Highway route shelved from lack of support

by ROGER VINCENT

The proposed rerouting of Highway 1 was thwarted after a five-hour debate last Monday night. In the aftermath, the proposed highway construction has been shelved by the California State Division of Highways, but personal feelings on the matter remain.

Councilman T. Keith Gurnas, who was an opponent of the highway from its inception and made the motion against the proposal and he was left with a kind of funny feeling about the whole thing. "I'm happy with the outcome, but I don't consider it a full victory. The others who voted against it didn't have my sense of urgency. We got together and shot it down for different reasons, but I'm happy we did it. I can't take any real credit for the victory, though it was rewarding."

On the other side, Councilman Emmons Blake, who voted for the measure, still feels that San Luis Obispo will eventually have to reroute Highway 1. However, he did say, "I will support the council's motion."

Blake also pointed out that all the people who came to the meeting and protested that cars should serve us instead of us serving them, only one person stated that she would like to get rid of her own car. He supports the mayor's contention that people would oppose the measure because it was popular. "When the council voted on the city's four million dollar budget a short time ago, only two people showed up. Something with high emotional impact like this packs a bigger wallop."

Blake doesn't buy the arguments against the proposed freeway, and will support it should it come up again. Meanwhile, the California State Division of Highways has shelved the project for lack of public support.

Military assist cut 20 percent

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee, continuing to pare the foreign aid bill, voted to slash the U.S. military assistance program by 20 percent Thursday.

Working to complete the $5.5 billion bill and send it to the floor, the committee voted 7 to 6 to cut the military aid section from $780 million to $665 million.

It was the latest in a series of severe cutbacks and restrictions imposed on the bill, which many members of the committee consider a root cause of U.S. trouble in Indochina and around the world.

Speaker hits U.S. policy

by JEANNE WILES

A concentrated study of the present state of affairs in the East was the main topic for Robert Scheer's moratorium speech to 400 people Wednesday night. Billed as speaking on "The Nixon Doctrine," in mellow tones Peace and Freedom party leader Scheer told his audience, "Nixon is a Wall Street corporate lawyer trying to hold on to his world real estate interest without sacrificing U.S. boys."

He attempted to present the U.S. involvement in Vietnam as an integral part of a world picture rather than as an isolated event. The audience responded to Scheer's warm, personable voice with approval indicated by intermittent applause and a standing ovation. After speaking in a relaxed manner for about 90 minutes Scheer took questions from the audience. Another 90 minutes of question and discussion ensued.

Scheer, a former journalist and antiwar demonstrator, said he lives in a Berkeley collective, The Red Star. His major occupation is caring for children, two or four years old.

Shah of Iran prepares big feast for kings

by ROBERT MUEL

Persopolis, Iran (UPI)—The Shah of Iran gave an open fair tale banquet Thursday night in a vast and luxurious tent, while chamberlains swayed in high winds above the exquisite scenes. Queens and presidents than ever dined at a single table before.

Scheer said that before one of the members of the group goes out on a speaking engagement, the entire group discusses the ideas to be presented. "Basically I'm just acting as a mouthpiece for the collective," he said.

Scheer has traveled, extensively in Red China, North Korea, North Vietnam, and Cuba. As a speaker he seemed to prefer rambling from subject to subject to sticking to stilted organized notes. The topic he most frequently discussed was the cultural revolution that has taken place in Red China during the past five years. Scheer said he considers the Chinese cultural revolution to be "the most important historical event in human history."

U.S. death toll hits record low

by DON DAVIS

Salvage (UPI)—The U.S. command announced Thursday that American combat deaths dropped to eight last week, the lowest since the invasion Aug. 20, 1968, when six GIs were killed. Seventy-two Americans were wounded last week, a reduction of 46 from the previous week.

South Vietnamese battle deaths, however, swayed about the same for the past week as they have during the past three years, indicating that while the American role in the war is winding down, the war is not.

As it proved the point, North Vietnamese forces who opened up an offensive against the allies along the Cambodian border three weeks ago fought a savage battle at midfield Thursday with South Vietnamese and armored cavalry in Cambodia.

The South Vietnamese forces called in American artillery and air support and claimed 10 Vietnamese killed at a cost of five South Vietnamese dead and 30 wounded.

