

News People Eat Beast, Rejoice in Post-Finals Ritual

(With apologies to Dr. Seuss)

Every News Down in Newstown Liked deadlines a lot. But the Editor. Who lived just North of Newstown, Did NOT. The Editor hated deadlines! Deadlines all season. Now please don't ask why. No one quite knows the reason. It could be that the daily deadlines weren't met. It could be the paper was too stressful a fret. But I think that the most likely reason of all May be attributed to the shit we took together this Fall. But, Whatever the reason, The shit or the stress, He stood there on Finals Eve, hating the News Mess. Staring down from his office with a late-night blues frown At the busy little desks below in Newstown. For he knew every News down in little Newstown Was busy studying instead of preparing for next quarter's production countdown. "And they're doing their classwork!" he snarled with a sneer. "Tomorrow is finals! It's practically here!" crime: Then he growled, with his pencil nervously drumming, "I MUST find a way to stop finals from coming!" For, Tomorrow, he knew All the News ladies and males Would wake to their tests and fail, fail, fail. That's one thing he hated, the wails from the fails. And he knew after the last report cards were in, The News young and old would sit down to an Academic **Probation Feast**. And they'd feast, feast, feast, feast, feast. They would feast on News-pudding and rare News-roastbeast. Which was something the Editor couldn't stand in the least! And then they'd do something he liked least of all! Every News down in Newstown, the tall and the small, Would stand close together, for a while meandering. They'd stand hand in hand. And the News would start Feast. slandering. They'd slander and they'd slander! And they'd slander, slander, slander! And the more the Editor thought of this News slander, The more the Editor showed off his candor, saying, "I must stop this whole damn thing." "Why, for four years I've put up with it now! I must stop these finals from coming But how?" Then he got an idea! A stupid idea! THE EDITOR GOT A WONDERFUL, STUPID IDEA. "I know just what to do," the Editor laughed in his throat. And with that, he made himself a chancellorial hat and a coat And he chuckled and he clucked, "What a great editor coup. With this coat and this hat I look a bit like Barbara U." So he thought and he thought about his next major hurdle, He rushed to the make-up and a tight-fitting girdle. "All I need is a Vice Chancellor The Editor looked around. But, since Vice Chancellors are scarce, there was none to be found. Receptionists

Did that stop the big Editor?

No, the Elz simply said,

"If I can't find a Vice Chancellor, I'll appoint one instead." So he took his news editor, placed a smile on his face,

Put a suit on his body, my, how out of place.

Then he loaded a briefcase

With lots of file folders

And the two made their move, shoulder to shoulder. Well, the Editor stopped, he said, "You know what I'd like, We must travel to Cheadle Hall on a two-seater bike.' Well, they made their way on the path that they chose, They passed late-night students and six CSOs. Then they came to a stop across from Campbell Hall, They broke into Cheadle by scaling a wall. All the windows were dark, no administrators were there, And the News were home studying Chaucer with care. "This is stop number one," the Editor hissed, He broke into the Registrar's office, briefcase in fist. Then he went to a terminal, a great big computer, And he erased all the grades, like a post-earthquake looter. His first step accomplished, the havoc begun, He raced to the chancellor's office for a little more fun. There were no protesters in her lobby that eve, He stole official stationary, and left a note: "Love, Steve." Then he called to the "vice chancellor," his partner in

"I love this dirty stuff, it's so full of slime." And they went to a typewriter and wrote a few 'graphs, They signed the letter "Babs" and had a few laughs. The memo said, "Finals are over, I'll have them no more, If you tend to disagree, I'll show you my door. Then, in a hurry, they worked like two big fat foxes, Distributing the memos in department heads' boxes Then they slithered across the UCSB campus that night, Collecting all the finals they could find in their sight. Economics, history, English and science, Math, chemistry and all the other giants. They stole Scantrons, bluebooks, pencils, pens and erasers, Dictionaries, rulers and professors' beer chasers. And then, as a smile appeared on his face, He stuffed all the goodies into his briefcase. Then he left the campus and rode to Newstown, For he knew within hours, he'd be wearing a crown. But there was still a job to do, a job for a beast; The Editor still had to sabotage the Academic Probation

So he snuck in their houses as the News' lay sleeping, He entered their kitchens on tip-toes while creeping. He went straight for iceboxes. He took the News' Feast! He took the News-Pudding, he took the roast beast! He cleaned out those iceboxes, as quick as a flash. Why, that Editor even took their last can of News-hash! Then he gathered the food in a oversized box, And prepared for the trip home, all of seven blocks. The Editor grabbed the package, and he started to shove, When he heard a small sound like the coo of a dove. He turned around fast and he saw a small News! Little Cindy Booze News, who was just in her twos. The Editor had been caught by this tiny News daughter Who'd got out of bed for a cold cup of water. She stared at the figure and said "Chancellor, why, Why are you taking our feast, my ohhhh my?' But, you know, that old Editor was so smart and so slick, He thought up a lie and he thought it up quick. "Why my sweet little tot," the fake chancellor lied, "There are many food items that still need to be fried." "So, I'm taking the food to my chancellor estate," "I'll fry it up there, and bring it back for your plate."

And his fib fooled the child. Then he patted her head, And he got her a drink and he sent her to bed. And when Cindy Booze News went to bed with her cup, The "chancellor" and "vice chancellor" stole her little News pup

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Then the last thing they took

Was paper for the AP wire And he chuckled as he split, "I'm such a big liar." It was quarter past dawn, when he packed up his bike, Packed it with food, Scantrons and the like. Then one thousand feet up! Up the side of Storke Tower, He climbed to the top and he did not feel sour. "Pooh-Pooh to the News," he was editorially humming. "They're finding out now that no finals are coming. "With no tests to speak of, they have only one mission," "They must begin work on the next Nexus edition." "They're just waking up! I know just what they'll do! "Their mouths will hang open a minute or two, Then the News down in Newstown will cry Boo-Hoo That's a noise," said the Editor, "That I simply must hear." So he paused and the Editor put his hand to his ear. And he did hear a sound rising over the Tower. It started in low, and quickly gained power. But the sound wasn't sad! Why this sound sounded merry! It couldn't be so! My, how very scary. Then he shook and he stared down on little Newstown, And he watched as all the News were gathered around Every News in Newstown, the tall and the small, Were slandering each other with no finals at all. But he hadn't stopped FINALS from coming. They came. Somehow or other, they came just the same. And the Editor, with his plans gone awry Stood atop Storke Tower asking himself "Why?" It came without pencils, it came without books,

It came without Scantrons and T.A. dirty looks. And he puzzled three hours, till his puzzler was sore Then the Editor thought of something he hadn't before. "Maybe finals," he said "aren't as bad as they seem." "Maybe finals," he said, "are just like a bad dream."

And what happened then,

Well, in Newstown they say, The Editor's stomach shrunk three sizes that day.

Well, he climbed down from Storke, his girdle torn and shred.

He brought back the Scantrons and he brought back the bread.

And with deadlines stopped,

And paper production ceased,

The Editor himself carved the roast beast.

On a serious note, Merry Christmas and a Happy Chanukah to all UCSBers, from the Editor In Sleaze.

Best wishes for a safe and happy New Year and we look forward to having you read us in January. With Regards,

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IT'S ALL IN THE WRIST - Physics graduate student Bengt Magnusson enjoys a juggling session in front of Ellison Hall, where he practices every day for about 1½ hours. Magnusson has been juggling for about two years.

Committee Selects Head of Campus Police Department

By Veronica Skelton Assistant Campus Editor

After serving two years as acting chief of police at UCSB, John MacPherson was officially named head of the campus police department yesterday.

The move comes after more than six months of open applications, interviews and evaluations, in which 84 applicants were screened.

The Chief of Police Search Committee, comprised of students, faculty and staff members, selected 13 candidates from the original pool, according to committee member Dan Zumwinkle.

Based on resumes, letters of reference, applicant job expectations and general notes, the remaining candidates were further evaluated and narrowed to four finalists, one of whom withdrew, Zumwinkle explained.

The committee then forwarded two recommendations to Vice Chancellor for Administrative Services James W. Hobson for consideration.

"They were so close in evaluation by the committee and my own evaluation, that



Policeman John MacPherson will now permanently occupy the chief's desk at the UCSB Police Department.

after interviewing both candidates, I decided to give my approval to Chief Mac-Pherson," Hobson said. "My observation of his ability, coupled together with his background, makes me feel confident that we selected the right person."

"He's the best qualified person for the job," UCSB Police Lt. Tony Alvarez concurred. "He's shown to have the best interest of the department on a professional basis.... He has a sound leadership style."

Since MacPherson has been the acting chief of police, "he's been pretty much running the department," Alvarez added.

MacPherson, who was senior lieutenant and secondin-command to former Police Chief Randy Lingle in 1985, has served on various UC campus police departments for 17 years.

Lingle was dismissed two years ago following an accusation that he misused information he received as a UCSB Management Group member.

Because the police department has been running smoothly the last two years, "we're going to continue on with what we've been doing I think I have been acting like a chief over the past 25 months," MacPherson said.

Hobson, who had the concurrence of Chancellor Barbara Uehling in the decision, said the appointment will take effect "as soon as I can get the memo out."

"It feels good to go up against the best and come out ahead," MacPherson said. "It's an emotional moment."



Isla Vista Site of New Homeless Shelter **Funds and Volunteers Needed to** Help Rebuild, Repair Split House

By Chris Ziegler Reporter

according to Commins. Transition House of Santa Barbara, a downtown organization that currently provides shelter for 35 people per night and will oversee operation of the new shelter, is seeking funds to pay for the work, which is scheduled to be finished by January 1988. Reconstruction of the house will take approximately four to six weeks, Commins said. "We ... need \$20,000 in order to turn the utilities on, to put the porch on, to make it handicapped-accessible, to do some minor basic repairs to the building in order to make it habitable for the homeless," Transition House Executive Director Alice Hasler said. "We do have applications (for funding filed) with the Santa Barbara Foundation and the Housing Corporation of Santa Barbara, but none of that money is committed," Hasler explained. In addition to the \$20,000 required for preparation of the building, money is needed to support the Transition House program, which is currently funded by approximately 30 Santa Barbara churches, Commins said. St. Michael's has already received a \$15,000 grant and a \$15,000 loan from the Episcopal diocese in Los Angeles, he said. 'The estimated budget for this site is about \$40,000 for 1988," according to Commins. "We have some of that money already, some money from the county Human Services Commission, but there will be another \$25,000 that will be needed in (1988)," he explained. In addition to contributing money for the project, local residents can support the project by lending time and carpentry skills to help renovate the house, Commins said. (See SHELTER, p.6)



The on-campus office of CIA Officer George Chritton was vandalized Nov. 24, according to UCSB Police Lt. Tony Alvarez

Raw fish was found both smeared on and pushed under the door of Chritton's office, Alvarez said. In addition, epoxy was found in the lock of the office door.

The vandalism occurred in Ellison 3803 between the hours of 5 p.m. and 11 p.m., but was not discovered until 10:25 a.m. the following day by workers on the third floor of Ellison Hall, according to Alvarez.

The vandalism was targeted to the specific room, Alvarez believes. "This isn't a random act," he said.

In response, campus police have "stepped up patrols in the area" of Chritton's office, Alvarez said. There are no suspects and no leads so far, but the police are working on the case, he emphasized.

Chritton himself commented that such an act was "unfortunate" and "is not the way to reach reasoned judgment or evaluation on any subject.

"It appears to me it reflects more on the person or persons (responsible) than on my presence here or on the agency," Chritton said.

- Denise Bradley

A house purchased for use as a homeless shelter in Isla Vista arrived in two parts at its new site early Nov. 20 after a lengthy bout between its new owners and state officials, who formerly prohibited use of the 101 freeway for transportation of the building.

Purchased for \$4,000 in December 1986 by St. Michael's Episcopal Church, the house was previously located 1.5 miles north of Winchester Canyon and needed to be transported to its Isla Vista site at the corner of Picasso and El Greco.

However, CalTrans originally denied St. Michael's permission to move the 34-footwide two-bedroom house as a single unit along a 0.85-mile stretch of the 101 freeway because of a 12-foot width limitation, according to CalTrans San Luis Obispo district permit engineer Orville Morgon.

After negotiations, CalTrans and St. Michael's officials compromised by deciding to cut the house in half, St. Michael's Rev. Gary Commins explained.

"I think that it's a crime that CalTrans is costing the community more money,' Commins said, referring to the extra funds the church will need to expend to reassemble the house. "The government is supposed to serve the community and serve the people. The government isn't supposed to get in the way when a private organization is trying to help people," Commins said.

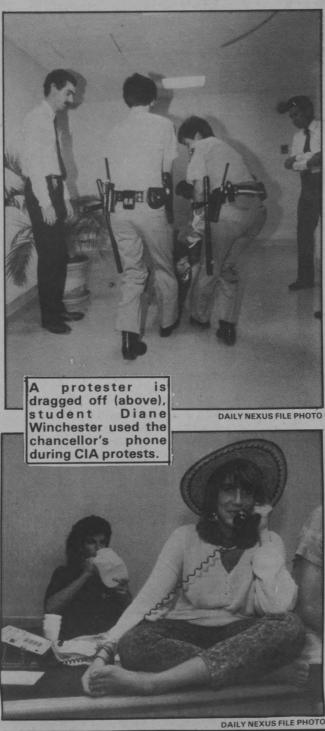
The house presently sits on blocks, and foundation work, which will be followed by other renovation, will begin early this month,

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Fall Brings New Start, Controversy to UCSB



Protesters Oppose CIA Officer's Post at UCSB, **Occupy Campus Office**

By Adam Moss Campus Editor, and **Ben Sullivan Campus Editor**

Sept. 15 **Delays in Dormitory Repair**

As Chancellor Barbara Uehling settled into the University House, 400 students were forced to live in temporary housing for more than two production of an academic and physical weeks after Move-in Day, Sept. 15, when a \$3 million summer renovation of the Santa Rosa dormitory carried over into the beginning of Fall Quarter.

Unanticipated problems with the Oct.7 building's heating system and the Huttenback Saga Continues removal of asbestos-insulated pipes caused the delay, according to university officials. The renovation was originally scheduled to be completed Sept. 9, but students did not begin to move into the dormitory until Oct. 3.

Further controversy beset the con- fraud, tax evasion and grand theft. struction when a subcontractor allegedly overcharged the primary Municipal Court Judge Arnold Gowans, contractor, who may have passed on an inflated bill to the university. However, UCSB was not at risk because it had not argued that insufficient evidence yet paid the full amount agreed upon in existed to charge the couple. the contract.

