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College Bowl Program Seeks More Members

Cerritos' College Bowl program is once again recruiting students to compete for their college in competition with other Southern California institutions, according to the program's sponsor, Russell Storkan.

"We will be in constant need of students throughout the semester," said Storkan. "Anyone interested in the program should see Bill Valle, Richard Licero, Marc Stirdivant, or myself as soon as possible."

The program is patterned after the show on national television, with questions being fired at the two eight-man teams. Although worth only ten points, the toss-up questions are the key to the contest, as both squads have an equal opportunity to answer the question. The team delivering the correct answer is entitled to a bonus question worth 20 to 30 points. At the game's end, the school or team with the most points is declared the winner.

Cerritos has fielded one team since its recent approval by the ASCC Senate and the Board of Trustees. In that contest the Falcons railroaded over Mt. SAC, a previously undefeated school. The Mounties have scheduled a rematch, however, set for March 14. Storkan and Valle are anxious to make team selections, so the squad can begin practicing. A tournament at Barlow, which claims to be the originator of the junior college bowl, is also scheduled for the second week in May.

According to Valle, those students

interested in obtaining a seat on the bowl will be given the opportunity to first compete in intra-mural competition. During these contests, individual scores will be kept, and will serve as the basis for selection of students to enter competition with other schools.

A student is also trying to set up a serious rematch with the Cerritos instructors. The students and instructors met earlier in the year in a mock battle, and the student team was humbled by the teachers.

Cerritos Gym Explodes With "Sing Out L.A."

A protest movement took place in the Cerritos gymnasium last Saturday night, but it wasn't the type one is used to hearing about.

This protest movement was a positive one with 1200 young people, dedicated to moral re-orientation and expressing to the world the vibrant idealism and wholesomeness of America's youth, exploding onto the stage to present "Sing Out L.A."

In the following two hours, these youths thrilled the almost capacity audience with two dozen numbers written and presented in such a manner as to give the audience their message with the exuberance of one who has just found the answer to the world's problems.

The "Sing Out America" (or "Up With People") movement was started in 1965 and since has spread rapidly through America and the world creating a sensation everywhere it goes.

The songs written for the group are originals and set to lively tempos. Coupled with the tremendous gusto of the performers, "Sing Out" has an almost magnetic appeal.

The program, sponsored by the Cerritos Newman Club, featured such numbers as "Up With People" plugging brotherhood, "Freedom Isn't Free" with a reminder to pay the price for liberty, and "Which Way America?" asking just that question.

The performers are all of high school and college age and no cast member, director or performer, receives any pay for their efforts, but instead receive the satisfaction of expressing their commitment to God and country through song.



THIS WILD GET UP happens to be our mystery drag racer, in a Simpson drag racing firesuit, it symbolizes the upcoming Cerritos College Drag Festival. Famous race car drivers will be present such as Gas Ronda, The Flying Dutchman and more. (Photo by Dan Bott)

Sergio Mendes and Brasil '66 To Appear On Cerritos Campus

The Associated Students will present the popular Sergio Mendes and Brasil '66 in concert in the Cerritos gymnasium Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. Tickets are on sale at the college box office and will continue to be sold the night of the performance.

Brasil '66 is the first name group to come to Cerritos this year under the program that brought Glen Yarbrough, The Brothers Four, and We

Five to the campus a year ago.

Since its beginning two years ago, the group has climbed out from under the shadow of sponsor Herb Alpert and into the spotlight on its own. It's unique mixture of Latin American and North American jazz with popular contemporary as well as an occasional standard has made the groups one of the top selling album-makers in the business.

Mendes, who leads the group from his piano bench and also does much of the solo harmonizing, first got the idea for the group in 1965. Heavily influenced by the Stan Getz combination of jazz from South and North of the border, Mendes formed a five-man group known then as Brasil '65, since it got its start in Ipanema.

Through continuous experimen-

tation, the current four-man, two-girl group came into being with the new moniker of Brasil '66.

The group got its big break when taken under the wing of Alpert, who took them on tour throughout the United States. Both the Tijuana Brass and Brasil '66, brought down the house night after night in towns throughout the nation.

"From the first note I was grinning like a kid who'd just found a new toy," said Alpert after his first exposure to the new sound of the group.

Lani Hall and Janis Hansen handle the close-knit, soaring, distinctive vocal harmonies for the group. In several numbers their voices blend so well, that the casual listener finds it impossible to tell if one voice or two is singing. Jose Soares is the Latin percussionist, who, along with Bob Matthews on bass, join Mendes in vocal collaboration. Joao Palma is on drums for the group.

Shortly after its introduction to the United States, the group enjoyed its first big hit record, "Mais Que Nada," which became so popular that several other versions, instrumental and in both English and Portuguese were soon recorded.

The hit single also boosted their first album to the top of the charts, a position it enjoyed for almost a year. Other big songs on the album included "One Note Samba," "The Joker," and "Going Out of My Head." About a year after the first album hit the stands, the group again struck with success with "Equinox" and the single "Night and Day." Fans of the group were overjoyed that Brasil '66 has improved if anything and is well on its way to stardom.

"We feel quite honored to have a group of such outstanding calibre on our campus," said ASCC President Eric von Hurst. "It could well prove to be one of the last chances we can see the group locally, due to their fabulous popularity."



SERGIO MENDES — Internationally acclaimed Sergio Mendes and Brasil '66 will appear Tuesday evening in the Cerritos College gym. The 8 p.m. performance is open to the public at a general admission price of \$3. A sell-out audience is expected.

Olympian and Veteran Join Cerritos Counseling Staff

By Larry Wolf

Ken Floerke, formerly an Olympic Team member, and Al "Buff" Bufalini, a WW II communications instructor have been introduced to the counseling staff of Cerritos during the Greater Cleveland Outstanding Teacher Award.

Bufalini, who is on leave from Cuyahoga Community College, Cleveland, Ohio, finds the "California climate and vintage delights his Italian soul." After only six weeks in the state, he decided to make it his home.

"Buff" as he is known, is currently participating in a National Education Defense Act Institute program at Cal State Los Angeles, which is directly responsible for his being at Cerritos.

Al Bufalini, in a prepared statement said, "I consider myself privileged to be a part of this pleasant, friendly Cerritos College community." He has been in the educational field for the past 14 years, having taught

from grade six through the sophomore level of college.

Prior assignments found the counselor teaching English, filling an assistant professorship, and working in industry. In 1963 he was awarded the Greater Cleveland Outstanding Teacher Award.

Bufalini spent the 1961-62 school year in Germany, instructing the dependents of military personnel, it was at this time he became extensively familiar with Continental Europe and the Near East.

English was his major at Hiram College, in the mid-west city which bears the same name. Art was his minor. His accomplishments include an MA degree in education and an MS in counseling. Looking to the future, the new Falcon leader hopes to complete graduate work on his third masters degree, this one in English.

Ken Floerke, describes himself as

a former "Frat Rat" at Kansas University, where he was a member of Phi Delta Theta. The counselor, who was a United States Olympic Team track member, presently continues his exercises and keeps fit through the use of college equipment.

In his early college days, Floerke associated with Wilt Chamberlain and seven other all-Americans. In 1958 he was a member of the first United States track and field team to visit the Soviet Union and other Iron Curtain countries, including Poland and Hungary. While on the tour he also visited Greece and England.

Ken last competed in the Olympics in 1964. Reminiscing on his experiences and his foreign travels, Floerke remarked on how well informed European students were.

In Poland, he stayed with a Warsaw family and communicated with them in Spanish, Russian and English. While serving a two-year hitch in the Army he admittedly enjoyed, "fouling up the efficiency office."

Besides teaching, the westerner has worked as an assistant to the pioneers of the artificial kidney and as a food chemistry technician. In Illinois, Floerke supervised delinquents in a maximum security institution. He recalls the facility handled some of the toughest gang leaders in the Chicago area. His primary job was rehabilitative counseling through athletics.

California brought out a renewed interest in teaching for the counselor who joined the staff at Palo Verde College. Being the wrestling coach for co-ed classes seemed to bring out interesting experiences.

Having retained an active interest in sports, Floerke expressed an appreciation for both their wide coverage and well-planned execution at Cerritos.

Campus Calendar

- Mar. 1 — Track vs. El Camino, here; Baseball vs. Rio Hondo, here; Golf at Bakersfield; Forensics — PSCFA Debate Championships.
- Mar. 2 — Southern Cal wrestling finals, here; Basketball — Challenge Round at Imperial Valley; Baseball at Bakersfield; Forensics Debate Championships.
- Mar. 4 — ASCC Cabinet, Board Room, 2 p.m.; Golf at Rio Hondo; High School Madrigal Festival, BC 17, 4-6 p.m. and 7:30-9:00 p.m.
- Mar. 5 — Swimming Waiver Test, Pools, 11 a.m.; Baseball vs. LA Valley, here; Music recital-lecture, BC 53, 11 a.m.; AWS Board meeting.
- Mar. 6 — Basketball, State Play-offs Banquet, Student Center 6 p.m.; ASCC Senate, AC 33, 8 p.m.; Music Conservatory Staff and Cerritos Music Dept. Staff Concert, BC 17 8 p.m.; State Basketball Play-offs all day.

Parks Need Students To Aid Blind Youth

Recreation for blind youth is a primary interest of the Southeast Park and Recreation District which is now formulating a recreational program in the Norwalk area.

Any student interested in volunteering as a driver for blind children should contact the office of Student Affairs. Activities for the children will be held on Friday evening from 7 to 10 p.m.

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TALON MARKS

EDITORIALS

There Is No Need To Drown

Happlessly, some 7,000 times a year, needless and pointless drownings occur. The victims are mostly young boys and girls, whose deaths can be charged to public neglect and carelessness. As this article is read, somewhere a person is gasping his last tortured breath before sinking to the bottom.

At the scene of a drowning a young body is suddenly missing. One moment he is splashing around in the water, the next he has vanished. Swiftly there is wild panic. The lifeguards arrive, to begin their systematic, maddeningly deliberate diving for the body. Later, as the crowd stands around in a hushed circle, the job of attempted resuscitation begins. It always seems to grow chilly then; even a sunny sky looks suddenly gray. And glancing at the family, you find yourself hypnotized by the shock, horror and disbelief on their faces as they stand by helplessly. There is a rhythm to respiration but it has to stop, finally, for the lifeguard can't make a dead person breathe. Then comes the awful moment when the lifeguard gets up and tries to look into the parent's eyes.

