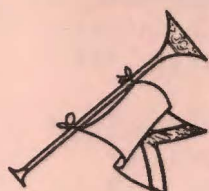




➔ APPOINTMENT OF CSUC TRUSTEES ANNOUNCED



Governor Ronald Reagan has reappointed Charles Luckman, Sr., of Los Angeles and appointed two women as Trustees of The California State University and Colleges. Luckman, 64, who founded the Charles Luckman and Associates architectural firm in 1950, has been a trustee since 1960. His term and that of Mrs. Claudia H. Hampton, Director of Urban Affairs for Los Angeles City Schools, will expire March 1, 1982. Mrs. Hampton, who received her master's and doctorate from the University of Southern California, replaces Edward O. Lee of Oakland, whose term as a trustee expired.

Another new appointee is Mrs. Yvonne W. Larsen, who moved to San Diego at the age of 15 and has been active in that city's affairs for the past 22 years. She will fill the unexpired term of George D. Hart of Ross ending next March 1. Hart has resigned his position as Trustee. Mrs. Larsen, a graduate and former student body president of Hoover High School and graduate of San Diego State University, is past president of both the Junior League of San Diego and the Children's Health Center Auxiliary. She is currently recording secretary of the San Diego Symphony and is on the board of the Armed Services YMCA.

Two-thirds consent of the Senate is required to confirm the appointments. Trustees are paid their necessary expenses. Mrs. Hampton is a democrat, the others are republicans.

➔ NEW CITY BUS SYSTEM WILL STOP ON POLY CAMPUS

The city of San Luis Obispo will inaugurate a bus transit system the first part of April. The system will comprise two 21-passenger busses which will negotiate two routes through the city. Both routes will converge on the Cal Poly campus with two bus stops per route for a total of four on-campus bus stops. The bus stops for Route 1 are located on the east side of Grand Avenue just south of Vista Grande and in Parking Lot E-19 in front of the Agricultural Engineering Building. The stops for Route 2 are located on the west side of College Avenue just south of the Business Administration and Education Building and on Mountain Drive between the Men's Physical Education Building and the H. P. Davidson Music Center. The stops will be identified by international blue and white bus signs and a bench will be provided at each stop.

The city of San Luis Obispo is printing schedules for the system which will be available at the information desks in the Administration Building and the University Union.

➔ MARCH SALARY WARRANTS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT 8 AM ON MONDAY

March salary warrants for faculty and staff of the university will be available at 8 am on Monday (April 1). With the end of the pay period falling on Sunday (March 31) as it does and registration occurring on the previous Thursday and Friday (March 28 and 29), distribution of warrants must be delayed until Monday due to cashier workload.

➔ REPORT MADE ON ENERGY CONSERVATION



Significant reductions of energy use at Cal Poly have been reported to a special university committee on energy conservation. James R. Landreth (Director of Business Affairs), chairman of the new committee, reported that 15.35 percent less electrical power and 14 percent less natural gas were used by the university during February than were used in the same month last year. He also reported that 15 percent less gasoline was used in university cars, trucks, and other vehicles this February than was used in February, 1973.

Formation of the Cal Poly committee on energy conservation was announced by President Robert E. Kennedy in November, 1973. It includes representatives of all areas of campus operation. Landreth said the reductions in the use of electrical and vehicle mileage were the result of requests by suppliers and Governor Ronald Reagan. A 15 percent electrical reduction was requested by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, which supplies electrical power for Poly's 125-acre campus, and a 10 percent reduction in mileage had been ordered by Governor Reagan for all state-owned vehicles and privately owned vehicles used on official business.

Landreth pointed out that the overall decreases in use of electricity and natural gas are even more significant when it is understood that two new major buildings, Sierra Madre residence hall for 588 students and Vista Grande dining and food service building, have been added to university facilities since last year.

Landreth said the reductions in Cal Poly's use of energy can largely be attributed to cuts in the use of lighting, heating, and air conditioning systems throughout the campus. Lighting in the halls of all campus buildings and on building exteriors and parking lots has been cut considerably. Heating systems in campus buildings have also been adjusted to operate at lower temperatures and, in some cases, are cut off entirely on weekends and holidays. Some of the air conditioning systems throughout the campus have also been turned off.

