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ALUMNI ADD IMPETUS TO JUBILEE PLANS

Half a century of achievements and memories—memories of favorite professors, great touchdown plays, record-smashing track performances, title-winning basketball teams, ninth-inning rallies, the move from the old campus, the Freshman Dance, Graduation, San Diego State college's long climb to academic eminence—all these and more, will be recalled in an eight-day Golden Jubilee celebration, May 4-11, of the 50th anniversary of the college's founding.

Aztec Alumni are already playing an active part in preparing for the celebration which is under the direction of **Dr. Lauren C. Post** who edited the Aztec News Letter which went to more than 3,000 students and alumni in the armed forces during the war.

Perhaps highlighting the Golden Jubilee celebration for alumni will be the co-sponsored Alumni-Interfraternity Council formal reunion dance May 10th. Action has already been started for this affair and details will be announced later.

Tremendous preparation is going into the planning of the Jubilee and it is expected to attract alumni who have scattered out to many different states. It is believed many will plan their summer vacations to make attendance possible.

Opening the eight-day program will be the Pacific Southwest Intercollegiate Glee Club Festival to be held Sunday afternoon, May 4th, in San Diego's Russ auditorium. Pomona, Occidental, Redlands, UCLA and others have accepted invitations to participate.

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21 NEW BUILDINGS EASE COLLEGE HOUSING PROBLEM

State college students will be able to draw deeper breaths in classrooms on the Aztec campus during the spring semester with the completion of 21 temporary buildings erected at a cost of \$100,000. Three of the new structures are pictured below.

With an enrollment of 3500, a thousand greater than a year ago, it has been necessary to overcrowd class rooms and extend class schedules well into the evening hours.

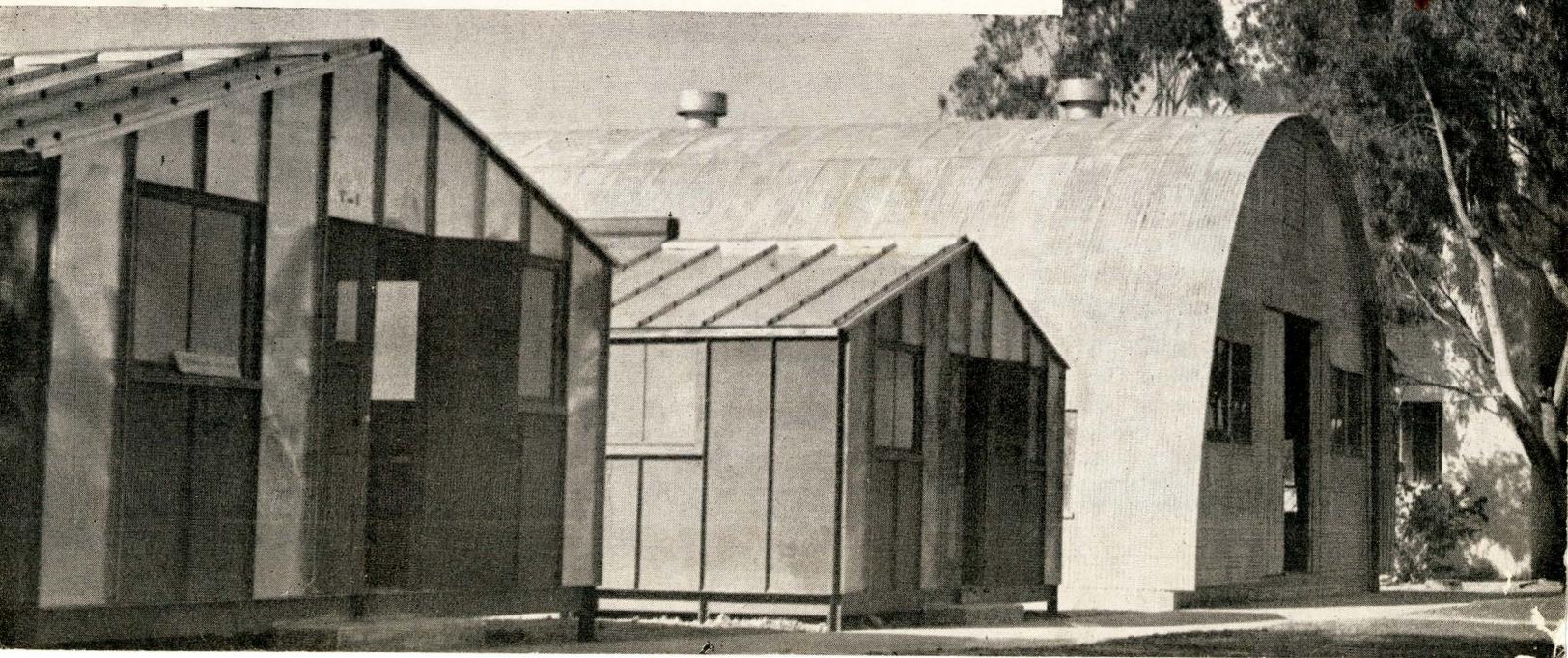
Steel buildings and two 40x100 foot quonset huts will house additional classrooms, a library extension, faculty offices, and veterans' administration and Red Cross offices. One building will be used for boxing and wrestling. Mechanical and architectural drawing classes will be held in five buildings added to the power house area. Four of the steel structures will house the new student store and cafeteria annex.

Oiling and marking the south parking lot, re-seeding the grass and planting additional sod next to Scripps' cottage are among other improvements being made.

Hoop Rematch Set

Nosed out by only eight points in their first encounter, the Alumni basketball team has slated a re-match with Coach Charlie Smith's Aztec varsity in the State college gym Tuesday, Feb. 25.

The tilt will start at 8:15 p.m. with a preliminary "B" game set for 6:30. Admission will be 50 cents with half the proceeds going to the Alumni Association which is sponsoring the game.



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JUBILEE PLANS

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Dr. Post announced that a special
reunion will be held of the more than
3,000 Aztecs who were in service during
World War II.

On May 8th a spring football game
is slated for the afternoon with a Dad's
Day banquet following in the evening.

Other faculty representatives on the
Golden Jubilee committee are Mrs.
Guinivere Bacon, campus elementary
school; Dr. Chesney Moe, physics de-
partment; Miss Lena Patterson, art de-
partment; Dr. Clifford Smith, astronomy
department, and Miss Deborah Smith,
music department.

Student members are George Forbes,
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sorority, and John Rollin Watson, presi-
dent of Alpha Phi Omega, service fra-
ternity.

Old Movies Return

Mabel Normand, Harold Lloyd, the
Keystone Kops, and other great cinema
stars of early screen days will perform
for the State College Foundation in a
series of film classic revivals expected
to contribute materially to the scholar-
ship and loan funds administered by
the Foundation for Aztec students.

The films will be shown in a 12-week
series beginning Feb. 12, at Roosevelt
Junior High school auditorium, 3366 Park
Blvd. Shows will be on Wednesday eve-
nings from 8 to 10 o'clock.

Included in the series are "The Fresh-
man," starring Harold Lloyd; "The Cabi-
net of Dr. Caligari"; "Nanook of the
North"; Peter Lorre in "M"; Emil Jan-
nings in "The Last Laugh"; the Einstein
production, "Potemkin"; Laurel and
Hardy's "Two Tars"; a complete evening
of famous Mack Sennett comedies; "The
New York Hat," a short which Anita
Loos wrote when she was living in San
Diego; the famous German symbolistic
film, "The Golem"; Frank Capra's "Pre-
lude to War," and Buster Keaton's "The
General."

Membership in the Great Film So-
ciety, which includes admission to the
entire series, may be obtained by mail-
ing a check or money order for \$5.00 to
the Great Film Society, San Diego State
College, San Diego 5. Memberships
also may be bought at the door, but
there will be no tickets sold for individual
performances.

Since seating capacity of the audi-
torium is limited, the society will have
to grant memberships according to the
principle of "first come, first served."

Class of 1968

To Lt. Comdr. W. F. Cornett, USNR '41
and Jeanne Carr Cornett '43, a daughter, Gina
Jean, sister of W. F. III, born Oct. 4, 1946, at
the Family Hospital, North Island.

To William P. Chittick and Mrs. Chittick,
a daughter, Susan, sister of Judy, 3-1/2, born
Dec. 15, in La Jolla.

