UUBG Chair claims foundation broke lease

by Scott Swanson

University Union Board of Governors Chairman David Haynes has asked the Cal Poly Foundation for an explanation of what he says may be a violation of the lease agreement for El Corral Bookstore.

In a Nov. 10 memorandum to Foundation Board of Directors Chairman Dale Andrews, Haynes said that a $54,964.67 donation to University Requested Services by the bookstore could be in violation of the Foundation's lease for the bookstore with the State of California.

According to the Foundation's financial reports for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1982, the bookstore made a net profit of $130,969.33, of which $76,604.66 was transferred to the bookstore's reserves. The donation was to be transferred to University Requested Services which funds athletic scholarships, the development office, public affairs and check cashing services, and the annual giving budget. The development and annual giving budgets handle donations to Cal Poly.

According to Haynes' memorandum, such a contribution could be in violation of a clause in the lease agreement which reads, "retained earnings derived from bookstore operations, excepting those needed to meet current obligations and to maintain approved reserves and working capital, will be reverted to the University Union.

Haynes asked for "clarification of the Board's disbursement policies for the bookstore, and the justification and rationale for classifying donations as either operating expenses or incurred obligations - this circumvention of the lease provisions."

A resolution adopted by the Trustees of the California State Colleges (University) in 1970 to authorize revenue bonds for the initial construction of the University Union defines "current expenses" as "all necessary operating expenses, current maintenance charges, the cost of food, beverages, and merchandise, expenses of reasonable upkeep and repair, a properly allocated share of charges for insurance, and other expenses incident to the operation of the bookstore.

The resolution further states that "current expenses" shall not include any general administrative expense of the California State University (Cal Poly).

According to Haynes, the University Requested Services are a general administrative expense of the university. Foundation Executive Director Al Amaral said the Foundation Board has the right to pay all of its expenses and other kinds of approval expenditures.

He also said that donations to University Requested Services fit into a provision of the lease agreement which allows the bookstore to "expend funds in such amount and for such purposes as are approved by the lease's governing body" (the Foundation) for "public relations or other purposes which would serve to augment state appropriations for operation of the university.

As a non-profit organization the bookstore can keep raising the levels of its reserves, but has to justify its reasons for doing so, according to Haynes. But other than rent payments, Haynes said that the Union has seen money from the bookstore only twice in 11 years. Amaral looks at it from a different perspective.

"We pay $40,000 a year in rent to the University Union," he said. "That figure is the amount necessary along with other revenues to pay off the loan for the construction of the Union in a 40-year period."

Amaral also pointed out that the Foundation contributed approximately half a million dollars from bookstore reserves to help meet requirements for the initial financing of construction of the Union. Another $500,000 was spent on equipping the U.U.

"Haynes is not giving any weight to the Foundation's contribution in the first place," Amaral said. "The lease provisions do give us the right to support university activities as requested by the president."

Donations to University Requested Services are requested by President Baker. The Foundation Board approves the request and source of funding and income is collected from various areas of the Foundation's operations to meet the demands.

Haynes holds that the Bond Resolution supercedes anything else, including the 1979 lease agreement. The "demands" on the bookstore by Requested Services shouldn't even exist, according to Haynes.

"I'm saying that I'm concerned that they very probably are in violation of the lease agreement," Amaral said. Please see page 4

Heavy rain causes damage

Damage to Cal Poly caused by the storm Tuesday included power outages, a flood in Crandall Gymnasium, and a broken window in Chase Hall, according to Plant Operations.

The power outages left the poultry unit without electricity and many buildings and offices were not heated.

Plant Operations had also received reports of leaky ceilings in several offices in the Faculty Office Building and of fallen trees near the Robert E. Kennedy library.

A spokesperson for campus Public Safety said no one had called in to their office to report damages.

According to the Weather Information Bureau in Santa Maria, winds blew at 28 to 51 miles per hour and gale warnings were in effect Tuesday.

As New Year's Day and the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Parade nears, Cal Poly's Rose Parade Float Committee is putting finishing touches on the school's entry, "While the Cat's at Play..." to float in parade

by Anne French

As New Year's Day and the Pasadena Tournament of Roses Parade nears, Cal Poly's Rose Parade Float Committee is putting finishing touches on the school's entry, "While the Cat's at Play..."

Since 1949, when the first float created by Cal Poly Universities of San Luis Obispo and Pomona was entered in the parade, Cal Poly floats have consistently won awards for their originality and design. The first entry won an Award of Merit for its clever use of animation, and set a precedent for the following Float Committees.

Cal Poly has won 14 major banner awards in the 17 years of its association with the parade. Float Committee Chairman Chris Clark expressed hope that this year's entry will be well received. "While the Cat's at Play..." shows a group of mice frolicking on a countertop while the cat is distracted by a mechanical mouse.

The mechanical mouse feature operates as an independent satellite - a first for the university. Last year's float entry was the first propylene-powered float in the Rose Parade. Each year the Cal Poly entry is the only one in the parade that is completely designed, constructed and decorated by a university.

Each spring, the float project starts with an idea. A joint committee of the San Luis Obispo and Pomona students chooses a design from approximately 100 that are submitted. Keeping with tradition, the committee members look for a draft design that appeals to a child's eye. It must be big, colorful and animated.

