CHANDLER GRANTED LEAVE, LAWSON ASSUMES DUTIES

Dean of Students Everett Chandler has been granted leave without pay from Jan. 1 to Sept., 1970, to pursue studies in the Department of Higher Education, Michigan State University. President Robert E. Kennedy announced that J. Dan Lawson (Director of Student Activities) will assume the office of dean of students during Chandler's leave.

Chandler, who joined Cal Poly in 1951, will do advanced work in the student personnel program at MSU. He will be joined in June by his wife, Arlene, a member of the faculty of Cuesta College. Dr. Lawson, who also joined Cal Poly in 1951, has moved from his office in the Temporary College Union Building to the Dean of Students Office, Adm-209. While he is serving as acting dean, John Lucin has been designated as assistant director of activities, and will occupy Lawson's office in the TCU.

NEW POLICY ON FIRST DAY CLASS PROCEDURES ENDORSED BY PRESIDENT KENNEDY

A new policy statement regulating first day class procedures as they relate to official class lists and dropping students who are absent from the first meeting of the quarter for a class has been endorsed by President Robert E. Kennedy and will be incorporated in the next revision of the College Administrative Manual. Scheduled to appear as paragraph 485.3 in CAM, it reads:

"No student may be dropped from the class by the instructor for failure to attend the initial section meeting unless the student is absent at the end of the first class meeting at which the instructor has the official class list, except that the instructor has the right to remove any student's name from the official class list who fails to appear after the first thirty minutes of the first laboratory meeting, whether or not the instructor has his official class list at that time."

PRIVATE CAR MILEAGE ALLOWANCE CHANGED BY BOARD OF CONTROL

An amendment to the Board of Control rule governing travel allowances for use of private cars on official business (2 Ca. Adm. Code 714) became effective Jan. 1. Allowance for use of a private car when no state vehicle is available is liberalized through elimination of the former 835-mile-per-month limit on the 11-cents-per-mile allowance. The pertinent College Administrative Manual section (571.2) will be amended when the next general change is promulgated to read:

"...a rate of eleven (11) cents per mile, utilizing departmental travel funds, will be allowed as reimbursement for transportation expenses for approved travel when a privately owned vehicle is used and no State vehicle is economically available..."
"FIRST DAY OF SPRING" FLOAT CONTINUES ROSE PARADE AWARD TRADITION

Mama Theta, the bird, tugged and tugged on Willie, the worm, in full view of an estimated audience of 150 million persons in Pasadena Thursday (Jan. 1) morning. As a result, students at the Cal Polys in San Luis Obispo and Pomona have another major award to add to the long list of prizes won by floats entered by the colleges in the famed Tournament of Roses Parade, which takes place each New Year's Day in that city.

Entered as a joint effort by the Associated Students, Inc., of the two colleges, the float won the Princess Trophy, which annually goes to the entry showing the best use of animation.

Using "That First Day of Spring" as its theme, the Cal Polys float showed the proverbial early bird's efforts to get her worm for her offspring. Named Mama Theta by her college student creators, she occupied the first of three flower-bedecked islands with her efforts to pull Willie out of the "ground." Josh, a large butterfly, sat atop the second island, and the baby bird perched in a nest in a tree that occupied the third island. The worm's body coiled in and out of the islands and connected them.

The Cal Polys float was unique among the 60 from throughout the U.S., Canada, and Mexico that were entered in the 81st Tournament of Roses Parade in that it was entirely designed, constructed, and decorated by members of the two student bodies. It consumed $3,000 and in excess of 15,000 man-hours in construction and the result, which required more than 150,000 blossoms, leaves, and seeds from gladiolas, chrysanthemums, poppies, bachelor buttons, palm trees, and ferns, measured 55 feet in length, 20 feet in width, and 17 feet in height.

The Princess Award won Thursday kept intact the colleges' record of having won an award every year since their first entry in the Pasadena event in 1949. The Cal Polys prize-winning tradition in the TOR Parade includes seven major prizes, as well as a number of awards in its classification for educational organizations. Both 1957 and 1959 saw Cal Poly entries cop the parade's Theme Prize for best representation of the theme, 1966 brought a Judge's Trophy for best use of humor, and both 1968 and 1969 saw Princess Trophies added to the colleges' trophy shelf.