To Walter Lee Clapham, Jr., ex-'40, and Mrs.
Clapham, a daughter, Judith Lee, sister of
Marilyn, 3-1/2, born Dec. 21, 1946, in San
Diego.

To Charles R. Coover, '48 and Mrs. Coover
(Maxine Mary Moore, ex-'49), a son, Ronald
Charles, born Dec. 14, 1946, at Mercy Hos-
pital, San Diego.

To Bob Pond, ex-'41, and Mrs. Pond (Patsy
Funchess), a son, William Robert, born Dec.
11, 1946 in San Diego.

To Pete Billon and Mrs. Billon (Jesse Win-
row), a daughter, Sharon Frances, born Jan. 4,
in San Diego.

To Willard Webster Trask '43 and Mrs. Trask
(Joyce Schmidt '43), a son, Willard W. Jr.,
born Dec. 16, 1946, in San Diego.

To William Thomas Kearns and Mrs. Kearns,
a daughter, Katherine Louise, sister of Helen
Carol, 2, born Dec. 19, 1946, in San Diego.

To Lt. Comdr. William R. Tinker '35 and Mrs.
Tinker, a daughter, Marsha, sister of Kathryn,
3, born Dec. 5, 1946, in San Diego.

To Joseph A. Rodney, ex-'42, and Mrs. Rod-
ney, a daughter, Christine Diane, sister of
Patricia, 2, born Dec. 10, 1946, in San Diego.

To Fred E. Eisert, ex-'43 and Mrs. Eisert (Carol
Faye Thompson, ex-'41), a son, Gary Gene,
brother of Christopher Dale, 2, born Dec. 20,
1946, in San Diego.

To M. J. Goodbody and Mrs. Goodbody
(Barbara Schumann Heink), a son, Erich Heink,
born Jan. 14, 1947, in Coronado Hospital.

To James W. Smith of La Mesa and Mrs.
Smith, a son, William Nicolson, born Dec. 14,
in Mercy Hospital, San Diego.

To Fred Comings and Mrs. Comings (Sybil
Jenkin, ex-'35), a daughter, Patricia Ann, sister
of Arthur, 5, born Jan. 11, in Vallejo, Calif.

To John A. Macevicz and Mrs. Macevicz, a
daughter, Christine Ann, sister of John A. Jr.,
2 1/2, born Dec. 25, 1946, at Mercy Hospital,
San Diego.

To Lewis I. Estep '40 and Mrs. Estep (Natalie
Bryans), a son, Richard Lewis, brother of William
Bryans, 2, born Dec. 3, 1946, in Santa Monica.

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Povenmire Billed For Alumni Meeting February 19th

Football Cash Aids

Its share of 1946 football receipts will swell the State College Foundation Athletic Scholarship fund from the present \$7,000 total to \$10,000, **Barney Carman**, Aztec graduate manager, told a meeting of the State College Alumni Association at a dinner meeting Jan. 8th, at Camp Kidd Officers club.

Direction of the campaign for athletic scholarships has reverted back from a local public relations firm to the alumni committee of the Foundation. Plans were made at the meeting to continue the campaign.

Mrs. William Self, outgoing president, offered several recommendations to incoming officers and turned the gavel over to **Bob Breitbard**, 1947 president.

The new board moved to send alumni representatives to council meetings of the Associated Students, and also approved co-sponsorship of a formal Homecoming dance in cooperation with the campus Inter-fraternity Council. The dance will be held as part of the 50th anniversary celebration by the college. **Dr. L. C. Post** reported on plans for the Golden Jubilee celebration, May 4-11.

Charles T. Byrne was re-appointed Executive Secretary-treasurer of the Alumni Association for 1947.

Adopted recently by the Associated Students, an official State college ring is available to alumni and will cost approximately \$23, Carman reported.

WESLEY C. CRANDALL

executive secretary and director of the **Ellen Browning Scripps Foundation** and a San Diego and La Jolla civic leader, died Jan. 13 in La Jolla. It was not generally known, except to older Alumni, that Mr. Crandall, who was 68 at the time of his death, was professor of biology at the San Diego Normal School, predecessor of San Diego State Teachers College and San Diego State College, from 1905 to 1912.

In 1912 he became business agent for the marine biological station in La Jolla, now the Scripps Institution of Oceanography, serving until 1924, when he first became associated with the late Ellen Scripps as business agent. It was Ellen Scripps who gave most of the funds for Scripps Cottage on campus.

Services were conducted Jan. 16 in La Jolla Memorial chapel by the **Rev. William Forshaw**.

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The Alumni Association can do more for you—and for the college—than the devil can, so how about giving the A.A. priority on your dues list?

In fact, the ability of the Alumni Association to prosecute successfully it's year's program—including publication of the **AZTEC ALUMNI NEWS**, the Senior-Alumni revival play, the 50th. Anniversary reunion dance in cooperation with the Inter-Fraternity Council, the Kickoff Dinner next fall, Homecoming, building up the scholarship fund—depends upon your payment of dues.

Dues for 1947 are payable now.

Clip and use the dues form printed on this page.

A streamlined open meeting of the general membership of the Alumni Association at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 19th in the Guest Hall of the Coca Cola Bottling Co., 3550 El Cajon Blvd., will feature **E. Kingsley Povenmire**, talented State college drama instructor, in a reading of Marc Connelly's great play, "The Green Pastures."

Sol Schultz, 1947 program chairman, announces the business part of the program will be handled in a jet-propelled manner, with entertainment features and refreshments main topics on the agenda.

In popular demand for his suave reading performances, Povenmire is an outstanding instructor in drama, and has written and produced several of his own plays. He is a graduate of the Yale University School of Drama. After instructing for several years in Eastern schools, Povenmire came to California during the war with a U.S.O. unit and remained to eventually accept a position at State college where he is well regarded by both the faculty and student body.

A master dialectician, he is at his best in his reading of "The Green Pastures", a modern classic of the stage which enjoyed a several years run and was later a great box office draw as a motion picture.

The meeting will be open to guests of alumni and to State college students and faculty.

**CHARLES T. BYRNE, Executive Secretary,
S.D.S.C. Alumni Association,
Box 94, State College,
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Enclosed find remittance in amount of \$ _____ to cover my/our membership (s), indicated below, and subscription to The Alumni News Letter, for year 1946:

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Norma's Notes on Alumni By Norma Boldman Pyle

• PARADE OF ALUMNI

Dr. Leon Oursland, ex-'45, Phi Lambda Xi, has opened a dental office on El Cajon Blvd. He married **Trenna Jane Smith '44**, Chi Theta, who has been teaching at Edison.

Walt Gault '39, Tau Delta Chi, was home for the holidays. He is planning to study photography in Santa Barbara.

Eta Omega Delta's **Bob Riviera, ex-'46**, and **Bob F. Smith, ex-'46**, are attending U.S.C. Both are working on their master's degrees.

Russell Lamoreaux, ex-'43, Epsilon Eta, was the Naval Escort for the Harbor Bowl Queen. Russ is an active naval reserve officer.

Freeman Dill '40, Delta Pi Beta, and his wife were down from the Bay area for the holidays.

Nancy Hamilton '44, Phi Kappa Gamma, is in Ethiopia as hostess for United Airlines instructing stewardesses of the airlines there. She was previously stationed at Cairo.

Pat Donahue, ex-'43, Phi Kappa Gamma, is a dental hygienist here in San Diego.

Jeanne Holzer Villa, '41, Tau Zeta Rho, wrote to say that she and **Lloyd Villa** were married Nov. 23 at the San Luis Rey Mission and are living in his home town of San Luis Obispo. Jeanne met Lloyd two years ago at the Army-Navy YMCA when she was supervising the wrapping of Christmas packages for the A.A.U.W.

Mrs. Loren Hoff (Frances Moore '40), Kappa Delta Pi, Mu Sigma Pi, Sigma Alpha Iota, Music Guild, Orchestra, has a son, **Johnny**, 4 months. During the shortage of teachers, she is pinch-hitting at Sweetwater in the school library. **Loren** is a Swift and Co. representative.

Gene McCormack '40, Alpha Phi Omega, Blue Key, Oceolt, AMS board, International Relations, Men's Glee, Ice-tecs, married **Melba Southern**, (twin sister of **Marie**). Gene is now connected with the YWCA. Melba is working at the Naval Hospital under civil service. They spend their Sundays sailing their Penguin.

