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La Cumbres Go On Sale

La Cumbres will go on sale the week of March 20 through the 25 in the quad and will be sold fifth hour through the sixth hour. With a student body card the year books will cost 75 cents a copy and without a card they will be \$1.50. To be financially possible, 500 year books must be sold at this time; so it is urged that students put their orders in as soon as possible.

Picture appointments will be made this week and next, in Harold Martin's office. Pictures will be handled by the Zane Studios, and will cost \$1.00 a sitting. Seniors, sorority members, and officers of organizations and departments, are requested to make their appointments at their earliest convenience.

A request for pictures, informal shots of the campus, students, and student activities has been made. If you are in possession of any such photographs and would like them to appear in the annual, turn them into the business manager, Elenita de la Cuesta.

Freshman Dance Honors Hoff Men

A dance, sponsored by the Freshman class, was held at Hoff Hospital on Thursday, March 16, from 7:30 to 10:30.

Although the affair was in the hands of the Freshmen, everyone was invited. The orchestra was furnished by Hoff, and the refreshments by the Red Cross. The guests enjoyed dancing and card games with the convalescent patients; the party was as successful as the previous one. Lavon Carsner was in charge.

Manners Assembly

This Tuesday the Associated Women students is sponsoring a unique show called a "Manners Assembly." It will be presented in the auditorium, 4th hour. Each sorority is planning a skit depicting some phase of correct etiquette. The program is as follows: Alpha Theta Chi, Military Manners; Chi Delta Chi, Manners at the Sorority House; Delta Sigma Epsilon, Table Manners; Delta Zeta Delta, Manners in the Business Office; Gamma Delta Chi, Manners at School; Phi Kappa Gamma, Manners in the Home; Sigma Delta Phi, Manners Downtown; Tau Gamma Sigma, Manners at School Affairs. Carolyn Viets is the general chairman of the program.

E.C.E. Department Celebrates Birthday

The Early Childhood Education Department held its twelfth birthday tea last Sunday at 2206 Alameda Padre Serra. The incoming president, Joan Patten, and the out-going president, Jane Hefflefinger, cut the birthday cake in a ceremony which represented the twelve-year existence on the E.C.E. department on our campus. The invited guests were other department presidents, the faculty of the college, and principals and supervising teachers of Santa Barbara Elementary Schools. Mrs. Clarence L. Phelps, Miss Elizabeth Sehon and Mrs. A. B. Barnett poured.

Following the custom of the department of giving a gift to a person who has been of great assistance to the department during the year, an attractive identification bracelet was presented to Miss Dorothy D. Van Deman.

The department colors, brown and yellow, were carried out in the flower arrangements, name tags, cakes and mints.

Air Wac To Recruit Here

Pvt. Billye Jones of the Air Wacs will be in the A.W.S. Clubroom on Thursday, March 16, from 10 to 2, to recruit women and to answer questions of interested women. The age requirement for all services is 21 years and the programs, which are deferred ones, apply only to senior women, with the exception of the Cadet Nurses.

"Little Women" To Be Presented

The spring play "Little Women" is to be presented on April 13 and 14 instead of March 29 and 30 as previously announced. The production is well under way except for the fact that another male member is needed for the cast. If you would like to try out for the part of Mr. March, contact Miss Marion Hammond, director.

The committees are: Properties—Bob Smitheran, Nancy de Benedict, Billie Kump, Sally Zastro; Lights—Mrs. Vera Ashby-Miller; Make-up—Betty Maxon; Costumes—Mimi Wimple, Ruth Taylor; Publicity—Sidney Hutchinson, Harriet Webb, Mabel Barker; Set—Sam Hixon, Bernice Depwig, Billie Kump, Charlotte Montgomery; Business Manager—Melvin Bowers; House Manager—Harriet Webb, Virginia Boland, Patricia Gilkeson, Barbara Barton; Printing—Bernice Depwig; Refreshments—Virginia Boland; Assistant Director—Mimi Womble.



Mrs. Porter New Assistant Dean

Mrs. Ester Porter, secretary of the Alumni Association and editor of Hoy Dia, has been selected to take over the duties of Assistant Dean of Women.

The position was recently vacated by Mrs. Jane Christopher Wentz who resigned to join her husband, who is in the Navy.

The duties of assistant dean have to do primarily with housing and the Pan-Hellenic Council.