Tragedies like this make us stop and wonder why people drown. The endless list of casualties boil down to two reasons: People drown because they don't know how to swim. Some 100 million Americans go in the water annually. Yet when a sampling was made in our armed forces during World War II, it was found that of every ten men, only one was a skilled swimmer, five were novices and four could not swim at all. Only 15 per cent of these men could swim well enough to save their own lives. Yet, every year, these and millions of others like them flock to pools, rivers and beaches.

People drown because they fail to respect the water. Almost every drowning could be prevented by common sense. But people forget that water can be as ruthless as it is friendly. Until people learn the same respect for water that they instinctively have for a loaded gun, an open flame, or radiation, people will continue to jeopardize their lives every time they plunge into inviting depths.

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Faculty Notes

Job placement coordinator at Cerritos College, Carl Specht has been elected President of the Board of Directors of the Alisos Credit Union. The Alisos Credit Union is a non-profit Federal Credit Union operated by all school employees in the Cerritos College District, which includes the ABC and the Norwalk-La Mirada districts.

All school employees, certificated and classified, are eligible for membership with the local credit union. Offices are located in Norwalk.

INSTRUCTOR WRITES PAPER

Julius M. Crane's, biology department chairman, article entitled "Evidence For The Identity of the Luminous Systems of Porosissimus (fish) and Cypridina Hilgendorffii (crustacean)" was recently published in the Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications.

Crane tri-authored the paper with Milton J. Cormier, and Yo Nakano last summer when they were all members of the Department of Biochemistry at the University of Georgia in Athens, Georgia.

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AWARD WINNERS — Cerritos journalists display the 11 awards they won last weekend at the Cal State Long Beach journalism day. Cerritos won best-in-class awards for Campus Illustrated, magazine layout, magazine copy, best sports column, best sports feature,

feature photograph, and photo essay. Staffers also won excellent certificates for magazine display and art, sports news, sports photography, and overall news paper.

Colleges To Get Top Priority For State Funds

Governor Ronald Reagan said recently he has sent telegrams to every member of the University of California Board of Regents and all trustees of the state college system explaining the state funds available for their 1968-69 budgets.

"Certain information should be available to you concerning the budgets," the governor's telegram said, pointing out that "these budgets have been given top priority for available state funds."

Governor Reagan noted that the amount available in state general fund spending for the coming fiscal year which is subject to executive discretion totals \$107 million.

"Of that amount, \$72 million or 67 percent was allocated to the University and the state colleges," the governor said.

He also pointed out that of the total of \$60 million required for capital outlay, \$53 million or 88 percent was allocated for higher education.

"If higher education had received the same budgetary alignment as all other departments and agencies," the telegram said, "the budget of the university would have been \$11.7 million less than it is. The state colleges would have received \$28.1 million less."

Governor Reagan added that in order to make the increased budgets possible for higher education, "we also are asking for a \$10 million cut in the increase of welfare programs and a \$68 million cut in Medi-Cal."

CC Journalists Sweep CSCLB 'J' Day Confab

Talon Marks Campus Illustrated and their respective staffs picked up 11 awards to swap all competition at Saturday afternoon's journalism day at Cal State Long Beach.

Cerritos came home with six trophies and five certificates of excellence for stories and art which appeared in the two student publications during the past two semesters.

"I was overjoyed with the performance," exclaimed Phil Porthun, advisor to both Talon Marks and Campus Illustrated. "We felt extremely honored to win so many awards against some pretty stern competition from the likes of Rio Hondo, Long Beach, City College, El Camino, LA Harbor, and Pierce."

Earning trophies for their efforts were Talon Marks sports editor Mike Bower for top sports column, TM photographer John Buckle for best feature photo and best photo essay, Campus Illustrated editor Cliff David for layout, and Dan Armstrong for best sports feature and magazine copy. A trophy also went to the magazine for being judged best in its class.

In addition, Bower was awarded a certificate of excellence for sports news, David received certificates for both magazine display and art, Buckle for sports photography, and Talon Marks for overall excellence. All the awards are now on display in the journalism trophy case at AC 34.

Because of difficulties on the Long Beach campus, this was the first journalism day at the college in four years. At the last all-day affair at CSCLB, Cerritos also walked off with more than its share of the awards, including the Sweepstakes Award, an honor not given at this contest.

The all-day affair consisted of a

series of workshops, a luncheon, and of course, the awards assembly. Among the notables to appear at the affair were noted columnist for the Los Angeles Times, Jack Smith, KNXT feature reporter Maury Green, KTVI sports director Bill Welsh, and Independent Press Telegram executive sports editor Hank Hollingsworth.

Attending the confab from Cerritos were Bower, Armstrong, photographer Dan Bott, and staffer Pat Berry. The Cerritos delegation has also entered the journalism day at University of Southern California on March 9.

Actress Heads Civic Program

Jane Wyatt three-time Emmy Award winning actress will head a one-hour program on birth defects which will be given in Burnight Theater on Thursday, March 14, at 11 a.m.

Miss Wyatt tours the nation each year visiting the many March of Dimes Birth Defects Treatment Centers. She has served as volunteer National Mothers' March Chairman for the March of Dimes during the past five years.

Also on the program will be Dr. Robert Spears, staff member of Los Angeles County-USC Medical Center. Spears was honored by the March of Dimes last year as the most outstanding individual in Los Angeles in regards to mental health.

"The Only Kid of the Block," a fifteen minute color film will be shown. One of the March of Dimes Children will greet the students.

Purpose of the session is to relate the problem of birth defects, how to prevent them from happening, and what is being done to help those do afflicted.

Foibles & Fables

Wesel and Rooster

By Aesop
 Guest Writer

Once upon a time in a distant wood there lived a weasel who loved to eat chickens. One afternoon the weasel decided that stewed chicken was just what he wanted for dinner so he set off in search of his evening meal. He ran over hill and down dale until he came to a clearing. Below him was a farm.

Cautiously he crept forward until he reached the fence around the hen house. He spotted a large rooster who was strutting proudly before some admiring hens. Quickly, he leaped over the fence, grabbed the rooster, and hurried back into the forest.

When he stopped to rest, the rooster who was a rather shrewd bird, spoke.

"Wait a second," he said calmly, "what do you think you're doing?" "I'm taking you home for dinner," replied the weasel.

"That's very kind of you but if you'd have just sent an invitation..." "You don't understand. You're not a guest at my dinner. You are my dinner."

"I see," said the rooster, realizing the situation was more grim than he expected. "You're a pretty hungry fellow then, I take it."

"The hungriest! I can out-eat any animal in this wood."

"Now you can't expect me to believe that," the rooster replied. "There are bears and wolves in this forest who can certainly eat more than you. In fact, I'll bet that even I can eat more than you can."

"Nonsense!" shouted the weasel.

"Then let's find out. Over there is a large patch of bamboo shoots. If you can eat more of them than I can, not only will I let you have me, but I'll help you capture some of my wives. But if I eat more than you, you must let me go free."

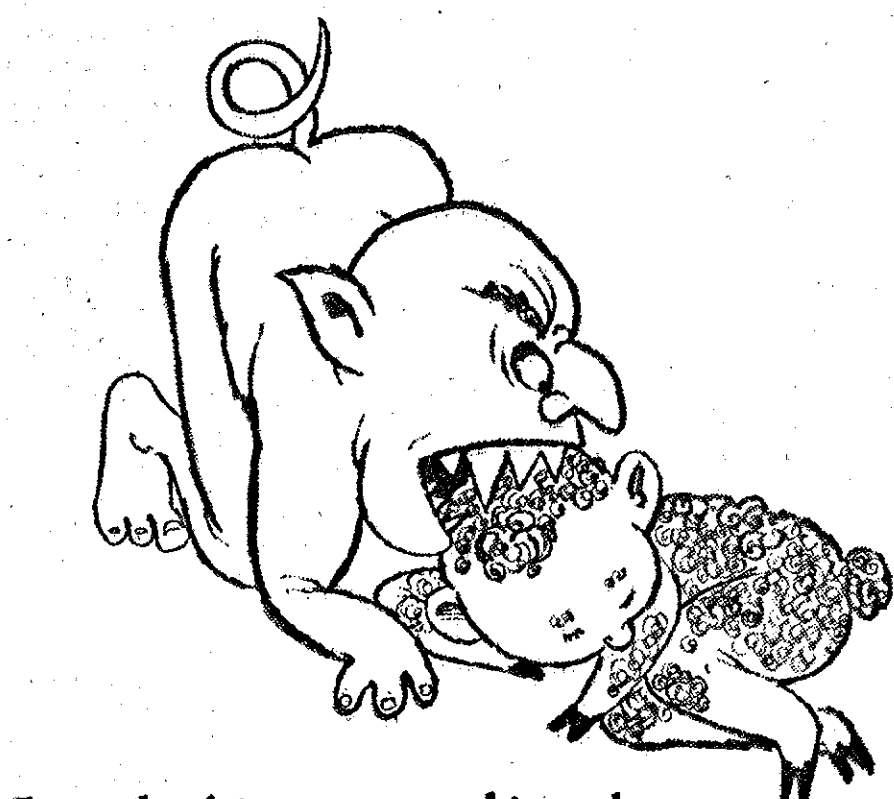
"Fair enough," shouted the weasel and he began to eat great gulps of bamboo shoots. The rooster, meanwhile, pecked about without hurry.

Hours later the weasel was finished.

"There, you see, I have eaten many more bamboo shoots than you. You have lost the bet so come with me."

But the rooster jumped up and ran back towards his farm. The weasel was so full of bamboo shoots that he could not follow him. Of course the weasel didn't go hungry that night, but bamboo shoots certainly aren't as tasty as stewed chicken.

Moral: A bird in the hand is better than rushes any day.



In today's ivy-covered jungle, if you don't stay with it, the competition will eat you alive.

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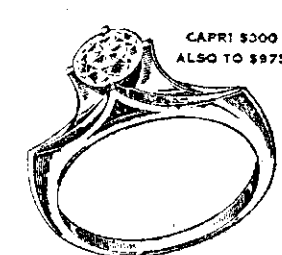


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JAZZ FESTIVAL ROYALTY — Pat Perry will reign over this month's Jazz Festival at Cerritos, along with princesses Nancy Heaton and Colleen Brunetti. Miss Perry was selected at the first annual Jazz Queen

Pageant from a field of 25 Cerritos lovelies. Earlier in the year she was a homecoming princess.

