Celebrated fictionalist on campus

Ray Bradbury, celebrated science-fiction writer, will be guest speaker on Thursday, May 6 at 8 pm in the new College Union.

Author of some 300 short stories and 24 books of novels, plays and stories, Bradbury has been classified as "the greatest living science-fiction writer" by literary critics around the world. Famous for his screenplay for the movie version of Herman Melville's "Moby Dick," Bradbury is currently at work on a screenplay based on a novel he wrote entitled "Something Wicked This Way Comes." Bradbury's musical "The Wonderful Ice Cream Suit" and I Sing the Body Electric will appear in production in New York City next year. He is presently at work on a Space Age cantata with Lalo Schifrin, the composer of TV theme music such as "Mission Impossible" and "Man from U.N.C.L.E."

The Martian Chronicles, Fahrenheit 451 and The Illustrated Man are some of Bradbury's more well known literary works. Born in Waukegan, Ill., in 1920, Bradbury now makes his home in Los Angeles.

General Admission ticket prices for the event are 75 cents for students and $1.30 for the general public. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the Julian A. McPhee College Union, and other downtown outlets.

Written by Cooper, indicating he had killed his wife and attempted suicide.

The police have classified Mrs. Cooper's death as a murder.

Calculated roles

The ASI president is the chief executive officer of the Associated Students, Incorporated. He is the official representative of the ASI, and is responsible for carrying out the provisions of all legislation. He serves as chairman of the Student Executive Council and has the power over all Student Affairs Council actions.

The vice president serves as chairman of, and is responsible for calling and presiding over all meetings of the Student Judiciary. He also acts as a spokesperson for the Student Judiciary in relations between the judiciary and the ASI and the college.

Banke meets Reagan on problems facing college

Gov. Ronald Reagan met with student officers from the 19 state colleges campuses recently in Sacramento to discuss problems which he thought to be of importance to the state college system.

The meeting was described by ASI Press, Paul Banks as "very informative because it let me know what the governor is thinking as well as the student president from the other state colleges."

The major topic of discussion in the hour and 15 minute meeting was the budget cuts for the upcoming 1971-72 academic year. Reagan expressed concern that many students are under the false impression that he had cut the state college budget for the upcoming academic year. He explained that in reality the budget had not been cut but instead it is $8 million greater than last year's budget.

According to Reagan, "the economy is in recession and we are not able to give everyone all the money that they would like or that we would like to give them. Until the recession is over there must be a period of belt tightening on everyone's part."

Many officers attending the meeting were angry over the governor's 10 per cent rollback on the Economic Opportunity Program budget which last year totaled $2.3 million. Reagan attempted to quell the animosity explaining, "From all indications we have received, the federal government is going to augment the EOP budget by $8.1 million."

Reagan also announced that seven million are going to be spent to fully equip buildings on many state college campuses that would otherwise remain empty and out of use. The revenues were found from lessening off shore oil drilling sites.

Again money was the common denominator as the gathering discussed the students problem in selection of a college. Many felt that those who desired to attend a college close to home because of limited time and funds, should be given special consideration when his or her application was to be evaluated.

Reagan disagreed strongly on this point. He stated, "It would not be fair to give a person in one town in California a chance to go over a person in another town in the state because each of them are last year and entitled to the same rights as residents of California."

Two final topics of discussion were the publish or perish system of the UC campuses and the name change bill currently in front of the state legislature.

Most of the officers and Reagan were in general agreement that the publish or perish system was not a problem on the state college campuses and that it was not a desirable system. The name change bill would change the state college to state universities which was met with favor by most of those present as well as Reagan. Reagan however expressed hope that the name change, if adopted, would not include a publish or perish system or an expanded graduate program.

Nixon meets returning troops

UPI-President Nixon Friday welcomed the lst Marine Division home from Vietnam and pledged "we shall bring this war to an end in a way worthy of your service."

In a valid reference to the two weeks which he had spent off the US coast off the coast of Vietnam he left behind in Washington, Nixon said the Vietnamese War was "the first national emergency in which a rapid, heavy U.S. pullout leads to a communist takeover."

"We are not going to fail," he said. "We will succeed because of your valor; we will succeed because of the American people when they find out what the stakes are."

Innovative author of science fiction, screenplays, and musicals, and some 300 short stories and 14 books, will speak in the College Union, May 6 at 8 pm.

Tragic deaths—wife strangled

Tragedy struck a social science instructor at this college and a former Bureau of Agriculture employee associated with this school last week.

B.L. Scruggs, 46, of Pismo Beach, who conducted classes as usual at the first part of the week, died in a San Luis Obispo hospital, of a heart attack.

