

ELECTIONS SCHEDULED FOR TOMORROW

Renegade Rip

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BULLETIN ROUNDUP

Exec Council Banquet

The Saddle and Sirloin will be the scene of the Executive Council banquet on Friday, January 27, at 7 p.m. Attending the banquet will be both the old and newly elected student body officers, guests, and the advisor, Mr. William Hefferman.

Seven Arts Presents

"Hilarious, crazy, sardonic and macabre," describes The Red Inn, Seven Arts film to be shown Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. in Harvey Auditorium. The movie stars one of France's most famous actors, Fernandel, and will be the fourth of a series of foreign movies, according to Seven Arts Director, Dr. Jack Casey.

Frosh Queen Crowned

Maureen Peterson was crowned Frosh Queen at The Frosted Fantasy on Tuesday, December 20, 1955. Maureen received a small trophy with her name engraved on it and a perpetual trophy for the queen contest with Maureen's name on it. Maureen will reign over the freshman basketball dance on Saturday, February 18, after the game.

Study List Approval

Approval of the study lists of students planning to attend BC must be obtained by Friday, January 13, from their counselors.

Play Presented Soon

"In Case of Murder," a three-act comedy farce written by Frank Watron, dramatics instructor, is to be presented Jan. 19 and 20 in the Little Theater.

Watron wrote the script during the summer to be used as a project by his dramatics class. The plot concerns a harried young TV writer, who hates to have any of his characters in a play killed, and who suddenly finds all of the fictitious cast of his latest script come to life in his home, with four murders added to the plot. A completely different ending, with all the elements of surprise, is the high point of the play.

Finals Start Soon

Finals for the fall semester will start Monday, January 23 and will last through January 26. All students should check the finals' schedule to see when their finals are scheduled.

Kenton to Appear

Stan Kenton, leader in the progressive jazz movement and dubbed "Modern America's Man of Music," will appear in person with



Stan Kenton

a 25-member band and singer June Christy in Harvey Auditorium, January 28, at 8:30 p.m.

Kenton's aggregation has won Downbeat magazine's title of the nation's No. 1 orchestra 5 years in succession. Kenton is an advocate of modern American music, and through his work many colleges have broadened their music courses to include progressive jazz.

Tickets for the concert are on sale at the book store, with \$1.50 being charged ASBC card holders.

New Campus Tour

Touring the new college campus will be the members of the Exec Council and club presidents, Thursday, January 12. The group will leave here at 11:30 a.m. Dr. Ed Simonsen will guide the group on the hour-long tour.

Student Body and Class Officers to be Voted On

Elections for Student Body, Freshman and Sophomore class officers, and four proposed constitutional amendments will be held all day tomorrow in the basement of the Junior College building, announced Emil Berk, Chief Justice of the student court.

Dale Spickler, incumbent; Ron Orloff, sophomore class president; and Jim Swartzwelder, AMS president, are all running for the student body presidency.

Though he announced his candidacy too late to make a statement for the Rip, Spickler, at the election assembly Friday, stated that he felt the experience he had gained during his first term would help him in carrying out his duties during the spring semester.

Amendments Will Be Considered In Election Tuesday

Three of the four proposed amendments to the associated students constitution relate to the office of Director of Rallies. The amendments will create the elective office of Director of Rallies, grant him a vote as a member of the Executive Council, and state his duties. These will be voted on in tomorrow's election.

Other amendments to be voted on are an addition of two song leaders and two yell leaders to the list of elective officers, which now provides for three yell leaders and three song leaders, and a clause which states that the Student Court shall check grades of prospective candidates each six weeks and shall take any necessary action.

The following are the articles proposed for amendment including the amendments.

Article II, Section 1—The elective officers of the Associated Students of Bakersfield College shall be as follows:

President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Business Manager of the Associated Students; President, Vice-President, Secretary, and two Representatives of the Freshman Class; President, Vice-President, Secretary, and two Representatives of the Sophomore Class; Chief Jus-

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Ron Orloff said, "If the students of Bakersfield College elect me president of the student body, I will try to encourage better morale by striving for more student participation in student government and more club sponsored activities in which they will get the credit. I will try to have better assemblies and more club participation in the assemblies."

Swartzwelder stated that, "Student government requires no platform. The only justification for student government is to develop leadership and to perform the various administrative functions of the student body officers for better leadership."

The other candidates for the various student body offices stack up this way, Rhoda Lee Cohen, vice-president; Kathy Gill, Chief Justice; Carol Grandall, assembly chairman; and Mary Lou Noonan, director of activities.

The offices open at the time the Rip went to press were: Secretary, Director of Finance, Director of Athletics and the two Associate Justices.

In the running for the Sophomore class president, Bill Ronaldson was the only candidate. Maritta Edwards is uncontested for vice-president; Carol Morley is a candidate for secretary and Priscilla Guezec are the two candidates for the two Sophomore Representatives.