Sept. 20

Uehling Takes the Helm

Chancellor Barbara Uehling, in her welcomed students, staff and faculty to trial does not mean the two are guilty. the campus at the Chancellor's Convocation Sept. 20.

stating in the Aug. 19 edition of the Daily Nexus her intent to keep enrollment steady for the 1987-88 year. "We are holding enrollment to last year's total of 18,000 students and will continue to do so for the 1988-1989 academic year," she said.

Among her other goals are increased representation of minorities and women at UCSB, restructuring of the university administration, development of a "mission statement," and plan for the campus, Uehling told faculty members at this year's first Academic Senate meeting.

It was decided Oct. 7 that former UCSB Chancellor Robert Huttenback and his wife, Freda, will stand trial in Superior Court on 12 felony counts, including embezzlement, insurance

The decision, made by South Coast came at the end of a preliminary hearing in which defense attorneys

If convicted on all 12 counts, the pair could be sentenced up to nine years in state or federal prison.

The Huttenbacks did not comment after the decision was reached, but Dr. Huttenback's defense attorney, Anfirst regular quarter at UCSB, thony Murray, remarked that going to

"Proof in a preliminary hearing requires mere suspicion. It's a far Uehling laid out her goals early, different thing from a determination of



Former Chancellor Robert A. Huttenback was arraigned on various charges of criminal activity during his UCSB tenure.

guilt," Murray said.

On Nov. 20, the couple pleaded not guilty to all nine felony counts brought against them.

Oct. 20 **Stock Market Dive**

The New York Stock Exchange plummeted Oct. 20 when the Dow Jones industrial average fell more than 500 points on the busiest day in Wall Street history

The University of California's \$10 billion retirement and endowment funds depreciated 20 percent in a single day, according to Assistant UC Treasurer Pat Small. "All of our stocks were impacted," Small said.

In addition, the drop in stock values indicated that a recession could occur before 1989, UCSB economics Professor Walter Mead said.

Oct. 22

Appointment of CIA Officer Raises Concern

The appointment of senior Central (See CAMPUS, p.5)



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Intelligence Agency Officer George A. Chritton Jr. to a position in the political science department sparked controversy when Academic Senate Chair A.E. Keir Nash voiced concern that faculty members were not consulted beforehand.

At the Oct. 22 Academic Senate meeting, a letter from the CIA to former political science department Chair Dean Mann was distributed. The letter explained that the CIA's Officer in Residence program was intended to "demonstrate the quality of CIA people" and to "enhance" CIA recruiting efforts.

Although many faculty members approved Chritton's presence at UCSB, some professors opposed the appointment. Many were concerned that the CIA was seeking to recruit students through the program and that affiliation with the CIA could jeopardize the lives of scholars in foreign countries, Nash said. Even Mann, who supported the appointment, said he felt "a certain unease about the situation."

The Associated Students Legislative Council then passed a bill opposing the appointment and demanded that Uehling reach a final decision on the issue by Nov. 4. A.S. Student Lobby Annex Director Jaime Acton believed the appointment would prevent "academic freedom" at UCSB and would damage the campus' ties with other universities.

After an anti-CIA rally held outside Cheadle Hall on Nov. 5, 38 students were arrested for trespassing at Uehling's outer office. Seven of the arrested students were members of the A.S. Legislative Council.

The next day, Uehling appointed Chritton to the position of visiting fellow, which allows him to address individual classes and to take part in colloquia. Chritton will not be allowed to teach his own courses, however.

Oct. 26 1987-88 Enrollment Figures

With a total of 17,879 enrolled students, UCSB met its "no growth" goal for the 1987-88 academic year.

One hundred twenty-six fewer students enrolled this year than last, causing UCSB's student population to decrease by 0.7 percent. This marked the first drop in fall enrollment figures in nine years, university officials announced Oct. 26.

Of the students enrolled this fall, 15,777 were undergraduates and 2,102 were graduate students. And, of the undergraduates, 4,115 were new students, while 11,662 were returning. Of the new students, 3,144 were freshmen and 971 were transfer students.

Although UCSB received 23,000 applications for undergraduate admissions this year, the school invited fewer students than in years past, according to Assistant Chancellor of Planning and Analysis Richard Jensen.

"In planning for enrollment this year, UCSB had three goals: to maintain enrollment at the (1986) level, to enroll more top-ability students and to increase the number of minority students," Jensen said.

The university achieved its goal of increasing the minority student population, which rose by 10 percent. Minority students now make up 22.1 percent of the total student population, campus data shows.

Oct. 29 "Take Back the Night" Moves to Fall

Survivors of incest, rape and other forms of sexual assault shared their experiences, political activists spoke out against sexual harassment, and marchers took to the streets during the 1987 "Take Back the Night" event held Oct. 29.

This year, the annual event was held during Fall Quarter, rather than in spring, in an attempt to raise students' awareness of the problems of sexual assault at a particularly crucial time — Halloween.

More than 500 people attended the rally and march, which drew the attention of a UCSB chancellor for the first time.

Many spectators joined in the procession as it wound through campus and Isla Vista. The participants carried candles, sang and shouted slogans as they walked: "Women Unite, Take Back the Night" and "However We Dress, Wherever We Go, Yes Means Yes and No Means No" were among the chants heard during the nighttime march.

Nov. 2 Chemistry Building Explosion

An explosion and subsequent fire damaged two fourth-floor chemistry laboratories after visiting physics research



brought into question (above) and a chemical explosion rocked the chemistry building (right). DAILY NEXUS FILE PHOTO

fellow Wolfgang Meier mixed two incompatible substances in a beaker.

The explosion occurred after Meier poured 150 milliliters of nitric acid into a waste acid container that had been contaminated with an unidentified organic compound. The resulting explosion damaged an adjacent container which contained additional organic compounds.

Resulting fumes were quickly ignited and caused a second explosion.

Meier had temporarily left his work area and was returning when the first explosion occurred. He was pelted with shards of glass and other debris. After the incident, Meier was transported to the Goleta Valley Medical Center, where he received five stitches on his forehead.

The building was evacuated following the explosion and the fire quickly extinguished. During clean-up procedures, the accident scene was monitored by UCSB Environmental Health and Safety personnel who were concerned that additional explosions might occur if clean-up crews accidentally combined certain chemicals exposed during the incident, chemistry department Chair Bernard Kirtman said.



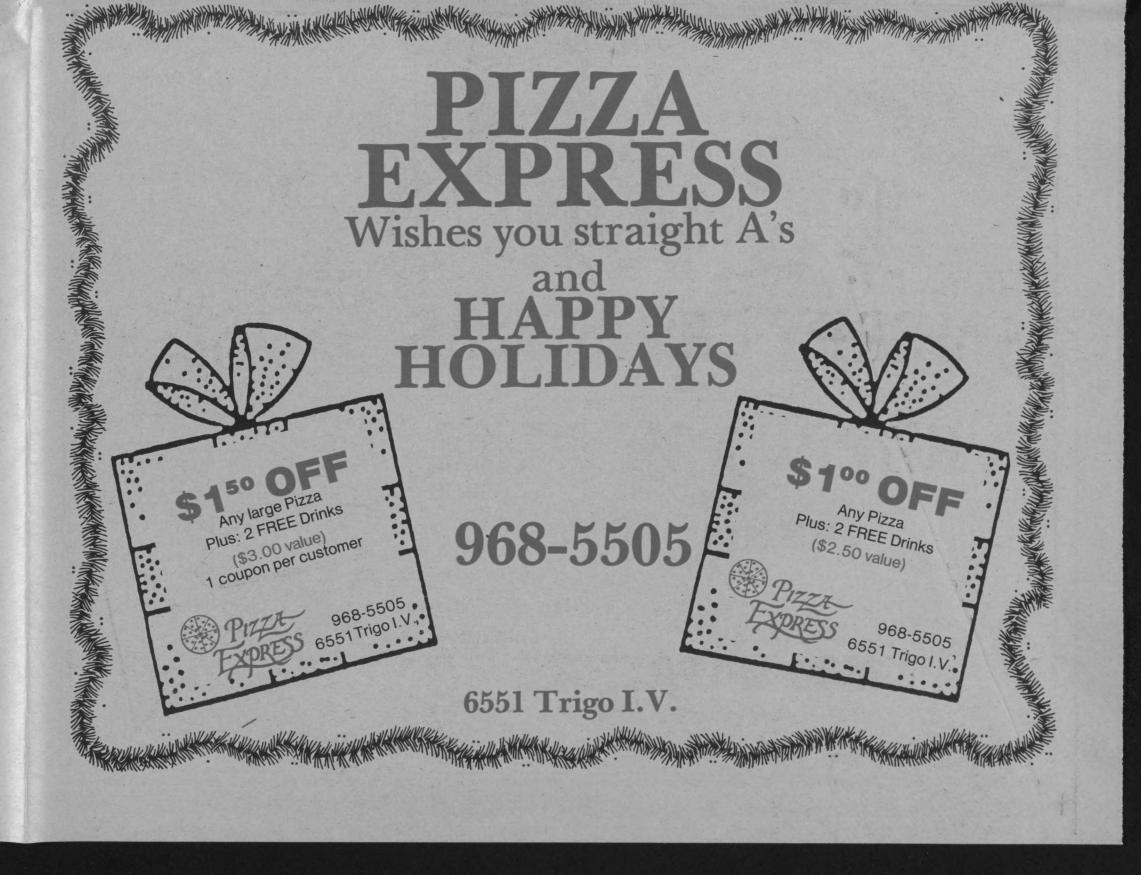
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Nov. 12 Skateboard Controversy

At the request of Chancellor Barbara Uehling, UCSB's Public Safety Committee voted on Nov. 12 to tentatively pass a revised draft of the campus' policy on skateboarding and rollerskating, in which these activities are declared to be primarily for the purpose of transportation.

Uehling's request came after numerous complaints were voiced about skaters disturbing classes and damaging property on campus with their activities. Although the new policy does not strictly ban recreational skateboarding and rollerskating on campus, it does specify that any unsafe skating, such as on bikepaths, through parking lots or in areas where others could be endangered, is prohibited.

Student Health Services Director John Baumann, who chairs the Public Safety Committee, indicated that the new policy was in no way intended to ban skating, but to keep it safe.



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Newly Renovated Isla Vista Beach Park Opens Soon SHELTER

The Santa Barbara County Parks Department and Santa Barbara County Art Commission will dedicate the newly renovated and redesigned Isla Vista Beach Park located on Del Playa in a noon ceremony Dec. 8.

The county parks department found the I.V. park in "great need" of new equipment to fulfill the needs of the community, according to Maia de Herrera, Santa Barbara County Art Commission coordinator of art in public places. In addition, the park was being undermined by a bluff erosion problem that needed to be solved, de Herrera said.

Los Angeles-based artist Lloyd Hamrol was called in by the art commission to "totally redesign" the park, de Herrera explained. County officials chose Hamrol because they believed he would "respect the needs of the community ... and (he) was very skilled and responsible," she said.

Hamrol solved the park's erosion problem by implementing a water drainage system that would "spill the water from the park to the streets," de Herrera said.

Also included in the park's renovation was the addition of new wooden park benches and picnic tables, a large space of fresh grass and a sand volleyball court. Through \$150,000 of county funding, "we have created a place where a place didn't exist before," de Herrera said.

The park will be opened for public use after the dedication ceremony which will include music and entertainment, according to de Herrera.

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Intended to accommodate Isla Vista homeless, the new shelter will be run by Transition House workers. Current Transition House policy dictates that a homeless person may stay at a shelter for no more than 60 days per year, and the Isla Vista shelter is expected to serve 10 people per night, according to Hasler.

Unlike its downtown counterpart, however, the Isla Vista Transition House will offer its services to students, Hasler said. But, priority for shelter space will be given to families and women, because these groups are "most vulnerable on the street," she said.

Next in priority are employed men, followed by unem-(See SHELTER, p.10)

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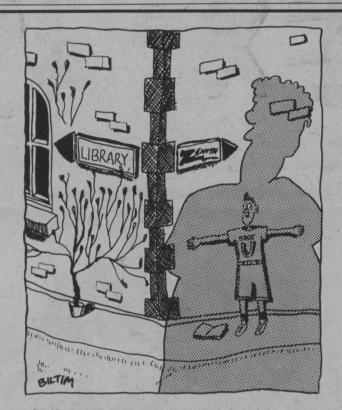
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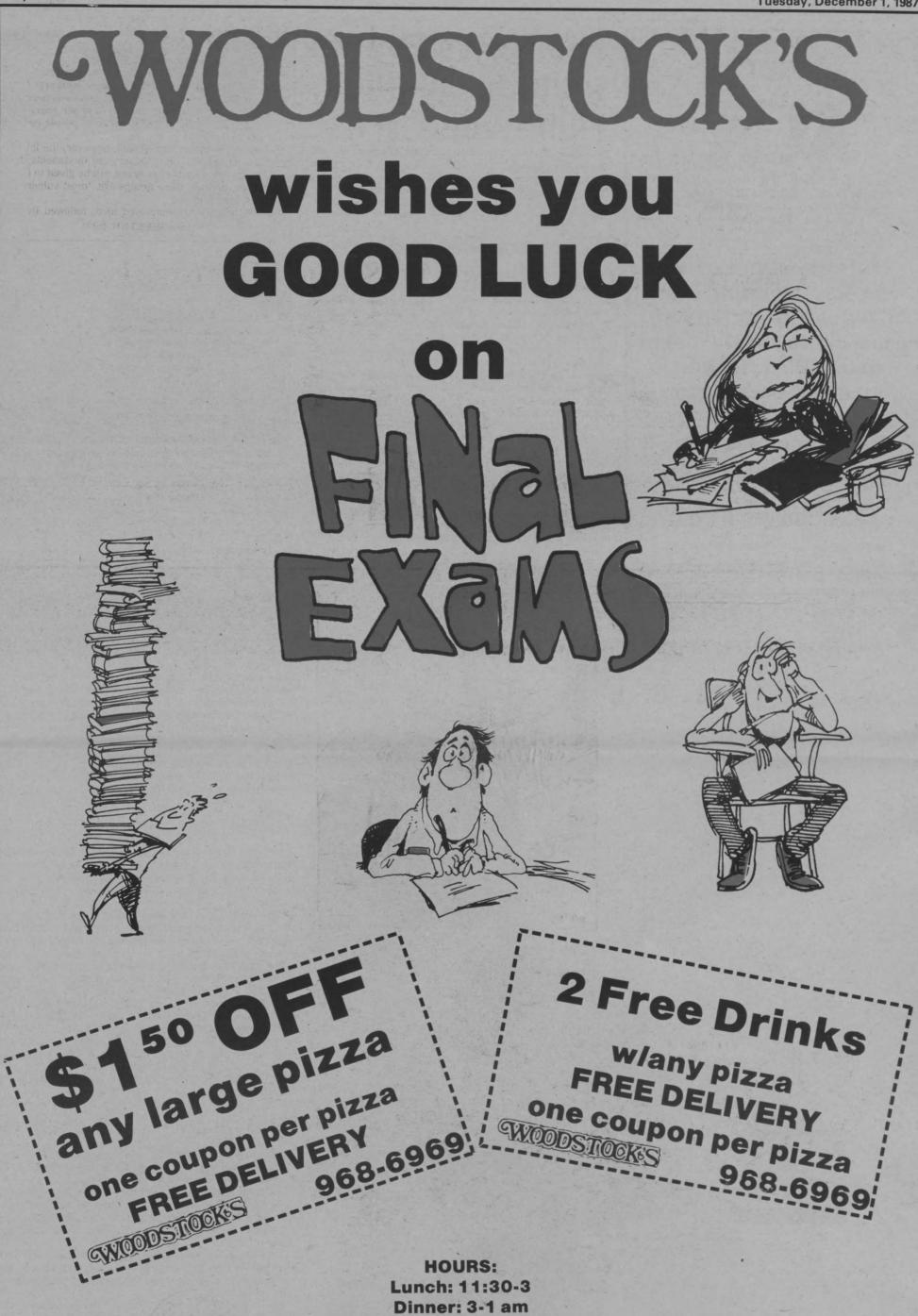
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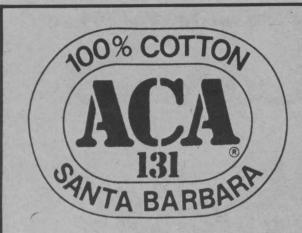
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Fall News Events Include Oil Slick, Halloween in I.V.