Then, preliminary renderings are drawn, determining the float's shape. Soon afterward, actual planning and construction begins. During Summer quarter, the flowers to be used on the float are planted. This year, the float will be decked with an array of bachelor Rose Float club members work on teapot structure and parts of the mechanical mouse in preparation for their entry in the annual Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena. A half of the float will be joined to Pomona's structure and actual flower decoration will take place down south. Please see page 6
Parcel bomb sent to Thatcher

LONDON (AP) - A parcel exploded in flames Tuesday at Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's 10 Downing St. residence, slightly burning the face of an aide who opened it. An animal rights group and Irish nationalists both claimed responsibility.

Scotland Yard said four "similar devices" also were found at the House of Commons, where Mrs. Thatcher later appeared, but they did not go off. Unconfirmed reports said they were sent to opposition Labor Party leader Michael Foot, Liberal leader David Steel, Social Democratic leader Roy Jenkins, and Timothy Raison, minister of state at the Home Office in Mrs. Thatcher's Conservative government.

Scotland Yard announced that a letter from the previously unknown "Animal Rights Militia" was found inside the Downing Street parcel addressed to Mrs. Thatcher, who was unharmed. She was in a study on a floor above the mail sorting room when the package went off. The letter's contents were not disclosed.

Earlier in Northern Ireland, a telephone caller told Belfast's Downtown Radio station that this Irish National Liberation Army was responsible for the attack. The INLA, a Marxist offshoot of the Irish Republican Army, is fighting to end British rule in the Protestant-dominated province.

Market sued for child support

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) - A supermarket chain and a pharmaceutical company should support a baby girl until age 18 because the contraceptive foam her parents used was outdated and failed to prevent her conception, a lawsuit has charged.

Safeway Stores Inc. and Ortho Pharmaceutical Corp. "knew or should have known that it was selling contraceptive foam which was outdated and ineffective," according to the suit.

Taghi and Susan Manbeian of Alameda are seeking unspecified damages through the suit filed recently in Alameda County Superior Court.

According to the suit, Manbeian, 43, and his 25-year-old wife bought a package of Dffen foam on Nov. 29, 1981. The can of foam had an August 1981 expiration date printed on the bottom.

Arrest made in Tylenol case

LOS ANGELES (AP) - A mechanic wanted for questioning in the Extra-Strength Tylenol poisoning deaths was arrested Tuesday in Los Angeles after he contacted FBI agents voluntarily, authorities said.

Kevin John Masterson, 31, walked into the FBI office in West Los Angeles on Monday afternoon and said he was willing to be interviewed about the Chicago-area poisonings, said FBI spokesman John Hooe.

Masterson was questioned, detained overnight, than turned over to Los Angeles police, who arrested him Tuesday at FBI headquarters on an outstanding warrant from Illinois on an unrelated matter, Hooe said.

Authorities who searched Masterson's residence in Chicago in October found two Tylenol capsules and two bottles labeled poison. Investigators have also suggested that Masterson had a grudge against two of the retail outlets where the poisoned Tylenol was purchased.

Hooe said he did not know why Masterson came to the FBI office, nor would he comment on what Masterson said during interviews.

"We interviewed him as a possible suspect in the Tylenol case," Hooe said. Asked whether Masterson was still considered crucial to the Tylenol case, Hooe said: "All I can say is there are no federal charges against him."

Masterson was held without bail on an outstanding warrant for possession of marijuana and was scheduled for arraignment on that charge Wednesday, said police Lt. Keith Rose.

Newsline

Santa's reindeer prefer our ornaments 8 to 1.
Senate chairman voids special election petition

by Peter Hass
Staff Writer

A petition requesting a special ASI election on the subject of student input on course content has been "ruled null and void" according to the chairman of the ASI elections committee.

Don Erickson, also a student senator representing the School of Engineering and Technology, said the petition of 188 names submitted to the Senate at their last meeting by San Luis Obispo resident Mark Roland was turned down for a number of reasons. The petition proposes an initiative asking students whether they favor voting on an instructor’s syllabus after three weeks of classes. This would allow, if desired, students “to amend the reading, lecturing, testing and grading...in consultation with the teacher, who has knowledge of legal and academic requirements,” as Roland’s petition states.

The 188 signatures on the petition were enough to meet the required five percent of the number of students voting in the last ASI election. (The general election last May drew 3,161 voters.)

Erickson said the request is being rejected for four reasons, which were determined after he and Bob Timone, elections committee adviser, “went through everything in the (Senate) bylaws and election codes” on Nov. 19.

First, Erickson said, the petition did not state the initiative as Roland wanted it to read on the ballot. Second, the signatures were not accompanied by identification (social security) numbers, he said.

The third criterion not met by Roland, Erickson said, was to submit the petition or his idea to the elections committee before taking it to the Senate. He added the normal procedure for an initiative is to take it to the committee, which aids the petitioner to understand the proper procedure. Finally, Erickson said the fact that Roland is not a student at Cal Poly makes it impossible for the ASI to respond to the request.

"Mark Roland is not a student," Erickson said, “and therefore is not a member of ASI, so ASI does not have an obligation to accept the initiative. As I understand it,” he continued, “legally we’re not supposed to touch it. He is a non-student interfering with the corporation.” Erickson noted that if a student had submitted such a petition, it would be required to hold the election.