Senior Breakfast Meeting To Be Held

Marking the beginning of the spring social functions, the Senior Class will hold a breakfast on Sunday, March 19 at 9 in Ebbets Hall. Tickets will be sold in Mrs. Jane Abraham's office or purchased from Dorothy Hopper, class president. It is important that all seniors attend as a brief business meeting will be held; new officers chosen to fill vacancies, committees selected for coming events; and the senior class gift to the school will be discussed. Dorothy Keniston is arranging an entertaining program and Mrs. Abraham and Mr. Chenoweth will have some vital messages to impart.

ATTENTION STUDENT BODY!

Today between 10 and 4, all holders of student body cards are urged to vote in the election for vice-president. The ballot box is located outside Harold Martin's office. Catherine Merrit, Diane Grey, Harriet Webb, Catherine Reid, Virginia Landon, and Shirlee Quinn are helping at the ballot box. As temporary vice-president, Paula Stansbury, is in charge of the election.

Music Colony Plans Revealed

The All-Southern California High School Orchestra Committee recently held a meeting in President Phelps' office to discuss plans for the proposed summer music colony. The members of the committee, including Maurice Faulkner as chairman, are President Phelps, Charles E. Jacobs, Jane Miller Abraham, Helen Sweet, C. D. Woodhouse, Van A. Christy, Lloyd Browning, Harold Martin, Wilhelmina Menken, Helen Barnett, Eleanor O'Boyle, and Wilma Cody.

One hundred outstanding high school students are to attend, and they will give two concerts, one each at the end of the two weeks during which the session will be held. The tentative dates are August 14 to 28. Two famous conductors will be invited to take charge, one of whom will probably be Peter Meremblum. Others discussed were Wallenstein and Stokowski. It is also hoped that Madame Lotte Lehman will be able to attend.

The concerts will probably be held at La Playa Stadium, a very unusual and beautiful setting. The tickets for these affairs will be quite inexpensive so that many people can attend. The students will be housed in places around the campus, as sorority houses and boarding houses.

The music colony is to be held under the auspices of the college, and to date twenty-seven applications have been received although no material has as yet been sent out. They are all in answer to the announcement made during the last concert which was greeted very enthusiastically.

Senior Women Visit Marine Base

Several girls who plan to join the armed forces upon graduation visited the Goleta Marine Air Station last Friday.

Immediately upon their arrival they were taken to lunch and had to stand in chow line just like the Women Marines, and even had to scrape their trays afterward. After lunch, Lieutenant Roberts conducted them on a tour over the entire base. In particular, they visited the enlisted women's barracks, the women officers' quarters, and the post exchange. There were even soap chips for sale there. They also watched the fliers trainings in Link Trainers.

The girls who went were Dixon Howell, Margie Vatcher, Georgia Hill, Betty Nay, Jean McClure, Joyce Evans, Judy Morgan, Marilyn Woolsey, Lois Hardie, Betty Skavdahl, Marian Agamalian, Barbara Burtis, Betty Murphy, Tink Fischer, and Phyllis DePew.

EDITORIAL

The A.M.S. has really been proving itself this semester. True that there are only a few men on campus now, but those men have met together and formed an organization that is a closely-knit group of men interested in their own and their college's benefit. Responsible for this growing organization are not only the men themselves but several hard-working fellows who really got behind the group and gave their all to make it what it has become.

A.M.S. activities began this year with several smokers that were held for the men only. They got together and spent an evening that men honestly enjoy. They played cards and had entertainment and refreshments. Everyone had such a good time that the boys felt that they should let the whole student body in on their fun. The result was the All-College dance held last Friday night at Rockwood. Ask anyone who was there and he will tell you that the music was marvelous, the entertainment good, and the whole evening was entirely "sensational." All in all it was the biggest and best thing that has happened here during the entire year. It was such a huge success that people are asking for more just like it. The men even took into consideration the fact that a lot of girls who would like to go might not have partners so they invited a number of Marines from the Goleta Air Base. Not only did this ensure a good time for the women, but it in part reciprocated for the grand times the Marines have given our girls at the joint dances at the Base.

The next activity on the men's list is a series of baseball games with the Marines. The men have whipped together a good softball team that they feel can beat the socks off those Marines, but they want some good old school spirit behind them. No one can play his best without some outside aid; that outside aid is the student body spirit. The men's team is good and we assure you of a good time when you go to see them play. Let's have everyone out watching and cheering our college baseball team on to victory when they begin the series.

These men have done a wonderful job of stimulating school spirit and reviving an organization that was inactive for some time, and for this they deserve all the credit we can give them. We can give them this credit by showing them that we appreciate what they have been doing and go to the baseball games, the dances, and other affairs that they sponsor. Santa Barbara State is well on its way to regaining the life that used to be. We mustn't let ourselves or our school down.—J.A.

