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Father Charles Holmes
Retreat Master

Father Holmes Will Conduct Retreat Feb. 4-6

The student body retreat this year will take place beginning Monday, February 4th and will continue on the 5th and 6th.

Students will have an opportunity to review their past life and discover ways of bettering themselves in the coming year.

Retreat services will be conducted in the gym under the direction of Father Charles Holmes of St. Patrick's Church, Angels Camp, California.

Father Holmes was ordained at St. Patrick's Seminary in Menlo Park, June, 1959, and served at St. Luke's Parish, Stockton. Father Holmes was chaplain at the Friant Ranch School for Boys at San Andreas before his assignment at St. Patrick's.

Retreat activities will consist of daily Mass, communal prayers, private reading periods, talks by the priest, and confessional opportunities.

Conferences to be given by Father Holmes are entitled Values, Second Plank Of Salvation, The Eleventh Commandment, You, A Leader, and The Hurdles In The Race.

Class TC-2, under the direction of Brother Gabriel, is preparing a display relating to the work of many religious orders in the United States.

Private Dance Set For Block CB Club

Lettermen of the Block CB club will attend a closed dance on the evening of February 22nd. This free admission dance is one of several social events sponsored by the club for its members. It is expected that all members will be in attendance for a fun filled evening. Decorations will be hung through the efforts of Rene Lo-

"Perfidia" Dance To Be Held Feb.

Christian Brothers School's next dance will be held Friday evening, February 8th, in the school gym.

"Perfidia" is the title of a song written in the early '40's and is designated as the theme of the dance which will get under way at 8:30 and end at 11:30 p. m.

Decorations committeemen will be supervised by Brother Gabriel, Student Council moderator, and the following members of the committee who are assisting: Dave Irwin, chairman; Ken Jones, refreshments; Frank Carson, decorations; Tim Seeboth, lighting; Angelo, tickets, and Mickey Cheng, posters.

Attire for Perfidia dance is dressy sport. Tickets are 75¢ stag, \$1.25 couple, and may be purchased from Freshman Magaletti and Sophomore Jim Angelo in the Cafeteria during lunch periods.



Participants find Christmas dance engrossing.

LA SALLE CLUB SCHEDULES BASEBALL EVE.

The LaSalle Club's annual Baseball Night will be held Monday evening, February 11, 1963, in the CBS gym. All Club members, their friends, and fathers of students have been invited.

The festivities will begin at 6:30 with cocktails. A tamale dinner will be served at 8:00.

Several baseball celebrities will be present.

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Mother's Guild Sets Annual Fashion Show

Fashions "Round The Clock" will be the theme for the annual fashion show of the Christian Brothers' Guild to be held on Friday evening, February 15th at eight p. m. in the school gymnasium.

Mrs. James MacDonald is chairman of the event assisted by Mesdames Albert Van Hoecke and Frederick Schrader.

Committee members include Mesdames Ray Will, Tickets; William Chorley, Decorations; Walter Wehking and Clifford Flewell, Refreshments; Richard Ewing and Forrest Vigione, Candy; Hilda Gandour, Models; George Sequera, Hosts; Gene Lynch, Programs; Thomas P. Kenny, Door Prizes; Michael Lynch, Favors; Thomas A. Scully, Acknowledgements and Donald McFarland, Raffle.

Fashions to be modeled are those of Lady Fair Fashions and The College Hi Shop. The music

High School will serve as and models.

All proceeds will go to Christian Brothers High School Scholarship Fund.

Christian Brothers' Guild hold the monthly meeting on day evening, February 11th at eight p. m. in the school cafeteria. Father Christopher Neary, Catholic Chaplain at the California Youth Authority will be guest speaker.

Room 109 Solicits For Carmelites

Sophomore class 109, led by Bowling, Mike Smolich, Joe Olson, and Pat Pierson, spearhead a canned food collection for Carmelite Sisters of Sacramento. The results were presented as Christmas gift to the nuns, whose monastery is located on Stockton Boulevard.

Donations were solicited from stores and food warehouses.

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37 Qualify For C.S.F.

Seventeen sophomores and twenty freshmen have qualified for membership in the California Scholarship Federation for the spring semester.

To become a member, a student must attain ten grade points, at least eight of which are academic. Three points are given for an "A" in an academic subject; one point is given for a "B."

Sophomores will receive the torch lapel pin, symbol of the CSF. Freshmen will be presented with a card.

C.S.F. members for this year are:

Damian Ford (123)	James Ansted (TC-2)
Robert Franken (123)	Fred Boughton (TC-2)
Arthur Liebacher (123)	Dave Coffrey (TC-2)
Mike Oden (123)	Laurence Kessis (TC-2)
Carl Panatieri (123)	Mike Magalenti (TC-2)
John Prazal (123)	Chris Melius (TC-2)
Louis Viani (123)	Steve Mayers (TC-2)
John Welsickie (123)	Gerry O'Brian (TC-2)
Ray Fadema (109)	Randy Reedy (TC-2)
Gary Assal (223)	Tom Tractor (TC-2)
Mark Irish (TC-4)	Don Schroepfer (113)
John Britton (TC-3)	James Babcock (119)
Steve Logaria (219)	Peter Cook (119)

Wearing Socks While Dancing Is 'Stylish' At Block CB Dance

"Have Sock, Will Rock" was the theme of the private dance held in the school's cafeteria on the evening of February 22nd.

