



FIRST LADY WINNER... Mary Davis, first woman ever to win a championship in the Mobilgas Economy Run, proudly displays her first place award for driving a Plymouth to Class A victory in the 1957 event. Miss Davis, in a Plymouth V-8 hardtop, won over competitive six-cylinder and V-8 models in the low price class with a ton-mile mark of 52.6211.



SWEEPSTAKES WINNER... Joe L. Cudd, Mobilgas dealer who lives at 2907 Carson St., congratulates Mel Alsbury Jr., Sweepstakes winner of the 1957 Mobilgas Economy Run. Cudd was one of 27 Southern-California and Arizona dealers who made the run as guest of General Petroleum Corp.

El Camino to Honor President Murdock on Tenth Anniversary

Paying tribute to President Forrest G. Murdock on his 10th anniversary as president of El Camino College and superintendent of the college district, 8160 students will observe President's Day on campus tomorrow.

Initiating the special observance were members of the Student Council of the Associated Students. Jerry Walsh, commissioner of athletics on campus last year, originated the idea which was adapted by the current group of student officers.

Day Planned

Adopting a resolution declaring May 3 as President's Day in their last council meeting, student leaders relayed information regarding the day's activities to the college president while he was recuperating in his Inglewood home.

Highlighting the special observance will be a brief presentation program at the Emperor's Ball, which will be held tomorrow evening at the Beverly-Hilton Hotel in Beverly Hills. A testimonial dinner to honor President and Mrs. Murdock will precede the ball, the major social activity of the year at the college.

President Murdock and citizens of the area met in the cafeteria of Leuzinger High School in 1946 to formulate plans for the new college. Prior to the meeting studies of the community and its need for higher educational facilities were made. Boards of the Centinela Valley, El Segundo, and South Bay districts approved plans for formation of the new district, and citizens gave their approbation by a 10-1 vote.

Formed in 1947

The district was legally formed on July 1, 1947.

Eighty acres of land were secured for \$1000 per acre, with the understanding that the price would be forfeited if the purchase price were put into facilities which could be used for recreation by the community.

For this reason, the football stadium, gymnasium and campus center were among the first buildings constructed on the campus, located east of Alondra Park between Manhattan Beach and Crenshaw Blvd. Their early construction meant that the land cost the college taxpayers nothing.

Land Purchased

Ten additional acres were received from the county with identical understanding. Original buildings in which classes were held were furnished largely by the government, the structures coming from Santa Ana Air Base. Many of these still are used to accommodate the wave of enrollment which has hit El Camino.

Negotiations between President Murdock and his staff and the late Supervisor Raymond V. Darby saved taxpayers thousands of dollars, the estimated value of the land upon which El Camino is built now being in excess of \$1,000,000.



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