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### **MEChA Allocation Dispute**

# Final A.S. Council Meeting Marked by Controversy

By MARY BETTY HEARD Senior Staff Writer

A.S. President John Ramirez's final hours as chief executive were marked by a controversy regarding a funding request by Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano de Aztlan (MEChA) during last night's A.S. Council meeting.

President-elect John Edson, Vice President Administrative-elect Ruben Duran, and Vice President of Finance-elect Sergio Langarica, along with the rest of the council selected by UCSD voters in April's elections, will take over beginning next week.

The disagreement during the meeting arose when MEChA requested an allocation of \$1,000 from the General Unallocated fund to pay for its Chicano/Latino Graduation ceremony, to be held at the Price Center Ballroom. The ceremony is a special celebration to honor the achievements of Chicano/Latino graduates.

"This ceremony is a way for the families to celebrate graduation," explained Gina Floren, the bill's sponsor.

The controversy centered on the amount requested by MEChA for its event. Council members were uncertain whether MEChA had made adequate attempts at alternate

funding, or if the group wanted \$1,000 simply because the African-American Student Union (AASU) received \$1,000 for its graduation ceremony.

The Finance Committee ruled that \$350 of the \$1,000 was unnecessary, and amended the request to \$875.

During a council caucus, Vice President of Finance Anders Roede explained the reason for the amendment.

"Of the \$1,000, \$350 is for facilities rental. But the Price Center Ballroom is free if you don't charge [for event tickets], so they don't need \$350 of the budget," Roede said.

The question of whether MEChA
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Guardian File Photos

Last night's A.S. meeting was the last for A.S. President John Ramirez (L). Fifth College sophomore John Edson (R) will lead the A.S. beginning next week.

### Kenyan Peace Advocate Speaks on Campus

### Physician Discusses Effect of Nuclear Weapons on Developing Nations

By SHERRY LOWRANCE

Guardian Reporter

Patrick Osewe, Kenyan physician and student liaison to the International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, spoke about health care and nuclear testing in developing countries Tuesday night in the Price Center.

In developing countries, Osewe said, death and disease are widespread. Illiteracy and unemployment are common, and parents often may not know how to take care of their children.

"It may be a hundred miles to the nearest health care center," he added.

According to Osewe, these problems can be found in all countries, but are especially severe in developing nations. This is because half of all developing countries are under military rule.

"Military leaders in developing countries are only interested in seeing themselves in power," he said.

"Eighty to 90 percent of the annual budget is spent on the military" in dictatorships, he

Osewe explained that as a result, no money is left for rural development, education, or other social programs.

"There is little development and growing poverty in rural areas of developing countries," he said.

People move to the cities to find employment, but encounter poor living conditions and unemployment instead. The ghettos, he explained, become filled with unemployed, desperate people.

"The ghettos become the center of crime,"
Osewe said, and in response, the government spends more money to import weapons for the police.

"It becomes a positive feedback problem," he said.

In more prosperous countries like the U.S., Osewe asserted, "money is spent on programs like the development of nuclear weapons and the B-2 bomber." He pointed out that it took 20 years and \$40 million to eradicate smallpox, but a single nuclear missile can cost \$200 million to manufacture.

"Our leaders are missing the right priori-

ties," he said. "If all the children are fed and get good health care, then all members of society can become contributors to that society."

Osewe's lecture was sponsored by the San Diego chapter of Physicians for Social Responsibility, a subgroup organization of the International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War.

The subgroup attempts to investigate the potential ill health effects of nuclear war and nuclear testing and to educate people and world leaders about those potential effects.

The International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, Osewe pointed out, formed an international commission to study the effects nuclear weapons have on people and the environment from the preliminary mining of uranium to the production of a nuclear weapon. The commission concluded that "the nuclear manufacturing countries have been hiding the facts about the effect they have on the environment," he said.

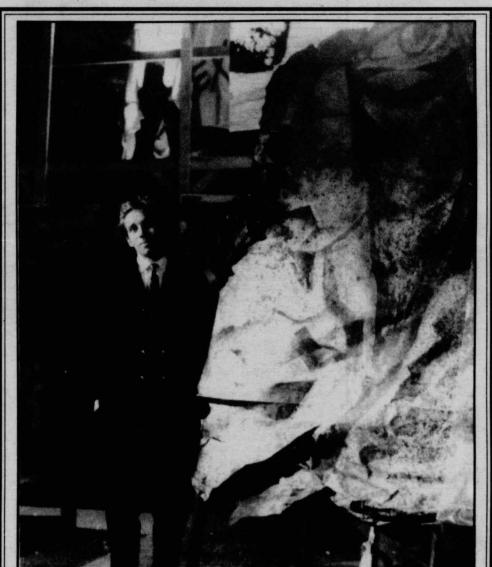
Countries that manufacture nuclear arms want to dump toxic waste in developing countries, Osewe asserted, often at the risk of contaminating food and water supplies, or destroying the environment.

"We need to preserve the environment," he said, "or else the next generation will have nothing to look at."

According to Osewe, the United States and the Soviet Union signed the Limited Test Ban Treaty in 1963, which banned nuclear weapon testing above ground. The treaty contains a clause which allows the treaty to be amended to include a "comprehensive test ban," or a complete ban on all nuclear testing, if the U.S., USSR, and Great Britain agree to it.

"The Soviet Union has said they are ready to stop testing nuclear weapons," he said, "but the United States and Great Brit-

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Bruce McKinzie plays the title role in Sledgehammer Theater's modernized interpretation of Shakespeare's tragedy "Hamlet." Story in Hiatus, page H1.

### **News Clips**



### UC Plans for Washington, D.C. Park **Halted by Local Area Residents**

The University of California has backed off from plans to develop a park in Washington, D.C. as the site for its proposed capital center, an official said last week.

Providence Park, located two blocks from Capitol Hill, is one of four sites that university officials have been considering to house a multimillion-dollar, 140,000square-foot political science academic teaching and research center with housing for both faculty and at least

Formerly the site of a hospital, the 2.4-acre park was purchased by Congress from developers in 1972 for a school and dormitory for congressional pages. The school was never built because Congress never appropriated funds for it.

The site was vacant for six years before Congress yielded to pleas from neighborhood residents to turn it into a park.

In exchange for a long-term lease of the city-block long site, the university would have footed the cost of constructing a school and dormitory to house approximately 100 congressional pages, according to Paul Sweet, director of the UC system's government relations office in Washington, D.C.

The plan to build on Providence Park has upset several hundred residents of the Washington, D.C. neighborhood near the park, who formed a group in an attempt to preserve it.

"We want a formal statement from UC that the park is no longer under consideration. We don't just want them backing off, we want it eliminated from consideration completely," said Jean DeStefano, a representative for Friends of Providence Park.

DeStefano said members of the group are planning to set up meetings with university officials to discuss their

"It is a well-used park because it is open and safe. Kids in the neighborhood play softball and soccer there," DeStefano said.

Dennis McGrann, who has lived in the neighborhood for eight years, said the center would bring unwanted congestion and traffic to the residential neighborhood.

"We're not fools," McGrann said. "It [wouldn't be] just a page school. It's a multimillion-dollar development under the ruse of a sham."

### Report Discusses Asian Role in UC

LOS ANGELES — Asians and Pacific Islanders are on the brink of a historical chance to redefine their role in the UC system, a former UCLA law student said.

Alumnus Dan Mayeda joined two UC Berkeley officials at a public meeting last month to discuss issues facing Asian Americans at both UCLA and Berkeley.

Ling-chi Wang, the chairman of UC Berkeley's Ethnic Studies Department, and Janice Koyama, Berkeley's acting assistant provost, told more than 100 people at the meeting about the Bay Area campus' strides in addressing

Wang and Koyama were part of a committee appointed by Berkeley's chancellor to study issues affecting Asian Americans. Last year, the committee released a report based on interviews with students, faculty, staff, and community members.

The report includes first-hand accounts by students of racism in the classroom and alleged discrimination in both the faculty tenure process and staff promotions.

"Asians' presence is tolerated [at the university and society] as long as they are useful, subservient, or noncompetitive," Wang said.

The Asian community at Berkeley battled that perception for years and finally succeeded in getting the administration to listen to its needs, he said. Now, he is a liaison to the chancellor about Asian issues.

The one UCLA administrator who attended Thursday's meeting would not comment on the possibility of creating a committee like Berkeley's. That would be up to UCLA Chancellor Charles Young, said Provost Raymond Or-



### **CWD** to Present Film on Vietnam War and Its Impact on America

The Committee for World Democracy will present the film "Hearts and Minds," the next in their series of political films, Friday at 7 p.m. in TLH 107.

More than simply a study of the Vietnam War, the Academy Award-winning documentary is an exploration of the American psyche and a look at cherished ideals in conflict with reality, according to the committee. "Hearts and Minds" is a study of politics and ideals, of human nature, and the nature of war itself.

Frank Gormley, a journalist, anti-war activist, and former city council candidate will introduce the film.

### **Hispanic-American Grad Students** Will Present New Play Next Week

an ensemble of graduate students from the new Hispanic-American Theater Program at UCSD, will present a new play, "The Trials of Don Edwardo," by Daniel Camacho.

The play, Camacho's third-year thesis project, will be staged May 9-13 at the UCSD Warren Theater. The play will begin at 8 p.m. from Wednesday through Saturday, and at 7 p.m. on Sunday.

The theater program's director, Jorge Huerta, will direct the new work.

relationship between a father and son."



Carmen Sosa, Luis Tristani, and Wanda Arriaga appear in the play "The Trials of Don Edwardo."

### **June Election Deadline Approaches**

Monday, May 7, is the last day to register to vote in the

administration building in downtown San Diego.

If you are a new United States citizen, will be 18 years old by June 5, 1990, have changed your residence, or want to change your political party, you must re-register. To obtain a voter registration card, call the Registrar of Voters office at 694-3400, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

### Calvin and Hobbes









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The Teatro Nuevo Siglo (Theater for a New Century),

"The play marks a whole new direction of what has been called Chicano theater," he said. "The play presents a universal idea, not just a Chicano experience, in as much as it deals with cultural and familial identity, and a



June 5 gubernatorial primary election. The Registrar of Voters office, located at 5201-I Ruffin

Road, will be open until midnight May 8 to accommodate voter registration. The San Diego city clerk will also accept registrations until midnight in the lobby of the city

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### Law Professor Discusses Problems With Racist Speech

Charles Lawrence III, profes- that "there is a heated debate in the ing of racist speech, Lawrence sium that racist speech can be campus regulated. His argument was based on the Supreme Court's decision in the 1954 Brown vs. Board of Education case, which abolished segregation.

In his speech, Lawrence said

sor of Constitutional Law at Stan- civil liberties community as to what ford Law School, argued during should be the response of this

> "There are very strong reasons for protecting even racist speech," Lawrence added.

> But the Constitution, as interpreted by the Supreme Court in the Brown case, allows for the outlaw-

"The equal protection clause last week's Earl Warren Sympo- community to racist speech on [of the Constitution] requires the affirmative deestablishment of societal practices that treat people as members of inferior or dependent castes, or as unworthy of participating in the community," Law-

> rence said. The Supreme Court's decision in the Brown case showed that the equal protection clause recognized that segregated schools were unequal because they made blacks into an "untouchable caste" and "stamp a badge of inferiority on

blacks," Lawrence said.