By Wade Daniels County Editor, and Sheryl Nelson Assistant County Editor

Sept. 21

Freighter Collision Leads to Various Woes

The first day of Fall Quarter marked not only the beginning of a new academic year for UCSB students, but also the day on which the Liberian freighter *Pac Baroness* sank approximately 15 miles off of Point Conception, causing the largest oil slick in the Santa Barbara Channel since 1969.

Carrying 23,000 tons of powdered copper ore and 400,000 gallons of bunker fuel, the *Pac Baroness* sank after it collided with the Panama-registered *Atlantic Wing* in dense fog. Oil bubbled up from the wreck for several days after the collision, concerning both Coast Guard officials and local environmentalists.

Skimmer boats were unable to clean up the slick, which primarily threatened San Miguel Island. Eventually, winds blowing to the northwest carried the slick out to sea before it reached Channel Island shores or the California coastline.

Although the oil slick did not directly damage the local environment, many believe that the copper ore remaining in the hull of the *Pac Baroness* could potentially harm area marine life. A UCSB Marine Science Institute research team conducted an expedition to explore the sunken ship and the copper ore's effects on the marine environment. Results of the team's studies of marine sediments are not expected for many weeks.

Meanwhile, an investigation into the cause of the collision continues in Long Beach, Calif. Crew members from both



A survivor of October's major earthquake stands outside the remains of her home in Whittier. MARK STUCKY/Daily Nexus

ships have given testimony, as have various Santa Barbara environmentalists.

Sept. 30 ARCO Sues State and County

The Atlantic Richfield Company filed a \$793 million lawsuit against both the state of California and Santa Barbara County in Los Angeles Superior Court Sept. 30, after the company was denied compensation sought in a July claim.

ARCO officials charged that the state's denial of the Coal Oil Point offshore oil proposal breached five tideland lease agreements between the company and the state that would have allowed ARCO use of the area for oil and gas development, ARCO Regulatory and Permitting Director Richard Ranger said in a July interview. ARCO believed it deserved compensation for the denial, which deprived the company of its interests in the leases, according to Ranger.

The lawsuit also charged that "the county took action to deny ARCO the benefits ARCO intended to obtain from the 1981 Seep Containment Agreement, which mandated that ARCO install two underwater structures designed to capture natural gas and oil seepage. The county was, in turn, expected to help grant ARCO future permits."

Oct. 2 Earthquake!

An earthquake registering 6.1 on the Richter scale jolted Southern California residents, killing six people and injuring more than 100. The quake was centered approximately nine miles south of Pasadena at the north end of the Whittier-Elsinore fault.

Whittier, the suburban area closest to the epicenter, suffered the most damage. More than 30 local buildings were destroyed and many residential neighborhoods were severely damaged.

The days following the quake were punctuated with more than 16 aftershocks, which rumbled through the Southern California area and raised the death toll to seven. Total damages climbed to an estimated \$108 million. The aftershocks, which ranged from 3.0 to 5.5 on the Richter scale, led to dozens of injuries, damaged buildings and power outages in the Los Angeles area. Fearing that additional quakes would hit, a number of people moved into temporary shelters or slept in parks and other open areas.



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In Santa Barbara, many residents felt the quake, but no damage was reported.

Oct. 19 Stock Market Plummets

An out-of-control stock market pushed the Dow Jones average down more than 500 points and drained more than \$500 billion from the value of stocks Oct. 19.

The Dow Jones' Monday fall left it 22.6 percent below the previous Friday's level, a one-day loss that was far larger than the 12.8 percent drop on Oct. 28, 1929, known as Black Monday, or the drop on Oct. 29, 1929, when it fell an additional 11.7 percent.

The average bounced back 102 points on Tuesday and 186.84 points on Wednesday in panicked trading. Analysts said they were encouraged by the rally, but remained cautious about false optimism.

The following Thursday, President Reagan said that although there may be volatile days ahead for the battered economy, "there are no indicators of recession or hard times at all."

Oct. 29

ARCO Onshore Project Denied

A proposed \$400 million ARCO Coal Oil Point onshore oil and gas processing facility was rejected by Santa Barbara County planning commissioners Oct. 29, the second major ARCO project to be denied by the county in 1987.

ARCO officials said they had modified the facility proposal after a earlier offshore oil project was denied. Although the

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Poor and Minority Students Studied by Research Fellow

By Kathy Printup Reporter

distinguished fellowship, UCSB special them.' education researcher Katherine Larson works begins with the assumption with minority and low- that "kids don't act (poorly) income Los Angeles school because they're mean or bad children in a project aimed or just don't care, but at increasing the students' (rather because) they don't

The majority of the students Larson works with shown that it's not so much with are of black or Hispanic their low reading or math descent, and fall at or below skills that get them into reinforcement of their the poverty line. The trouble at school, it's their educational level of today's poor impulse control, their poor black and Hispanic poor organizational skills," students is less than that of she explained. 10 years ago, according to Larson has applied her

University of Chicago study "Project Mainstreet," a of student reading levels.

for our low-income and Supported by a \$28,000 minority students," Larson school. Project Mainstreet is Department of Education said. "Our education system a three-year ongoing scholar has been a travesty for research program, of which

In her research, Larson an extension. achievement levels while have the survival skills, the were identified by educators

"My other research has chers provided the students

Larson, who cited a recent research findings to

method of teaching students "I have a great concern problem-solving techniques for use both in and out of Larson's DOE fellowship is

In Project Mainstreet, researchers tracked the progress of seven students, ranging in level from sixth grade to eighth grade, who reducing their drop-out problem-solving, thinking as difficult to teach. As part rates. skills to do better," she said. of the project, the researof the project, the researconstant encouragement and continual problem-solving skills. The progress of a similar group of students, who were not given the encouragement and reinforcement, was also (See LARSON, p.10)



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(Continued from p.8) onshore proposal was believed to be acceptable within county environmental standards, the planning commissioners saw no need for an onshore facility without the offshore unit.

ARCO plans to file an appeal of the denial of the onshore proposal with the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors.

Oct. 31

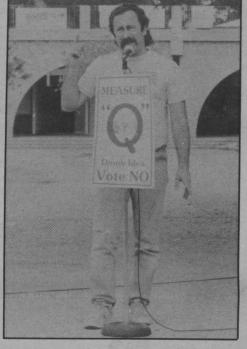
Halloween Attracts 35,000 Revelers

Although the 1987 Isla Vista Halloween celebration attracted a mob of 35,000 people and had its share of sexual assaults, passedout partiers and various accidents, officials considered the crowd better-behaved and more controlled than that of last year.

University administrators and Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Department officials had prepared for up to 60,000 costumed revelers. Road blocks, portable toilets, 150 RED Alert volunteers and increased police presence were among the measures taken to promote a safe Halloween. County and campus safety officials attributed this year's relative success to these services and programs.

arrest-free. Sheriff's deputies jailed 264 ceremonial relighting of the campus' people, primarily for public intoxication, and issued 832 citations for illegal possession of alcohol and violations of the open container ordinance. Approximately 80 percent of those arrested were out-of-town visitors, according to police officials.

and pinching was prevalent on the streets, no rapes, stabbings or other serious assaultrelated injuries were reported, Sheriff's Department officials said.



IVCC member Glenn Lazof helped lead a successful opposition to the incorporation ballot Goleta measure. DAILY NEXUS FILE PHOTO

But, nonetheless, the weekend was not of the two cities visited UCSB for a

eternal flame. The relighting ceremony was part of Yalta Mayor Nikolai Sementchuk's six-day visit to the Santa Barbara/Los Angeles area. Public appearances made by Sementchuk and his delegation attracted Although sexual assault such as grabbing several protesters, who disapproved of the choice of Yalta as Santa Barbara's counterpart because the Russian city was the site of the 1945 Yalta Conference, in which a Soviet sphere of influence was allowed in Eastern Europe.



Local Elections: Cityhood Fails

A proposal to combine Isla Vista and Goleta into a single incorporated city failed by a two-thirds margin on the Nov. 3 county elections ballot.

In spite of extended and well-publicized campaigns by both supporters and opponents of Measure Q, UCSB and Isla Vista voter turnout was characteristically low approximately 14 percent of the area's registered voters. Overall county turnout was approximately 38 percent.

In the Goleta Water Board race, the "Three for Goleta" slate - Katy Crawford, Dr. Gordon Fulks and Pat Mylod - beat out incumbent candidates Gary McFarland and David Lewis.

Measure T, a proposal to grant new water meters to community members who were previously unable to receive service because of the 1973 water moratorium, garnered a majority of public support.

Lastly, because nobody ran in the Isla Vista Community Council/Isla Vista Municipal Advisory Council race, the 1986elected IVCC/IVMAC members were automatically granted a second term.

Nov.9

Santa Barbara/Yalta Sister-cityhood

After Santa Barbara and the Soviet city of Yalta were officially declared sister cities at a City Hall ceremony Nov. 5, the mayors

Nov. 18 **Implementation of Measure T**

The Isla Vista Recreation and Park District was allotted 4.3 acre-feet of water for public park irrigation, thanks to Measure T, the recently passed "water fairness" act.

The allotment was one of the first water meters granted as a result of the measure, which requires the Goleta Water Board to distribute 160 acre-feet of water to local parks and single-family homes. The IVRPD will begin utilizing the water in spring by irrigating the Children's Park at Camino Del Sur and Picasso Road.

Nov. 19

Students Die in Car Accident

Four UCSB students were killed when their car went over a cliff on Highway 1 and plunged into the ocean near Ventura County's Point Mugu.

Lost were the lives of Miguel Leandro Garza, 20, of Los Gatos; Michele Marie Misetich-Friedlander, 18, of Pacific Palisades; and Matthew Alan Plaskett, 20, of Salinas. To date, the body of the fourth passenger, Wendy Ann Finkel, 18, of Woodland Hills, has not been found.

The four were returning from an evening in Los Angeles when the accident occurred. A California Highway Patrol investigation is still underway.



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(Continued from p.9) monitored. Although final results have yet to be determined, Larson said the initial project data is "very encouraging."

The research may help combat a problem Larson sees in today's educational system: 'Many, many low achievers are being labeled and identified and being pushed out of regular classrooms into special education.'

The labeling of students is often arbitrary, according to Larson. For example, a student labeled "learning disabled" in District A could easily remain unidentified in District B. she said. This situation is "sort of impinging on some kids' civil rights, in the sense that they're being given a very different education, segregated from the mainstream," Larson explained.

In California, the improper labeling of students partially results from large class

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ployed men, Hasler continued. "(However), we are going to modify some of that priority system to address more (of) the unique needs of the Isla Vista community," she said. "We have extended, also, the length of stay, because it's our understanding that the homeless in Isla Vista tend to have been homeless longer than the downtown homeless people," Hasler explained.

Transition House officials intend to use one full-time paid staff member and several volunteers to run the shelter, according to Hasler. "We ... want to maximize community support in terms of volunteer parsizes, Larson said. Because many teachers lack the ability to cope with large numbers of students, they turn to special education as a solution to their problem, she said. Larson believes the teachers' actions are "done out of kindness," but may not be right. "Instead, we should be trying to improve the regular education," she said.

"We're getting a two-tiered society," Larson continued. "We have the educated and the non-educated.... The major problem is poverty ... although racism in our society enters into it."

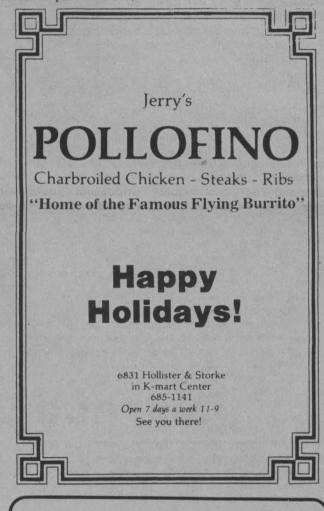
"Everything is built in our society on competency. In a democratic society you have to learn to read and write," Larson said, explaining why people need to support the type of research she is doing.