(Photo by Don Heit)

Former Instructor Establishes Institute In Cameroon Wilds

By VALERI SILKEY
Staff Writer

Former Cerritos instructor, William Stanley, has been accredited with helping to establish a college in the wilds of Cameroon, Africa from 1963 to 1965.

Stanley was an instructor in life sciences for ten years before going to Africa in 1963 to establish the Institute of Art, Science and Technology.

Stanley, his wife, two sons, and two daughters were the first American family to venture into the interior of Cameroon. During their adventure they faced many problems. Malaria, snakes, tsetse flies, 180 in-

ches of rain annually and language barriers were the largest.

"In my world wide travels, speaking for my family and myself, it's our opinion that the Cameroon people are the most friendly of the West African people we met," said Stanley.

Three of Stanley's children attended a mission school 500 miles away in the middle of a cocoa plantation.

Stanley, his wife and one child remained at the college and had plenty to eat. They took \$2000 worth of canned foods from Denmark and it lasted the whole stay. His wife cultivated a garden and raised chickens, while Stanley burned cow bone and added children's vitamin pills to feed the chickens.

Stanley and his co-workers made up specialized entrance examinations, according to their respective fields. The Federal Minister and Cultural Delegate of Cameroon admitted the students to the college by numerical order, according to the best overall scores on the tests.

Women are also allowed to attend the college. The most qualified women are eligible for a government scholarship and selected mission scholarships to pursue courses in the sciences, the arts and short term courses.

It is Stanley's opinion that "Cam-

eroon was doing its best to give what money it could, with personnel available and land and facilities." The school consists of 270 acres plus 20 acres set aside for agriculture, poultry, wine, cattle, sheep, vegetables and coffee. The students raise the livestock and cultivate the gardens for their own use.

The college hosts educators from Africa, Cameroon, Netherlands, Italy, and the United States. The importance of education is shown by the number of high Cameroonian officials who are lecturing at the college.

When Stanley came back from Cameroon he brought his collection of more than one hundred African items which will be on display at the Art Gallery until March 5.

The collection represents an accurate cross section of West African native craftsmanship and art. Drums, gongs, rattles, flutes, costumes, bellows weapons, saddles, carvings, other working tools and a full array of African objects.

One of the more interesting objects is the beautiful feather head-dress and cape which is worn by members of a male secret society. The fluted flask gourd on display is presented to the mother of twins. It is tied with raffia while it is growing and rubbed with palm tree oil.

The Stanley's have put together a collection which gives the thoughtful viewer an insight into the daily life in Africa both past and present.

Band Jazzes It Up With Noon Recital

Jazz at noon to brighten the spring semester will be presented by the Cerritos Day Slage Band in the Student Center today at 12 O'clock.

The stage band will play many of the charts it has played at previous Jazzat Noons and some new charts, several of which the band may use at the upcoming Intercollegiate Jazz Festival.

There are also some new faces in the band this semester, and this includes the man at the helm. Headed last semester by Jack Wheaton, the band this semester is under the leadership of Don Erjavec.

For further information, contact Tasilitz at 860-2451 extension 227.

CRA Provides Coed Recreation

Yes, the CRA, the Campus Recreation Association, is on campus and probably one of Cerritos' least known organizations.

CRA meets the first and third Tuesday of every month at 11:00 in the First Aid Office of the Physical Education Building. Its purpose is simple; it functions for students so they can get together and have fun with coed recreational activities.

"CRA is open to every and any interested students," said president, Pat Wells.

Three members of the CRA are going to the PSRARFCU Conference in Asilomar to learn to promote CRA on campus.

The Peanut Sale on Thursday is to raise money to purchase CRA pins for members. And at 11:00 on Tuesday and Thursday there is free recreation with volleyball, table tennis and coed dancing.

Softball, badminton, and table tennis tournaments are planned upcoming events.

Left Organization Forms On Campus

Students interested in joining an organization forming on campus for those with definite ideas on government policies should attend an organization meeting Tuesday at 11 a.m. in LH 5.

Caution: Fraternities Begin Pledging Soon

As tradition shall have it, fraternities all over the nation, within the next few weeks, will start rushing and pledging activities, and Cerritos is no exception.

Tuesday morning's coffee hour marked the first official activity for hopeful pledges. As the hopeful pledges mingled with active fraternity brethren, many of them got their first taste of fraternity life. It seemed as though many of them would fit in quite well with the newly associated clique, while others seemed to be scared off by the hot winds sweeping through the dismal cafeteria, better

known as active members terrorizing threats to punish their new pledges.

Throughout the past week, "rushes" (hopeful pledges), who either expressed an interest in joining a fraternity or those who were beckoned to participate in rushing activities were invited to various events such as dinners, parties, smokers and coffee hours, perhaps the most popular type of event for such colleges as Cerritos because you can get away with spending only one thin dime for coffee, a relatively small price to pay in order to mingle with the college's best.

Deadline Ends For UC Entry

Applications must be filed by Friday, March 1, for students who wish to apply for admission to the University of California next fall, UC officials have warned.

The March 1 deadline is particularly important this year, these officials pointed out, due to the budget cutbacks the enrollment may be limited.

At its last meeting the UC Board of Regents warned that enrollment may have to be cut below the expected level of 98,000 next fall if the university does not receive more than \$280 million in state operating funds Governor Reagan is currently offering.

President Charles J. Hirsch of UC was asked by the regents to prepare estimates of how many students can be accommodated next fall at the \$280 million spending level.

To make sure enrollment does not exceed this year's 89,000 before the regents next meeting of March 15, the admissions officers are slowing up their procedures.

Dr. Frank L. Kidner, UC vice president for educational relations, said UCLA, UC Berkeley and UC Santa Cruz already have too many freshman applicants for next fall and will have to redirect the students to other UC campuses.

Dr. Kidner, also stated, available spaces and students "should just about balance" at UC Irvine and UC San Diego.

Spaces are still available at the Davis, Riverside and Santa Barbara campuses Kinder said.

This week-end will conclude the rushing activities and Monday will mark a milestone in many fraternity pledges lives because many of them will realize why they were actually put on the face of this earth. They will have but one goal to fulfill for the next two weeks, and that will be to serve their "Big Brothers" as the gentleman's gentleman, as an apartment cleaner, a car washer and of course as a personal punching bag and lowly slave. For the next two weeks, fraternity pledges will be regarded as something lower than a worm and shall not rise above that position until pledging activities are over and they have not been black-balled from the organization which they have chosen to pledge and to dedicate their bodies for two solid weeks of pure hell.

For the next two weeks our campus will be overrun with ridiculously garbed students chirping idiotic phrases, displaying their romantic poetic talents in public, and trying to peddle bubble gum cigars to the remainder of the student population. CAUTION: the cigars will probably be the same ones they tried to get rid of during football season. But don't be concerned if one of these pledges approaches you with an idiotic song or outrageous suggestion, because for the next two weeks, if fraternities continue to uphold their traditions, Cerritos campus will be entertained absolutely free of charge by the new breed of fraternity bound hopefuls.

Although these pledges may parade around campus making fools of themselves for a mere two weeks there is one thing that no one must forget, that these fraternities are not just organized for their own social benefit, but that they work and contribute readily to the welfare of Cerritos College.

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NEW COMMITTEE FORMS

L. A. County Clinics Seek Halt to Venereal Disease

By DAN BOTT
Staff Writer

Two ancient diseases, gonorrhea and syphilis, stalk Los Angeles County.

Promiscuity, public ignorance, and dated attitudes contribute to the continuing menace.

Now, a pioneering effort to get citizen participation on the war on VD has been under way for the past year by an organization called The Committee for the Eradication of Syphilis.

Before organization of the committee, testing and treatment of VD patients was limited to day-time office hours at 96 clinics operated by the County Health Department throughout Los Angeles County.

The committee now operates a 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday clinic in county facilities, and main-

tains a 24 hour telephone information service.

They treat an average of 12 persons each evening at their clinic, but the general public just doesn't want to accept the fact that they may have a problem.

Young people have been encouraged to come to the clinic by hundreds of cards handed out along the Sunset Strip, saying: "Love Needs Care", with the clinic telephone number and address.

People are frightened of government, particularly the youngsters.

All treatments are free, and this is particularly important to the 13-25 age group most vulnerable to VD, most of them aren't employed, or have low paying employment.

Private treatment of gonorrhea can cost from \$15 to \$60, depending

on the physician, and treatment of syphilis can cost from \$20 to over \$100.

Only about one-quarter of the VD cases discovered come to the county clinic, the rest are treated by private physicians.

An intensive county effort to halt syphilis, largely with \$300,000 per year in federal funds, has somewhat stemmed growth of the deadly disease.

We had a 350% increase of syphilis from 1957 to 1963, but through education of young people in the schools, there has been a 35% improvement since then.

Gonorrhea, three times more prevalent than syphilis, is unfortunately less amenable to control through education and detection.

In syphilis, there is a time lapse of from three to six weeks before the second person can pass it on.

Gonorrhea can be passed on in a three day period, and it's very difficult for people to come in soon enough to do any good.

It is said by VD specialists that a vaccination for syphilis is a distinct possibility in the next 10 years, while a gonorrhea vaccine seems impossible.

More than 20,000 cases of undetected gonorrhea are believed to exist among women in Los Angeles County, an estimate which is extremely conservative.

Gonorrhea needs important attention because it sterilizes about two per cent of the males who get it, and plays a part in urinary obstructions in the male in later life.

During 1966, 18,198 cases of gonorrhea were reported in Los Angeles County, 13% more than in 1965. Syphilis cases reported in the county during 1966 totaled 6,236, 21% more cases than in 1965.

A five year old educational program in about 80% of the county's school districts has made the young more knowledgeable about the disease than their elders.

This has resulted in a 50% VD reduction in the 14 to 19 age group, and places the responsibility directly on the heterosexual, adult Caucasian.

The unknown quantity is what frightens public health authorities.

In 15 to 20 years the person who has undetected syphilis is going to end up a ward of the state.

Most of all, the community needs to support the eradication of VD.

"Nobody is selling Easter seals for venereal disease."

Golfers Smash LACC

Fresh from an overwhelming victory over LA City College, Cerritos linkmen opened their Metropolitan Conference season this week.

After meeting Santa Monica in the conference opener Monday, the team faces Bakersfield there today.

