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CHEMISTRY ACCREDITATION EXTENDED TWO YEARS

Accreditation of Cal Poly's chemistry curriculum for an additional two years has been granted by the American Chemical Society, according to an announcement from the society's headquarters in Washington, D.C. The extended approval of the program was based on a report given by Bruce Kennelly (Head, Chemistry Department) in Washington and in New York City during early September.

The extension will continue American Chemical Society accreditation of the department and its curriculum through the close of the 1970-71 academic year. The society is the world's largest professional organization devoted to science. It has 164 geographical units that blanket the U.S. and its territories and 22 special interest divisions based on subjects of chemical interest.

Dr. Kennelly pointed out that the coveted ACS accreditation is an approval of course offerings, qualifications of faculty, and facilities and equipment. "It means that our graduates in chemistry have received the training they need to prepare them as competent chemists in industry, government service, or business, or for teaching or continued study in graduate school," he explained.

The Cal Poly Chemistry Department was established in 1966 after having been a part of the Physical Sciences Department for several years and was first accredited in 1968. It now has more than 150 students enrolled in Bachelor of Science Degree curricula in chemistry and biochemistry and 23 full-time faculty members, 20 of whom hold doctor's degrees in chemistry. A formal request for a proposed Master of Science Degree curriculum in chemistry, to be offered starting in 1971, is presently being developed by the department.

CAMPUS ADDRESS SCHEDULED BY SENATOR GRAVEL

U.S. Senator Mike Gravel of Alaska will give a free public address on campus Dec. 4. His appearance, sponsored by the college and the Speakers Forum Committee of the Associated Students, Inc., will be at 11 a.m. in the Cal Poly Theater.

Gravel, 39, reached the U.S. Senate in the election of Nov. 1968 after a rapid climb up the political ladder. In 1962 he won his first seat in Alaska's House of Representatives. He was re-elected in 1964 and was soon thereafter named speaker of the house.

In 1966 Gravel, a Democrat, sought his party's nomination for Alaska's lone congressional seat in the U.S. Senate against the incumbent and was edged out in the primary. The lessons learned during that campaign were pressed into service in 1968 when he challenged Sen. Ernest Gruening. Gravel defeated Gruening in the primary, then went on to win the general election over both a Republican opponent and Gruening, who had waged a write-in campaign.

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CAL POLY TO BE FEATURED ON SPANISH TELEVISION

Viewers of programs presented on Spanish National Television will have one and possibly more opportunities to learn about Cal Poly in the very near future. A television crew from Madrid, Spain, spent Nov. 13 on campus filming segments of four documentary films for which they have exposed more than five miles of 16 mm film.

Their visit to Cal Poly, part of a two-month tour of the United States, is to focus on such "innovations" in higher education as senior projects and class projects. The director, Eduardo Sancho, his wife Maruja, and two cameramen praised the climate and location of Cal Poly as very similar to that of Spain and said they found Cal Poly to typify many of the themes of higher education in which they were interested.

The film includes scenic views of the campus, livestock, Yosemite Hall, an equitation course, instructional buildings and classrooms, and a guest lecture by Si Eisner, consulting architect for the city of Santa Barbara at a planning and design lab instructed by Ben Polk (School of Architecture). The latter is a class project paralleling the actual redevelopment of Santa Barbara's State Street.

Sancho also interviewed two visiting lecturers in the School of Architecture, Jose de la Vega and Luis Laorden. In one segment the Spanish lecturers commented on Cal Poly's approach to practical education; in another segment they compared life in the United States with life in Spain.

The television crew was accompanied by Steve Carney, representing the United States Information Agency, which arranged for the team's tour. Among other colleges filmed are Middlebury College, the University of Wisconsin, Foothill College, University of California at Santa Cruz, and the University of New Mexico.