As a result, according to Lawrence, the Brown decision may be viewed as "a content regulation of racist speech, and as such constitutes an instructive exception to the usual rule that regulations of speech are presumptively unconstitutional."

Lawrence went on to criticize the arguments of libertarians that "racist speech is unpopular speech, like the unpopular speech of civil rights activists, pacifists, and religious and political contenders," and should therefore be protected.

"For over 300 years, I would argue, speech of a racist drive has not been unpopular in this country.... Racist speech remains a vital, horrible, popular part of American vernacular...

"It seems to many a very sad irony that many civil libertarians [have expressed] concern for the possible infringement of the assailant's liberties, while the

Later in the two-day symposium, UCSD students, faculty, administrators and El Cajon Superior Court Judge James Malkus court," in which a student filed a another student, charging that her cluded. civil rights were violated when a racist poster was put on her dormi- Whitehead contributed to this story.

A jury of high school students constitutional rights to equal edu- found the defendant in the mock cational opportunity of the assailed case guilty, by a vote of 10-2. But often go unnoticed," Lawrence Malkus found that the UC's Fighting Words Policy was "overbroad," and thereby unconstitutional.

"This policy is just too broad. It falls ... it does not comply with constitutional requirements. A took part in a hypothetical "moot more narrowly-drawn policy, if one were attempted, might be able to "fighting words" violation against [be constitutional]," Malkus con-

Chris Haddock and Nicola

### **OSEWE**

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ain say 'no,' even though 127 false, he concluded. countries have called for the ratification of this amendment." Osewe dismissed the idea that

nuclear weapons have brought war, Osewe said. Smaller counpeace to the world since 1945.

81 wars have been fought since nuclear weapons or are trying 1961, most of them in develop- to develop them. dent Richard Nixon, Osewe said, come the aggressor." In this type

According to Osewe, the U.S. use. has used the threat of using nu- "I think the threat is greater

1949, threatening developing countries 18 times. The idea that nuclear weapons are not used as leverage is therefore

Changes in Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union do not diminish the threat of nuclear tries involved in regional con-"Europe is not the entire flicts, like Israel, Iraq, Argenworld," Osewe said, adding that tina, and Brazil already have

In a regional conflict, he said, Ouoting former U.S. Presi- "one country will tend to be-"Nuclear weapons have been of a situation, the fact that a used as a diplomatic stick for a country owns a nuclear weapon increases the possibility of its

clear weapons 25 times since now than before," he warned.



Charles Lawrence III spoke about racist speech on Tuesday.





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# Opinion

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### Japan Bashing

### **Trading Insults**

It has become fashionable to regard Japan as a greater threat to America than the Soviet Union is. Attacks on Japanese are common everywhere from the op-ed page of the New York Times to "Saturday Night Live." Caricatures of Japanese similar to those from World War II are becoming almost commonplace.

What's going on? In the 45 years since the end of World War II, Japan has been a firm ally of the United States, and the relationship has been fruitful for both nations. But now there is a growing wave of nationalistic fervor over the trade imbalance and Japanese investment in this country.

It may make good political sense for a politician to whine about "unfair" trade practices by Japan, and call for protectionist measures. But it doesn't make good economic sense. The cries for so-called retaliatory measures against Japan are a return to antiquated mercantilistic economics, and stem largely from interest group politics and shameless jingoism.

The basis of modern economics is the idea that any voluntary exchange benefits both parties. A simple example: if one person goes to the store and pays \$200 for a VCR, both the store and the person benefit. The person gets a video cassette recorder that is worth more than \$200 to him, and the store gets \$200 for an item that it valued at less than \$200. Both parties profit.

So the Japanese sell us VCRs that are worth more to us than we pay for them. Or, as one humorist put it, the Japanese send us cars, VCRs and televisions and we send them little green pieces of

But, cry the Japan-bashers, the Japanese use those little pieces of paper to buy our country! That's silly; even if Japanese investment was as significant as these critics suggest (European countries own much more of this country than Japan), it doesn't matter. On the contrary, the United States is getting an even better deal: we get those goods, and then the money we pay for them is used to create jobs in this country. The Japanese are heavily invested in the U.S. stock market. That means that Japanese investors are providing capital for American companies to grow — that's something to take joy in, not cry about.

The Japan-bashers continue: it isn't fair that their markets are closed while they can sell here. That's a empty argument too; even if U.S. firms were totally barred from the Japanese market, it would still benefit us to buy cheaper goods from the Japanese. The idea that imports are bad is ridiculous. Would it benefit Iowa to shut off trade with California? To put a barrier up to the import of California wines and instead grow their own grapes? Of course not. Or another example: does it hurt individuals to buy bread from a grocery store rather than make their own?

The United States is excellent at many things. It is U.S. consultants the developing economies of Eastern Europe desire; this country still has — by far — the largest and most prosperous economy. It does us no good to waste our energies making goods the Japanese can make more cheaply, when we could be directing the energies elsewhere. Japanese trade barriers hurt their people, and benefit a few of their corporations. Japanese pay exorbitant food prices because the farmers get their government to keep out U.S. rice and fruit.

Is this the model we should emulate? Some special interests have gotten us to. Take the barriers to the import of computer chips. This certainly helped the U.S. companies that manufacture chips. But the higher chip prices had repercussions throughout the economy. Computer companies suffered because they had to pay more for chips; then the companies that use computers (try to think of one that doesn't) faced higher prices for computers and delayed upgrades; the customers of these companies faced higher prices — and so on. The diffuse harm outweighed the benefit, but since the benefit was concentrated, the special interest was able to get Congress to give it what it wanted.

This is a typical example. President Bush and the members of Congress should commit themselves to free trade. If the United States uses its power to get other economies to open their borders to trade, that would certainly be for the best; however, what is truly vital is that the Japan bashers are routed. No new protectionist measures should be put in place, those that are already there should be phased out, and limits should not be placed on foreign

Our economy is at stake. Free trade made America the most powerful economy in the world, and free trade will continue the

### **Co-op Harrassment of Tours is Childish**

Editor:

I am writing to you on behalf of a number of the campus tour guides with regard to the harassment we have been experiencing recently from members of the co-ops and the New Indicator.

Beginning in mid-April, guides conducting weekend tours have been accosted by particular co-op members while the tour walked through the Student Center. As we talked about the various student organizations, including the co-ops, located within the center, these people would try to take over the tour and impress on visitors the current problem that now faces the co-ops, that of eviction.

I would like to take this opportunity to address these students that visitors are simply visitors. They have no function as to whether or not the co-ops get evicted. Further, a walking tour is NOT the correct forum to address campus politics. I understand that if the students and their organizamembers of the co-ops, or anyone tions do not grow up in the way

for that matter, has a right to pass they handle conflict. out pamphlets, but when their activities disrupt and denigrate fellow students' work, they are

violating our rights.

I must also add that in impressing on prospective students' minds the problems on campus, co-op members are discouraging students from attending UCSD. This may be their ultimate goal, but as I and other guides see it, it is a self-defeating goal. The people who decide not to come to the school may be the ones who could bring fresh ideas to the dried well and possibly help to bring the administration and student co-op members closer to an understanding. The tactic of scaring away prospective students, in the guise of informing them, is a childish act aimed at a paternalistic administration. There can be no hope of change in the relationship be-

tween students and administration

If my complaints seem foreign to the majority of the co-op members, I am sorry to tell you this, but you need to monitor the activities or actions of students who act on your behalf but only serve to scratch away wide-based student

I have been personally accused of not mentioning the co-ops. If only the person who attacked my tour listened instead of threatening me with discriminatory charges, he would have heard me mention the said groups.

In closing, we, campus tour guides, respect and understand the position you, members of the coops, are in. Please respect our position also. We cannot voice all opinions in a tour designed to point out buildings in one and one-half hours or less.

> Joceliza Gonzaga **Campus Tour Guide** Student Outreach and Recruitment

### Race Was Not the Issue

The letter by Genetta Marie Adams ("Don't Think Racism Doesn't Exist," April 26) in response to my letter is quite inaccurate. My letter wasn't written to explain racism or abolish it, in fact I realize that racism is real. The letter was written regarding a situation that I found disturbing and that should have been clear.

Miss Adams, I think you missed the point of my letter. It was never implied that because the photographer was white she was allowed to take pictures. Her pictures were allowed because she worked for a

Noting your comment that if she were black she would be denied her pictures, I would seriously doubt she would be asked to leave and/or not take pictures due to her skin color. Miss Adams, a job is a job. Press rights for blacks are surely the same for whites. Maybe the sign you saw at the event should have a disclaimer for the press.

One other thing, do you really think the barrage of camera fire, which everyone heard, was solely white in nature? Call me crazy but I think both blacks and whites have the ability to sneak cameras past event security to get a picture of a film star/director.

Miss Adams, before you so ignorantly speak out again, looking for maggots in the woodwork reevaluate the situation and realize your own words, "racism takes many forms." I think I'll pull my head "out of the hole" as soon as you get yours out so you can help me.

The UCSD Guardian welcomes your letters and commentaries. Drop your letter at the Guardian offices (on the second floor of the Student Center, where the A.S. offices used to be) or mail it to:

Opinion Editor, The Guardian, B-016, UCSD,

La Jolla, CA 92093 Letters should be typed, double-spaced, and should include a signature and phone number. We reserve the right to edit letters for length and clarity. Deadline for letters for Monday's issue is noon on Friday. Deadline for Thursday's issue is noon Monday.



### **Spotlighting Animal Research**

Thursday, May 3, 1990

Leaping lab coats! Who would have guessed that a paid advertisement about UCSD animal researcher Dr. Zola-Morgan would rattle so many cages (pardon the pun).

In response to that one ad, the Guardian has printed a formal apology, an anti-animal rights editorial, a provivisection editorial letter, and, not one, but two pro-animal experimentation advertisements!

Could it be that the researchers protest just a bit too much? There was nothing in San Diego Animal Advocates' ad that cannot be documented. Dr. Zola-Morgan's experiments on primates are a matter of public record, and his work has been cited by the Medical Research Modernization Committee as an example of studies that do not benefit human patients.

Ichallenge Dr. Zola-Morgan to prove that his experiments have helped even

one patient. The Guardian editorial called the ad an "emotional attack"; in reality it was an honest account of one researcher's means of making a living. If animal researchers are proud of their work and the benefits they claim to achieve for the greater good of mankind, I should think they would not object to having their experiments discussed and challenged.

The laboratory doors would be open if there was nothing to hide. The days are gone when scientists were given carte blanche and had no accountability for their actions. Today's public asks tough scientific and ethical questions and demands meaningful answers. UCSD researchers are engaged in a controversial profession, and with that goes visibility and publicity. It's a sad day for freedom of the press at UCSD, but the spotlight is on, nevertheless.

> **Douglas Anderson** San Diego Animal Advocates

### Research Defense is Based on Lies

Editor:

I would like to respond to the letter from Pablo Alvarez which appeared in the April 26 issue of the Guardian, in which he ardently defends animal research and Dr. Zola-Morgan in particular. I find it quite amusing that Mr. Alvarez thinks the animal rights movement "tries to appeal to people's emotions by lying and distorting the truth.