Tom Lyles '43, Omega Xi, and wife, **Ann Marie Nicol '46**, Phi Kappa Gamma, are living here now. Tom is in the fishing business.

Ruth Robson '45, Shen Yo, Cap and Gown, is working for Fuller Paint Co. She is planning to go to the yacht regatta in Hawaii next summer. Ruth and her brother **Jack** are out every Sunday in their Penguin.

Jane Lux, ex-'46, Phi Kappa Gamma, leaves the end of this month for Chicago where she will work for the airlines.

Other Penguin owners are **Charles** and **Lucille (Anderson) Chapman**. Lucille

'40 who transferred from MacMurray college, and **Charles, ex-'39**, are the parents of **Gary, 2**. Charles is a power plant engineer at Convair.

Howard Dennis, ex-'42, Phi Lambda Xi, is working with his father in the V. R. Dennis Const. Co. Howard married **Barbara Ernsting** and they have two boys, **Gary, 3 1/2** and **Lee, 2**. Howard was with the air-borne engineers for two years during the war.



Maybelle Smith Photo

NORMA BOLDMAN PYLE . . . Records Alumni Activities

Vernon Dennis '40, Howard's brother, is a resident physician at Rochester, New York. Vernon graduated from U.S.C.

and went to medical school in Pasadena. During the war he was with the Public Health Service. He married **Jean Halveson**, of Pasadena, and they have a three year old daughter, **Stephanie Ann**.

Mrs. Bob Parker (Adrienne Wueste '45), Chi Theta, Cap and Gown, Cetza, Who's Who, AWS board, lives in San Mateo. Both she and her husband are flying; she to Hawaii regularly.

Ed Herzig, Kappa Phi Sigma, former bookstore manager, is living in Berkeley and is working for a veterans' placement service.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Menke (Pat Herney) were home for the Christmas holidays. **Bob '42**, Omega Xi, Who's Who, Blue Key, AS Prexy, is attending Hastings college of Law in San Francisco. **Pat '45** was a Phi Kappa Gamma, Cap and Gown, Cetza.

Dick Bain, ex-'43, Delta Phi Beta, will be graduated from Stanford at the end of March with a major in mechanical engineering. Dick also attending the University of Florida, while serving in the army.

Margaret Bacon '45 and **Jean Gann '43**, both Phi Kappa Gamma, are both working at the Naval Hospital.

Richard Fritzenkotter '44, Delta Pi Beta, is studying law at Balboa University here in San Diego. Dick's sister, **Mary Jane, ex-'46**, is working at the Mercy Hospital and plans to continue college in Los Angeles next year. Mary Jane was a Phi Kappa Gamma.

Lorna Yost, ex-'47, is working as Mercy Hospital as a lab technician.

Katie O'Keefe, ex-'47, Phi Kappa Gamma, is studying at the St. Joseph's College of Nursing at Los Angeles. Her sister, **Agnes O'Keefe '43**, is in San Francisco, but expects to leave soon for overseas as assistant recreational staff director for the Red Cross.

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• **MORE MAILBAG NOTES**

Ralph R. Bailey, regimental chaplain for the 14th Constabulary in Bavaria, sent out an interesting, two-page mimeographed letter to all his friends for Christmas, and one came to the AZTEC ALUMNI NEWS just before Christmas.

Ralph was preparing to spend his third Christmas in Europe in a jeep, battling rough roads and weather in order to visit troops along the snow-bound fastness of the U. S. lines in Bavaria, where a good deal of police work is still going on. **Mrs. Bailey (Ruth Taunton)**, former Aztec journalism instructor and feature writer for The Union) was to accompany him. The Baileys also were planning a party for 1500 German children the Sunday before Christmas, as well as a Christmas music program for the American community.

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T. S. and Marge (Golsh) Walker wrote from Champaign, Ill., asking that their New Year's greetings be extended to all their friends in the Alumni Association.

"We are in the Army to stay, so we're moving around a lot as usual. T. S. just completed the weather officers' course at Chanute Field, where we've been the past year. He reports to Morrison Field, West Palm Beach, Fla., after New Year's. The rest of the family will follow as soon as we have a place to live and can sell our place here. In June T. S. goes overseas and ditto for the rest of the family when possible."

The Walkers had seen **Lew Yapp**, who is attending University of Illinois, and were planning to look up the **Harold Otwells** and **Lt. Arthur Porter**.

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Mrs. Richard (Jeanne Brill '41) Matlack wrote to **Dr. L. C. Post** from 522 Magie Ave., Elizabeth, N.J., saying she had just learned that the AZTEC NEWS LETTER had been continued as the AZTEC ALUMNI NEWS and "would you please put my name on the mailing list?" (The last three issues were forwarded to you the other day, Jeanne, and perhaps they will help that homesickness you mentioned.—**Ed. Note.**)

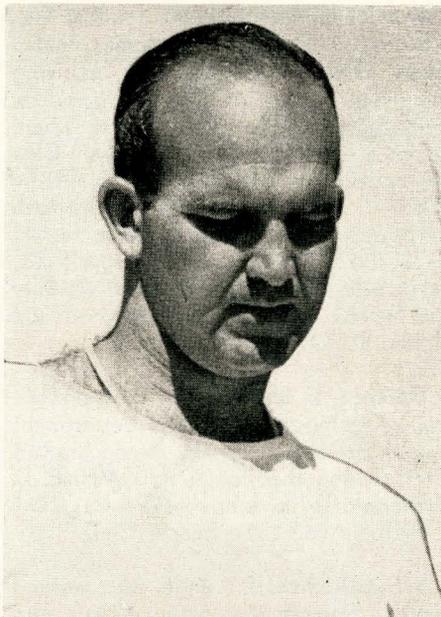
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The first overseas membership in the Alumni Association for 1947 goes to **Ruth M. (Dickie) Hamill '32**, who is now with the Tokyo American School. Dickie will be remembered by Alumni of her time as one of the founders of Theta Chi (now Chi Theta), a member of Treble Clef and Skull and Dagger and a cup winner in the first one-act play tournament.

For those who would like to write, her complete address is: Tokyo American School, c/o G-1 Sec., G.H.Q.-A.F.P. A.C., APO 500, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.

• **AZTEC OF THE MONTH**

All-League Football Coach is the honorary title bestowed upon **Don Giddings '40** (Stanford, Zeta Psi; Menlo J. C.), by the Tribune-Sun when it picked an All-Metropolitan league team. Don, who is coaching at Point Loma High, was "the P. E. Dept." at Kearny High school before the war. He watched the school grow from 13 pupils to 1300 in three years. Previously, Don had coached under **Leo Calland** and was assistant to **Pete Walker** at Hoover.



COACH DON GIDDINGS
... **Alumnus of the Month**

Don was in the service for three years, as a Lt. (jg) in the Navy. He was in the Operational Training Command of the Atlantic Fleet, where he trained anti-aircraft crews for all types of ships.

In June of 1940 Don and **Abbie Johnson '36**, Chi Theta, Cap and Gown, Cetza, Skull and Dagger, Pi Phi Epsilon, Student Council (four years), ASB Vice-president, Alumni Secy, were married. They have a five-year-old daughter, **Dana**.

Don is a boat racing enthusiast; crews for his brother, **Doug**, in a P. C. each Sunday.

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Publication of **Dean C. E. Peterson's** picture in the December issue of the AZTEC ALUMNI NEWS brought an interesting Christmas letter to him from **Iva Marian Copple Matthewson**, who is at Box 155, Alderwood Manor, Wash.:

"Saw your picture in the ALUMNI NEWS and feel you should know that you've changed very little since I saw you last in 1929. . . . In the past 17 years, besides a husband, I've acquired four youngsters: three girls and a boy. . . . We're living on a small farm and raise mink and St. Bernard dogs. Much

to my surprise, we like it fine. Occasionally in the ALUMNI NEWS I see names of some of those I knew, but that was a long time back. If you see any of the representatives of the good old days, give them my regards."

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Louis R. Pritchard, Ex-'42, reports in some five months late (but none the less welcome) with the news that he is no longer in the service (he was a Lt. in the Army Air Forces). He has leased the county-owned airport at Three Rivers, Calif., calls it the Sequoia Sky Ranch, and plans to build up an air terminal for private pilots wishing to visit Sequoia National Forest. The field is located six miles from the entrance to the park.