CAMPUS ADDRESS SCHEDULED BY SENATOR GRAVEL (Continued from Page 1)

The son of French-Canadian immigrants, he was born in Springfield, Mass., and, after graduation from Columbia University in New York, drove the Alaska Highway to Anchorage. Gravel began his business career there in real estate sales and later expanded his interests into real estate development. The holder of a bachelor's degree in economics from Columbia, Gravel is a veteran of the U.S. Army, in which he served from 1951 to 1954.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE FOR RECREATIONAL SWIMMING LISTED

The recreational swimming program operated by the Physical Education Department will close Nov. 25, and operate again Dec. 1-7, before being closed for the Christmas Holiday season, according to information received this week. It will reopen on a regular schedule after start of the Winter Quarter.

PAYROLL CHECKS WILL BE AVAILABLE DEC. 2

Salary warrants for the November pay period for members of the college faculty and staff will be available next Tuesday (Dec. 2). They may be picked up in the Business Affairs Division office, Adm-114.

MRS. LOUGHRAN NAMED HEAD OF ART DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Bernice B. Loughran, a member of the Cal Poly faculty since 1958, has been named head of the recently formed Art Department of the college's School of Applied Arts. The appointment, announced last week by President Robert E. Kennedy, became effective immediately. Dr. Loughran has been acting head of the Art Department since its formation in September. Art instruction was formerly a function of the Education Department.

The new head of the college Art Department has considerable experience as an art educator, both in California and in the eastern United States. Before joining the Cal Poly faculty, Mrs. Loughran taught in public schools in California, Connecticut, and New Jersey, and was a member of the faculties of Johnson College in Vermont, University of Connecticut, and Danbury State College, also in Connecticut. She is a graduate of both Ohio State University and Stanford University, from which she received her doctor's degree.

Dr. Kennedy expressed his confidence in Dr. Loughran in his announcement of her appointment. "I have always had great confidence in her ability as an art educator and I have been continuously impressed with her sincerity and dedication to the improvement of Cal Poly's instructional program," Dr. Kennedy said.

Dr. Loughran's appointment to the position was based on the recommendations of members of the Art Department faculty and of Carl C. Cummins (Dean of Applied Arts, which includes the Art Department and ten other academic departments).

The head of Cal Poly's art education program is well known for her professional activities, both in the local area and throughout the western United States. In addition to being a member of both the California and National Art Education Associations, she is author of a book and of a number of articles published in such professional magazines as School Arts and The Instructor. Titled Art Experiences: An Experimental Approach, the book was issued by Harcourt Brace and World publishers in 1963.

There is no plan for a degree curriculum for the Art Department, which presently has a faculty of seven full-time members. The Cal Poly department provides art courses meeting the general education requirements of the entire college student body and teacher credentialing requirements.

FOUR-DAY HOLIDAY WEEKEND PLANNED FOR THANKSGIVING PERIOD

As previously announced, Friday (Nov. 28) has been established as a college holiday in lieu of Oct. 13 (Columbus Day), which was a working day at Cal Poly. As on legal holidays, only essential college services will be in operation on a "skeleton" basis on Nov. 28. This makes it possible for most employees to enjoy a four-day holiday period beginning with Thanksgiving Day, Thursday (Nov. 27), a state holiday.

Employees who do not have 8 hours of Compensating Time Off credit on their account for use on Nov. 28 may use available vacation credit or, to avoid a dock in pay, may make special arrangements with their supervisor to work on this day. In addition, any employee who prefers to work on Nov. 28 can do so as part of a skeleton crew with supervisor approval. For those working on that day, the pink "Authorization for Overtime" form must be completed and submitted to the Payroll Office, Adm-110.

SELF-SUPPORT SUMMER SESSION PLANNED FOR 1970

Cal Poly will offer an expanded 1970 self-support summer session, according to Don M. Morris (Associate Dean, Continuing Education). The wider offerings are due to a new calendar pattern which has been developed.

As in the past, the calendar pattern shows the summer session in two sessions. A new innovation which adds flexibility to the summer session concept is that there will be three terms within each session (i.e., courses will be offered for one-week, two-week, and four-week terms within each session).

