

The North Hi Breeze

By VICKIE ALMEIDA

Joining in on the fun and helping Nancy Gibson celebrate her birthday Friday the 24th were Mita Trimley and Bill Hundley, Diane Trimley, Jerry Bev Stepp, Dave Sampson, Carol Lauer, Roy McDevlin, Dave Lad, Judy Bristow, Joyce Hayden, Doug Irvin, Barbara Cagle, Paul Carrico, Johanne Parker, Clarence Johnson, Bill Almeida and Diane Engelhardt, Al Valmer and Gayle Carothers. Also a few Tartars were seen having a ball.

"Young April," the first senior play in the history of North High, will be held March 24 in the Torrance High Auditorium. Mrs. Warren is in charge of the production. The stage manager is Jim Hoffman; technical director, Mr. Hofer; and student director, Arlene Lesar.

Taking the leads in the play are Ray Davis and Nora Cummings. Others cast are Joan Reed, Jim Brown, Eddie McPamers, Gerry Torbagger, Andy Oleada, Arny Willemson, Bill Reeves, Jean Pasquerilla, Janice Sellers, Carole Fair, Johanne Parker, and Jeanne Shafford. The understudies are: Carole, Brad Jensen, Linda Lawton, and Patti Buehols.

The play is a family comedy and tells about the experiences of the McIntyre family. It is a sequel to "Growing Pains," and is about the inter-reactions of parents and youngsters. Tickets are selling from March 19 to 23. I'm sure you won't be disappointed!

"Sweethearts Ball," sponsored by the Saxon Band, is the first of an annual dance which will be held April 1st. A King and Queen of Hearts will be elected by the students to reign at this dance.

Attending Redlands University's annual Break Day, March 7, were North Wind staff members, Annie Rutledge, Bonnie

Williams, Vickie Almeida, Lella Santor, and Arlene Smith. Many famous and outstanding speakers on journalism were present to talk on subjects which interested the many students representing their schools.

The entire staff of 19 is planning to attend El Camino College, Beta Phi Gamma honorary journal fraternity's Press Day, March 23. Representatives from the fields of public relations, photography, press and other publications will highlight the day's activities.

The Saxon basketballers closed the 1955-56 season against the Monarchs from Morning-side. The Saxons played fifth in league play, ahead of El Segundo. Although lacking height and experience the Saxons showed very well at various times during the past season.

Gaining sweet revenge for an earlier 18-8 setback, Coach Del Nuzman's varsity horsehoopers bounced back to life to edge out the Redondo Seabwits with the close victory 54, on the Saxon diamond Feb. 27.

The Future Teachers of America's new officers are Sandy Ford, president; Gene Daimler, inter club counsel; Rodney Hartwell, librarian; Peter La Rosa, historian.

Serving as chairman for the service club, the Julianna is Gayle Carothers. The Julianna are now working at the concept of selecting new members. Both seniors and juniors will have the chance of joining the club.

The Art Club enjoyed a field trip to Los Angeles and Exposition Park, March 5. They viewed the 11th annual West Coast Exposition of Advertising and Editorial Art.

North High Journalists Attend Redlands Meeting

Redlands University played host to many high schools and junior colleges in Southern California last week, on Journalism Day, part of the week-long 25th Annual Writers Week on the campus. Among the area schools represented were North High School and El Camino Junior College.

All schools were invited to enter newspaper for criticism and judging. The El Camino Warhorse was awarded a superior rating for sports, makeup, typography, headlines, news-writing, editing, and received an excellent rating for advertising, features, and news coverage.

The North High School's North Wind did not arrive in time to be judged with the other entries, but the results will be sent to the school when determined.

Delegates Named
Those representing the North Wind staff at the Journalism Day gathering were Ann Rutledge, editor-in-chief; Bonnie Williams, managing editor; Lella Santor, feature editor; Vickie Almeida, news editor; and Arlene Smith, business and circulation manager. Staff advisor Topper Smith accompanied the students to Redlands.

