Alma McPhee dead; wife of late president

Alma Catherine McPhee, wife of the late Julian A. McPhee, president of Cal Poly from 1933 to 1967, died on May 23 in a San Luis Obispo hospital. She was 87 years old.

Mrs. McPhee moved to San Luis Obispo in 1933 when her husband became director of what then was known as the California Polytechnic School.

Throughout her years in the community, she was active in the Cal Poly Women’s Club, the Monday Club of San Luis Obispo, the Old Mission Church of San Luis Obispo, the Old Mission Altar Society, and other community and charitable groups.

Mrs. McPhee was born April 15, 1895, in San Francisco. Her father, Francis Doyle, was the builder of San Francisco’s famed City of Paris department store. She was a graduate of the Sisters of Mercy Convent in Oakland.

Survivors include five daughters -- Helen LaSalle of Atascadero; Bernadette Brownlee, a former resident of Arroyo Grande now living in Nigeria; Jeanne Beck, Carissa Plains; Carole Norton, San Luis Obispo; and Jule Ann Taber, Sebastopol.

Other survivors include a sister, Carmel Slevin of San Francisco, 32 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

A Rosary and Mass of Christian burial for Mrs. McPhee was held on May 25, at Old Mission Church, San Luis Obispo. Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery, Colma.

‘Jazz Nite’ at Cal Poly

Cal Poly’s annual “Jazz Nite,” featuring University Jazz Band, the Cal Poly Dixieland Band, Pat Jackson’s American Jazz Dancers, local vocalist Virginia Bell, and trombonist Bob Payne, will be presented in the Cal Poly Theatre on Friday, May 28, at 8 pm. The show will be preceded by a half hour of Betty Boop cartoons beginning at 7:30 pm.

Led by director Graydon Williams, the University Jazz Band consists of 20 Cal Poly students. The group rehearses five hours each week and they play concerts and dances throughout the Central Coast. Their repertoire includes both standards and contemporary jazz compositions.

The Dixieland Jazz Band, “Sticks, Strings and Hot Air,” performs at jazz festivals throughout California and plans to appear this summer in the San Juan Islands off the coast of Washington.

Tickets for “Jazz Nite” are $4 for the general public and $2 for students. They are available at the University Union Ticket Office on campus. Further information can be obtained by calling Ext. 1421.
Fresno mayor stumps at Poly in Senate try

Fresno Mayor Dan Whitehurst, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate nomination, will speak at Cal Poly on Friday, May 28. His 1 pm campaign address is free and open to the public. He’ll speak in University Union Room 220.

Whitehurst is third (with nine percent) behind Governor Brown and author Gore Vidal in the latest California Field Poll in his quest for Sen. Hayakawa’s senate seat.

Water conference

An update on water resource development in San Luis Obispo County will be the focus of a conference to be held on the Cal Poly campus, Saturday, June 5.

The conference, open to all interested persons, will cover state and county water problems with emphasis on local water facts, problems and solutions. The conference will be held in Room 286 of Fisher Science Building from 9 am to 3:30 pm and is sponsored by the University of California Cooperative Extension, the American Society of Agronomy, the San Luis Obispo County Water Resources Advisory Committee and the Cal Poly student chapter of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.

There is no charge for the conference and reservations are not required. A barbecue luncheon will be available at cost. For more information contact UC Cooperative Extension at 549-5940.

Plays for children

Students enrolled in children’s drama classes at Cal Poly will present a program of short plays for school children, grades one through four, on Wednesday, June 2. The program is free and will be presented from 1 pm to 2 pm in Room 212 of the H.P. Davidson Music Center.

Seating is limited and reservations are required. Teachers and other qualified leaders of children’s groups should call the drama office at Ext. 2486 for reservations.

May payday

May salary warrants for faculty and staff of the university will be available at 3:30 pm on Friday (May 28). Warrants batched by department may be picked up at Cashier’s Office, Adm. 131-E, and those picked up on an individual basis may be picked up in the Business Affairs Division Office, Adm. 114, after that time.