I suppose the researchers' ever-favorite "the baby or the dog" argument is not an emotional appeal to the fear of death and disease? I suppose the advertisement from the Foundation for Biomedical Research, claiming that animal research has extended life expectancy 20.8 years is a completely unbiased statement of gospel? I suppose the CFAAR name ("Coalition for Animals and Animal Research) is not a distortion? I suppose the CFAAR logo, picturing the doctor with his arm around a child holding an animal is not a distortion?

Let's get real. The animal research industry is under siege and for good reason. Theirs are the lies and distortions. The claim that all medical progress would grind to a halt without animal studies is patently ridiculous, since animal studies comprise only one avenue of medical research.

The claim of Dr. Zola-Morgan that virtually every modern medical achievements has come from the use of animals is also ludicrous. Physicians will tell you that the real basis of improvements in human health have come from observation of human patients in clinical and epidemiological studies.

Remember that most researchers are not medically trained and are not physicians. They are simply defending their livlihood. Proponents of animal experimentation play on the public's concerns about health, all the while diverting funds away from public health programs and into animal studies. This is the reason why the vivisection industry is losing ground.

All you have to do is look around and see that the incidence of the major diseases such as cancer, heart disease and diabetes is constantly rising. This is showing people that animal research may not be all it is cracked up to be. If you want to examine lies and distortions, just listen to your local vivisector.

### The Real Story of the Videotaped Penny-Shavers

Editor: Let's clear up a few things.

The article ("Pennies From Hell," April 30) states "Even when one person rubbed a penny on a sidewalk in full view of the police station, and was actually filmed on police videotape, the District Attorney's office decided not to prosecute." It wasn't one person, it was five. I was one of the criminals. Let me describe the situation: The U.C. Police had staked out a parking lot with Officer John Cresap hiding between cars and an unknown videocameraman hidden inside a parked surveillance van wait-

wait I don't know. We drove up and began shaving pennies. Officer Cresap ran out from between two cars and told us to "Hold it right there!" He said "We've got you now! We've got you on videotape!"

ing for penny shavers. How long they lay in

Officer Bau Luu, then a UCSD parttime student enrolled in a class with me, drove up in the paddy wagon. They placed us under arrest, pushed us against the wagon

and frisked us. Officer Luu asked if we had

any guns or knives on us (we were all in shorts and Tshirts). We didn't have any. My friend asked "Don't you have to read us our rights?" to which Officer Luu replied "I'm not Maggarett. This isn't Hawaii 5-

O." Good one. We were driven to the police station in handcuffs. While filling out my paperwork, Officer Luu asked me what my nationality was. I told him I was half-Asian, and he

said, "Yeah, you guys all kind of look

alike." Another good one. Sergeant Robert Jones came in the room smiling and said, "So, we finally got them." They were all very proud. He then told us, "I don't want to say we're making an example out of you fellas, but..."

They took our pictures. They told us not to smile. They took our statements. And after they finally figured out how to take off the plastic handcuffs they had put on us, we were released. This had taken about two

A few weeks later we went to court. We had been charged with "petty theft," a misdemeanor. We found out later what we had actually committed was an infraction. Oops.

The District Attorney didn't just "decide not to prosecute." The judge didn't even bother to hear our case. We were told this kind of thing is commonplace coming from the U.C. Police — to just go back and work something out ourselves. We came back to legal services on campus and the lawyer laughed. None of us ever had to do a thing.

Later, the lawyer told me I might actually have a civil suit if I wanted to bother. I didn't. I thought the whole thing was kind of funny. My dad got a big kick out of it -"My son the criminal" he says. Two of the five of us are in law school at USD now.

The U.C. Police are bored. We gave them something big to do. Bau, John, and Robert — hope you're having big fun.

Name Withheld by Request

### **Editorial Bought Vivisector Line**

**Editor:** 

Your editorial about animal rights tactics ("Unreasoning Emotion," April 26) reveals how little you understand what the issues are in regard to animal experimentation. You have obviously bought into the vivisectors' party line, by trying to reduce the matter to a simple choice between man and animal, or as you put it, between the human dying and the monkey dying. If it were as simple as a choice between the life of a human and an animal, I assure you there would be no following for the animal rights point of view.

If every animal experiment, or if even a large percentage of animal experiments, resulted in some life-saving benefit for human beings, the animal rights philosophy could never have survived in this arena. Instead, there is a growing awareness and recognition that animal research is not a question of human life vs. animal life, but a far more complex set of ethical, scientific and social questions surrounding an established practice.

It is time for these questions to be examined in public forum, and that is what the animal researchers fear. Aside from the obvious moral questions about whether it is right for man to use animals for his own purposes, there are questions as to the efficacy of animals as models for medical research, and questions about how our health care resources should be allocated.

People are beginning to question the value of UCSD researchers studying pregnant sheep to the tune of \$170,000 while 1

in 3 pregnant women in San Diego are not able to obtain prenatal care. People question the utility of addicting animals to drugs in laboratories at UCSD, while addicts on the street wait months to get into treatment programs. People question the continued federal funding of \$10,000 per minute on animal experiments when doctors report that 80 percent of the major diseases are fully preventable by changes in diet and lifestyle. These are just a few of the many questions that need to be addressed.

As for Dr. Zola-Morgan being "targeted," I think he invited public examination of his work and his views by setting himself up as the spokesperson for UCSD's animal research and for vivisection in general. Researchers have been granted license by society to do things to animals that a private citizen would be arrested for doing. And as long as private citizens are paying the bill for that research though tax dollars, I think Dr. Zola-Morgan and every other researcher is 100 percent accountable for every aspect of what goes on behind the laboratory door.

Science does not exist in a vacuum apart from the rest of life, and researchers certainly have no right to less public scrutiny than anyone else. Much as they would prefer to perform their experiments in secrecy and without having to answer to anyone but themselves, the animal researchers are now having to defend their practices to a more sophisticated, medically and environmentally informed public.

**Denise Nichols** 

### A Clarification

This is to help clarify some of the misconceptions concerning the advertisement from San Diego Animal Advocates which ran in the April 23 issue of the Guardian.

It is Guardian policy never to run an advertisement which includes a personal attack on an individual. The fact that a certain individual's name appeared in the advertisement was an oversight on our part, and we regret the error. We printed a formal apology to the individual in question in the April 26 issue of the

We were neither pressured nor threatened by the individual or the administration into writing an apology, running letters, or writing an editorial about the advertisement.

### **Earth Day More Than Fashion** Environmentalism," April 26).

As members of the Earth Day Planning Coalition at UCSD, we felt it was necessary making a fashion statement was the last to clear up some misconceptions expressed thing on our minds when we organized the in Steven Lockman's letter ("Fashionable

Earth Day Festival. Apparently the presence of vendors selling "1960s inspired clothing and paraphernalia" at the festival disturbed Mr. Lockman, yet these same exact vendors were selling the same exact "paraphernalia" (tie-dyed t-shirts, incense, etc.) at last year's Sun God Festival, last year's Reggae Fest, and this year's Renaissance Faire; in addition, they can be found almost every week selling the same merchandise on Revelle Plaza.

First of all we would like to say that

Furthermore, we would like to mention that we added the vendors to the festival only as an afterthought to add some variety to the environmental information tables (which incidentally outnumbered the above mentioned vendors by about ten to one).

We do, however, appreciate Mr. Lockman's concern for the integrity of Earth Day and the environmental movement, and we welcome him to direct his energies into more productive channels by joining us in organizing future environmental/Earth Day

> Alice Donge Steve Ringer Jeff Karlson Lisa Rosen Tina Kwong

### Safe Politics: A Time to Speak the Unspeakable Ideas?

N EW YORK — That was quite a deal Donald and Ivana Trump almost pulled off a few days ago. The Fun Couple of the Year agreed to let each other "date" for a 60-day period without those "dates" being used in a di-

Apparently worried about the PR fallout from this "safe sex" treaty, Ivana canceled the arrangement. Too Bad. Apart from helping the sale of newspapers always a worthy cause - Donald and Ivana may have provided the breakthrough needed to revolutionize American politics.

There seems to be widespread agreement that America is in a sorry political state these days. It's not just that there's no excitement, no juice in the process. It's that even those in the center of the arena - media consultants, pollsters, elected officials - acknowledge that gridlock has snared the system.

Why? One reason is that politicians live in mortal fear of simplistic attacks aimed at them for taking any intellectually provocative stand.

Suppose you think the Social Security system needs radical reformation, such as eliminating benefits for the most affluent recipients. As sure as God made little green apples, you're going to be accused of trying to "undermine the future of our helpless

Suppose you think the death penalty is a noisome distraction from the serious business of figuring out what to do about crime. Within 24 hours of offering that opinion, you'll likely be faced with

ers, asking why

**Jeff Greenfield Universal Press Syndicate** 

> higher minimum wage may shrink job opportunities for unskilled teenagers, if you think we may need higher taxes to rebuild America's roads and bridges and railroads, if you're not convinced that sanctions against South Africa make sense anymore, then get ready to duck: Chances are good that your ideas will be met not with analysis, but with shrieks of

What I'm suggesting is a "safe politics" pact between political professionals - an agreement that would protect ideas from being trashed with simplistic assaults.

Ivana's "safe sex" agreement could be so helpful. What I'm suggesting is a "safe politics" pact between political professionals - an agreement that would protect ideas from being trashed with simplistic

Maybe our domestic entitlement programs cost too much; maybe not. But that argument ought to be fought on the facts, not on blanket assertions that a cut in entitlements means oppressing the poor (in fact, most entitlements flow not to the poor, but to the middle classes and in some cases to the quite comfortable).

Maybe our defense budget can Here's where Donald and be slashed by tens of billions of

dollars. Maybe that's not such a good idea. But proponents ought not to be assailed as selling out America's security interests for suggesting that in a world where a communist government in Vietnam is offering to let the United States return to Cam Ranh Bay, things are not as they were in 1970.

Maybe welfare encourages dependencies; maybe it's a desperately needed element of the national safety net. But let's have a debate about this question, not an inquisition to root out heretics.

Maybe the environment needs tougher regulations. Maybe it needs more market-based incentives to take the profit out of pollution. But can't we argue about this without being labeled either an earth-mugger or a tree-hugger?

In their public dispute about private matters, Donald and Ivana have offered a pathetically immature spectacle of how grown-ups should behave. But they just may have given the world of politics a splendid device for making public discourse more mature.

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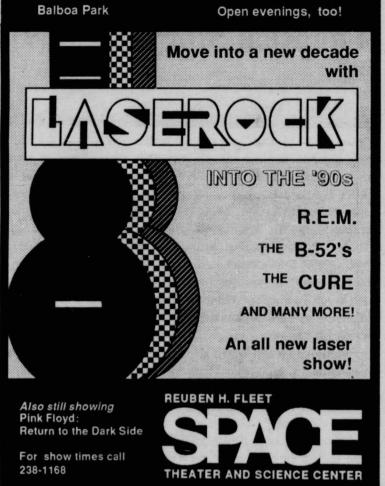
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A fair with information about security and crime prevention was held in the Price Center earlier this week, but there was only a sparse turnout.

### Lights & Sirens

A record of police actions taken from the log book of the **UCSD Police for the period April 25-May 1:** 

Wednesday, April 25:

Thursday, May 3, 1990

11:10 a.m.: A student reported the theft of a backpack, wallet, and other property from the Revelle Cafeteria last Thursday night. Loss: \$107.