Louis also wrote: "**Chet DeVore** and his new wife, **Helen**, stopped by here during the holidays while on their honeymoon, and it was certainly swell to see old **Sweeney** again, and to hear about all the former members of dear old **Sellwood Hall**."

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• **WANTED: MORE SIGNATURES**

The leather-bound Alumni Register which many of you signed at the Homecoming Open House Nov. 1 and at the Homecoming Dance Nov. 2 at the San Diego Hotel is now in custody of Executive Secretary-Treasurer **Charles Byrne** in the Public Relations office on campus. All Alumni visiting the campus are requested to drop in and sign the register.

Among recent visitors on campus were **Lt. Robert J. (Joe) Davis '43, USN**, and **Lt. Comdr. W. F. Cornett, Ex-'41, USNR**. Joe, remembered as an outstanding basketball player, has shipped over into the regular Navy and is now a lighter-than-air pilot attached to the Santa Ana Naval Air Station. He recently finished his lighter-than-air pilot training at Lakehurst, N. J., and he and **Mrs. Davis (Adele Kunkel)** were able to spend a holiday leave in San Diego.

Joe has seen a lot of the various duties the Navy has to offer, including the engine room, on the bridge, gunnery, communications and now lighter-than-air. He has also done some free ballooning and for his next duty he has his eyes on submarine service.

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Notes on Alumni . .

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Bill Cornett is now mess treasurer of Officers' Club at North Island and lives with his wife (**Jeane Carr, Ex-'43**) and two children at 501 8th St., Coronado.

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Dr. David Jessop '34, chairman of the Alumni Association's Athletic Scholarship Campaign, recently was re-elected president of the San Diego Optometric Association.

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John A. (Jack) Vogt, who was a charter member of Kappa Phi Sigma fraternity, has recently been added to the mailing list. He's in the East San Diego branch office of the Gas and Electric Co. and is a past president of the East San Diego Kiwanis Club.

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Speaking of the E. S. D. Kiwanis, the Alumni Association is triply represented by **Bob Breitbard**, **Barney Carman** and **Charles Byrne**. **Dean Herbert C. Peiffer**, a faculty Alumni member; **Coach Bill Terry** and **Director of Athletics Carl H. Young** represent the college in the downtown Kiwanis club of which **Bill Whitney** is assistant secretary.

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Who, What and Where—**Lee Todd**, last year's Associated Students president, is now located in Calexico as Imperial Valley representative of the New York Life Insurance Co. He attended Calexico High school . . . a two-months-old newspaper clipping reaching us reveals that **Bob Austin** had a part in "Carousel" and that his wife, the former **Marjorie Cuesta**—both are former Aztecs—at the same time had a role in "Oklahoma" in New York City. . . . **Dr. Walter R. Hepner, Jr.**, who is a resident at Bobs Roberts Children's Memorial Hospital, University of Chicago, and **Mrs. Hepner**, have a new Chicago address: 5431 Hyde Park Blvd. . . . **Dr. and Mrs. Pierce Coy (Rosalie Maiss)** have taken their family to 911 Ninth St., San Mateo, where Dr.

Dept. of Alumni Romance

DIAMOND DAYS

Charlotte Nanette Greenman to **Lt. (jg) Robert Gustav Halgren, U.S.N.** Charlotte attended State and Chicago Musical college and is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota. Feb. 14 wedding planned.

Beverly Jean Templeman, ex-Stater, to **Winford O. Plant**, Epsilon Eta on campus. He served in the marine corps. No date set for the wedding.

Eleanor Fairfowl Hacker to **George Albert Pahn**. Eleanor attended State and George, a

Coy will practice medicine . . . still with the doctors, **Dr. and Mrs. James Phalen (Mary Glen Roche)** are now receiving their mail in care of Colorado General Hospital, 4200 Ninth St., Denver, where he has a residency. . . . **Mary (Lynn) Clay** has moved to 618 9th St., Evanston, Wyo. . . . Ninth St. addresses seem to be popular. . . . **Joseph E. Kurtz**, former track star, is now at 100 Leggett St., Bakersfield, Calif. . . . **Patricia W. Bray** has moved from Lemon Grove to 352 N. Elm St., Osborn, Ohio. . . .

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Florence I. Shafer, who was on the women's physical education department faculty before joining the American Red Cross during the war, is now **Mrs. E. L. Shannon** and has a new address at 2711 B Pacific Ave., Long Beach, Calif.

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S/Sgt. Richard L. Lange, who married **Eleanor Spinola**, an Aztec WAC who saw considerable overseas service, has re-enlisted in the army and is at the Alamogordo, New Mexico, Army Air Field.

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Pvt. Hamer W. (Wally) Hartin was home on holiday furlough and has now been transferred to Camp Stoneman, Calif.

Supervisor DeGraff Austin sent in new addresses for two members of his family: **Mrs. Marie (Austin) Walsh** is at 1117 Willard St., Richland, Wash., and **Arthur L. Austin** is at 6611 No. 10th St., Philadelphia 26, Pa.

graduate of La Jolla High, served five years with the Army Air Force, three years overseas. Feb. 14 wedding planned.

Nelda May Torbett to **William Fleming**. She was graduated by State and taught in the Pacific Beach Elementary before going to teach in Gatun, Panama Canal Zone. Bill was graduated from Trinity college, Conn., and is now employed by the U. S. government at Cristobal, Panama Canal Zone. No date set for the ceremony.

Lynn Elizabeth Torstrup to **John Karczewski**. She attended State and was a Kappa Theta while on campus. She was graduated from the University of California. He attended Marquette University where he was a member of Sigma Phi Delta. No date set.

Eleanor Ann Tripp to **James K. Vedder**. She attended State and was graduated by the Mercy College of Nursing. Mr. Vedder, who served as a lieutenant in the army air corps, is in business here. Spring wedding planned.

Annette Lucille Carmody to **William Charles Madigan, Jr.** She sang with Treble Clef while on campus, and after serving three years with the army air corps, he is now at State where he is a member of Phi Lambda Xi. No date set.

Mary Lou Swanson to **William C. Heath, Jr.** Mary Lou attended State. Following an early February wedding the couple will live in Westwood while Bill attends U.C.L.A.

Gloria Vallier to **Herbert C. King, Jr.** Both young people attended State where he was a member of Phi Lambda Xi. No date set.

Peggy Jean Foster to **Paul El Miller**. Peggy attended State and Paul served three years overseas with the army. No date set.

Dorothea Salyers Fern to **Roy Maxwell Cleator**. Dorothea was a member of Phi Sigma Nu while on campus and Roy was a member of Eta Omega Delta. After serving four years in the Navy, Roy was graduated by the Balboa University law school here and is now in practice in San Diego. An early February wedding is planned.

Colleen Campbell to **Lloyd Norman Jain**. Colleen attended State and Lloyd was recently released from the Navy. Early spring wedding planned.

Louisa Maria Daniels to **William James Daze, Jr.** Louisa affiliated with Tau Zeta Rho while on campus. Mr. Daze was graduated by Loyola University and did graduate work at U.C.L.A. He is an Alpha Sigma Nu. Early spring wedding planned.

Florence Elizabeth Officer to **Harlan Sheldon Campbell**. Florence, a Shen Yo, was graduated from State last June and is now working for an M.A. in drama at U.S.C. Sheldon is president of the Senior class at State now. No date set.

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Hollywood

Audree Benner, who acts as Hollywood-Los Angeles correspondent for the AZTEC ALUMNI NEWS, watches for Aztecs wherever she goes and usually manages to find quite a few.

While in Palm Springs she unexpectedly ran into **Alta Barrett**, a Kappa Theta sorority sister she had not seen for years. While in San Diego for the Christmas holidays she saw the **Fords—Rosemary, Bob and Sharon**—and from **Pat Powers Barnes** found out that **Dick Powers** is in Los Angeles doing musical work and likes it very much. Also, she had to come to San Diego to discover that **Janet Reichers** is living in Los Angeles with her husband and son, and so now they will be seeing more of each other. **Bob Benner**, former Aztec, also was down from University of California for the holidays to make it a family reunion, but he flew back to San Francisco the day after Christmas and from

FRENCH FARCE SELECTED

Moliere's farce, "A Doctor in Spite of Himself," has been selected for this year's traditional Senior-Alumni play. Players from the drama department will be featured, with Miss Sibyl Eliza Jones directing. Two performances tentatively have been scheduled, one to be sponsored by the Senior Class and one by the Alumni Association, and definite dates, either in late March or early April, will be decided upon soon.

there went to Chicago for a university conference with five other delegates from U. of California.