Erickson said that as a result of this petition, his committee is looking into changing the petition requirements, boosting the percentage needed to 15 or 20 percent of the voters in the last election.

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Foundation head backs bookstores' profits

From page 1 their fear," he said. "In the lease it says that we have to be consistent with the statement of the trustees of the California State University and College. I'm not saying that University Requested Services is not needed, it's important, but I question how they're funded."

Haynes said that he doesn't necessarily want the money for the Union. "He thinks it should go back to the students. They leave the bookstore to overestimate expenses and overcharge, they should return the money to the students," he said. "The University has its hands on it."

"Our bookstore has very competitive prices," he said. "We double check our books with three other University. The money should go back to the students because they paid too much in the first place." The committee said that is where the money is going back--the students. A committee has been formed by the Academic Senate. The committee said that is where the money is going back--the students. A committee has been formed by the Academic Senate. The committee includes students, faculty, staff and administration. They will meet with the students to discuss the issue of the bookstore. The committee will present their findings to the Academic Senate.

Nominations open for teaching award

by Maria Casas

Nominations are being accepted until Friday, Dec. 3 for the Distinguished Teachers Award. Each year the president of the university selects three faculty members to receive the award. They each receive $1000 and their names are inscribed on a plaque which is in the faculty/staff lounge.

Any full-time tenured faculty member who received the award during the 1982-83 academic year and who has not won the award before is eligible to be nominated. Full-time Cal Poly students, faculty, staff or department heads can nominate one or more candidates.

"A committee of previous award winners and two students will select about 150 nominations," said Sherry Spivy of the Academic Senate.

"The committee then whittles the candidates down to 10. During winter and spring quarters the committee visits the candidates numerous times during their class periods."

The committee looks for the following qualities when selecting the recipient: depth and breadth of competency; a high degree of personal interaction between students and faculty; high professional standards and personal integrity; interesting and well organized activities, lectures or laboratories; teaching procedures that contribute student enthusiasm and high achievement; concern for the student as a person; fair and rigorous methods of evaluating student products; the ability to impart their own knowledge and experience through professional development.

"The recipients will be announced at commencement where they can receive recognition from the faculty and students who nominated them," said Spivy.

Maryknoll priest on El Salvador

Recently, the government of El Salvador indicted National Guard enlisting men in connection with the murder of four Catholic Maryknoll nuns in that war-ravaged country on Dec. 2, 1989. In memory of their deaths, a Cal Poly student organization will present a speaker and a film on Thursday, Dec. 2, about the political troubles in El Salvador.

Maryknoll priest Father Ted Von Der Ahe, who has served as a missionary in Latin America for eight years, will speak at 11 a.m. in Room 220 of the Julian A. McPhee University Union on campus.

The film, "Seeds of Liberty," a 30-minute ad-documenary dealing with the murders, will follow.

The program will be repeated in the Youth Center Room of Mission San Luis Obispo De Tolosa at 7 p.m. The church presentation will begin with a 30-minute prayer vigil.

Both the on-campus and off-campus events are free and open to the public.

The Cal Poly Central American Study and Action Committee, an interdepartmental organization, is sponsoring the events in cooperation with Bread and Justice, a group associated with the Mission Church.

Flowery Christmas decor to be sold

Christmas arrangements and decorations will be featured in the Ornamental Horticulture Flint flower shop at an Open House Saturday, Dec. 4 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and will be open to the public.

Along with Christmas decorations in the flower shop, twelve enterprise prizes will be given away. The prizes will be won by on the corner of Beach and Pine streets.

Two demonstrations on how to make Christmas decorations will be held, one at 11 a.m. and the other at 2 p.m. in the Open House. An annual event organized and run by an OH sales and services program is in order to promote sales of enterprise prizes and to give the design ideas.

The OH department is located on top of the hill on Via Carta across from the aeromedical unit.

"The management has pernicious in how they spend the income. We're satisfying a very real need in giving funds to Requested Services for athletic scholarships and things like that." "I feel we are providing students with good value. The benefits are going right back to the students through donated funds."

Haynes said he believes there are better ways to get the money back to the students, or to take the money from the students in the first place.

"My whole bent is that we're taxing a minority of the students, the ones who live in the dorms and buy meal tickets, to pay for services the majority of the students don't want," he said. "I believe there is a more equitable way to tax students."

"We pay student fees already," he said. "If those meal ticket holders can be charged, why can't all students be charged a direct fee for University Requested Services?"

According to Haynes, if students were charged, he would not go to the students.

Study lists ready Dec. 17

Winter Quarter 1983 study lists indicating the sections into which students are scheduled will be available Dec. 17 at the locations indicated by the students on the class request forms (major department, local address, or permanent address). Late registration and add/drop will begin the first day of classes, Jan. 3, 1983. Continuing students going through late registration should obtain the CAR forms from their academic department.

Holds which appear on students study lists must be cleared by Jan. 10, 1983, or the students will be disenrolled from all classes.

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Add/Drop: The Student’s View

The proposed add/drop policy of one week will greatly affect all Cal Poly students. Below are some of the faults Poly students see with the proposed add/drop policy. Some students feel that one week is not long enough for them to decide whether or not they want to drop a course. Some classes only meet twice or even once a week. Since the first class session is commonly devoted to going over the class syllabus, students would find themselves deciding whether to drop a class or not without ever seeing how the class actually runs.