3:40 p.m.: A student reported the theft of a blue 1987 Yamaha scooter from Lebon Drive. Loss: \$200. 6.22 p.m.: A student reported the theft of his calculator from Galbraith Hall. Loss: \$150. Thursday, April 26:

10:30 a.m.: A police unit recovered a stolen UCSD golf cart from Torrey Pines Golf Course. The owner

11:45 a.m.: A student reported the theft of a 1979 Toyota Corolla from a UCSD parking lot. Loss: 1:30 p.m.: A staff member reported the theft of cash from the Fifth College Residents Life office. Loss:

2:00 p.m.: A staff member reported the theft of cash from Grove Caffé receipts. Loss: \$420. 4:00 p.m.: A staff member reported the theft of music synthesizers from Mandeville Center. Loss:

7:08 p.m.: San Diego Police recovered the stolen Toyota Corolla.

Friday, April 27:

4:00 a.m.: A staff member reported the theft of an oscilloscope from the Engineering Building. Loss:

9:00 p.m: A woman reported battery to her person at the La Jolla Del Sol apartments.

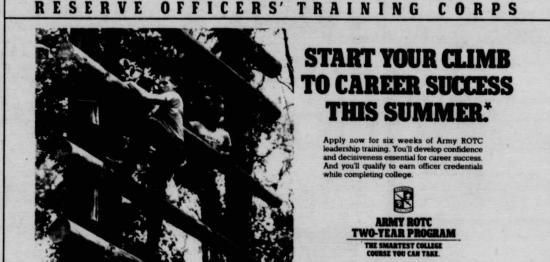
1:30 a.m.: A 29-year-old was arrested for driving under the influence after driving his 1988 Toyota into a curb on Voigt Drive by Warren Field. His 24-year-old passenger was arrested for public drunkenness. The driver was taken to County Jail, the passenger to a detoxification center.

1:30 a.m.: An officer reported vandalism to the external west wall of the Basic Science Building. 12:05 p.m.: An 80-year-old man fainted in a campus parking lot. The victim refused treatment.

10:30 a.m.: A student reported the theft of a wallet and cellular phone from his car in a campus parking lot. Loss: \$923.

4:00 p.m.: A U.S. Postal Service truck struck an Open House Banner while moving across a road near the Registrar's office, ripping a wooden light post out of the ground. The pole landed on three cars, breaking the windshield of one of the vehicles. No injuries were reported. Tuesday, May 1:

4:39 p.m.: A student was transported from the Mesa Apartments to Scripps Memorial Hospital and then to County Mental Health after a suicide attempt.



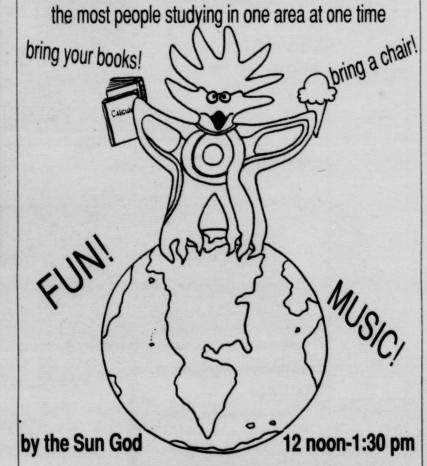
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actually needed \$1,000 for its event began during the portion of the meeting devoted to public input. Victor Nieblas of MEChA said that the A.S. had set a precedent by allocating \$1,000 to AASU, and should therefore not amend its

In an attempt to restore the request to \$1,000 from \$875, an amendment was submitted, adding \$125 to the allocation for invitations and printing costs.

"This sounds like a tit-for-a-tat attitude," Commissioner of University Center Board Jason Car-

Lobby Annex Director Stephanie DeLaTorre explained why MEChA needed the entire \$1,000.

"Just because we have asked ... provosts for funding on specific items doesn't mean we are going to get the amount we are asking for. Provosts fund for college-specific events, and this is a campuswide event, so we're running into problems. We aren't going to get the funding we need [from other sources]," DeLaTorre said.

MEChA members also cited the need for the extra funding.

"We only felt we could ask for a maximum of \$1,000 [from the A.S.] ... now we don't have to pay for facility rental," MEChA member Luis Ramirez said. "That's great. It is less of a burden on us. But we still need the \$1,000 to fund everything else. We have sent letters to the provosts, but they are running out of funds."

The bill was amended, but no

Ilona McGriff said that while she supported a MEChA graduation ceremony, she was personally offended that MEChA members would attempt to use the fact that the AASU received \$1,000 to get what they wanted. She expressed hope that MEChA members would apologize to the AASU.

"What I said was a fact and not a ploy. As far as [McGriff] taking offense, I hadn't intended it that way," Nieblas responded.

The bill was finally passed after two roll call votes, the first of which was invalidated because two members who had voted on the bill were also MEChA members.



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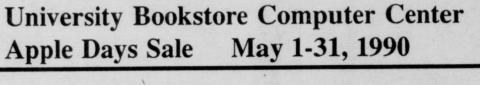
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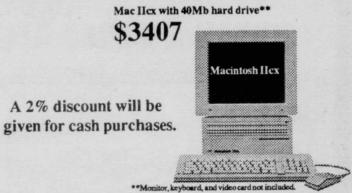
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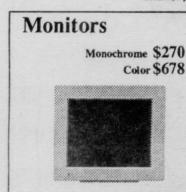


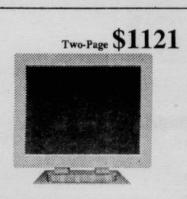






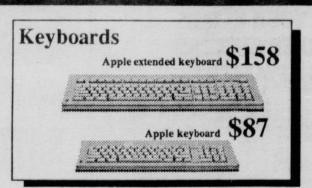












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# Features



### Fun in the Sun: Lessened Due to Risk of Skin Cancer

· Story by Ramine Bahrembagi Staff Writer

The woman was blond, blue eyed, fair skinned, and had a heavy tan. Now, 10 years later, her skin is wrinkled and leathery, and she was recently di- of the past," she said. agnosed as having a malignant melanoma, a serious form of skin cancer.

surprised by harmful and even deadly forms of cases of sunburn. skin cancer.

According to officials at the Student Health message that exposure to the sun is dangerous. Center, skin cancer is one of the most common each year in the United States.

melanoma, seem to be on the rise, as most of the body. reported 82,000 deaths from skin cancer in 1989 were due to melanoma.

skin is directly related to the extent and severity sunscreen rated with a sun protection factor (SPF) of exposure to the sun's harmful, ultra-violet rays. of 15 is usually adequate.

The effects of these rays may become visible it is therefore important to take precautions now to will burn. avoid future harmful effects.

according to Kaleen Usenik, a student health

"We would like... 'tan as healthy' to be a thing

Usenik added that there are still students who "think of a tan as good looking and healthy." She As summer approaches, inevitably more and mentioned that several physical education instrucmore people will be spending time under the sun, tors, who contacted her at the beginning of this many ending up with tanned and golden bodies. quarter, expressed concern over the number of But later in life these sunbathers could be students returning from Spring Break with severe

Even so, Usenik said that people are getting the

Experts advise that if you are going to spend forms of cancer, with 530,000 cases diagnosed time in the sun — cycling, painting the house, or just relaxing under the sun while reading a book — Cases of the most serious type, malignant a sunscreen is necessary in order to protect your

There are over 20 kinds of sunscreens, and some offer better protection from the sun than oth-The risk of skin cancer and prematurely-aging ers. According to the American Cancer Society, a

The SPF of a sunscreen refers to the relative later in life (within 10-15 years), and officials say length of time you can stay in the sun before you

See SUN, page 11

### Koala's Humor Not So Cuddly **For Some Students**

Despite Accusations of Sexism, Newspaper's Humor Still Popular

By RENEE ADAMS Staff Writer

The purpose of the Koala is to publish comedy and "bring life to this rather apathetic campus," according to Greg Waypa, co-editor of the Koala.

Even though the intent of Waypa and the Koala staff seems rather harmless, the paper has been the focus of great criticism from students. According to staff members, the Koala has even received death threats from angry readers.

Extremely popular and vehemently maligned at the same time, the Koala is an example of the difficulties involved in writing comedy on campus.

According to Per Caroe, budgetary manager of the Koala, the paper first became controversial in 1982, during its first year of publication, when it printed an article stating that UCSD was getting a Koala. football team.

ing men tried to sign up for the for the Koala.

Today, the publication is the only paper of its kind in the UC system funded by the Associated Koala staff, it is hard to recruit

neurotics, brilliant people, a lot of good writers," Caroe said. Because funny people," he added.

Perhaps to illustrate Caroe's mented: "I joined the Koala because all my fish died except one."

Many students find the Koala's brand of humor barely funny, and the paper has been attacked by several student organizations.

The Committee for World Democracy, a leftist organization, has charged that the Koala perpetuates stereotypes. The publication also regularly receives criticism from people at the Women's commented. Resource Center.

"A lot of women come to us to complain about the Koala," said Devra Polack, a member of the Women's Resource Center.

wards women. Women are disturbed that in their articles the Koala portrays rape and sexual violence as something funny, thereby promoting the attitude that rape can be tolerated.

"If you ever knew a woman

raped, it is a horrible experience for them. It is not something to be

Polack admitted that the Koala helps to relieve stress, and she said the humor paper is actually funny

laughed at," she added.

But she added that while "it is okay to poke fun at people who take themselves too seriously, such as fraternities and the A.S., it is not okay to make fun of oppressed groups who are not taken seriously anyhow. The Koala justifies treating them as nonhumans."

Polack encouraged female students to become involved with the Koala because "the opinions in the Koala are male dominated. We don't expect men to speak for us, only to be more supportive."

Caroe admitted that the Women's Resource Center is often justified when it criticizes the

"A large portion of the staff is Immediately many unsuspect- male, so of course we write about women. Sometimes we don't realteam, and the future course was set ize what the implications are of what we are saying," Caroe ex-

According to members of the women to write for the newspaper. The present Koala staff con- They said that women may be insists of "a bunch of psychotic timidated because they believe "nice girls don't think that."

Caroe said that when a questhe staff is entirely made up of tionable article is submitted, Koala volunteers, "we attract bizarre and staffers are often divided about whether it should be published.

"Sometimes we get into fights... point, staff writer Katy Tyler com- doors will be slamming [over which articles to publish]," Caroe said.

According to Koala policy, three staffers must read submitted articles. If two enjoy it, it gets published. If someone laughs out loud while reading an article, it is automatically accepted.

Sometimes possibly offensive articles must be accepted as spacefillers or because people insist on having articles published, Caroe

According to co-editor Waypa, "you grow to hate the articles after working with them. You can't tell whether they are funny any more."

"It is hard to recognize that "The Koala is degrading to-people will be reading the articles," Koala co-editor Greg Huffstutter commented. "Sometimes you write for yourself... it is hard to know what other people like."

> Said Caroe: "Sometimes we forget that we are just writing comedy See KOALA, page 11

### **KOALA: Staff Member Claims That** Students 'Want Us to be Bad and Nasty'

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Thursday, May 3, 1990

and take ourselves too seriously." around offending people. We care and do not want to make people faction," said David Hirko, presimad," Caroe said.

Nonetheless, "there are so many groups on campus it is hard not to offend someone," Huffstut-

According to Caroe, "We have a very ethnic staff. Often people do not realize that we are making jokes about ourselves... people get upset at the truth sometimes."