Wesley Foundation Meeting Sunday

Have you wondered about the seeming difference between the teachings of the Bible and history? Come to Wesley Foundation at the Methodist Church, Sunday, March 19, at 6:30 and hear Mrs. Howard Sargent speak on "The Bible and Archeology."

Those who were not there last Sunday missed a very good program presented by Chaplain Follansbee of the Marine Air Station.

Come this Friday evening, March 17, to the St. Patrick's Day party in the Methodist gym. Jamie Stewart is planning games, folk dancing, and refreshments.

"I think I will get a pair of red shoes—those flatties with the wedge heels," said the tall blonde.

"Why low heels?" asked her friend, in surprise.

"I want them to go with a short lieutenant."

NOTE:

Shoe coupon No. 18 expires April 30.

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Department News

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

The Science Department and Tri-Beta have planned a field trip for Sunday morning, March 19. All science students interested are asked to sign up for the trip on the science bulletin board. If enough students sign up, transportation will be furnished by bus. The group leaves from in front of the quad at 8 in the morning and are requested to bring their own box lunch.

ELEMENTARY DEPARTMENT

The Elementary Department will hold a party in the form of a Taffy Pull tonight at 7:30 in the Girl Scout House, 1838 San Andres.

Frances Germano, general social and she will be assisted by Margaret chairman is in charge of the affair, McKenzie, food chairman, and Esther Foley, who is in charge of games.

The entire Elementary Department is invited and those wishing to go should have signed up by today outside of Mrs. Price's office.

JR. HIGH DEPARTMENT

Monday, March 6, the Jr. High Education department held their first meeting of the new semester in the

Women's club room at four o'clock. New officers are President Muriel Kinman, Vice-President Helen Meyer, Secretary Tina Sanchez and Treasurer Peggy Schumann.

Mrs. Sara Arkley, Guidance Director of LaCumbre Junior High School gave an interesting talk on what the children believe are the duties and responsibilities of the Guidance Department, and then what the officer's duties really include with illustrations of some of the difficulties met in the line of duty. Cake and "Coke" was served by Helen Meyer, Social Chairman.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

The Music Department held its regular meeting last Tuesday during fourth hour, during which plans for a picture and a write-up in the yearbook were discussed. The members also made plans for future social activities, including a beach party.

Mr. Donald Pond's lecture and demonstration were postponed as his assistant failed to show up.

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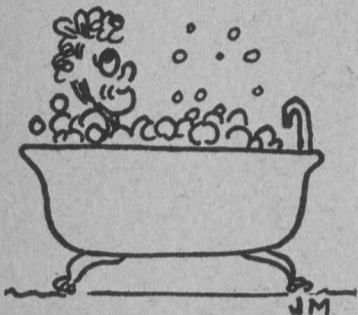
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BEST DRESSED GIRL OF THE WEEK in a soft heather-purple Cashmere cardigan, was brunette Judy Morgan, sophomore. She wore her lush sweater over a white round-necked blouse, embroidered in white down the wide tuck in front . . . with a matching plaid skirt, gathered in front, with large side-pockets

Drop in tomorrow and let us show you the new Casual Corner.

—ODIE MYERS
and
DORRY BRADLEY

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Phrateres Formal

The Phrateres Spring formal will be held at the U. S. O., Saturday, March 25 from 8:00 to 11:00 o'clock. SFF, the new sub-chapter will be in charge of decoration, which will have an Easter Theme. All Phrateres members are invited, and since only fifty girls can go, they must sign up in the Dean's office as soon as possible before the list is closed. The regular U. S. O. hostesses will also be present. Sue Tuttle is the decoration chairman, and Grace Walker is in charge of refreshments.

Tous Les Temps Holds Meeting

Tous Les Temps met for the informal initiation of new members at the home of Dorothy Dickie on March 6. The members enjoyed the traditional weiner roast after which the new member, Mattie Manfull, entertained the old members with the story of her life. After the initiation a regular business meeting was held. Plans were made for the formal initiation dinner to be held at the Mar Monte Hotel on March 20.

Alpha Delta Chi Initiates Pledges

Alpha Delta Chi, honorary elementary fraternity, held a meeting, March 1, at the home of Barbara Berry. Following the business meeting, seven pledges were inducted into A.D.C. The pledges are Barbara Walker, Evelyn De Witt, Dorothy Struck, Arlene Langstaff, Marcella Robinson, Jean Davis, and Elaine Johnson.