Many students want to see how much study time is required for each of their classes before deciding whether to drop a particular course. One week is definitely not enough time to gauge one's work load.

A one-week drop policy would allow more students to add needed courses. The present system doesn’t allow students to add courses that are assumedly filled to capacity, others drop the course by the time that it is too late for those who really wanted the class to add. By having a one-week drop policy this problem would be solved.

The proposed one-week add/drop policy seems to be the least favored of add/drop policies. Others wish to keep the present system doesn’t allow students to add/drop policy. Some students feel that if a student goes to the trouble of adding a course he will also take on the responsibility of catching up on any work that was missed. Most students realize that by adding a class late in the quarter extra work will be needed to make up for the lost time.

The proposed one-week add/drop policy may solve some existing problems, but in the process others are created that are considered more severe. Many Poly students appear to favor a compromise between the existing and proposed policies. Others wish to keep the present policy with no changes. Overall, the proposed one-week add/drop policy seems to be the least favored of add/drop policies.

The current add/drop policy allows students to add a class in one week and allows them to drop a class in 3 weeks without a penalty.

The reason that only 3 weeks are allowed is due to funding purposes. The rules say that all classes must be stabilized in this period to find out how much money a department will receive and also how much money the University will receive.

A proposal that is not yet finalized from the faculty, written by the Academic Senate Instructional Committee, deals with 3 areas. As it now stands, they feel there is a need for students to make up their minds faster so that the paper work may be completed that much sooner.

The faculty feels that the disadvantages of encouraging students to drop early are outweighed by the advantages—both fiscal and academic. They would like to see the add/drop period changed to no more than one week splice.

The advantage of this is that instructors would be forced to provide a more meaningful syllabus so that students can better decide whether they want to take the course or not. Student Senator from Architecture & Environmental Design, Trina Ausmann, believes that both the add/drop periods should be an equal length of 2 weeks.

Academic Council member, Christopher Hartley, feels that there is no reason why people cannot add a class up to the third week in school. “The reason for this,” says Hartley, “is that no forms are turned in by the instructors until after 3 weeks anyway.” It is the instructor’s prerogative when to add students. Some do not fill in their forms until after the first week is over; others complete them after only a couple of days.

The main problem in everyone’s minds is money. The university is not going to receive any more, so where the existing money goes is the main issue. The more students taking classes in a certain department, the more money will be given to that department.

A lack of communication is another problem. Many faculty members think that students are trying to get the easiest work load possible, which in reality, students are having enough problems getting a full load! The resolutions will go before the Academic Senate sometime in January, but will probably not be resolved before the end of Winter quarter, but the general consensus of faculty and students is that the present system is not adequate.

Appreciation Luncheon

The Chamber of Commerce hosted an appreciation luncheon for Cal Poly students on Tuesday, November 23 at the San Luis Bay Inn. The Chamber invited eight students and administrators from Poly and five each from Cuesta to attend the luncheon. There were speakers from each aspect of the campuses and also from the Chamber. A SI president, Sandra Clary, mentioned some of the things that are happening on campus that may have some relevance to the community. She also stressed the importance of continuing a good working relationship between the campus and the city.

Academic Council Chairman, Adam Littlefield, discusses the add/drop policy with students.

ASI Outings

ASI Outings would like to welcome everyone to opportunities for outdoor experiences by participating in one of our trips or renting equipment and acquiring information from the Escape Route-our rental facility in UU 112.

Our upcoming Christmas Break trips are:

- Desert Adventure December 11-18
- Death Valley and Joshua Tree exploring, caving & climbing
- Black Canyon
- Winter Mountaineering December 26-January 2
- Explore Nevada’s Ruby Mountains in the snowy wilderness

Photo by Alan Kennedy
Cat and mouse is team effort for Poly schools

For many Spanish-speaking parents of Cal Poly graduates, the usual end-of-year graduation ceremonies are nothing more than a meaningless formality.

The parents can't understand the English speeches, don't view the speakers, and see their sons and daughters awarded their degrees as part of a ceremony which Chicano students Salvador Villasenor sees as only "recognizing masses." Villasenor and other members of the Chicano Commencement Committee are now organizing an alternative to the usual graduation ceremonies. This year the ceremony "is designed to recognize the "moral and spiritual support" which Chicano parents have given their graduating sons and daughters over the years," Villasenor said. Often, a Chicano graduate is the first in his or her family to go through college, said Villasenor, and has in Veteran's Hall.

The committee is planning to spend between $4,000 and $5,000 on the ceremony, and is now raising money by selling raffle tickets on campus. The tickets will be on sale during activity hour Thursday in the University Union Plaza.

In the Pavilion, the flowers that last the longest are adhered to the float first, with high-value roses and orchids put on December 31. Here, the judging takes place for animation, decoration and precision.

Some Rose Float members stay the night with the float, either to protect it from vandalism or to curiously watch a souvenir, and the others use the opportunity to get a ringside seat on Colorado Boulevard, site of the Rose Parade.

In the Pavilion, Denver Post reporter Jeff Dietz wrote:

Cal Poly SLO is responsible for the hydraulics end of the effort, while Cal Poly Pomona is in charge of electronics.