C S C BEGIN PROCESSING APPLICATIONS FOR FALL QUARTER ADMISSION

The California State Colleges began accepting applications for admission to the fall 1970 term last Friday (Jan. 2) according to R. G. Whitesel, vice chancellor for academic affairs. This is the first time the colleges have adopted a uniform date for processing applications. In the past, opening and closing admissions dates on the campuses have varied as much as six months.

Admissions offices at all of the state colleges were open on Friday to receive applications. Processing will continue until each college reaches its projected number of fall term students. The CSC Office of Student Affairs repeated its previous advice that students intending to enter the state colleges next fall apply as early as possible due to limitations of resources at some of the colleges.

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CHILD DEVELOPMENT SEPARATED FROM HOME ECONOMICS

Effective with start of the Winter Quarter last Friday (Jan. 2) Cal Poly's child development program is being administered as a department separate from the Home Economics Department, President Robert E. Kennedy has announced. Rapid growth of the interdisciplinary program in child development to approximately 200 majors since its inception as a new program in the fall of 1968 provided one of the compelling reasons for the decision to alter the administrative relationship of the program, Dr. Kennedy said.

It was recommended that administration of the program and proper guidance and counseling of students could be made more effective if the program operated within the more traditional "departmental" organization framework, according to the announcement. The program will continue to operate with heavy emphasis upon the "interdisciplinary" approach. Coordination between cooperating departments will be facilitated by the continuation of the coordinating committee which includes representatives from home economics, social sciences, art, and psychology.

Mrs. Marie Pfeiffer, who as head of the Home Economics Department provided the leadership which developed and achieved Chancellor's Office approval for the child development program, has administered the program as "coordinator" since its approval in Oct., 1967. Dr. Pfeiffer will continue in that role as head of the new department. She had asked to be relieved of the other half of her dual assignment, that of head of the Home Economics Department, which during the Fall Quarter had an enrollment of nearly 750 majors.

Approximately 12 "child and family development" courses currently with "home economics" prefixes will be transferred to the new department of child development. Home economics faculty members who teach "child and family development" courses predominantly will be shifted with the courses to the new department. These faculty members are Barbara Haskell, Winifred Reynolds, Josephine Stearns, Bruce Tjaden, and Angli Wai.

Tenured faculty of the Home Economics Department and Carl C. Cummins (dean of the School of Applied Arts) have recommended to President Kennedy that an acting head of the Home Economics Department be named for the Winter and Spring Quarters, 1970, while a permanent replacement for Dr. Pfeiffer is being sought.

ACTING HEAD NAMED FOR HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Eva Scully, for more than 25 years state supervisor of home economics for the State of Arizona and one-time national president of the American Vocational Association, is the new acting head of Cal Poly's Home Economics Department. The appointment became effective last Friday (Jan. 2). She relieves Mrs. Marie Pfeiffer who will head the newly created Child Development Department. Dr. Pfeiffer has been head of the Home Economics Department since 1965 and since Oct., 1967, was also coordinator for the interdisciplinary child development program.

Mrs. Scully taught at Cal Poly during the 1968-69 academic year as a leave replacement. She had retired from the state supervisor's position in Arizona in Jan., 1968 after holding that position continuously since 1941. Since her retirement she taught at Berea College in Kentucky, as a one-semester leave replacement before taking the leave replacement position at Cal Poly. A graduate of the University of Kentucky with a BS degree in home economics, she received her MS degree at Colorado State University.

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LEACH BEGINS SURVEY OF INDIA'S POULTRY INDUSTRY

Richard I. Leach, (Head of the Poultry Industry Department) departed last week for India where he will conduct a survey of the poultry industry and the role of Peace Corps volunteers in providing aid to the poultrymen of that nation. Leach will spend the Winter Quarter in India on behalf of the Development and Resource Corporation of New York. He is on leave without pay.

Leach will be headquartered in New Delhi, India, but will travel through much of the country inspecting poultry operations and educational and research facilities serving the poultry industries. At the end of the three-month period, he will report on the technical assistance needs of the poultry industry. His report is to be used as a basis for determining how Peace Corps volunteers might assist in the program and what kind of training program for volunteers would be necessary.