The summer session calendar is:

First Session

Term I - June 22-26 - One Week
Term II - June 22-July 3 - Two Weeks
Term III - June 22-July 17 - Four Weeks

Second Session

Term I - July 20-24 - One Week
Term II - July 20-31 - Two Weeks
Term III - July 20-August 14 - Four Weeks

Dr. Morris noted that summer session is separate from the Summer Quarter, and the limitations of Summer Quarter faculty employment regarding the one-in-three-year rule are not applicable in the summer session.

PEACE CORPS TRAINING PROGRAM PLANNED DURING WINTER, SPRING

Cal Poly students regularly enrolled in instructional programs of the college will participate in an on-campus training program for Peace Corps volunteers during the Winter and Spring Quarters of the 1969-70 academic year. The program will begin with the opening of the Winter Quarter on Jan. 2.

Curtis Dean Piper, coordinator for the program, says about 20 students now enrolled in agricultural majors at Cal Poly, will enter the Peace Corps project aimed at preparing volunteers for service in the Mekong River area of Thailand. Piper (Soil Science Department) has served as technical adviser in Peace Corps projects in India, Nepal, and Morocco.

In addition to their regular class loads, the participating students will attend special seminars on Thailand culture and agriculture. Depending on the class loads of the students, a special course in Thai language may be arranged. As resource people for the seminars, the program will draw upon Thai students enrolled at Cal Poly and on returned Peace Corps volunteers and Cal Poly faculty members who have worked in Thai agriculture.

Upon completion of the on-campus training, the trainees will undergo an intensive language course, possibly at the University of Hawaii, and then will spend a month in Thailand for the final phase of the training program. At that point, the trainees will determine if they will enter the two-year voluntary service program of the Peace Corps.

COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS

Farm-City Week -- Continuing through Thursday, Nov. 27. Displays and other activities planned as part of nationwide Farm-City Week observance; sponsored by the Student Agriculture Council. See individual event listings for details.

Books at High Noon Luncheon -- Tuesday, Nov. 25, 12 noon, Staff Dining Room. Review of Art Buchwald's The Establishment is Alive and Well in Washington by Clyde Hostetter. Public invited.

Varsity Wrestling -- Tuesday, Nov. 25, 7:30 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Cal Poly vs. University of California at Santa Barbara. Tickets - general admission, \$1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

Cal Poly Women's Club Choral Group -- Tuesday, Nov. 25, 8 p.m., 201 Buena Vista Ave., San Luis Obispo. Regular meeting of the group in the home of Mrs. Ken Schwartz. Members invited.

Architecture Lecture -- Tuesday, Nov. 25, 8 p.m., Engineering Auditorium (formerly Air Conditioning Auditorium). Illustrated lecture on the "Social System and Architecture of the Incas;" sponsored by the School of Architecture. Public invited.

Cal Poly Women's Club Handcraft Section (Day) -- Wednesday, Nov. 26, 10 a.m., 864 Santa Rosa, San Luis Obispo. Regularly scheduled meeting of section at City Recreation Center. Members invited.

Thanksgiving Holiday -- Thursday, Nov. 27, through Sunday, Nov. 30. College holidays for Thanksgiving season for faculty, staff and students, with only essential services in operation.

Cal Poly Women's Club Bridge Section -- Monday, Dec. 1, 7:30 p.m., Dexter Library Room 129. Regularly scheduled meeting of section. Members invited.

Varsity Basketball -- Monday, Dec. 1, 8 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Cal Poly vs. University of California at Santa Barbara. Preliminary game, 5:45 p.m. - Cal Poly Colts vs. UCSB Frosh. Tickets - general admission, \$1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

Cal Poly Women's Club Walking Section -- Tuesday, Dec. 2, 9 a.m., 213 Albert Dr., San Luis Obispo. Meeting at home of Mrs. C. Herold Gregory for tour of Shakespeare Press and Cal Poly campus. Members invited.

