

WOMEN

*AND THEIR
INTERESTS*

Sorority life at Pensacola Junior College is much like that on any other college campus. Active groups with more than pleasure in mind, they develop plans for guidance and unity in action. Character and scholastic achievements are only a few of the qualifications necessary for membership. Members are orientated to the environment of college life and encouraged to maintain high standards of individual and group conduct.

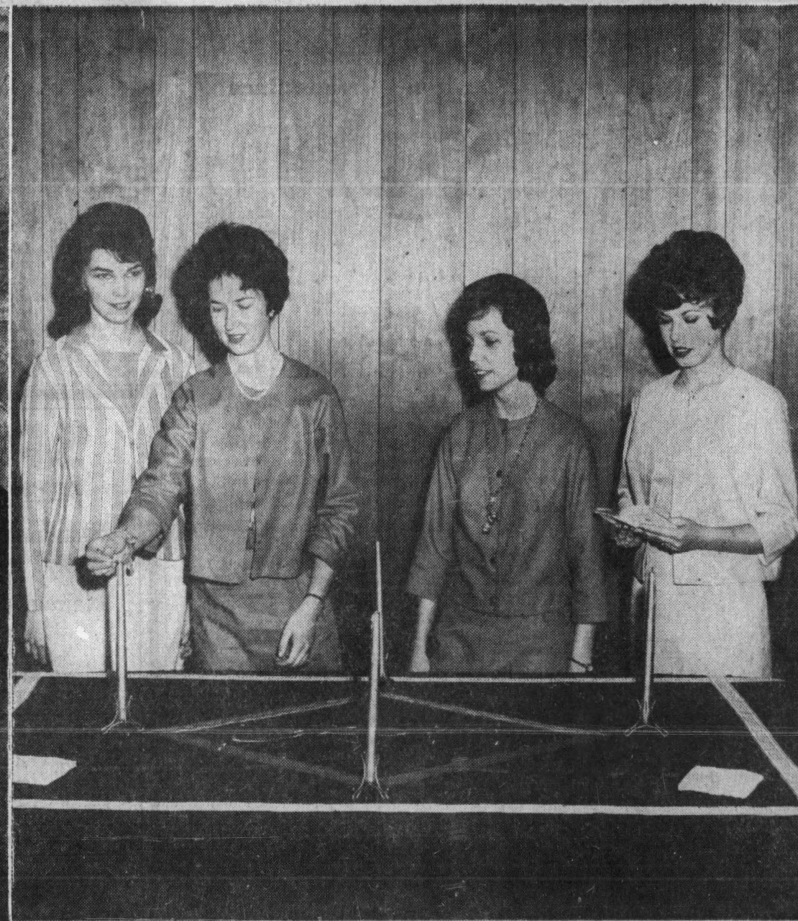
Zelta Phi Delta, a social and service sorority, is actually the oldest of the women's organizations for it emerged in 1960 from the Woman's Recreational Association, which was formed in 1954. Delta Chi Omega dates its organization to 1959.

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Maintaining refreshment stands for various activities at the college, Maudie Jo Waters (left) and Linda O'Leary are shown making posters to advertise their wares. They are members of Zeta Phi Delta.



The candlelight ceremony is an impressive part of the initiation of Zeta Phi Delta members. Pictured left to right are Marty Gunnells, Paulette Padgett, Angeline Malloy and Joy Anderson





Miss Frances Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kervin E. Harper, 254 W. Gonzalez St., has completed her sophomore year at Florida State University, where she was chaplain of Delta Delta Delta Sorority. She is majoring in English education, with plans for a teaching career. Miss Harper was presented to society last December at the Debutante Charity Cotillion.



Miss Barbara Hepner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hepner of Scenic Highway, was presented at the annual Debutante Charity Cotillion last December. She was graduated from the high school department of Gulf Park College, attended Emory University and the University of Alabama. A biology major in the college of arts and sciences, she hopes to be a research biologist. Her sorority is Kappa Kappa Gamma.



Miss Catherine Raine Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Merrivether Hill Jr., 410 W. Blount St., is a graduate of Stratford Hall and Stratford College, Danville, Va. She was presented at the Debutante Charity Cotillion in 1961 and served as a maid in the Revellers of Ariola Court this season. Miss Hill is employed at a local bank.



Miss Anne Pomeroy Soule, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Soule, 1675 N. Reus St., has completed her first year at Emory University in Atlanta, where her sorority is Delta Delta Delta. She was chosen Escambia County Junior Miss last year, and was elected by Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at Emory to their Sweetheart Court. She reigned as queen of the Revellers of Ariola Ball this season.



Queen Rela Anderson, has completed her sophomore year at Queens College, Charlotte, N. C., where she is majoring in biology. After graduation, she plans to enter the field of laboratory technology. Miss Anderson was formally presented at the Debutante Charity Cotillion in December. Her sorority is Alpha Delta Pi.

