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HOMECOMING ELECTIONS TUESDAY



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Cosmetology



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MEChA



LISA GARZA
Upsilon Omicron



CHERILYNNE BAILEY
Black Student Union



LENA HERRERA
LDSSA



DOLORES HULSHOF
Sigma Phi

7 vie for Queen of the 1985 Court

Mock Rally tomorrow highlights big week

Tomorrow's traditional "Mock Rally" highlights this week of Homecoming activities in a slate of events designed to spark an all-out campaign for the Queen election Tuesday and Wednesday.

Each queen candidate is represented by a male student from the sponsoring club impersonating the court hopeful. The gaily decked out "candidate" is interviewed before the packed Student Center, and displays her "talents" to influence the crowd.

Tonight at 9, the real queen candidates will be on hand at a special Homecoming Coffee Night in the Health Science patio.

In the beginning, there were 15 Homecoming candidates, with all the excitement and drama one could hope for.

Now the field is down to seven, thanks to last week's court voting, with the seven finalists all hoping to be named the 1985 Cerritos College Homecoming Queen.

The finalists are: Lena Herrera, LDSSA; Cherilynne Bailey, Black Student Union; Jill Dayen, Cosmetology; Marina Castaneda, MEChA; Lisa Garza, Upsilon Omicron; Dolores Hulshof, Sigma Phi and Tammy Parra, Alpha Phi Beta.

Elections for Queen will be held on Oct. 15-16, with the crowning to be held at halftime of the Oct. 19 football game against Taft.

After the Oct. 19 football game, there will be a dance, featuring D.J. Mic Smiley in the Student Center from 11 p.m. - 1 a.m. A light show will also be presented.

By GABRIELA MARTINEZ

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CAMPUS LOTTERY SALES SOAR

Robertson scratches out \$5000



TM Photo by LIZ ARCLAS

MIKE ROBERTSON — Lots in lottery

By DWAYNE KING
TM Editor-in-Chief

It only took half an hour for the Bookstore to sell its first 500 lottery tickets last Thursday.

And when the Bookstore closed seven and a half hours later, 1,511 tickets had been sold on the Cerritos College Campus.

"We've had a lot of people here," said encouraged Bookstore Manager Allan Beaulieu, "it's been very successful for us thus far."

Indeed it has, for 11 million tickets were sold on the first day.

Although it is not yet known if the cash register receipts have increased due to the Lottery, Beaulieu admitted that a sale held last week had gone "extremely well"

The Bookstore, however, has had no \$1000 or \$5000 winners as of yet.

"We've had a lot of \$2 and \$5 winners, and last week there was a \$100 winner," commented Beaulieu.

"But the big ones are still out there."

Just ask Michael Robertson.

A student here at Cerritos, Robertson hit the big one, winning \$5000 last Friday

"When I won, I screamed so loud a little boy in the market got scared and started crying"

Robertson was cashing his check when he bought just \$5 worth of tickets.

What is he going to do with all that money?

After paying the Government their \$1000 share, he's going to send his parents to New York so that they can see his aunt win an award.

The rest will be used for spending money for a trip to Europe this summer.

"Who knows, I might even throw a party," replied Robertson.

The first game of the lottery is expected to last six or seven more weeks.

Parking on agenda for Senate today

Some major C-10 Parking Lot changes are on the ASCC Senate agenda today, along with a proposal to smooth out the traffic flow on Falcon Way.

Last week, in a dramatic about-face, the Senate decided to hire only members of the ASCC for non-skilled labor jobs within the student organization.

The vote was 20-5, with one abstention. Last week, the issue failed 6-18-1.

The Bill was sponsored by Party Whip Keith Estabrook and Senator Chris Schrater.

Senator Debbie Patton made the motion for the Bill to be reconsidered. David Nowell seconded the motion.

The opposition, led by Majority Leader Frank Seifert, questioned the fairness of the bill to those who cannot afford the \$8 ASCC membership fee.

David Mittleman, ASCC Student Body President, responded that payments can be deferred indefinitely.

Another question raised by the opposition was the 'best man for the job' idea and the fact that there might not be an ASCC member qualified to complete the job properly.

Mittleman stated that all jobs provided through the job service program are non-skilled labor jobs.

Music widens scope of performance plans

By MONICA MERTZ
TM Staff Writer

The Music Department is playing different tunes these days. A trumpet recording artist is to play at the Nov. 16 football game and the Jazz Band will play for a December dance on campus.

Joe Davis will demonstrate his trumpet-playing talent at halftime at the Cerritos vs. Long Beach City game. Cerritos trumpet player Frank Navarette stated, "I'm looking forward to seeing Davis. He has played in such theme songs of prime time television shows as Love Boat, Fantasy Island, and T.J. Hooker." A trumpet clinic will be held that afternoon for all interested students.

The Music Department, in coordination with the Jazz Band instructor Pierre Michelou, is hosting a dance Dec. 6 in the Student Center. The dress code will be casual and the dance is open to the public. Michelou, who teaches most of the students, stated, "We're expecting a fairly large turnout since we plan on putting posters up where senior citizens are attracted. Thus a mixed crowd will attend." Along with the "swing tunes" will be Jeanine Camao to provide singing entertainment. Admission price and theme will be decided at a later date.