The battle was fought five miles inside Cambodia, the most distant American artillery fire ever. The battle was fought five miles inside Cambodia, the most distant American artillery fire ever. The battle was fought five miles inside Cambodia, the most distant American artillery fire ever. The battle was fought five miles inside Cambodia, the most distant American artillery fire ever.
Staff Comment

Politicoecologist needed in SLO

by JOHN HANSBURY

Have you been thinking ecological thoughts lately? Or are you politically inclined and)

wondering how it all fits into the big picture? It all starts with one tiny step—opening your eyes to the events occurring around you. Do you care about the health of the environment? Do you care about the future of the community? These are all important questions to ask yourself. By getting involved and staying informed, you can make a difference. You can help protect the environment and promote sustainability in your community. So, what are you waiting for? Take action today!}

Letters

Survival of elections

Editor:

I purposely failed to attend the S.A.C. meeting on Mon., Oct. 11, because, after talking with Pete Evans and Marianne Doshi, it was evident that the business I was most concerned about would not be brought up.

This "business" was, namely, action on the election bill, previously initiated by Joe Martinez, which would call for a student body vote on the type of voting system they want (majority or plurality) assuming that the present preferential system is thrown out the window.

I made sure, however, that I found out soon enough (Tuesday morning) if I had missed out on something. And I was enlightened with the proposal for "neutral" Election Commission elections in coming years.

Suddenly, I find myself faced with a capable 5-man Commission for this year, but it is true that the future must be provided for.

And, I know that, despite Election Committee's importance, it is not the most appealing extra-curricular activity on campus, that's all there is to it!

With the help of a few radio shows and many testimonials to the fun of operating a polling booth, the Committee wasn't a total drag last year. But I'll admit people are looking for something to do with their time.

Nevertheless, as Marianne Doshi and I have tried to point out, Elections Committee plays a much more vital part on this campus, particularly in the elections process, than most people realize.

Steve Greenberg
Electoral Committee Chairman

Own decisions

Editor:

The last paragraph in your article about Project No. 9 is interesting. Pete Gately stated "Osteyee's idea supports the idea behind Project 9." This statement is incorrect if I'm to go back to Mr. Osteyee's idea that "anyone who lives in this community should educate themselves as to how the laws art strictly anti-drug, a project that not only opposes Project No. 9 is in agreement, however, in that it implies that the basic philosophy behind Project No. 9 is to inform and educate themselves so they know what they're dealing with." The statement is misleading, however, in that it implies that the basic philosophy behind Project No. 9 is that each person must make his own decisions (bugs he may use). Because the laws art strictly anti-drug, a project that not only opposes Project No. 9 is in agreement, however, in that it implies that the basic philosophy behind Project No. 9 is to inform and educate themselves so they know what they're dealing with.

I hope that everyone realizes that Project No. 9 is not anti-drug. Our membership includes both the heads and the feet. Our desire is to provide a neutral ground on which both sides may present views without paranoia.

Richard Lee Richter Coordinator, Project No. 9

P.S. And, by the way, just what the magazine say you're wearing. Aren't they? Not necessarily.

A superficial glance at some student attire diaphrags the image that all students are dressing designer creations. Rob Gately, best man—wants designer panta (these must be friends, sometimes with embroidered cuffs and patches, and must be washed at least seven times before ready to wear). They wear jeans jacket (same process for washing and wearing), raggadly bleached blue work short shirt worn in winter over black underwear. And a pair of aged, scruffy work shoes.

But there are exceptions. The freshman coed's mother is prime paying prey for the multitude of magazines' misleading back-to- school-you-see campaigns. These Mothers of Madison page through sections of glossy magazines, particularly Teen People and Mademoiselle, each one more satisfying than the next. They seek out the ultimate in affordable, out high, dry and hip high copies of copies of copies — and send their fresh, young children off to school in the right fashion.

At Arizona State University in Tempe, a coed said, "It's like out of the pages of a magazine. And I don't mean Field and Stream. Everyone's so Clean. Everyone's so Clean. Everyone's so Clean.

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Old instruments used in concert

The first College Hour Concert of the quarter held Thursday, November 17, was gives the sense that it had not expected—excellence.

The music was from the Baroque period (1600-1760) and performed on authentic instruments of that period. This is not usually done in concerts because it's easier to use modern instruments. As a result the sound was much like it was over two centuries ago.

Two Stanford University graduate students, Nancy Joyce and Kenneth Roth, took special time from their studies to perform here. They played a duet and they played an oboe, both of early design. They also played the treble recorder commonly known as the English flute.

The Viola da Gamba, a 17th century instrument similar to the cello, was played by Sara Wood of Los Osos, and music instructor Ronald Ratcliff played the harpsichord.

One highlight was the Fantasy in G minor for Harpsichord by J. S. Bach. A very difficult piece, it can easily be spoiled by the performer; however, this wasn't the case. Ratcliff who was playing from memory seemed to have some difficulty half through, but made an otherwise good musical statement.

The trio sonata by Locatelli was removed from the program and substituted with one by John Hannah, an English composer credited with only two compositions. The one performed was in C major, for Flute, Viola da Gamba and Continuo (played on the harpsichord). The piece was published in 1744.