Audree, who is at the Technicolor Motion Picture Corporation, is anxious to hear from all Aztecs in the Hollywood-Los Angeles area, and she may be reached by phoning GR 1101, Ext. 226.

Aztec Authors

"Guilty Bystander," second mystery novel by **Wade Miller**, which is the pseudonym used by two former Aztecs, **Bob Wade** and **H. Billy Miller**, will be published March 28, according to an announcement by Farrar, Straus & Co. As in their first mystery, "Deadly Weapon," San Diego provides the locale.

"Guilty Bystander," in which most of the action is centered in downtown San Diego, is the story of an ex-serviceman, a private detective before the war, who becomes psychologically maladjusted after the war. He becomes involved in a kidnaping and the story follows his struggle to regain possession of himself, with considerable exciting action taking place meanwhile.

Wade Miller's first venture into the field of mystery novel, "Deadly Weapon," was entirely successful. The book made several best seller lists.

Dept. of Alumni Romance Wedding Bells

Elizabeth (Betty) Swift, ex-Stater and Alpha Sigma Chi, was married to **Thomas Walmsley** at the historic Mission San Diego de Alcalá on Dec. 22. The bride was graduated by the Mt. St. Mary's college. The young couple will reside here.

Charles Thomas Frazier claimed **Helen Marie Smith** as his bride at a January ceremony held in the Normal Heights Methodist church. The bride attended State and the groom formerly served with the marine corps. The couple will make their home in Paso Robles.

Elizabeth Janetos and **John Harlan Tibbett** were married in the Little Chapel of the Roses at a Grecian ceremony on Dec. 31. The bride was graduated from Keene Teachers' college in N.H. and the groom studied at State, where he was a member of Tau Delta Chi.

Joseph Melvin Alden claimed **Ruth Barbara Wilkins** as his bride at services in the All Saints Episcopal church on Jan. 10. The bride attended State. Mr. Alden was recently released from the air corps. The couple will make their home in Burbank where the groom will attend an aeronautical school.

Ione W. Foster and **Frank R. Raney** were married in Pocatello, Idaho, on Jan. 1. Ione was a member of Gamma Phi Zeta, Cap and Gown, and was president of the Associated Women's Students. She was listed in Who's Who Among Students in 1945, the year of her graduation. Mr. Raney studied at the University of Idaho, doing graduate work in the field of agriculture. The couple will make their home in Lava Hot Springs, Idaho.

John Morris Dale and **Eleanor Margaret Briggs** were married in the chapel at the U.S. Naval Hospital at a ceremony performed on Jan. 10. The bride was a graduate of St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital training school. John was a member of Sigma Delta Epsilon while on campus.

Audrea Scott Smith was married to **Elbert Radetski** in a ceremony at the Trinity Methodist church in January. The bride attended State and the groom served throughout the war in the navy. The couple will make their home in San Antonio, Texas.

Billy David Trease claimed **Bermudis Ann Presnell** as his bride in the chapel of the Michigan League, on the campus of the Uni-

versity of Michigan, on Dec. 21. The bride attended Florida State College for Women before serving as an aerographer's mate in the WAVES. She is now studying at the University of Michigan. Billy was graduated from State in June, 1941, and served as a photographic officer in the Navy during the war. He is now teaching in the dept. of romance languages and doing graduate work at the University of Michigan.

Joyce Cunningham was claimed as bride by **Donald Louis Schmock** in the chapel of the St. Paul's Episcopal church on Jan. 5. Joyce was graduated from State, teaches in the city schools and was formerly a Lt. in the W.A.C. The groom served four years overseas as a Lt. in the Navy and is now a county probation officer.

Ervin Slayen claimed **Muriel Newman** as his bride on Feb. 2. Both the bride and groom were students at State. The groom served three years in India in the army.

Norma Jean Holcomb became the bride of **Vincent William Hughes** at a late January ceremony in Washington, D. C. The bride attended State before attending U.C.L.A., where she was a member of Delta Delta Delta. For the past year she has been hostess for an airline on an international run. The groom attended George Washington Univ. and obtained his law degree from Columbia University. He is an attorney for the Dept. of Justice. They will reside in Washington, D. C.

Mary Ellen Bowlby was claimed as bride by **Guy Henle** in Hartsdale, New York, on Jan. 5. The bride was graduated from State in 1943, where she was a member of Chi Theta, Cap and Gown, and president of her senior class. After a honeymoon in Bermuda, the couple will make their home in New York City.

Herman C. Segebart and **Dorothy Ann Fellows** were married in the First Presbyterian church on Dec. 29. The bride, a graduate of State and member of Epsilon Pi Theta, teaches in Coronado and the groom is in business there. The couple will make their home in Coronado.

Jean Madolyn Taylor, ex-Stater, and **James Leslie Hannah** were married in All Saints Episcopal church on Dec. 23. The newlyweds will reside at Thunderbird Field, Arizona, where the

groom is taking post-graduate work at the Institute of Foreign Trade.

James Stuart Fairchild claimed **Christine Dickman** as his bride at a ceremony read at the First Congregational church on Dec. 22. Both young people attended State where both were selected for the College Who's Who. The bride was an Epsilon Pi Theta and the groom a Tau Delta Chi. The couple will live in Hillsboro, Texas, where Jim is with a manufacturing company.

Jean Parchman and **Clyde Blake Yakel** were married in the Little Chapel of the Roses on Dec. 22. Both attended State where she was a member of Delta Chi and he a member of Eta Omega Delta. The young couple will reside in San Diego.

Fredrick Merrick Jennings and **Margaret Channing Cole** exchanged wedding vows in St. Mary's church in Greenwich, Conn., on Dec. 22. The bride studied at Connecticut college and the groom was graduated from State. The couple will reside in Chicago, where Fred is attending University of Chicago law school.

Gretchen Elizabeth Marxmiller became the bride of **Duke Clearbrook** on Dec. 16. Both young people attended State and they will make their home in Mission Beach.

Emery Murray Hurd, Jr., and **Shirlee Quimby** were married in Las Vegas, Nevada, on Dec. 8. The bride studied at U.C.L.A. and the groom, recently discharged as a lieutenant in the army, attended State.

Mary Jane Scott was claimed as bride by **Alexander Swank Caldwell** in the Pt. Loma Community church on Dec. 22. Both attended State where the bride was a member of Chi Theta. The couple will live in San Diego.

Fred Houston Baker claimed **Patricia Callaway** as his bride at the altar of the Mission Hills Congregational church on Dec. 29. Pat attended State where she joined the Chi Theta sorority. The groom was a member of Kappa Sigma at the University of California. The young couple will make their home in Kentfield, Calif., while Mr. Baker attends Hastings College of Law.

Fern Downes and **Charles Bernard** were married in January. Both San Diegans, he is a correspondent for U.P. They are going to live in Europe, where his assignment is sending them.

Former Aztecs Hold Variety of Jobs . . . Alumni Calendar

Joe Botte, ex-'44, Delta Pi Beta, was home for a few days at Christmas time from Creighton University in Omaha, where he is studying for an M.D.

Steve Porter, '45, Eta Omega Delta, is selling insurance for Hotchkiss and Anwalt. His brother, **Dave, ex-'46**, Eta Omega Delta, is working for a maritime company in San Diego.

Mrs. Charles Strada (Betty Sheidle, ex-'40) has two children, **Linda, 3**, and **Randolph, 2**. **Charles** is with his father in the People's Fish Co.

Mrs. R. M. Robinson (Julia Bowman, ex-'40) was graduated from Berkeley after two years in attendance at State. Julia will be remembered as one of the few women physics majors. She married her Cal math teacher, **R. M. Robinson**, Who's Who in Math. They are living at Princeton, where "Robie" has been invited to lecture this year. Julia is working on her Ph. D. in Math. During the war she worked in the government statistic lab in Berkeley.

Mrs. James Martin (Lucille Daney, ex-'40), Chi Theta, and her husband are living in Linda Vista. Lucille worked at the First National Bank, and met her husband in an evening class on banking. He recently completed four years in the army.