Fine Arts gallery hosts area artists

Artists from the communities of La Mirada, Artesia, Bellflower, Cerritos, Downey, Lakewood and Norwalk will showcase their work at the Community Art Association Members Show to be presented at the Fine Arts Gallery Oct. 15-31.

The Showcase Gallery will feature the sculpture of Taffy Besley.

An opening night reception for the artists is scheduled for Tuesday, Oct. 15, from 6:30 p.m.-8 p.m.

Intents to register being filed for Spring

Intents to register for the Spring semester can be filed until Nov. 22, officials have announced.

The specific time period is necessary so the college can mail out permits in time for the beginning of registration, which is Dec. 16.

The intents must be filed in order to receive a registration appointment. Students failing to file can register only during open registration.

SAT scores make record jump

By VALERIE RUBI
TM Staff Writer

The average of Scholastic Aptitude Test scores, which are taken by over a million high school students a year, has jumped a record nine points in 1985, announced the National Education Association in their latest report.

College Board President George Hanford has also noted that black student college enrollment is down some 2,000 from last year.

On the other hand, the nation's 9-17 year olds were reading better in 1984 than in 1971.

Also, in the tests given by the National Assessment Educational Progress, the same students who have been showing steady improvement on tests are the same who have contributed to the record SAT increase.

NEA President Mary Hatwood Futrell stressed the primary reason the black student college enrollment is down is due to federal cuts in college loans and elementary and secondary remedial programs. Futrell stated that the federal

education programs are "crucial" to minorities and disadvantaged youth.

According to Futrell, "The dramatic increase in the SAT scores is testimony that America's teachers have been doing an excellent job in the classroom."

It is true that teacher education candidates are scoring higher on SAT tests from a slight climb of 4.6 per cent in 1984 to 4.7 percent in 1985.

"Seeds were planted a decade ago," noted the College Board, "years before the current two year old education reform."

A joint effort has been made on the part of the teachers and a concerned public.

The supportive public and a commitment to learning is what Futrell stated to be "clear evidence of a continual upturn in SAT scores," but she also stressed that to make greater progress we must make higher education more accessible.

CC Alumni to host first annual social

The Cerritos College Alumni Association will hold its first annual Alumni Social, Friday, Nov. 15, at the Golden Sails in Long Beach.

Registration deadline is Nov. 15, at \$14 for alumni, faculty and staff, and \$16 for guests. Several groups are getting group tables for the event. Seating is limited, according to representatives.

The Alumni Association is seeking new members in the three year old organization. The fee is \$10.

Info and reservations are available at the Community Services Office.

BAKERSFIELD DUCATS FREE BEFORE GAME

All free tickets for ASCC ticket holders for the football game at Bakersfield, Saturday, Oct. 12 must be picked up at the Student Activities Office.

Non-card holders can get tickets for \$4 either here or at the gate there.

However, although students with ASCC stickers normally can get their free tickets at the game site, not so at Bakersfield. All free tickets are reserved, and must be picked up here, officials stressed.

The Falcons will be trying to bounce back, after a tough 34-27 loss to El Camino last week.

Falcons let El Camino slip by 34-27; Bakersfield next

By JOHN VAN GASTON
TM Production Coordinator

Every football aficionado knows that it's the little things that can upset a team's momentum.

Oh, of course, fumbles, penalties, missed blocks and missed assignments also can contribute to a team's loss.

Well, Frank Mazzotta, Cerritos College football coach, knows first-hand how these few things can aid a loss, as his Falcons fell to El Camino last Saturday, 34-27.

They will try to rebound this Saturday night, as they travel to Bakersfield, to take on the 4-0 Renegades.

With the game tied at 27, and 4:58 remaining in the game, the Falcon's Anthony Drawhorn fumbled, as he returned a punt, with the Warriors' Dennis McConaughy recovering the ball at the Falcon 30.

Seven plays later, quarterback Ron Barber (16-26 passing, 231 yards, 3 TD's) hit Calvin Gilroy from three yards out for the winning touchdown with 1:29 remaining.

"We never played against a team as good as Cerritos," said Warrior Coach John Featherstone. "We wanted to find out how tough we really were, and we did."

"This was probably the toughest week for the coaches and myself, trying to get the team back up after the win over Fullerton," said Mazzotta. "I'm not making excuses, El Camino played a good game, but I feel we played good enough to win."

The Falcons failed to capitalize on many opportunities, including, a missed extra point (the first in over two years), missed field goal and a fumble on the Warrior three yard line late in the third quarter. They also turned the ball over on downs on the Warrior six, with 1:06 remaining in the first half, and add on the fumble by Drawhorn, and it all adds up to a long evening.

"You can't yell at Anthony about the fumble," said Mazzotta, "because he will make ten good plays to every one bad play, and I'll take those odds any day."

With the Warriors up 20-13 in the third, the Falcons drove 55 yards, with fullback Paul Backes going over from two. The drive was aided by a pass interference call against the Warriors Harry Curry, putting the ball at the 15.

The Warriors wasted no time (2:47, to be exact) in regaining the lead, when Chris Voegler scored from the one.

After the Warriors were unable to move the ball, this set up the costly fumble which El Camino's McConaughy recovered.