Prescheduling for Winter Quarter -- Tuesday, Dec. 2, 11 a.m., locations posted in departments. Quarterly prescheduling period for all presently enrolled students who are planning to attend Cal Poly during the Winter Quarter.

Books at High Noon Luncheon -- Tuesday, Dec. 2, 12 noon, Staff Dining Room. Review of Malcolm Muggeridge's Jesus Rediscovered by Dr. Robert L. Cleath. Public invited.

Cal Poly Women's Club Sewing Section -- Tuesday, Dec. 2, 2 p.m., 213 Albert Dr., San Luis Obispo. Regularly scheduled meeting in home of Mrs. C. Herold Gregory. Members invited.

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CROSS-COUNTRY CLUB COPS CONFERENCE CROWN

Coach Dick Purcell's varsity cross-country team closed its 1969 season by winning the first California Collegiate Athletic Association championship ever recorded in that sport by a Cal Poly team during the championship meet of the conference held last Friday (Nov. 21) in Pomona. The Mustang distancemen recorded a winning low score of 20, to upset the favored California State Polytechnic College at Pomona team, which finished with 43 in the five-team event.

Individually, Purcell's charges copped four of the first five places in the CCAA meet. Mathyas Michael capped his first year of cross-country competition with a 25:11.9 clocking to win the blue ribbon for the Mustangs. Others placing in the first five for the winning Cal Poly entry were Eddie Cadena (second), Wally McConnel (fourth), and Greg Tibbetts (fifth).

COMING EVENTS (Continued from page 5)

Cal Poly Women's Club Handcraft Section (Night) -- Tuesday, Dec. 2, 7:30 p.m., 357 Santa Lucia, San Luis Obispo. Regularly scheduled meeting in the home of Mrs. William Marchant. Members invited.

Varsity Wrestling -- Tuesday, Dec. 2, 8 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Cal Poly vs. San Francisco State College. Tickets - general admission, \$1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

CAHPER High School Basketball Tourney -- Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday, Dec. 3, 4, and 6, 4 p.m., Men's Gymnasium; sponsored by Cal Poly Chapter of the California Association for Health, Physical Education, and Recreation. Tickets - general admission, \$1; students and children, 50 cents.

Christmas Band Concert -- Wednesday, Dec. 3, 5 p.m., Student Dining Room. Concert by Cal Poly Band conducted by William V. Johnson; sponsored by the Music Department. Students invited.

Architecture Lecture -- Wednesday, Dec. 3, 8 p.m., Cal Poly Theater. Lecture by German architect and author, Conrad Roland; sponsored by the student chapter of the American Institute of Architects. Public invited.

Foreign Affairs Lecture -- Thursday, Dec. 4, 11 a.m., Cal Poly Theater. Address on foreign affairs by U.S. Senator Mike Gravel of Alaska; sponsored by Cal Poly and by the Speakers Forum Committee of the Associated Students, Inc. Public invited.

Cal Poly Staff Club Luncheon -- Thursday, Dec. 4, 12 noon, Staff Dining Room. Talk by Head Basketball Coach Neale Stoner. Faculty and staff invited.

Varsity Basketball -- Friday, Dec. 5, 7:30 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Annual "Camp Fire Girls Night at Cal Poly" program featuring Cal Poly vs. California State College at Hayward game; jointly sponsored by Associated Students, Inc., and the Natoma Council of Camp Fire Girls, Inc. Preliminary game, 6:30 p.m. - San Luis Obispo Junior High School vs. Laguna Junior High School. Tickets - general admission, \$1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

Christmas Caroling Party -- Saturday, Dec. 6, 7:30 p.m., Crandall Gymnasium. All campus Christmas Caroling Party. Students, faculty, and staff invited.

