Annual University Service Day to be held

June 15, 1960

The La Jolla campus of The University of California will hold open house beginning at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, June 23, in a ceremony honoring nonacademic employees and featuring an address by Dr. Samuel B. Gould, Chancellor of The University's Santa Barbara campus. The event will be open to the public.

Nonacademic employees are those not directly engaged in research and teaching. Almost 600 persons hold such positions at La Jolla. There are 179 academic employees.

University Service Day, as the event is known, is held annually to honor employees who are retiring and those who have completed stated periods in University service.

Men retiring from service are Ernest R. Benhart, Custodian; Andrew Markel, Senior Maintenance Man; and Paul J. Scheller, Chief Engineer.

To be honored for fifteen years of service are Gloria J. Slack, Statistician; Elaine Trowbridge, Laboratory Assistant; Raymond M. Blei, Senior Laboratory Mechanician; and Sam D. Hinton, Senior Museum Zoologist.

Receiving awards for ten years of service will be Ruth M. Barney, Secretary-Stenographer; Patricia Bridger, Principal Clerk; Kathleen G. Douthitt, Administrative Assistant; James L. J. Barrett, Senior Marine Electrician; Arthur B. Carter, Communications Officer; Cleveland H. Davis, Captain of Research Vessel Paolina-T; Laurence E. Davis, Captain of Research Vessel Argo; James L. Faughn, Senior Engineer; Charles S. Fleming, Senior Laboratory Mechanician,; Theodore R. Folsom, Senior Engineer,; Thomas A. Manar, Public Information Manager; Leo E. Miller, Principal Laboratory Mechanician; Douglas K. Moser, Senior Storekeeper; James E. Rupert, Senior Photographer; and William G. Van Dorn, Senior Engineer.

A posthumous award will be presented for Conrad Limbaugh, Marine Diving Specialist, who had completed ten years of service before his recent death in a diving accident in France. His widow, Mrs. Nan Limbaugh, will accept the award. Faughn and Blei will not be present to receive their awards; they are at present stationed in Bangkok, Thailand, with The University's Naga Expedition.

Presiding at the ceremony will be Mr. John C. Dullaghan, Assistant Marine Superintendent. Dr. Roger Revelle, Director of the La Jolla campus, will present service awards and retirement certificates. Following Dr. Gould's speech on "The Image of a University", several of the offices and laboratories on the campus will be open to visitors. Among the features of the open house will be a demonstration of the RUM (Remote Underwater Manipulator) Vehicle developed by Dr. Victor C. Anderson of the Scripps Institution of Oceanography's Marine Physical Laboratory.

University Service Day is sponsored by the La Jolla campus, Chapter 104 of the California State Employees' Association, and the Oceanids, women's organization of the Scripps Institution. Refreshments will be served.

Parking fees will be waived for the afternoon.