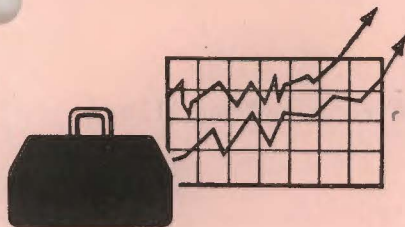
Landreth noted that the steam plant which provided heating for the university campus is an example of the kinds of savings reported to the energy conservation committee. "Selected reductions in heating of buildings at nights and on weekends and holidays made it possible to provide necessary levels of heating during other times with a considerably smaller amount of natural gas," he said.

Although it is impossible to assign a specific value to the amount of natural gas saved by night, weekend, and holiday reductions in the heating system, Landreth said cuts of as much as 20 percent have been achieved in some days. Other energy conservation steps taken at Cal Poly have included a campaign to have students and employees turn off all lights when they are not in actual use, elimination of decorative lights at Christmas time, and use of time clock switches to turn electrical systems off when they are not in use.

➔ AV TROUBLES? -- REPORT STRAIGHT TO SOURCE

Marcus Gold (Audio-Visual Service Coordinator) reminds faculty members with audio-visual equipment problems to contact the main audio-visual service office directly (BA&E 9, ext. 2211). This will not only provide quicker service, but it will insure that the complaint is recorded, followed up, and corrected. Please do not use student assistants to carry messages concerning audio-visual needs -- the messages may become garbled, lost, or forgotten before reaching the office.

HEALTH INSURANCE RATES AND BENEFITS CHANGE



S. Milton Piuma (Staff Personnel Officer) has announced that some premium increases were effected on the Meyers-Geddes Health benefit plans with the new contract year commencing April 1, 1974. The premium changes are as follows:

	<u>Old</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>New</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Old</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>New</u> <u>Rate</u>
	<u>CWO Basic Plan</u>		<u>CWO Major Medical</u>	
Employee only	1.15	2.03	3.24	3.13
Employee and one dependent	16.60	18.58	7.33	6.89
Employee and two or more dependents	23.89	27.15	8.82	8.54
	<u>BC/BS Basic Plan</u>		<u>BC/BS Major Medical</u>	
Employee only	10.18	12.14	1.62	1.57
Employee and one dependent	30.61	34.10	3.48	3.38
Employee and two or more dependents	38.34	42.41	3.99	4.11
	<u>CTA Blue Cross</u>		<u>ACSUP-Equity Educators</u>	
Employee only	2.25	5.22	.95	9.53
Employee and one dependent	19.11	24.83	15.36	30.00
Employee and two or more dependents	24.84	31.50	22.13	39.89

There are no premium changes in the County Foundations for Medical Care plan.

The benefit changes in the PERS plans are as follows:

Cal-Western Occidental

Basic Plan

1. Increase hospital room and board from \$50 to \$60 per day limit.
2. Increase maximum diagnostic X-ray and Lab from \$150 to \$200.
3. Increase relative value studies (RVS) from \$6 to \$7 per unit for surgical schedule.

Major Medical

1. Increase hospital room and board charge to a payment of 80% of covered charge for semi-private room.
2. a. Change current deductible from \$200 per year to \$150 per person per year.
b. Reduce the maximum yearly family deductible to \$300.
c. Allow drug deductible to apply towards satisfaction of \$150 deductible.
3. Add outpatient psychiatric benefits at 50% of \$40 per visit not to exceed \$750 maximum per person per year.
4. Increase plan maximum from \$50,000 to \$300,000.

Blue Cross-Blue Shield

Basic Plan -- No change in benefits.

Major Medical

1. Add outpatient psychiatric benefits at 50% of \$40 per visit not to exceed \$750 maximum per person per year.
2. Decrease deductible from \$200 to \$150 per calendar year.
3. Decrease the number of annual deductibles to two per family (\$300).
4. Increase plan maximum from \$50,000 to \$300,000.

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County Foundations for Medical Care

Comprehensive

1. Increase hospital room and board to 80% of semi-private room and ancillary cost.
2. Increase plan maximum from \$50,000 to \$300,000.

California Teachers' Association-Blue Cross

Basic Plan -- No change in benefits.

ACSUP-Equity Educators

Basic Plan

1. Increase basic plan limit from maximum of \$4,000 per person to \$8,000.
2. Increase room and board benefits from \$65 per day to covered charge for semi-private room in full to maximum of \$100 per day.
3. Add multi-phasic health screening for all covered persons.

New booklets and benefits regarding the program will be made available as soon as they arrive. Personnel should not expect to receive this material earlier than April 15. For questions, please call the Personnel Office at ext. 2236.

