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THE MARCH MEETING will be held on Friday, March 22, at Phoenix college, room C-102, at 8:00 P.m. (see map)

Our guest speaker will be A.J. Crayon. A.J. will be speaking about STAR CLUSTERS; HOW FAR & HOW OLD.

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DEAR MEMBERS: Our February meeting was outstanding due to the excellence of the lecture by Captain William T. O'Bryant, who would like to be known as "Bill".

The subject matter was the construction of his 16.5 inch Dobsonian. He not only demonstrated in detail as to how he constructed it, but also how he ground his own mirror. He showed us the books he got his information from, explaining step by step each phase of construction. He even gave us the mathematical equations used in his production of the mirror. It was obvious as to how much study he had put in to produce this well made telescope. The red finish was striking. His presence was enhanced by his wife, Jane.

Those who did not attend missed a good meeting, Presided over by Bill Krist, who covered for Raul Espinosa in his absence. (Great Job, Bill)

The sale of "MR. HALLEY'S COMET" was 61 Plus about 20 more commitments for a total of 81. All who attended took atleast one copy.

Our new member, Jim Lemon, enjoyed the meeting immensely.

See you at the March meeting.

-Harold Moorin-

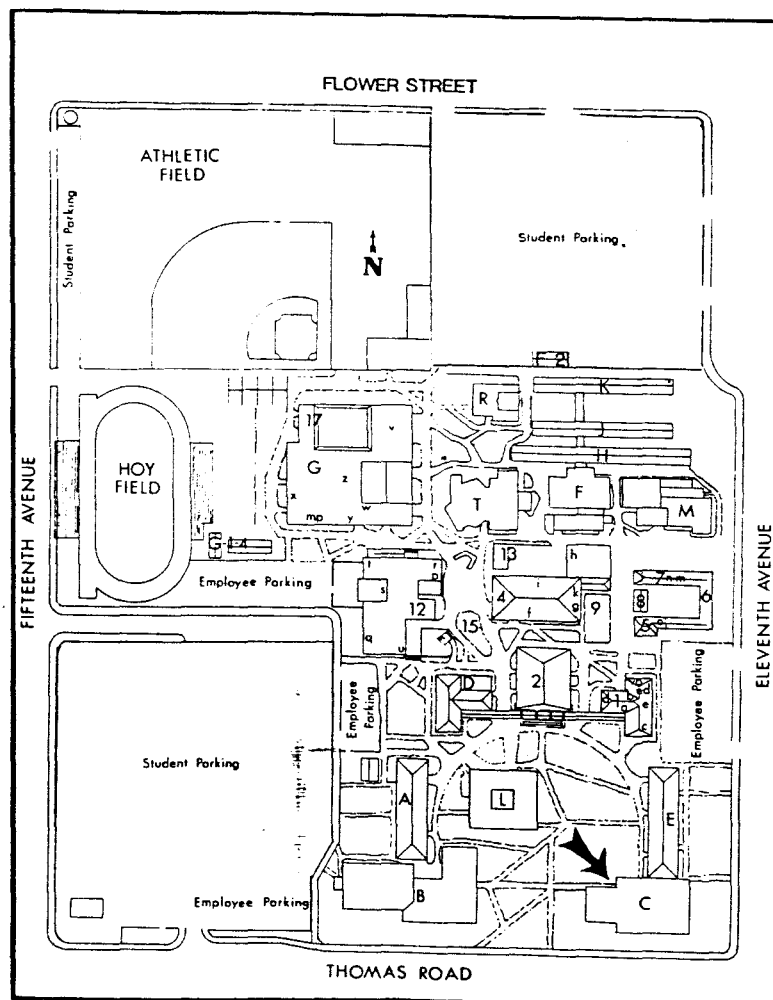
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WANTED: One member of PAS to attend the ARIZONA COUNCIL OF ENGINEERING AND SCIENTIFIC ASSOCIATION (ACESA) monthly meetings. If you are interested, Please see Raul Espinosa.

NATIONAL ASTRONOMY DAY is coming April 27. We need to have telescopes set up at Papago Park for the east side of town , and Saguaro Ranch Park for the west side. This is always a fun event. Please Plan to Participate if at all Possible.

NEXT MONTHS'S MEETING of the Phoenix Astronomical Society will be held on Friday, April 26.



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