Coach Frank Wright praised the play of his squad in the 54-0 trouncing of LA CC. Freshman Al Tapie led the golfers with a 79.

plete without the "Family Album."

ROBERT TOOMS OF GEORGIA, by William Y. Thompson, Louisiana State University Press, \$7.50.

The man who almost became president of the Confederacy, Robert Toombs, the biography of a man destined to become a symbol of his time, and a man devoted to the old South.

This biography, "Robert Toombs of Georgia," carefully weighs the varied aspects of this controversial Georgia leader who was an arch-antagonist of fellow senator and later Secretary of War, Jefferson Davis.

Before the war, Toombs lived in Cuba and Europe. Returning to Georgia, he opposed President Johnson, reconstruction, and New South advocates.

But in his book, Thompson captures not only Toombs, the public figure but also Toombs the man and sets him in the swirling midst of the old and new South and its reconstruction. The biography of a Southern gentleman who believed in his South.

THE HERO WITH THE PRIVATE PARTS, by Andrew Lytle, Louisiana State University Press, \$6.00.

Critic, scholar and writer is Andrew Lytle in his first collection of nonfictional work, "The Hero With the Private Parts."

Lytle's book considers the work of several major writers such as Faulkner and Hemingway as he probes the creative process of fictional writing.

His collection of essays are devoted to the searching examination of some of the greatest literary giants as he studies the motivation of malice or love behind a writer.

THE IRISH IN NEW ORLEANS, by Earl F. Niehaus, Louisiana State University Press, \$3.50.

City Campaign Urges Campus Beautification

It's clean-up, fix-up, paint up time. The 1968 City Beautification Campaign officially began with a kick-off breakfast recently at Cerritos College. In attendance were representatives from the Chambers of Commerce, city officials, and high school representatives from the college district.

This year's contest has been divided into three separate categories: city improvement, city beautification, and school beautification. The district contest is under the sponsorship of the Community Research and Development Committee, a citizens' advisory committee to the office of Community Services at the college. Robert Hunter serves as chairman of the committee and Kenneth Barngrover is the steering committee chairman.

Travis Montgomery, a city beautification representative from the city of Long Beach, served as keynote speaker at the opening breakfast. He spoke of the plans in use in Long Beach and the plans in use throughout the country for clean-up, fix-up, paint-up campaigns.

The cities which will participate in the campaign are all within the college district. They include Artesia, Bellflower, Cerritos, Downey, Hawaiian Gardens, La Mirada and Norwalk. Each Chamber of Commerce who participates in the nation wide clean-up campaign should submit their application prior to April 1, for preliminary judging. Final judging will take place during the week of May 27 through 31.

The school beautification campaign will include all high schools in the Cerritos District, both public and parochial. They have been

asked to submit applications showing projects which the students will be undertaking at their individual campus.

The schools will also be asked to supply information on any community projects which they are planning to work on in cooperation with local chambers of commerce. Campus inspections are scheduled for May 27 through 31.

Six cities in the Cerritos District have announced plans to participate in the city improvement section of the campaign. These include Artesia, Bellflower, Cerritos, Downey, Hawaiian Gardens and Norwalk. Each will submit from one to five progress records of projects of a permanent nature, such as industrial buildings or other improvements.

Records must be submitted in standard binders, which include any additional data relative to the area concerned. Each city participating will receive an award of merit, an overall award being given at the option of the judges.

Chairmen of the individual categories are Robert DeSio, city improvement; John Corcoran, city beautification; and Stanley O. Steddom, high school contest.

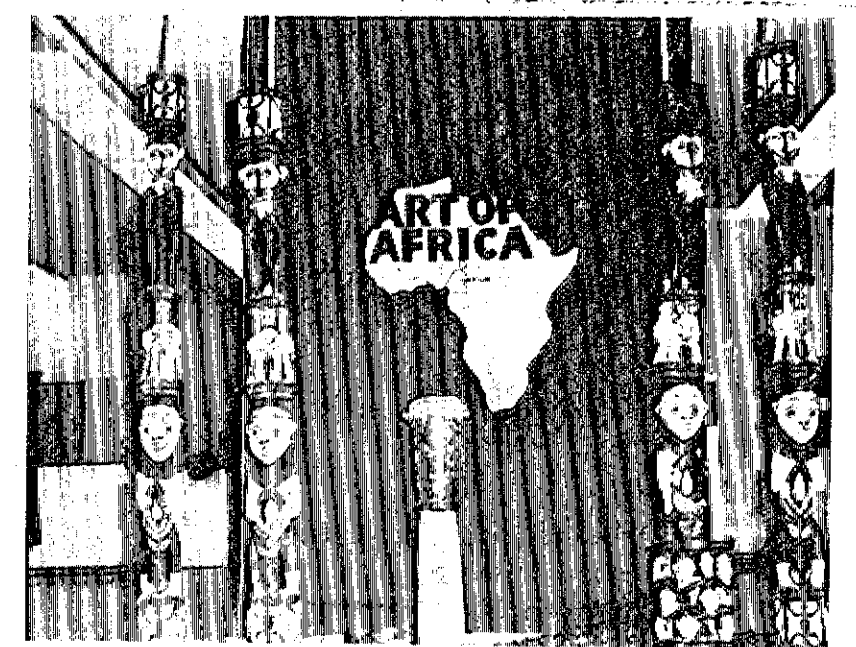
The award banquet is scheduled for June 5, at Cerritos College. Last year's winner in the city division the City of Bellflower was Artesia High School won the school portion of the honors.

Judges for this year's event will be provided by the American Institute of Landscape Architects and the American Institute of Planners.

For further information, contact the Office of Community Services at the College, 860-2451, extension 217.



TUG-O-MUD—The freshmen and sophomore squared off in the mud behind the Student Center last Thursday. Due to their overwhelming participation, the freshmen literally pulled their upper classmen through the mud.



GALLERY DISPLAY—"Art of Africa" is the art show currently on display in the Cerritos Art Gallery. The show features a collection of native arts and objects, taken from various parts of the Dark Continent. The gallery is open daily, including Sunday.

Speaking Date Set For John Churchill

A sense of humor and a flair for colorful anecdotes is what a most dynamic speaker has in store for his audience. John Spencer Churchill will be that speaker on campus Thursday, Mar. 7, at 8:00 p.m. in Burnight Center through the sponsorship of Community Services.

Churchill was born in 1909 and is the son of Sir Winston Churchill's younger brother, a grandson of Lord Randolph Churchill. Educated at Harrow and Oxford.

Review Class Helps Prepare For Exam

Certified Professional Secretary review classes will last six weeks, beginning at Cerritos on Wednesday evening, March 6. The class will meet one evening per week for three hours.

The seminar course will cover a survey of human relations, secretarial procedures, secretarial skills, secretarial accounting, business administration and fundamentals of data processing.



THAY FELLAS—Charley Hatfield and Rich Rice are "wed" by Richard McGrath, as the Backward Ballentine Bounce Friday night (and that's what we call backward). McGrath had the pleasure of marrying several couples at the dance.



REHEARSALS for "Death of Satan," the next production to grace the Cerritos stage, began Tuesday night in Burnight Center. Going over the scene from the comedy play are, front table, Barbara Sprague

Drama Casts Major Roles

Filling with calm could be an excellent definition to describe the defeat of the devil in the satirical comedy "Death of Satan" written by R. Duncan which will be presented by the Drama department in Burnight Center April 23 to 27.

In the production, the devil is opposed by some of the greatest names in literature which includes George Bernard Shaw, Lord Byron, and Oscar Wilde. He also finds himself in the company of the greatest lover in history, Don Juan and his servant Catalina.

The cast is headed by Mark Abel as G. B. Shaw; David Hynes, Lord Byron; Micheal Greene, Oscar Wilde; Johnson, Catalina; and Jeff Hathcock, Satan.

All of the characters find hell to their satisfaction to the pain and discomfort of the devil.

In Hell the devil realizes that nothing is considered sin any longer and therefore he is superfluous.

Cosmetology Goes On Two Field Trips

Second and third semester cosmetology students will take a field trip March 19, to the Redkin Laboratories in Van Nuys. They will be taken on a tour of the chemistry lab where they will be shown many of the methods by which cosmetics are manufactured.

Coming up April 29th, all of the cosmetology students will journey to the Ambassador Hotel, in Los Angeles, for the Annual Hair Style and Trade Show which is sponsored by California Cosmetologists' Association. The show will last for about two days and will be for licensed hair stylists. The divisions they will be competing in will range from hair setting to evening styles.

Cerritos College has the honor of hosting the A.C.T. (Associated Cosmetology teachers) Intercollegiate Hair Styling Contest on Saturday, May 18. There will be about 11 junior colleges entered and four entries from each school. At last year's competition Cerritos took first place, and is hoping for the same turnout this year.

It's Happening

By LINDA HURT
Entertainment Editor

Teen Time U.S.A., the biggest youth exposition ever staged in the United States, will be held at the Anaheim Convention Center this Easter vacation, April 6 through April 14.

Teen Time U.S.A. will present the most popular recording stars and musical groups. Motion picture and television stars will entertain at 2 shows daily. A "Battle of the Bands" will feature the best musical groups in Southern California.

For car enthusiasts, custom car shows, antique auto displays and automotive product displays will be shown in the exposition hall.

One of the most unusual fashion shows ever seen will be staged complete with music, dancing, and a light show.

There will be a fun zone, featuring some of the most thrilling rides in America.

Teen Time U.S.A. is entertainment especially created for the dynamic interests of Southern California's trendsetting young adults.

For all art enthusiasts, The Pasadena Art Museum is featuring an exhibition of works by Wayne Thiebaud, continuing through March 17. Thiebaud deals with images of mass production and mechanization and uses oils, watercolors, and pastels. The exhibit includes approximately ninety works from 1961 to the present.

