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## Academic stress: there is help

By LESLIE BOW
You've just turned out the light at the end of "one of those days" and have entered the unavoidable nightly routine of thinking before you sleep. Classes are terrible, you're having trouble with your suitemates, you haven t gotten any mail in weeks. Suddenly, tears are stinging your eyelids. You turn and face the wall so your roommate won 't see your silliness. "Oh God I'm so lonely," you think. But you know there's nothing really wrong with you - you're easonably intelligent, not bad looking, and you and several friends are going to TI this friends are going to 1] this problem?
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says Dr. Phil Raphael of the Third College Psychological and Counseling Services, ...Fears are universal. If you think you're the only one who feels isolated, confused or depressed, you're flattering yourself with uniqueness.
UCSD is a fairly large university into which you, the lowly undergraudate, are dropped along with hundreds of others. The academic standards here are high. Competiion is keen. Living on campus you find yourself surrounded by your peers, immersed in a 24 hour a day social situation with every minute a lesson in getting along with people. It seems you have the right it feel depressed It would be abnormal not to feel social and normal pressure social and academic pressure once in a while. But what happens, when those "once in a whiles" occur mort
It is important to realize where the problem is coming from. Usually, you don't have to look very far.
"The major pressure is the pressure that you put on yourself for academic performance." says John Giebink, director of Psychological and Counseling Services at UCSD. Certainly everyone feels that current of competitiveness that runs through the lecture hall right before a midterm. You look steathily around the room wondering, "Does he know something about Variation of Parameters that I don't? Why does everyone look so calm? Am I the only one here getting a stomachache?"
"Stress is not bad...it pushes us, it challenges us, it brings out the best in us. However, we can become overloaded by putting unrealistic demands on ourselves and making assumpions that increase stress beyond a person's ability to cope. That's when you have burnout and are unable to keep things together," says Dr. Ron Lane of the Muir College Psychological Services. The pressure to achieve keeps us going, but as one Muir freshman said in a resigned tone, "Sometimes it just seems everyone's just out for the grade." When you think that you can't keep up with everything, that professors are unreasonable, or that you're just plain stupid, it is easy to imagine you are alone. Yet everyone feels the pressure to succeed. The difference lies in how people choose to handle it. "The surcessful student will not allow the stress to get them down to the point where they will leave school. They will keep slug. ging away." says Lane.
Common gripes include "There's nothing to do" and "I can't meet people on this campus." In an institution with 10,000 students it is easy to dissolve into them and become ignored. Your life is in a slump because you're so busy you don't have time to do the things you like with the people you like - they're all busy too. "UCSD is such an unfriendly place, I can't meet people or make new friends." Dissatis. faction grows and you blame it on the system. "That kind of feeling is almost universal reeling is almost universal, period. says Raphael. Some people feel that it's very difficult to make friends here: 'if go somewhere else I can made friends.' That may be true, it nay not be true. But I think the first thing a person has to look at is...themselves. What we would do is help that person find ways to overcome his shyness or this fear of meet ing people and begin to utilize behaviors which could maximize meeting new people. Basically what you're talking about is taking risks.
Well, maybe you feel you do meet a lot of people. In fact, you think there are too many perple. You ve lost your individuality because classes are too large. You wonder if you are deviant because you do not
rink beer, understand programmable calculators, wear a polo shirt, study on Sunday and party it up on Friday. You think you should be doing what everyone else does or you are out of place. In living on campus with people your own age there is a definite pressure to conform.
Giebink notes, "When I go into the dorms I feel pressure...everything's so jammed together - that's got to cause some stress." And if he feels it as a visitor, it's got to be real for the impressionable student who has not yet had his ind viduality stamped on him. rene, a chemistry major, was studying in a near empty HI. on a Saturday night. Isn't there a stigma attached to studying when no one else is? "Everyone from my little sister to my best friend has been telling me I should get out more. I was made to feel guilty more. I was made to feel guilty about that...but it's really your
choice."