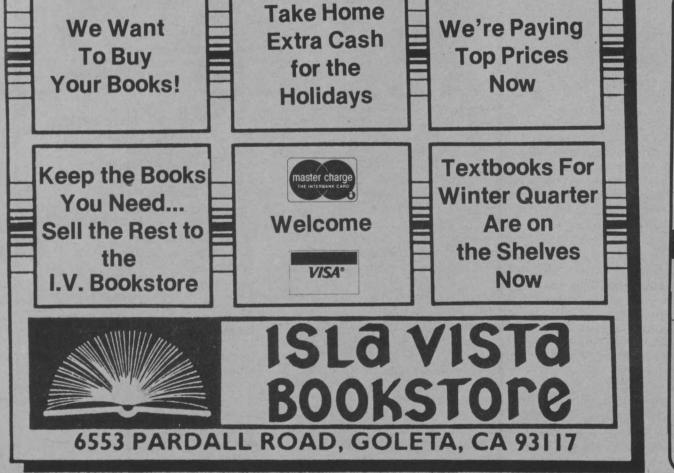
"If people don't buy into it just because they think it's the decent thing to do, I think they should buy into it just out of selfpreservation," she concluded.

ticipation," she said. "One of the strengths of having volunteers is (that) the homeless get sheltered. But, the secondary gain is that the community has an opportunity to learn about people whose lives are temporarily in a crisis.'

St. Michael's hopes to expand the program and use other church buildings for the Transition House program, Commins said, adding that local residents can support the project by lending their time and carpentry skills to help renovate the house.

Although the house is expected to provide shelter for some of I.V.'s homeless, no one knows how many people will actually wish to utilize the shelter's facilities. "The way the homeless population is, there's no way to count it," Commins said.





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Freedom of Speech Nazis, Ku Klux Klan, and the CIA

Sandy Liles

I am surprised at how many people reject the notion of free speech for Nazis. Yes, the Nazi doctrine was one of genocidal racial supremacy, and what decent person could approve such policies? But if popular sentiment is our guide, how can we justify free speech for those who sought to abolish slavery? Recall that the man who wrote "all men are created equal" was a slaveholder. Since advocacy of an end to slavery was hardly popular, the right to speak out was all the more important. Fortunately for the Abolitionists, our revolutionary heritage included the idea of the inalienable right to free expression. This right was also crucial in the 1960's to the Civil Rights Movement, which took the dispute over the limits of free expression into the streets, and to Martin Luther King, whose very speeches present a powerful argument for a Constitutionally protected right to speak.

Our history of slavery makes it clear that popular moral sentiment is an unreliable guide. How are we then to reconcile the diversity of opinion over what is and is not conscionable? Would those students who shouted down a "right-wing diatribe" by Jean Kirkpatrick also condone the disruption of a rally against U.S. military aid to El Salvador? Would those who attempted to obstruct a vendor's display at the UCen last year of a waist-down photo of a bikini-clad female, on the grounds that it promotes

support Jerry Falwell's objection to lesbians speaking before school children, on the basis of their pernicious influence on Christian family values? (In 1927, Supreme Court Justice Louis Brandeis held that "Fear of serious injury alone cannot justify suppression of free speech and assembly. Men feared witches and burned women.")

We seem to have great difficulty distinguishing between abominable actions and disagreeable ideas. Let us adopt the spirit of the famous sentiment attributed to Voltaire: "I detest what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." While we should unremittingly oppose rape, discrimination, etc., the cause of justice is ill-served by our intolerance of conflicting opinion, even racist and sexist opinion. Dogmatism and closedmindedness serve only to alienate those who might be sympathetic to our point of view.

We might also take a lesson from the American Civil Liberties Union, an organization dedicated to defending the freedoms enumerated in th Bill of Rights. The ACLU regularly provides legal defense for such unpopular defendants as members of the KKK despite their repugnance for the individual concerned, because of the 14th Amendment guarantee of equal protection of the laws. The ACLU holds that the best guarantee of your freedom of speech is the protection of that right for all people, without exception.

Beyond these quite practical violence against women, also reasons in favor of the unrestricted right of free expression, I would argue that truth is discovered and spread only through open discussion. John Stuart Mill stated this principle over a century ago: "There is the greatest difference between presuming an opinion to be true, because, with every conceivable opportunity for contesting it, it has not been refuted, and assuming its truth for the purposes of not permitting its refutation." Those of us advancing all manner of human rights causes should therefore welcome open debate and discussion.

The right to free speech is not absolute; one has no "right" to yell "Fire!" in a crowded theatre. Among the claims, consequences, and contexts of a balanced consideration are:

the devaluation of the guarantee of free speech due to advances in communication technology, which make the right to leaflet comparatively insignificant;

the restriction of access to the means of communication entailed by increasingly concentrated corporate control of major media (As A.J. Leibling observed, freedom of the press is guaranteed to those who own one.);

- the selectibity and bias inherent in news and information services, whose primary concern is profit, not accuracy;

the continuing history of inequities in the legal and judicial systems faced by women, minorities, political dissidents, etc. (Witness, e.g., the glaring absence of the wealthy from Death Row.). I now turn to the debate over

the approval of CIA employee George Chritton as a visiting fellow in the political science department. The concerns voiced by UCSB anthropologists regarding consequences for their programs abroad must be among the considerations weighed against the right of free speech. I have heard no reply to their objections other than the suggestion that their fears are overblown. This reply may appear adequate to those working in ivory tower security rather than in the field with foreign nationals.

Chancellor Uehling has stated that, in the decision to appoint Mr. Chritton, "the most important principle is the preservation of the freedom of speech on campus." Intentionally or not, characterizing the controversy in those terms elicits the sympathies of those who would spring to the defense of freedom of speech, myself included. However, I contend that the right to speak, as protected by the First Amendment, is not at issue.

Even if Mr. Chritton were denied a position with the University solely for ideological reasons, he still would not have a valid claim that his First Amendment rights had been violated, just as he could not sustain such a claim against, say, IBM for refusing to hire him because of his political affiliations. Certainly he could reasonably charge discrimination, against which he is entitled to protection by the 14th Amendment. But refusal of a university appointment is not equivalent to denial of the right to speak simply because a position with the university (including that of janitor) generally affords one opportunities to speak to members of the academic community.

While I therefore claim that, technically, freedom of speech is mot in question in the current conflict, the issue of academic freedom is very much in dispute. And certainly the principle of tolerance for dissenting opinion, evoked by Voltaire, must be encompassed by any respectable definition of academic freedom.

Just as surely, a bit of tolerance on all sides of the discussion would be welcome.

I would make a final plea to those who share my objection that an agency of disinformation has no place in an institution dedicated to the truth, and no claim on the university's imprimatur of legitimacy and objectivity. What I find repellent is the element of self-righteous indignation: bad enough that the CIA should carry out torture, assassination and destabilization; God forbid they should invade our guiltless bastion of free thought.

Let's keep some perspective. If we managed to "kick CIA off campus" tomorrow, they would still be subverting democratic ideals all over the globe. If we are seriously concerned with putting an end to those policies, perhaps the most important role we can play, as a community devoted to open inquiry, is to bring dark deeds to the light of day.

Sandy Liles graduated from the UCSB sociology department in 1983.

Fear and Loathing in Santa Barbara

David J. Schroeder

A few thoughts on the George A. Chritton appointment controversy - this entire matter frightens

tegrity. I have even read an interview which suggested telligentsia in the academic community, but in what that one of Chritton's tasks while on campus may be to manner will it benefit the students, the ones like you 'keep an eye on things," no doubt a reference to the and I who are supposed to be exposed to the widest numerous subversive radicals which apparently are possible range of educational theories? What gives this indigenous to our campus. While the first three com- minority the right to make decisions which the individual student should have the opportunity to make for his or her self? They can't say what is right for your education. Aside from the Anthropology Department, which seems to possess the only legitimate argument in opposition to Chritton's installation, the remainder of the protests consist of narrow-minded intellectual cowardice. It is my understanding that, should Chritton ultimately be allowed to stay, his will be merely an advisorial position. If this is to be the case, as it should, those who are in moral opposition to the CIA and do not wish to deal with him need not do so. However, should a student desire such contact, he or she should have that right. As to his corruption of curious students in the classroom, it is an insult to the collective student body to assume that we ae so naive as to blindly accept all which we are exposed to. College students are supposed to be independent thinkers, and as such can choose for themselves whether or not to accpet divergent schools of thought as the gospel truth. It would be asinine to deny someone with a genuine interest in the CIA the chance to find out more about it, whatever their motivation may be. Who knows, some of us with extreme interest in various aspects of political science may even come away with some valuable knowledge which could not otherwise be acquired. But, so what, this isn't important, right? We'll learn what they say we can learn, and damn those who aren't satisfied with that. To those who appreciate diversity in education, this sets an alarming precedent. Can we afford to allow this to happen? Nyet..

me, but not for the reasons cited by those who oppose Chritton's presence on this campus. What I find truly appalling is the fact that certain members of the faculty along with a minority of the student body have taken it upon themselves to decide what constitutes acceptable curriculum here at UCSB. These individuals have taken it upon themselves to represent the campus community in their attempts to deny Chritton a position within the political science department.

As we are all aware, the reason for such vehement protests is the fact that George Chritton has spent his career as an officer with the Central Intelligence Agency, and as such represents a threat to the true ideals of liberty and academic conscience which are apparently inherent in this university. It is true, over the past 20 years the CIA has been accused of and caught in the act of activities ranging from the legally questionable to the morally reprehensible. However, this alone is not sufficient to justify a block of Chritton's presence here. It is not my intention here to defend or castigate the CIA, nor will I attempt to sway anyone's opinion of the Agency. Most of you have already formed that opinion by now, and that is your privilege. This goes beyond like and dislike of the CIA; it deals directly with your rights as an individual.

In the last month or so, there has been a good deal written and said regarding Mr. Chritton's placement at UCSB, the majority of which has been relatively negative. The opposition does not want Chritton on campus because, as they stoutly maintain, he will recruit future agents, disinform the student population, and generally tarnish the campus' reputation of inplaints may or may not ring true, it is rather unlikely that any intelligence agency would place a field agent in such a prominent and controversial position. But I digress.

At the Cheadle Hall rally held recently, a recurring point made by several of the speakers (many of whom were UC staff and faculty) was that acceptance of Chritton's position at UCSB was, among other things, tantamount to promoting violations of personal rights and liberties. I guess this is where they draw the line. No CIA on our campus, no sir. But yet they still draw a check from a university which subsidizes the manufacture of nuclear weapons and the oppression of South African blacks. So much for morality. Anyway, it would seem to me that an ultimate denial of Chritton's right to access of the campus would come awfully close to infringing on the constitutional right of freedom of expression. It can't be censorship, though. That doesn't happen in America.

In their eagerness to rid UCSB of this dangerous fascistic cancer, these activists are unwittingly contradicting themselves. While the CIA's past has undoubtedly involved abuse of freedoms we take for granted, refusing one man the opportunity to speak out for what he stands for is not only detrimental to the concept of higher education but is also socially repressive and contrary to everything America is supposed to stand for. With this attitude they become that which they seek to overcome. What will they have accomplished by thwarting Chritton's interaction with the students of this institution? Sure, they will have scored a few points in the eyes of the liberal in-

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Tanya Danielle Feeney

As an R.A. of Santa Rosa, I have attended many meetings and have seen many ideas cross the minds of everyone except for those who are in charge. Let me ask you ... shouldn't the reconstruction of residence halls be done for the benefit of the residents? As a sophomore resident last year and a resident assistant this year, I believe that everything should be for the good of those incoming freshmen who are unadapted to college life. However, these are not the means nor the ends to the means in the UCSB society.

First, I would like to mention the "Santa Rosa Issue." Now, stay on your toes and pay attention; I realize it is being worn out, but I am concerned! I've heard complaints one after another time and time again, and the complaints are always followed by questions - unanswerable questions. Is it possible that someone did not think about the unadapted freshman residents' point of view when they mentioned and planned the project? Earthquake proof is one thing, but Club Med Santa Rosa is altogether different. The hotel we live in is nothing like our homes, nothing like an apartment and we aren't here for only two days, like a hotel. This residence is our living area for almost a year. (And I remember that year being incredibly long away from my hometown and best friends.) I would believe someone would try to comfort stressed college students. And everything but that has occurred. My residents have asked that none of the other buildings be done in the same manner. "We want to paint murals on our hall walls too! We want to make it our home - dissimilar from our neighbors. You placed us here!" said one resident of Santa Rosa. Another told me, "San Miguel feels the same way we do ... bored. Our imaginations are overflowing and the creations have no place to go." Over and over again I have been asked, "Why? Why?

When Is

Les Payne

Ethics was the topic on the floor last week as invited editors at Barnard College braced to defend themselves against an expected assault from ivory-tower types bent on hammering the media for aiming too low in the coverage of public officials.

"When is enough, enough?" was the provocative title under which the assault was to be launched. It never really got off. Perhaps Barnard, which is celebrating its centennial, is too polite. Maybe they thought the big-shot editors had offspring on campus, or might one day spring for an endowment.

The symposium, intelligently chaired by the college president, was a portrait of decorum. Two professors and two student editors fired prepackaged questions, followed by exactly two questions from the 150 or so members of the student audience.

In the wake of the sackings of senators Hart and Biden and federal judge Ginsburg, the topic was well timed. Clearly the media had strayed off course. In the old days, they never would have emptied their vacuum cleaner of everything collected from a faulty stake-out of a senator's weekend hideaway. Although I never found the opening to address this point on the Barnard panel, I disapprove of the manner in which the **Miami Herald** tied the Gary Hart noose. Unlike a fellow editor on the panel, I reject the notion that it was proper because the senator invited reporters to tail him.



COMING NOW? OR LATER?

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Nhy??" It seems as though nobody knows why. There is so much red tape; where did the red tape come from? God? An unexplained existence? It's been said the rules were made before our time. What happened to the saying "All rules have exceptions?" Break the rules for the good of the people. Put more or less money into the next building, but complete it on time: kitchens, TVs, phones, furniture. Complete the plans, then do the building - completely. Then let residents move in. This is in the best interest of the residents ... ask them!

Secondly, Thanksgiving is another thoughtless plan. Which committee did not have their calendar? Whoever heard of taking the week before finals off? And why are we the only University of California stuck with these dates? It costs money to go home and yet we are charged extra to stay here, only to have five days left after the building is re-opened. I won't bother to try to make logic of that! But I will suggest that you don't repeat that next year. Let the school year begin a week early and get out for four weeks at Thanksgiving. Or start later and have dead week and finals week after Thanksgiving. Again, this is to the best interest of the residents and students at UCSB

This school (actually, "they") has been given the benefit of the doubt for a lot of things. Now turn it around. Show it was worthwhile. The students are who this school is for. It is not "just another UC" competing or being used as a guinea pig. This young school needs some tradition and hope, but not at the expense of the students.