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Miss Rela Anderson has been selected to rule as queen of the 13th annual Fiesta of Five Flags. Miss Anderson is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Egbert V. Anderson, 1820 Whaley Ave. Coronation ceremonies will take place at 10 p.m. Thursday at Municipal Auditorium.



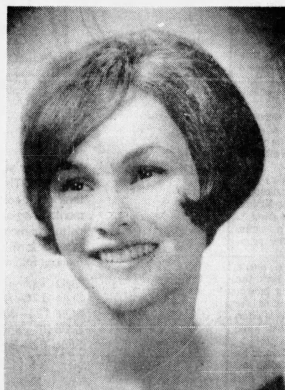
Miss Karen Geiger Johnson, daughter of Marine Col. and Mrs. Robert James Johnson, was graduated from Pensacola Junior College with highest honors and served as secretary of Phi Theta Kappa. She has completed her junior year at Florida State University, where she is majoring in marine biology. Miss Johnson will become the bride of Thomas LeRoy Francis of Waynesville, N. C., the latter part of this month.



Miss Polly Fulkerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Fulkerson, 1931 E. Jackson St., is a native of Buffalo, N. Y., and has resided in Pensacola since 1954. She was graduated from the high school department of St. Mary's Junior College, Raleigh, N.C. and from the college in 1960 where she was president of the student body. Now a student at Birmingham-Southern College, majoring in biology. She is a pledge of Kappa Delta Sorority.



Miss Dorothy Condon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse G. Condon, 1991 N. 10th Ave., attended Hotel Dieu School of Nursing and Loyola University, New Orleans, La. She was graduated from Sacred Heart School of X-Ray Technology and is now a registered X-Ray technician at the Medical Center Clinic.



Miss Julie Ann Savage, daughter of Mrs. Julia Savage, 1912 E. Yonge St., and Capt. R. L. Savage (ret.) of Corona del Mar, Calif., has completed her sophomore year at FSU, where she is majoring in advertising design. A member of Pi Beta Phi social sorority, and Alpha Lambda Delta, scholastic honorary, she is also production manager of FSU student magazine and staff artist for the student newspaper.



Miss Mary Judith Allis is the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Edward Karl Allis of Qtrs. 12, Naval Air Station. Although a native of Pensacola, she has lived in many parts of the country and in Hawaii. A graduate of St. Ann's High School in Hawaii, she completed her first year as a freshman at Pensacola Junior College where she holds membership in the Newman Club.



Miss Peggy Patterson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Patterson, 319 Baublits Drive, Navy Point, was born in Illinois and has resided here for 14 years. A PHS graduate, she attends Birmingham Southern College, where she is majoring in English. She plans graduate work and eventually to become a college English teacher. A member of Pi Beta Phi Sorority and Eta Sigma Phi, classical language honorary, she was selected "Southern Accent Beauty" at the college.

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By TANI SUBLETTE
News-Journal Society Editor.

Amidst pageantry and fanfare, sprinkled with an array of elaborate and colorful ball gowns, Pensacola's oldest and one of its most exclusive Mardi Gras organization, the Revellers of Ariola entertained at their 52nd annual ball Saturday night in Municipal Auditorium. Founded over half a century ago by several prominent business men who had resided in New Orleans, the organization was formed as a complementary mystic society to the Pompadours, outstanding women's society of that day. Secrecy has been stressed from its founding, and although the primary purpose of the Ariolas is for leading business and professional men to entertain at a masked ball each year, many of its members regard it as an occasion for their young daughters to be formally introduced to society.

Guests were transported last night to a land of mystery and enchantment while Don Langford at the organ played haunting tones to set the mood for a tale of "Thousand and One Nights." The coveted honors for the evening fell to Miss Relia Anderson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Egbert V. Anderson who was selected to reign as queen of the event. Princesses chosen were Miss Linda Martin, Miss Mary Moffett, Miss Eleanor Randolph and Miss Suzanne Gronemeyer.

As the curtain parted for the opening of the ball, the auditorium slowly darkened and revealed the throne room in the palace of Shahriar, the Sultan of Persia. Richly decorated massive urns stood before three ornately designed Persian windows. The Sultan reclined on a satin covered couch while at his feet sat the beautiful Scheherazade with glittering lamps suspended above. Known as the "Sultan of Terror" and thinking all women treacherous, he would wed one each day and have her strangled the next. Determined to end the inhuman conditions, Scheherazade planned to marry him and relate fascinating stories, keeping him amused with a thousand and one tales that would deliver the kingdom from his fury.

The stage dimmed to a mysterious blue, as music from Scheherazade was played



A.—Queen Relia Anderson who ruled at the 52nd annual ball of the Revellers of Ariola Saturday night at Municipal Auditorium, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Egbert V. Anderson, 1820 Whaley Ave. An honor graduate of PHS last year, she attends Queens College, Charlotte, N. C. in preparation for teaching mathematics or biology. Former state secretary of Future Teachers Clubs of Florida Relia is a pledge of Alpha Delta Pi Sorority.