Lane comments, "A person who is subject to conformity pressures may have grown up feeling like they need to win people's approval. They judge their self worth by other pec ple's reactor to them. At this age it's common because many students at this point may not have a strong sense of individ duality yet to know what they want."Raphael says, "If their roommates are involved in var ious kinds of intimaterelationships and that person never has (been), often times that person will feel the need to either begin to engage in those kinds of behaviors or a need to imply that they do. (People will ask) 'You don't like to be ens aged in intimate relation engaged in intimate relationships? What's wrong with you?' And, given that, it does put a lot or pressure on a per son...to conform. What we try to do is find a way of dealing with those kinds of conflicts that is comfortable.
So when you feel that classes are too much to handle and people are getting on your nerves, what do you do about it? "I try to swim every day, says one Muir freshman. call home" or "I confide in a good friend, it helps just to talk," say others. There are lots of ways to deal with stress. "Some need to learn to relax, to balance their life with recreation. Others need to
learn to use time more efficiently, or learn social skills to balance the study., says Lane. The counseling services on campus are located on the ground floor of HL and have satellite branches on each of the four campuses. The centrail office has a three week waiting list for appointments, but at each individual campus you can talk to a counselor within a few days. Obviously students feel that their problems with coping are serious enough to discuss with professionals despite the stigma att ached to counseling. There seems to be a difference of opinion concerning counseling at the separate offices. Giebink approaches his cases in the light of serious psychotherapy He est mates that some 40 per cent of the students in any given class come in for some kind of counseling within their four years at UCSD. "When a person comes here it is almost a statement that I do have a problem:

Lane at Muir gives the open ion, "Counseling doesn't have to be problem-oriented in the sense of psychological hang ups but it can be problem solve.
ing. It can be focused on living issues and how to cope with them, and everybody's faced with that." All agree that the services can only facilitate a person's helping himself Raphael says, "I get the person to explore...I am being a mirtor. I reflect what they we said back to them and get them to think about it

Feeling stress or depression is not unique. what is unique is the way you choose to handee it. Ali in all, failing your biology class is not going to scar you for life, neither is breaking up with Karen (or Sue or John or Jack...). It is up to you to recognize the sources of the pressures that cause stress and explore areas that help you relieve it, whether it be by setting new academic priorities or something as simple as finding an adequate shoulder to cry on. When you get down to it, there's only one person who can solve life's litthe problems. As Raphael says, 'It's very easy to say the answer is within yourself The fact is the answer within yourself. The question is, "can you get to the quester?"


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## Public talk on jogging injuries



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Chicano Studies Program Courses for Spring Quarter

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Softball player feels "threatened" by coach demands dismissal; rest of team stands by coach

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Alumni, Chancellor carry pigskin home

| No more "conference championships" against Podunk U. or L.A. Baptist for the Triton Intercollegiate Department. UCSD sports are going big time. <br> Sweet that the Intercollegiate Department has adopted a new, high-powered foot ball the 1982 season on the NCAA Division II level, but will probably move up to Division I bv fall of 1983 . Sweet, reading from a |
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## Elvis Presley to play at next TGIF

## Also six kegs of beer and pizza

 By MORTIMER FABRICATEIn a move to quiet critics expected for the King's con- who have complained that the cert. The program board will entertainment at the TGs is be ready, they have already boring and predictable, the purchased six kegs of beer and Associated Students an- Square Pan Pizza will be on nounced today that the late hand. You must have six valid great Elvis Presley will play at this week's TG on the hump. AS programming honcho Adam Forrest said, "We feel very proud and fortunate that we were able to get this fabulous performer to play at UCSD." This program is expected to be very expensive and rumors have it that this will drain the AS budget until 1991. It is expected Elvis will play mostly old material. He play mostly old material. He

A crowd of over 600.000 is


Bert Turetsky recently became the first person to clone himself successfully. He is shown playing with the clones.

