Champion Musicians To

Over 70 Choices Offered Students For Career Day

Spring, graduation and high hopes for the future ring Career Day to Glendale High on May 1.

On this day students will spend their third period listening to qualified persons speak about their professions. This is usually followed by a question-answer session.

McClane, Starr Sponsors

Students were given a choice of over 70 different vocations and a special section on how to choose a profession.

"As yet, we do not know who will represent all the groups" pointed out Mrs. Mary Jane McClane, one of the faculty sponsors of the event. Mrs. Ruth Starr is the other.

Students Make Choice

"All students who have not filled out these preference slips should see their third period teachers," Mrs. McClane said.

Some of the less popular vocations may not be available on May 1, she added.

With all the talk about America's lag in science and math education, these two fields represented the minimum enrollment.

Cosmetology, Business Tops

Cosmetology had the largest number of students of any vocation with the exception of business, which has many different sections.

Elementary school teacher, psychology, auto mechanic and airline hostess were other popular choices.

Fields offered included everything from truck driver to dietition.



PREPARING FOR CONCERT are Mr. Bud Balzer and his Symphonettes. Both the Band and Symphonettes, who are state finalists in next week's competition, will perform tonight in the school auditor-



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'Green Valley' Set For Spring Play

Casting for Glendale's annual spring play, "Green Valley," was completed recently, according to Mr. Joe Wadlington, faculty director. The play is scheduled for May 8 and 9 in the school auditorium,

Triple Win!

Dyno Paper Rated High In Journalism Contest

First semester editions of the Ex- American classification. Only eight plosion were awarded a First Class other high school papers in the rating by the Victional Cabalastic country attained such a total

Balzer's Students Make Preparations For State Title

Glendale's Band and Symphonettes will tune up for the state finals tonight by presenting a joint concert in the auditorium at 8 p.m.

Both groups, under Mr. Bud Balzer, will journey to Compton College on April 25 to compete for the state title.

Glendale musicians won the right to advance to state competition by taking the regional title at Pasadena recently. They will compete against six other schools.

'Good Enough To Win'

"Both groups are good enough to win," asserted Mr. Balzer optimistically. "The band was runner-up last year and we hope to improve on that position this year."

Tickets for tonight's performance may be purchased at the door or from any music student. The price is 50 cents.

Selections scheduled to be played by the Symphonettes are "Fantasia on the Alleluid," by Gordon Jacob; "January, February, March," by Don Grillis; and Concertoir D Major for Flute," by Mozart.

Band Also Plays

Others are Howard Hanson's "Symphony No. 2, and Madrilenas, by F. M. Torroba.

After a brief intermission the band will play "Suite for Brass." by Leonard LeBow; "Tocotta for Band," by Frank Erickson; and "Navy Log March," by Fred Steiner.

Miller, Phypers Direct

Other selections include "High

McClane Tells Purpose

"The purpose of Career Day is to make the student more familiar with the pros and cons of a given vocation," revealed Mrs. McClane.

Scribblers Group Edits Impressions

"Impressions," the annual publication of original creative writing by GHS students, will be distributed next month by Scribblers.

Scribblers, Glendale High's amateur writer's club, is also sponsoring a contest this quarter. Prizes of \$5 will be awarded for the best short story, poem, and essay or short piece.

Edgar Allan Poe prize will be given for the short story and Jenny Young Freeman prize for the best poem. The essay prize has not yet been named.

Mrs. Olive Eckerson, club faculty adviser, encourages students to contribute original pieces to the book.

Current Scribblers are Adrienne Hotonian, president; Bill Brown, treasurer; Camille Adile, Sharon Bayless, Marian Cunningham, Charlene Haas, Jan McDermott, Susie Schroeder, and Gail Winbigler.

The club is open to all students, and Mrs. Eckerson urges those interested in writing to join. open to all Nitros, includes Milo Delgado as Eldon Berry, Trina Stine, Prim Stokes; Jack Casalles, Tinker Smith; and Joel Miller, Tobias J. Everhall.

Others selected are Kaleta Morgan, Eva Friese; Pat Pearson, Lonesome; John Robinson and Peter Rusch, who will protray Grandpaw Berry one night; and Dorothy Bogart, as Martha Mears.

Other actors who made the grade were Jonnalee Hartman as Granny Beary; George Pierner, Jeb Barry; Charles Buck, Ransome; Elza Bergeron, Prudence; and Julie Tucker, Sarah.

Completing the cast are Dave Beckett as Hip Cooley, Sue Bicknell, Mamie; and Skip Newell, Shade Stokes.

Joy Burton will assist Mr. Wadlington in the capacity of student director.

Mr. David Gibson and his stage crew will make the scenery and handle the backstage chores.

Dyno Yearbook Sales To Resume This Week

Stylus sales will come to a close Friday.

More than 1400 copies of the Stylus have already been sold in the recent drive. Only 1800 copies were ordered, according to Mr. William Graham, Stylus adviser. The remaining copies will be on sale in the student bank during this week.

Press Association in its semi-annual releases at the University of Minnesota.

