## Third College

## ADMISSIONS PLAN RETURNED FOR REVISION

## by Raoul Contreras

## Staff Writér

Clarification by local sources has proved unfounded the claim by a LOS ANGELES TIMES education writer that the UC statewide Board of Admissions had rejected the innovative admissions proposal for UCSD's Third College. Appearing in last Sunday's edition of the TIMES, the article recorded the unofficial presentation of Third College's admissions plan to the statewide Faculty Board of Admissions. The plan is a supplement to the standard university requirements (UC now selects most of its reshmen from among the top $121 / 2$ per cent of the state's high school graduates, determined by a com-
bination of high school grades and scholastic aptitude test bination o
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Third College planners feel that this discriminates against low-income Blacks, chicanos, and other disadvantaged students. The tentative plan places as much alue on criteria such as motivation, persistence, and potential for college success (the Background Motivation TIMES The TIMES article, which mostly quotes Paue
the Board of Admissions, is "true in saying that the Board was "reasonably favorable to the admissions ex periment but had some doubts about details of the plan," and that "We (the Board) took no formal action because it was not presented to us officially; we simply made some recommendations for changes." It also quotes Farrington as saying that the Board was looking for experiments in admissions standards because the present ones are not adequate.
However, the article then used this criterion to conclude that "the effect of the faculty group's action was to reject the admissions proposal." It states that, as a result of this "rejection," the admissions experiment would not be a part of the overall Third College Academic plan, which will be discussed by the Board of Regents at thei February 19-20 meeting, and that the "rejection ... eliminates any chance that the experimental admissions plan could be put into effect when Third College opens next fal
According to Robert Carrillo, a member of the Tnird College Planning Committee, there was never any intention of getting the admissions proposal "passed" by the statewide Admissions Committee. It was presented in
business for that session) in order to get the opinion of the
an informal manner (it was not part of the committee's committee, and recommendations for improvements and revisions
Because the admissions proposal is innovative, it was purposely separated from the academic plan. There was never any intention of presenting it to the Board of Regents at the February meeting. Because of their late start in putting the academic plan together, it has been common knowledge to members of the Third College Planning Committee that the admissions proposal would not go into effect next year. The temporary plan was to make maximum use of the university 4 per cent rule ( 4 per cent of any entering freshman class can be admitted without meeting all the requirements) in order to get a high percentage of minority students into Third College In one section of the TIMES article Farrington is quoted as being "skeptical about BMPA", implying that the proposal was too radical for the committee. However, the committee, which is looking for ways of judging student potential, was primarily concerned with lack of proof as yet that the specific plan is an accurate measure College's first class will hopefully provide proof of the College's first class will hopefully provide proof of the
value of BMPA.

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 the opponents is Senator Sam Ervin (D-N.C.)., who calls the
bill an undue invasion of privacy, and former Chief Justice
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In the last couple of weeks the Supreme Court has handed
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mean that hundred of thousands of omomot troops could be
left in Vet Nam, to be used when needed. Also, Defense Secretary Melvin Laird recently told the Senate Foreign
Relations Committee that American combat troops would remain in Vet Nam as long as any noncombat troops were
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number is over 60 would be called in February This week,
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## The "Light" on the Panthers

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on January 22 that was much more sympathetic to the Black
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EYE ON THE MEDIA
by Joel Goodman
Vandalism Hits Dorms

by Molly Selvin Staff Writer


## New Education

by Jay Sherman Staff Writer









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## Admissions Plan Crucial

to Third College Success

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academic plan. What are the issues involved? academic plan. What are the issues involved
because it will directly affect the composition of the
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have an opportunity for a university education.
In proposing alternate admissions criteria the
assume that a student's high school GPA or SAT per ability to succeed in college, especially considering that his high school probably gave him poor incentive and preparation. Therefore they have substituted a ne
measure which would also consider his background measure which would also consider his baci
motivation, and persistence average (BMPA)

We feel that this is a quite valid admissions metho
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cess. Third College was conceived with the idea that the university's commitment to minority education mu correct the imbalance society has created with respec
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ype of student, not necessarily an "inferior" student ducaeds to be tutored, but a student with different next fall will not be from the desired pool of students
with the result that progress toward the educational goals of the college may be impaired.

The opposition to this admissions variance will be
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qualified applicants are being turned away. The
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proposal that would, in their eyes, "Iower", admission equirements. Also, there is resistance from
traditionalist faculty elements who cherish the current igid admissions standards. Furthermore, the statewide Master Plan for Higher Education has diligently estabished reationships between the university, state,
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Favors Student Role

## by Roger Showle News Editor

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