One-half of the wedding car was loaded unceremoniously onto a flatbed trailer last Tuesday to be joined in Pomona with the other half. Flower harvesting takes place the day after Christmas. The car is refrigerated on the way from San Luis Obispo to Rosemont Pavilion in Pasadena, where the final phase of float-building is completed.

The ceremony "is an addition to, not a replacement for," the regular graduation ceremonies. Villasenor said, and has in the past been held at the San Luis Obispo County Veteran's Hall. The committee is planning to spend between $4,000 and $5,000 on the ceremony, and is now raising money by selling raffle tickets on campus. The 81 tickets offer the chance to win one of three Schwinn bicycles or a number of other gift certificate prizes. The tickets will be on sale during activity hour Thursday in the University Union Plaza.

The graduation ceremony is designed to recognize the "moral and spiritual support" which Chicano parents have given their graduating sons and daughters over the years. Villasenor said, often, a Chicano graduate is the first in his or her family to go through college, said, so it is a time of great pride for the family. The ceremony is held to help celebrate that pride.

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You Don't Have To Travel Far To Get Fresh Delicious...
Student objects to unfair 'tax'

From page 4

The charge would mean the bookstore is selling books as low as possible. "I would hope the administration wouldn't tax the bookstores if they're paying for the university at little or no cost, according to Philip Ruggles, a member of the Graphic Communications Department faculty who was instrumental in obtaining the equipment for Cal Poly.

"I think we have a very solid program myself," Amarel said. "We're trying to cooperate."
Poly Pogo
The Design Club is featuring a three-hand Po­
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Dexter Library with
music by the Prime
Numbers, The G Spots and the
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at the Chalk Mountain
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The event is scheduled for
8:00 a.m. and the cost is
$16. For more information,
call Bob Timone at 546­
2476.
New CSU Chancellor
There will be a brief open
forum with the Chancellor
Raymonds, the CSU
system’s new chancellor, in
UU 220 from 9:30 to 10:15
a.m., Friday, Dec. 3. Facul­
ty, staff and students are
invited.
Dirty Dogs
The Veterinary Science
Club is featuring a dog
wash, Saturday, Dec. 4 at
11 a.m. The event, to be
held at the University Ex­
on on California Blvd, will
go to 3 p.m. Any size or
breed of dog is welcome.
Cost is $2.
Crops Christmas Ban­
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Saturday, Dec. 4 is the
day of the Crops Club
Christmas Banquet, to be
held at Grange Hall. Cost
is $15 per person, and the
fun, music and food begins
at 6 p.m.
Pi Gamma Mu
An organizational
meeting to welcome new
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Fiction writer gives novel talk to English class

by Judy Luta
Special to the Daily

Fiction writing takes as many forms as there are authors, but the problems of getting published are common to all, according to novelist Kate Wilhelm.

The science fiction writer recently discussed the process of writing fiction with an English 326 class—Fiction Writing—after lecturing on science for the Humanities and Fine Arts speaker series earlier in the day.

"I think it's absolutely wrong—you can't tell people how to create," Wilhelm said of the view that there is only a single correct way to write. She described one author who begins with a theme and creates his characters last and another who takes events from her life and rewrites all the details to create a fictional work.

Outlining the plot of a novel chapter by chapter before writing it is "a great advantage" to commercial fiction writers, Wilhelm added. Writers who can submit an outline and a few chapters to a book publisher may be able to sell their book before it's finished, she explained.

"When I write, I first start with a feeling ... that is not identified precisely," said the author, who has won five major science fiction awards for two of her novels. Streams of images flow through her mind and "when one of the images has the same kind of impact" as the original emotion, her story has begun.

"Everything else builds up from it," Wilhelm said of the initial image. "My imagination always works with people.

Next she asks herself questions about the emotions she's seen in the people in it and why they are acting in that way, and soon she sees new images of the same people doing other things.

When she has enough scenes to start a plot, she begins to make genealogies of her characters—who their parents and grandparents are, where and when they were born, and so on.

"I draw house plans—I want to know where my people live," Wilhelm explained. "I create villages sometimes and I want to know what's on the streets...I make maps."

In addition to knowing the setting thoroughly, the author says hered what the people are doing and what is at stake. From these questions she generates dialogue for her characters.

"Usually I'm in the bathtub when I have the best dialogue— I keep a notebook in my bathroom," she explained.

Wilhelm doesn't actually begin writing the story or novel until she finds the "set-tone"—the sentence which sets the tone for the whole work.

"I rarely start on page one when I write, especially on a novel," she said, explaining that she begins with what she feels is the most important part of the story. "All of this (pre-planning) has taken anywhere from at least three months to a year."

By writing three hours in the afternoon and three after supper, she can quickly finish the roughly typed first draft: Wilhelm said.

"So 16 months after I've first gotten my idea, I've got a finished novel usually," she said, adding that discussions with the editor may lead to revisions in the story. "And then they publish the books and then the critics come out and kill you," she added with a laugh.

Critics don't review her novels until a year after she's submitted them, because of the time spent in publishing and distribution, she explained. Their comments come so late they have little effect, the author added, quoting T. S. Eliot's saying: "They can only tell us how to do that which we are no longer interested in doing."

Wilhelm's interests in writing range widely, though she is labeled as a science fiction writer. She said in an earlier interview that most contemporary writers ignore modern technology in their work, and since she doesn't, her work is called science fiction.