➔ POLY ECONOMIST GAINS NATIONAL RECOGNITION



Two recent innovations in the field of labor economics are the accomplishments of Sara A. Behman (Economics). Published reports on one of the projects, a study on measuring labor productivity in certain craft occupations in the building trades, are attracting national recognition for Dr. Behman, who joined the Cal Poly faculty in 1971. The first study of its kind devoted to the construction industry, Dr. Behman's research is reported in a 200-page monograph, titled Productivity Change for Carpenters and Other Occupations in the Building of a Single Family Dwelling and Related Policy Issues.

Another area in which Dr. Behman has been working is the new Sheetmetal Industry Stabilization Agreement. A form of an annual wage, it provides for supplementation of income for those who are unemployed, assistance in maintaining health and welfare payments while unemployed, and payment of up to \$500 for travel to enable unemployed workers to find jobs in other areas. The sheetmetal industry program also includes payment of up to 25 percent of the total contributions made on a worker's behalf of the worker who has received benefits of less than 40 hours of pay in the previous two years.

Dr. Behman, who taught economics at both San Jose State University and University of California, Berkeley, led a recent seminar on construction economics during a Building Trades Business Agents Institute which took place recently in Berkeley. Union business agents from the Western United States attended the week-long institute which was sponsored by the AFL-CIO Labor Studies Center and the Center for Labor Education and Research of the Institute of Industrial Relations at UC Berkeley.

A graduate of both the University of Pennsylvania and UC Berkeley, where she earned her doctor of philosophy degree in 1966, Dr. Behman had broad experience in the field of labor economics before joining the Cal Poly faculty. A former director of research for the Center for Labor Education and Research, she also conducted research and analysis studies for the California Department of Employment and the California Senate Inter-Committee on State and Local Taxation, and for the Department of Internal Affairs of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

CIRCULATION FOR NEWSPAPERMEN IS SEMINAR TOPIC



Newspapers from throughout California will be represented at a seminar on "Circulation as a Public Service" to be held at Cal Poly on Friday and Saturday (April 5 and 6). The seminar, to be held in Tenaya Lounge, is aimed at informing and teaching people about circulation and distribution of newspapers.

Sponsored by the Western Newspaper Foundation, California Newspaper Youth Foundation, Cal-Western Circulations Managers, and the Journalism Department at Cal Poly, the program will include round table discussion on topics ranging from the early history of circulation, to circulation and modern day computer processing and record keeping. Small discussion groups will be led by men in the field and members of Cal Poly's journalism faculty. President Robert E. Kennedy is expected to talk about career education at Cal Poly during the seminar.

Loren L. Nicholson (Journalism) explained that at the present time there is no formal training for people who are working in circulation. He expects the April 5-6 seminar to fill that void. Nicholson, who is directing arrangements for the program, said a team of Cal Poly students will cover the seminar for California Publisher, a journalism trade magazine, and tape recordings of the proceedings will be made into a book for use by people making a career in newspaper circulation and distribution.

➔ NEW ADVISORY COUNCIL HEAD NAMED

Sacramento attorney John F. Downey has been elected Chairman of the Chancellor's Advisory Council of The California State University and Colleges. Elected to succeed Downey as Vice Chairman was San Diego realtor George H. Foster.

The election occurred at the annual statewide meeting of local community leaders who have been appointed to advisory boards of campuses in The California State University and Colleges' system.

Nearly 100 campus advisory board members participated during the meeting in discussions focused on improved campus-community relationships in both local areas and throughout the State. Neither Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, nor Cal Poly, Pomona, have advisory boards, but both were represented. Dr. Robert E. Kennedy attended with Charles A. Hofflund, president of Litton-Aero Products of Los Angeles, a 1940 alumnus of the Aeronautical Engineering Department.

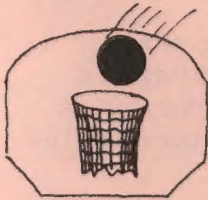
➔ REMINDER ISSUED ON OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY NAME

All members of the university staff and faculty are reminded that the name of Cal Poly is officially:

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo

Each time the name appears it should be followed by a comma and the name of the city. San Luis Obispo is part of the university's title. The only exception which should be made is when California Polytechnic State University appears on one line of an address and San Luis Obispo, CA 93407 appears immediately below. Also please note that the university's zip code is 93407 and no longer 93401.