Now will you please do San Nic? Another way? On time? Complete? Will you please adjust Thanksgiving so in the future, students don't have to go home twice in one week? Driving time is study time. And finally, can we get some tradition and enthusiasm for the students instead of breaking them down? Enjoy our ons are output. We have a lot to say. We live and do what is being changed ... ask us!

Why? Tanya Danielle Feeney is a junior political science major.

Is Enough, Enough?

the invitation

reporter bragged that his team could run to ground any politician they went after. Likewise any government phone tap or 24-hour surveillance would likely yield incriminating, if not indictable information. Thus, in a free society, the key decision is not simply whether to publish or indict, but whether to investigate

In the Hart case, I stand convinced that the Herald story should not have been printed in its published form. I also remain unconvinced that the investigation, based on a tip about the pending weekend tryst backed by the Hart invitation, should have been launched.

college Print the private stuff only when it affects public performance. Even then, an investigation, executed stions,) or so with fear and trembling, should always be triggered by don't muck up the main story with this thing. a probable cause.

art and swing too widely toward bedroom reporting. Verifying an important part of today's story ... we want to write FCC. Somehow, Steve successfully balances equipment as well

case while he had a \$139,000 investment in a cable TV When I was a rookie, a veteran investigative firm, or (b) his favorable ruling as a federal judge on a pension case he had helped present as a member of the Justice Department.

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This latter story the New York Times stood ready to publish only to have it knocked off the lead by the marijuana story. Panelist Max Frankel, editor of the Times, described the agony. "We're sitting around the office one night about 6 o'clock, having invested enormous investigatory talent in finding out who this person (Ginsburg) is," he said. "Our Washington bureau calls up and says 'this fellow has slipped up to Capitol Hill and solemnly sworn that he had once smoked pot.' We thought it amusing in the context that 48 hours before the President of the United States had put his name forward as a law and order candidate. We ordered up a three-paragraph story saying

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Save Sellman

Greg Drust

I wish to express my advocacy for reinstituting Steve Sellman as a full-time chief engineer at KCSB. As a 15year staff member who has been involved with virtually every aspect of station operation, I assure those concerned that Steve has done an excellent long-term job at KCSB, and that a full-time engineer is a necessity for the station

In 1972 I met Steve and began working with him in KCSB's engineering department. Following that, we shared an air shift, at which time he trained me as a blind broadcaster. The help he gave facilitated my working for seven other radio stations. As KCSB general manager in 1978-79, I worked closely with Steve on budgetary and administrative matters. Throughout the years, Steve not only has met his job requirements, but also has given part of himself to the station and staff.

It's extremely important to keep this particular individual in his position. After 21 years of service (much of this volunteered), he thoroughly knows every nuance of station operation. Although this may be perceived as a threat by certain individuals or groups which desire to sway KCSB in other directions, Steve's expertise not only has maintained KCSB's character as an educational station with an alternative programming format, but also has saved the station from innumerable technical and administrative disasters.

At any hour of the day or night, Steve is on call for tasks as major as traveling into the mountains to repair an ailing transmitter, or as basic as restoring transmission from campus after an inexperienced operator has pulled the wrong cords.

Why will a person give so much to a job? Steve is one of those special people who has dedicated his life to human service. Working at KCSB serves as his forum to do what he does best: help people learn about and establish themselves in the broadcasting profession. You can ask the literally thousands of people he has assisted, or hundreds who began their careers as I did, working with Steve at KCSB. By now these broadcasters are all over the world. In addition, Steve's concern for people extends far deeper than an educational or professional level. He has counseled many KCSB staffers with whatever personal problems they bring to him.

When viewing Steve and his performance from this perspective, it's ironic that he's being censured for his good works and positive energy.

OK, so Steve's a helpful guy. But does he perform well in the capacity of chief engineer? The KCSB FM and AM staff roster includes about 200 individuals, many of whom are just learning, and subsequently prone to damage KCSB's equipment. Most of this remains in use 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Wouldn't even the most expensive new stereo system break down under this heavy use? And KCSB doesn't fly very high with electronics. With a modest locked-in budget, and without access to commercial revenue sources, the station somehow operates on used donated equipment, or items purchased many years ago. With careful technical and fiscal planning, just "The next thing we know the Washington bureau is enough new electronics can be added yearly to keep Great is the temptation to allow the pendulum to screaming bloody murder, saying 'no, no ... this is improving and to stay within the technical guidelines of the

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juicy personal rumors about a politician is far easier than gathering facts, say, about his manipulation of world oil prices when he served the interests of the gas lobby. Also, journalists, unlike, say, judges or Jesuits, are not trained to give good weight on matters moral and ethical.

A most troubling point, which I brought to the table, concerned the danger of bedroom journalism driving out more significant reporting. The reporting on Judge

Ginsburg, for instance, was dominated by the pot issue, not (a) his apparent conflict of interest, while a Justice Department employee, in handling a cable TV

it into the main story.' We said 'nothing doing' They called back and said that they have now reached four or five conservative senators ... and two of then have already said that he is finished."

The Times and the rest of us led the next few days not with available issues going undisputedly to the question of Ginsburg's judicial judgment, but his tokes nearly a decade earlier

This new morality delivered us, that day at least, a new journalism where chaff is more valuable than wheat.

by Miles Mathis

Les Payne is a syndicated columnist.

repair, operating within specs, building and training.

We have a choice of many things, but we must operate within the terms of our FCC license or lose it. With a staff composed largely of neophyte broadcasters and the Commission hot on our heels already, it is folly to expect KCSB to meet its legal requirements without a full-time engineer. Even a house, car, party dress or new suit will deteriorate to an unusable form if not maintained. KCSB must be kept running smoothly and legally.

If there's a fiscal deficit (not to mention that this one was foreseen), the chief engineer, as one of the most valuable assets to the station, should not be cut short. Recognizing that budget planning could have taken care of this situation before it reached a crisis, it still need not be a problem if funding for the chief engineer were considered a priority.

One of my first accomplishments as general manager was lobbying successfully for a student vote which established the chief engineer's salary as a locked-in item in the A.S. budget. In subsequent polls, students consistently have supported KCSB. The precedent is set and it would be detrimental to alter that direction.

This letter presented some of the highlights of Steve's performance at KCSB and reasons why he should be allowed to continue in that full-time position. My suggestion is this: Let the man work. He wants to work for us and he's been doing a good job for more years than many programmers are old. Secondly, let's put ego and power trips aside and proudly be the best station we can possibly be and truly operate in "the public interest, convenience, and necessity" as required by the FCC. Greg Drust is a KCSB employee.

MAJOR IN MUSIC, MY PATCOTIE !! NO SON OF MINE'S WASTING HIS LIFE BANGIN' ON SOME PIANO. YOU'RE GOING TO LAW SCHOOL, BOY. AND MAKE ME PROUD!

The Reader's Voice Quarterly Wrap-Up

Editor, Daily Nexus:

Well, I've made it to the halfway mark! So far, it's been somewhat of an interesting challenge, with both tremendous accomplishments and unwanted incidences. Projects that I have devoted my time to include the socalled presidential campaign promises, along with this year's unexpected issues, and the many presidential responsibilities outlined in the Associated Students Constitution.

Three issues concerning Minority Affairs have been personally addressed this year. The first, the introduction of a Commission on Minority Affairs to the Associated Students Bylaws, was an idea that I brought forth to Legislative Council this summer. This project, which specifically calls for a commission of the A.S. that addresses all aspects concerning minority affairs on campus, became a success with the followthrough and input-gathering work from Monica Pool, a Leg Council member. The second, an addition of a Cultural Center on campus, has been included in the UCen expansion plans for the spring elections. I spent a large part of summer, and most of this guarter, gathering input from this campus and other campuses statewide, to formulate a final proposal which has presently been accepted by the UCen Governance Board. I will note that the grunt work is over for this certain project and it is now up to you and me, the students, to vote on the issue of expansion in the spring election. The third, the addition of an ethnic studies requirement to our present G.E. requirements, is now entering its final stages. I have been working closely with both faculty and student council, as a descriptive proposal will soon enter the Academic Senate for campus approval.

Other campus-based issues that I have been putting time and energy into this quarter include: UCen expansion, fee-funded facilities policy formation, academic planning, Vice Chancellor for Institutional Advancement Search Committee, restructuring of campus elections, purchase of a multi-use computer for A.S., KCSB personnel issue and keeping my sanity. I've also taken the following positions: no on styrofoam, no on CIA, yes on Yalta-Santa Barbara Sister Cityhood Program and no on Q.

Speaking of Q ... well, this time the students of UCSB won what seemed to be a hopeless battle against the UCSB administration, the Daily Nexus and many local community groups of nearby Goleta. My active non-support of this combo-city, along with the executive vice presidents, certain Leg Council members and Isla Vista community from his ocean-front apartment. Not leaders, defeated a ballot measure everyone gets to live in paradise. Some which some called the "shotgun" wedding of Isla Vista and Goleta. Again, the motivation behind this defeat lies in the future approval of a small, unique, self-supporting college city - the city of Isla Vista.

harassment of women, and stated how "it has many forms, including T-shirts." She pointed out that all the little things make a difference, such as taking action against sexism by doing away with degrading T-shirts such as your "boobs, tubes and dubes" hall T-shirt. Did you and your hallmates when you so "humorously and innocently dramatized activity besides academics" give a single thought to how a woman would feel when reading your shirts? Did you ever consider what it feels like to have a part of your body ridiculed by being part of a logo? As Sheri pointed out, it not only angers women, but it also affects our self-esteem. That is a part of a woman's body you are referring to - a part of a female's body and her sexuality. Who are you (and the rest of the proud Bohicans) to ridicule and to trivialize it?

Furthermore, you clearly missed her meaning about women being weaker physically, about how men have no right to take advantage of this fact and to consequently molest, harass or to rape women. Sheri's point was that she does not deserve the grief and pain that she suffers now (as many women and men suffer today) due to being molested. She did not provoke the abuse - but was taken advantage of and could not fight it because of lack of physical strength. Imagine being physically overpowered - try to imagine a feeling of complete helplessness. I hope that it doesn't take a tragedy such as your girlfriend, your mother, your sister or even yourself getting raped for you to realize what a painful experience it is. No individual has any right to infringe upon another. Men must stop treating women as subordinates. We are people who deserve to be treated as who we are equals.

I don't think that the intent of your hall T-shirt was innocent at all, and it certainly doesn't reflect any awareness of women's feelings, rights or equality. I don't believe that you casually came up with the logo – and I am sad that your RA approved it. I think that residence hall occupants, staff and all students at UCSB need to look at these "little things" and to evaluate them. It is not absurd to be hurt by a logo on a T-shirt, especially when the logo in itself is degrading and absurd. Think about it.

CARLYES. NEEDLE

Mindless Robot

Editor, Daily Nexus:

This is to address Greg Merrill and his sanctimonious letter that appeared in the Nexus on Wednesday, Nov. 18. Gary, when you leave UCSB in December, there will be one less reactionary on campus with his head so far up his ass that I'm surprised at his ability to appreciate the beautiful sunset are forced by a corporation-controlled unresponsive government to live in subhuman conditions. The whining, weeping, fist-slamming, tie-dye shirted minority you so graciously attacked is trying to turn that around. And as far as the innocent life of the lush lawn in front of Storke Tower goes, (by the way, great alliteration there, Greg - let me guess, are you an English major?) how can that compare with the thousands of innocent lives tortured and finally crushed by the CIA backed contras in Nicaragua alone? How can you compare driving stakes into a lawn with the rape and murder of women and their infants and children in Central America? The casualties in Nicaragua are but 15,000 out of millions throughout the world. The tofu-bearded, "cause-seeking, WEAK-KNEED losers" refuse to roll over and accept the immoral, illegal and inhumane war against all of the havenots that the U.S. is waging throughout the world AND at home. Yes, even in vour well-tended backvard. The government-supported public school system has done its job real well with you, Greg. You've got to qualify for the Mindless Robot of the Year Award;

you'll fit in real well in corporate America; your future is probably set.

Your conscience has been rendered inoperative and your insufferable voice reflects the opinion of those whose one abiding passion is to save their own selfserving, self-righteous and sacrosanct skins. (See, Greg, I can do alliteration too!) No, the '60s haven't died. You're truly a man of the '80s, Greg — or the '90s. If we're around for them.

I take particular offense at your use of the term WEAK-KNEED. That implies lack of courage, or the ability to stand up for one's self, to take a stand. Your blind, unthinking support of a corrupt government hell-bent on taking over the world or vaporizing it in the process is what is weak-kneed.

It is so easy to say, "Yes, Mommy, yes, Daddy" without questioning why. It takes much more courage to spend time in jail and risk your future to help make the future safer for others.

No, Greg – the '60s aren't dead, nor are they an anomaly. People have been risking arrest, torture and death for centuries for causes they believe in. Nov. 7 marked the date 150 years ago when Elijah Parrish Lovejoy (the abolitionist editor) was murdered by a mob in Illinois. Nov. 18, 1872, Susan B. Anthony was arrested for voting! Eight years ago, five Communist Workers Party protesters were murdered by the KKK, here in the land of the free. One can hardly call them weak-kneed. One can also assume that dirty toenails were of little or no consequence to them.

December can't come soon enough for me, but promise me, Greg, DO write us now and again, just so I have another excuse to become morally outraged.

CHRISTINE FARRO-WACHTER

Academic Integrity

Editor, Daily Nexus:

This letter is in response to Thomas Schrock's commentary: he argues that science and scholarship is so strong that it can survive abuses like the CIA hiring. The historical record, however, suggests the opposite. John Ziman, perhaps the leading sociologist of science (who is also an outstanding physicist) argues that "prudential acquiescence" by science to the State "besides being ignoble, is disastrous" (1981):

Joseph Haberer, in his perspicuous study of physics in Germany before and under the Nazis, and in the United States during the Oppenheimer outrage, gives ample evidence for his judgment that 'scientists have almost always been pliant partners (of the State), willing under almost any conditions to accommodate to a given political order.'

Puzzles, Problems, and Enigmas: The Human Aspects of Science. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Another example, a local one, of prudential acquiescence is the relationship between UC and the weapons labs. And finally, on a scale that staggers the imagination, the gigantic hoax of Star Wars. The integrity of science and scholarship is a delicate growth. Any kind of secrecy is corrupting to science and scholarship, whose basic premise is truth-telling, no matter what its consequences. Like an individual's reputation, it is damaged by even small scale corruption. The political nature of the CIA appointment becomes clear if we envision appointing a visiting fellow from the KGB.

to know that people do care in this world. And yes, Virginia, gallantry still exists.