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events on Wednesday. Participants spent the day listening to lectures and talks, adhering to
the principle "no business as usual, no classes as usual, no war as usual."

Moratorium

Many campus groups had representatives present to speak in Chumash Hall; among them were SNAP, Mothers for Peace, and, pictured above, Veterans for Peace.
Is it Organic?

by MARK BREWER

ALTERNATIVE FEATURES SERVICE

Berkeley, Ca.—As more and more consumers become aware of the health hazards of synthetic agriculture, they turn to organically grown foods, long available only through the careful efforts of small stores and growers. But now many items dubbed “organic” or “natural” are turning up, much more cheaply, on the labyrinthine shelves of supermarkets, which are not so careful.

I drove to a nearby independent supermarket which carries an extensive assortment of health and natural foods, raw grains in barrels and an array of “organic” produce.

"Are you the manager?"

"Yes, I am," he smiled.

"May I ask where you get your organic fruits and vegetables?"

"Well...uh," the smile disappeared, "that’s confidential; we don’t have to give out that information."

"Oh?

"Well, we get it all from Sun Circle Ranches (large well-known farm near L.A.)."

"I’ve never tested any samples to make sure it’s what they say it is.

"No..."

"...there was agitation in his voice, "nobody has to test it. It’s what they say it is.

Although some retailers may accept organic produce uncritically, others are more wary. New Age of San Francisco, commissioned test results from photometric and microwaveometric detectors at the University of San Jose, which revealed impurities in some Sun Circle produce.

To complicate the problem, no one agrees on the meaning of "organic." A seller of lettuce may consider it organically grown because it has not been chemically sprayed, dusted or fertilized.

Ultimately, of course, much of the solution to the problem of obtaining quality food must depend on individual consumers, who can only know the purity of products by demanding responsibility on the part of retailers. Ask them what "organically grown" and "natural" mean, and find out for yourself. Ask if samples of produce have been tested and ask to see the results; be openly suspicious of affidavits. In this way only can we weed out the clerks who only wish our money.

Outing planned to rescue beach

The Ecology Action Committee is planning an outing to save the doomed Pico Creek Beach tomorrow. The outing to Pico Creek Beach is to begin at noon and last all afternoon.

According to John Stinson, the former owner of the beach front property, Pico Creek Beach, one of the best surfing beaches on the upper coast, has been condemned and taken away from him by the local sewer district. Stinson landed the property, Pico Creek Beach, one mile north of Cambria and three and one half miles south of the Hearst Castle entrance. Our pools for the trip will form at the Bio-science parking lot at 9 a.m. Participants should bring their own food and drink, and some means to bring home their own trash.

Voter Coalition to begin push on registration

Voter registration for students 18 years old and older will soon begin on this campus.

The movement to register approximately 8,000 would-be voters in this county is undertaken by a group known as the Voter Coalition.

According to the 36th Amendment, a person eligible to vote in elections at all levels must have the following qualifications: he must be 18 years of age, a United States citizen, a state and county resident for 60 days, and have lived in the state for 5 years prior to the next state or local election, and a resident of the locality for 30 days before a federal election.

Those persons who have previously registered in another county and would like to register here should simply register here. The county will transfer the registration information. When a change of address is made in the county, the county clerk must be notified. A person who stays registered as long as he keeps voting in general elections. If he fails to vote he must re-register.

The Voter Coalition intends to register as many students on this campus as possible by recruiting deputy registrars for this purpose. Tables for voter registration will be set up around the campus as soon as enough registrars are appointed to operate these tables.

This will relieve the problem of people not knowing where to go to register. Students may register at the County Court House or from a deputy registrar.

To apply for a position as a deputy registrar, a person must be 18 years of age and a registered voter in this county. Applications may be made with the County Clerk Ruth Wamkon at the County Courthouse Annex on Palm Street.

People, People. People getting to know other people from different nations. That’s what the whole thing is about and it is also the name of a campus organization—People to People.

People to People club members will get together in the International Lounge today and every Friday from 3 to 6 p.m. Their purpose for gathering is not to have a formal business meeting. Instead, they eat doughnuts, sip coffee, and talk with each other.

As the club meetings are strictly be-yourself-type situations, some members discuss trials and tribulations encountered in classrooms, while others inquire about social customs in foreign countries—foreign to U.S. citizens, that is. A few may be discussing the new tuition raise for foreign students. Some perhaps are comparing amusing anecdotes occurring during their first few weeks in a totally new social and educational environment.

Membership procedures are as informal as the meetings. Club dues are $1, but are not mandatory. The International Council sponsors most of the club’s activities. Collected dues are used for a supplementary fund.

No one badgers members to attend every club function. come-when-you-can make it atendance.