## Bert completes first successful cloning

> Local musician Bert
Turetsky has successfully completed his double-cloning operation making him the firs artist in history to become threesome. All three Turets kys are doing fine and have begun rehearsing for an upcoming concert at Mandewas done in total secrecy behind the Med School, was only the second time this uni gue cloning process has been ried and the first successful
attempt. The first was tried by the Reverend Jerry Falwell, but was grossly misdone and resulted
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Turetsky said he was inter ested in the idea of cloning after he saw a one-man band perform. In his three-piece oneman group he plays guitar, banjo, and bass. This concert will kick off a 27 -city tour for Wil kick off a 27 -city tour for
Turetsky who bills the group
as "Me. Myself and I."


Cecil Lytle performs on stage as Gene Simmons of Kiss (left) and relaxes in his office at UCSD.

## Lytle reveals other self

By JOE MAHMA ULSD Music Department Chairman Cecil Lytle stunned the community yesterday at a press conference when he announced that he was Gene Simmons of the rock group Kiss. Lytle, who is one of the most respected musicians any-
where handed in his resigna-

New music chairman

After Cecil Lytle's resigna tion as Music Dept. Chairman o continue his career with Kiss, Chancellor Atkinson announced that Ulgar Teyatsi has been appointed to fill the vacancy. Teyatsi has a long musical career that stems back to the age of four, when he got his head stuck in a irombone.

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## USB to be movie complex

## Chancellor Richard Atkin son and the UC Regents have

 made official what uspected for months: the Undergraduate Science Build ing will become a commercia movie house at the end of this quarter.Citing the state of the econ omy and recent budget cuts as the main reason for the conver sion. Atkinson detailed the plan. "It's only natural since we live in an entertianmentoriented society. Why not bring more entertainment to

Lectures have just not been drawing that well, and they appeal to such a limited audience. We are hoping to attract all age groups by showing first-run, classic and X : rated flims. The financial opportunity is there. USB2722 holds about 300 people and is aiready equipped with a screen and projection room. This will also open up more jobs for students as ticket takers, ushers Atkinson also stated that
time allows, an occasional lec ture might be scheduled Already Debbie Does Dallas Bedknobs and Broomsticks and Blue Lagoon have been set for pening week
The Chancellor is extremely excited about this experiment If this works out, then wecan convert the HL Library into an arcade and the Sundry Store into a liquor market and..." He did not comment on the cafete ria, but one can only hope it becomes an eating establish ment.
tion to Chancellor Richard Simmons-Lytle discussed the Atkinson, stating that he has beginnings of the group: "We decided to devote all his time to bolster Kiss' sagging career. Lytle explained that living the double role has just taken too much out of him and he had to make a decision Better known to millions of kids as the fire-breathing bass playing demon of the bass


New chairman Ulgar Teyatsi
were bored with the music scene, so we decided to cover ourselves in make-up and play loud noise.
Kiss went on to become one of the richest groups in music history. Their new album, The Elder, has not sold well at all and Lytle decided it was time to put more time into the group.
Lytle's friend and colleague. Thomas Nee, was as surprised at the announcement as anyone. "I've known Cecil for years and I had no idea that he was involved in a rock group. let alone a superstar group like Kiss. Come to think of it, he did take a lot of vacations."
After signing autographs, Lytle had to leave to go to a recording session but had time for a few parting remarks: "I have thoroughly enjoyed my ime at UCSD and the people
Ive been associated with and hope to return someday.


Preppies premiere
UEO will present tonight the feature length film, Attack of the Evil Giant Preppies. In this scene they are seen making sure their clothes match beforestomping on Flagstaff, Arizo na. The movie stars Tim Matheson, Ernest Borgnine, and John Belushi as Hector, the Topsider repairman. Tickets are available at the box office. Showtimes are 7:30 and 10 p.m

## The Disreguardian



Cafeterias serve up 'Ton-o-Soup'

The Muir Cafeteria staff is shown here dispensing its newest take-out specialty for students: Ton-O-Soup. According to chief cook Alf Tifoid, the new concoction contains much of the necessary iron that is so often missing from the average student's mineral poor diet
The highly volitile liquid will be prepared
daily at the Muir facility and carefuily transported to cafeterias at Revelle. Warren and Third for final distribution
One problem with the soup has already arisen, though: students who attempt to ex the library less than a half hour after eating the soup will activate the library's security alarm system