It is Leach's first trip to India. He has viewed poultry operations in 20 countries, mostly in Europe, on previous trips. In 1966, Leach presented a paper on college poultry education at the World Poultry Congress in Kiev, Russia. He also attended the World Poultry Congress in Australia in 1962. Leach, who has headed the Poultry Industry Department at Cal Poly since 1930, is a graduate of Montana State University.

ACTING HEAD NAMED FOR HOME ECONOMICS (Continued from Page 3)

Carl C. Cummins (Dean of the School of Applied Arts) made the announcement of Mrs. Scully's appointment as acting head of the Home Economics Department after consultation with tenured members of the department's faculty. President Robert E. Kennedy concurred in the appointment for the interim period of the Winter and Spring Quarters.

During the years that she was with the Arizona State Department of Vocational Education, Mrs. Scully taught summer sessions at many colleges and universities including Northern Arizona University, Arizona State University, University of Arizona, Colorado State University, University of Missouri, and Montana State University.

Mrs. Scully is known and highly regarded both professionally and as an outstanding individual by educators in the United States and many other countries. In addition to being national vice president and national president of the American Vocational Association, she was a member of the national Advisory Board of the Future Homemakers of America, president of the Arizona Home Economics Association, and a delegate to the 1955 White House Conference on Children and Youth.

The new acting department head has received many awards including the Outstanding Service Award of AVA, the University of Arizona Award of Merit, and the Distinguished Service Award of the FHA.

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE SEEKS BACK COPIES OF "EL RODEO"

Back copies of El Rodeo, the annual yearbook of the Associated Students, Inc., are being sought by the School of Architecture. Anyone having issues of the book they are willing to donate is invited to contact the office of George J. Hasslein (Dean of Architecture), Engr. West-110, 546-2497.
COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS -- COMING EVENTS

Late Registration -- Tuesday, Jan. 6, through Monday, Jan. 12, all day, Administration Building 219. Late registration for Winter Quarter classes for Cal Poly students.

Cal Poly Women's Club Walking Section -- Tuesday, Jan. 6, 9 a.m., 280 Del Mar Ct., San Luis Obispo. Meeting in home of Mrs. B. A. Dickson. Members invited.

Cal Poly Women's Club Sewing Section -- Tuesday, Jan. 6, 2 p.m., 654 Rancho Dr., San Luis Obispo. Meeting in home of Mrs. Archie Higdon. Members invited.

Cal Poly Women's Club Handcrafts Section (Night) -- Tuesday, Jan. 6, 7:30 p.m., 319 Tolosa Way, San Luis Obispo. Meeting in home of Mrs. F. Sheldon Harden. Members invited.

Varsity Wrestling -- Thursday, Jan. 8, 8 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Cal Poly vs. University of California at Davis. Tickets - general admission, $1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

California Professional Metrology Committee -- Friday, Jan. 9, 12 noon, Staff Dining Room. Meeting of coordinating committee for professional programs in metrology; hosted by Cal Poly. By invitation.

Cal Poly Staff Club Luncheon -- Thursday, Jan. 8, 12 noon, Staff Dining Room. Scenes from the play, The Holy Terror, by students of San Luis Obispo Senior High School, will be featured on the program. Faculty and staff invited.

Junior College Wrestling Tournament -- Friday, Jan. 9, 7 p.m., and Saturday, Jan. 10, all day, Men's Gymnasium. Annual invitational tournament featuring junior college wrestlers from throughout California; hosted by Cal Poly. Tickets - general admission, $1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

Varsity Wrestling -- Saturday, Jan. 10, 8 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Cal Poly vs. Michigan State University. Tickets - general admission, $1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

Cal Poly Women's Club Modern and Interpretative Dance Group -- Monday, Jan. 12, 7 p.m. Crandall Gymnasium. Regular meeting of the group. Members invited.


Cal Poly Women's Club General Meeting -- Tuesday, Jan. 13, 8 p.m., Dexter Library Room 129. Illustrated program on South America by Mr. and Mrs. Sehon Powers, both members of local area public school staffs. Members invited.

