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No need to decipher, as Sue Wier, 3117 E. Rutland tries out Groves high school's trial dictation machine. Gail Kingsbury, 3111 Pierce (standing) learns the machine's operation by watching her classmate at work. Ronald Rolph watched his tenth-grade typing students and the new machine. The girls are from Beverly Hills.

Groves High School They Find Something Easier Than Shorthand

By SHERRY VASKO

The typing room at Groves High school has been loaned a dictaphone by the Dictaphone corporation. The machine is here for the students who plan to follow through on a commercial course.

Many students are learning how to understand and operate the dictaphone. The first to initiate the machine was Mr. Ronald Rolph. Following were Ruth Donaldson and Marty Evans.

The students at Groves are enjoying the daily noon movies. March 7 the new sound system which comes through the ceiling was put in use. Such movies as It Could Happen to You with Judy Holiday, Peter Lawford, and Jack Lemmon, are being shown.

The year book is nearly completed. Mr. Rolph and the students have put many long hours in after school.

Over six hundred year books have been ordered and will sell at \$2.50 May 28.

The Voice of Christian Youth is a new club at Groves. The V.C.Y. is a national, international organization comprised of high school students who meet weekly through Bible study, prayer, and Christian fellowship, we strive to follow the examples and teachings of Jesus.

The V.C.Y. club has elected the following officers to serve the remaining year: president, Karen Pickard; vice-president, Linda Wilson; secretary and treasurer, Sandy Firman; and reporter, Bob Reynolds.

The sponsors are Mr. Rolph, and co-sponsor Mr. Miller. Both are teachers at Groves.

Kingswood Column

By Joan McDonald

Elections are in the air at Kingswood. The end of February brought with it nominations for new officers, and March ushered in the elections.

Already the new members of next year's Dormitory council have been announced. They are Juniors Dianna Lapp and Martha Schroder and sophomore Nawal Hamady.

Under the new election schedule Student council officers and representatives, Student cabinet members, class presidents, and team captains were nominated by Feb. 26.

In assembly last Friday candidates for offices for which the entire school votes (Student council and Student cabinet) were introduced.

Balloting took place Tuesday. All offices will be announced before spring vacation.

Kingswood students received many of the Scholastic Art awards in the 9th annual exhibition sponsored by Crowley, Miller & Co. Those who received blue ribbons were Susan Gargill, Jo Dudeck, Pat Hewlett, Sarah Snyder, Victoria Joy, and Pat Marsh in weaving and Chris Norvell in ceramics.

Their works will be sent to New York to be judged in the national competition.

Susan Gargill, Pat Wilson, Jo Dudeck, and Pat Hewlett received gold achievement keys for weaving. Edith Schlafer was awarded keys for ceramics.

The first round of Metropolitan Spelling was Feb. 24. Grade winners were Yvette Daunic (seventh-

grade) and Kathy Shore (eighth-grade).

The Kingswood-Cranbrook presentation was warmly received both Friday and Saturday nights. The Gilbert and Sullivan operetta was greatly enjoyed by performers and audience alike.

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