## AS votes last \$1,000 to buy second electric golf cart

By GUSTAV FLAUBERT The Associated Students Council voted last night to allo cate nearly $\$ 2,000$ to the pur cate nearly $\$$ electric golf cart, chase of an electric golf cart,
bringing the total AS fleet to bring
four.
Because the AS only has $\$ 1,000$ remaining in its general, unallocated fund, it will. have to dip into "frozen"
monies previously allocated to monies previously allocated to student organizations.
"It looks as though KSDT will be the victim, in funding source for our little project,"
according to AS President according to AS President
Jules Bagneris. "I'm sure they Jules Bagneris. "I'm sure they have no use for the $\$ 10,000$ we
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During council debate, AS

Commissioner of Student Wel- sion was held on the actual fare Reggie Williams brought up the point that the KSDT funds will not last forever, and that other sources of "emergency
To this Bagneris responded: To this Bagneris responded:
Well, we'll just find a couple of other student orgs with big allocations and slap a freeze on them. Naturally, though, we would have to have a good rea-
son to do this. Let me think

## about it

Debate on the issue mainly focused on the questions of alternate funding sources for the AS, now that they have exhausted the nearly $\$ 200,000$ in activity fees available to them at the beginning of the academic year. Little discus-
added to the AS fleet
After the meeting, however Bagneris, who has had ample practice driving the existing fleet around campus, said that the additions of the new car will alleviate the conflict between him and another unnamed council member who constantly fight over use of the cart.
"At the present time, we seem to have a problem with cart time use allocation." Bag neris said. "The head of one of the campus's leftist newspap ers always has some 'good' rea on for using the cart.
"But I always have a better reason," Bagneris smiled.

## Regents outline huge cuts

The UC Board of Regents announced last week that it will have to shut down two of its nine campuses next year in order to maintain total oper tions at a reasonable level. We must make the unfortu nate decision in order to preserve the academic integrity of the entire system," UC President David Saxon told the board.
The Santa Cruz and River side campuses are the most likely candidates for next year's shutdown, although Irvine and San Diego are also under consideration. A final decision on the matter will be made at the Regent's May
meeting.
In the meantime, a special committee of administration, students and faculty will investigate alternatives to closing down two campuses outright
One plan now under consideration is to "give" the Santa Cruz campus to the California State University system. "We would really hate to do that," said one unidentified administrator, "but we really think SC is the best because so little transition would be necessary.' Another systemwide analyst suggested that the Riverside campus be shut down 'because it's in the middle of
the desert - and who wants to go to school in the middle of the desert?" UCR is also being con idered because it is estimated hat building deterioration due to high smog levels in the vic inity will render the campus unusuable in less than ten
Although UCSD is on the alternate list for considera ion, Saxon told reporters after the board meeting that there is ittle chance that the La Jolla ampus would be closed down Wed be foolish to shut down a campus that serves as such a marvelous retirement ground for worn out professors and administrators - like me.

## EECS students take over APM

By IVAN DUNGAREE

At this hour, students con- of air ducts that lead from floor
tinue to department office after a They were also carefulls bloody coup took place there monitoring UCSD's compliyesterday afternoon. APM fifth floor office have not demands, but it is widely demands, but it is widely
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Victor Rumsey, EECS departVictor Rumsey, Eecs depart-
ment chairman, several graduate student teaching assis tants, and one department secretary. Names of the dead
are being witheld pending notiare being witheld pending noti-
fication of next of kin.
The well-armed students suffered an as yet undeter-
mined number of casualties. It s believed that several were seriously injured, however, as the leader of the invading forces, senior Alex Pournelle. requested that a doctor and a
nurse be dispatched to the scene. coup reportedly took place after students who had hours to add classes were told would be available this quarler. The angry students
reportedly left the scene. returning several minutes weapons and plastic explosives in hand
$\qquad$ officials were attempting Atkinson said he will makea find a way into the office coursect action ." petime through the extensive system before next Wednesday."