University Club Golf Tournament results

The annual University Club Golf Tournament was held on Saturday, May 1, at the Chalk Mountain Golf Course in Atascadero. Forty-three faculty and staff participated. Trophies were awarded for the low gross score, the low net score based on the Calloway system, and the low gross score posted by an emeritus faculty or staff. Prizes were awarded to the top four scorers in both the low gross and low net competitions, and the longest drive and closest to hole. Special congratulations go to Dr. Milo E. Whitson who shot a scratch 79, the second best score of the day, and earned him the Low Net Trophy and the Emeritus Trophy. The overall results were:

1st Low Gross Trophy .................. Gerald Punches - 74
2nd Low Gross Prize .................. Bob Timone - 83
3rd Low Gross Prize .................. Bill Armentrout - 86
4th Low Gross Prize .................. LaVerne Bucy - 87
1st Low Net Trophy .................. Milo E. Whitson - 72
2nd Low Net Prize .................. Mill Hill - 74
3rd Low Net Prize .................. Anne Pickens - 74
4th Low Net Prize .................. Rich Equinoa - 74
Emeritus Trophy .................. Milo E. Whitson - 79
Closest to Hole .................. H. Jenkins
Longest Drive .................. Steve Mock

Food service hours

The following facilities will be open during the Memorial Day weekend, May 28 through May 31:

Friday, May 28
Normal schedule, except Vista Grande Cafeteria will close after lunch.

Saturday, May 29
University Dining Room
Breakfast ............. 9 am - 12 noon
Lunch ............. 12:15 pm - 2 pm
Dinner ............. 4 pm - 7 pm
Vista Grande Restaurant ........ 10 am - 8 pm

Sunday, May 30
University Dining Room
Breakfast ............. 9 am - 12 noon
Lunch ............. 12:15 pm - 2 pm
Dinner ............. 4 pm - 7 pm
Vista Grande Restaurant ........ 11 am - 8 pm

Monday, May 31
University Dining Room
Breakfast ............. 9 am - 12 noon
Lunch ............. 12:15 pm - 2 pm
Dinner ............. 4 pm - 7 pm
Vista Grande Restaurant ........ 11 am - 8 pm
Burger Bar ........... 6 pm - midnight
Cal Poly family day at Mustang Water Slide

Cal Poly alumni, students, friends, faculty and staff will take on the big "slide" on Saturday, June 5, when they gather at Lopez Lake (east of Arroyo Grande) for "Cal Poly Family Day at the Mustang Water Slide.''

Family day will run from 10:30 am to 2:30 pm, and will include 45 minutes worth of rides down the Mustang Water Slide, access to four bubbling hot springs, and a Santa Maria-style barbecue (from noon to 1:30 pm).

Cost is $10 for members of the Cal Poly Alumni Association ($12 for non-members), and $6 for children. The County of San Luis Obispo requires a $2 per car fee payable at the entrance. Complete changing and restroom facilities are available.

Proceeds from the day will benefit the programs and services of the Cal Poly Alumni Association, which is sponsoring the event.

Checks should be made payable to the Cal Poly Alumni Association. Please include a stamped self-addressed envelope so that your tickets may be sent to you prior to June 5.

Regular review urged for personal records

It is important that all individuals regularly review their personal records to determine that all is in order in case of serious illness or death. This is especially important as it relates to Cal Poly employment and designation of an individual to receive and negotiate State Controller’s warrants payable to an incapacitated or deceased employee, according to Robert M. Negranti, staff personnel officer.

Section 12479 of the Government Code permits state employees to designate an individual who, on the death of the employee, shall be entitled to receive and negotiate State Controller’s warrants payable to that employee had the employee survived. This designation is obtained on Standard Form 243, Designation of Person Authorized to Receive Warrants, and is maintained in the employee’s personnel folder. This information can become outdated due to marriage, divorce, re-marriage or other changes as it affects the individual designated to receive such payments. This form should be reviewed periodically to determine that all information regarding the designee is accurate and that the designee’s address is current.