Cal Poly Women's Club Handcrafts Section (Day) -- Wednesday, Jan. 14, 10 a.m. City Recreation Center, San Luis Obispo. Those planning to attend are asked to bring small smooth stones to this regular meeting of the section. Members invited.

Varsity Wrestling -- Wednesday, Jan. 14, 7:30 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Cal Poly vs. California Lutheran University. Tickets - general admission, $1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

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MUSTANG MATMEN WILL HOST U C DAVIS, MICHIGAN STATE GRAPPLES

Head Coach Vaughan Hitchcock's varsity wrestlers get the 1970 sports calendar at Cal Poly off to a quick start this week when they host a pair of talented and highly regarded opponents. University of California at Davis will provide the opposition for the Mustangs on Thursday (Jan. 8) evening and Michigan State University will be the opponent on Saturday (Jan. 10) evening. Both dual matches will take place in Men's Gymnasium starting at 8 p.m.

This week's return to action finds the Mustang matmen owners of a 3-0 won-lost mark for their 1969-70 season and competition in two rugged invitational tournaments under their belts. They finished second to Oregon State University in the University of Arizona Invitational Tournament and easily bested the field in the Chico State College invitational meet. The Thursday and Saturday matches sandwich the annual Cal Poly Junior College Invitational Tournament which is scheduled for Friday (Jan. 9) evening and throughout the day on Saturday.

This week's cage action will have Head Coach Neale Stoner's Mustang basketball varsity on the road for a pair of contests that will open their 1969-70 California Collegiate Athletic Association schedule. They will journey to Riverside, where they are slated to meet University of California at Riverside, a new CCAA foe, on Friday evening, and to Pomona and an encounter with Cal Poly at Pomona's Broncos on Saturday evening.

The Mustang cagers split a pair of contests last week as they concluded their preparation for the conference schedule. They dropped a hard-fought game to nationally ranked University of Puget Sound in Tacoma, Wash., on Dec. 29 before returning to Men's Gym to trounce University of Redlands on Saturday (Jan. 3) night. They will enter their CCAA campaign with a 7-4 won-lost record for the season and will undoubtedly be among the contenders for the realigned league's championship.

COMING EVENTS (Continued from Page 5)

College Hour Concert -- Thursday, Jan. 15, 11 a.m., Cal Poly Theater. Concert by Cal Poly's Chamber Orchestra and Chamber Singers; sponsored by Cal Poly Music Department. Public invited.

Architecture Lecture -- Thursday, Jan. 15, 8 p.m., Agricultural Engineering Building Room 123. Presentation by architect John Lautner; sponsored by Cal Poly's School of Architecture and student chapter of the American Institute of Architects. Public invited.

CARES Workshop -- Friday and Saturday, Jan. 16-17, all day, Engineering Auditorium (formerly Air Conditioning Auditorium). Twelfth annual workshop of the California Association of the Refrigeration Service Engineers Society; hosted by Cal Poly's Engineering Technology and Environmental Engineering Departments. Society members invited.

Varsity Basketball -- Friday, Jan. 16, 8 p.m., Men's Gymnasium. Cal Poly vs. San Fernando Valley State College. Preliminary game, 5:45 p.m., Cal Poly Colts vs. SFVSC Frosh. Tickets - general admission, $1.50; students and children, 50 cents.

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PAUTZ NAMED ACTING HEAD OF POULTRY INDUSTRY DEPARTMENT

Roland K. Pautz has been named acting head of the Poultry Industry Department for the Winter Quarter according to J. Cordner Gibson (Dean of the School of Agriculture). Pautz replaces Richard I. Leach, who is on leave without pay for the quarter while undertaking a study of the India poultry industry for the Development and Resource Corporation of New York. Pautz, who obtained his bachelor of science degree from Oregon State College in 1957, has been on the Poultry Industry Department faculty since 1959. He earned a master of science degree at Oregon State University in 1968.

LATER HOURS SCHEDULED FOR LIBRARY RESERVE ROOM

The Reserve Room of Dexter Library began operating on a revised service schedule that will see it remain open for service until 12 midnight on Sunday through Thursday this week. Under the new closing time schedule, those using the Reserve Room will have access to the library’s reserve collection and will also be able to bring materials from other areas of the library into the room for use there.