Said Koala staffer Tyler: "People also want us to be bad and nasty. They like the controversy."

According to Byron Morton, spokesman for the Committee for World Democracy, the Koala is not responsible to its readers because it refuses to print critical let-

"It is my opinion that if you disagree with them they will ignore you.... They should be able to stand the heat," he said.

"It is not our policy to apologize," Huffstutter responded.

However, according to Caroe, "we consider their complaints and Koala because "there is a bubbling try to apologize and explain... but sometimes [people] are extremely People can see in the Koala their

Ironically, because the Koala is However, "We cannot go "totally anti-Greek, the fraternities are the Koala's most dedicated dent of the Delta Tau Delta frater-

> According to Hirko, a former writer for the Koala, the newspaper does not promote malicious

"People take the Koala too seriously. The Koala is not that powerful. We would be taking ourselves too seriously if we were offended. Hopefully we all know better," he

Some people on campus wonder whether the Koala fulfills its purpose of being funny to all stu-

"The Koala excludes from its audience those people who need it most-namely oppressed groups," said Polack, a Women's Resource

"The Koala is arbitrarily tough on people... I do not believe it's meant to be funny," said Literature/Writing Professor Bob Dorn.

Instead, he feels people read the current of nihilism these days.

6The Koala is more like a white rap group with a mimeomachine.9

- Bob Dorn, Literature/

own doubts and fears about what's

"The Koala is definitely not a enough," Dorn continued. "The

**Writing Professor** 

newspaper. It is not insightful

Despite "the crap we have to

deal with," Caroe said, the Koala staff feels the newspaper achieves its purpose of entertaining people. "People will stop our carts. How

many people stop the Guardian's

carts?" Waypa pointed out. According to Huffstutter, many students ask for specific back issues, while others send issues to

The staff knows that many people do find them funny. "I wish I could be as funny as they are,"

Despite the controversy about its humor, the Koala has become somewhat famous. As Caroe said: "It is a symbol of UCSD."

Hirko saves all the issues of the Koala: "I like going back and reading them. They are a symbol of what college life was like at

In the newspaper's current issue, the Koala staff promises "to clean up our act. Sorta get rid of the old ways that caused us all that trouble in the past."

Whether their apparent change in attitude is a joke or not remains to be seen.

### SUN

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Among warning signals for skin cancer are changes in color or size of moles, darkly pigmented growths or spots, and unusual changes in the skin. According to experts, these should be checked

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> Also this week breast and testicular self-exams will be the subject of workshops taking place at all five colleges.

According to Usenik, skin, tes-• Wear sunglasses and loose- ticular, and breast cancers often alive after five years.

affect college students. Skin and testicular cancers can occur while people are in their 20s, she said. Healthy behavior during this time can also help prevent breast, lung and uterine cancers, she said.

As in all cancers, early detection is the key, according to experts. The American Cancer Society estimates that 76 million American now living will develop some

It is estimated that over one million new cases of cancer will be reported this year. Of those people diagnosed, 4.9 out of 10 will be

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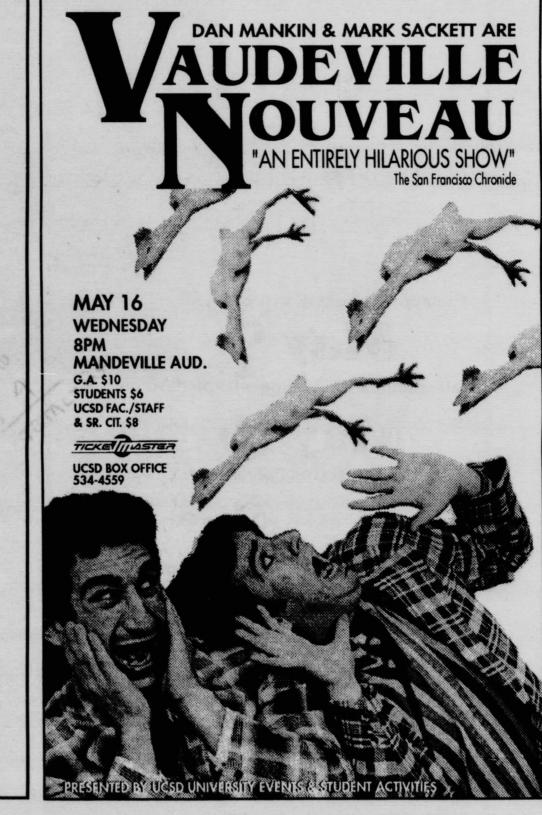
With the recent political shifts throughout Europe, the United States is determined to reduce its overall military spending—on troops, on weapons, and on research and development. These expenditures in the past have played a major role in California's robust economy. The panelists will discuss the probable economic consequences of expected defense reductions for both California and the San Diego region and speculate on possible new directions. This session will be moderated by Michael Rothschild, Professor of Economics and Dean of Social Sciences at UCSD.

James Hosek, head of the Economics Department for the RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, is a specialist in defense manpower economics. Dr. Hosek's current research includes alternative policies for drawing down force strength among other facets of military manpower supply and he has published widely on military manpower and budget topics. He is also editor of *The Rand Journal of Economics*, which publishes theoretical and applied articles concerning industrial organization, regulation, law, and economics. Larry Kimbrell, Professor of Business Economics and Director of the

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### **High School Students Participate in College Bowl Competition at UCSD**

Guardian Reporter

the Cultural Celebration outside Peterson Hall on Sunday, inside the atmosphere was serious and 16 San Diego County high schools battled for UCSD scholarships in

While the music throbbed from answer-style competitions took place (and a \$750 scholarship) went place in both lecture halls. The fast-paced matches included ques- Diego. tions about subjects ranging from hushed. About 100 students from global warming to past Academy money, funded by the UCSD

participants, coaches, and parents secutive year, Rancho Buena Vista competition.

filled the lobby of Peterson Hall High School secured second place before simultaneous question-and and a \$1,000 scholarship, and third to Lutheran High School of San

Scholarship Office, the winning La Jolla High School won the team is honored by having the name the ninth annual College Bowl. tournament and \$1,750 in scholar- of its school inscribed on a trophy Beginning at 10 a.m., anxious ship money for the second con- that is displayed at the annual

The most exciting match of the day was between La Jolla and Lutheran High Schools, both of which remained undefeated until near the end of the tournament.

The regular 14-minute question period ended in a tie after the lead had changed several times. The La Jolla team answered the In addition to the scholarship tie-breaking question correctly in overtime, and remained undefeated throughout the rest of the tourna-

> Torrey Pines High School, which has won the tournament three times in the past, was disap-

pointed by losses to University City High and Lutheran High and

Lutheran High School, which did not make it past the preliminary competition last year, was the surprise team of the day. It won consecutively throughout the day, but finally lost to the two top

Lee Kelly-Gillen, coach of Rancho Buena Vista High School, was pleased by her team's move forward from last year's third place position to second place this year.

See BOWL, page 13

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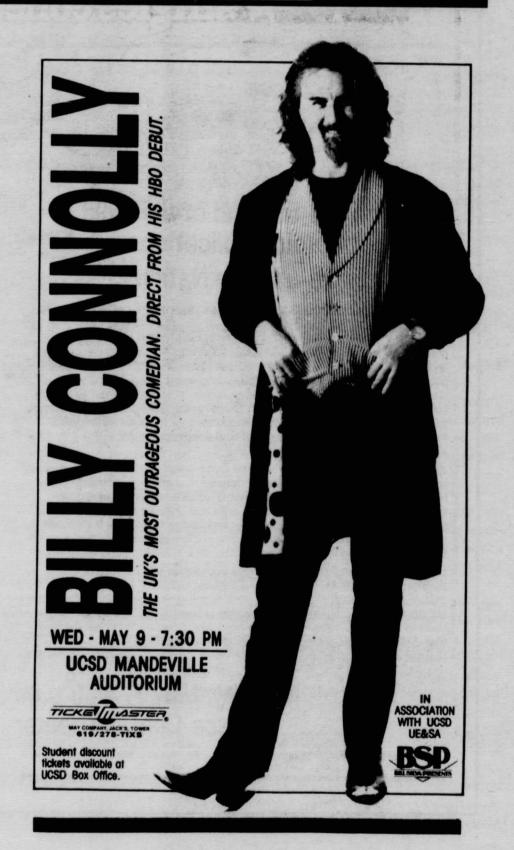
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### **BOWL**

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Thursday, May 3, 1990

A veteran of the competition, Kelly-Gillen also coached the Vista High team in 1987 when it won the tournament.

A committee of approximately 20 UCSD students, most of whom high school students, organized the event and also worked throughout the day as timers, moderators,

scorekeepers, and judges.

Student Outreach and Recruitment (S.O.A.R.) hosted the competition. S.O.A.R. member Liora Gutierrez and Revelle College Dean Ernie Mort, founder of the contest, coordinated the event.

Bill Stiles from S.O.A.R. stood in as substitute coordinator for the participated in College Bowl as day and worked with the student volunteers to make the matches

Although the first place team team's second-place win.

can divide the \$1,750 in scholar ship money among all team mem-

bers who will attend UCSD in the fall, no student in La Jolla's High's team plans to attend UCSD. Instead, the money will be saved for the school's College Bowl team next year.

Rancho Buena Vista High School team member Thien Din will study at UCSD next fall and will receive the full \$1,000 for the



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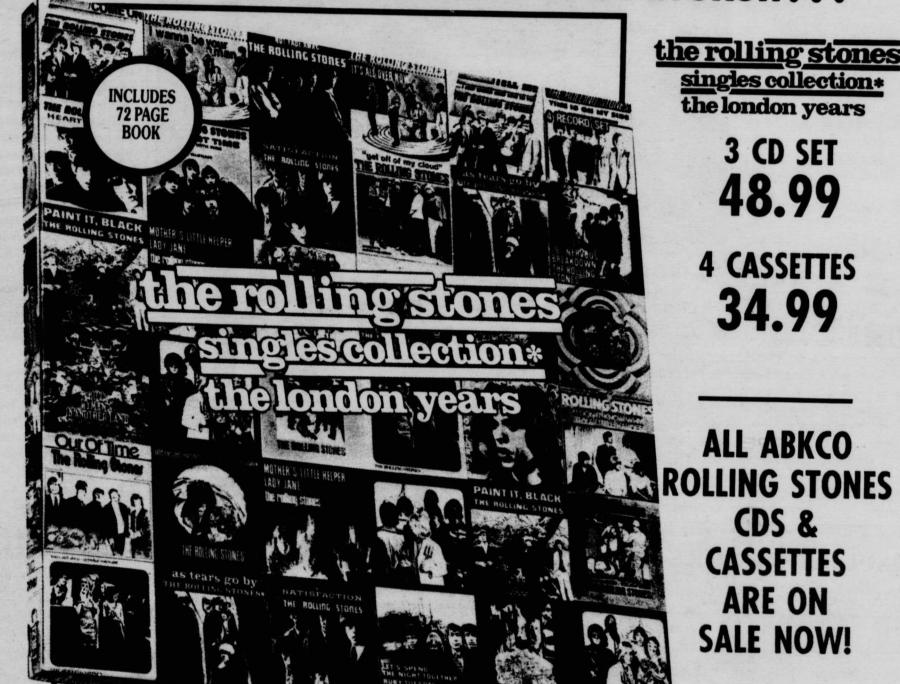
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### USA COLLEGIATE WOMEN'S WATER POLO NATIONALS

### Unbeaten and On a Mission

By DOUG SHADDLE Staff Writer

Teams have been known to take a loss and build on it as a learning experience. The loss becomes known as a characterbuilder.