"Everybody said they were one of the top teams," said Barber. "We have all the respect in the world for them. They're a hell of a team."

The Falcons could have been called "The Walking Wounded," as eight different members of the team had to sit out, or leave the game with various injuries.

The most frustrating of all must be offensive lineman Anthony Pena, who was all set to play, until he twisted his ankle in warm-ups and will probably sit out next week's game.

Running back Keith McCoy, who was injured before the game, had to leave for good, when he got kicked in the calf, and was admirably replaced by Lafayette Shelton (16 carries, 78 yards).

Defensive lineman Jim Zoeteway broke a bone in his hand, but is probable for the Bakersfield, while offensive lineman Mike Stephens was kneed by one of his own players.

"It's the little things in football that beat you," said Mazzotta.

Grapplers go 2-0 in tourney

By ROBERT YOUNG
TM Sports Editor

The Cerritos College wrestling team traveled to Bakersfield this past Saturday, and pinned two of the top teams that are expected to challenge for the State Championship.

The Falcons first defeated the Renegades of Bakersfield, 28-18, then toppled Cuesta 24-12, which opened the season for the Falcons.

Palomar, which is also in the running for the State title, was entered in the tourney, but did not compete against the Falcons.

The Falcon grapplers will get their chance against Palomar, as they are both in the vigorous South Coast Conference.

Winning both their matches for the Birds were: George Williams (118 lbs.), Pat Welch (158), Edwin Vann (167) and Tom Howell (190).

Coach Jeff Smith had David Stidham (heavyweight) forfeit against his 380-pound Bakersfield opponent, stating, "Stidham could have probably won, but I saw no reason to have him go through it."

Stidham followed that up with a 7-4 loss to last year's returning state champ from Cuesta.

"He (Stidham) did a good job against him," said Smith. "Cuesta is extremely tough, because five of their guys are transfers from College of the Sequoias." Sequoias dropped their program this year after capturing the State Championship last year.

Overall, Smith was pleased, remarking, "It was a good performance by all, especially the lower weights. Of those who lost, it was a hard fight to the end. We made some first-of-the-year mistakes, but we'll correct those in practice."

The Falcons hosted Rio Hondo yesterday (score unavailable at press time) in the conference opener, and now prepare to travel to Cuesta this Friday, to partake in a two-day tournament against an estimated 20 teams.

Women's X-Country running strong 5-1

By GABRIELA MARTINEZ
TM Staff Writer

The Cerritos women's cross country team continues to live up to Coach Hal Simonek's expectations, as they improved their South Coast Conference record to 5-1, after sweeping Golden West (23-39) and Cypress (15-50) last Friday.

They will attempt to continue their strong outings this Friday, as they enter the Irvine Invitational.

Lea MacFarlane led the Birds with a time of 20:11, with Deanne Unzicker close behind at 20:28. Golden West's Roxann Chavez was the overall winner, with a time of 19:58.

The Falcons swept the fifth through eighth spots to seal the victory.

Shela Jordan (20:53), Ana Covarrubias (20:55) and Cheryl Eckford (21:14) each turned in strong performances to help seal the sweep for the Falcons.

Simonek continues to praise the women, stating, "I'm very happy with all the girls, they are doing an excellent job."

The Falcons took eight of the top eleven spots, with the eleventh place finisher, May Severson, just two minutes behind the overall leader Chavez.

Volleyball unbeaten; host Rustlers tonight

By MONICA MERTZ
TM Staff Writer

Falcon Volleyball Coach Jeanine Prindle and her squad are holding their heads high, due to a 2-0 South Coast Conference record (3-0 overall), as they host perennial power Golden West tonight starting at 7:30.

Cerritos downed Fullerton last Friday, taking a 13-15, 15-12, 7-15, 15-12 and 15-9 heart-stopper, which saw the momentum "see-saw between both teams until the fifth game," according to Prindle.

In the deciding fifth contest, the Falcons jumped to an early 8-2 lead, only to have the Hornets fight back at 8-8.

The Falcons then took advantage of three missed Hornet serves down the stretch to capture the win.

Prindle cited the play of sophomore outside-hitter Andrea Gasporva and freshman outside-hitter Marlene Perales for their clutch passes, defensive plays and serves.

Cypress was the Falcon's first victim in SCC play, as they romped to a 15-5, 15-6 and 15-6 win last Wednesday.

In the last game, Laura Bauman served 11 straight aces, to pace the Falcons to the victory.

"Reyna Guterrez and Jenny Smissen each added 28 assists to the match," said Prindle.

Sports Hotline has the word

Phone (213) 865-1166.

That's the number where you can find out all about all the sports action at Cerritos College.

It's a 24-hour service to sports fans.

Falcons first five finishers; mark 5-1

Going into Friday's Irvine Invitational, the Cerritos College men's cross country team is sporting a 5-1 record, after a sweep over Golden West (15-44) and Cypress (forfeit).

The first five finishers were Falcons with David Rivera leading the way with a time of 20:17. That puts Rivera in the All-Time Top Twenty list, which has been kept at Cerritos for over 15 years.

Along with Rivera, Melchor Lopez (20:44), Refugio Estrada (20:52), and Abe Varughese (20:58) each cracked the top twenty.

Mario Zamarripa finished out the top five, as he finished in a time of 21:22.