SHELBI MASUDA

Book Hustlers

Editor, Daily Nexus:

The end of the quarter is right around the corner and, soon, many of you will be engaging in that commonly unpleasant task of selling back your used textbooks.

Remember going to the Isla Vista or UCSB bookstores with your books and your expectations of their worth? You approach the clerk at one of the bookstores, he/she examines your \$38 book and you are quoted a price of seven dollars and 50 cents. At that moment you realize, "Hold on here, there's got to be a big mistake. I paid \$38 for that book and it's in the same condition as when I bought it!" The clerk responds, "I'm sorry, I can only give you \$7.50." You are reluctant to accept this miserably unfair price, but nevertheless you take the cash. This problem is widespread, and it can become very frustrating at times. That is why we at CalPIRG did some research at the I.V. and the UCSB bookstores that will help shed some light on the textbook buy-back process.

The Isla Vista Bookstore is independently owned and operated, whereas the UCSB Bookstore is owned by the UC regents. The buy-back policies of both bookstores are generally similar. Both stores base their prices on the market value of a textbook.

The market value of a text is derived from a sort of "bluebook" for textbooks. This bluebook contains a list of textbooks and their market value. Here are our answers to questions about used books, based on CalPIRG's research.

Who sets the market value? It seems as though the publishing companies and textbook buy-back companies set the market value of the books.

What does this mean for the I.V. and UCSB bookstores? When they go to sell textbooks to buy-back companies, they only receive bluebook value for texts. What does this mean for you, the seller? It means that, because the bookstores only receive bluebook value, you will probably not be offered more than that for your texts.

Who are these companies who set the bluebook values? These are companies whose main business is to buy back used textbooks, then sell them. Although specific names of these companies were not available, we did find out that these companies are in other states. Because these companies are the only ones who buy used and obsolete textbooks, they can offer whatever they desire and designate the market value of a book.

What makes the texts obsolete? Usually time. For instance, after some professors correlate their class with a text for a few years, they might decide that the text is out-of-date. Consequently, they might change to the usage of a new text. The old text, once obsolete, loses most, if not all, of its value. But many times, the buy-back companies are willing to pay market value even for obsolete books. Then the bookstores can offer at least market value for some obsolete textbooks. Should I consider other alternatives when selling back my books? Yes, unless your text is obsolete, there are some ways to receive more for your texts. For example, the I.V. Bookstore, unlike the UCSB Bookstore, sometimes offers up to half the retail value for the texts. This, though, is only done when the bookstore is low on inventory of a certain text and that text is in high demand. Another alternative is studentto-student selling. There is always the possibility of taking out an ad in the Nexus listing the texts you have to offer. If you do sell your books this way, the money you save on your books will most likely defray the costs of advertising.

That is about it for Fall Quarter. If you have any questions at all regarding any of the above issues or any other issues at all, feel free to come up to the A.S. office and talk to me.

CURTIS ROBINSON PRESIDENT, ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

Missed the Point

Editor, Daily Nexus:

I feel that I must reply to Stephen Murphy and the rest of the "proud Bohicans" after reading his letter (Nov. 16) directed toward Sheri Martin. First of all, I feel that Stephen and his hallmates have missed Sheri's points altogether. Sheri does not have an "attitude," as he so brilliantly termed it. She wrote of her experiences in being molested as a child and as an adolescent, and of her resulting problems today. She also wrote about some of her views concerning the THOMAS J. SCHEFF PROFESSOR

Gallantry Exists

Editor, Daily Nexus:

As my roommate and I were leaving Alex's Cantina after a relaxing evening of Monday Night Football and a couple of drinks, I happened to say jokingly, "I hope we can make it home OK." (Yes, I. said it jokingly.) A young gentleman, whom I knew casually, happened to be passing by and overheard me. Without hesitation he offered his assistance in a polite gesture. For this I was, and still am, deeply appreciative. It is reassuring

JESUS ERASMO PEREZ et al CalPIRG Consumer Protection Group



Faces Problems of Funding, Lack of Power; Members Saw No Opposition in Election

By Chris Ziegler Reporter

"He was dying, very slowly and in great agony, but in some world remote from me where not even a bullet could damage him further.... The tortured gasps continued as steadily as the ticking of a clock."

George Orwell, from Shooting An Elephant

Although Orwell was discussing his views on the evils of imperialism and the death of the British Empire, some may liken this passage to the current state of the Isla Vista Community Council — in the recent county elections, not a single person ran for a seat on the council. Consequently, the 1986elected board was automatically renewed for another term and will remain in power until another election is called, according to IVCC member Mike Boyd.

News Analysis

However, there was a time when the IVCC had highly contested elections and considerable community support. For example, a Nov. 2, 1973 Daily Nexus story reads, "With 16 candidates in the running - and candidates in districts three and six running unopposed - Isla Vistans face the smallest selection of candidates for IVCC ever.'

Since its founding in 1970, the IVCC has experienced varying degrees of support. The early 1970s were a period of strong community backing for the IVCC, according to Santa Barbara County Supervisor Bill Wallace. "The community was really together," Wallace remembered.

"Definitely, it was strong in the early '70s," agreed former IVCC Director Dave Bearman, who now sits on the Isla Vista Sanitary District board. "We routinely had 50 to 60 people at meetings," Bearman said.

A combination of a community feeling of disenfranchisement and problems with local police led to the IVCC's creation and contributed to its community backing, Bearman believes.

"It came about because of unique forces (that are not present now)," Bearman said, referring to the riots and the burning of Isla Vista's Bank of America in February 1970. "The police acted in an indiscriminate fashion," he explained.

"The IVCC was a very necessary organization ... and I'm sorry to see it fall as an institution," Bearman added.

The IVCC was established on May 5, 1970, the same day four students were killed by National Guardsmen at Kent State University in Ohio. IVCC members are elected by popular vote and appointed to serve as the Isla Vista Municipal Advisory Council by the Santa Barbara Board of Supervisors to advise the board of Isla Vistans' concerns.

4,000 people voted. Although only 3,400 voters were registered, IVCC election regulations permit any Isla Vista resident over the age of 16 to vote for IVCC candidates.

The IVCC was instrumental in the creation of the Isla Vista Recreation and Parks District, the Isla Vista Youth Project, the Human Relations Center, the Isla Vista Fud Co-op, the Isla Vista Health Clinic and the Isla Vista Legal Clinic, Bearman said. "The IVCC is a victim of its successes...."

he remarked.

Bearman believes the council must regain the community respect it once had to reacquire its power and influence. He thinks the body fails to attract the support of longterm I.V. residents because "they don't see it as representing their views and they don't see it influencing public policy."

In 1980, because of lack of interest and candidates, there was speculation that the

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- Scott Bearman

IVCC might require members to be appointed if a quorum could not be reached. Eventually, elections filled six of the seats and only one needed to be appointed. Of the six seats, three went uncontested.

permission to run an I.V.-branch Post Office, and as a result of the newly attained power, community interest returned.

the IVCC, according to Wallace's assistant, John Buttny, who served as IVCC executive director from December 1981 to March 1983. In the 1982 IVCC election, 3,000 Isla Vista residents turned out to vote, according to election statistics.

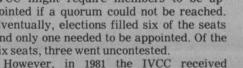
Buttny believes the strength of the council rises and falls with the amount of funds the body has.

Until July 1983, the IVCC received annual county. The amount received varied from year to year.

Then, in 1975, the IVCC also began receiving funds from the Comprehensive Education and Training Act, enabling the council to hire a staff. However, due to federal budget cuts, CETA funds were

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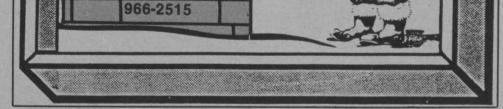
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withdrawn in 1981.

But, in 1983, UCSB curtailed its financial support of IVCC and reallocated the money for research projects, according to Vice (See HISTORY, p.21)



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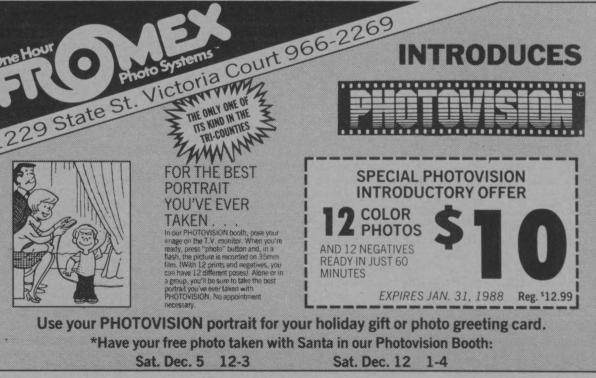
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So you wanna be a Rock and Roll star? Here are three Isla Vista bands making a shot at The Big Time — from garage concerts to nightclubs to record deals and beyond.

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Daily Nexus

By Doug Arellanes



t would probably be easier to count the grains of sand on the beach or the number of stars in the sky than to count the times "Louie Louie," and "Twist and Shout" have been played by Isla Vista bands.

In a way, those songs and a few others have become part of I.V. culture. The keg parties would not be the same; the beer would probably seem flatter, the partygoers less festive, the books more inviting.

But there are a growing number of local bands who have broken out of the I.V. party scene to move on, they hope, to record deals, tours and so on.

In the past few years, groups like Joe Rockhead, Bold Montgomery, the Stingrays and Little America have set out for The Big Time, and have found the road to it less than smooth.

But bands from other college towns such as Athens, Ga., have had greater success in attracting national attention. In one period, the B-52s, R.E.M., Love Tractor, the Pylons and the dBs all were "discovered" in Athens. Two went on to national success.

Could it happen here sometime?

It's a question that's as much up to fate as it is to talent. "There's definitely a lot of bands in Isla Vista," said Craig Meyer, UCen activities coordinator for the A.S. Program Board. Meyer should know, he books bands for The Pub. "I think there are two classifications of bands; bands that are actually serious about their music, and there's also bands Anisq' Oyo' Park, the Red Barn, Borsodi's and The Graduate consistently feature live music. UCSB's Pub is another showcase.

"I like to use The Pub as a good outlet for local talent to show themselves. But I have so many bands calling me. It's been really tough," Meyer said.

And I.V. groups obviously have competition beyond their local boundaries. "I like to bring in L.A. bands too, just to expose people to what's in L.A.," he explained. "I don't testify to be an expert in music, or the whole L.A. scene or anything like that. I'm not really down there that much.... If I could do things in The Pub every night, I would, and I have enough talent to do it. It's just money. There's just not enough money there."

Indeed, local money is available, but it is sparse. Live performances command varying wages from bands who play for free, to the few bands at the top who can make several hundred dollars a crack. "It really depends. It's hard. Normally these bands are getting anywhere from three to five hundred dollars to play anywhere else. Especially like fraternity parties, where they would get upwards of \$500," Meyer said. "Mainly (Pub appearances) are just promotion. It's a good crowd, and it's fun to play there."

"A lot of times what these bands will do if they play at Alex's or Cancun (Cantina) or wherever is that they'll go and play for the cover. It's really a great deal for both. It's a good incentive for their band.... They go out, they advertise. The more people that come in, the more money they make. And it's great for the clubs because the people come in and buy their alcohol, which is about 90 percent profit."

But the amount of money some bands earn pales in comparison to the time and effort involved in playing music

that are just out there to have fun — the basic I.V. party pand."

"What is really cool is that a lot of them are developing their own sounds," he continued. "There's a lot of original bands. I think the main influence, instead of being kind of rock and roll, has strayed towards reggae, such as Common Sense, the Distractions, Collage of i, Crucial DBC."

And, although I.V. may have a clear influence, there is no particular sound that is gripping the community. "As far as an I.V. sound, it hasn't really come yet. I don't think the attention has come from outside sources," Meyer said. "I know that a lot of bands are going into the recording studios.... A lot of bands are really taking it seriously. A lot of them moved to L.A., such as Bold Montgomery. The Volcanos are playing in L.A. a lot, as is Joe Rockhead. They (Joe Rockhead) are just trying to make it in L.A. And some are actually doing pretty well at it. None of them have really made it big."

"It could be partly geographic; record companies aren't exactly coming to Isla Vista to look for bands," he said. "The main showcase in the area is unfortunately Oscar's ... and (Oscar's has) strayed from the rock and roll, getting into things that are more cultural, more diversified."

Local stagnation is another reason some bands leave, according to Meyer. "If a band is good, they don't just want to sit in I.V. Sometimes they can get caught up just playing the (parties).... Common Sense is a probably a good example of oversaturating the market. They've played *so* many times. They play all these places. I know last year I got sick of them. I could only hear "President Reggae" so many times, you know what I mean? ... But they've gone in and done some pretty good recordings."

The stagnation is partly caused by a lack of showcases. Aside from I.V. parties, there are only a few venues around where local talent can be seen and heard. In Isla Vista,

rty professionally, Meyer stressed.

"You've got to take into account all the years of practice the band members have to take, and the hours of practicing together. If you think about it, it's not really that great. You might make \$50 an hour then, but what about all the time you're not making any money? It's like modeling. You make maybe \$100 an hour, but when you're not modeling, you're not making anything."

There are a number of original bands playing creative music locally, including the Distractions, Burning Couches, Collage of i, the I.V. Allstars, Common Sense, Heedless Youth, Alice Fell and the Whitefronts to name a few. Here are three stories.

Crucial DBC: Rock, Riddim and Ohio

"We've been together two and a half years. We started back in Ohio in a place called Bowling Green ... as a reggae band," said Darryl Thomas, bassist and vocalist for Crucial DBC (Dread Beat Control). "We learned how to play reggae because people wanted to hear it. We got pretty good after a while, so we moved to California."

The members of the band moved to Isla Vista, and began playing their reggae-rock-ska sound in successively larger venues, opening for the Untouchables in Robertson Gym in mid-October, and Fishbone at La Casa de la Raza shortly thereafter.

According to Thomas, Crucial DBC's statewide tours have been extremely successful, and some of the interest generated may turn into a record deal. "We've gotten some feedback from some labels, but we're not committed to anything yet. I.V. is just one of the few places we play," he said.

"We play San Francisco, Berkeley, San Luis Obispo. We opened for Mojo Nixon and Cayucas in San Luis Obispo

and sold that show out. They love us up there. We're much more popular on the Central Coast, (but) we're still an underground thing in I.V. I haven't gotten a grasp of the mentality of I.V. students, so I can't even tell you why."

Isla Vista's response to Crucial DBC has been both enthusiastic and ambivalent, Thomas said. "I think we stun some people, which is much better than having them ignore us. (Others) like it a lot. We've got a lot of fans in I.V."