A First Class rating is comparable to "Excellent," according to Mr. Fred Kildow, director of the NSPA.

The Explosion was awarded 3,530 points, just 170 short of the All-

Theme Nominated For Senior Prom

"Jazz Goes Dancing" has been selected as theme of the upcoming Senior Prom, according to Tom Sparrow, class president.

Some objections have been raised about this choice and therefore it may be subject to change, Tom added.

Because of crowded conditions in the Green Room, the dance will be held off grounds for the first time at McCambridge Recreational Park, Burbank.

Another "first" for the Class of '58 event is the early election of princesses so that their pictures could appear in the Stylus, Glendale High's Yearbook.

Those elected are Alice Chew, Louise Di Tullio, Vicki Fleidner, Eleanor Legg, Kay Nisbet, Diane Stubblefield, and Nancy Utech.

The price of tickets has not been decided, but it will be between \$2 and \$3, Sparrow asserted.

Clean Campus Campaign To Start

"Don't be a litterbug," is the cry on campus as the first annual "Keep Your Campus Clean" campaign gets under way this week.

Students are requested to take more pride in the condition of the school grounds, and improve their trash-can aim.

Since Cabinet set the date for the campaign, original and unusual plans have been derived by John Robinson and his committee.

Jim Danforth, senior, has filmed

a movie on litterbugs for the campaign. This movie will be shown to the student body in the assembly tomorrow. Starring in the film are various cabinet members "caught red-handed in the criminal act of littering the GHS Campus," says Robinson.

Red trash cans are also adorned with banners and signs remindding the Dynamiters that their aim could be improved, Brenda Fortner, Dick Denny and Ricki Blanchard were in charge of this project.

Stylus photographer Jim Walton was drafted by committeeman Jackie Liebmann to sleuth around the campus and snap pictures careless students littering the halls and grounds. These pictures were then enlarged and made into posters which now occupy the halls.

It is hoped that students will stop and look—for a photographer—before they miss the trash can from now on. The printing of the paper was described as "attractive" and received 100 points—the maximum. Mr. Ed Harrington and his Dyno print shop students have been handling these publication tasks.

The Glendale paper also received recognition at the University of Redlands Journalism Day.

The Explosion won first place honors in sports writing in competition with high schools from all over Southern Califrnia.

The Columbia University Scholastic Press Association gave the student publication a total of 865 points out of a possible 1,000—and another First Class award.

The Explosion staff, advised by Mr. Lawrence Weishart, has been headed by Donna Sodoma, editor - in - chief, for both semesters.

Assistant editor for the first semester was Jackie Liebmann, and Ann Bungay holds that post now.

Junior Statesmen To Visit Fresno

Eleven local Junior Statesmen will journey to Fresno for the annual State Convention April 25 and 26.

Six members of the delegation will present legislation. They are Dave Beckett, Paul Beckett, Sal Dimarco, Robin Hartline, Joel Kotin, and Bob Mack.

If passed by the convention delegates, the bills will be sent to government officials as suggestions for their consideration.

Others attending will be Nancy Allen, Joy Burton, Sara Carlton, Tan Evans, and Carol Tench.

The delegates will leave early Friday morning in private cars and will lodge at a Fresno hotel. Mr. Murray Grant, club co-sponsor, and one other faculty member will accompany the students.

Tor," by Harry Zimmerman; "Calypso Holiday," by Edward McLin; and "Sea Portrait," by Homer La Gassey.

Assistant music director for the Symphonettes is Joel Miller, while Jim Phypers holds a similar post in the band. Diane Hatteberg is concert master.

School Problems Given Discussion

Almost all cabinet members will be attending the annual Foothill League Forum Spring Conference next Wednesday.

Some juniors, sophomores, and almost all cabinet members will meet with other Foothill League schools, according to Skip Newell, ASB president.

Ten divisions have been formed in which two people from each school attend and discuss problems of their school and try to solve them. This is done by talking with students of various schools and forming debate teams.

Divisions will be: Executive Council, Election Procedure, Boys' and Girls' League, and Judiciary.

School Participation, School Forum Relationship, and the Future Values of Participation in School Government are other divisions.

Legislative Council, School Clubs, and School Government, are topics to be discussed by the schools.

Glendale To Hold Open House Tuesday

To observe California's annual "Public School Week," Glendale High will have an Open House for parents next Tuesday.

At this time visitors will get a chance to meet teachers and talk with them.

The event is sponsored by the Masons of California.

Down to Earth With Sod-

Clean Campus Needed

By Donna Sodoma

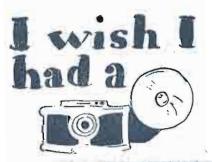
Why should Glendale High take pride in a clean campus? This question undoutedly is instilled in some, since garbage still is strewn throughout the school.

An example of the neglect given to proper litter disposal is the school cafeteria. First lunch students have a grand time playing "garbage fight" and by the time second lunch stampedes out, it looks as if Glendale high has found an underground garbage disposal.

If one practices good litter habits in school, it will help him avoid being guilty of the "Unlawful to Dispose of Litter or Garbage on Highway-Minimum Penalty \$500 Fine and Six Months Imprisonment," law.