The Freshman class have three contests to vote on: Gerry Haslam and Kenny Beavers are the hopefuls for the class presidency. Don Spence and Calvin Meek are running for vice-president. Marilyn Valentine is the candidate for secretary, and Larry Smetzer is alone in his bid for one of the two class representatives.

Coming Up

The events coming up between now and the next few weeks are as follows:

Jan. 10, The Navy Band, admission is free.

Jan. 11, The Seven Arts are having a film.

Jan. 28, Stan Kenton in person and June Christie. Also on the same night, basketball game with San Diego.

EDITORIAL

A Vital Decision

With unusual suddenness, BC finds itself faced again with the decision of choosing who will lead its student body government—an especially tough decision this time.

The months to follow will not be easy ones. BC will move, all right, but into a half-finished campus, with the student center and many other vital buildings incompleting. In this atmosphere of turmoil and improvisation, the qualities of sound leadership so necessary in a student body president will be sorely needed.

In view of the gravity of the election, the decision of every voter should, in fact, must, be thought over carefully. The voter should probe beneath the colorful surface of the campaign and check the record and qualifications of the candidates.

It is our duty to choose a man whom we can depend on to follow his campaign promises with a responsible, farsighted administration.

Just the Breaks!

It seems as though the bus system got off to a bad start after the Christmas vacation. Last Tuesday, four of the buses had to be either towed in or worked on before they would run and three of the buses had minor accidents.

Amendments

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Article II, Section 2—Requirements for candidacy. *five* song leaders, *five* yell leaders.

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Clause 1. Each candidate must carry at least 12 units and maintain at least a "C" average in all units undertaken during the semester of his candidacy and his tenure in office. *The Student Court shall check grades each six weeks and shall take any necessary action.*

Each candidate's grades during the semester of his candidacy shall be determined by the six weeks' grades immediately prior to the date of application for candidacy.

Article IV, Section 2—The members of the Board of Representatives.

Add *and Rallies* after student activities, delete *and* before student activities.

Article III—The Executive Department.

Section 6—Powers and Duties of the President's Cabinet.

Clause 5. The Director of Rallies shall *coordinate the activities of the Song and Yell Leaders.* He shall be president of the Rally Commission, etc.

Basketball Preview

by Bob Morrison

The Bakersfield College Renegades continue their 1956 schedule with their opening bid for the Metropolitan Conference crown against the Santa Monica City College Corsairs tomorrow night at the Bakersfield high gym starting at 8 p.m.

With a brand new coach in Don Blemker, Santa Monica has virtually all of last year's mainstays back for another season. A breakdown of the squad finds six lettermen returning to the fold and several good prospects from the service and high schools. Included on the returnee list are Buddy Williams, Lynn Harman and Bill White at guards, Bob Oldham, Henry Queen, Jay Snelson and Ron Sorensen at forwards. Sorensen, returning after two years with the U.S. Army, played for the Corsairs in 1953. Snelson led the Corsairs last year in scoring with 268 for an 11 per game average, while Williams was rated as one of the best rebounders in the conference last year. The Corsairs have showed steady improvement this year averaging 77 points per game.

The weekend slate will find the Gades traveling to meet the Huskies of East Los Angeles Friday for their second conference outing and then returning to the local court Saturday to meet once again the highly rated Fresno JC Rams.

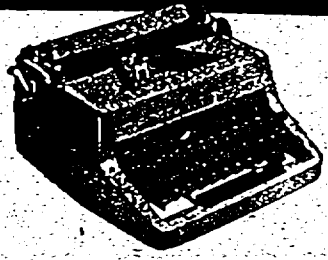
Coached by Dave Taylor, the Huskies sport five returning lettermen in "Bobo" Terrazas, Yoneo Inouye, Jack Miller, Delbert Ceasar and Glen Helmer. From the prep

ranks comes "Rip" Parkinson, 6'3" center from Manual Arts High School, and Andy Gathers from Kansas City. Helmer is currently leading the Huskies in scoring with Cathers and Miller close behind. They will have little in the way of height this year and will rely on speed and accuracy in their bid for Conference honors.

Not unfamiliar to local fans who attended the BC cage tournament held in December, the Rams will be seeking a revenge win against the Gades. The Gades won the tourney by outscoring Fresno 60-51 in the final game. Led by towering 6'8" Gary Alcorn and sparked by Huey Davis, former Edison High School star, the Rams have made impressionable showings at both the Sam Barry and Hartnell tournaments. Davis was absent from the last meeting of these clubs due to the fact that he was getting married. Whether or not he will make the difference Saturday night remains to be seen. It is nothing unusual for Huey to score in the near twenties.

Bill Cowan, leading Gade scorer, George Fields, Steve Burnett, Pat Black will remain in the starting lineup in these encounters while the other starting spot will be divided between George Love and Laurie Strauss. Strauss has been out with an ankle injury but will be in top shape this week. Highly improving 6'5" Jess Washington, Smithie Callahan, Willie Montgomery, Fred Perry, Bill Bussey, and Bob Clerico should see action also.

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