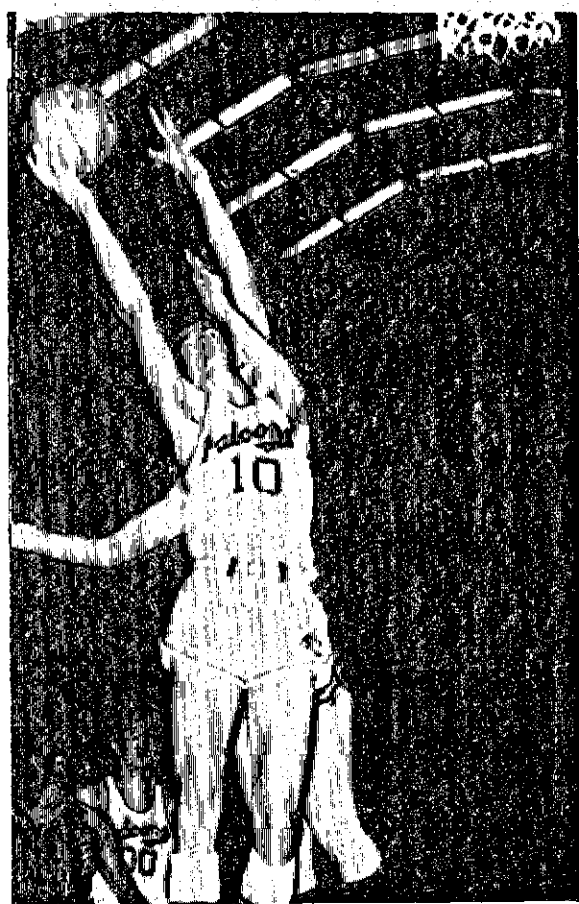
A new work by Dennis Hopper, "Bomb Drop" will be exhibited through March 17. It was completed this year and has never been shown.

The Museum, located at 46 North Robles Avenue, is open from 2 to 5 p.m. on Sundays, closed Mondays, open from 10 to 9 p.m. on Tuesdays and from 10 to 5 p.m. weekdays.

The Center Theatre Group is continuing to present special student previews to our productions in the Mark Taper Forum of the Music Center. The previews for the first production, "The Miser" will be shown Thursday, March 7, Friday, March 8, and Saturday, March 9. All seats are unreserved and curtain time is 8:40 p.m. Tickets are priced at \$1.75. Students may purchase tickets from the Music Center Box Office by presenting a Student Body Card. Tickets may also be available the night of the performance at the Mark Taper Forum Box Office.

(Marla), Larry Hedman (Lord Byron understudy), and Mark Abel (G. B. Shaw). Seated at the second table are Sally Honavar (Henrietta) and Rita Donahue (Guest No. 3). (Photo By Dave Hart)

Cerritos Cops Conference Hoop Title



Hoopsters Travel To Palm Desert Challenge IVC Tomorrow Night

By MIKE BOWER
Sports Editor

They needed a strong second half comeback and a fine balanced shooting attack to do it, but the Cerritos College basketball team wrapped up the 1968 Metropolitan Conference Basketball Championship last Friday night in the Falcon gym.

The Falcon five flattened Sidney Wicks and his Santa Monica teammates 75-68 and in doing so, sewed up their second conference hoop title.

Cerritos cage coach Jim Killingsworth piloted his team to a 12-2 mark in Metro play, losing only to Long Beach and Bakersfield once each.

In running up their final conference win, the Cerritos eagles stopped SM's highly touted center Sidney Wicks, the loop's leading scorer.

Wicks was held to just one point during the first half that saw the Falcons move out to a 37-32 lead.

The Corsair jumping jack came back strong in the second half to hit 14 points and led the visitors to a seven point lead before leaving the game with five fouls.

Heading the Falcon attack were Lee Mansell 18, Bob Horn, and Paul

Ruffner 16 each, and John Van Vliet 13.

Killingsworth stated at the beginning of the year that "if the team's going to be successful, our forwards are going to have to make the adjustment from high school centers to college forwards."

And adjust they did. Time and Continued On Page 6

Diamondmen Lose Tourney, Five Injured; Open Conference Today

By Dan Armstrong
Executive Editor

With five regulars, including their only .300 hitters on the bench, the Falcon baseball squad went down to

a 2-1 defeat in 14 innings in the finals of the Allan Hancock tournament at Santa Maria last week.

The Falcons, who won four of six games played in the tournament, were content to come home with the consolation crown, however, considering the almost unbelievable bad luck they suffered almost from their arrival in Santa Maria.

In the tourney's first game, pitcher Bob Wolf was struck by a pitch and suffered a broken bone in his hand. His is out of action indefinitely. Four Cerritos regulars were also injured in the ensuing five games, and all were listed as doubtful starters in today's conference opener with Rio Hondo at Falcon Field.

Thirdbaseman Tom Tanner and catcher Don Gillett, the two hottest hitters on the team, were the most serious losses, and the extent of their injuries is still not known.

Tanner was the most seriously injured when the Falcon thirdbaseman stepped on a piece of broken glass and suffered a severe cut. Gillett threw his arm out, and in his own words, "couldn't throw the ball beyond the pitcher." His arm is still very sore.

Other purple heart candidates for the Falcons include shortstop Larry Diehl, who suffered a spike wound, and right fielder Steve Wilkerson, who pulled a muscle.

Even with all the adversity, the Falcons came within an eyelash of taking home all the marbles in the tournament.

With the score tied 1-1 in the 14th inning of the finals, Pierce pushed across a run as the direct result of an error and a passed ball. The Falcons then saw the tying run thrown out at the plate in the bottom of the inning.

Falcon pitchers Bill Cote and Bob Apodaca allowed Pierce just three hits through 14 innings, but the drastically weakened Falcons could muster only four themselves, two in the final inning.

Apodaca MVP

Apodaca hurled the final eight frames for the Falcons and picked up a much undeserved loss. For his outstanding performance in the finals and an earlier victory, Bobby was named the tournament's most valuable player. Apodaca, an infielder in high school, had no previous pitching experience before coming to Cerritos.

Cerritos pushed across its only run in the seventh inning on walks to Dan Viveros and Les Weyant and a single by reserve catcher Merced Salinas.

The second setback for the Falcons, who now have a 7-2 season record, came on the heels of a 14-1 bombardment of Pierce pitching in the first game of a Saturday double header.

Capitalizing on some Pierce mis- Continued On Page 6

TALON MARKS SPORTS

Sports Mike

We Try Harder

By MIKE BOWER
Sports Editor

All right Miss Jones, take a letter. Mr. Chuck Kane, head basketball coach, Long Beach City College.

Dear Coach,

Just thought I'd drop you a line and try console you. I know you've had a rough season, and I'll bet you're taking the loss to Cerritos pretty hard. But cheer up, things could have been worse. You could have lost it on an illegal jersey call.

Remember when your screaming fans raised the roof of both gymnasiums with their shouts of "We're number one, We're number one!"?

We've been listening rather carefully over here and it's been strangely quiet from Queen Marysville.

What's the matter? Isn't "We're number two" in your repertoire of yells?

Oh and please don't be ashamed of blowing that one to Valley. A lot of teams back into second place. Anyway, a coach would rather lose by a large margin than by a couple of points, or so they say. So look on the brighter side of things. Losing by 20 is better than by 2.

At least you've got one thing going in your favor, you're in good company. Just think of all the famous "losers" there have been down through history. The 1967-68 LBCC basketball team and its coach will be right up there on the list of those who made history coming out on the short end of the deal.

Napoleon met his Waterloo and your Vikings met Cerritos College; and then there was General Lee at Appomattox and General Motors and the National Stock Car Championships.

Even the odds-on favorites sometimes lose. Remember the tortoise and the hare?

Consider the field of romance and its broken-hearted. Capt. Miles Standish... Eddie Fisher... you get the picture.

We heard rumors that your Vikings were invincible. Don't feel too bad, I can think of some other apparent mismatches that had surprise endings. Take David vs. Goliath, Germany vs. the World, and Cassius Clay vs. the Louisville Draft Board.

At least you can't be linked with some of the all-time losers (Henry Clay, William Jennings Bryan, Adlai Stevenson, the New York Mets, and Downey High)... not yet anyway!

Well coach, Henry Ford got over the Edsel, and in time I'm sure you'll get over this.

I know you have been flooded with cliches and excuses for you to use. In closing I'd like to leave you with one that will carry you through this embarrassing period.

In the words of a famous number two... "We Try Harder!"

Until Next Year,
Mike Bower

P.S.

Oh and to help dry your tears, I'm enclosing an old jersey that we won't be having much use for anymore... number 3



UP IN THE AIR — Members of the Cerritos basketball team are left "up in the air" by Talon Marks photo-



graphers during conference action. The Falcons are hoping to fly over Imperial Valley tomorrow night.

Wrestlers Dominate Conference Championships, So. Cal Tomorrow

Cerritos dominated the 1968 Metropolitan Conference Wrestling Championships last Friday as the Falcons captured five first-place and five-second-place individual titles, in addition to finishing first in the team standings with 108 points. El Camino took second place with 82 points while Bakersfield finished third with 80.

Falcons Dave Raptis, Ron "Vulture" Kenworthy, "Tex" Norfleet, John Hall and Gary Maioli earned Metro championships while Bob Mousaw, Tony Searing, Frank Kuhn, Bill Henderson and Bill Stuve finished second in conference individual standings. Greg Uttecht (177-lb.) was the only Falcon not wrestling in the consolation match by defeating Larry Freidin of Santa Monica. Each of the Falcons had defeated at least three other conference opponents in gaining the finals.

115-pound Bob Mousaw of Cerritos opened the final matches at 7:30 by dropping a 5-2 decision to Herb Cosme of Bakersfield. Perhaps the most

outstanding Falcon wrestler of the day was 123-pound Dave Raptis who defeated Jim Galvin, defending state champ from Rio Hondo, in reaching the finals. Raptis surpassed this achievement in the finals by taking a 5-2 decision from John Norris of El Camino who had been chosen the most outstanding wrestler in C.I.F. last year.

In the 130-pound final match, Alex Verdugo of El Camino pinned an 8-1 loss on Tony Searing of the Falcons. Searing wasn't wrestling up to his capabilities, as he had pinned Verdugo in a previous encounter. Frank Kuhn (137-lb.) lost a close 8-6 decision to Dave Jones of Bakersfield in a match marred by extremely poor officiating. The officials were very inconsistent in their decisions throughout the whole evening, but they were at their worst in the 137-pound match as complaints were heard from all over the gym.

Reliable Ron Kenworthy proved why he is rated one of best wrestlers in the conference as he won handily

in the 145-pound match. "The Vulture" took a 6-1 decision from Marty Harris of El Camino. John "Tex" Norfleet followed Kenworthy's performance by defeating Rich Bridges of Bakersfield, 4-2. 160-pound John Hall then won a 3-0 decision over Bob Mahler of El Camino. Both Norfleet and Hall were very impressive in their victories.