I know at times it's tempting and "convenient" to throw a few odds and ends out of the window of a car, but odds and ends add up and after a few million people have used the same idea the need for a "cleanup campaign" is obvious.

This universal problem of littering can be combatted only with the cooperation of every individual, starting in our own school. The next time you throw your milk carton into the lights of the cafeteria or toss your rotten banana over the back of your head hoping the mess will hit the trash can, take a special precaution and be sure it reaches its proper destination—the trash



Dawson Enjoys Exchange Trip

During spring vacation week, Dyno Bill Dawson and Lance Wickman (H) were privileged with a trip to Washington, D.C., sponsored by the Glendale Exchange Club. Here is the Dyno half of the trip's report.

"Our trip began when we left Glendale at 9 a.m. and was very good until we hit rain in Washington, D.C., at 10 p.m. We stepped off the plane only to be met by a chilling wind. Mr. Lyn Nofziger, News-Press representative in Washington accompanied us to the Statler Hotel.

"Our first four days consisted mainly of interviews with such well-known figures as Vice-president Richard Nixon, United State Senators Kuchel and Knowland, Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Benson, and F.B.I. Director J. Edgar

"We also climbed up each of the 898 steps of the Washington Memorial. Our trip was spiced with such calamities as running out of gas in a taxi enroute to an important engagement, and mistaking vinegar for syrup and pouring it on breakfast pancakes.

"We are undvingly grateful to



"THE TRASH CAN? - OH! YOU MEAN THAT THING OVER THERE IN THE CLEAN SPOT!"

Active Commerce Club Plans for Reception

Besides being the largest organization at GHS, the Commerce Club is also one of the most active.

Led by Judy Rubin, president, and Mrs. Wylna Cowles and Miss Janette Day, adviser, the club meets on the second Tuesday of every month, At the last meeting the speaker was a representative of the

Recently Judy, Dawn Churchill, David Morelli and Rick Matthews attended a luncheon sponsored by Sears Roebuck and Co., at the Huntington · Sheraton Hotel. Purpose of the luncheon was to acquaint the students from all over the L.A. area with the new business opportunities, techniques and facilities. On display were new machines and other equipment used to

promote efficiency in business.

Besides President Judy, officers include Jerryanne Ingram, vicepresident; Dawn Churchill, secretary; Beverely Campbell, treasurer; and Norma Vickers, publicity chairman.

One of the clubs most important activities is scheduled for late in May. At the annual Bus-

Improvement in Education Needed for Today's Youth

For many years critics of the ing higher math and 36 percent U.S. education have screamed are taking a foreign language. that our high schools were not We, in this high school are per-

HIT 'N' MISS BY CHRIS

Other Lands Enjoy Rest

by Christine Furrer

Easter vacation is over and everybody at GHS is working again, or at least he should work.

One week of Easter vacation is just not enough to get a rest for the last quarter. Everybody that wants a longer rest at Easter had better go to Switzerland where students have three weeks off! But don't let anybody fool you: The Swiss summer vacation is only five weeks long.

What do teenagers from other countries do during their vacations? In Switzerland we have no ocean and therefore no beach. But we do have rivers and lakes, and in the summer we go swim-

Teen-agers usually don't drivecars, but we have bicycles and we take trips to the countryside; and of course we go skiing during the winter. We also go tocamps, just as you do, in some lonesome hut in the mountains, away from civilization, away from high heels and nylons for girls, and shaving for boys.

California and Switzerland are thousands of miles apart; they have different climates and different people. But, we feel the same way about vacations: We want to have fun, and intermissions are never long enough.

Easter Bunny at Webb's . . . When a group of sophomore girls took the free trial treatment at Vic Tannys' . . . When all the girls in every gym class learned to do the can-can.

When E.H. ate two pounds of prunes... when N.D. was asked if she was married to someone in Mexico...

TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

Why can't we have another Bermuda Day? It helps school spirt by "giving the kids a break." I feel that it adds something to school when we have a special day once in a while.

Our school spirit can always be improved. Maybe another Bermuda Day would encourage those of us who feel school is just a grind with no fun.

Anonymous

Editor's Note:

A Bermuda Day has been Scheduled for this Friday, April, 18. However the weather has hindered such plans previously. It is also believed that too many Bermuda Days tend to disrupt school work and conduct. Very little is accomplished on that day.

making this experience possible."

Laurie London Has Top Tune

A dapper cat from England who calls himself Laurie London has the top tune on this week's "Fabulous Four"

This boy is really hauling in bread with a monotonous ditty titled "He's Got The Whole World."

"The Champs" and their "Tequila" are in the number 2 spot with David Seville and "Witch Doctor" close behind in third. "Book of Love" by "The Monotones" is in the groove on the move in fourth place.

For a good album buy this week pick up the RCA Victor wax by Elvis Presley titled "Elvis' Goldon Hits."

This album is an exceptional buy, as it contains all of his gold records of the past, including "Don't Be Cruel," "Hound Dog," "All Shook Up," and many more.