The employee may change the designation at any time.

Designation Forms must be completed and can be reviewed in the Payroll/Personnel Office, Adm. 109/110. Accurate and updated records are essential in order to efficiently and effectively aid a family member or friend when a serious illness or death occurs. Please be sure that all your affairs are in order.

Tax shelter update

This is a reminder that tax-sheltered annuity/deferred compensation plans are available through payroll deduction to employees of the California State University system.

The tax sheltered annuity/deferred compensation plans enable employees to set aside savings from their salary with no federal or state income taxes being paid on the amount saved or on any interest earned. As these funds accumulate in investments and savings on the employee’s behalf, the possibility of financial independence at retirement increases. Federal and state taxes will only be payable when the accumulated funds are actually paid to an employee or his beneficiary. These funds are usually withdrawn after retirement, when the taxpayer is often in a lower income bracket and therefore qualifies for lower tax rates.

The Personnel Office has recently compiled an update highlighting eligibility criteria, enrollment procedures, and conditions of participation for the tax-sheltered annuity/deferred compensation plans. For further information or to obtain a copy of this update, contact Barbara Melvin, Personnel Office, Ext. 2236.

The Office of the Chancellor has announced that a payroll deduction option will soon be available for Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs).

The California State University is in the process of signing agreements with several companies that have requested the opportunity to offer an IRA through the payroll system to all CSU employees.

Monthly business leaders’ breakfast

Central Coast business leaders are invited to enjoy breakfast and hear the latest tips on small business management. This monthly breakfast is sponsored by Cal Poly Extension.

The presentation for the June breakfast is titled "Effective People Management: Are You Really Listening?" The lecture is designed to improve management effectiveness, leadership, and job satisfaction. Instructor Dr. Steve Brody is a clinical psychologist in private practice in San Luis Obispo County.

The breakfast will be held on Thursday, June 3, from 7:30 am to 9 am, at Vista Grande Restaurant on the Cal Poly campus. The cost is $6 and reservations must be made one week prior to each breakfast.

For further details or to make reservations call Cal Poly Extension, (805) 546-2053.
Dateline

(5) Admission charged.
(1) Admission free.

THURSDAY, MAY 27
Exhibit: Oils and watercolors of noted artist David Kreitzer on display, continuing through Saturday (June 5). Galerie of the University Union, 10 am-6 pm Mon- Thurs, 10 am-2 pm Fri, noon-4 pm Sat and Sun. Presented by the Fine Arts Committee of the Program Board of the Associated Students Inc. (1)

Speaker: Walter Capps, former director, The Center for the Study of Democratic Institutions, Professor of Religious Studies, UC Santa Barbara, University Union, 11 am. Arts and Humanities Lecture Series. Public invited. (!)

Speaker: Joseph N. Reeves, Supervising Research Engineer, Research & Development, Southern California Edison Co., will discuss "Solar One," the world's largest solar electric generating facility being built near Barstow, Calif. Graphic Arts Room 106, 11 am. Sponsored by the Electric Power Institute of the Electronic and Electrical Engineering Department. Faculty, staff, students, guests invited. (1)

Debate: Discussion of the merits of the "Victim's Bill of Rights" (Proposition 8 on the June primary ballot). Chumash Auditorium, 11 am. Presented by Cal Poly Young Democrats, a political interest organization of the ASI. Public invited. (1)

University Club: Lark Carter (Dean, School of Agriculture and Natural Resources) on "Agricultural Development in Ethiopia and the Middle East." Staff Dining Room, noon. Faculty and staff invited. (!)

FRIDAY, MAY 28
German: German-speaking students and faculty members invited to gather. Sandwich Plant, 1 pm. (!)