The 1990 UCSD women's water polo team has to go back quite a ways to find a loss.

In fact, the team's last defeat was about this time last year - in the National Championship game, when the Tritons fell one goal short to UC Santa Barbara.

This weekend, the heavilyfavored Tritons (21-0-2, 24-0-2 including exhibition games) look to advance, once again, to the championship game.

This time, they expect to win it

"It comes down to this." UCSD Head Coach Denny Harper said. "We'll have to play really bad and some other teams will have to play really well for us to lose."

UCSD heads to Brown Uniland as the top seed in the eight Saturday morning. team National Tournament.

Other top seeds are UCSB, UC Davis, and Slippery Rock having defeated the Gauchos 9-State of Pennsylvania. Harvard, 7, 6-5, and most recently, 12-8. Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, Michi-

ment against eighth-seeded ping us." Brown, and do not anticipate any problems until they meet UC to victory is the Tritons' tena- iors Toya Ellis and Amy Halley

Loma Nazarene College on Tuesday.

with wins over Biola, 4-1, and Point Loma, 13-1.

Crusaders shut them out in February, 2-0.

UCSD with a losing streak and injuries to several key players.

no time in taking apart the injury-ridden Crusaders. In the bottom of the

first, Joe DeFranco cracked a triple off PLNC starting pitcher Tom Martin. DeFranco scored on Fisher's RBI single. Ted White also picked

With Dann Eaton on the hill, the Tritons used solid pitching and

The defense only faced one real challenge on the day, and that came

in the top of the fifth. Crusaders John Fritz, Craig Gastineau, and Brad

By SRINATH SANDA

Eagles and the Crusaders.

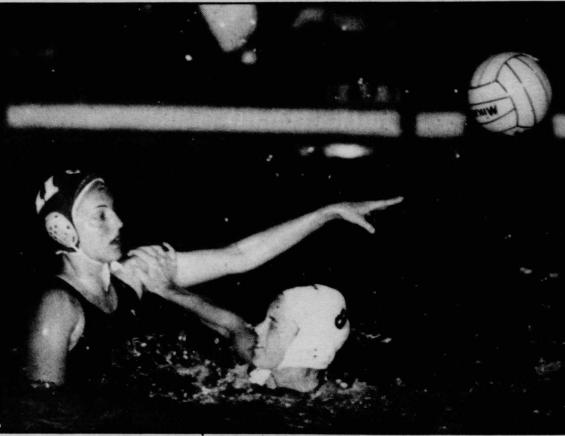
Biola to just two hits.

Ernie Isola went 3 for 5.

up an RBI in the inning.

fielding to hold off the Crusaders.

Staff Writer



Toya Ellis and her scoring prowess will be one of the keys for UCSD in the national tourney.

UCSD is 3-0 against UCSB in regular season play this year,

"It's difficult to beat anyone gan, and host Brown round out four times in one season," Harper said. "But if we handle Santa

According to Harper, the key

First the good news. The UCSD men's baseball team scored a total of

Now, for the bad news... well, you're going to have to check with the

17 runs in its two games against Biola University on Monday and Point

Jefi Paulsen.

to beat," he said. Offensively, Harper expects his team's varied attack to be

"Our offense is so varied, and comes at you from so many di-The Tritons open the tourna- Barbara, I don't see anyone stop- rections, it's a great scoring threat," Harper said.

Baseball Cranks Offense Back Into Gear; Routs Biola, PLNC

He said that he expects sen-

Tritons Break Out for 17 Runs on 30 Hits in Two Games; Improve Chances for Postseason Tournament Bid

versity in Providence, Rhode Is- Santa Barbara, most likely on cious defense, led by senior goalie to have some impressive games. The Tritons finished second last "If Jefi plays well, she's hard year and third the year before.

> The last time UCSD won the National Championship was in 1986, and, according to Harper, this year's team is better and wants

> > "The team has been rather business-like all season, but now it's gearing up for playoff time...I don't see anyone beating us," he

### **Men's Tennis Escapes With 5-4 Victory Over PLNC**

By DANA CHAIKEN Sports Editor

Although the UCSD men's tennis team's match was just across town at Point Loma Nazarene, a glance at the lineup might lead one to think that several of the Tritons' top players got lost en route.

Either that or they arrived just in time to jump into their respective doubles matches.

In UCSD's 5-4 victory on Tuesday, only two of the Tritons' singles mainstays competed in singles, as Head Coach Jon Hammermeister "left the top guys out because it was the last match, and I wanted to give the lower guys a chance."

In the top singles match, Triton Chris Belloli, ranked 34th nationally, became the latest victim to Crusader Hans Hoegstedt. The latter, who downed Belloli 6-4, 6-4, is undefeated against UCSD (12-10, ranked third nationally).

Alan Yap and Carter Hedrick, at number two and three singles, both made the most of their first matches before falling in three sets.

Mike Rintala, Brian Beattie, and Jeff Beathard all cruised in two sets in the last three singles matches.

Belloli and Sig Huber, ranked third nationally as a team, fell in the top doubles match, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

Francois Monnar and Tim Ditzler won in three, and Beathard and Randy Char scored a match-clinching victory, 7-6, 6-2.

### Women's **Novice Eight** Finishes 2nd at Miller Cup

Thursday, May 3, 1990

Saturday at the UCLA-sponsored Miller Cup Invitational in Bologna Creek at Marina Del Ray, the UCSD novice eight finished second to UCLA in the finals of the women's eight division.

The women's novice four boat of coxswain Amy Rasner, Margie Wulptang, Megan O'Keefe, Jenny Andersen, and Dee Williams rowed to a personal best time, but still finished 10 seconds behind the winning boat from UCLA.

In the qualifying heat featuring the Tritons, UCLA and Loyola Marymount B, the women's eight of coxswain Heather Carlson, Wendy Conner, Emily Ford, Carol Wright, Lori Lovejoy, Erin Adams. Hilarey Findiesen, Erika Ostrander, and Kim Coles rowed to a second place finish behind the Bruins and, along with UCLA, advanced to the finals against the winner from the first heat, Long Beach

The 49ers outsprinted the LMU A boat and San Diego State to reach the championship.

-PETE KO

ON THE HOMEFRONT... HIS WEEK'S DON'T MISS EVENT

WHAT: Track and Field.

**UCSD Last Chance Qualifier** WHEN: Saturday, All Day, eginning at 10 a.m. WHERE: Triton Track Stadium on North Campus WHY: In the next-to-last meet of the season, UCSD track and field members will be seeking to qualify for the Division III Nationals in their respective events.
In addition, the meet will

have an international flair, as world-class athletes will compete. Scheduled to appear are Brazilian quim Cruz and American Ocky Clark in the 800 meters, Americans Steve Scott, the national recordholder in the mile, and Dub Myers, a former NCAA mpion from Oregon, in the 1500 meters, Canadian discus throwers Ray Lazdins and Rob McManus, who train in San Diego, and a contingent of Estonian avelin throwers who are reparing for the European

### FROM LEFT FIELD...

By Dana Chaiken, Sports Editor, and Peter Ko, Associate Sports Editor

Long-lasting sentiment: According to Intramural Director Scott Berndes, Pryatel Field, the field in front of the Warren apartments that isn't named Warren because there is another field on campus named Warren, will soon be torn up.

That is, if you consider five years soon. Berndes said the field will be the site of some more of those beautiful, highly attractive buildings sprouting up all over campus

The plan to build has already been approved.

The field was named after Charles Pryatel, who died of a heart attack over ten years ago while jogging on what was then just an empty lot, Berndes said.

According to Berndes, Pryatel was an employee in the equipnent cage at the time, and the P.E. Department decided to name the new field in his honor.

"There was a ceremony... His family was there—it was a pretty entimental moment," Berndes said.

Something's missing: The new baseball field doesn't have a name. The softball field is also nameless, as is the new track. The Main Gym has been called at various times Triton Gym and Triton Pavilion.

Is there a trend developing here?

But, then, if they give it a name, they might have to tear it up and ut up a building.

White House vibes: On a happier note, we would like to point

ut that Nancy Reagan plays for the UCSD women's lacrosse team. Aptly named: In the recent Pac-10 men's tennis champion-

ips in Ojai, UCLA's Jason Netter pulled out the title.

The reason is obvious: San Diego Padres first baseman Jack Clark, a former Giants player noted for his dislike of Candlestick Park, wonders why the fans in San Francisco still hate him so much. Maybe it's because he makes empty-headed, shoot-off-yourouth statements like:

"You know, I really can't stand [Candlestick Park]. It's too bad the earthquake didn't take this place down, too. I can't even bring my family here anymore, the way the fans act. It's unbelievable the abuse my family took here."

Too? People died, and he wanted more destruction? Nice to see that he has some concern for the 60,000 people who

were in the stadium during the quake. Wonder how Clark would have felt if his family had been at the

Huh?: According to Harper's magazine, the estimated number of college coaches on a shoe company's payroll is 100.

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By PHIL GRUEN (Phil is currently 21-16) The Kentucky Derby

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### Together, they scored a combined total of two runs on 11 hits, as UCSD (18-15-2) strengthened its position for a possible postseason bid Opening at Biola with J.J. Fisher on the mound, UCSD played some of its best defensive ball of the season according to Head Coach Lyle Yates. Fisher (2-5), who went the distance for his second victory, held The Tritons were also solid at the plate as both Henry Jimenez and In addition to the motivation of improving their chances for a possible regional bid, the Tritons also had a small incentive of revenge as the This time, however, PLNC (15-30-1), an NAIA school, came to The host Tritons, who racked up 21 hits in just eight innings, wasted

Hardan all managed to find a hole in the Triton infield between third and Although this Triton batter saw fit to lay one down, or up, UCSD hitters broke out of a recent slump with 30 hits and 17 runs in two games against Biola and Point Loma Nazarene earlier this week.



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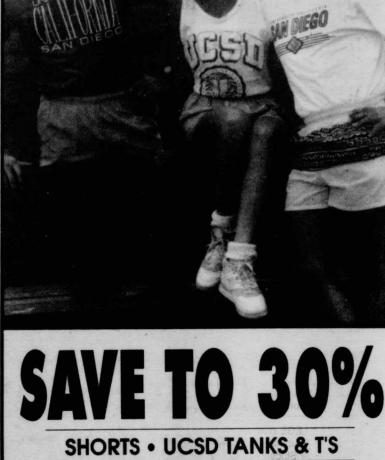
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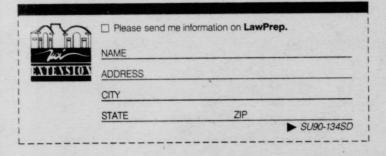
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### IN THE BLEACHERS by Steve Moore



"Give me a dollar, Henry. I want to know what the hell's going on.

### BASEBALL Continued from page 14

short with singles to load the With the bags full, UCSD's

defense prevented a run with a force play at home. Eaton (4-2) also came through, striking out Mike Ippolitto to stave off the

The Tritons' offense which has been anemic of late, continued with its new-found life, blowing the game open in the bottom of the sixth with five

Crusader challenge.