Mrs. Robert Howard (Mary-Em Hardie '40), Phi Kappa Gamma, Treble Clef, Skull and Dagger, Cetza, Theatre Guild, had two children, **Johnny, 4**, and **Mary Robin, 2**. **Bob** is living in his parents' home in Westwood attending U.C.L.A. where he expects to receive his degree in engineering in June. Weekends, **Bob** is with his family in Linda Vista. **Bob** was an army captain in the ordnance division for four years.

Francis Ramsey, ex-'40, Alpha Phi Omega, was an army sergeant in the air corps radio for three years, stationed most of the time in the Pacific Theater. He is now going to Vocational school where he is studying a program for maintaining and equipping radio stations.

Gale Medicott, Phi Lambda Xi, attended State for two years and was graduated in the class of '40 from Stanford. After working at Convair six years, **Gale** is now expeditor and purchasing agent for Trepte Const. Co. **Gale** married **Marion Black '40**, Chi Theta, Cetza, and they have two sons, **Michael Bruce, 4**, and **Gerald Patrick, 2**.

John Kendrick '40, Phi Lambda Xi, studied at State two years, was at Berkeley a year and a half, then entered the navy for the duration of the war. He was in Tokyo Bay for the signing of the peace. As a Lt. Comdr., he was Combat Information Center Officer on the South Dakota. **John** has now resumed

his studies in animal husbandry at Davis. Last June he married **Lois Orrell**, of Chico, who works as a secretary at Davis.

Jack Snyder '41, Phi Lambda Xi, prepared for the navy at Northwestern and is now Lt. Comdr. in charge of organization and administration of Naval Reserve unit in San Diego. **Jack** married **Magaret Prechsel** of El Paso, who is now teaching at Chestertown elementary.

Mrs. John Brineman (Elena Lockwood, ex-'40), Phi Sigma Nu, was at State one year before working with Western Union and then at the First National Bank. She married **Jack** who was in the geology dept. at State. They lived in Caracas, Venezuela where **Jack** taught geology at the University for two years. He transferred to Bogata, Columbia, where **Jack** is with Socony Vacuum. They have three children, **Anne, 4**, **Elena, 2**, and **John, 6** months.

Jolly Anna Mineo '40, College Y, Newman Club, Geology Club, is teaching at Spring Valley elementary. She has been instrumental in keeping together former State Toastmistresses who meet once a month in the homes of members. Thanks to **Anna** for much information for this column.

Mrs. Leonard Williams (Betty Homas '38), Toastmistress, is now teaching at National City elementary. **Leonard** is in the La Mesa Post Office.

Mrs. William B. Sweet (Ileen Kennedy '40), Toastmistress, Roger Williams Council, occasionally substitutes in the city schools, but finds that **Miles, 4**, needs most of her time. **Bill** is in the regular navy as a Lt. and commander of an L.S.T.

Jacqueline Trenfel '37, Alpha Mu Gamma, Kappa Delta Pi, El Club Azteca, Le Circle Francais, is chairman of the foreign languages dept. at Kearny High. After receiving her Master's Degree at Berkeley in '39, she joined an itinerant study group in Europe for six months. She then taught social studies and French and Spanish at San Diego High until 1941, when she joined the staff at Kearny.

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Feb. 19 (Wed.)—General membership meeting at Guest Hall of Coca Cola Bottling Co., 3550 El Cajon Blvd. Dramatic reading by E. Kingsley Povenmire of State college, "The Green Pastures."

April 11 (Fri.)—Junior-Senior Prom, site to be named; Alumni invited.

April 15 (Tues.)—Treble Clef fourth annual Spring Concert, Russ Auditorium.

Late March or early April (definite date to be set)—Senior-Alumni play in Little Theater.

May 4 to 11—Golden Jubilee celebration, including:

May 4 (Sun.)—Southern California Inter-Collegiate Glee Club Festival, Russ Auditorium; S.D.S.C. host.

May 8 (Thurs.)—Spring football game in afternoon.

May 8 (Thurs.)—A.M.S. Dad's Day banquet in evening.

May 10 (Sat.)—Alumni-Inter-Fraternity Council formal reunion dance; tentative date subject to confirmation.

Additional events to be announced.

Mrs. John O'Malley (Betty Creighton '41), Delta Chi Phi, has a six months old son, **Steven John**. **Betty** had been teaching four years in National City. **John**, a San Franciscan and a veteran, is going to State to get his teaching credentials.

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Registration for the spring semester of San Diego State College's extended day program will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 6, and Monday, Feb. 10. A descriptive bulletin and schedule of classes are now available in Dr. Donald R. Watson's office in the college administration building.

The extended day program, in which classes are scheduled at various hours between 4 and 9:30 p.m., is open both to students who are regularly enrolled in the college and those who may wish to attend on a part-time basis. All courses will be taught on the campus, in most cases by the regular faculty, and full facilities of the college, including the library, will be available.

Courses will be offered in astronomy, insurance, education, English, history, philosophy, physics, political science, psychology and sociology. Applications for admission should be filed prior to registration except for students already regularly enrolled. Complete information on admission requirements is available in the descriptive bulletin.

Clef Concert Set

Treble Clef has set Tuesday, April 15, as the date for its fourth annual spring concert in Russ Auditorium. Again the alumnae chorus—which last year totaled 150 voices—will participate in the program, and to prepare for the event the alumnae members are practicing the second Tuesday of every month at the First Presbyterian Church under direction of Miss L. Deborah Smith.

Proceeds of the concert will be added to Treble Clef's fast-growing Organ Fund, which, in three years, already has reached the sum of \$9000. The goal is \$25,000 with which to buy a concert organ for the new State College auditorium when it is built.

Treble Clef, which has perhaps the best-organized and most active alumni group of any organization on campus, recently celebrated its 25th anniversary with a traditional Christmas dinner at the San Diego Woman's club.

A feature of the dinner was the induction of new officers of Treble Clef Alumnae. They are Mrs. Harvey Lewis, Jr., president; Mrs. A. W. Cary, vice-president; Mrs. C. McMorrow, secretary; Miss Ruth Bradley, treasurer; Mrs. W. A. McLeod, historian; Mrs. M. K. Coffey, publicity chairman; Mrs. Thomas Goodbody, business manager. Mrs. Lewis succeeded Mrs. Spencer Held as president.

Membership Grows

The ever-growing paid membership list of the San Diego State College Alumni Association is continued herewith (1947 renewals are not included, but changes of address for paid-up members are included):

Ralph Small, 876 Golden Park Ave., San Diego 6.

Catherine Wueste, 4288 Arguello, San Diego. W-6818.

Henry Woods and Dorothy Cook Woods, 1330 Clove St., San Diego. B-4275.

Keith Dixon '43, 7543 Sturgess, La Mesa, Calif.

Gertrude Eloise Hanson '46, 4240 Arguello, San Diego 3. J-3484.

Walter R. Bostrom, ex-'34, 3160 Palm St., San Diego 4. T-1-2032.

Donald S. Lindstrum, ex-'42, and Margaret Lewis Lindstrum, ex-'42, 615 Gravilla Place, La Jolla, Calif. G-5-6374.

Celia F. Denlinger '41, 1060 Chalcedony St., San Diego 9. H-8-3346.

Robert E. Kennedy '38 and Mary Paxton Kennedy '38, Rt. 1, Box 343, San Luis Obispo, Calif.

David H. Barnes '27 and Bessie Mae Barnes, ex-'29, 2934 1st Ave., San Diego 3. W-0314.

Carol Stoltz '46, 3129 Barnard St., San Diego. B-6772.

Les R. Cassie '46 and Betty Warren Cassie, ex-'41, 3772 37th St., San Diego. R-5705.

Mary A. Peck '46, 4609 Norma Dr., San Diego. R-3438.

William F. Bethard '39, 346 "B" Ave., Coronado, Calif. H-3-5647.

Lt. (jg) Edwin F. Barker, Jr. '42 and Evelyn Reynolds Barker '41, Mer Villa, Joyce Lane, Arnold, Md.

Mrs. Carl R. (Marjorie Strong) Erickson '43, Rt. 11, Box 442-A, Phoenix, Ariz. Phoenix 4-6074.

Lucille Howell '46, 4038 S. E. 73rd Ave., Portland, 6, Oregon.

E. Russell Alkire '39 and Ellen Adair Alkire, ex-'38, 4081 4th Ave., San Diego. J-0513.

Jack H. Yount '37 and Connie T. Yount '40, 708 Cohasset Ct., San Diego. H-8-4707.