Crucial DBC's main goal at this point is to get their music out in the form it is in now, he explained. "And when the time comes to do an album, we'll be much more assured in the studio because we will have had more experience and will be more relaxed. Relaxation is important because recording can be a tense thing because it costs so much. You're under a lot of pressure to perform at your best in the least amount of time possible. It's expensive."

In the meantime, the band has produced one cassette, entitled "Bloodsucker," for sale at its performances, both to satisfy demand and to make ends meet. "We've got another one The band's members wanted melody in their coming out over Christmas entitled 'Haunted songs, "but at the same time, we wanted this

record-store chains. "I think the name, Waldo the Dog-faced Boy got us as much attention as we had," Mason said. They must get hundreds and hundreds of albums a day, waiting to be reviewed. And they pick ours. It's got to be the name. If it was just like, The Thugs, or The This or The That, they all sound the same. And when a paper shows up at your desk at 8 o'clock in the morning and says Waldo the Dog-faced Boy, you're bound to do something about it. You're kind of forced," she laughed.

When *Wood* came out, response was extremely varied. "Everyone was saying, 'Oh my god. It sounds like a combination of the Cocteau Twins and Sonic Youth.' Different people said that. And I don't know if I agree with that, but (in) some songs I can see it. Some people, like the L.A. Times, said we sounded like New Age music, that we have New Age influences. And we don't have New Age at *all* in the album.... But if you didn't know anything about us and you heard the album, sure, you'd think we had New Age influences.

"There's a great appreciation for good rock. The people we play to, are they connoisseurs of rock? I don't know, but they definitely have a real good appreciation of older music and new music alike."

Luke Sands

World.' We wrote all our material on the tapes," Thomas said.

Crucial DBC enjoys playing live, and when asked about the strangest place they've played, Thomas said "it was a party where this fraternity and sorority dressed up in island getup. They had flowered pants and palm trees. There was sand everywhere — on the stage, in my guitar, in my amp — The most amazing thing was that they constructed a waterfall from the second floor. It was pretty fantastic. Quite an engineering feat, like something you'd see at Disneyland."

something you'd see at Disneyland." And what is Crucial DBC's next move? "More newspaper articles," he said. "And our new cassette. Being the best band we can be." And for playing I.V.? "We play at Borsodi's a lot, so people can see us there."

Waldo the Dog-faced Boy: On the Verge

In a recent issue of the Sunday Los Angeles Times Calendar section, a review of Wood, Waldo the Dog-faced Boy's first album, said the band may be the best to come out of L.A. this vear

This came as some surprise to lead vocalist Mary Ellen Mason, a UCSB senior majoring in liberal studies (communications, film studies, art studio) who also hosts KCSB's "The Bent End," Wednesday nights at 10 p.m.

Waldo the Dog-faced Boy has four members: guitarists Tom Grimley and Chris Sarno; bassist and vocalist Devin Sarno; and vocalist Mason. Their sound is difficult to categorize: The Times called it a mixture of punk and new age, their fans compare it to the Cocteau Twins and Sonic Youth, and MTV's "120 Minutes" called it pseudo-artsy.

"Devin's been a friend of mine since high school," Mason said, explaining the band's beginnings. "He's a really good friend. And he decided to start a band as a joke. He goes to Loyola Marymount University, and apparently they were having an on-campus concert one night in their equivalent of The Pub. It's called the underlying discord, or dissonance. It may not be consciously perceived, but it kind of scares you, Mason explained.

"MTV, when they reviewed our album, hated it. They couldn't stand it. I can see why, when MTV is owned by Warner Bros., who is a major forum for large bands," Mason said pointedly. "They said we were pseudo-artsy, self-indulgent crap that gives alternative music a bad name. We figured, with this album, because we didn't compromise, it would be either loved or hated. There would be

no middle ground." "It's kind of like *Blue Velvet*. Do you know anyone who saw *Blue Velvet* who was kind of in the middle about it? They either loved it or they hated it. The Times loved it, MTV hated it. We just think it's a joke anyway. Reviews don't matter. It's the people, the crowds.

Waldo the Dog-faced Boy is also planning a tour of the West Coast, and hopes to include UCSB on the itinerary. "We're kind of thinking about playing at Borsodi's, try to get a date there. And if Program Board is 'hip' enough to put us on their bill, if we're cool enough to be put on

their bill, we'll be happy to oblige." The band has found it difficult to be booked at certain venues, including UCSB, Mason said. "It's two extremes — people who have never heard of us and don't know who we are, and there are people who are really familiar with us and love for us to play. There's not a lot of middle ground there either.

"It's just a matter of becoming familiar," Mason continued. "We're just an underground band pretty much at this point. We're not the Rolling

pretty much at this point. We're not the Kolling Stones. We'll take anything, parties, an-niversaries, funerals. We'd really like to play a funeral ... like at Forest Lawn or something." Waldo the Dog-faced Boy also sports a varied list of influences. "Our guitarist, Tom Grimley, is really influenced by 20th-century electronic - composers," Mason explained. "Tom is not into any of this modern music at all. He's locked up in his apartment and all he listens to is this classical Sands believes the current phase in music history goes beyond the "60s revival" some have his apartment and all he listens to is this classical stuff. If you ask him about R.E.M. or something, he'll just say, 'What?'

"But we're all really influenced by Sammy Davis Jr. I've got to bring Sammy in, because he's one of the pulling forces of our band. He's the Candyman. He's got the groovy lemon pie, and when he's around, things happen. We like Sammy because he epitomizes endurance. He's on the road, he's had two hip surgeries.... I mean, we don't sound anything like him, but we're always thinking about him.

Happy Trails: High Hopes

"Isla Vista is one of the strangest places in the world in that it's got such a huge amount of people packed in such a small area, which makes for a great night of partying," said Luke Sands, bassist and vocalist for Happy Trails.

"The times we would play at our old place, 6681 Sabado, it was total pandemonium. Hundreds of people sprawled everywhere - on the roofs, above us, below us, all around us, completely encircling the band," Sands continued. "It's a great exchange between the people and the band. We have so much fun playing to the people. They're so receptive.'

Happy Trails started about a year-and-a-half ago, playing I.V. parties. Now the band plays the area's nightclubs and plans a statewide tour Winter Quarter

"It all started in a living room many years ago, you know, just like they all do, I guess. It was originally me, Ginger (Bean, guitars and vocals) and Andy (Satlin), the drummer, just playing alone, Ginger playing guitar and singing, and we were singing through a little 20-watt amp," Sands explained.

"And then we just eventually spread. We got another guitar player and keyboards. And ever since, we've had our core of Happy Trails, it's just evolved. Everyone in the band has a really positive feeling about everyone else. There aren't any conflicts in our band. And that comes out in our music, because when we're on stage, there are a lot of special things happening.'

The band recently took a trip to the studio, where it completed a demo tape for distribution. "We've pretty much saturated the market with it," Sands said. "We've sent it to a lot of different radio stations, to college radio stations, to different colleges in the state because we're getting a tour

organized for winter." "The tape was part of our aid to get the whole tour going," he continued. "We send out a good tape and people say, 'Yeah, you can play here.' Starting in January, we're probably going to be playing in San Diego and (tour from) there to Berkeley. It's att self-propetted now, and it's really hard.

In Happy Trails' live shows, about one-third of the songs are originals, one-third blues and onethird other covers, many of which were written by the Grateful Dead. "Louie Louie' and 'Twist and Shout' got kicked out as soon as we got more than 16 songs to play," Sands laughed. "We're all really influenced by the Dead. It's

great because it's a form of music that no one's been able to capture again. No one's been able to touch upon it. The Dead are great at what they do and they're the only ones that do it. There's a lot to learn from that as far as writing songs and playing their tunes because (they play) great riffs. It really grabs people.

"There are a couple of Hendrix tunes we do once in a while, and people really like that too," Sands added. "There's a great appreciation for good rock. The people we play to, are they connoisseurs of rock? I don't know, but they definitely have a real good appreciation of older music and new music alike."

compared it to. "It is more of a cultural awareness that's happening now in the 80s. There's a great (See **I.V. BANDS**, p.18)

Crucial DBC playing in Anisq' Oyo' Park

Bird's Nest.

"They needed a band to open for this major act, and we all got together and decided to do it. There were more people than that ... about 12 of us total.

"What I did was I went out with all these little Jesus books they give you in Westwood, and I screamed into the microphone reading out of this book like 'AAAAGH! THOU SHALT NOT,' you know, and that was the vocals. It was all improvisational, and we just made this noise, and people came up to us afterwards and said, WOW!' We had go-go dancers on the side (of the stage), and we weren't even a band. We were like a revue - we had a horn section ... but that got old kind of fast.'

The band later narrowed to the current lineup and decided to play seriously. "We got a show at the Club Lingerie last May," Mason said. "We played the Lhasa Club, Al's Bar, local (L.A.) things."

And shortly thereafter, the band was being wround by several record companies. "This pursued by several record companies. record company, Flux, which was a new label in L.A., wanted us to be the first band they pressed. We didn't know if we wanted to do it on such a small label. We were hoping for a bigger in-dependent label, but we thought 'what the hell.' So we sent our tape in and they loved it.... We're doing a two-album, one-single contract," Mason explained.

The band made a demo tape and sent it to KXLU, based on campus at Loyola Marymount, where the other band members attend school. After signing the band, the record company also worked out national distribution through several during the 1987 Isla Vista Spring Festival.



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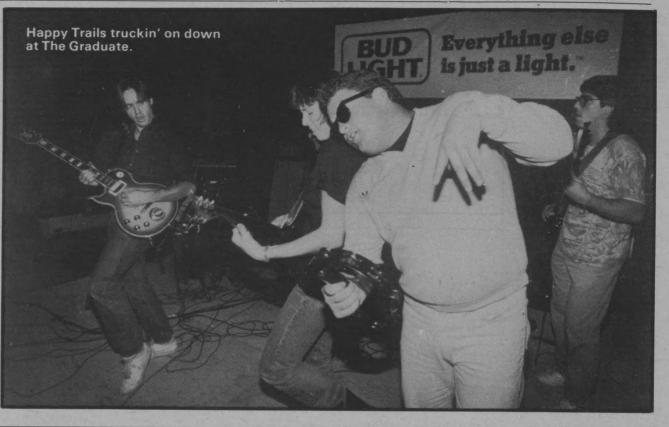
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need for different kinds of music, different kinds of influences. People are searching for something new, because we've been through the Muzak and techno-pop phase now in the 80s," he explained. "There's a huge generation of people that weren't ever satisfied by that music. They're always searching for something a little bit more on the edge. a little bit less controlled.

Like several other local bands, including Collage of i and Crucial DBC, Happy Trails does several benefit concerts each year, including the last two Take Back the Night events against sexual assault, as well as benefits for the Democratic Student Union and the Committee in Solidarity with the People of El Salvador

"Benefits are a big thing for us. We really like to do them. We like to support people who need help. That's something we believe in very strongly, and we've made that decision in our band as a unit," Sands said. "I don't know where CISPES would fit in. We weren't

playing for a better El Salvador, we were playing to help people get relocated out of the mountains (in Él Salvador). Politically, we have our own beliefs, but that's not something you want to spit out at people. Everyone has different beliefs, but I think there's a lot people can share on a common ground, and that's helping people.'