DeFranco, who went 4 for 5, and Fisher opened the inning with an RBI single apiece. In addition, Emie Isola, who went 3 for 4, slammed in two runs with a single off PLNC relief pitcher West Rekeda.

Dave Ligerman also contributed an RBI single to conclude the Triton scoring.

The top of the eighth saw the only defensive breakdown for the Tritons. With relief pitcher Ryan Flanagan on the mound, Point Loma's Hardan scored the Crusaders' only run of the afternoon on a triple and an error.

Flanagan and the Triton defense, however, maintained their composure and held Point Loma hitless for the rest of the game.

"We played a well-balanced ball game [against PLNC]," Yates said. "I think that we need to play this well going into our big doubleheader against The Master's College this Saturday."

The doubleheader at The Master's will be the last two games UCSD plays before the Division III playoff committee awards berths on Sunday.

A strong performance would greatly increase the Tritons chances for a regional berth. "We are in the race as much

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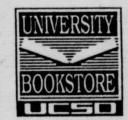
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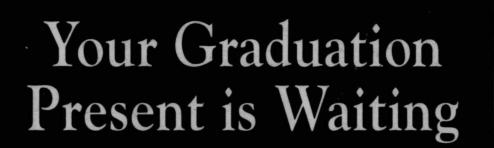
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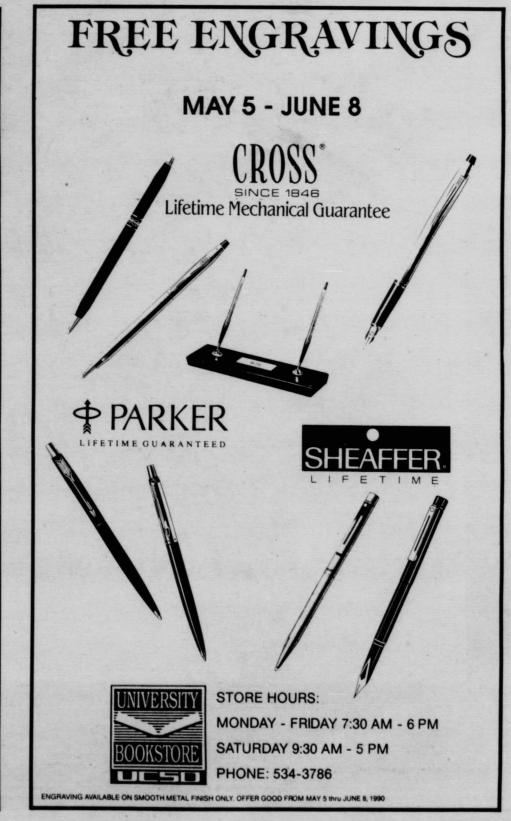


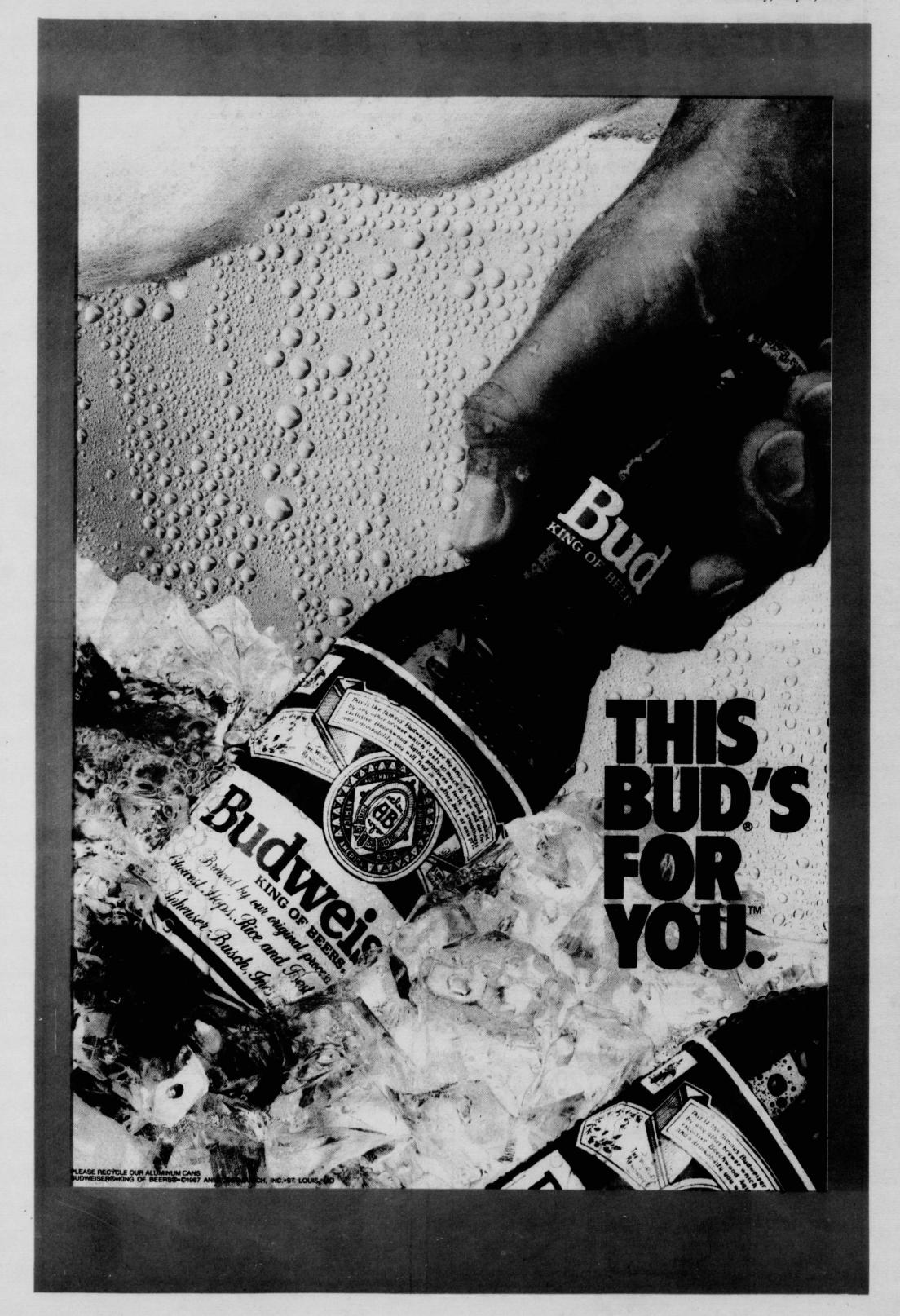


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# New Shakespeare Shew Shakespeare front row who left even before the scene - this is p

Take unconventional and uninhibited, then add unabridged and you have the Sledgehammer Theater's current production of "Hamlet." Directed by Scott Feldsher, one of the theater's cofounders, this unique production uses various periods of the 20th century as a backdrop for political turmoil in Denmark.

The play opens in what appears to be a World War II setting and evolves into a Denmark reminiscent of a dictatorial South American Country. A large mural of the newly instated King Claudius hangs above the preserved military-clad corpse of the former king, Hamlet. Camera crews rush in for Claudius' state address and TV monitors on the sides of the stage show propaganda films of Claudius at work "building a better Denmark." This is not orthodox Shakespeare, and although the play stays true to the text, some of the interpretations may have the writer turning in his grave.

Perhaps meant as an ironic twist, the ghost of King Hamlet looks very much like a Harleyriding Hell's Angel. Hamlet's mother, Queen Gertrude, is a platinum blonde June Cleaver with a sex drive. Hamlet's school friends Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are quintessential yuppies, complete with neckties, glasses, and a proper desire for cash and conformity.

Then of course there's Hamlet, a likely candidate for therapy. He is, in a very modern sense, the troubled teenager. The future king of Denmark is spoiled, violent, and sexually confused and, unlike many

Although he's obviously in turmoil, it is difficult to feel sorry portantly, believable. for this particular Hamlet. He looks



Sledgehammer Theatre Presents an Updated, Modern Version of Shakespeare's Classic 'Hamlet.' reviewed by Marie Pasternak

like a surfer, has a very cocky sense Hamlet's mental decline, provid- with the sexual, character. Of of humor, and gives the impres- ing such reasons as "Hamlet the course, he's not the only guilty sion of being the victimizer rather victim of melancholy," "Hamlet party. Kinky Queen Gertrude and that this is a bad interpretation. In "Hamlet the victim of the Oedi-very interesting and insightful - like the elderly couples in the call 235-8025.

of the show.. He's physical, very Sledgehammer's Hamlet, but there energetic, articulate, and most im- is definitely a motif of sexual deviation. This tormented Hamlet is somewhat overextended. For years, critics have pondered a bisexual, incestuous, preoccupied

interpretations of Hamlet's char- fact, actor Bruce McKenzie's por- pus complex." None of these ex- interpretation of their relationship. acter, this is not a sympathetic trayal of Hamlet is the high point planations quite fit Laertes, with sister Ophelia, suggests a possible instance where brotherly love may have been

cate sexual overtones which tell in a unique way that in fact, "Something is rotten in the state of

Hamlet's nude scene - this is perhaps not a recommended produc-

Because Sledgehammer calls itself, "A group with whom irreverence seems to be a point of departure and insanity a virtue," it is no surprise that "Hamlet" takes a break from convention. It is this break that makes Sledgehammer's production particularly worthwhile. Retaining the complete text, the play has been completely manipulated to fit into an eclectic contemporary genre which actually makes sense. A the same time, however, adherence to the text is what creates the biggest problem in the play. The show boasts of being performed virtually uncut, and because of this, it is very long. Just watching it is taxing. This is largely due to the content and language, but taking away some of the action and non-verbal embellishments might help to shorten the production, making it a much less draining experience.

The characters were well cast. Actor Robert Larsen provided a particularly notable rendition of the dishonest Polonius, giving him a repulsive and shifty sort of 'Chronic Liar' quality. A problem arose, however, in that many of his important lines were unclear. This occurred with other characters as well, particularly the Ghost of King Hamlet, whose speeches were often completely

Sledgehammer Theater's production of "Hamlet" is not for everyone. It's not light entertainment, and it's not for people who hold highly conservative views. The acting is very good, and the interpretation is entertainingly creative. For Shakespeare fans, it The production is full of indeli- once again proves the writer's unceasing ability to transcend time.

"Hamlet" will be appearing at the Sixth Avenue Playhouse until than the victim. This is not to say misled by the ghost," and even her new partner Claudius give a Denmark." If you're easily offended May 13. For ticket information

Inside this week's issue



Photo: A review of Bernard Plossu's exhibit at MoPA.



Film: 'Trop Belle Pour Toi,' a new french film at the Guild P4

### **ERRATA**

It's amazing how dancers can flex their muscles, defying gravity with a mere flick or twist. Sort of like their schedules. These things just sort of happen and before you know it, those dancers have disappeared. O.k., it wasn't the publicity department's fault. It's not HIATUS' fault either.

Because of unforseen scheduling problems, the dance company MOMIX will not be performing at the SDSU Aztec Center tomorrow night.

According to the troupe's publicist, the group will perform in San Diego but the specific date has not been established.

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# On The Local Scene

BY PAULA CORREA

Contributing Writer

Some time ago I happened to walk into a San Diego nightclub and catch the last few songs of a four piece band, headed by the wildest, raunchiest chick I'd ever seen.