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Club mempers will hear talks by various businessmen. The members may learn of good opportunities which await them after graduation from high school. Refreshments will be served and the students will then be given a chance to meet informally with prospective future employers.

Through this and other functions, the Commerce Club not only helps in preparing members to enter the business world, but in many cases also helps them to secure a position.

'58 Frolics

Pell To Play At Sr. Prom

"Full speed ahead" is the saying for Senior Council, as the last school dance of the year and the end of the seniors' high school life draws near.

Starting at 8 p.m. and lasting until 12, the dance will feature Dave Pell and his Octet, which was secured by Dwight Waite, entertainment chairman. One of the dance highlights, according to Mr. Jack Parker, senior adviser, is a jam session which will be held during the evening.

A theme has been debated and voted upon, but Tom Sparrow, class president, says a change will probably be made at the next council meeting.

Gary Hudson, in charge of decorations, says no matter what the theme, the decorations will be simple, but effective.

Refreshments will be prepared by a catering service. Ticket prices have not been set.

Another Activity Senior council is working on is the Senior Banquet, which will be held June 6.

Baccalaureate will be held June 15 at GHS; the Senior Party at the Beverly Hilton, June 18; and last, but not least, graduation itself, June 18! the youth of America for the future.

These shouts had been in vain until Sputnik made this problem a recognized national crisis. What they were saying is now believed. Are these criticisms justified?

In a recent article of a prominent national magazine, it was considered brought out that only a few students are taking what is considered basic subjects.

Only 12½ percent are taking any mathmatics more advanced than algebra and fewer than 15 percent study a foreign language. The article pointed out that 10,000,000 Russians are studying English, but only 8,000 Americans are studying Russian.

The standard of U.S. education has been lowered to suit the mediocre. Where there are young minds of great promise, there are rarely the means to advance them.

Where does Glendale High stand in this picture? Almost 25 percent of our students are takatics, three or four years of a foreign language, and chem istry or physics. No one is stopping us. But do we have the incentive, the desire to gain this knowledge?

This is the real problem the youth of Americe faces today.

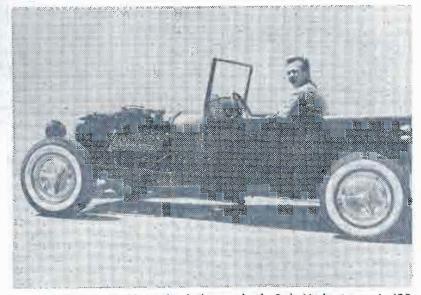
John Greco Stars In Hollywood Movie

Among the many celebrities attending Glendale High is John Greco, junior.

According to the Explosion staff's secret sources John played a handsome, charming young prince in the movie "Song of Bernadette," which recently screened at a local Theater.

Of course he was only 20 months old at the time the picture was made! John was chosen from 25 babies who auditioned for the part of Prince Lulu.

A movie star at 20 months and a hasbeen at 2 years! This is the life story of John Greco.



LIGHTWEIGHT? — Man, the lightest; that's Bob Hetherington's '29 "A" roadster pickup. As you can readily see, Bob has made a few improvements. He's dropped a '48 Merc V8 in with 26 tooth Zephyr gears to go with it. Bob has also balanced the engine to minimize the effect of all the weight in front. If you want to drag Bob, think twice; his truck can top 100 mph.

Glendale Confidential

by Ann Bungay

"All good things must come to a end," according to some philosophers, and that includes Easter vacation for Glendale Dynos who are finding it difficult to forget the fun and remember studies.

Montecito Bound

Among the many campaigners who spent the holidays at Montecito were Pam Briley, Denny Carhart, Susie Clark, Dick Denny, Tam Evans, Bob Kumpe, Linda Lockwood, Marilyn Perry, and Bill Stadler.

Others were Ron Turner, Mike Wellman, Lane Wells, Sharon Whitley, John Whitney, Gary Yukel and many more.

Ocean Voyage

Cruising on the Pacific, with Coach Roy Vujovich, and Mr. Aido Bonaguidi chaperoning (?) were Jon Amelsberg, Sharon Arendale, Sue Blackstone, Steve Chenoweth, Laurie Daniell, Ron Drake, Tom Ellison, Penne Freebairn, Tom Hanuna, Gloria Henry, and Bob Hensler.

Others were Bill Jencks, Jan Jencks, Marilyn Johnson, Jodie Kneisel, Sue Mariette, Diane Mc-Bain, Greg McMaster, Diana Nicolous, Paul Nielson, Jim Roark, Stan Rouse, Terry Wallick, John Wertin, Jay West, Bill Wilfong, Bob Wulf, and Tory Yaphe.

Sun Bathers

Seen in various spots at Balboa were Susie Carhart, Melinda Dunn, Linda Gratiot, Melinda Grub, Dinny Keeney, Judianne Marshall, Nancy McMahon, Kay Nesbit, Linda Sandos, Lynn Scribner, Rhoda Sigler, Suzy White, and Claire Wisely.