Speaking on publicity and public relations to the students was Miss Ruth Schandorf, one-time associate West Coast editor for Glamour Magazine, and now a top executive with the Ettinger Co., where she has served such accounts as the Brown Derby, Chrysler Corporation, television series "Show of Stars," and "Chitax."

Other Speakers
John Reese spoke on magazine features, and Richard Hoffman from the Los Angeles City Schools conducted a discussion on makeup and typography of typical junior college papers. Dave Adler, managing editor of the San Bernardino Sun-Telegram, spoke on editing the daily paper.

During the week-long event, such general topics as "Writing for Children," "Fiction," "Non-Fiction," and "Drama" were presented.

Swimming Classes Offered
The Torrance YMCA will hold its annual Learn to Swim Campaign, March 26-30—Easter Vacation week.

Approximately 240 youths between the ages of 9 and 12 will receive free swimming instruction at the Hermosa Biltmore Hot pool.

Cliff Graybell, YMCA instructor and coach at North High School will conduct the classes. Transportation to the pool will be provided by the Torrance Lions Club. Any youth who is non-swimmer may sign up for classes at his school or at the YMCA.

Cancer Drive Starts April 2 In South Bay
A. I. Lukes, Redondo Beach manager of the Southern California Gas Co., has been appointed South Bay area campaign chairman for the American Cancer Society's 1956 fund raising drive. The drive will begin Monday, April 2.

Headquarters of the drive will be at the gas company offices, 305 S. Catalina Ave., Redondo Beach.

Said Lukes, "This year our society hopes to bring to every household a message, 'Fight Cancer With a Check-up and a Check.' During April we will call on as many residents as possible urging them to safeguard their health with regular physical examinations and to support the Cancer Drive with contributions."

Solicitors are needed; for information call Frontier 2-2177.

300 Harvey Aluminum Employees, Executives Attend Philharmonic

Three hundred executives and employees of Harvey Aluminum, led by Executive Vice President Lawrence A. Harvey, attended the fourth in the series of Industry Nights at the Philharmonic Friday evening to hear the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra.

The local plant personnel heard a program conducted by Alfred Wallenstein which featured Muriel Kerr as piano soloist. Miss Kerr played Chopin's Concerto No. 2 in F Minor on the program which included Beethoven's Symphony No. 7 in A Major, Prelude to Wagner's "Die Meistersinger," and Virgil Thomson's suite, "Asadian Songs and Dances."

"We in industry have fundamental responsibilities for advancing the technology of our country," Harvey said. "In our daily task of executing the responsibilities, we may unwittingly lose sight of our cultural obligations to the community. Like industry, music and the arts, if they are to advance, must have the support of industry, commerce, and field Oil Corp."

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Two Back from Orient
Frank L. Christensen, machinist's mate third class, USN, son of Mrs. Marie Mannin of 1909 Reynolds Dr., and George H. Warburton, damage control man first class, USN, son of G. H. Warburton, 2436 Andree Ave., returned to San Diego on March 11 aboard the destroyer USS Frank Knox following a six-month cruise in the Far East.

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Tips on Bicycle Safety Listed by Commissioner

Bicycle riders are involved in 10 traffic accidents each day, says the California Highway Patrol.

"This fact was taken from our file of accident records which also indicates failure to obey the rules as the leading cause of traffic accident involving bicycles," Patrol Commissioner B. R. Caldwell declared. "Frequently, when a bicycle rider disobeys the rules or takes chances, he comes into violent contact with an automobile or other motor vehicle."

When a 90 pound bicycle meets a 300 pound mass of metal, the bicycle rider always loses," Caldwell said. "To avoid accidents and secure more pleasure from bicycle riding the following rules should be obeyed:

1. Keep to the right—always ride with traffic.
 2. Obey all traffic signs and signals.
 3. Use a white light in front and a red light or reflector in the rear when riding after dark.
 4. Wear some article of white clothing at night.
 5. Ride single file and only one person on each bike.
 6. Keep your bicycle in good mechanical condition.
 7. Do your stunting off the streets and highways.
 8. Stay off freeways that are kept for motor vehicles only.
- When in doubt about the law ask any traffic law enforcement officer to explain it to you."