UCSD scientists display their latest find: evidence of an elephant-sized rabbit that roamed the earth nearly one million years ago. There has been some speculation that one of these
rabbit-type creatures has survived through the years and is lurking in the eucalyptus srove south of Central Lears and lurking in the eucalyptus grove south of Central Library.

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The UCSD Disreguardian Opinion

This is a disclaimer. That means we really didn't $m$

Il a joke. Really. April Fools, ha ha, and all that.
Although some real names appearing in stories may have inadvertantly slipped through our editorial grasp, none of the situations in which ar

## Stuff that Came in the Mail

## The urge <br> to regurge

## Editor:

There is something that has really been bothering me the last couple of days. I am a Revelle College student and I eat regularly in the Revelle eat regula
Cafeteria.

When I returned from vaca tion on Monday, I noticed that they were installing a new con veyer belt to take our trays back into the dishroom. Now I'm all for progress and the modern conveniences, but do welt?

I think this wouldn't bother me so much if there hadn't been other apparently useless expenditures made in the cafeteria, such as a cute nutrition newsletter and a bunch of
indoor plants. These things are nice, but they're hardly essential. And during this time, the food has not gotten better.
With With dorm costs rising about 30 percent next year, I fand it incredibly nervy of the cafeteria administration to
make the unnecessary expen ditures. Perhaps if they would ditures. Perhaps if they would just cut the superflous niceties and cook good food, things would be a lot better
I.M. Hungry

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## Editor:

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THIS CARTOON.

## An Obtuse Angle

## What America means to me

BY MIKE AHN In the year 1967, when I was young and living in a place where starving natives eat dog and there is just one Dairy Queen on the whole island, my father, who was then a bass player for Deep Purple, used to sing a lullabye to me, usually during lunch, and it went nothing like this:

Oh say can you see Warmonging imperialist death bringers
The golden evil
Brought by your plastic Santa Clauses
And your ugly love seats

And your Howard Cosells? Die, die, dogs disguised as State Farm Insurance salesmen
'Cause you better not pout, you better not cry. You better not shout, I'm telling you why,
Ho Chi Minh is coming to town.

## That's no means to me

 America. The mere mention of the land brings joyous flecks of spittle to my lips, pictures of warm sunny days, singing dockworkers, good wine...No, that's France.To understand what Amer-
ica means to me, you must listen to the Rolling Stones' Let It Bleed album backwards at 45 RPM . But there is an easier way to find it
Visit a used car lot and marvel at the variety. The freedom of choice! When I first saw those old Buicks, Dodges and Chryslers in the bright shiny sun, ten gallon tears began pouring down my roly-poly face. It is truly a blessing to be allowed to buy any car you'd ike - Toyotas, Plymouths. Volkswagens, yes, even Fords! In other not-so-free countries the proletariat is forced to buy Chevy Novas or die resisting.
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The Mason-Dixon Line

## Mushrooms make it in the Magic Kingdom

By ANGELO ROUNDTREE Foreign Correspondent Hey, finals were over and was ready to party. What better place to take a break than America's playground, Dis neyland. The first duty was to secure mass quantities of mushrooms to insure our trip to the Magic Kingdom would be enjoyable.
After this feat was accomp lished, my friends and I loaded into the covered wagon and headed north. When we arrived in Parkinglotland, we donated our change to the money-sucking attendant, and we were in. It was apparent that in reality, Disneyland is Greenland (as in "that'll be $\$ 25$, sir. ').
Once we paid at the front gate, things began to get weird, and my recollection of the following events is very sketchy. We went to Tommorowland first (or was it Yesterdayland last?). The most futuristic thing there is the food prices. They sell yesterday's burgers at tomorrow's prices and call it progress.
Space Mountain was our next stop. This is the ultimate in thrills and spills. If the space shuttle is like this, sign me up, although this waiting line stuff has to go. After two minutes of cruising through the galaxy in every position known to man, your equilibrium is totally screwed up; and when you're on mushrooms, this is not a pretty sight. I really didn't mean to sight. I really didn t mean to throw
We then made a dash to the Autopia ride, where you're Autopia ride, where you're promised toget the "real" feeling of driving. What a joke! The cars don't even have