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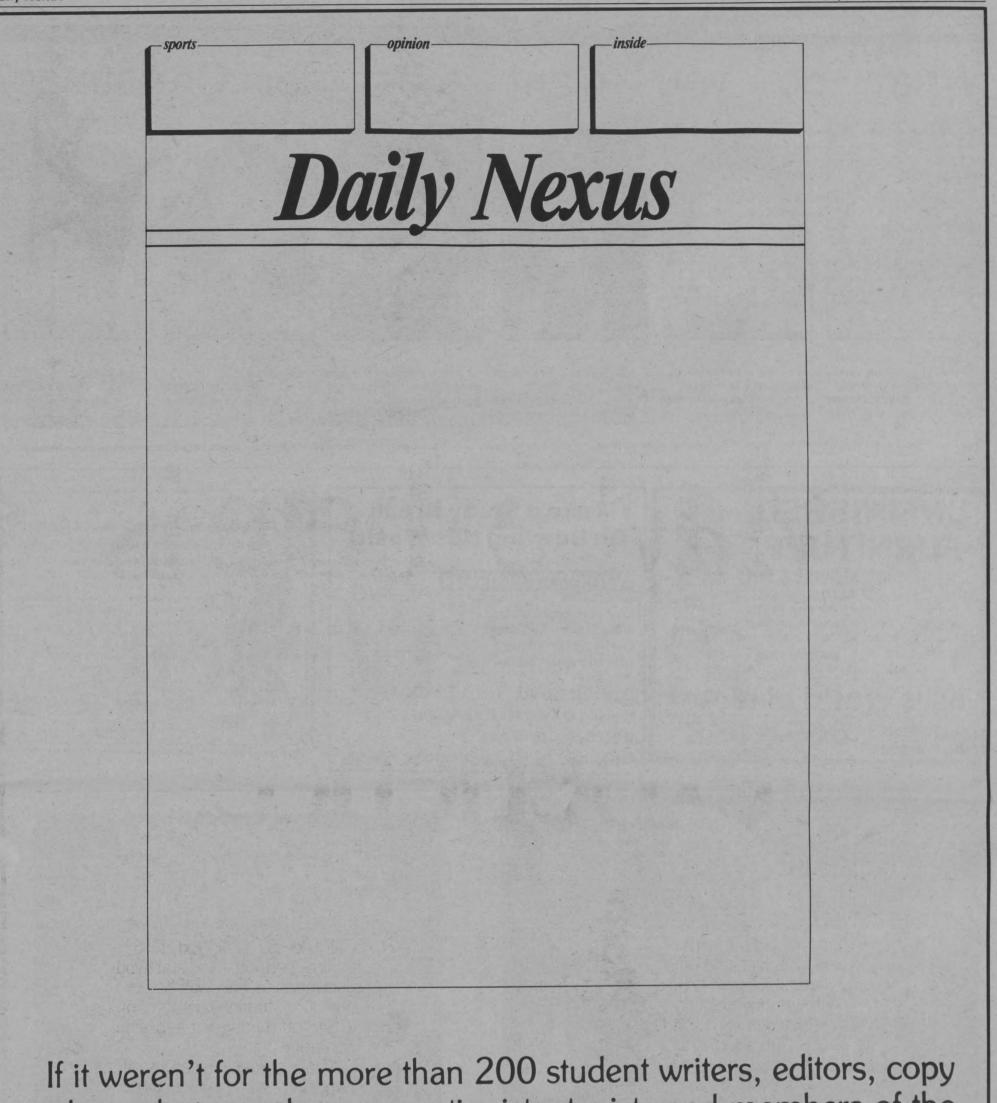
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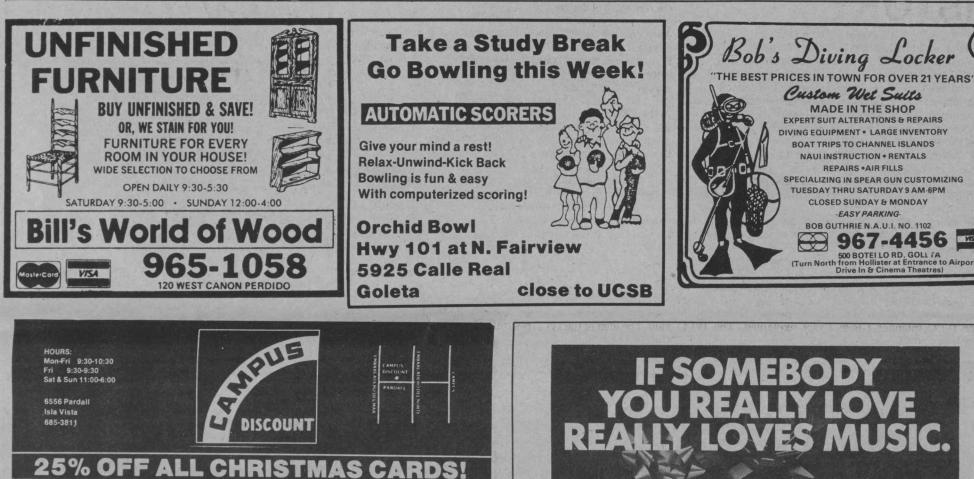
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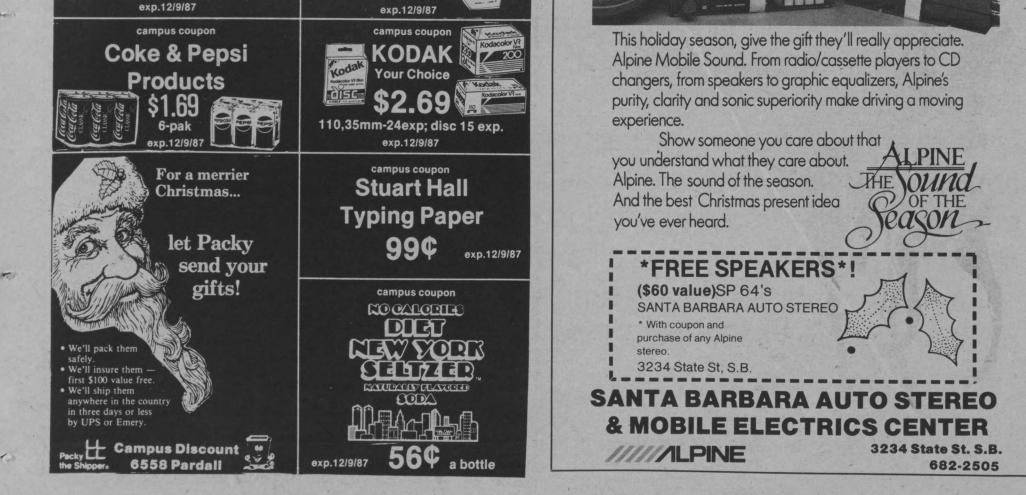


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UCSB Biology Professor Researches Courtship Behavior of Tropical Fish

By Ben Sullivan Campus Editor

Not many people lay awake at night wondering why a female bluehead wrasse chooses the mate that she does.

National Science Foundation and the Smithsonian Institute, UCSB biology Professor Robert Warner has spent the last 14 years studying the mating habits of this brightly colored tropical fish and has come to the conclusion that despite the male wrasse's coloration and animated courtship play, it is the area he controls — not his antics — that attracts females.

Warner's findings are contained in a paper published in the October issue of the scientific journal Animal Behavior.

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"Identifying the basis for female choice in mating in any species is crucial if we But, through funding from the are to understand how sexual selection operates." - Robert Warner

> physical characteristics and behavioral traits evolve," Warner explained.

> However, making such 'determinations about species with territorial males has proven challenging because of difficulty in distinguishing differences between the attractiveness of the male and that of his territory.

In fact, the bluehead wrasse is only the second species of fish for which such separation of male qualities and sexual selection operates and how site qualities has been possible, ac-

cording to Warner

Prior to Warner's work, it was thought that the female wrasse probably chose her mate based on some 'intrinsic male characteristic.'

However, during a mating survey of coral reef wrasse populations around Panama's San Blas islands, Warner observed how female wrasses acted when males disappeared or were removed. He saw that missing male wrasses were replaced by other males within two days and that the female was just as attracted to the new male, as long as he was in the original area.

The conclusion Warner has drawn is that female wrasses favor certain areas as spawning sites, and that males compete for these spots. However, Warner notes that this conclusion raises further questions, such as why the male is so brightly colored, if not for mating purposes.

'We may have to rethink some of our ideas," he concluded.

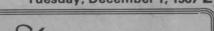
There are varying opinions about the cause of IVCC's current state of distress

One theory posed to explain the organization's downfall concerns the IVCC's position on the always-controversial Chancellor of Planning and Analysis Richard Jensen. The cityhood issue. The IVCC's actions in support of independent I.V. cityhood strengthened the body, according to Boyd. "We Some skeptics believe politics played a part in the funding were working on something that had a lot of community cuts - at the time of the funding losses, the council was in support," he explained.

Buttny, however, believes it was the cityhood issue that led to the downfall of the IVCC: "If the council had been able to "The county supported the IVCC as long as they could get off the one-issue track," it would not have lost the community's support, Buttny said. The IVCC needed to "break The Goleta Municipal Advisory Council, a similar the isolation of Isla Vista getting stuck on incorporation."

Buttny further explained that a cycle developed to the ebb period that the IVCC had its withdrawn. Subsequently, in and flow of the IVCC's power. Following a surge for in-March 1984, the Goleta MAC voted to dissolve itself, Wallace corporation and community government, community interest would slide, Buttny said. Then, after a new IVCC After losing both the CETA funds and the university and executive director was chosen, interest would return and county monies, the IVCC supported itself solely on its Post cityhood supporters would once again gain power. But, the Office revenue. But, the IVCC lost its contract with the incorporation proposal would be turned down by the Local postmaster after a theft of \$7,000 worth of stamps from the Agency Formation Commission and local support would die out again. The pattern would then repeat itself, Buttny explained.

The future of the IVCC is debatable. The council has tenmunity support situation to reduce its power and influence, tative plans to hold elections, but no date has been set, Boyd said. The idea of the IVCC resuscitating itself is "sort of up in



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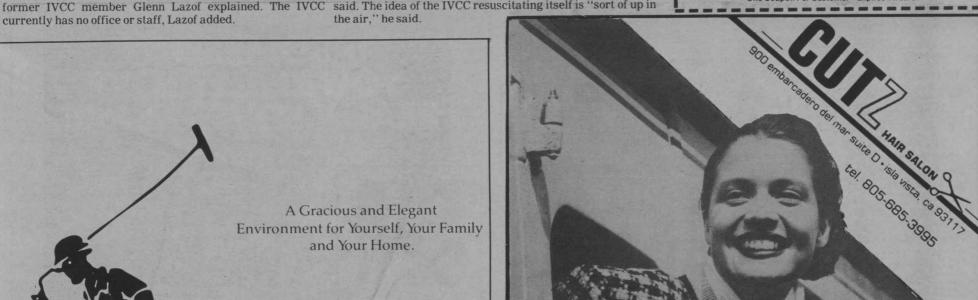
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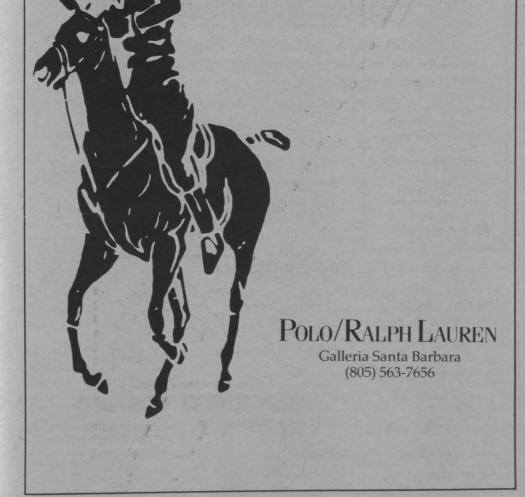
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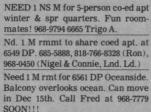


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Responsible female to share 2 bedroom condo with same \$315 includes utilities 685-1332.

Room in Condo w/own bath. One or two NS Females. Pool! Located off Las Postas Call 569-7052 Nice!

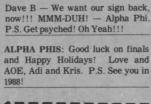
WHATABAWGAN!!! Only \$230/mo. 1 or 2 rmmts needed. Hot locale - 811 Camino Pescadero no. 12. 2br/2ba. Call Alan 562-8061.



KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA Thank you!

STUDY AND PARTY best of both.

1/2 OFF EVERYTHING Greek Merchandise. FLAMINGO upstairs, next to the Egghead.



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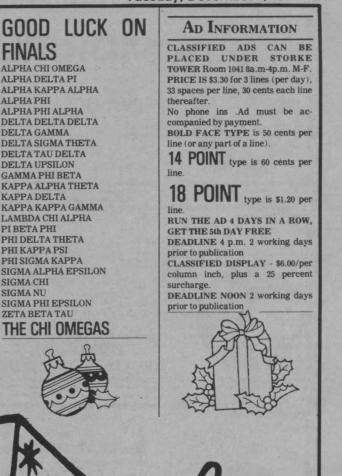
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HAPPY HOLIDAYS

to the guys of Sabado B, the guys of Kimberly 90, 64 and 83 We love you all and we'll miss you over vacation, but have fun and enjoy all your presents!! See ya next year!!!

Love, the girls of 93 JEANNIE, CINDY, ALISON, & ALEXIS

Thanx for the GREAT B-day! You guys are so JOLLY !! Have a great X-Mas vacation. Love ya all! Candace S Cir dreaming of a White Christmas. JONATHAN!!!

Santa's Puerto Rico here we come!!! By the way, what are we going to do with all those Senoritas?!?!?

"LOS" TO THE DADSON SALESMAN Sunset walks along the cliffs in odd places. Don't stick it out unless u plan to use it. Such a tease?! Remember I'm always here for u. Happy Holidays in the land above us. And hey, no incest! Guess what? Love Always Guess Who.

TO THE FLASHER & THE NAKED WATCHER OF LA LAW - Gimme a break! Xmas will be fun even though one of us is sickly! Looking forward to swooshing down the slopes w/u. U guys were the right choice. So happy I (we) made it! Love the one who gets the most phone calls!

TO THE TWITCHER- Take your

"Big Sister" SHERI: Good luck with finals. You can do it! I'm really gonna miss ya! Thanks for being here. Merry Christmas! Luv Ya Lots!

Your "Little Friend from Chem" Chi O Lara G. Welcome to the family. Jen, Congrats on Tres, Cin and all, I'll miss you next quarter. Luv. Nae

DEAR DAVID SOLARIO I WISH YOU A VERY MERRY X-MAS, BUT I'LL HAVE A BLUE X-MAS WITHOUT YOU. WITH LOVE, TERRY

GREG IN PHYS6A - If u don't take 6BL "for fun", who will I talk to?! Hope 2 see u next quarter. MERRY XMAS. 2 the best 712N stairs runner around! -A 6AL Friend (ML).



NOEL

Thanks for taking care of me on Saturday! You are driving me "NUTS"! I hope you enjoyed Thanksgiving...I know that I am thank-full! I will miss you over vacation! Good luck on finals!! Love, SWEETIE-PIE!!

DU LITTLE SISTERS DIANA S. AND STACEY:

You ladies are the best! Have a rad Christmas and get ready for next quarter's bashing !!! Love, your Big Bro, "LOS"

ELAINE LORRAINE THE PAIN-Merry Christmas, hon! Practice all your recipes, work out lots and have fun. I love you-Michele.

JENN

May Santa bring you our car and Cody James' father. I don't believe Santa only brings gifts to good girls we're bummed! MERRY if so. CHRISTMAS!! I luv you! Michelle.

JUDY MILLER

I couldn't of asked for a better big

Thanks so much for all the goodies!! Your Little Bro, "LOS"

calcium so I can sleep and stop pulling up the sheet! 'Member you're closer! Life with you is a constant burst of LOVE energy Have a Merry XMas in paradise! I'll miss you - Love PJ.

AEPI - ADAM - It's been beyond my wildest dreams! You've been my best friend! and I do LOVE YOU too! Jamie.

YO WHIT, BON, ROCK, HOMER, CLYDE, RITCHIE, n SUZIE- it's over! MC n HNY- Have a fo rad time. Luv, DOT.

ANNISA, NANCY & MARY Merry Xmas to the best roomies I could ask for! I'll miss you over break! Love, Kristin

Have a wonderful Christmas And a bright New Year May your stocking be filled With Santa's good cheer May he bring you a gift USC Fans might hate A Michigan St victory on that Rose Bowl date! Stay warm and happy

Aim.

Love, Andy

TRI-DELTA TRACIM. Christmas vacation in **Puerto Rico** Won't be the same without you! I miss you already! Love, "LOS'

KELVIN ALEXANDER

You called me once, but not yet twice! Let's get together soon, it could be nice! MERRY HOLIDAYS! Love, the wild dancing, Brunette

HINT, -- to the world!

LAURA, Your hair looks fine, really! HAPPY HOLIDAYS! Love, Michele

LISA, APRIL, and LYNN I love you guys more than words can say, lets go on a H.P frenzy today! **MERRY HOLIDAYS BABES!!**

LOVE & KISSES, HOY SWEETHEART STEVE M. Can't wait to spend our White Christmas in

The Big Apple!! Love Always, Adriana TO ALL MY FRIENDS

HAVE A GREAT VACATION AND A MERRY CHRISTMAS! LOVE YA LOTS, SLY

TO KIM, ANNE & GAIL - MERRY X-MAS to the best roomies ever! An - have fun bk East. K&G - Stmboat here we come! GRR - WATCH OUT 4 gin & tonics & twkies. Lv, Fred.