"Very little of what I write is clearly science fiction," she said. "Maybe half of her 20 novels are science fiction—maybe. And I have never labeled my work."

"Writing about space travel to me isn't very interesting," Wilhelm said. "It the space ship is working or why would those idiots get on it ... As soon as I start reading those long descriptions of how it works, I start turning pages, because I don't care."

Although she refuses to call herself a science fiction writer, for the past 15 summers, Wilhelm and her husband—science fiction writer and editor Damon Knight—have taught at the Clarion Workshop for Science Fiction and Fantasy.

"This is an ongoing workshop every summer for six weeks," she said of the program held at Michigan State University. "We never insist that people write science fiction," she added, though the guest lecturers are all science fiction writers.

Wilhelm called workshops the only short cut in becoming a published writer, adding that about 50 percent of Clarion graduates are later published. The author's most recent book, O Susanna, is a comic novel—her first. Wilhelm explains the story as an amusement's journey through contemporary American life without any knowledge of the culture.

"It would've been too tragic not to treat it as comedy," she said of the novel, which came out this summer.
New CSU chancellor to speak at Poly

W. Ann Reynolds, chancellor of the California State University (CSU) system since Sept. 1, will be meeting with faculty, staff, and students of Cal Poly on Friday, Dec. 3.

An Open Forum has been set from 9:30 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. in Room 230 of the University Union. All faculty, staff, and students are encouraged to attend.

In a message to each of the 19 campuses in the CSU, Chancellor Reynolds said she was "looking forward to visiting each campus and benefiting from your insights and recommendations." Cal Poly is her 11th stop in a series of visits that will run through February 1983.

Dr. Reynolds was provost of Ohio State University at the time she was selected to succeed Glenn S. Dumke, who retired on Sept. 1, 1982, after 30 years as chancellor of the CSU.

A native of Coffeyville, Kan., Reynolds is a published scholar in developmental biology. She began her teaching career in the biology department at Ball State University, and then moved to the anatomy faculty at the University of Illinois College of Medicine. She was associate vice chancellor for research and dean of the graduate school at the University of Illinois Medical Center prior to becoming provost at Ohio State in 1979.

A developmental biologist who has specialized in fetal growth and nutrition, Chancellor Reynolds is an associate fellow of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists.

She earned her undergraduate degree in biology and chemistry at Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia, and two advanced degrees in zoology at University of Iowa.

The California State University enrolls 815,000 students in regular classes. Another 159,000 students attend nonstate-funded extended education programs and summer sessions. The system has 18,700 faculty, and budget of approximately $1 billion.
Marathon profits go to heart and stroke research

The sounds of Donna Summers music and 100 screaming dancers rocked the San Luis Obispo High School gym during the "Dance For Heart" marathon co-sponsored by the American Heart Association and jazzercise.

The four hour aerobic dance marathon began at 9 a.m. Nov. 1 and was organized by three Cal Poly journalism students as part of a public relations project. Barbara Fontes, Jennifer Joseph and Kelly Ramsey began planning the marathon at the start of fall quarter.

"We are part of Poly PR," said Ramsey. "We provide public relations services free of charge to non-profit organizations throughout the community and campus.

 Held also in Arroyo Grande and Atascadero at other sites the same day, marathon participants collected pledges in the tri-counties totaling $19,000. The proceeds raised for the Heart Association will be used for heart and stroke research and development, according to Wendy George, San Luis Obispo chapter representative.

"We are thrilled here at the chapter," said George. "No other fund raiser has ever brought in as much money as this one in the history of SLO chapter.

Jazzercise instructors donated their time for the marathon. Although most dancers danced the entire time, they were not required to. But seven dancers lasted the entire four hours.

The efforts of the Poly PR students paid off when a surprise guest proclaimed November 1 National "Dance For Heart" Day.

San Luis Obispo Mayor Melanie Billig awarded three jazzercise instructors certificates of merit for their contribution. The mayor also entered the proclamation in the city records.

A light touch was provided when a surgeon delivered a bouquet of balloons from Penguin Fantasy for the group of dancers. He proceeded to rip off his green surgeons gown to reveal a Superman Outfit. Before he left he sang a song congratulating the dancers on their efforts.

"Everyone at the dance had a terrific time and the money raised for the heart association makes all the work worth it," said Fontes.

According to George, the San Luis Obispo Heart Association chapter had the most participants at the dance-100. Sixty were recorded in Atascadero and 50 in Arroyo Grande.

Cal Poly's 150-member Mustang Marching Band will be joined by a dixieland band, a studio band, and a wind ensemble in presenting "Band-O-Rama, A Wind Instrument Spectacular," on Friday, Dec. 3 at 8 p.m.

The Wind Ensemble plans to present "Slava" by Leonard Bernstein and "Huldigungsmarsch" by Richard Wagner. The Studio Band will perform "Pavane" by Gabriel Fauré with arrangement by Gary Anderson; "Anything'll Do" by Mark Taylor; and "Shahadop" by Lees Hopper. The Wind Ensemble plans to present "Slava" by Leonard Bernstein and "Huldigungsmarsch" by Richard Wagner.

The bands will perform under the baton of Johnson and Faure with arrangement by Gary Anderson; "Anything'll Do" by Mark Taylor; and "Shahadop" by Lees Hopper. The Wind Ensemble plans to present "Slava" by Leonard Bernstein and "Huldigungsmarsch" by Richard Wagner.