A retired Bureau of Agriculture employee, George Cooper, who previously had his office on this campus, was found at his home Friday morning with his throat cut and was rushed to Sierra Vista Hospital for treatment. His wife Gladys was found dead.

The police have classified Mrs. Cooper's death as a murder.
Candidates for ASI President:

Pete Evans

As students we are the most effective force in the effort to halt the United States' for the aggression in SE Asia. The liberals in this country have passed the buck to us. This issue is not separate from the academic community—we are all intimately affected by it. If the sadistic adventures of Allied forces don't drive you up the wall then perhaps the thought of this country's resources being drained in a senseless venture does. I plan to stand firm on this issue and if elected to encourage the student body to support anti-war activities until an end to the war is reached.

I don't claim to be a politician, but rather a fighter for student rights. Marianne Doshi is running for V.Pres. with her help and yours I hope to implement the plans as outlined in her article. VOTE

LISTEN TO THE WIND—CHANGE IS COMING

Mike Jones

Cal Poly is a multi-racial entity, and many of these ethnic groups don't really identify with any other ethnic group. Poly students, for the most part, aren't aware of these cultural minority groups that compose a relevant segment of the Cal Poly student body. As ASI President I want to be informed of the problems of these groups whether they be Black, Brown, Yellow, Iranian, Pakistani, etc. so that I may work with these groups to investigate solutions. Cal Poly is in need of student leaders that will provide a strong cohesive force that will help us get together. I can provide that leadership, and I will concentrate my effort and energy to make students aware of the problems that confront us, and together we can work on solutions. Student government must tune in to all factions of the student population, not just the Aggies or any other individual segment but to all students.

I feel there is a definite communication gap between student government and the students at large. I would insist on contributing more detailed information on relevant issues to the Mustang Daily for student consumption. Question and answer hour on KCPR radio would give students a chance to voice opinions to the ASI President and to engage in some relevant dialogue between staff, faculty, and students on controversial issues. Perhaps with the combination of these methods we can motivate the apathetic within out school, at least into being more aware and knowledgeable of current events.

I don't present half-baked superficial programs to initiate, nor do I advocate revolution or sudden drastic change—not that we don't need it. I believe there are many more ends to be tied with programs that are relevant and in need of more dynamic leadership and better ideas for their successful fulfillment. We have to stand united if we are going to be heard, and we must work together if we are to overcome the forces of suppression.

Skip Kelley

It's let's play student government time again. Pete and George and Mike are all talking as if student government were something real. THEY want to make their OWN point of view. I want to let you represent your own views. If you have a point of view, you will probably be trying to do something somewhere because of it. I want to represent your RIGHT to commit yourself to something without getting bogged down in petty bureaucracy. I will discuss this subject in more detail in my editorial. "Dealing with the Administration"...The following ballot dividing up where you want your ASI money to go. Any recognized ASI club or activity could propose a program and ask for funds. As it is now, a few student government 'trippers' sit on top of everything and become an ASI member, that he becomes my employer and I become his employee. My purpose and that of student government would be to provide services to the student. Your needs will shape my schedule.

My platform is based on research and discussion with students on this campus and people from other campuses. My platform is as follows: 1. a committee of students, staff, and representatives of the landlord would be set up to write a model lease to be made available through the ASI to students who are tenants. Also a booklet would be written explaining the rights and responsibilities of tenants. 2. I support the concept of bikeways on campus and would work to have them installed on campus. 3. I favor the work being done on the bus system by the senior project team and I would work for a bus system if it proves feasible. 4. I support annexation of the city by the college. Currently 800,000 pounds is going to the county in tax refunds and campus parking fines. That amount would go to the city. I propose that as a condition of annexation that a commission be set up, to share the revenue between the city and the college. Once the legal aspects are worked out the dorm residents could register to vote in local, state and national elections. I favor faculty evaluation by students and would work for its implementation. During the campaign I will make myself available to be questioned by any student. If elected I would continue to do so under the open meeting format as well published times and places. Tution for US and foreign students, ecology and many other problems face us. I want to work with all students to solve these problems.

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Blue octopus

The venom of the blue-ringed octopus, a creature so small you can count one in your hand, has killed a number of people who have picked it up. Found off the coast of Australia, Ceylon, and Japan, the miniature monster is thought to have a less deadly than that of either snakes or spiders.
At Any Party

Marrianne Doshi

Many areas of student life at Cal Poly need reevaluation and re-evaluation. As ASI Vice-President, I am not only going to do my best to make the ASI work for the students and not only for an elected few.

Mike Bohl

A committee to look into the possibility—we need a fully accredited attorney available for all students and funds—NOW.

