

# Spar Recruiter Hits Eugene; Girls Interested Asked to Call

To interview interested persons and answer questions, Miss Cherokee Seiler, S 1/C of the SPARs, will be at the Eugene hotel this week.

In order to qualify for officer training, a girl must be between 20 and 49 and must have a college degree or two years college and two years professional or business experience. Seaman applicants must be between 20 and 36 and have had at least two years of high school.

Eugene applicants who are accepted will be guaranteed round-trip transportation to Portland where they will be interviewed and given physical examinations. If they pass average tests, they will be sworn in.

From there trainees are sent to the Biltmore hotel training school at Palm Beach, Florida. Officers are trained at Mount Holyoke college in Massachusetts.

On arriving at the school, each trainee receives \$200 for clothing allowance. After a month's orien-

tation, which includes learning rules and traditions of the service, each girl is assigned to duty at a coast guard base. Base pay for an apprentice seaman is \$50, plus a certain amount for subsistence if the SPAR is stationed at a base where convenient facilities are not provided.

Work to which a SPAR may be assigned is mostly administrative, including clerical, and some radio.

Bob Cummings, former radio announcer and at present S 1/C doing personal relations work for the coast guard on the coast, was in Eugene last week to arrange for observation of SPAR week.

## WAA Initiates Girls At Annual Ceremony

Girls who were initiated into the W.A.A. Tuesday evening were:

June Buckles, Wynnetta Ruth Cramer, Betty Lou Vogelphol, Pat Mahany, Vera Fair, Nancy

## Alum Risks Life To Bring in Plane

Refusing to bail out of his badly damaged ship because it would have crashed into the city of Ipswich, England, Lt. Max G. Simmons, '41, was recently cited for bravery beyond and above the line of duty. Lt. Simmons was the navigator aboard the Flying Fortress which was returning seriously damaged, from a raid on Gelsenkirchen, November 5.

With only one engine working, the horizontal stabilizer shot off, and its nose smashed by a propeller that had flown off a shattered engine, the stricken Fortress reached the British coast. Gaylord ordered the crew to bale out, pointed the ship toward sea, set the automatic pilot and prepared to bale out after them, when the damaged controls threw the ship into a steep dive. He scrambled back into the plane, pulled the ship up a bare 200 feet above Ipswich, and succeeded in making a crash landing in a field outside the city. All members of the crew returned safely.

Due to his heroic efforts to keep the Fortress, "Lucille Ball," from crashing into Ipswich, Gaylord will probably merit a decoration.

Baker, Elaine Moseley, Eileen Moseley, Janet Douglas, Bette Rose, Elsie Ball.

Marjorie Allen, Barbara Young, Beverly Hauser, Patsy Griffin, Lois Twining, Mercedes Foley, Jean Murray, Marguerite Lelli, Gloria Kelly, Yvonne Smith, Dorothy Herman, Marguerite Driscoll, Beatrice King, Shirley Gray.

Charlotte Wicke, Dorris Weinberg, Jeanne Harris, Barbara Stephens, Dolores Brown, Betty Ingebritson, Phyllis Balsiger, Ardye Mast, Jackie Kenfield, Lydia Williams, Marie Medley, Nadya Ramp, Margaret Hughes, Ann McGillicuddy, Maryann Howard, Louise Fletcher, Betty Jean Thompson, Elaine Burnham, Helen Wohler, Evelyn Stephens.

Ruth Hansen, Frances Meier, Donna Cook, Nancy Kellaher, Terry Watson, Dorothy Hayden, Martha Hoch, Martha Bucknell, Marie Swan, Dorothy Payne, Sally Jeffcott, Wanda Lu Payne, Beverly Jacob, Joyce Wamples, Mary Patton.

Beverly Listman, Grace Edwards, Mary Lou Chase, Jackie Bogart, Florence E. Hall, Melissa Snyder, Phyllis Byers, Mary Lou Jackson, Marilee Huffman, Beverly Davis, Dorothy Williams, Pat O'Hara.

## Hillcrest Lodge Wins Over Thetas for Volleyball Title

Hillcrest's eight, red-hot from their previous battles with the Pi Phis for the right to enter the finals, banged a 46 to 23 win over the colorful Thetas to give them the intramural volleyball title yesterday afternoon in Gerlinger hall. Jeans, plaid shirts, and spirit were not enough to give the Thetas the push to stop the Hillcrest onslaught.

In the first ten minutes of play the score sea-sawed back and forth; the teams were both tense and over-anxious. The last part of the half saw Hillcrest pull away to a 25 to 11 lead, as they started hitting their stride while the Thetas still remained jittery.

Non-rotation type of play featured the second session and the Thetas put their star, Mick Riley, at the net. She showed signs of game tension, but executed several beautifully angled spikes. However, Betty Crabb, center front for Hillcrest, matched Mick's net work, and the victors continued to build up their advantage.

Mary Ann Delsman's ferocious overhand service which netted ten points for the winners figured largely in the outcome of the game. Polly Gordon and Dorothy Hayden, as well as the rest of the Theta backfield, could not handle Mary Ann's cannonballs until nearly the end of the game.

Martha Hock, Theta captain, deserves considerable mention.

She has managed her team all season and should receive much of the credit for their successful season.

Tonight, Gerlinger hall will again be the scene of much excitement as the two all-star teams battle at 5 o'clock.

## Five Culprits Placed On Disciplinary Pro

The five boys who voluntarily confessed to the painting of green and yellow "O's" on the Oregon State college memorial union building have been placed on disciplinary probation for the remainder of this term, Karl W. Onthank, secretary of the student disciplinary committee, announced yesterday. They will also share the cost of removing the paint from the building.

Another boy has been placed on disciplinary probation for both fall and winter terms for painting Benny the Beaver.

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