Surprise Party

Will Wright's was the place for a surprise party for Anne Conner



A NEW C. B. DE MILLE? Could be. Jim Danforth (left) and Chris Johnson have been producing their own films. Glendale students and a boy from John Muir have acted in this twosomes productions.

Two Glendale Boys Produce New Films

Two Glendale High School students, Jim Danforth, senior, and Chris Johnson, sophomore have been spending their free time producing and directing films.

"Geraldine in Jeopardy," a take-

Sizzlers & Duds

by Jackie Liebmann

Hauling along in high gear, "The Zephyrs," a group of talented GHS musicians, have come a long and prosperous way since their formation in 1956 by senior Dwight Waite

Since that time, Walle has re-

off on an old-time serial, and "Wanderer," a story of an escaped convict, are due to be released at the Glendale public library this summer.

Both of these films will probably take 25 to 30 minutes, or use about 400 feet of film.

Chris is producing films only as a hobby, but Jim hopes to enter this field professionally and has been producing films since 1954.

A cast of Glendale High students has been acting in the film "Geraldine in Jeopardy" this year.

In leading roles are Janice Jansen, who plays Geraldine, and Tony Ruf, the hero. Other seniors who act in the film are Bill Hartman, Don Burnap. Rob Merck, Emily Shachat. Bill Attig and Richard

Glendale Students Think of Future; Career Day Encourages New Plans

Rich man? Poor man? Beggar man, thief? Doctor? Lawyer? Merchant? Theif? Have you decided on your future occupation?

All GHS students will have a glimpse of both the good and bad phases of their chosen occupations on Thursday, May 1—Career Day.

Career Day is one of the traditions at Glendale High. Previous students say that the event really helped them to know more about their chosen fields. For those not

Monstrous Exams Frighten Students

I am a quarter exam and I hate students.

Every year, I appear at Glendale twice during each semester. People have been hating me for a long time, but now it's getting even worse.

Third quarter exams are so rough on me that I almost don't want to come back in June. Maybe it's because the students aren't prepared as they should be. But I ask you are they ever really prepared? I'll tell you.

I see many students on my brief visits and I can "spot" a type before he scribbles his name on me.

Brainy Boris, the satellite enthusiast, has had 100 percent on everything since the first grade. At Glendale, though, I see him rarely.

Almost as scarce as Boris is Tough Tommy, who finishes his work after he writes his name. He doesn't even try.

I really laugh when I see Alert Alex. Before he comes into the room to tell me what he knows, he races up and down the halls looking for friends and their answers. By the time he gets to class, he is frustrated—who wouldn't be with

sure of what they wanted, this day aided them in deciding.

Speakers come from many jobs to tell students about their careers. They reveal the disadvantages along with the good points. Such important aspects as preparation for the occupation, pay, and opportunity for advancement are discussed by these experts.

Since a student attends Glendale for three years, he is advised by teachers to go to different career section each year. In this way he can learn something of other jobs, although he may already have made up his mind.

People from as many general fields as possible are invited to speak at Glendale on Career Day. An accountant, a plumber, a salesman, a doctor, and a secretary are just a few of the many guests who come every year.

Career Day is more than just fun—it is educational to learn the real facts about future jobs.

Sophomores Form New Service Club

One of Glendale High School's newest service clubs, the '39ers; has been busy helping the school' in many ways, although the club is unfamiliar to many Glendale students.

Thirty-niner are in charge of thefirst or sophomore lunch, just as '49ers are in charge of the second. Other functions of the new club are similar to those of the '49ers.

Officers of the club, which consists of 15 members, include Don Hage 1, president; Roger Dalton, vice-president; and Kim Koschoick, secretary.

her birthday were Laurie Brann, Jan McDermot, Marty Sliney, Donna Sodoma, and Carolyn Younger.

Just Wondering...

Who won third place in the lookalike contest at the Dad-Daughter Banquet . . . why Laurie was wandering around Malibu Beach Saturday . . . just how much homework was done at the beach and desert.

What happened when Penny, Les, and Trina came back from Palm Springs . . . how Miss Nute enjoyed the Crescendo party.

Who was called "square" at Palm Springs . . . which two girls became seasick on a cabin cruiser at Bal . . . why Dorothy was swimming with the ducks at Newport

Who was the Easter Bunny at Webb's this year . . . what certain member of the Explosion and Stylus staffs were doing in Miceli's on Easter Sunday . . . why Donna Thomas has Marine confusion.

What Kathy McFarland said when "that awful man" smashed into her fender . . . what four girls were doing up on Fargo Hill in a '35 Chevy.

This junior plays the guitar, saxaphone and drums.

Although he plans to major in journalism at San Jose State, Bob is counting on his music as a sideline to bring in extra money.

Pianist Rickie Lipp is one of the original members and plans to go into music at UCLA, and can be tickle those ivories!

Skip Newell and Ron Furvanti (stage name, Ron Fury) man the electric guitars for the "Zephyrs." Skip divides his time between ASB presidential duties and music, while Ron has recently made a record and hopes to see results soon.

Other members are Don Foley on the drums; Chuck Montgomery on the bass; and Marty Sours on the guitar. Marty recently transferred to Glendale from Flintridge Prep.