MODELS NEEDED for Black Hair Design Class

Held in the Cosmetology Dept., located in the Health Sciences Building

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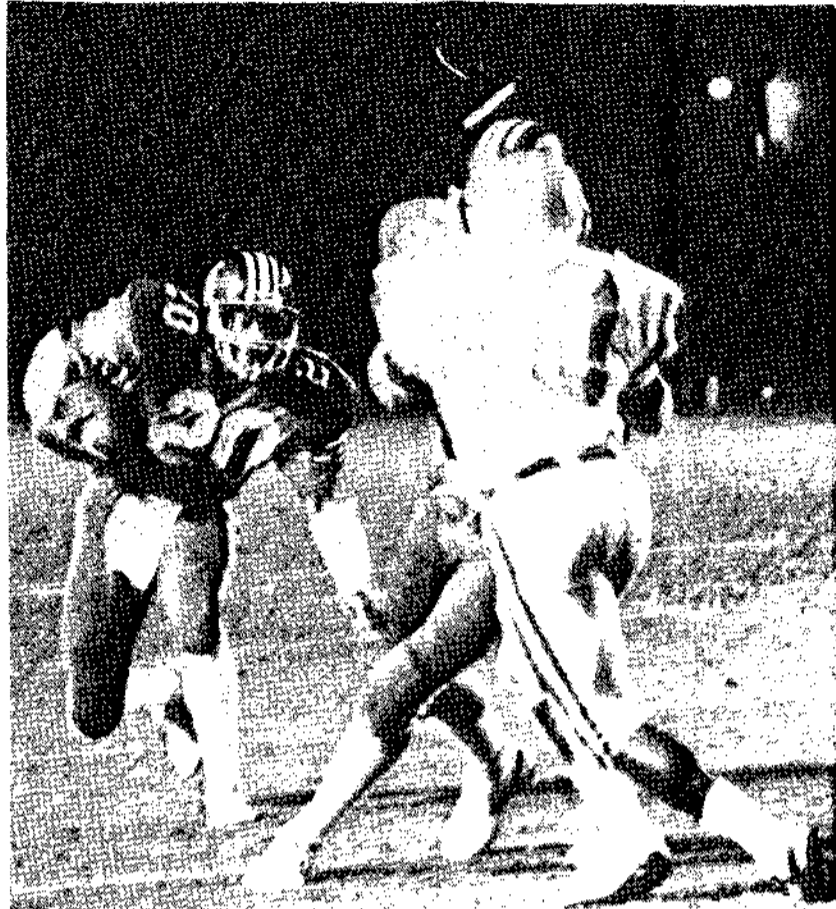
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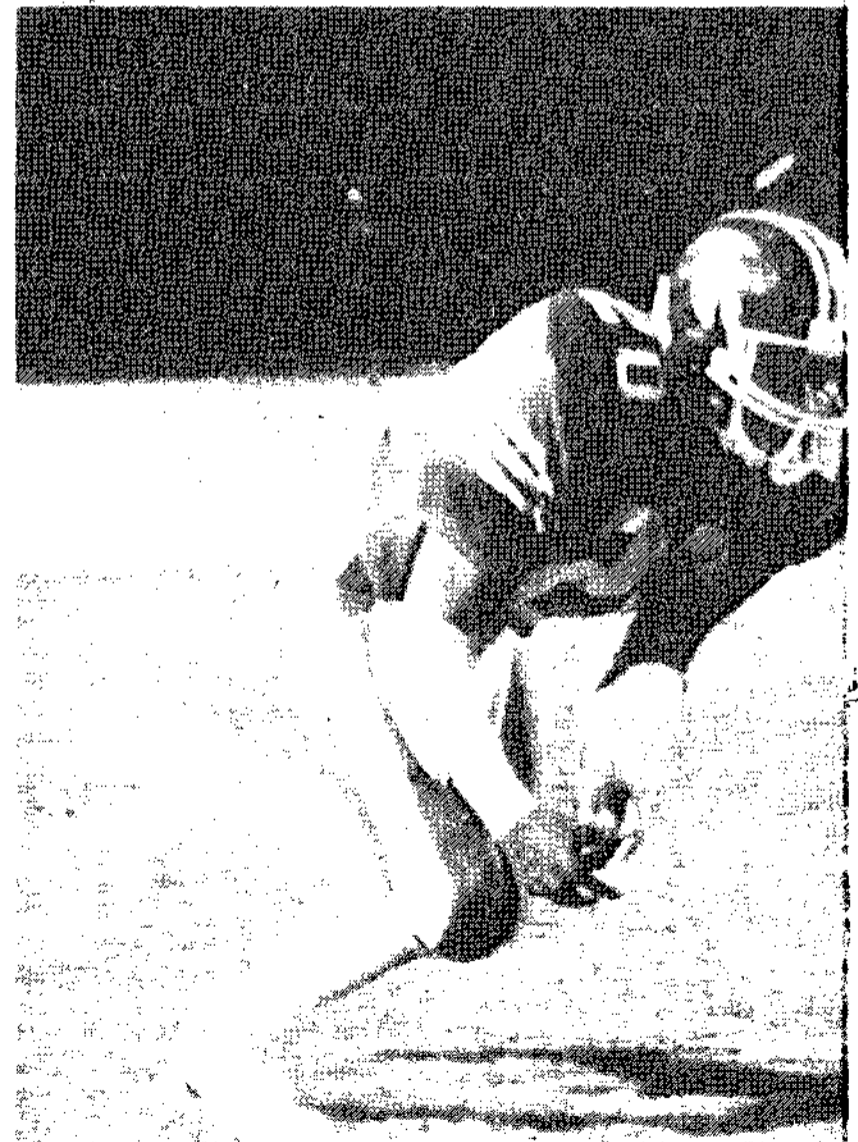
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Running back Lafayette Shelton picks up some of his 78 yards in 16 carries.