➔ COACH-OF-THE-YEAR WHEELER LEADS CAGERS TO WINNING SEASON



Second year head basketball coach Ernest J. Wheeler, Jr. (Men's Physical Education), who led the Cal Poly Mustangs to the school's first undisputed championship in 19 years and the best won-loss record in 20 years, was selected as the "Coach of the Year" by the California Collegiate Athletic Association. The selection was made by coaches of the six member schools of the CCAA. Senior guard Horace (Pinky) Williams was chosen by the coaches as the "Most Valuable Player" in the conference for the 1973-74 season.

Wheeler guided the lightly regarded Mustangs to an 8-2 record in conference play for a two-game bulge over California State University, Fullerton, and University of California, Riverside, who tied for second with 6-4 CCAA records. Employing a lineup that included a freshman, sophomore and junior, plus two seniors, Wheeler directed a defense-oriented team to the school's third CCAA basketball championship in the 28 years the Mustangs have been in the conference. Cal Poly made the jump from a fourth place finish with a 4-6 league and 13-13 overall record to a championship club with an overall mark of 18-10. It was the most wins by a Mustang basketball team since the 1952-53 season.

➔ MAGIC CARPET WINGS OVER CAL POLY

The Magic Carpet will transport theatrical entertainment to Cal Poly on Saturday (March 30). Magic Carpet is a group of eight young actors and actresses directed by Jim Mairs. The group will perform the play "Flying" -- one out of Magic Carpet's repertoire of stories, short pieces and "things" -- at 8 pm in the Cal Poly Theatre. The Fine Arts Committee of the ASI will sponsor the show. General admission tickets are \$1 for students and \$2 for the public.

Innovation is the key word in describing a Magic Carpet performance. As Mairs describes it, "Magic Carpet uses no props or costumes or sets. We thought if we could get children to imagine the sets, costumes and, most of all, props, they would participate in the making of the play with us. We feel what we are doing is extremely important, because of the present void in the performing arts. Except for a few notable exceptions, television, films, adult theatre and, especially theatre for children, are a vast wasteland of mediocrity."

Ironically, Magic Carpet has appealed to adults as well as children. Mairs said that the Magic Carpet uses familiar folk tales, fairytales, poems, songs, and music to form original plays that are completely new to audiences. This is the third season for Magic Carpet. All of the actors have been with the group since its beginning under the auspices of Hidden Valley Music Seminars, located in Carmel Valley.

➔ SINGER TO APPEAR AT CAL POLY

Don Reed, a songster and song writer who expresses his own feelings about man's role in life in his music, will appear in concert at Cal Poly at 8 pm on Friday (April 5). Reed will perform in the Cal Poly Theatre. The public is invited and admission will be free. The Los Angeles singer, who apprenticed as a gospel musician, will be presented by the Cal Poly student chapter of Baha'i Association.

→ TOWER OF POWER WILL PERFORM

Tower of Power, known for its rhythm and horn sections, along with soulful lead and background vocalists, will perform at Cal Poly on Monday (April 1). The concert will begin at 8 pm in the Men's Gymnasium and is sponsored by the Concert Committee of the ASI. Cold Blood, the nine-man San Francisco rock group which performed at Cal Poly in 1972, will also appear in the concert.

Tower of Power is also from the Bay Area. The group started in Oakland and gained reputé playing in the East Bay night clubs. Their first two albums, however, gained them national notice. Through the playing of a horn section that the San Francisco Chronicle describes as "the tightest horn section in existence," the group has developed and integrated both the vocal and instrumental sides of rhythm and blues.

General admission tickets, priced at \$3.50 for students and \$4.50 for the public, will be sold at registration for the Spring Quarter and at the University Union Information Desk. Anyone under 18 and not a university student, must be accompanied by an adult.

→ JOURNALISM FACULTY MEMBER RECEIVES PLAUDIT

Rafael Francisco, curator of the Casa Natal de Fray Junipero Serra Museum in Petra, Mallorca, Spain, has notified a Journalism Department "Sunday painter," Vincent J. Gates, that the Board of Directors has received a gift of one of his watercolor paintings from A. N. Crinkshanks of Casa Morages, Pollensa, Mallorca. The painting is of San Luis Obispo de Tolosa, painted in 1972 in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the mission's founding by Father Serra.

→ WATER-SUPPORT HOUSE FEATURED IN PUBLICATION

The Jan. 10 issue of Engineering News-Record contains an article featuring the water-supported three-story house designed by students in Cal Poly's School of Architecture and Environmental Design. The house, details of which were described in a previous issue of Cal Poly Report, was designed under the supervision of Jens Pohl (School of Architecture and Environmental Design) and will be constructed on the Cal Poly campus.