Jazz Night: The Cal Poly Jazz Band and Sticks, Strings and Hot Air, Cal Poly's Dixie band, with guest performers local jazz vocalist Virginia Bell, trombone soloist Bob Payne, and Pat Jackson's American Dixie band, with guest performers local jazz vocalist Virginia Bell, trombone soloist Bob Payne, and Pat Jackson's American Jazz Dancers. Cal Poly Theatre, 8 pm. The show will be preceded by Betty Boop cartoons at 7:30 pm. ($)

Speaker: Fresno Mayor Dan Whitehurst, Democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate nomination. Room 220 of the University Union, 1 pm. Presented by Speakers Forum, a Program Board Committee of the ASI. Public invited. (!)

MONDAY, MAY 31
Memorial Day: Academic holiday for faculty, staff, and students.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2

Presented by drama students of the Speech Communication Department. (!)

THURSDAY, JUNE 3
University Club: Annual Spring Luncheon. Patio of the President's Home, 11:30 am-12:45 pm. Faculty and staff invited. (5)

Speaker: Dr. Steve Brody, a clinical psychologist, will discuss "Effective People Management: Are You Really Listening?" at the Monthly Business Leaders' Breakfast. Vista Grande Restaurant, 7:30-9 am. Sponsored by Extended Education. Public invited by reservation. ($)

FRIDAY, JUNE 4
Spring Quarter: Last day of classes.
Summer Quarter: Student study lists/receipt mailers distributed.
Fall Quarter: Class schedule available. CAR materials available in departments for students not attending Summer Qtr. Advising begins in departments.
German: German-speaking students and faculty members invited to gather. Sandwich Plant, 1 pm. (!)

SATURDAY, JUNE 5
Conference: Focus on water resource development in San Luis Obispo County. Fisher Science Building Room 286, 9 am-11:30 am. Sponsored by the University of California Cooperative Extension, the American Society of Agronomy, the San Luis Obispo County Water Resources Advisory Committee, and the Cal Poly student chapter of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers. Public invited. (!)

Cal Poly Family Day: Rides on the Mustang Water Slide, access to four bubbling hot springs, and Santa Maria-style barbecue. Lopez Lake, 10:30 am-2:30 pm. Sponsored by the Cal Poly Alumni Association. Alumní, friends, faculty, and staff invited. (5)

MONDAY, JUNE 7
Final examinations for Spring Quarter, continuing through Friday (June 11).

SATURDAY, JUNE 12
End of Spring Quarter.
End of University year.
Commencement: 76th Annual Commencement Exercises. Mustang Stadium, 10:30 am. Speaker: Vice President for Academic Affairs Dr. Hazel J. Jones.

SUNDAY, JUNE 13
Academic holiday for faculty and students, continuing through Sunday (June 20).

MONDAY, JUNE 14
Last day to clear holds to prevent disenrollment for Summer Quarter.

Position Vacancies

Vacant faculty and staff positions at California Polytechnic State University and the Cal Poly Foundation are announced in this column and are posted outside the respective personnel offices. Contact those offices (University: Adm. 110, 805-546-2236—Foundation: University Dining Complex, 805-546-1121) for applications and additional position details. Both Cal Poly and the Foundation are subject to all laws governing affirmative action and equal employment opportunity. All interested persons are encouraged to apply.

CLOSING DATE: 6-3-82
Assistant Cashier/Clerk, $1031-$1215/mo. Foundation Business Office.

CLOSING DATE: 6-10-82
Intermediate Account Clerk, $1215/mo. Foundation Food Service.

CLOSING DATE: 6-11-82
Secretary-B, $1215-$1439/month. Procurement and Support Services.

Clerical Assistant II-A, $1031-$1215/month. Records Office.


CLOSING DATE: 6-8-82
Tenure-Track Position(s), rank and salary open and competitive. Business Administration Department, School of Business; one (possibly two) tenure-track positions to teach Financial Management at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Position(s) available Fall 1983.

Cal Poly Report is published weekly during the academic year by the Public Affairs Office.

Kip Rutty (Editor) Ext. 2158
Betty Holland (Graphics) Ext. 2576
Cathy Burt (Dateline) Ext. 2246

Typewritten, double-spaced copy may be submitted for Cal Poly Report by close of business the Thursday prior to the next publication.