

Scientists from Scripps leaves San Diego for a two-week survey of fishes of Bahia de los Angeles, Baja California

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A party of scientists from the University of California's Scripps Institution of Oceanography leaves San Diego next week for a two-week survey of the fishes of Bahia de los Angeles, Baja California.

The group will be led by Dr. Carl L. Hubbs, Professor of Biology. The expedition is being made with the cooperation of the San Diego Society of Natural History, the Beaudette Foundation for Biological Research, and the Los Angeles campus of the University.

The expedition's plans call for collecting of fishes by diving, by seining, and by other methods.

A part of the group will fly to the Bay; the remainder will travel by land vehicles. The party will include Hubbs; Dr. Richard H. Rosenblatt, second in command; Mr. James R. Stewart, chief diving officer; Mrs. Laura Hubbs, recording secretary, and Mr. Allan J. Stover as chief technician in charge of gear and boats. Other collectors will be Mr. Donald M. Dockins, Mr. Bert H. Koayashi, and Mr. Beith W. Radford, all of Scripps, and Mr. Wayne J. Baldwin of UCLA.

This will be the first extensive fish survey of the Bay, Hubbs says. It will be coordinated with studies of the Beaudette Foundation on the bottom invertebrates, hydrography, and productivity of the Bay. The aim of the project is to report on the fish life of the Bay. Specimens will be returned to the Scripps Institution for study.