"Chuck is one of the most outstanding bass players I've ever heard," comments Rector.

Among their performances the "Zephyrs" have played for the Southern California Journalism contest hosted by Glendale High in February.

Since then their popularity has zoomed and they entertained at the Dad-Daughter Banquet and Dutch Treat Dance.

Orators Club Prepares To Compete At Annual Redlands Speech Tourney

Redlands University will be the scene of tear drops and laughter April 18 and 19, when it hosts local speakers for its annual speech tournament.

Ten members of the Glendale High School Orators Club will meet with representatives from various other high schools to compete in the tourney. Included among the ten from Glendale is one of the debate teams, consisting of Dick Marshall and Dick Webb.

Featured for competition are original oratory, girls oratory, girls extemporaneous speaking hymorous

temporaneous speaking, humorous interpretation, dramatic interpretation, boys oratorical interpretation and general oratorical interpertation.

Netherlin.

Janice Goodemoot, Carlene Millius, Joel Miller, Deanne Mestredda, Pat Nichols, John Robinson, Ray Sandbourgh, Vicki Shaw, Mary Schmidt, and Nazneen Thanawalla are some of the members trying out for the tournament.

Club members are planning to compete in the Memorial Day speech competition. They are also planning a party for the end of the year.

John Robinson, Orators Club president, is competing in a Lions Club scholarship contest. He has the first trials and if he wins the next two he will be awarded a \$1,500 scholarship.

Junior Salesmen Attend Steak Dinner

two answers for every question?

One hundred and two Junior Class salesmen whose sales exceeded \$50 in the annual magazine sales drive were treated to steak dinners at the Bill Storey's Restaurant. Entertainment was provided by the movie "Bridge on the River Kwai."

Also attending the dinner were Miss Margaret Graham, teacher of the winning individual class in the sales competition; Mr. John Barens, instructor of the second place class, with his wife; and Mrs. Hilda Jones, whose class won last year, with her husband.

This year's Junior Class brought in \$13,872 and made a \$4,000 profit, which will help finance festivities for the group's senior year, according to Mr. Dudley Graham, class adviser.

Plans for a cancer drive in downtown Glendale have been made by Civinettes, one of Glendale High School's service clubs.

This drive will be held on the streets of Glendale, where the girls will go into stores and ask for donotions.

The Civinette club at Glendale has 70 members, junior and senior girls, and is a branch of Civitan International.

Heading social activities of the organization will be a party tonight to be held at Ronalee Williams' home. It is a pot-luck dinner for both Civitans and Civinettes.

Within the next few months, Civinettes plan to send a representative to a Civinette convention in San Diego. Barbara Pence, president, and Barbara Hartman, vice-president, lead this organization.

Y teen Annual Breakfast Scheduled for Saturday

All Y-Teens are invited to attend the annual Y-Teen Mother-Daughter Breakfast to be held at the YWCA on Saturday.

"Youth Orbit of Friendship" has been chosen as the theme.

The Breakfast will start at 8 a.m. and the price is \$1.50 for both mother and daughter. These tickets may be purchased at the YWCA.

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Glendale Journalism Students Participate in Navy Field Day

Among the 300 students and teachers who took part in "A Day in the Navy" for high school journalists were two Explosion staffers, Roy Schmidt and Bob Moore.

During Easter vacation high school journalists and sponsors from all over the Southland braved the rain, cold, and some seasickness to witness the United States Navy in action.

Purpose of this program was to show how the navy could operate in certain wartime conditions. The first operation of the day was a demonstration of mine sweeping. This is done to "rid the port of any mines that might have been laid by the enemy."

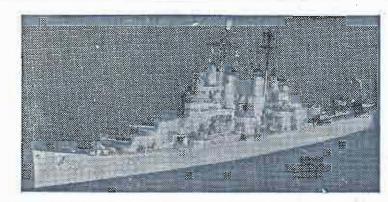
The destroyer USS Thomas dropped a depth charge to 30 feet. This charge did not go off. Preparations were then made ready for another charge.

Meanwhile the USS Maddox dropped a successful charge and the Thomas followed finally with a successful blast.

Depth charges are used to destroy submarines, and their jolting effect could be felt readily aboard the destroyers.

Next operation was a gunnery exercises with the two destroyers and the cruiser USS Columbus firing simultaneously.

Submarine maneuvers, torpedo firing, refueling exercises and an air show put on by two jet planes, took up the remainder of the exciting day.



STEAMING INTO PORT is the USS Columbus with over 300 high school journalists aboard. Among them were Bob Moore and Roy Schmidt, who represented Glendale High in the "A Day in the Navy" contest.



POURING ON THE STEAM is Nitro hurler Darrell Sutherland as he sets to let fly with a high, hard one. Sutherland is currently Glendale's top flinger and will be counted on strongly in the Foothill League stretch drive.

Tribe, 'Dogs Trampled; Glovers Capture First

by Dick Kreck Stringer Saves Win

Varsity, Bee Aquamen Win Loop; Go in All League Meet Friday

Glendale High's Footbill League Swimming champions enter the All-Foothill League swimming finals, trophy in their division. this Friday.

