Memorial Observance Today

Students To Gather In Men's Gym

Scheduled To Meet at 10:15

A Memorial Observance in honor of the ill-fated members of the college football team will be held at 10:15 a.m. today in the Men's Gymnasium on the college campus.

"Students will be dismissed from their 10 a.m. classes, and all staff and administrative offices will be closed to join in expression of grief at the loss of members of the team," Clyde P. Fish, dean of the college, said. "Citizens of the community are also invited to attend."

The observance is being cooperatively planned by the Associated Student Body officers, the college Executive Council, and the college Inter-Faith Council. In addition to the observance, the college flags will be flown at half-mast for the remainder of the week.

Fred M. Waters, mayor of San Luis Obispo, has proclaimed Monday through Saturday a "Week of Sorrows" in sympathy toward the victims and the bereaved. "We are asking that all flags in the city be flown at half-mast during this period," Mayor Waters said.

"We are deeply appreciative of the sentiment and cooperation being extended by the citizens of San Luis Obispo," said Robert F. Owens, college vice-president. "College officials request that everyone be present to show appreciation of the expression of sympathy that has been offered."

Hospitals in Toledo reported the following conditions of crash survivors:

- Jim Ledbetter, Lynn Lobaugh, Don O'Meara, Ray Porras, Wayne Sorenson, Bill Stewart, and Gary Van Horn, Team manager Wendel Miller and Musto Booster Pete Sachino were also killed.
- The pilots, co-pilot, and two relatives of the pilot returning to California on the plane also were killed.

\[\text{Hospitals Report Players' Conditions}\]

Hospitals in Toledo reported the following conditions of survivors in the Saturday night plane crash: Don Adams, head injury, good; Carl Bowser, good to fair; John Brennan, good; Fred Brown, not hospitalized; Bill Daughn, good; James Faison, good; Coach Sheldon Harden, not hospitalized; Head coach Leroy Hughes, head injury, fair; Dr. Arthur A. James, team physician, leg broken, faulty good; Brent Johns, good; Dick McBridge, good to fair; Coach Howie O'Daniels, fair; General Owens, good; Bill Ross, critical, second and third degree burns; Roy Schilabba, good; Walter Shimek, fair; Ted Toller, good to fair; Jerry Williams, good; Coach Walt Williamson, not hospitalized.

The following are also in Toledo hospitals: Bob Johnson, multiple fractures; Roger Kelly, spine fracture; Al Marani, compound fractures; Gil Stork, fractured back, broken vertebrae and ribs; Dean Olinger, head injury, good. "The president said he would be in Toledo until everything possible had been done to take care of the dead and injured. He was scheduled to visit survivors in Toledo hospitals immediately after his arrival, accompanied by Dean Chandler and Harden."

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El Mustang Office

Headquarters Press

El Mustang's editorial offices in Adm. 21 were used as press headquarters yesterday for reporters and photographers coming from Los Angeles and San Francisco. College President Edward C. Harden, head of the college, was met at the airport by Dean of Students of Bowling Green University. Chandler arrived in Toledo late Sunday afternoon on a flight from San Francisco.

President McPhee praised the "outstanding cooperation" of Toledo residents and Bowling Green officials. "Everyone, from the sheriff to the newspapers, has done everything possible," he said. "This has been an outstanding example of cooperative effort in time of tragedy."

The observance will be a "quiet tribute to classmates who will no longer be with us on the campus and to pay a quiet tribute to them," he said.

Instructors have been asked to dismiss classes promptly at 10 a.m. to allow students time to enter the gymnasium before the beginning of the observance.

All 10 a.m. classes will be canceled for the observance. Classes at 8, 9, and 11 a.m. will meet at their regular times.

Dean Chandler last night made a final plan for entering the gymnasium. A formal program is expected to fill the gymnasium to capacity. Numerous students of San Luis Obispo are planning to attend the observance, college officials said.

\[\text{Flags Echo Campus Sorrow}\]

Flags will continue to fly at half-mast in city during remainder of week, which has been proclaimed a "Week of Sorrows" for San Luis Obispo by Mayor Fred Waters.
Sixteen Grididers, One Manager Killed in Crash

Flags on campus were at half-mast today after a charter plane carrying the Mustang football team home from its game in Bowling Green Saturday night crashed and burned at the Toledo, Ohio airport.

Twenty-one persons aboard the twin-engine C-47 airliner, including 16 Mustang football players, the team manager, a member of the Mustang Booster Club and four other persons perished in the crash. Initial reports from Toledo said the plane had reportedly hit a hill, including 18 players and three coaches. According to John Net- shild, sports editor of the local Telegram Tribune, initial reports of the crash came from various media, indicating the tragedy was even worse than it eventually turned out to be, as confirmation at the scene of the accident resulted in garbled accounts of the situation.