→ CANDIDATES FOR FACULTY POSITIONS BEING SOUGHT

Candidates for positions on the faculty of the university are presently being sought, according to Donald L. Shelton (Director of Personnel Relations). Those interested in learning more about the positions are invited to contact the appropriate dean or department head. Cal Poly is an Affirmative Action Employer. Following is a description of the available positions:

Assistant Professor (\$10,800-\$13,128/annually), Natural Resources Management Department, School of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Duties and responsibilities include teaching watershed science and forestry, and performing related duties. Prefer candidates with a doctorate in watershed science and background in forest management. Minority group members and women are encouraged to apply. Position available: Fall quarter 1974.

Assistant Professor (\$10,800-\$13,128/annually), Natural Resources Management Department, School of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Duties and responsibilities include teaching law enforcement practices in environmental protection, fish and wildlife, forestry, parks and recreation, and related duties. Prefer candidate with bachelor's in natural resources; master's in law enforcement or police science; or equivalent degrees; doctorate in relevant field. Minority group members and women are encouraged to apply. Position available: Fall quarter 1974.

→ WHO . . . WHAT . . . WHEN . . . WHERE ? ? ?

Walter E. Elliott (Physics, on leave) recently attended a meeting of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex Science Educators Association. At the meeting, public school science teachers, university faculty, and science program consultants and coordinators explored ways to improve science curricula and articulations between educational institutions.

George J. Suchand (Social Sciences) conducted a workshop session during the meetings of the California Council for the Social Sciences at the Anaheim Convention Center, March 14-17. The workshop demonstrated how the environment of local communities may be used to teach environmental change to elementary and secondary school students.

Erland G. Dettloff (Education) is co-author of an article entitled, "Career Education in the Teacher-Education Institutions of California," published in a new monograph, Career Education in Practice, prepared by the Association of California School Administrators and the California Junior College Association. Co-author with Dettloff is Jeanne Lehman, a graduate student in the Education Department.

→ SUPPORT STAFF VACANCIES LISTED

Vacant support staff positions have been announced by S. Milton Piuma (Staff Personnel Officer). Descriptions of the positions and other vacancies are posted outside the Personnel Office, Adm. 110, ext. 2236. Contact the Personnel Office to obtain an application. Cal Poly is an Affirmative Action Employer. The positions are:

Tree Trimmer (\$752-\$914), Grounds Department, Business Affairs Division. Duties and responsibilities include topping, reshaping, pruning, and trimming trees using both power and hand saws or similar equipment; treating cut surfaces of trees, occasionally felling and removing trees; cultivating and irrigating trees, maintaining and caring for tree climbing and trimming equipment, etc. Applicants must have one year experience as a tree trimmer with a specialized knowledge of tree trimming and tree maintenance work. Closing date: April 2, 1974.

Evaluation Technician I (\$752-\$914), Education Department, School of Human Development and Education. Duties and responsibilities include reviewing, analyzing, evaluating, and processing applications to the Commission for Teacher Preparation and Licensing submitted for the award of public school teaching credentials; assisting and informing students, members of the faculty, faculty committees and other interested parties on teaching credential requirements. Applicants should have a college degree with two years experience in evaluating applicants qualifications for college admission or public school credentials. Closing date: April 2, 1974.

→ OFF-CAMPUS POSITION VACANCIES

Information on the administrative position vacancies listed below can be obtained from the Placement Office, Adm. 213, ext. 2501:

San Diego State University - Dean of Continuing Education (\$24,468-\$29,748, depending on qualifications and experience), earned doctorate and teaching and administrative experience at the senior college or university level required. Deadline for application is May 1, 1974, effective date of appointment is January 1, 1975.

California State University, Fresno - Director, Data Processing Services (\$15,960-\$25,992 for a 12-month position, depending on qualifications), advanced academic degree, preferably doctorate, or equivalent academic or work experience, and four or more years of college or university teaching and/or demonstrated capacity to increase instructional use of data processing facilities required. Deadline for application is May 31, 1974.

Newark College of Engineering - President (no salary listed), no qualifications listed. Effective date of appointment is July 1, 1975.

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→ Typewritten copy intended for the next issue of Cal Poly Report must be received prior to 12 noon on Friday (March 29) in the Office of Information Services, Adm. 210. Copy intended for Cal Poly Dateline, which replaces the "Coming Events" section of Cal Poly Report and is published separately on Thursdays, is due in the Office of Information Services by 12 noon on the Tuesday before publication.