SERVICES PENDING FOR DR. CRUTTENDEN

Funeral services for Charles Cruttenden (School of Architecture) were pending completion of arrangements as this issue of Cal Poly Report was being prepared for press. Dr. Cruttenden, who joined the Cal Poly faculty on a part-time basis in September, was found dead in his car on Perfumo Canyon Rd., near San Luis Obispo, early Sunday. He was survived by his wife, Barbara, and two children. He was 45 years old.

RETIREMENT SYSTEM REPRESENTATIVE PLANNING CAMPUS VISIT

Louis Larson, a representative of the Public Employees' Retirement System, will be on campus for interviews during early February. Those interested in talking with him or planning retirement soon are urged to contact the Personnel Office, Adm-111, 546-2236, within the next week to make appointments.

ALIEN ADDRESS REPORTS DUE DURING JANUARY AVAILABLE

The federal government requires every person who is not a citizen of the United States to report his address each January. The U. S. Immigration Service has printed Alien Address Report Cards (Form I-53) for this purpose and is making them available at Post Offices, Immigration Service Offices, and at the college Foreign Students Office, Adm-217A, during the month of January.

Members of the college faculty and staff are urged to assist their alien friends, relatives, and/or students by reminding them of this requirement of the Immigration Law. The cards for reporting addresses must be filled out and returned to the office from which they are received before Jan. 31.

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GRAD STUDENT CONGRATULATED BY LOS ANGELES GROUP

William T. D. Yang, a graduate student, Mathematics, has been congratulated by officials of the Greater Los Angeles Urban Coalition for his work during the summer of 1969 with the School Industry Program of the organization. Peter L. Getzoff, assistant director for the urban coalition, wrote President Kennedy citing Yang's accomplishments.

Yang was responsible for the research component in the program which is designed to combat the high dropout rate in high schools in Los Angeles. He entered Cal Poly in March, 1969, as a candidate for a master's degree in mathematics. His advisor during the Spring Quarter, 1969, Milo Whitson (Head of the Mathematics Department) assisted in his selection for the Los Angeles program. Yang's advisor this Winter Quarter is Ralph Warten (Mathematics Department).

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

Mrs. Ruth C. Spencer (Circulation Librarian) has been promoted to that position, according to an announcement by Clyde P. Fisher (Dean of the School of Applied Sciences). Mrs. Spencer, who has been a member of the professional staff of the college library since 1967, was appointed to the new post after tenured members of the library staff and L. Harry Strauss (College Librarian) had recommended that action.

Roger A. Keech (Mechanical Engineering Department) spoke before meetings of two different Kiwanis Clubs in the local area last month. As faculty advisor to the Rose Parade Float Committee of the college, he described preparation for the joint float entry of the two Cal Polys in the annual Tournament of Roses Parade, which takes place each New Year's Day in Pasadena. (See related article on page 2.)

Richard J. Krejsa (Biological Sciences Department) presented a seminar titled "By the Skin of Their Teeth You Shall Know Them" at the University of Southern California School of Dentistry last month. Dr. Krejsa's presentation concerned the parallels in development between teeth and fish scales. Members of the School of Dentistry's Departments of Anatomy and Biochemistry faculty participated in the seminar.

George J. Hasslein (Dean of the School of Architecture) addressed classes in Architecture and discussed articulation with members of the faculty and administrative staff at East Los Angeles College in mid-December. Dean Hasslein also was the principal speaker for a dinner meeting of the Santa Barbara Chapter of the American Institute of Architects which took place late in November.

Ten members of the Biological Sciences Department faculty and some 20 students of that department attended meetings of the Western Society of Naturalists which took place Dec. 27-30 in Los Angeles. Four of that number -- Harry C. Finch, David H. Montgomery, Richard J. Krejsa, and Wayne T. Williams -- presented papers during the meetings. Two graduate students, David N. Young and Robert W. Erb, also presented papers and another faculty member, Fred L. Clogston, and several students were co-authors of other papers presented. About 800 persons, mostly from the coastal states, Hawaii, and Canada, are members of the society.