Joe Nigos of Bakersfield pinned Bill Henderson of Cerritos in the 167-pound final match. Cerritos may have had another finalist in the 177-pound match had not Gene Bernard, defending conference titlist been unable to compete due to an injury. The 191-pound match was easily the most exciting match of the evening as Gary Maioli of Cerritos defeated Stan Cheak of El Camino, 10-8 in overtime. In the heavyweight match, Dan Felix of the Warriors finally made headway in his personal

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Squad Honors Rattled Coach For 300th Win

Following Thursday's win over Santa Monica, Falcon baseball coach Wally Kincaid remained at the field to scout the next game, while his team returned to their motel in Santa Maria.

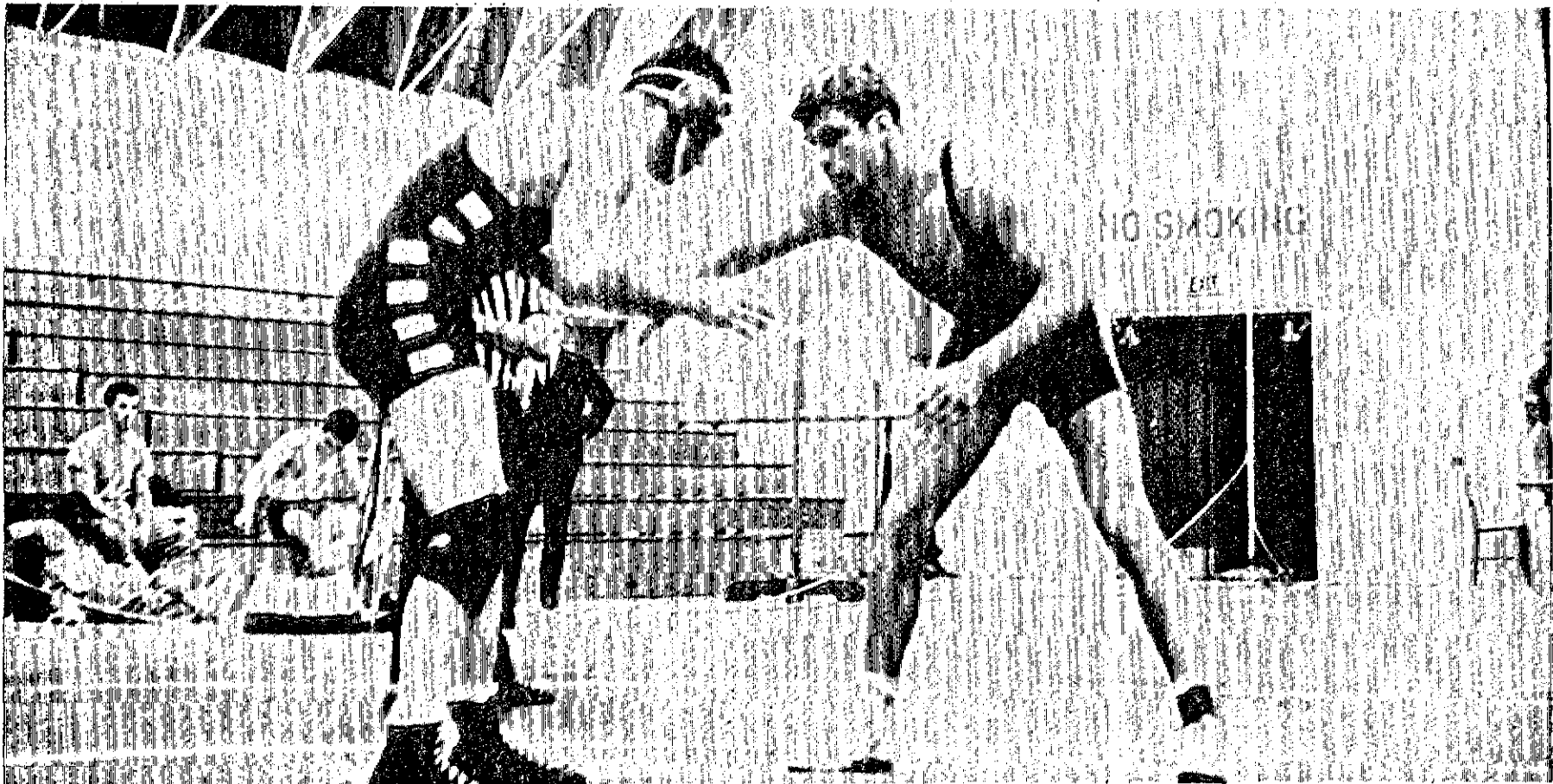
During the early innings of the game Kincaid was scouting, assistant coach Dallas Moon appeared and told Kincaid he was needed at the motel immediately.

"What's the trouble?" the unsuspecting coach of the Falcons queried.

"We've got some dissension over there," replied a straight faced Moon.

When Kincaid arrived at the alleged scene of the trouble he found his team surrounding a cake decorated in honor of Kincaid's 300th victory in 11 years of coaching Cerritos. In addition, the team presented him with a gold watch and the game ball.

"I've never been so surprised," said Kincaid. "I didn't know it was our 300th win or our 200th. This is just great."



GARY MAIOLI squares off with Stan Clark of El Camino for the 191 lb. championship last Saturday at the Metro Conference championships.

Maioli (without headgear) won a 10-8 overtime decision in what was labeled the best match of the evening. (Photo by Rich French)

SPORTS CALENDAR

Mar. 1 — Track vs. El Camino, here 3:00 p.m.; Baseball vs. Rio Hondo, here, 2:30 p.m.; Swimming vs. Orange Coast, there 3:30 p.m.; Tennis vs. East L.A. here 2:30 p.m.; Golf vs. Bakersfield, there 1:00 p.m.

Mar. 2 — Baseball vs. Bakersfield, there 1:30 p.m.; Wrestling at So. Cal Meet, all day at Rio Hondo Basketball — Challenge Round State Tourney.

Mar. 4 — Golf vs. Rio Hondo, there 1 p.m.

Mar. 5 — Baseball vs. LA Valley, here 2:30 p.m.

Mar. 6 — Tennis vs. Bakersfield, there 2:00 p.m.

Mar. 7 — Basketball — State playoffs, here; Golf vs. Long Beach, here 1:00 p.m.; Tennis vs. LA Valley, there 2:00 p.m.; Wrestling — State Championships, Chabot all day; Swimming vs. Long Beach, here 3:30 p.m.; Track vs. Long Beach, there 3:00 p.m.; Baseball vs. El Camino, here 2:30 p.m.

Falcons Edged At Santa Maria

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cues, the Falcons pushed across four runs in the fourth inning to take a big lead, and then made it a runaway in the seventh with six more tallies.

Right hander Wayne Sinclair got benefit of the attack, picking up his second victory without a loss. Weyant and Fred Speer each had a pair of hits for Cerritos.

Consolation Title

The Falcons wrapped up the consolation title the previous day with a 7-0 win over Hancock in the second half of another twin bill. Mike McCachran did some fancy hurling for Cerritos, who wrapped up the game with four runs in the third inning.

Consecutive doubles by Tom Tanner and Mike Weathers were the key blows in the inning. Weathers and Pat Miller were the hitting stars for Cerritos with two hits each.

Earlier in the day Cerritos saw its six-game winning streak go down the

drain, as Pierce dropped the Falcons into the consolation bracket with a 4-2 triumph.

Pierce Jinx

The loss marked the second straight year that Pierce broke a Cerritos winning streak in the semi-finals of this same tourney. Last season they toppled the Falcons in extra innings to not only break a five-game season winning streak, but a 43-game skein over the past two seasons.

The loss was a futile one for the Falcons, who stranded 13 runners while outpitching Pierce 8-5.

Cerritos pitcher Bob Sheehan was breezing along on the crest on a 2-0 lead and hurling a no-hitter to boot when his control deserted him in the sixth inning. Pierce jumped on the opportunity to tie the score, and then tallied twice more in the seventh for a 4-2 victory.

The opening two games of the tournament saw the Falcons win easy games over Yuba and Santa Monica. Apodaca got credit for the 14-1 win over Yuba in the first round, after Wolf was forced to leave the game after suffering his injury.

Cerritos rallied for three runs in the second and three more in the third to take a commanding lead in the early going. Big hits were a two-run double by Wolf and scoring singles by Speer, Diel, and Gillett.

Jack Harrington and Cote combined for an 8-0 win over Santa Monica the following day. Steve Wilkerson drove in the eventual winning run with two down in the first with the first home run on the season for Cerritos. The Falcons went on to score three more for a quick 4-0 bulge.

The Inside Track: Gillett, whose bat was one of the big question marks for the Falcons at the first of the season, is leading the team at .381. The Falmingo is also tops in stolen bases with four. Tanner, another key member with his bat, is also hitting a torrid .370, as well as leading the team with 10 hits and nine slings.

Freckle-faced Weyant is the team leader in total bases with 12 and runs with nine. Following today's conference opener with Rio Hondo, the Falcons board the bus for Bakersfield Saturday morning for an afternoon game with the Renegades.

Tourney Info

TICKET INFO - Students and faculty \$1.00
General Public \$1.50
Children \$1.00
All Tournament Ticket \$4.50

Tickets will be sold at the door one hour prior to first game. All Tournament Tickets will be sold at Student Center box office beginning Feb. 15. Students, faculty, and staff must present a valid card in order to be entitled to reduced rates. No reserved seats.

Cindermen Looking For First Win; Host El Camino Today At 3:00

The El Camino Warriors plan to invade the Cerritos Oval at 2 o'clock today in an attempt to make it 3 in a row in track and field action. It will be the Falcons first Metro Conference Meet and the team is already

Pre-meet predictions are that Pre meet predictions are that many dual-meet records will fall. Heading the Warrior's list of top men are Tom Reynolds, who is sort of a one man team, he runs a 9.9 - 100, 21.7 - 220 and does 150' in the pole vault, 23'0 in the long jump, 62 in the high jump and 45 in the triple jump. He also finds the strength to run anchor on the relay team.

Falcon sprint star Dick Carter

will have his hands full in the 100 and 220 dashes, and 440 relay this week. Both teams have posted identical (3.64) 440 relay times. Chip Minnick might make a try for the 880 mark of 1:55.3, as he ran an outstanding 1:50.8 in action at the E.L.A. relays last week.