COLLEGE LIBRARY DESIGNATED FEDERAL DEPOSITORY

Cal Poly's Walter Dexter Library is now a federal depository authorized to receive all publications normally filed in the Library of Congress. Congressman Burt J. Talcott (R) of Salinas, announced the designation of the library as a federal depository during a visit to the campus last Saturday (Nov. 22). As a result, many documents now will be available to residents of the Central Coast area which previously were available only in libraries at Santa Cruz and Santa Barbara.

L. Harry Strauss (College Librarian) says he now has the privilege of ordering from the Library of Congress without charge any federal document or publication which would be of interest to this area. Strauss now is in the process of selecting the documents, from a list of 2,200 categories, to be deposited in the library. The documents and publications will be housed in the special collections room of the library and will be available to the general public, college students, faculty and staff members for reading at the library.

ACADEMIC SENATE POSITION FORWARDED TO STATEWIDE OPEN HEARINGS

A letter submitted by David M. Grant (English Department) to Dr. A. Moore of California State College at Los Angeles last week presented the position of the Cal Poly Academic Senate on the proposed salary schedule for faculty of the California State Colleges. The letter by Dr. Grant, who is chairman of the campus senate, to Dr. Moore, who is chairman of the CSC Academic Senate, was for inclusion in the open hearings on the salary schedule proposal, which took place last Friday (Nov. 21) and Saturday (Nov. 22) in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Dr. Grant's letter contained three recommended changes in the salary schedule being proposed by Chancellor of the California State Colleges, Glenn S. Dumke. Based on available information and on deliberations of the local senate on the proposal, according to the letter, the suggested changes are:

- "1. That the designation of the vocational categories as applied in vocational and technical areas of instruction be retained in the proposed salary schedule for pay purposes.
- "2. That part of the final paragraph of Table 2 of the proposal relating to criteria for advancement be deleted (after the word 'practices'). The paragraph in its proposed form applied only to those areas of instruction in which a doctorate or terminal degree is traditional and usual. The paragraph does not cover those areas of vocational and technical instruction which form the programs of special emphasis specified in Title V for Cal Poly.
- "3. That the specification of annual merit evaluation procedures be retained in the proposal; but that the criteria for advancement be retained in the State College Administrative Manual (SCAM), Sections 7360.20 through 7360.50."

Copies of an analysis of the effect of the proposed salary schedule prepared by members of Chancellor Dumke's staff, were distributed to members of the college faculty last week.

CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ELECTIONS SET FOR EXECUTIVE DEAN'S POST

Elections to determine members of the Executive Dean Consultative Committee have been announced by John S. Stuart (School of Architecture), chairman of the Elections Committee of the Academic Senate. The elections, in accordance with Administrative Bulletin 69-5, will be conducted next Tuesday (Dec. 2) from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the respective schools.

Further information about the faculty elections is available from Elections Committee members, who are: Agriculture, Roland K. Pautz (Poultry Industry); F. Sheldon Harden (Physical Education Department); Applied Sciences, Fred F. Clogston (Biological Sciences Department); Architecture, Stuart; and Engineering and Technology, Daniel Sobola (Aeronautical Engineering Department).

In a related announcement, Staff Senate Chairman John J. Lucin announced last week that selection of representatives of the college staff to join Academic Senate representatives on the collegewide committee is currently in progress. He indicated that an announcement on that subject should be forthcoming in the next few days.

SALE OF TICKETS FOR STAFF CLUB, WOMEN'S CLUB DINNER-DANCE STILL ON SALE

Tickets for the Dec. 12 Dinner-Dance of the Cal Poly Staff Club and the Cal Poly Women's Club are still on sale, according to an announcement received last week from the women's club. Priced at \$4.50 per person, they may be purchased either from the chairmen of the various special interest sections of CPWC or at regular meetings of the staff club.

Scheduled for the Elks Club in San Luis Obispo, the dinner-dance will begin with a no-host social hour at 7 p.m. A steak dinner, to be followed by dancing, will begin at 8 o'clock. Music for dinner and dancing will be provided by Jack LaForte's Music Makers.

