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OWC NEWS

Members of the OWC and their guests enjoyed a wonderful benefit luncheon on Thursday, March 19. Wives of Naval Management students were hostesses, and a capacity crowd socialized, ate a delicious lunch and viewed a fashion show of hats, custom-designed by Mrs. Elsie Walters and her class.

The beautiful 'O' Club at the Presidio was the background for pastel decorations using flowers, ivy, streamers and hat boxes, color-hued to the bright spring bonnets of the guests themselves.

Seated at the head table were Mrs. Bergin and her guests, her mother, Mrs. Philbrick, and Mrs. E. H. J. Carns, wife of the Commanding General of Fort Ord; our senior advisor, Mrs. Risser, whose guests were Mrs. A. E. Vivell, wife of the Academic Dean, and Mrs. R. L. Long, wife of the Commandant of the DLI. Also present were our "retiring" advisor, Mrs. Meyer; Mrs. Schaffer, who is "reporting for duty," and Mrs. McGee, wife of the Naval Management Curricular Officer.

The hostesses worked particularly hard for this luncheon, since the purpose was such a worthy one. They were rewarded by the record turn-out and the marvelous amount of \$147.75 realized toward the purchase of a TV set for the Fort Ord Hospital. All of the guests were appreciative and generous in entering into the spirit of the auctioned items—a "My Fair Lady" hat and boa, designed and donated by Mrs. Walters, and a beautiful flower arrangement, donated by the 'O' Club. Also, there were door prize tickets for a lavender hat (another donation by Mrs. Walters), won by Mrs. Vivell, and

two tickets donated from "Annie Get Your Gun," won by Millie Mayfield.

Red, white and blue "political buttons" marked the candidates for club offices who were present to be met and introduced so that all will know them when Election Night comes up on April 16 (plug).

After lunch, two lovely songs from "Annie Get Your Gun" were sung by Mary Cone, who was accompanied by Sue Munn at the piano.

We wish to thank our members who attended and everyone who worked to make this benefit such a success. It was a perfect day and a good way to discover "what is a hat."

—Lorna Lewis

Viva Voce Vote

MEETING OF THE GENERAL BOARD

March 2, 1964

Motions Carried

1. The money allocated in the budget to the Hospitality Committee will be transferred to the Program Committee.
2. The OWC will sponsor a gourmet cooking class, if one can be arranged.
3. The committee in charge of the spring party to be held on April 10, 1964 will be given a working fund of \$100.00.

Motions Denied

1. That the May gathering be held on May 14, 1964 rather than on May 21, 1964.

Introducing...



May we introduce, with pleasure and pride, the talented Associate Editor of CLASSMATE, Anne Smith.

As Associate Editor, Anne is our "right arm" and assists in planning, editing, writing, and assembling the magazine. She assumes her position with a long list of qualifications in journalistic endeavors.

Following study at Madison College in Virginia, Anne was Society Editor of the Staunton (Va.) News-Leader and Evening Leader. She then joined the women's staff of the Richmond Times-Dispatch, where she was Youth Page Editor and did women's features and reporting.

After her marriage to LT William Jerry Smith, Anne continued her interest in writing and publication by editing, for three terms, the Key West Submarine Officers Wives Club newspaper, PERISCOOP. While in Key West, she also developed another interest, the unusual hobby of sand sculpture.

The mother of two daughters, Stacey, 5½, and Jody, almost one, Anne enjoys still another activity, playing bridge, and she is a regular participant on Duplicate Bridge nights. She also finds time to devote one afternoon each week to teaching at Bethlehem Lutheran School in Monterey. Anne and Jerry—a student in the Ordnance Curriculum—and their daughters live on Halsey Drive in La Mesa Village.

We anticipate with real pleasure our association with Anne in the presentation each month of CLASSMATE. Her talents, we are sure, will be reflected in each issue and will be an invaluable asset in the coming year.

CORRECTION . . .

CLASSMATE wishes to apologize for errors made in the article in the March edition presenting the Advertiser of the Month, Retta Calhoun's. The original owner, Mrs. Retta Calhoun, is living in northern California. The husband of the present owner, Mrs. Margaret Garnero, is owner and manager of Garnero's Mission Bakery where he is in business with his mother. We sincerely regret the erroneous references.

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