Should the decision go into the last event of the day as it did in the last dual meet, the Cerritos Mile Relay Team consisting of Joe Sanders, Craig Conaway and Chip Minnick can surely put it to them if they can repeat the performance they turned in at E.L.A. last week (3:21.2). They would break the dual meet record El Camino holds over CC in competition.



LIGHTENING SWING — Cerritos first baseman Les Weyant is caught during his swing by photographer Dan Bott. Weyant's bat has sparked the Cerritos base-

ball team more than once, and is counted upon for added punch the remainder of the season.
(Photo by Dan Bott)

Wrestlers Win

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battle with Bill Stuve of Cerritos as he pinned Stuve in the third period. Felix took a 1-0 decision from Stuve in the Palomar Tournament earlier in the season, and they wrestled to a draw in their previous league dual meet.

Tomorrow the victorious Falcons will host the Southern California Championships, beginning at noon in the Cerritos gymnasium. The finals will commence at 7:30, with the top four wrestlers in each weight division advancing to the State Finals which will be conducted next weekend at Chabot College in Hayward.

METRO DATELINE

VALLEY — Despite the loss of State singles champion Bill Rombeau, Coach "Ace" Hunt feels that his 1968 tennis team will have more depth and be just as strong.

VALLEY — Many highly prized high school players found their way to Valley's baseball team this season. The 1968 roster includes 8 All-City, 11 All-League, 4 All-CIF, and 1 All State performers.

LONG BEACH — Forward Shawn Johnson has moved into the Top Ten all-time scorers at LBC this season with a 23 joint average for the season; highest in Viking scoring annals.

Final Conference Scoring Leaders

	TP	AVG
Wicks, SM	371	28.5
Reid, Valley	350	25.0
Johnson, LB	337	24.8
Hill, Bak.	300	21.4
Rouchon, RH	279	19.9
Zeller, LB	270	19.2
Chappell, ELA	253	18.1
Shumate, Valley	229	16.3
Ruffner, Cerr.	207	14.8
Fernandes, EC	205	14.6



CHIP MINNICK, Falcon middle distance star, ran an outstanding 1:50.8 880 leg of the Distance Medley in vain as El Camino claimed the victory. Both teams

were timed with identical 7:47.9 clockings, which broke the previous record.
(Photo by Pat Berry)

AROUND THE HOOP

	CONFERENCE	TOTALS
RED	FG	FG
BEECHER	33	11
BOYD	25	13
DEAN	21	13
FURLING	4	0
GUTIERREZ	0	0
HORN	187	87
HUNT	6	5
LEFFLER	38	12
MANSILL	38	113
MARSHALL	3	3
RODRIGUEZ	132	185
RUFFNER	122	124
VANVLIET	75	16
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Netters Face Metro Favorite In East LA

Sporting a 2-3 pre-season record, the Cerritos College tennis team opens the 1968 Metropolitan Conference schedule this week.

Coach Ray Pascoe's racketmen met El Camino Wednesday too late to report, and host conference favorite East LA today.

The Falcon netters met three foes last week, dropping two of the contests 9-0 to Fullerton and Grossmont and edged Santa Ana 6-3.

Pascoe singled out the fine play of his doubles team made up of freshmen Ray Bardum and Terry Walsh. The duo took a set from Fullerton's doubles team, runners up in the state last year.

The Falcon coach also cited Wayne Church for his steady improvement and stated that "he is coming along fast."

After hosting both El Camino and East LA this week, the Cerritos netters will travel to Bakersfield and LA Valley next week.

Cage Title For Falcons

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again the Falcons were led by the outstanding "play of freshman forward Bob Horn. Horn has consistently been among the top rebounders and has been a clutch performer all season.

Fred Zitar and John Van Vliet also made the switch from center to forward with seemingly great ease and were both strong contributors to the Cerritos success story.

But the big men don't deserve all the credit. Sparking the Birds all season long from their backcourt position were the Cerritos "little men," Tony Rodriguez and Lee Mansell.

Mansell obliterated the school assist mark this year, and added clutch shooting and fine ball control to the local's attack.

Rodriguez was also an accomplished ball handler and was among the top scorers consistently all season.

The Santa Monica contest marked the final conference game for sophomores Paul Ruffner, Jim Boyd, Al Hunt, Jim Lefler, and Lee Mansell.

But the season is not over by a long shot, and in a sense is just beginning for the Falcons.

Tomorrow night they face Imperial Valley College on a neutral court at College of the Desert in Palm Desert.

This is a must win for the Metro Champs if they hope to advance to the State Playoffs which are being held at Cerritos this year.

The challenge round is necessary to eliminate one contender from the ten conference champs and fill the eight spots available.

If Killingsworth's cagers are victorious in their conquest of IVC Saturday night, they will then face Delta Valley Conference champion, at 7:00 p.m. March 7.

Falcon Swimmers Get Slow Start

1968 does not appear to be the year for the Falcon swimming team as Cerritos dropped two meets during the past week.

Last Wednesday, Fullerton came to Cerritos and swam through the Falcons for an 80-24 victory. Cerritos journeyed to Bakersfield last Friday and were trounced by the Renegades, 65-29, in the Metro Conference opener.

Bob Shupp captured the only first-place finish for Cerritos in the meet with Fullerton as he logged a time of 22.6 in the 50-yard free style.

The Falcons could manage only 5 second place finishes as the Hornets of Fullerton proved they are a team to be respected in Eastern Conference action this season.

Shupp duplicated his 22.6 time in capturing a first in the 50-yard free style at Bakersfield, and received a little support from Falcon Mike Pick-up who finished first in the 200-yard individual medley. There were no other Falcon first place finishers.

Falcon Trio Named To All-Metro Teams

Three Cerritos College basketball players were named to All-Metropolitan Conference teams this week.

Center Paul Ruffner earned first team honors, while forward Bob Horn and guard Leo Mansell were cited on second team berths.

Ruffner was the ninth leading scorer in the conference this season with a 14.3 average. The 6'9" sophomore was the number two rebounder on the Falcon squad this season and was also named among those selected to try out for the All-JC Olympic try-out team.

Mansell, also a sophomore, led the Falcons in the backcourt with his fine shooting and ball handling. The 5'11" sparkplug obliterated the school's season assist mark the season with 187 thus far compared to the previous record of 138.

Horn, a freshman, led the Cerritos squad in rebound this season and was a clutch performer for Jim Killingsworth all season long.

Sidney Wicks, the Conference scoring champion was selected as the loop's MVP. Wicks starred for Santa Monica this season.

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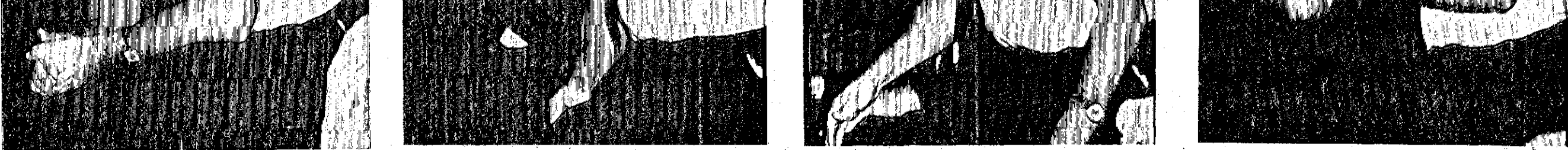
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HEAD YELL LEADER — Cerritos head basketball coach Jim Killingsworth is caught going through his game time rituals and gestures by photographer John Buckle. Killingsworth's performance is a familiar



sight at Cerritos basketball games. The Falcon coach has said that "a coach who shows no interest in the game, should move on elsewhere."



If Killingsworth's enthusiasm is any measurement, he will be around a long time. (Photos by John Buckle)

Coach Asks For Student Support At Imperial Valley Game Sat.

"I encourage all students to come out and support the team at Palm Desert Saturday night. It really means a lot to the fellows to have a big crowd on hand."

With those words Cerritos head basketball coach Jim Killingsworth pleaded with the student body of Cerritos to attend the Falcon's pre-playoff game with Imperial Valley tomorrow night at College of the Desert in Palm Desert.

"They will be shooting for us, and if we're not prepared we could be defeated," he added.

"A large crowd means so much to a player. He may give his best during a game, but a large crowd like we had at the Long Beach game makes the fellows dig a little deeper for that extra effort."

"They feel that someone really cares what they do on that court, and therefore really go out to win."

An Imperial Valley newspaper has printed a story stating that the Desert Conference champions are gunning for Cerritos.

The paper stated that IVC is out

for revenge because the Falcons were chosen to host the State Tourney over them.

"We've got to win this one if we want to advance to the state playoffs. They would like nothing better than to keep us out of the tourney we are hosting," stated Killingsworth.

The game begins at 8 p.m. in the gym at College of the Desert. Students, faculty, and staff will be admitted for \$1.00 upon presentation of their I.D. cards or A.S.B. cards. Admission price for general public is \$1.50.

Travel Directions from Norwalk:

To reach Palm Desert — take the Santa Ana Freeway south to the Riverside Freeway (91) east. Turn off on Highway 60 at Riverside. Continue south to Highway 111, which is the Palm Springs turn-off. Go through Palm Springs, following the signs to Palm Desert. The College of the Desert is located at 43-500 Monterrey Ave., which is north-east of the City of Palm Desert near the entrance.



HAPPY FELLA — To show that the Falcon coach is not always angry, he flashes a smile before the camera after a big conference win. (Photo by Bob Schneider)

'Little Bit Surprised' Over Team's Fine Showing Says Killingsworth

By MIKE BOWER
Sports Editor

"Yes I think I'd have to say I was a little bit surprised," admitted Cerritos head basketball coach Jim Killingsworth. "They worked real hard and went a lot farther this season than I thought they would."

The "They" Killingsworth is referring to of course is the 1967-68 Cerritos College basketball team that recently notched the second conference hoop championship in the history of the school.

And it is not by coincidence that both have been under Jim Killingsworth.

During his brief four year tenure at Cerritos, Coach Killingsworth has accumulated 84 wins and has had only 30 losses to mar his record.

Under Killingsworth the Falcons never have finished below .500 and have been a constant threat in the Metro race every year.

After compiling fine prep and college records in Oklahoma, Killingsworth took over the coaching reins from John Caine in 1964.

He played guard himself through high school, junior college and college and earned his B. S. degree in business administration at Oklahoma State and his Masters in Education degree at University of Oklahoma.