Other information issued last week by the Cal Poly Women's Club included a reminder for members planning to attend the meeting of the Handcraft Section (Night) which will take place next Tuesday (Dec. 2) in the home of Mrs. William Marchant, 357 Santa Lucia. They are being asked to bring either styrofoam or satin balls, old jewelry, glue, scissors, ribbon, braid, etc., with them to the meeting.

SABBATICAL LEAVE APPLICATIONS INVITED

The availability of funds for more sabbatical leaves during 1970-71 than had been anticipated has been announced by Dale W. Andrews (Academic Vice-President). Dr. Andrews said the deadline has been extended for additional applications, which should reach the office of the respective school dean by Thursday, Dec. 4. The candidates will be placed at the end of the priority list established for those who already submitted applications, without any delay in action on the latter. New applicants may arrange a specific interview time by phoning Mrs. Mary Johnson (Ext. 2101). Interviews will begin at 9 a.m. on Monday, Dec. 8.

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1969-70 FACULTY EVALUATION WILL BE EXPANDED

Every member of the college teaching faculty will have the opportunity to participate in the 1969-70 student evaluation, according to Cindy Arey, who is chairman of the Associated Students Survey of Instructors' Teaching Committee (ASSIST). She reported last week that the survey, which will include each class taught by each member of the faculty, will take place during the final week of classes for the Fall Quarter, Dec. 1-5.

President Robert E. Kennedy expressed his support of the Associated Students, Inc., effort in a recent memorandum to the entire faculty of the college.

"Because I firmly believe that every faculty member wants to be as effective in his teaching as possible, he should have available to him as much evaluative information from his students as possible. The current ASSIST program is being operated on the same basic premises as were previously approved by the Academic Senate of the college and the college administration. I continue to support the students' efforts and I am hopeful that faculty will volunteer in even larger numbers than last year," Dr. Kennedy wrote.

Miss Arey said students will evaluate instructors by marking scores on computer cards for corresponding questions about the instructor. Rating scale for the survey will be "0" for never or unsatisfactory; "1" for rarely or poor; "2" for sometimes or inadequate; "3" for usually or good; and "4" for always or excellent. Separate sets of questions for different types of classes (i.e., lecture, laboratory, activity, and recitation) will be used. Results of the 1969-70 ASSIST survey will be published in a book.

INTERNATIONALLY KNOWN ARCHITECT SLATES CAMPUS ADDRESS

Conrad Roland, German architect and author, will deliver a public lecture on campus Wednesday, Dec. 3. Roland's Cal Poly address -- scheduled for the college theater at 8 p.m. -- comes near the end of a three-month American lecture tour being sponsored by the Goethe Institute of Munich, Germany. It is being sponsored by the student chapter of the American Institute of Architects. Admission will be free.

Roland's buildings and work have won him international recognition. He has already lectured and taught in the United States, England, and Canada in 1967. His professional experience includes work in the office of the late Mies van der Rohe from 1958 to 1961. Van der Rohe was one of the recognized fathers of modern architecture.

Two books have been authored by Roland. Frei Otto's Tension Structures, published in Germany in 1965 and to be published in English next year, and Multi-Story Suspension Structures and Spacenets, to be published in English and German in 1970. Among the many articles that Roland has published in Germany, Holland, France, and Japan are "A Sculpture Hall" and "Multi-Story Suspension Structures."

COLLEGIATE F F A CHAPTER WINS FARM-CITY WEEK DISPLAY COMPETITION

Cal Poly's Collegiate Future Farmers of America Chapter won the trophy for the best window display for Farm-City Week in San Luis Obispo. The winner was chosen from among a dozen entries Saturday (Nov. 22) by three judges -- Art Hapgood of KSBY-TV, San Luis Obispo; Dr. Dale Andrews (Academic Vice-President), and Boyd Wettlaufer (Audio-Visual Department), vice-president, Cal Poly Chapter No. 97, California State Employees Association. The trophy is presented by the CSEA chapter.