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Coffee House: tasting talent

by Maria Cass

Coffee House, a campus showcase for new talent, is held every Thursday at 8 p.m. in the San Luis Lounge of the University Union.

"It’s a very relaxed and enjoyable atmosphere," said John Barnhill, vice chairman of the Special Events Committee. "There was a need to organize a small showcase on campus so new talent could get exposure."

The acts, scheduled on a volunteer basis, are booked two weeks in advance of a performance. The three acts per night range from musicians to comedians to magicians.

"It’s really fun," said Barnhill. "There is always room for new talent."

Barnhill urges anyone in any performing act who wishes to gain exposure and experience to call Special Events at 546-1112.

Coffee House started out four years ago on every Thursday, but eventually changed to twice a month. "We didn’t want to burn out our audience by having it every Thursday," said Barnhill. "Now we consistently get better entertainment."

Admission to Coffee House is 50 cents. Coffee is sold for 25 cents and five cents will buy three cookies. The proceeds pay for advertising and preparation of the food.

Ken Graven, alto sax player for the Jazz Invaders who performed at Coffee House Nov. 18, gives the horn his all.

The Coffee House audience kicks up its heels to the music of the Jazz Invaders, a band that’s been together for less than two months.

The Parable and Parable Productions Presents

Two Evenings With

Bob Bennett and Michele Pillar

Monday, Dec. 6

Meet Bob and Michele at The Parable, 673 Higuera, Downtown SLO. From 7:00 to 9:00 pm, KCPR Broadcasting live, Free yogurt with purchase from the Yogurt Shop All records and tapes on sale

Tuesday, Dec. 7

Hear Bob Bennett and his band and Michele Pillar with hers in concert, 7:30 pm at the Cuesta College Auditorium. Tickets $6.50 advance or $7.50 at the door. Tickets available at The Parable or Boo Boo Records - Bring A Friend!
"California Moments": An artist still seeks to express the land and sky

An exhibition of etchings and sketches by Arthur Millier (1893-1975) will be on display in the art department (BlDG. 12) of Cal Poly now through December 22. The collection of California landscapes is a gift from his widow, Sarah Millier, to the university.

Millier’s interest in art began when he was a boy in Somersetshire, England and he saw an etching by Whistler in Scribner’s Magazine. His idols were Rembrandt and Whistler whom he considered the finest etchers of their time.

In 1972, a Retrospective Exhibition of 131 of his works was shown at the Los Angeles Municipal Art Gallery. He said, “I call these etchings and watercolors made between 1920 and 1972 ‘California Moments’. Like Goethe’s Faust I cried to each moment that inspired them ‘Oh stay! Thou art so fair.’ From my first sight of California at fifteen years, in 1908, I loved her lush valleys, tawny hills, blue mountains and luminous skies and sought ways to express my love. Sixty-four years later I am still trying to express it.

Mr. Millier’s work is represented in over two hundred private collections and in many permanent collections, including the Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.; The Smithsonian Institute; The Chicago Art Institute; the Philadelphia Museum of Art; California Palace of the Legion of Honor, San Francisco; New York Public Library, California State Public Library, and the Los Angeles Public Library.
The Cal Poly Wrestling team took a fall Monday night at the hands of Oklahoma State, but the 34-6 final score did not tell the full story. "I was very disappointed with the outcome last night," said Poly coach Vaughan Hitchcock. "But the scores did not indicate our performances..." Oklahoma State finished fourth in last year's NCAA championships, posting a 18-3 overall record.

Cal Poly hosts Portland State tonight at 7:30 in the Main Gym. Cal Poly's troubles began early when veteran Al Gutierrez lost a heartbreaker, 7-6, to fellow senior Randy Willingham in the 118-pound category. Willingham, who placed fifth in the nation last year beat Gutierrez by a point last year. Willingham had Gutierrez in front headlock at the end of the match, but although he didn't do anything, he was not called for stalling as time ran out.

120-pound David Miller was out-manuevered 7-1 by Mark Perry in the second match. Miller's lone point came late in the first period when Perry was called for an illegal hold.

Leonard Brannuex came off a three day bout with the flu to step for injured teammate Chris DeLong in the 134-pound bout. But Brannuex was not up for it, as he suffered a 4-0 defeat to Car Anderson.

All-American Jeff Barkadale raised the Mustang's hopes in the 149-pound bout with a 4-3 decision over Lee Bailey. "Barkadale did a solid job," said Hitchcock. "He didn't make any mistakes, and he used some good strategy."

150-pounder Pat O'Donnell looked very good in the first round against Kenny Monday. Monday, who placed second in the nation last season, could only hold O'Donnell to a 4-4 tie in the first period. But O'Donnell made a mistake and with seven seconds left in the second round, Monday got the pin to put Poly behind 14-6.

Louie Montano, Poly's other All-American, put two-time national junior college champion Brent Barnes down with a 7-1 decision in the 167-pound match. Barnes had not had a close match all season.

Sophomore Howard Lawson tried to battle back from a 2-6 deficit in the third round but lost 4-7 to junior Mike Skeets in the 157-pound category. Skeets placed second in the nation last year.

Freshman redshirt Brian Acquafresca 177 pounds rejoined the team to take the place of Roger Sayles who had an injured shoulder. But Acquafresca's lack of conditioning took its toll as he lost 11-2 to Junior Alan Lauchner.