Dorothy M. Warner '38, 4231 42nd St., San Diego, 5. R-9955.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Francis M. Millican '40, 1745 E. 147th St., Seattle, Washington.

Harold Otwell '40 and Barbara Wright Otwell '45, 322 So. Jordan Ave., Bloomington, Ind.

Robert Halley '41, 516 Gayley Ave., Apt. 1, Los Angeles, 25, Calif.

Lt. Comdr. John K. Williams, Ex-'39, and Jane Grant Williams, Ex-'38, 221 N. Polk St., Moscow, Idaho.

Barbara Strong '46, Rt. 11, Box 442-A, Phoenix, Arizona.

Keith R. Whitcomb '40 and Betty Horn Whitcomb '42, 4155 Hilldale Rd., San Diego, 4.

William A. Koller, Political Science Dept., Stanford University, Calif.

Lt. Comdr. J. L. Howard (SC) USN (and Irene Silver Howard), EXOS, Material Division Rm. 2004, Asst. SecNavy, Navy Dept., Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Janice L. Foster, Ex-'48, 342 Douglas St., San Diego.

John J. Sellwood '41 and Mary Yule Sellwood '41, 6839 Phillips Ct., San Diego.

Mrs. R. J. (Pat DeBurn) Janda, Ex-'45, 2516 So. Eastland, Los Angeles, 22, Calif.

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DELTA CHI PHI FOUNDERS

Delta Chi Phi sorority celebrated its 23rd annual Founders' day with a formal dinner in the San Diego club recently. **Mrs. Russell Alkire (Ellen Adair)**, president of the Alumnae chapter, was toast-mistress. A musical program was arranged by **Margaret Martin** and speakers were **Agatha Sick** for the campus chapter and **Mrs. Edgar Tidwell (Frances Shimp)** for the Alumnae. More than 60 members attended the banquet.

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Hal Summers '46, last year's basketball captain, had a successful year with the Salem baseball club, in the Western International League. Hal will report to Portland in the spring and in the meantime is spending the winter in San Diego.

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Two service wives are visiting their parents in San Diego waiting for their husbands to get located and discharged. **Mrs. Robert Baughn (Mary Alice Cutler)** and her son, **Stephen, 5**, are waiting for **Capt. Baughn**, army air forces, to find a home for them in Monterey, where he is now stationed. The Baughns have been living in Texas where **Capt. Baughn** was stationed at Ft. Bliss.

Mrs. Charles Holliday (Peggy Stewart) is with her parents with her two children waiting for **Chuck** to be discharged from the army. He is now in Denver.

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Frances Holmes Wark '29, who recently joined the Alumni Association, was a member of the S. A. B. E. club when on the campus. The club later became one of the sororities now on campus and she would like to know which sorority it is. Can someone let us know? Frances was a member of the Board of Directors of the Association in 1930, and was at one time chairman of the Scholarship Committee of the San Diego Teachers Association, in which capacity she worked with **Dean C. E. Peterson** on loans for State college students.

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Mrs. Dolf Muehleisen (Gretchen Saum) air clipped to Honolulu recently for a long-awaited reunion with her husband, **Col. Dolf Muehleisen**, who has quarters for his family at Hickam field. Their two children, **Jim, 6**, and **Nancy, 13 months**, accompanied their mother. This is the first reunion in more than 20 months for **Dolf and Gretchen**, and **Dolf** had never before seen his daughter.

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Lt. Comdr. Ed Ruffa, whose last assignment was as athletic officer at Great Lakes N. T. S., has been discharged from the Navy and is back at San Diego High. Ed is currently coaching the San Diego Junior College basketball team.

More News About Doings of Former Aztecs

Ed Moore, ex-'36, Tau Delta Chi, Men's Glee, Orchestra, charter member of Ocoatl, married **Edwena Boynton '38**, Tau Zeta Rho, Alpha Mu Gamma, Kapa Delta Pi, Le Circle Francais, El Club Azteca. They have two children, **Kathleen, 3**, and **Edward John, Jr., 1**, whom they call **Teddy**. Ed is an electrical radio engineer at Convair.

Edwena's sister, **Barbee Boynton, ex-'46**, Tau Zeta Rho, has her own shop called Barbee's Creations in Cloth. Since nation-wide recognition in Hobby Magazine, she has had to give a correspondence course in the art of stencilling.

Mrs. Oscar Knieff (Beatrice Lilly) is teaching at Central school. **Oscar** is at State under the veterans' program, planning to get a general secondary credential.

Mrs. Francis Hallenbach (Margaret Code '39) has two girls, **Francine, 4**, and **Margaret Ann, 5**. **Francis** was just discharged from the army. Margaret used to teach at Memorial Evening Jr. high.

Omega Xis Bill Erickson and Bill Clamp are salesmen at the Kelley Laundry Co.

Mrs. Richard Bartel (Gerry Turner, ex-'40), Kappa Theta, has a son **Phillip, 4**. **Dick** works for the Gas Co.

Maxine Brennan '39 is the only woman draftsman for the Gas Co.

AZTECS MUSTERED OUT

Arthur L. Austin, USNR.
Pvt. Lloyd Boughton, USA.
Georgia Downs, Y2/c WAVES.
1st. Lt. John D. Francis, USA.
Lt. Comdr. Frank J. Losey, USNR (DC)
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Mrs. Ray Dell (Pat Finnegan '39) worked at M.I.T. on super secret stuff in the radiation lab during the war. Before and after she was a copyist in the recorder's office. **Ray** is a painter with his father. They have a son **Michael, 1 year old**.

Mrs. Robert Earickson (Winifred Green '38) is in Yuma with **Bob** who is working on the All-American Canal. They have two girls, 4 and 2 years old.

Leone Carlson '44, Chi Theta, Cap and Gown, is attending Vocational school and working as well at the Mission Pipe and Supply Co. Leone spent last summer vacationing in New York.

Evelyn Zollicoffer '43, Phi Kappa Gamma, is working as a dental assistant.

Frances Kazansky '45, is going to Hastings Law School.

Nettie Castle, ex-'45, Phi Kappa Gamma, is still back east at the Bethel Seminary in St. Paul studying to be a missionary.

The 1945 group of Cap and Gowners meet regularly each month for dinner. Usually included in the group are **Ruth Robson, Peg Sinclair, Pat Allard, Joyce Dick Garvin, and Pat Herney Menke**. The 1946 group also meets each month including, **Jean Brown, Arline Gaugen, Lorraine McNealy, Fay Waters, Mary Peck, and Jeanne Oncley Forbes**.

And many thanks to these girls, especially **Pat Allard and Joyce Garvin**, for a lot of news of Alums.

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State Hits Snag With C. C. A. A. Hoop Foes

After a promising start which saw the Aztecs win six out of eight pre-conference games in December and early January, the varsity basketball team suddenly hit rough going when C.C.A.A. competition got under way in January.

At this writing the Aztecs have lost three out of four conference games—the season record shows seven victories against six losses—and hopes for retaining the C.C.A.A. championship San Diego has held on a "duration" basis since 1942 are at a low ebb.

Conference competition began with a three-game road trip and Coach Charlie Smith saw his team get off to an auspicious start by trouncing Fresno State, 51 to 29, in the Raisin City as **Don Nuttall**, freshman forward, dumped in 19 points, individual high-point effort of the season to date.

Then the trouble began. At Stockton the following night the Aztec offense suddenly went into low gear and College of Pacific broke a deadlock in the last 45 seconds for a 37 to 34 victory. Two nights later at San Jose the Aztecs were "colder" yet and went down before the Spartans, 48 to 28.

Back home, they bounced back with their two highest scoring efforts of the season but lost both games to "hot" opposition, bowing to Whittier, 55 to 52, in a non-conference game, and to College of Pacific, 65 to 52, in a return game.