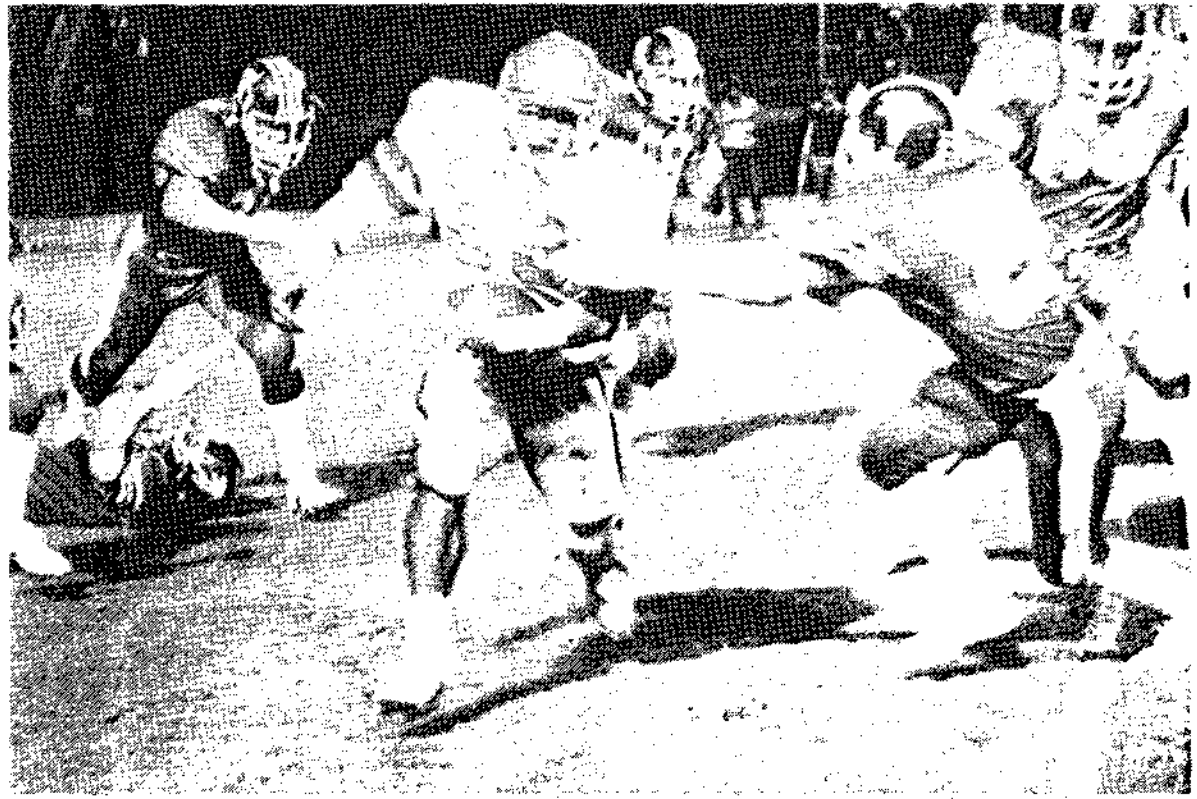
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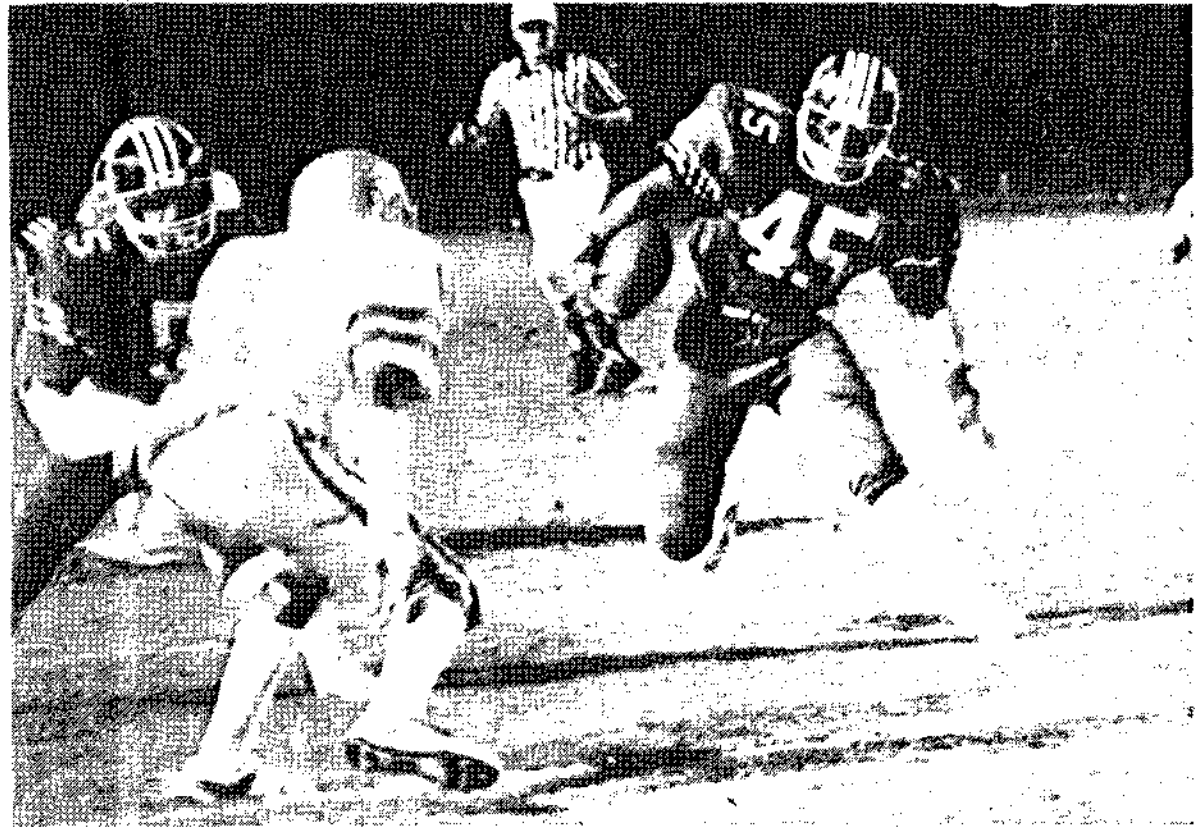
ABOVE, Lafayette Shelton picks up on loose ball LEFT, coaches and crowd gloom. (From left, Frank Mazzotta, Frank Montera, Merlin Driggs, and M