John Noland started off well in the 190-pound bout, but with 1:10 to go in the second round, he got over-confident, and was pinned by Karl Anderson.

In the heavyweight match, 210-pound senior Jeff Barkadale 142 pounds, who beat Oklahoma State's Leo Bailey 9-2. Poly, though, lost the match, 34-6.
Talent fills wrestling squad

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Shelton through the first round, but lost in the second, so he gave Shelton points. "I was 2-0," Hitchcock said. "I wrestled very well, and he might have given me a 3-2. I may not have made a mistake in the second round, but I made too many mistakes in the first round." The Mustangs traveled to Pismo Beach on November 19-20 for a tournament there. Gutierrez, Backus, Thomas, and Sayles all placed first, and Lumpkin placed second, while David Miller finished third. Backus was the final match due to an injury.

Despite the poor opening performance, the Mustangs placed seventh in the state again.

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Sacred cow

Journalists often say there should be no limit on the First Amendment, that any restriction on the rights it provides is unhealthy in a democracy. What follows may seem as sacrilegious to others as attacking the First Amendment is to us, but is a sacred cow that needs some scrutiny.

For years multi-national companies based in the United States have been dumping U.S.-banned and unneeded products on the unsuspecting Third World under the rubric of “free enterprise.” Products like Nestle’s baby formula has been diluted and fed to children by mothers in other countries who are convinced by Nestle advertising that their product is better than mother’s milk. Even if it happens to be diluted, Nestle claims to have ended this practice. Banned drugs and chemicals, even flammable baby pajamas have been sent to foreign markets after they have been prohibited by the U.S. government.

President Jimmy Carter attempted to do something to address this immoral practice by signing an executive order designed to control dumping. But President Reagan, in the name of free trade, immediately rescinded the order upon entering office, virtually giving the practice a federal green light.

However, some Third World countries are fighting back, tired of waiting for the companies or our government to stop the dumping. The November issue of Mother Jones magazine reports the Bangladesh recently issued a decree that bans the sale of more than 1,700 drugs it says are ineffective, unnecessary or hazardous.

Well, no big question on who responded and what that response was. The Pharmaceutical Manufacurers Association which represents the drug industry, managed to convince the U.S. government to pressure Bangladesh to change its stance. The country seems to be standing under the pressure, but has agreed to form a review commission to review the decree.

Product dumping is one aspect of “free enterprise” that deserves no defense. Advertising tactics and the marketing of any of the products rely on the ignorance of the people of the Third World. While pornography is considered an immoral result of the First Amendment, it is not force-fed upon the public. The control multi-nationals and institutions like the IMF and World Bank have over the people they affect.

If “free enterprise” means free dumping and not an investment and marketing system that considers the moral aspect of its actions, as well as the financial, then it should be scorned instead of upheld as an American virtue.

Letters

Disgruntled KCPR locks

Editor:

Being diskjockeys at KCPR it has come to our attention that we are not being aired at the University Union. This is disturbing to us because we are the university-supported radio station.

The station encourages student involvement in ASI and university events by publicizing ASI functions, club activities and broadcasting the campus sports and news. We have strong support from the listening student body because of our wide variety of music and special programs. Also, we help generate revenue for the University Union by publicizing ASI Concerts, the ASI Speakers Forum and special events.

Since we support the University Union we feel the University Union should support us by tuning in, not tuning us out.

Brad Loney
Bill Silvey
Tawal Blasa
Dennis Quick
Dr. Wally Quaglios

Bus Wars” comment

Editor:

I’d like to thank the Mustang Daily staff for their support in getting the word out to the students on the benefits of riding the city bus. I’d also like to thank George Crisman for his comment on the “Bus Wars.”

The quote about Sen. Louis Tansiitt that George mentioned, “because they were there first,” deserves some further clarification. This was a selective quote, and an unfortunate one, because it gives the impression that I am either partisan toward one of the carrier companies or uninformed on the situation in litigation. Actually, I am neither uninformed nor partisan.

(One facet of my position as External Affairs Assistant is to represent the student body on the city Mass Transportation Committee (MTC), My job on that committee, as I see it, is to try to maintain the widest range of services for students at the lowest possible cost. Period. The only partisan leanings I have are toward the students.

Once again, I encourage everyone to use the bus system. By riding the bus, you are saving money, conserving energy, and enjoying convenience. The system is very easy to use, and “if you don’t use it, you lose it.” If anyone has any questions, please don’t hesitate to call me at 546-1291.

Bill Daylie
ASI External Affairs Assistant

Media biases

Editor:

This letter is in response to the letter of Mark Mannoni in the Nov. 9 edition of the Mustang Daily. First I would like to state the reason for my letter on Nov. 9. “After having worked extensively, donating many hours of my time to a specific proposition and then watch it get inundated with unsubstantiated facts and figures really makes me angry. Of course many people voted intelligent-ly and checked the true facts, but there are a number of people who strictly limit themselves to the media for making voting decisions. That is what I said you should not do because of its biases. Also when I stated “multi-media” I meant advertisements not editorials or articles because those are more constructive.

Unfortunately today only a small percentage of people vote, but if we are going to exercise that right we should do it correctly. Just something for you to think about.

Brian Murphy