Rick Frier

My platform is formed around three basic points. First, after three years of student government in one form or another, I saw a continuous waste of ASI money. Spending money needlessly and not bothering to develop money-saving policies is a common practice of most governmental officials. My point is efficiency. Efficiency, I feel, is needed badly here at Cal Poly. Asking the students to increase their tuition at any rate to make up for loss of money or poor efficiency is going too far. Education is not designed or should not be designed for the wealthy, but for all that are willing and wanting.

Secondly, many times too many departments or schools have come up with the short end of the stick. This, I feel, is due directly to lack of voice and organization. Students outside that particular school know little of their needs. Their representatives try to communicate their needs only by using operational terms, which mostly are understood in a different manner than they were originally meant. Let's bridge that communication gap: let's achieve equality among the schools. Then, let's unify our college. In doing this, we have organization.

And third, Problems. I could give you my feelings about the problems today, however, time and space would not do justice toward them. Next year, there will be many more. My feelings about problem solving is the same philosophy that the college of Oxford teaches. To each problem there is a logical solution. The problem is finding it. Having two majors and a minor, all in separate schools of Cal Poly, I hit many problems, and find this philosophy to stand pet.
Russ Hurlcy

I feel it is my duty to run SAC in an orderly and efficient manner which will facilitate student involvement in student affairs. By bringing the different clubs and councils together we can run SAC in a more representative manner for the students.

In conclusion, I think it will be of great importance to all students next year will be the constructive influence of the student officers. Everyone can have on the Board of Trustees decisions concerning tuition, on-campus housing, and other issues need to come in future. By taking in the truest and most favorable decision for the students at Cal Poly can be achieved.

Some of the current problems confronting students are housing, faculty evaluation, parking, transportation, and annexation of the college by the city which are of prime importance to all students. These issues need to be dealt with. The smooth coordination between students, the college community and the area surrounding Cal Poly. Also, many of the problems are directly related to the quality of education you as students will receive as a Cal Poly student.

In conclusion, I have mentioned plus many others need to be questioned, answered and these answers need to be implemented. Much work will be done to solve these problems but it will be worth the time and effort in order to gain a cooperative education for all. I would like to work toward that goal next year.

Thomas Hannum 2nd candidate for Justice

In seeking your vote for the Mustang Wrestling Justice, I make only one promise, and that is to represent the entire student body in this university ability.

The duties of Chief Justice consist primarily of presiding over the Student Judiciary Committee when any complaint or appeal has been made to this body. But I am not the only one who would give the Island problems. I do cases brought forward—there are Associate Justices from each school which have equal voting power on the Island. These two received the 1969-1971 game of sandlot baseball, and the next occasion will be to honor the 1970-1971 season; Thursday, April 29, the ante-4200. The two also received the Outstanding Freshman Award as a Fresno City College team. From that point, everyone here at Cal Poly.

Kopitar most valuable

A clear spring day, the smell of blood-dripping steaks being cooked over an oak back fire, games of sandlot baseball, and the sound of loud yelling and laughter set the stage for the 1970-1971 Wrestling Awards Banquet.

The place: Cuesta Park, the date; Thursday, April 29, the occasion; to honor the 1970-1971 Mustang Wrestling Team. Wrestling Coach Vaughan Hitchcock, and Cal Poly employee for 15 years, was honored as one of the finest cuisines which included steaks, beans, French bread, salad, punch, cake, cookies, and icecream.

Kopitar opened the formal portion of the get together when he presented members of the College Division Championship Team (ten wrestlers in all) with a large, framed, black and white team picture. From that point, the individual awards were presented for the following categories:

Outstanding Freshman Award was presented to 118 pounder Jack Spates. He received a pen and pencil set plaque and a gift certificate from Green Brothers Clothing Store of San Luis Obispo. The Most Improved Wrestler Award went to Sophmore Steve Gardner, a regular starter at the 142 pound class, to receive a pen and pencil set plaque and a Green Brothers Gift certificate. The Outstanding Freestyle Wrestler Award went to heavyweight Tim Kopitar, a junior from Pittsburg. He was awarded the pen and pencil set plaque and a gift certificate on the merit of compiling a total of 109 team points for Mustangs in competition. The Outstanding Wrestler Award was shared by co-captains John Finch and Lee Torres. The two also received awards as being chosen team co-captains, which were trophy clocks, each received a pen and pencil set, and Kopitar Brothers gift certificates. Finch was a four-year letterman for the Mustangs. Trading the distinction of being a member of four National Championship squads. Hitchcock devoted himself to the Mustangs as a Fresno City College student and was a regular starter for the past two seasons.

Concluding the ceremonies, Hitchcock praised the wrestling squad as one of the two best teams ever produced in California.

Hitchcock being the successful coach that he is, offered one last mark, "we have the product to improve on last season's marks, the coming season started, when the last season ended. Everyone of you should be working right now for the next season."