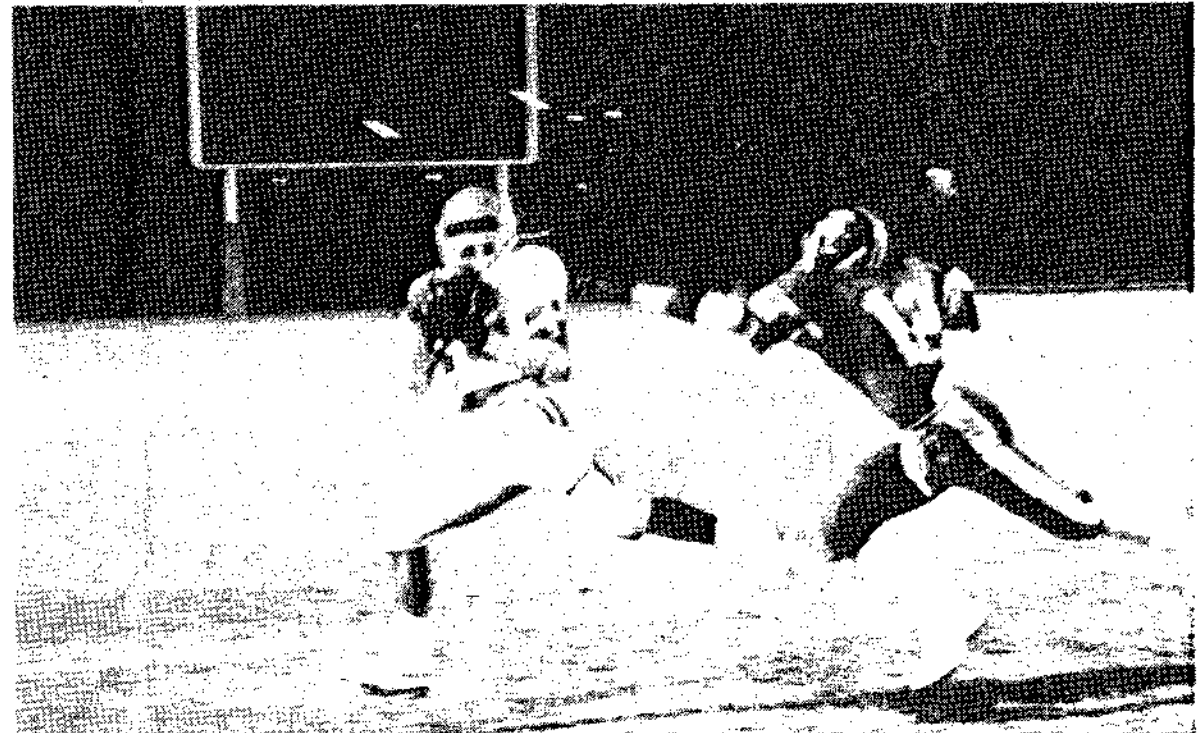
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DB Rick Castillo goes after ball carrier.



Reggie Nettles, Falcon running back, looks for room.



Defender Anthony Drawhorn chases El Camino receiver.