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HELLENES CONTINUE PLEDGING

Pledging activities continued this week and sororities planned for the Pan-hellenic formal and Panic Week in their business meetings.

CHI DELTA CHI

Chi Delta Chi sorority met at the home of their patroness, Mrs. D. H. Schauer on Monday evening. Pledging ceremonies were held for Pat Gilkerson and a stork shower was given for Mrs. Ralph Nair, a sponsor for the sorority. Plans were made for future pledging activities.

GAMMA DELTA CHI

Gamma Deltas met at the sorority house, 1822 Loma, and were entertained and served refreshments by the pledges. Plans were discussed to attend the wedding of Geraldine Logan who is to be married to Lt. M. F. Davis of Camp Cooke. A personal shower for Miss Logan was held Tuesday evening, March 14, at the sorority house.

DELTA ZETA DELTA

Delta Zetas held their regular business meeting at the sorority house on Alameda Padre Serra. Further discussion was made concerning the Pan-Hellenic formal and the joint Easter Breakfast with active and alumnae members of the Beta Sigma Chi fraternity. Arrangements were made for a joint meeting with the Alpha Theta Chi sorority at the next regular meeting.

PHI KAPPA GAMMA

Phi Kaps met at the house of Pat Scott on Monday evening. Pledging activities were discussed and arrangements were made for the pledging ceremonies to be held next Monday evening, March 20, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Browning. Pledge, Dorothy Mac Kinnon, passed chocolates in honor of her engagement to Pfc. Bill Wheeler, Army Air Corps, of Beverly Hills. Refreshments were furnished by the pledges.

TAU GAMMA SIGMA

Meeting at the home of Judy Morgan, Tau Gams held the informal initiation of pledge Barbara Friend.

Discussion was carried on concerning the Pan-Hel picnic.

SIGMA DELTA PHI

At the regular Monday meeting, Sigma Deltas sent a note of thanks to Mrs. John Casswell for the breakfast she held for the sorority and its pledges at her home on Sunday Morning, March 12. A note was also sent to Mrs. Newton Wayland thanking her for the tea she held in honor of the actives and pledges on Saturday, March 4. Beginning plans for Hell Week were initiated and a slumber party was planned for March 24, to be given by the active members for the pledges. The latter part of the evening the pledges entertained the actives and pledge Cecile Hudson passed chocolates.

SIGMA DELTA EPSILON

Meeting of Delta Sigma Epsilon was held Monday night at the home of Flora Pomeroy, 416 Montecito street. Delta Sig now lists as pledges: May Barnes, Reva Hansen, Billye Kesterson, Dottie Mae Kroonen, Lauro Jo Moffett, Helen Schultze, Marquita Spicer and Maxine Tenant. The pledges have a short summary of their skit to be presented before next Tuesday's assembly. Delta Sigs are now busily collecting scrap materials to be sent to the O'Reilly Hospital in Springfield, Missouri. As a national sorority they have adopted the therapeutic wing of this hospital. It is helping to rehabilitate wounded soldiers. They can use any type of scrap materials; if any one has any to contribute, get in touch with Barbara Edmiston.

NOT FAIR

This story of a German lieutenant captured by a British officer comes from Italy. They talked about the war as they waited for an escort to take the prisoner down the line for interrogation. "Your bombing of Berlin is inexcusable," he complained.

"But the Germans bombed London first," pointed out his captor.

"Yes," replied the German; "but look how large your bombs are."

—London Answers.

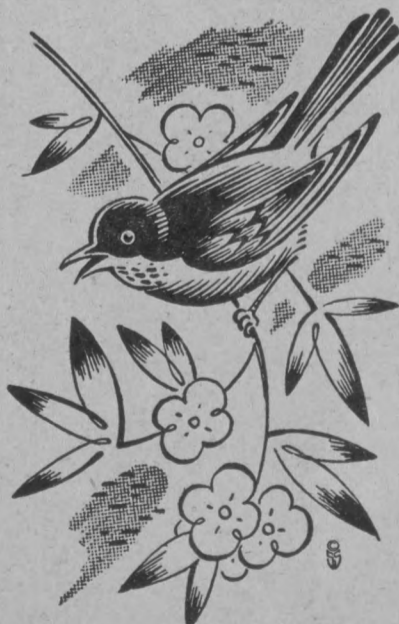
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Strike Three

By DON JONES

The newly organized baseball team holds its first game of the season with the soldiers of Jefferson school at 2:15 today in the field just below Ridge Hall. The team really wants student body support and the college can show its loyalty by turning out for the game.