The Foothill League Meet will be held at Hoover High this year, and all six schools in the Foothill League will compete. The meet starts at 3 p.m.

The GHS varsity swimmers, who are undisputed Foothill League champions again this year with an impressive ten wins and no losses record, are favored to win the team

The Bee aquamen, also Foothill League champs with a nine wins and one loss record, will shoot for their division's trophy against tough competition.

The Glendale Cees, who don't have duel during the regular season, will go for their league championship on Friday. Leading the

Firecrackers will Rockne Rudolph, breaststroker Mike Towles, and backstroker Steve Saylor, backer up by a good, all around squad.

Varsity Smashes Hoover

Glendale's varsity smashed Hoover, 70-16, in the Dyno pool for the final duel meet of the season last Friday. Winning every event evcept the 100 yard freestyle, the Dynos looked ready and able to take on the stiff C.I.F. competition at the preliminaries on April 25.

Victorious were the Nitro medley relay team of Jim Baugh, Bill Mortimer, Booth Hartly, and Rick Mathews in 2:02.8; 50 freestyle, Mathews, 25.8; 100 yard butterfly, Hartly, 1:00.0; 200 yard freestyle, Bob Moulton, 2:09.0; 100 yard backstrok, Baugh, 1:08.6; and 100 yard breaststroke, Mortimer, 1:14.9.

Other Glendale winners were Bill Brown, diving; Moulton and Mortimer tied in the 150 yard individual medley in 1:59.7; and the Dyno 200 yard freestyle relay or Hartley, Moulton, Bough, and Ron Morris won in 1:44.0.

The GHS Bees lost their only meet in the 1958 season to Hoover.

Muir Downed

Glendale swimmers defeated Muir 521/2-331/2 in varsity and 46-40 in Bee division on March 28. The Bee win cinched the league Bee crown for Glendale. Glendale Bee winners at that meet were 200 medley relay, Larry Patton, Joel Kotin, Ralph Powers, Vance Bennett, 1:59.0 (new school record); 100 butterfly, Powers, 1:07.3; 100 backstroke, Patton, 1:08; 100 breaststroke, Bob Therrien, 1:19.8; diving, Chas, Watson; 75 yard individual medley, Patton, 44.9.

Johnson - Rose 14'?

Glendale, Hoover Clash on Friday

Cross-town rivalry will be at its peak Friday when Glendale's cindermen meet powerful Hoover in a Foothill League clash at Glendale with the start slated for 7:30 p.m. at Glendale.

Leading the Tornado efforts will be Stan Rhodes, John Marshall, and

Netmen Crush Burroughs, 6-1

The Glendale High netters blanked the Burroughs netmen last Friday in a startling 6-1 defeat, making them undefeated in Foothill League play this season.

Sparking the team, firstman Wayne Collett, lost the first set to Jim Dompe of Burroughs, 6-3, but displaying great playing ability, came back to win the net two sets 6-0, 6-3, and the match.

The remaining singles scores went as follows: Larry Weeshoff (G) def. Scitz (B), 6-2, 6-4; Bill Dawson (G) def. Marshall (B), 6-2, 6-3; John Lisk (G), def. Snowbarger (B), 6-0, 6-0; Arvid Ronnfeldt John Rose. Rhodes is currently among the top five sprinters in the Southern California area and he, along with Marshall, is the mainstay of the Hoover sprint department.

Johnson, Rose Mix

Rose and Glendale's Bob Johnson will square away in one of the season's top events when each will try to top the 14-1/2 pole vault mark set by Rose earlier this year.

Coach Lon Graf will be depending heavily on century-man Bill Gableman when the two squads clash. Also in the head mentor's plans are hurdler Bill Fasano and distance men Bob Hines, Miles Haskin, and Jerry Saulvester.

Muir Minus Clipper=Loss

With Mel Clipper absent from the conflict, Glendale took full advantage of the opportunity to edge Muir. 56-48, and at this writing displayed a record of 2-0-1.

In the Bee and Cee divisions, Glendale was the controlling party as the Blasters copped a 63-32 victory and the Firecrackers won 471/2-291/2, winning 291/2 points on field events.

this stage last year, Glendale's baseball team was hugging the cellar floor.

This year the story is 100 per cent different, first place is the prize of the glovemen who boast of a 5-1 record.

Nitros Take First

Friday the Dynos moved into undisputed control of first place as they blanked Burrough, 3-0. Once again leading the batting for Glendale was Simila.

Against the Indians, Simila collected two hits in three trips, including a triple and an rbi 'Sim' also sparkled afield taking part in a double play to erase a Redskin threat.

Well ---

Doug Stringer, who took over for Don Hagen in the third after Hagen had been ruffed up by the Indians.

The first batter to face Hagen was Chuck Johnson, who promptly blasted the ball to the outfield and was picked off at the plate as he attempted to stretch his blast into a round-tripper.

On Tuesday of last week the Nitro nine straightened out the Pasadena Bulldogs, 9-6 as shortstop sensation Denny Simila blasted a home run and a double and batted across five runs to lead the victory.