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X-Country steps out

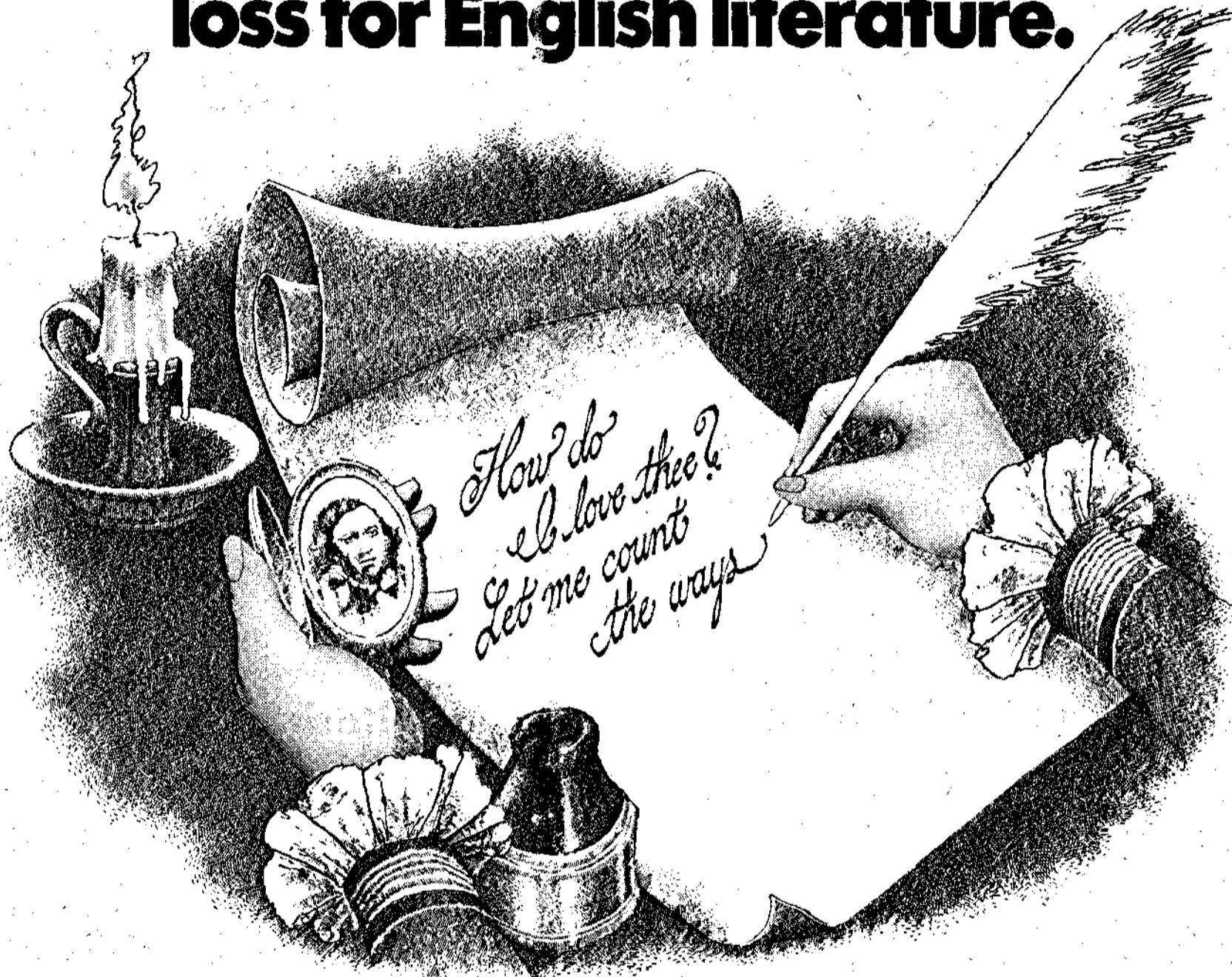
BOTH MEN, WOMEN 5-1



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and ROBERT YOUNG



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EDITORIAL: One veto calls for another...next election

You're still going to have to pay \$50 for six units and up.

Thanks to a veto by the Governor.

The death of Assembly Bill 979 was a blow to community colleges throughout the state.

The bill would have allowed part-time students to take two three unit classes at a reduced fee, just as the state colleges and universities presently allow.

That reduced fee was in the form of \$5 per unit up to seven units.

Thus, six units would cost only \$30, instead of the big jump to \$50.

A lot of students took/take only three units — since there are few two-unit classes — at a loss of a lot of revenue to the college.

The passage of this bill would have been beneficial to those students who find college costs pinching, if not prohibitive. It would have allowed them to take two classes per semester instead of one without having to pay the \$50 tuition fee now charged for the six units.

More importantly, the passage of AB979 would have brought increased revenue to the community colleges, revenue lost with the decrease in part-time enrollment since the tuition fee was first imposed.

The bill got all the way through to Governor George Deukmejian's desk.

It received support from college trustees, teacher's associations, and college presidents. It was endorsed by 110 of the 120 legislators currently serving the people of California.

Editorials in favor of the bill appeared in community college newspapers; citizens wrote the governor urging him to give his support to the bill.

Yet with all this input, with all this support, Governor Deukmejian chose to ignore the plight of the community college system and exercise his veto power.

Was the Governor listening?

How long must part-time students be penalized with full-time costs?

We elect our public officials for the purpose of representing our needs. We give them our vote. In exchange, we expect fair representation.