OPENINGS ON SUPPORT STAFF OF COLLEGE LISTED BY PERSONNEL OFFICE

Six vacant positions on the support staff of the college have been listed by Milton Piuma (Staff Personnel Officer). Descriptions of the positions, which are posted on the bulletin board located in the Personnel Office, Adm-111, 546-2236, are:

Campus Fireman Plant Operations Department, Business Affairs Division, (\$635-\$772).

Automotive Equipment Operator I, Grounds Department, Business Affairs Division, (\$619-\$683).

Clerical Assistant I, Range A (Part-time, 30 hrs. per week), Audio-Visual Department, School of Applied Arts, (\$2.28/hr).

Departmental Secretary I, Range B, Poultry and Crops Departments, School of Agriculture, (\$492-\$599).

Clerical Assistant II, Range B, School of Architecture, (\$469-\$571).

Clinical Lab Technician (Part-time), Health Center, Student Affairs Division, (\$4.40 per hour).

PRE-SCHEDULING SET FOR NEXT TUESDAY

The regular quarterly pre-scheduling period for the Winter Quarter 1970 will be conducted next Tuesday (Dec. 2), at 11 a.m., according to F. Jerald Holley (Director of Admissions, Records and Evaluations). Holley said the schedule of locations of advisory meetings will be distributed to all departments and will be available at the cafeteria, snack bar, bookstore, library, and other campus locations during Thanksgiving week. Pre-scheduling is for all presently enrolled students who are planning to attend Cal Poly during the Winter Quarter.

OPEN ENROLLMENT PERIOD FOR MAJOR MEDICAL INSURANCE ANNOUNCED BY P E R S

The Public Employees' Retirement System Board of Administration is providing a "limited major medical enrollment period" for all employees and annuitants currently enrolled in one of the board-contracted basic or supplemental health plans who failed to enroll in one of the PERS major medical plans during the past open period. The opportunity to enroll is Nov. 17 through Dec. 10, with an effective date of coverage of Jan. 1, 1970.

OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULED AT O H UNIT

Christmas arrangements will be featured at an open house at the Ornamental Horticulture Unit from 7:30 to 10 p.m. next Tuesday (Dec. 2). Robert Gordon (Ornamental Horticulture Department) says the retail sales laboratory and the workshop area will be decorated in holiday decor and special Christmas arrangements prepared by students will be on display. All faculty and staff invited.

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WRESTLING, BASKETBALL TEAMS PREPARE FOR 1969-70 OPENERS

The dust of a second successive successful football season has hardly blown away from Mustang Stadium, but Cal Poly's varsity wrestling and basketball teams are making final preparations for the opening contests of the 1969-70 seasons. Coach Vaughan Hitchcock's defending national champion grapplers will open their season tonight, Tuesday (Nov. 25), when they host University of California at Santa Barbara's wrestlers in a match billed for 7:30 p.m. in the Men's Gymnasium. The Gauchos of UCSB will again be the opponent when Coach Neale Stoner unveils his Mustang cage varsity Monday. Gametime will be 8 p.m., also in the Men's Gym.

Coach Joe Harper's Cal Poly football varsity closed its 1969 season Saturday (Nov. 22) with a 34-6 victory over California State Polytechnic College at Pomona. The win boosted the Mustang gridgers' won-lost mark for the campaign to 6-4. Several outstanding performances by individual members of the team provided fitting climaxes to their careers. Quarterback Gary Abate ran for 214 yards and added 82 more via passes to boost his total offense mark for the year to 1356. Tailback Joe Acosta rushed for 97 yards to establish a new all-time record for rushing in a single season at 919 net yards.

In other campus sports action last week, Coach Dick Purcell's Cal Poly cross-country team upset favored Cal Poly at Pomona to win the first California Collegiate Athletic Association title ever won by a Mustang team in that sport and Coach Dick Anderson's water polo team finished with a 1-3 won-lost record in an invitational meet held on campus. Details on the cross-country team's victory appear elsewhere in this issue of Cal Poly Report.