LINE SCORE

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Batteries — Johnson and White: Hagen, Stringer (3), and Vernon.

Dyno Athletes Enjoy Winning Week

--- It's This Way

by Dick Kreck

With one of it winningest weeks in many moons, Glendale gladiator squads failed to drop a single varsity battle to its foes.

Coach Lon Graf surprised Foothill spike handicappers with a 56-48 win over high-touted Muir. Big gun for the cindermen was Bob Johnson, who won both the broad jump and the pole vault.

Batsmen Avenge Scalping

In baseball, Coach Bill Gelsinger and his charges avenged an earlier 4-1 defeat from Burroughs when they blanked the Indians 3-0. Shortstop Denny Simila again provided the hitting punch with a triple and an rbi. A second Foothill Loop championship was the prize for the Glen-

Rifle Team Formed Bo

Girls are becoming crack shots as members of a girls' rifle team under Mrs. Hazel Johnson and Sgt. James Rupert, instructors.

The rifle team is a new attraction at Glendale and it consists of 26 girls who are formerly swimming students. Since the swimming pool has changed hands for the last quarter, something had to be done with the girls' swim class, and a rifle team was the answer.

Some of the best shots of the team include: Clindy Brayton, Dawn Churchill, Sonia Landsverk, Nancy Parker, Lynn Walker and Nancy Strickiand.

dale kingpin swim team as the mermen swamped Hoover, 70-16. Bob Moulton footed more than his share of the bill with wins in the 200 free, 200 individual medley and on the winning relay team.

Wayne Collett continues to be "the cat of the courts" as he led the Nitro netmen to a 6-1 win over Burroughs by dropping his opponent 3-6, 6-0, 6-3.

Anyone for Hay?

It may be a good idea to "make hay while the sun shines" for next year Glendale will be impelled to share its Crescenta Valley talent well with Hoover.

Glendale's domination of the Foothill League may be jeopard-dized.

In the doubles division: Steve Olson-Dentals Elwell (G) def. Mann-Goldenburg (B), 6-2, 4-6, 6-4; Jim Blum-Clark Jolley (G) lost to Brinkman-Allen (B), 8-6, 7-5.

The netters JV team also is doing well this season, bowing to defeat only once. Coach Gene Haas expects great things next year from firstman Harold Peterson, and secondman Clay Crowley, who has gone undefeated this year.

Installed in Helms Hall of Fame

The Helms Athletic Foundation recently honored 133 administrators, coaches, and athletes in placing them in the first High School Hall of Fame.

Among the famous athletes in the new hall are Charles Dumas, Preston Griffin, Fred Haney, Jess Hill, Marty Keough, Eddie Mathews, Parry O'Brien, and Charles Paddock.

In a list jammed with big names in the sporting world, Glendale High placed six former coaches and athletes on the roster.

Coaches named to the role were the late Russell Cripe, Mr. Normal Hayhurst, Mr. Ed Keinholz, and Mr. Sam Tenison. The two athletes chosen were Mr. Floyd "Babe" Herman and Mr. Frank Wykoff.

Mr. Cripe, a graduate of Wabash College, coached track at Glendale from 1929 to 1938. He found time to lead the Dynos to the CIF football championship in 1937—a team which boasted of stars Frankie Albert and Bill Reinhardt.

Arkansas University was the alma mater of Mr. Normal Hay-hurst, who coached at Glendale before World War II. Currently a businessman in Glendale, Mr. Hay-hurst is former superintendant of Glendale schools and coached the great Frank Mykoff in 1928.

A trophy was named after Mr. Keinholz, who lettered in track, football and basketball at Washington State. He built a football record of four years undefeated at Long Beach Poly and led the Nitros to Footbill Loop football crowns in '35 and '36.

Sam Tenison, now of Glendale College, was another member named to the scroll.

Before World War II, Mr. Tenison coached football and track at the college and returned to the position following the war.

Two Athletes Named

One of two Glendale athletes named was Floyd "Babe" Herman who, after graduation in the early twenties, became a top hitting star with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Frank Wykoff was also chosen as an outstanding athlete and still holds two Dyno spike records in the 100 and 220 events which he set in 1928.



MUSCLES are in the majority in the newly organized boys' weightlifting class. Bob Randall, one of several students in the program demonstrates the bench press.

L-1-1-F-T!

Gym Class Weightlifting Program Spurred by Large Turnouts

Muscles have been bulging, sinews straining, and torsos developed daily in the boys' gym since the new weight-lifting courses started this semester.

The new course, at present in the experimental stage, contains two sections, one for body development and the other for weight reducing.

Two hundred and forty students are curently participating in the course, and they work out every other day.

In charge of the course are Coac-

hes Leo Arrannaga, Richard Davis, Bud Teachout, and Roy Vujovich.

Though the course has been a success to date because of the immense interests of the boys and coaches, it has not been decided yet as to whether it will be continued.

"The experience can give a great deal to the student who puts something into the course, but it should be understood that weight-lifting is not supported to supplement other sports. Rather it is an aid to other sports," Coach Ed Goorjian emphasized.