"Most students think our organization is only for foreign students," said Mary Jo Ribelro, club president and an immigrant from the Azores Islands. "We would like to see more American-born students participate in our club activities. And of course, all foreign students are welcome, too."

Miss Ribelro’s predecessor, Dick Rundell said, "Our club objective is not to have students come to a meeting and then go home and forget about People to People until we meet again. We hope individual friendships will develop from our meetings."

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The most important cold war shift since World War II is war shift referred to is the sudden cold war thaw in relations between the United States and Communist nations currently on the visiting list of Soviet Union's troika that of Yugoslavia and the cold war thaw in relations between the United States and Communist China. Yugoslav President Tito, having just played host to the Soviet party leader with some profit, is scheduled to visit the United States toward the end of October, also, he obviously hopes, with profit.

Relations between Yugoslavia and the Soviet Union may be considered on three levels—state, party, and economic. Despite a certain chill on the state and party levels, Yugoslavia has continued to do about a third of its trade with the Soviet bloc and early this year concluded a five-year agreement calling for the exchange of 3.5 billion worth of goods.

What the country wanted, and got from Brezhnev was a reaffirmation of a 1960 Soviet pledge recognizing Yugoslav independence to develop her own path toward socialism and recognition of her policy of nonalignment.

In return, Yugoslavia pledged increased contact between the Soviet and Yugoslav Communist parties, a price Tito apparently considered cheap in return for Brezhnev's public renunciation of the doctrine of "limited sovereignty" that the Soviet Union used as an excuse for the invasion of Czechoslovakia in 1968, and it had contributed heavily to the subsequent chill in Soviet-Yugoslav relations.

Concentrating intently on a chord is classical guitarist David Grimes, who will be performing in concert in the College Theater at 8 p.m. tonight. The program will be sponsored by the Fine Arts Committee and admission will be $1.25 for students and $2 for the public. Known to many as a "poet of the guitar," Grimes' repertoire covers five centuries of music. Performing as a soloist, he has been hailed for his appearances throughout California, the East Coast, and Mexico. Tonight's performance will include such pieces as Fantasia in G minor for solo guitar and 10 by Alonso Mudarra. Variations on a Theme by Joaquín Rodrigo, and Danza Pomposa by Alexandre Tansman.
by CAROL CHADWICK

"Great shades of the days of prohibition, Motorcycleman!"

"Yea, Booser, it is a sad day indeed, for us.

What tragedy has befallen our heroes to cause such wailing, lamenting and gnashing of teeth? Well, for all of you who love 30 cent beers, or like dirt track motorcycle riding, there's a lot to cry about.

The glorious days of the Pozo Saloon have come to an end. Pozo Saloon is going.

As unbelievable as it may seem, one of the favorite playgrounds of SAM, Phi Kappa Psi and even the Poly Penguins is about to close its doors on Sunday, Oct. 17.

The Pozo Saloon, located near Santa Margarita, has been a place for the Western folk to moe over to on a Saturday night for a swinging dance, and for hard working students to relax and have a study break on Sundays.

Now it will be no more.

According to the owner, former sheriff Paul E. Merrick, the land and saloon are for sale since the lease has run out and he does not plan to renew it.

He plans to move to Atascadero and open the Branding Iron with business as usual.

But what will become of the motorcycle enthusiasts who enjoy the dirt track that lies back of the saloon? The track draws riders of all ages from all over to challenge the sharp, muddy curves and steep banks of the rocky creek bottom.

And what of the 30 cent beers? Where else nearby, can you enjoy such a rustic western setting and a bar with a brass foot rail? The tables are wooden as the floor and those who do not wish to risk their lives on the motorcycle track can play pool in one corner of the room.

Around the room there are relics from the days of old. Cow heads, trophy size buck antlers, old pictures of the good old days stand as friendly reminders to the oldtimers. Even the famous people who once visited Pozo remain immortalized on the wall.

No one knows for sure if this is the absolute end to Pozo. Surely, no one would want to put apartments up in the middle of the middle of nowhere. But what awaits the Pozo Saloon is anyone's guess. Maybe it will be back to sarsaparilla and orange soda.
Rugby Grogg renew practice

Practices for the San Luis Obispo rugby team, the Grogg, will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays at 3:15 p.m. Any athlete interested in playing rugby is invited to attend. The first practices will be held on the soccer field near the Man's Gym. Last year the rugby team gained national recognition by knocking off one of the top ranked teams in the nation, the Olympic Club of San Francisco. The Grogg then went on to capture second place in the league standings with a 6-1-1 record. This season looks even more promising for the team, which now boasts two ASI-CAL players, Dave Ritchie and Thom Dimmitt. Dimmitt, a transfer from the University of California at Santa Barbara, excelled as player-coach for the Gauchos.

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