A really terrific new outfit has sprung from the midst of the heretofore slightly spiritless college. The boys on this baseball club are really looking like a team. They have been serious about practice and the infield has sensational possibilities.

We've got some very good boys, Tom Burt for instance, who's been holding down the "hot corner," third base, in professional style. He's a man to watch. Catching those hot underarm pegs of Burt's, Gordy Griffiths will cover first base. Second base, the Keystone sack, is cinched by Bill Lawrence, who has turned in some mighty fine performances in practice.

Pitching will be Jim (if you can't see him you can hear him) Zastro, the fast ball specialist who ought to keep the opponents buffaloed. Jim, by the way, is the captain of the team and is the fellow who is responsible for the creation of the team. Catching will be a boy new to ball-playing but shaping up very nicely, Lowell Williams.

The outfield has Jim Clearwater, he of the eagle eye, plus Bill Hansen and Art Widdling. A boy who is going to displace one of the regulars is Shiv Dahl; he's been playing head's up ball! Then there is the star of last Friday's practice, Willie May. He covers that shortstop position like an antelope, catching everything in sight.

The batting order for the first game is as follows: Leadoff man is Bill Lawrence, usually good for two bases, George Bradvica and Tom Burt, two dependable hitters are next at the plate. Jim Zastro at cleanup spot is the man to "hit it out of the park." The rest of the team bats in this order: Hanson, May, Williams, Widdling, and Griffiths.

If plans go according to schedule there will be games with the Marine Base and with the Naval Section Base.

IN SLANDER'S FIELD

A. M. S. DANCE

Among those who are still singing the praises of the dance last Friday night are . . . SHIRLEY PUTNAM and HARTFORD ARCHIBALD . . . PATTY GIER and LOWELL WILLIAM . . . SALLY DUNLAP and BOB GATES . . . MARILYN WOOLSY and TOMMY BURT . . . MIMI WOMBLE and SAM HIXON . . . BEE JAY SIMPSON, TGS, and GORDIE GRIFFITHS . . . MARGE LASSEL and JIM ZASTRO . . . LYNN WIGGINS and GUESS WHO? . . . BARBARA WALKER, ATC, and ART PORTER . . . JEAN ANGER and JIM CLEARWATER . . . MARGIE MAY, TGS, and her husband, WILLARD MAY . . . GEORGEAN HARDING and LT. ED ERICKSON . . . CHARLOTTE HANKER and BILL HILLEBRAND . . . JANE JERTBERG and LT. BARNEY BARNHILL.

THEY'RE NEWS

. . . EDIE VAN METER, DZD, because she's student teaching this semester—and likes it! . . . DON (take it easy" JONES, because he's managing the newly organized men's baseball team. Says DON: "We're playing the soldiers from Jefferson today at 2:15. The game's going to be right here on our field and we hope that everybody will come and do a little rooting." (Let's really turn out . . . FRANCES MATTSON, because she has red hair, dimples and plays the violin like Yehudi!

GAUCHO ALPHABET

A is for Actors like COLLINS and "HUTCH."

B is for BRADVICA, Bourbon and such.

C is for Cut-ups like DUNLAP and BEAR.

D is for Dates—Let us offer a prayer! E for Engagement. PAT SCOTT'S was announced.

F is for Flunk—what you do to get bounced.

G is for Gauchero Room. Need more be said?

H is for HOPPER, the senior class head.

I is for Innocence—CASIER and GAY.

J is for JOOST with her Jovial way.

K is for Knowledge we try to obtain.

L for LESOVSKY, the coy little "brain."

M is for Michaeli. She's tiny but —oh!

N is for NEWTON—sweet ALICE, you know.

O for O'BOYLE, our "prexy" divine.

P for Paseo, the place where we dine.

Q is for Quartet—Three Dots and A Dash . . . —

R is for Roadrunner, Risque and Rash.

S is for Sunshine, a 6' unit course.

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- U is for Underwear—scanty and cool.
- V is for VIETS who has checked out of school.
- W for "Wolfling." Just ask a marine.
- X for X-otic. JEAN CASEY, we mean.
- Y is for Yungster. PAT MAHER, let's say.
- Z is for Zero and Zat's all today.

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SEIZING OPPORTUNITY

When the name of the plaintiff was called out in court, much to everyone's amazement, he stood up in the jury-box. "What are you doing there?" snapped the clerk. "I was called to serve on the jury," was the meek reply. "But you must have known you couldn't sit on a jury and try your own case?" "I suppose not," admitted the plaintiff ruefully, "I did think it was a bit of luck."—Exchange.

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