ASSISTANCE WITH ENROLLMENT OFFERED TO FACULTY, STAFF

Faculty and staff members were reminded last week that assistance with registration for Winter Quarter classes is available to them through the Registrar's Office. F. Jerald Holley (Director of Admissions, Records, and Evaluations) said staff and faculty who will be enrolling should complete their registration booklets and leave them in the Registrar's Office, Adm-219, before Dec. 12. Any student or member of the faculty or staff who was not enrolled during the Fall Quarter must clear through the Admissions Office, Adm-205, before they can enroll for the Winter Quarter.

DISCUSSION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS SLATED BY CAMPUS C S E A CHAPTER

Members of Cal Poly Chapter 97 of the California State Employees Association are invited to an open meeting of the chapter Board of Directors on Dec. 9 for a discussion on constitutional amendments voted at October's General Council session in Sacramento.

The chapter meeting will take place starting at 7:30 p.m. in the Staff Dining Room. Members who are present for the Dec. 9 meeting will vote following the discussion to determine the local CSEA group's position on each amendment. Ratification of the various items must be completed by Jan. 22, by the Boards of Directors of all CSEA chapters.

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

Ralph S. Vrana (Physics Department) is the author of a newly published book titled Junior High School Science Activities. The book is directed to teachers of junior high schools and is intended to assist them in laying out a laboratory program in science. It includes sections on electricity, biology and the demonstration of a model lung, how to build a pinhole camera, earth sciences, and the printing of actual snowflakes on paper.

Don M. Morris (Associate Dean, Continuing Education), Walter P. Schroeder (Head of Education Department), and Stanley Brown (Education Department) attended a meeting of the Tri-County Vocational Education Association held in Santa Barbara Nov. 14. Information about a new nationwide coordinating agency, known as the Cooperative Association for Manpower Program Systems (CAMPS), was presented during the gathering.

Paul R. Neel (School of Architecture) was the speaker at a meeting of the Monterey Chapter of the American Institute of Architects. Neel returned to his teaching duties on campus in September after spending a year-long sabbatical leave studying at the University of Sheffield in England. He received his Master of Architecture Degree from the university at completion of the study.

Rex L. Hutton, Allen D. Miller, and Chester H. Scott (all Mathematics Department) participated in meetings of the Southern Section of the California Mathematics Council held Nov. 14-15, in Anaheim. Dr. Hutton addressed one of the conference sessions and delivered a talk on "Intuitive Geometry" during one of the conference sessions.

William W. Armentrout and Phillip McClung (both Education Department) and Mrs. Sue Giroux and Mrs. Ruth Tomson (Both Credential Technicians) attended a meeting dealing with new credential regulations which took place in Santa Barbara Nov. 18.

Mrs. Phyllis Stewart (Associated Students, Inc.) last week expressed her appreciation for the cards and flowers she has received during her illness. "I so very much appreciate the kind wishes and thoughtfulness shown to me. The visits, notes, flowers, and cards have been wonderful. Anyone who has time to stop by to visit will be very welcome," she said. Mrs. Stewart will be at her home recuperating from recent surgery for several more weeks.

PRODUCE STORE SLATES EXTENDED HOURS

Cal Poly faculty and staff members and students will be given a little extra time to stock up on holiday goodies at the Campus Produce Store today (Tuesday, Nov. 25). The store will be open from 12 noon to 5:45 p.m., but will not be open on Friday (Nov. 28). Turkeys raised in student enterprise projects and other products of the poultry, crops, dairy and food processing departments will be available at the store.

The Ornamental Horticulture Department also is having a special sale of garden mums in gallon cans. A variety of colors is available. The mums are offered at special prices of 75 cents per gallon can, three for \$2, and 12 for \$6.50. They are available at the Ornamental Horticulture Department retail sales facility on Mt. Bishop Road adjacent to the Horse Unit.

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