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1.—Princess Linda Katherine Martin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Pratt Martin, 1775 N. Reus St. A Catholic High School graduate, she is currently a freshman at the University of Alabama in Tuscaloosa. A pledge of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, Miss Martin was recently chosen "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi" at the university for the year.

2.—Princess Eleanor Rainford Randolph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Randolph III, 917 Fairway Drive, is taking a Liberal Arts program at Queens College, Charlotte, N. C. A freshman representative to the Social Standards committee, she holds membership in the Dolphin Club and is assisting in the formation of a college newspaper. While at PHS she won a scholarship at Florida State University while taking part in a summer program in journalism.

3.—Princess Suzanne Gronemeyer is a freshman at Duke University, Durham, N. C., where she is pledged to Alpha Delta Pi Sorority. She was nominated for the Duchess of Duke and serves as freshman representative to Giles House. Suzanne's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Gronemeyer of 1750 Tezar Drive.

4.—Princess Mary Moffett is studying elementary education in the freshman class of Florida State University, Tallahassee. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stuart Moffett of 1906 N. Baylen St.

She'll Reign With Don Tristan XIII

'Daddy, I'm the Queen,' Thrilled Rela Reports on De Luna Ceremony Honors

By DORENE ANGELES

"Daddy, I'm queen!" Pretty Rela Anderson's hands shook with excitement as she rushed to the phone to let her father, Dr. E. V. Anderson, in on the secret.

Mrs. Anderson, silent but beaming, stood by while her daughter called first her father and then her 15-year-old brother Rhetta, to break the "thrilling" news that she would reign with Don Tristan de Luna XIII in the Fiesta of Five Flags celebration.

"Vernon will find out later. He isn't home now," the queen remarked of another brother. She sighed happily and turned to the feminine business of clothes.

Rela and her mother had come to Dorothy Clemente's studio at the Fiesta office on Saturday afternoon, for what they expected to be a fitting of Rela's costume as a princess in the De Luna Court.

"That was thrilling enough, but I never dreamed this would happen to me!" Rela laughed as she hugged the jeweled white satin gown in which she would be feted by thousands of admiring "subjects" during Fiesta Week.

Normally five feet, two inches tall, she looked all of five three as she zipped up the fitted bodice, fluffed out the full China silk sleeves, and paraded regally about the small studio, pausing at a mirror to admire the jewels in her fairy crown.

She inspected the toe of a gold kid pump which peeped from under a full hooped skirt, gave the costume her most royal approval, and turned to the practical matter of the week's schedule.

She will sail with the De Luna Court to Quietwater Beach Thursday, where she will greet Don Tristan de Luna XIII. They will be received by Chief Mayoki II at Nanipacna Village and by the Chief of the Creek Nation, Calvin W. McGhee, in colorful landing ceremonies.

The court will "sail" on a Spanish galleon through the streets of downtown Pensacola Thursday afternoon in the De Luna parade. A glittering coronation ceremony Thursday night



RELA ANDERSON

... she'll reign during Fiesta

(Photo by Franklin Bryson)

at Municipal Auditorium will be followed by dancing to the music of the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra directed by Sam Donahue. Queen Rela and Don Tristan XIII will lead the ball.

Another busy day Friday will include the Queen's Reception at Martine's, the Children's Day Parade, and the crowning of Junior "Miss Fiesta."

For one who enjoys dancing as Queen Rela does, Friday night's schedule is made to order, with square dancing at the Hellenic Center, twisting at the Roaring 20's Contest at the Auditorium, and dancing at the Order of Tristan ball.

The Queen and her court will tour the Naval Air Station on Saturday, attending the cadet review, aerial demonstrations, choir and band concerts, and a square dance aboard the USS Antietam.

Wearing their carnival finery, members of the court will visit non-ambulatory patients at the Navy Hospital.

Three days of uninterrupted merrymaking will be climaxed with the Grand Fiesta parade and ball on Saturday. No stranger to royal frolicking as a former queen of the Ariola Revelers Court, Rela listened to

the formidable list of appointments with an air of fascination, punctuating with frequent cries of "That sounds like fun!"

The hazel-eyed brownette is an honor graduate of Pensacola High School and a sophomore at Queen's College in Charlotte, N.C. She is secretary of the Collegiate Academy of the North Carolina Academy of Sciences and Sweetheart of Sigma Alpha Epsilon of Davidson College, where her brother, Vernon, is a pre-medical student. A biology major, she plans to specialize in medical laboratory technology.

She spends her summer as a receptionist at the Pensacola Medical Center, where her father practices pediatrics. "I must confess, I sneak into the lab occasionally," she admits.

The Andersons are active members of the First Presbyterian Church here. Rela was presented to society at the Debutante Charity Cotillion in December.

An enthusiastic young woman who enjoys "just about everything," the 1962 De Luna Queen, like her predecessors, brings a wealth of youthful charm and good cheer to her merry reign. Long live Queen Rela!