at a meeting of Delta Phi Upsilon, national kindergarten-primary fraternity held at the home of Miss E. Moyer.

Saturday noon members of the Grand Council at Los Angeles will come to Santa Barbara to inspect the fraternity. A model initiation will be given by the officers of the organization, after which the visitors will be guests at a pot-luck supper to be staged at the home of Miss E. M. Leonard, sponsor of the group.

Dr. Maxwell Speaks to Phi Kaps

Beginning a series of literary luncheons and lectures, Phi Kappa Gamma gave a luncheon at El Paseo Saturday noon for members, pledges and alumnae. Dr. William Maxwell spoke following the luncheon, his subject being a review of four books, "So Red the Rose," "House Divided," "Week-end" and "Fiesta in Mexico."

Echoes from D.Z.D. Fashion Show

Hands of the clock stood still amid the ohs and ahs of the on-lookers at the Delta Zeta Delta Fashion Show . . .

Glamorous indeed was Mrs. Esther Ludcke, hostess, in a full length tunic gown of black crepe belted with a silver mesh chain. Amusing and entirely at ease, Mrs. Byron Abraham, our own registrar, completely perfect in interpretation of the dress and manners of a matron . . . "Whipped cream-ish" and good enough to eat, Ella Cornwall, one of the most outstanding models, in a new spring linen formal, print with tiny blue flowers, and set off with a quilted taffeta jaquet in navy blue . . . Connie Allen, nautically nautical in navy ribbed wool slacks, white sweater of the same material, and brimmed captains hat, brought forth many a sharp intake of breath . . . 'n' she brought a new idea in a large printed blue-and-white linen beach bag . . . The peach and auburn beauty of Peachy Stuart was effectively set off by a rich brown and white Tahiti gown with white gardenia trim . . . The other little Miss Cornwall stunned and re-stunned in the season's new combinations in bathing suits . . . brown and yellow, green and Spanish tile . . . Red and white flowered dimity combined with a full length white, white wrap, quilted, and blended with just enough of the dark fragility of Betty Remp . . . Military, strictly so, was Myrtle Holt, in grey three-piece suit — jacket, skirt, and longcoat . . . A bevy of fish net and brief mesh sandals . . . braid and knit . . . Kay Case, regal in black chiffon and stiff white lace jacquette . . . queenly, positively . . . In the vogue, "frog" fastenings in coats and jackets . . . 'n' oodles 'n' oodles of others.

For clothes . . . Jack Rose.
'N' other day, 'N' other dress.

Alpha Thets Blend Rhyme and Fashion

Combining rhyme with fashion, the pledges of the Alpha Theta Chi, social sorority, entertained the active members with a fashion show at the home of Madge Bunch, 1701 Mira Vista avenue, Monday evening.

The rhymes accompanying each model were read and written by Marie Persons.

Active members present were Ruth Carter, Madge Bunch, Mary Bell, Dorothy Weber, Genevieve Jones, Peggy Koepf, Mary Erickson, Audrey Gill, Jerrie Walker, Louise Funk, Connie Bredsteen, Faith Harder, Eva Miratti, and Catherine Westaway.

Pledges attending were Margaret Duncan, Stella Mae Smith, Margaret Wood, Phyllis La Source, Jean Dooley, Blanche Steward, Marie Persons, Mary Alice Halferty, Thelma Davis, Betty Walker, Myrna Julian and Virginia Biller.

D.Z.D. Pledges Give Dinner

Twelve pledges of Delta Zeta Delta entertained members and alumnae of the sorority at a progressive dinner Monday night.

Ann Covelle, Kay Case, Ruth Hilly and Lou Holden served the courses. After the dinner the guests plays bridge, Peachy Stuart and Babe Cornwall taking the prizes.

Aretas Choose Ruth Brubaker Best Kid

That Ruth Brubaker makes the best kid was the unanimous decision of the Areta Gammans who attended a kid party given them by their pledges on Friday evening at Laguna House. She was dressed in a very short child's dress with pantaloons, feathered garters and a hat covered with flowers.

Various children's games were played, and refreshments were similar to those bought at a circus.