His combined record while coaching high school ball was an impressive 305-50, and he was named Oklahoma state prep coach of the year in 1960.

His Pawhuska high school team of 1961 took the state championship of Oklahoma.

The Falcon mentor spent three years at Tulsa University, where he was assistant varsity and head freshman coach. One of his products was Jim King, NBA star.

Married and the father of two children, Phyllis and Larry, he and his family reside in La Mirada.

He spent his time during World War II as an instructor with the West Coast Flying Command of the Air Force.

"I'd say our success lies in the fact that we had a well-balanced team. The guys came off the bench time and again to help us and everyone came along real well."

Known for his skill as a tactician, Killingsworth defends his frequent substitutions during a game.

"We start with five guys who work

well together and know our basic game plan. As the game progresses, I substitute to fit the need and the weakness."

"All the guys on the team could be starters. I go with the usual starting five because they fit the type of game I'd like to play."

The cage coach feels this is the best squad in the history of the school.

"Just compare records," he boasted.

A familiar sight on the court side with his sweeping gestures and fiery temper, the coach feels "It's my job to stick up for the boys. Their job is playing the game. Mine is the fighting, arguing, or anything else that comes along."

Killingsworth is not ashamed to be tagged as a "fiery" coach.

"I think it's my job to be interested in the game. It is an emotional game to begin with, and I take part and care what's going on out on the court. When a coach loses his interest, he should move on."

Though a prominent figure in many "discussions" with the officials this season, he feels the officiating in Junior College ball is "pretty good".

"We have some fine officials, and they have their good games and bad games like anyone else. It's impossible to call a perfect game."

The Cerritos skipper tabs Pasadena City College as the toughest team his Falcons have faced and the team to beat in the state playoffs.

"Just look at their record. They ranked number one in the state. They are a great physical team and well coached," he remarked.

He feels the players are alike in some respects and different in others.

"A lot of our strengths and weaknesses are in the same areas. Our bench gives us things we don't have on the first team. It compliments our starters."

As far as being satisfied with Cerritos, Killingsworth couldn't be happier.

"No, I'm not thinking of applying for a job at a four-year school. I like it here at Cerritos. I've been here four years now and we have the finest group of young people that I've ever worked with."

"I have a great deal of respect for my players. You can have good ball players and still not respect them, but these are all fine boys."

As for looking ahead to the play-

offs, Jim Killingsworth would like to take one game at a time.

"Right now our big worry is Imperial Valley Saturday night. They'll be out gunning for us, and we would like a large crowd to support us."

"A big crowd brings out the best in each player. So please plan on coming."

It's the least the student body could do in appreciation for the conference championship the Falcons have brought home. Cerritos fans can look forward to a state championship, and many more successful years under Jim Killingsworth.



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"YOU'RE BLIND" — That's what Cerritos coach Jim Killingsworth seems to be saying. Often the target of



technical fouls, the Falcon coach is always "tanding up" for his team. (Photo by Bob Schneider)

Veterans Strive to Achieve Goals While Serving Campus-Country

Somewhat surprisingly, the Veterans Club is one of the largest, as well as one of the most active organizations on campus. Surprisingly, because its 76 members average 25 years of age on a campus dominated by 19 and 20-year-olds.

The purpose of the Veterans club, according to immediate past president Eric von Hurst, is to provide a social contact for the veteran students on campus.

"The average veteran is five years older than most of the students surrounding him, and quite often feels out of place," continued Von Hurst. They need someplace to meet with those in a similar situation. Vets Club fills that need."

Obviously, a club with 76 members cannot please all its members at the time. Vets have a solution for this problem.

Instead of club projects," said

club president Monte Gualtiere, we break down into interest groups of 14 or 15 members."

Although listed as a special interest club, the Veterans, serve their campus and community as well as their country with several projects each semester. Among the recent projects of the club are a blood drive and book drive for the Americans in Vietnam, a Toys for Tots Drive, and supporting the Leroy Boys' drive. On campus, the Vets nominated Andee Cataldi for Homecoming Queen and pick a Miss of the Month each month.

As well as being active itself the Vets include some of the most influential students on campus. Von Hurst, is of course ASCC President, and Gualtiere serves as Commissioner of Finance. Other members include Senator and Talon Marks reporter Dan Bisher, Senator Sam

Marque, Senator Ken Suarez, Justice John De Beer, Justice Mike Harmer, and Talon Marks staffer John Buckle. Among the club's honorary members is college president Dr. Jack Mears.

Vets members also pulled four Falcon awards at the Fall awards banquet. Von Hurst, Gualtiere and Andy Bergen won Gold Falcons, while Bisher was honored with a Silver award.

The activity of the Cerritos Veterans Club is becoming the rule rather than the exception on all college campuses. Under the initiative of El Camino College, a statewide Vets organization has been created, with its first meeting scheduled for the Saturday preceding Easter break.

The organization, which will include 74 of the 82 junior college in the state, as well as several State Colleges and Universities, will go under the same name as the Cerritos Chapter, Chi Gamma Iota, or XGI.

When asked why a Veteran, probably married, and interested largely in finishing his education would be interested in becoming active in Student Government, Von Hurst paused only a moment.

"When you're in the service, you get used to doing things yourself. Once in school again, when we want to see things accomplished, we strive to achieve them, and the best and proper way is through student government."

B of A Honors Business Coeds

Congratulations are in order for two of our Cerritos coeds, Margaret Rice and Maureen Oyama who have won cash awards of \$300.00 each under the 1968 Bank of America's Junior College Business Awards Program.

Margaret Rice of Downey won the award in banking and business administration studies, and Maureen Oyama of Norwalk won the award in the secretarial and clerical studies division.

Bank of America will present the cash awards to 78 students at a pre-planned banquet March 15th at the Beverly-Hilton Hotel in Beverly Hills honoring all winners from Southern California Junior Colleges. The winners names will be engraved on a permanent plaque which will be retained by the college on an annual basis listing winners in the bank's award program. Bank of America launched the program to encourage young people to better prepare themselves for business career.

Eighty junior colleges all over the state, including 39 colleges in the Southern California Junior College Association, judged the records of the candidates. Since a total of 10 students are receiving a check of \$300 each, a total of \$48,000 in cash will be awarded. Two winners were selected in each college by members of the individual school's faculty. The awards are based on scholarship, personality, and participation in school activities as well as outside employment.

Final Judging Offers Star-Studded Panel

What's all this Jazz about Cerritos? Shelly Manne, Gerald Wilson, Johnny Keating, and Lenny Nicholas will be among the judges for the Saturday night finals of the Cerritos Intercollegiate Jazz Festival. The celebrity studded jazz fest will take place March 22 and 23 in the Cerritos Gym.

Shelly Manne is probably the best known drummer and musician on the west coast. Recognized early for his work with the Stan Kenton Orchestra, Shelly has gone on to fame and fortune as a top studio percussionist and owner of one of the hottest jazz night spots on the west coast, "Shelly's Manne-Hole".

A well known band leader himself, as well as an outstanding musician and arranger-composer, Gerald Wilson means "excitement" and new ideas in the Jazz World. His contribution to the west coast scene cannot be over evaluated.

Johnny Keating received his first attention from American audiences as an arranger-composer for the famous Ted Heath Band of London, England. Johnny has since gone out on his own with several very successful albums and is currently living in Southern California while writing for motion picture, television and radio shows.

Lenny Nicholas is sometimes referred to as "a musician". Long recognized for both his writing ability and his instrumental work with the

Stan Kenton Orchestra, Lenny has devoted himself to being a very busy arranger-composer for the T. V., motion picture, and recording industries. We are very proud and pleased to have these talented men as judges this year at the festival.

The National Advisory Board for the Intercollegiate Jazz Festival includes such recording artists as Dave Brubeck, Ella Fitzgerald, Pete Fountain, Al Hirt, Stan Kenton, Brenda Lee, Henry Mancini, Peter Nero, Ward Swingle, and Nancy Wilson. Even President Johnson by way of his Special Assistant on the Arts, has complimented the Festival organization on the outstanding job they are doing to encourage excellence and creativity in music.

The Festival running March 22 and 23 in the Cerritos gym will feature Dan Rowan and Dick Martin of the (what else?) Rowan and Martin Laugh-in television show as the Masters of Ceremonies at the Saturday night finals. The tremendous interest in Jazz and the stage band movement on the part of these two clowns should guarantee a fast paced, hilarious Saturday night. And as a special added attraction, Cerritos own band director, Jack Wheaton, will be there with his smiling face cheering the ticket takers.

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SUE WELLS

Coed Places In Miss Drill Team

Winner of fourth runner-up in the first "Miss Drillteam U.S.A." contest was Cerritos coed Sue Wells. The contest was held on February 16, in the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium.

Sue is captain of the Cerritos Falconettes, and was honored as best all-around Falconette and shared the title of most inspirational Falconette at the fall awards banquet. She was also one of the 1967 homecoming princesses.

Girls from 52 colleges and high schools competed for the title "Miss Drillteam U.S.A." Contestants were sent from as far away as Utah. Each school sent its best drillteam member to participate.

The contest started early in the day as Master of Ceremonies, Richard Basehart, announced each girl, who then did a routine of her own. Later, the ten best came back in tight to show beginning and ending positions of three routines. The competition was narrowed down to five girls, who gave speeches on what being in drillteam meant to them. The winner was crowned by Bob Lang, host on the Dating Game.

By the way, the Cerritos pep squad, including Yell leaders, song leaders, flag and drill team, majorettes, and the drum major are entering the California State Championships for Junior Colleges at Arroyo High School, on March 23.



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Birdie Batters Start Season

Scholars may not be aware of this fact, but Cerritos College has a badminton team, and a very good one too.

The badminton team started the new season rolling yesterday in a match against Rio Hondo. Last season the team dropped only one match, and the team and its coach, Mrs. Rhea Gram, are hoping to do even better this season.

The team has had a good turnout of new players who show a lot of potential and has the following players returning from last season's play: Joe Paire, Doug Speizer, Pat Wells, Claire McDonald, Cindy Christensen, Kathy Reade, Linda Zukowski, Denny Atkinson, Al Canedo, Terry Hirt, Bobby Gallardo, and Wayne Walz.

Many people think of badminton as some sort of picnic game—lots of fun, but not very competitive or challenging. It should be noted, with condolences to the tennis team, however, that a well played singles game of badminton is the fastest court game played.

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