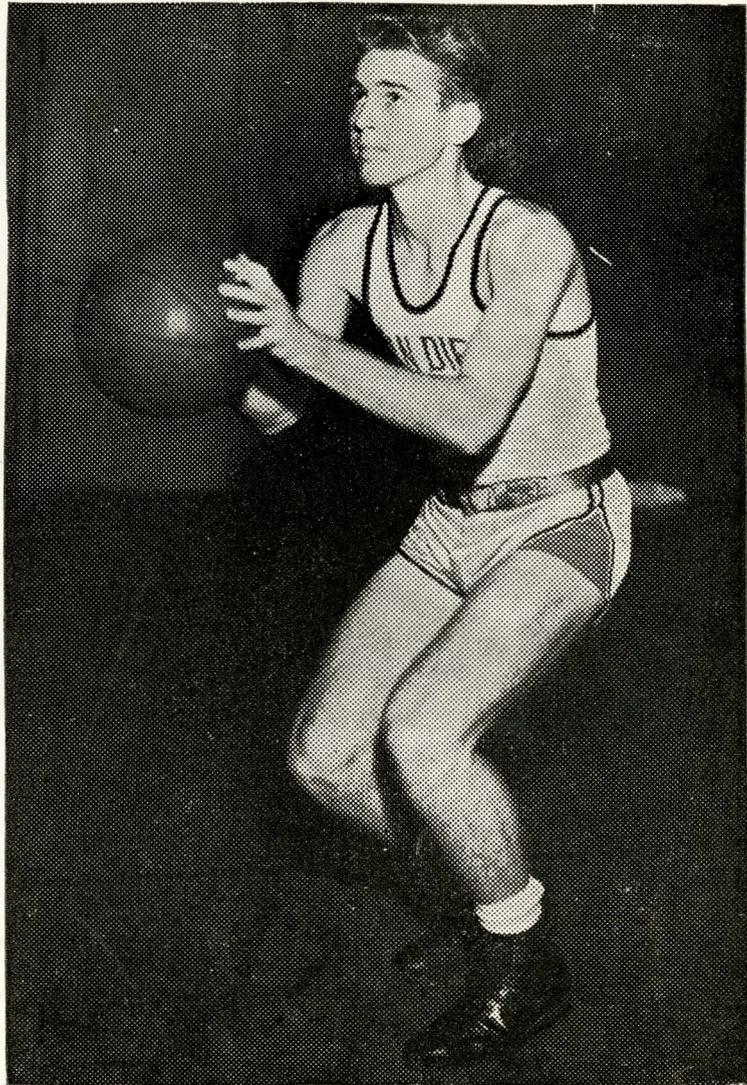
Nuttall and **Kenny Hale**, veteran of the 1941 national tournament winners at Kansas City, are tied for the scoring lead after 13 games with 113 points for 8.9 averages. As always, Hale has played an outstanding floor game. Next in line are Center **Willie Steele** with 68 points and **John Swezey**, freshman guard with 64.

College of Pacific leads the C.C.A.A. race at this writing with four straight victories, but the powerful San Jose Spartans, conquerors of San Diego in their only conference game so far, remain the championship favorites.

By Feb. 4 the Aztecs will have played three more non-conference games—at Loyola Jan. 30, at Whittier Jan. 31 and against the Tecate Dons, of the A.A.U. American Basketball league. Conference competition will dominate the rest of the schedule.

Basketball results to Date

Aztecs 42, Alumni 34.
Aztecs 45, Occidental 41.



Don Smith, San Diego State college forward, sharpens his eye with a practice toss.

Aztecs 47, Loyola 25.
Arizona 73, Aztecs 36.
Aztecs 48, Chico State 45.
Aztecs 44, Chico State 38.
Flagstaff (Ariz.) State 36, Aztecs 32.
Aztecs 39, Pepperdine 38.
Aztecs 51, Fresno State 29.
College of Pacific 37, Aztecs 34.
San Jose State 48, Aztecs 28.
Whittier 55, Aztecs 52.
College of Pacific 65, Aztecs 52.

Balance of Schedule

Feb. 7 and 8—California Poly at San Diego; Feb. 11—Pepperdine at Los Angeles; Feb. 14 and 15—Fresno State at San Diego; Feb. 17—San Jose State at San Diego; Feb. 21 and 22—Santa Barbara College at San Diego; Feb. 28—Santa Barbara College at Santa Barbara; March 1—California Poly at San Luis Obispo.

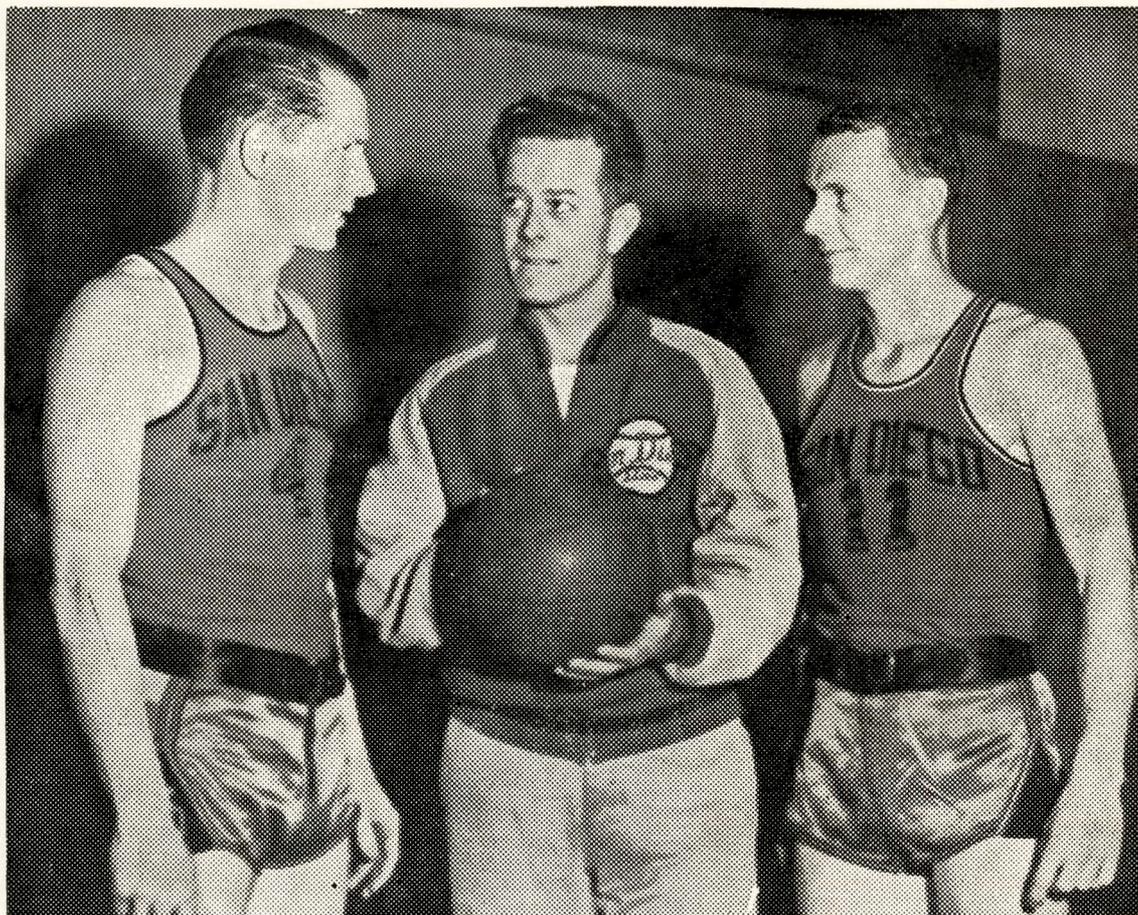
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Returned Veterans Bolster Aztec Cage Team



After long service in the Navy, Herb Tompkins (left) and Kenny Hale (right) are back playing with the State college hoop team under Coach Charlie Smith (center). Tompkins and Hale were members of the 1941 quintet that won the National Association of Intercollegiate Basketball Championship. Hale was high scorer for the Aztecs and placed on the All-tournament team.

AZTEC JAYVEES SET 11-GAME WIN RECORD

The Aztec junior varsity, coached by **John Sellwood**, former varsity star, got away to an 11-game winning streak before being toppled, 55 to 47, by a San Diego Willys team which had three of last year's varsity stars, **Hal Summers**, **Buddy Caldwell** and **Bob Crumly** in the

lineup. Peak performance for the Jayvees to date is a 66 to 28 victory over San Bernardino Junior College, while the most exciting game was a 52 to 48 overtime victory over California Laundry.

Dick Riley, freshman forward from

Hoover High, paced the Jayvees during their early triumphs but was lost for the season when he broke his ankle while spending the Christmas holidays in the mountains. **Vane Olinger** and **Jack Kaiser**, the latter a football letterman, are now setting the scoring pace.



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