Members present were Ruth Brubaker, Mildred Rohrs, Lola Cooper, Eileen McCollum, Myrtle Swanson, Evelyn Steinmeier and Romona Able, alumna.

Hostesses were Mary Dudley, Jean Henderson, Dorothy Clark and Venitta Eastlack.

Pu Ko Hows Stage Informal Supper

Wilma Kiesner acted as hostess to a group of Pu Ko How members on Sunday night for a pot luck supper. Later the women saw "After Office Hours" at the Granada theater.

Those attending were Violet Barnett, Sophie Hopland, Estelle Stray, Mary Tone, Esther Goss, Jean Goss, Margaret Laing, Josephine Newstetter, Wilma Kiesner and Mrs. Ruth Kiney, sponsor.

Fraternities Unite Plans for Formal Hop

The first formal dance of the season will be given by the combined social fraternities of State college Saturday night, March 30, at the Montecito Country club.

Music for the evening will be furnished by Fred Lambourne and his orchestra. Sponsors of the affair are Dean William Ashworth, William Rust, Earl Walker and Dr. Charles Pruess.

The purpose of the dance is to acquaint the members and alumnae of the different fraternities with one another, and to promote a spirit of friendliness and cooperation.

Committee in charge of the dance consists of the three presidents of the organizations: Bill Hoyt, president of the Beta Sigma Chi; "Bun" O'Reilly, Sig Alpha; and James Coultas, Tau Omegas.

The dance will last from 9 o'clock to one. Punch will be served during the evening.

Invitations are extended only to members and alumnae of the fraternities and their guests.

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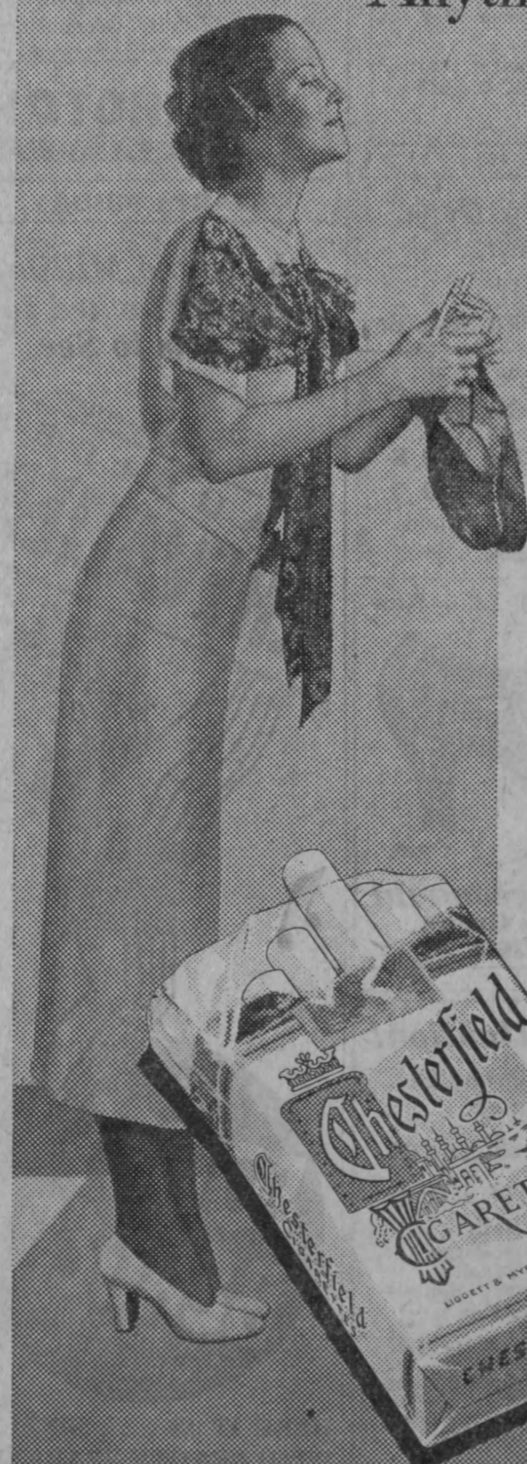
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