Guests of the basketball team and Block CB members wore socks supplied by the girls' escorts.

Preparation for the 8:30 to 12:30 a.m. affair were handled by President Rene Lopez on the decorating end, John Domasky providing the food, and John Fanner supplied the music.

Chaperones were Mr. Napoli and Mr. Gracida.

Examination for the 1st period of the 2nd semester are as follows: March 21—class periods 1, 2, 6, March 22—class

Brother James Joins Faculty

The faculty of CBS has a new addition in the person of Brother James, who is an English instructor.

Brother comes to us from St. Mary's College, where he was assigned for five years. At Saint Mary's he taught English and was curator of the Art Gallery. Previous to that he taught for many years in Louisiana.

Brother James is a sculptor and painter. One of his sculptured works was exhibited at the State Fair two years ago. He enjoys nature study in his spare time.

When asked for his impression of CBS and Sacramento, Brother replied, "Very fine, I find the school very interesting; and I am glad to be able to come to Sacramento now, just as the mushrooming season is starting

to take place. I find the school building very artistic. I was pleased to find out that the students have an interest in science."

CBS Forensic Group Wins 3 of 4 Debates At Multi-school Meet

The CBS Debate Team, under the direction of Mr. Justin Davis, won three out of four debates at a multi-school meet at Madera February 9th.

The topic for discussion was, "Resolved: Should the United States promote a common market in the Western Hemisphere?"

The following schools participated: Madera, Tracy, St. Mary's of Stockton, Rippon Union, Rippon Christian and Turlock.

The forensic group's next debate will be March 25th.

Dave Peterschmidt (119)	John Shellogg (119)
Phil Valverde (219)	Tom Shea (119)
Robert Verdine (219)	Phil Neiderberg (119)
Gregory Anglemeyer (119)	Mark Scott (119)
	Steve Scully (119)
	Frank Davila (207)



Some country and western was provided for last Thursday's student body rally by Paul and Gerald Agresti. So new in the rally was the presence of girl performers. "talented St. Francis singer received a hearty welcome.



This was the scene at last Thursday evening's Block C.B. Sock Dance. At right are chaperones Napoli and Mr. Gracida with their wives, taking advantage of the music and atmosphere.

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Service Club Formed By Student Council

Upon the suggestion of the student council at their meeting of March 25th, a service club composed of members of the council and the freshmen vice-presidents was established.

The club which became active April 1st, lists as its purpose, aiding of "the faculty and administration in the proper and

efficient management of school grounds, guarding against unnecessary entering of the building, before class and lunch periods, to ensure a minimum of noise near the building during the lunch period, and to keep general good order in the cafeteria.

It was announced that any student failing to comply with the above listed "aims" or any member of the student council from fulfilling his duty will be subject to a suspension.

Only students going to the office or the library in the main building will be permitted to enter the main building. At other periods, students may enter the office only.

The service club members will be recognized by gold council pins until arm bands are obtained.

Annual Play Production Being Readied

The Broadway Players will present their annual production, which this year is "Arsenic and Old Lace," on May 10 and 11.

"Arsenic and Old Lace" is the story of two old aunts and their nephew in their attempt to relieve old men of the misery of life by retiring them to the peace of the grave.

The aunts are played by William Granstedt (123) and Jack Praxel (123), and their nephew, Teddy, is played by J. Jumper of Bishop Armstrong. Teddy, like his aunts, is quite insane and he thinks he is Theodore Roosevelt. Into this situation comes the aunts' murderous nephew, Johnathan, played by Damian Ford (123). He is accompanied by a plastic surgeon, Dr. Einstein, played by Ray Fredette (109).

Other actors in the play include: The Rev. Harper—John G. O'Brien (219), Elaine Harper—Angie Mendoza and Gale Metcalf (St. Joseph's), Mortimer Brewster—John Flowers (123), Officer O'Hara—Clarence Culla-



Brother Owen mounts ladder with paint brush in hand, readying "Arsenic and Old Lace" set. Production is scheduled for May 10th and 11th.

more (Bishop Armstrong), Officer Brophy—Bob Johnson (219), Officer Klien—Bob Briggs (219), Lieutenant Rooney—Tim Maher (TC-3).

Procedures For Election Are Outlined

Student Body elections will be held this year in the early days of May, with the possibility that they will be intermingled with festivities for the feast of St. La-Salle.

The elections will be conducted in a manner similar to last year's, keeping the primary and final elections system.

The freshman classes will each be able to nominate one to five candidates, designating the office they are nominated for. The candidates will then be put on the primary ballot. Although the office each is running for will be shown, votes may be cast to place them in any office.

Those three who receive the highest number of votes will

'On Broadway Easter Dance Set April 26

The fourth student body dance of the school year, "On Broadway," will be held April 26th at the CBS Gym. Brother Gabriel made this statement concerning the dance:

"Due to the strenuous austerities on the part of the C.B.S. Student Body, the dance is in order. This is to bring alive the forgotten graces practiced by the faithful prior to Lent."

Brother Gabriel and committee chairman A. Irwin, have put these in charge of the dance: Jones, refreshments; Frazer, decorations; Tim Angelo, lighting; Jim Angelo, Mickey Cheng, posters. Admission to the dance is 75 cents stag, \$1.25 per

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