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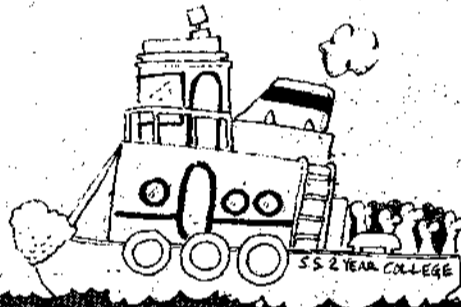
Through his veto, Governor Deukmejian has documented an alarming insensitivity to the problem.

Governor Deukmejian has not listened to the voices of those who know the effect of the present policy on both students and the colleges.

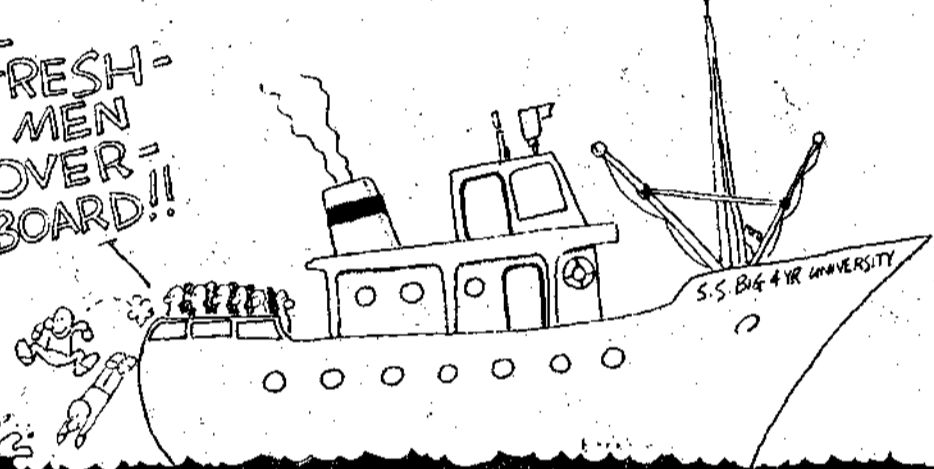
Governor Deukmejian has not lived up to the promise of fair representation that he made by deciding to seek the governorship.

We have received his message, sent in the form of a veto. Next election, he will receive our reply, sent in the form of a vote.

Cal State Fullerton reports that 75 percent of their first year freshman do not return the following year. Where do they go?



FRESH-MEN OVERBOARD!!



LETTER: Paper lauded for great defense of editorial positions

Dear Editor:

I would like to congratulate *Talon Marks* for being less defensive this year for their stated positions.

Last year sports reporter Van Gaston took almost a half page to respond to a three paragraph letter-to-the-editor which took him to task for editorializing in one of his articles.

This week (October second edition) you only took 50 lines to respond to Marcelino Saucedo's 55-line letter.

Most publications in this country seek letters-to-the-editor as a way of receiving feedback to their stated

positions. Most publications do not have to respond to these letters because they have already clearly stated their side of the issue in the original article or editorial.

This whole procedure is an important and necessary part of the communication process. Many of us find the Letters-to-the-Editor column fascinating reading because the letters give us a view on an issue other than the one supported by the publication. In other words, it is a vital part of the freedom of speech

which most publications in this country honor.

However, if *Talon Marks* continues to try to justify each position it takes, whenever it receives a negative response, it will soon discourage its readers from responding; thereby, curtailing the feedback link in the communication process.

Talon Marks provides an important forum of those of us involved in the Cerritos College community. Let's all endeavor to keep that forum "opened" to all constituents.

Sincerely,
William Lewis, Chairperson
Speech-Communication Dept.

Battle of sexes heats up on stage

By STELLA AGUILAR
TM Features Editor

Comic, daring, bold...all are strong elements in "Lysistrata," the intriguing Greek comedy which runs through Saturday, Oct. 12, in Burnight Center Theatre.

The Aristophanes work which creates a mad-cap world full of eating, drinking and sex, is done in a manner both enlightening and humorous.

Lysistrata (Terra Rynerson) gives an exceptional performance as a strong-willed leader of a group of Spartan and Athenian women who scheme to stop the Spartans and Athenians from fighting by withholding their sexual favors and locking themselves in the Acropolis.

All the women take an oath which boldly states, "I will not allow either my boyfriend or husband to approach me in an erect condition. And I will live at home without any sexual activity, wearing my best make-up and my most seductive dressed to inflame my husband's ardour. But will never

willingly yield to his desires. And should he force me against my will, I will be wholly passive and unresponsive. I will not raise my legs towards the ceiling. I will not take up the lion on cheese-grater position. As I drink from this cup, so will I abide by this oath."

This rebellious act disturbs the men who feel a woman's place is in their home and bed. The Athenian Commissioner (Greg Allen) does a superb job in his portrayal as the headstrong leader of the group of men.

Each character in Lysistrata is done splendidly, making the play all the more enjoyable. They managed to produce a comical production with a meaningful message that will be remembered.

It was directed by Camille Bokar who did a stunning job in bringing Aristophanes to life.

The scenery is by Michael O'Neal and costumes are by Mela Hoyt Heyton.

The production will run through Oct. 12. Shows begin at 8 p.m.

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