Cal Poly had been defeated by the Toledo Bobcats 5-6 in its afternoon game with Bowling Green, according to statements of survivors following the crash, all the players had been in excellent humor prior to takeoff.

The Cal Poly party had boarded the plane after a hot day from the Toledo terminal, and a few of the players considered it wise to take off on the dense fog rising from the lake as the plott of the flight was made by the pilot of the craft. Capt. Bob Fleming of Brooklyn, N.Y., pilot of the plane.

Because of the density of the fog surrounding the field, reports sent in from the various accounts of the crash varied, but the Ohio authorities notified the players that the plane warmed up for the initial takeoff from the runway, disappeared into the mist and exploded seconds later, apparently after gaining altitude of approximately 100 to 200 feet.

D. D. Richards, air traffic control- room at the Toledo airport, said the pilot had cleared his plane by radio and pronounced himself ready for takeoff.

"A few seconds later," Richards said, "I looked up and heard a loud thud and saw the plane in flames." The plane apparently broke into sections after the explosion, with approximately 35 feet of the tail assembly lying about 20 feet in front of the main part of the aircraft.

The plane wreckage was scattered over an area of 500 feet. The Toledo aviation commissioner set the time of the crash at 16:02 p.m. (EDT).

May 16 was requested to enrolling at Cal Poly. Hodges was the son of Kyle Austin, Bakersfield.

Sixteen Cal Poly football players, and San Luis Obispo insurance broker Pete Bachino were included among the fatalities of a chartered Arctic-Pacific airliner crash in Toledo, Ohio. They followed: Rod BAUGHN, 21, a Mechanical Engineering junior, was from San Simeon. He was the son of Wayne Baughn. He attended Cal Poly.

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GUY HENNIGAN, 20, Physical Education freshman, was from Los Angeles, Los Angeles. His wife resides at 3118 Oak Street, San Luis Obispo.

VIC HALL, 21, Science Mathematics senior, was from San Luis Obispo. He was an outstanding track runner on the coast and one of the best small college ends in the nation. His next of kin is listed as Willis Hill, Bakersfield.

CURTIS HILL, 21, Physical Education junior, was from San Luis Obispo. He attended the University of New Mexico. His next of kin is listed as Mrs. Helen Hill, Bakersfield.

JIM C. LEDBETTER, 19, Aerospace Engineering sophomore, was from San Luis Obispo. He attended the University of New Mexico. His next of kin is listed as Mrs. E. S. Ledbetter, Sacramento.

WAYNNE JOHNSON, 20, Science Mathematics junior, was from Los Angeles. He attended Cal Poly and was the son of Jerry Johnson, Bakersfield.

LYNN T. LOABAUGH, 20, Science Mathematics freshman, was from San Luis Obispo. He attended College Park High School, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Loabaugh, Huntington Park, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Loabaugh, Huntington Park.

LARRY AUSTIN, 25, Physical Education sophomore, was from San Luis Obispo. He attended Bakersfield High School. His wife resides at 3118 Oak Street, San Luis Obispo.

JOHN BELL, 20, Physical Education sophomore. He was a graduate of Idaho Tech, Chicago, and was the son of John C. Bell, Chicago. He attended the University of New Mexico. He was the son of Mrs. Charles Carlson, Los Angeles.

JOEL COPeland, 23, Physical Education junior. He entered Bakersfield High School and Junior College. He was the son of Kyle Copeland, Bakersfield.

MARSHALL KULJU, 20, Aer- ospace Engineering junior. He entered Cal Poly from Diablo Valley College where he competed in both football and track. He was the son of Mrs. Amanda Carlson, Los Angeles.

DON OMARia, 25, Physical Education junior. A graduate of Ma- rietta High School. He entered Cal Poly from San Jose Junior College. His wife lives at 1210 Toledo, San Luis Obispo.

BAY PORRAS, 21, Physical Education senior. Porras was well known in San Luis Obispo and was at the time employee of the city recreation department. His wife and four children survive. His local address was 24-Casa street, San Luis Obispo.

WILLIAM STUART, 19, Physical Education sophomore. A gradu­ ate of Mark Brept High School, he was the son of Ralph Stuart, 1070 tribal Drive, Fremont Falls, San Luis Obispo.

GARY VON HORN, 22, Corn Department sophomore. One of the outstanding football products of Cal Poly. He entered Cal Poly as a sophomore. His next of kin was the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Loabaugh, Huntington Park.

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