10 year-old boy whiplash, but we weren t about to stick around and wait for the X. rays. I sure didn't want to be dragged away to Securityland I paid good money, and I wasn't about to spend all day in the Mouse House.
A good hiding place seemed to be the "America the Beautiful" exhibit. This was a freak's paradise: two squeakyclean employees delivered a nauseating speech on the many attributes of the Bell System. Fools from all walks of life were eating this garbage up. Everywhere in the park is Commercialand; whether you're at the Wonder Bread Country Bear Jamboree, or listening to healthy dosages of Goodyear propaganda, you can't escape it
We must have made a wrong turn at Fantasyland and ended up in Uglyland. When your reality has been altered, it is not fair to your nervous system to be exposed to this. We ran like hell, and snuck into the Pirates of the Caribbean. When I looked at the thing siting next to my friend, I just freaked. It was at that instant I realized the people on the rides were more frightening than the actual rides.
At every attraction they check for your coupon, but I was totally convinced they were checking for green (immi gration) cards. I thought would get a reward when I cor ralled a Mexican family, but when they kept kicking and creaming, a group of security guards dressed as Huey Dewey, and Louie came charg. ing at me. I did the only thing that came to mind: I climbed the Swiss Family Robinson
Treehouse and held an Idaho

A while later, I settled down and was headed for Big Thunder Mountain, when I who were lost and needed assistance I guided needed assistance. I guided them to Ecstasyland and...good taste and a bad memory prevent me
I finally caught

friends, who were about to get in a fight with a busload of Shriners who they thought Shriners who they thought
had taken cuts in line Mr Toad's Wild Ride Things wr Toad's Wild Ride. Things were get ting too weird.

Donald Duck was dishing out quaaludes to mothers who were having trouble managing their brats, Mickey Mouse was partying on Tom Sawyer Island with some refugees
from 'It's a Small World," and God knows what Goofy and Snow White were doing in the teacups.
When things are at the strangest, it's time to head for the Haunted House. Once again, we had to wait in Lineland, but once inside, it was a blast. The ability to throw your voice in a crowded room is such a valuable tool. A well
placed insult here, an obscenity there, and the next thing you know, you have a full-scale brawl.
I could have sworn one of the talking figures in the house was my late Uncle George, but every time I got out to talk to him , the employees grabbed me and repeated "please keep your arms and legs inside the ride at all times.

It was getting pretty late, so we decided to take the Disneyland Train around the park. After an enjoyable few minutes, an old man in an overcoat with a big briefcase and Arthur Bremmer sunglasses came aboard. We were sure he was going to hijack the train; he had "Cuba" written all over him. Needless to say, we didn't give him the chance. We could barely hear his scream as he tumbled down the hill into Bear Country
We jumped off at Frontierland, but we were too late for happy hour at the Mile Long Bar, so we decided to head for Homeland. We cruised down Mainstreet, there was a hot flick playing at the Mainstreet cinema (something about some midgets or dwarves or something), and the Palace Arcade was happening. Parents watched disgusting onecent movies, and kids played video games. (1 don't know about you, but my idea of a rood time is to come 3,000 miles to play Pac-Man).
Enough was enougn: made it back to Parkinglotland and took off I was glad we and took ong. Freas glad we we leaving Freakland, even hough 1 rather enjoyed my stay. The only regret I have is hat i didnt get to meet Annette Funicello. I was going o take her to the Bondage ride S \& Mland.
I think next break I'm going o Adultland. It is somewhere in Nevada and the rides are real and the park never closes. Well, that's how I spent my vacation, I think. Or was it in a bar in Tijuana.

Roundtree covers cultural events and places for The Disreguardian when he is not in the hospital.


[^0]:    Mrs. Ridley will speak on Wednesday, April
    at 12 noon in the Formal-Informal Lounge
    revelle Campus. Please join us.