I know now that this band is Night Soil Man, one of this town's most successful up-and-com-

almost makes you want to lose control over all conscious reflexes. That feeling

is only heightened when guitarist E. Raymond S., bassist Mike Soil, and individual's imagination. Rosebud believes that stage with their hard-driving sounds and rhythms.

Night Soil Man is not just a frenzy of guitar. and drums. Their sounds range from the sinister punk-like style of "Heeyna" to the sweet mystical sound of "Time to Die," to the funky rhythm of "Rape the Mother" - all of which can be found on their newly released independent LP titled Garden of Delights.

"Though the record has been doing pretty well," said guitarist E. Raymond S., "we are a live band.... [Our showl is very energetic, we all throw ourselves into it one hundred percent."

The common denominator for Night Soil Man shows is "energy," and what that energy evokes in the audience.

"In this band I get so fucking absorbed in the energy of what we are playing, and the people that we are sharing that energy with," rosebud said. "It's what you bring out in the crowd and what they bring out in you.... It's a very mutual relationship."

"And in a way, the audience is performing for me too," Anthony added.

Night Soil Man shows are not for people with a heart condition. According to E. Raymond S., "We've been told that [our] music creates a lot of tension [within individuals]... A lot of people will stand there and watch us, and get drained."

Rosebud also pointed out that the feelings their music evokes in their shows is a form of release for Singer/guitarist rosebud's wild stage presence many people, even if they just stand there and watch, and not necessarily

> Night Soil Man move around.

Night Soil Man basically leaves it up to the

drummer Mark "Knods" Anthony explode on "nothing is completely pure in its essence, and

Anthony affirmed, "Every piece of music I've ever heard has influenced me.'

"All we do when we play and write music, is just do what feels good. That's about where it's at,"E. Raymond S. concluded.

Those who need a definition of Night Soil Man's sound, or a comparison to some already established big-name band in order to decide whether this band is worth seeing, won't get one. All you get is asubjective description of their "flavor," which, according to E. Raymond S., "is definitely grape."

Night Soil Man will be performing Friday, May 4, at the Casbah with L.A.'s Red Temple Spirits.

On the Local Scene is a weekly column featuring bands rom the San Diego area. If you have a band who would like to be covered, please send a demo tape, biography, photo, nd the name/number of a band representative to: UCSD Guardian/HIATUS, B - 016, La Jolla, CA

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Sushi Presents NEOFEST

### **Artists Tease Concepts**

BY CHRISTINA HUIZAR Senior Staff Writer

"LIGHTS," a deep thundering voice from offstage proclaimed. Suddenly all the lighting, which had been laboriously set for a specific mood, was extinguished. So began what dancer/performance artist Ishmael Houston-Jones referred to as the "conceptual tease" tive pieces incorporated more than of a black man, dressed in black, dancing in the dark."

Houston-Jones' performance of "The End of Everything and Other Dances" started out the Sushi Performance Gallery's eighth annual NEOFEST Festival of the New Arts. NEOFEST will feature seven

newdance, interdisciplinary works, and experimental theater. NEOFEST will run six consecutive weekends through June 2.

This past weekend, NEOFEST opened with performances by dancer Houston-Jones and comedienne Terry Galloway. Houston-Jones' three separate, very innovajust dance; the dancer utilized video, clothing, a cinder block, and spoken text to portray his message of turmoil.

Despite her hearing impairment, Galloway presented an exciting monologue with several

better haircut and more interesting shoes."

Not quite fitting in anywhere, and Che Meet Los Bookies de Galloway discussed in her perform- Norte," a mix of performance art ance the feelings of exclusion from and vaudeville/carpa with a little the deaf world she experienced because she does not speak sign language, and from the hearing world because she is deaf.

NEOFEST will continue this weekend with Richard Elovich's "If Men Could Talk, The Stories They Could Tell." Elovich's performance presents Danny Glick, a controversial clod who is a comic book illustrator fighting for his life through the support of his doctor,

The following weekend, May 11-12, NEOFEST will present Llory Wilson and Dancers at the Lyceum Theater in downtown San Diego. Wilson's group was inspired by the paintings of Mexican artist Frida Kahlo which show the artist lying in bed after suffering a horrible accident. These portraits were translated into an emotional layering of movements where dancers perch precariously on fixed, upright copper poles, testing the limits of gravity, the human body and spirit.

Also to be featured at NEOFEST is Dan Kwong's "Secrets of the Samurai Centerfielder" (May 17-19), a physical, vocal, photographic, and musical look at racism with baseball serving as an character sketches, sometimes extended metaphor. Pat Oleszko events including performance art, autobiographical, always energetic. will present a mixed media show of

Galloway stated, "I'm not sure I'm various classic and contemporary is scheduled to be performed at the qualified to be a performance art- influences, "Bluebeard's Hassles: ist; I always thought I'd need a The Writhes of the Wives," on May 24-26. On the final weekend, June 1-2, Culture Clash's "Frida

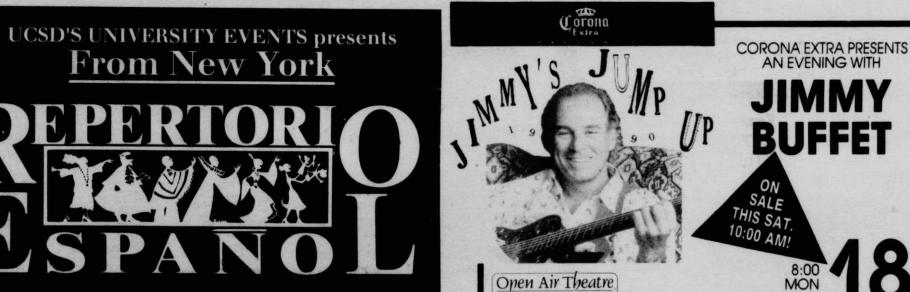
rap and improvisation thrown in,

La Jolla Museum.

PERFORMANCE: Various artists, NEOFEST, every weekend at the Sushi (except as indicated), 852 Eighth Ave., downtown San Diego, 8 p.m. For further information, call



"May divorce be with you": Oleszko challenges convention.





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### A Beautifully Bizarre Affair

BY AMY KNOKE

Contributing Writer

Bertrand Blier's new film, "Trop Belle Pour Toi" ("Too Beautiful For You"), recently opened at the Guild Theater. The film is a rather unusual romantic comedy that focuses around an even more unusual adulterous affair.

Bernard (Gerard Depardieu) is a successful businessman who spends his days buying and selling sleek BMWs at his dealership and spends nights with his stunningly attractive wife, Florence (Carole Bouquet). Filling Bernard's need for a temporary secretary, Colette (Joseane Balasko) arrives on the scene and emotions immediately begin to erupt from all three of the characters.

Blier adds an unconventional twist to a sometimes predictable relationship when Bernard becomes completely obsessed with Colette, who is plain dowdy and overweight, the physical opposite of his wife. Bernard is married to the woman who should be his mistress and in love with the woman who should be his wife.

The film moves quickly from scene to scene and Blier throws the audience into the fantasies and thoughts of the characters without the slightest hint that he is doing so. The struggle to figure out what is reality and what is not turns out to be darkly humorous and unsettling at times. At a dinner party, Florence's dress goes back and forth from her white wedding gown to her black evening attire as she openly apologizes to her guests for

FILM: "Trop Belle Pour Toi," starring Gerard Depardieu and Carole Bouquet. Directed by Bertrand Blier. Playing at the Guild Theater.

herphysical beauty. Anotherscene shows Florence confronting Colette while a painting of a cat and a mouse deliberately hangs on the wall behind her. Blier uses all sorts of devices, such as the hauntingly sad music of Schubert, to constantly keep the eyes and the ears of the audience alert.

Fortunately, the slight confusion that is created is positive and is not allowed to distract any at-

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tention away from the theme. Bernard felt fortunate to have been able to marry a person of physical perfection, such as Florence, but he slowly became both intimidated and bored with her and opted for a relationship with Colette, one that he could easily be in control of. He skillfully uses his affair as a dagger with which to wound his wife over and over again, desperately trying to reduce her inner beauty to nothing, the only beauty he knows ie can alter. Bernard makes no attempt to conceal his liasons an lis granted marital freedom when Florence asks him to take Col: tte on a trip so that he could actually live with his mistress.

The couple travels to the south of France where they stay at the uninhibited house that once belonged to Colette's parents. After being together for only two days,

Bernard comes to the conclusion that both the conversation and the sex are becoming tedious, and he makes plans to escape back to his wife as soon as his lover falls asleep. Although one might hope for a conclusion filled with compassion and understanding, the audience once again gets a dose of how Bernard can slap both women in the face while he tries to salvage both of the relationships.

This film is most successful in that Blier chooses not to single out one of the characters and make him or her the villain. The characters are all quite aware of how they are treating one another and are even painfully aware of the consequences that await them. Colette is not a school girl who unknowingly becomes seduced, and it is closer to the truth to say that she initiated the affair. It is even without effort that one could withold pity towards Florence, for her shallow personality and mockery towards Colette's physical appearance creates an apathetic relationship between her and the audi-

Blier's approach to adultery is certainly unique and is worth exploring. The film is bound to leave the viewer both amused and uncomfortable from being jerked in and out of people's desires and fears concerning their most intimate relationships. Though perhaps what is most disturbing is when we see our own prejudices against peoples' physical attributes displayed so truthfully on a screen before us. "Too Beautiful For You" emphasizes those prejudices and yet delivers that sour pill with a bit of off the wall humor that combines to produce an unforgettable

otypical perceptions of different

cultures, Plossu shows people as

they really are, going about their

everyday lives. Unlike traditional photographers, Plossu does not

wait for the "perfect" shot; in-

stead he captures real life as it develops. Despite the ordinary set-

tings of his photos, Plossu's work

they were taken extemporaneously, on the spot, the photos seem to come alive with the spon-

The photographs capture not

With the intensity comes a

feeling of warmth; the people in

the photos are depicted playing,

touching, smiling — no despair

or depression is expressed by his

can also be attributed to his use of

light. His style changes with the

The richness of Plossu's art

only the sense of activity but the

intensity of the action as well —

a very rich slice of life.

### Flat 'Vital Signs'

BY CORY MATTHEW LIDSCHIN

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Judging from the previews, "Vital Signs" may appear to be an exciting movie. It combines the fast-paced world of medicine with the private lives of five students studying to become doctors. It is the story of a competition to find out who will make it through the grueling third year of medical school and who will become the best doctor.

Unfortunately, the film fails to live up to its expectations... "Vital Signs" is supposed to be about the medical profession, but ends up focusing on the sexual relationships of seven young people. They could have been anything: firemen, drug dealers,

or garbage FILM: "Vital Signs," starring the story of while the Laura San Giacomo and Jimmy Smits. Directed by pects just act Marisa Silver. to the stomedical side

collectors. It is their lives, medical asas hindrances ryline. The acts as a com-

mon theme, but does not work well with the plot development. Director Marisa Silver ("Permanent Record") was given a

good start with a very large troupe of young actors. But that's exactly the trouble: there are just too many of them.

Adrian Pasdar ("Cookie"), in his first starring role, talks like he is a three-year-old with a low, sweet voice that just doesn't cut it. He plays Michael who falls in love with Gina (Diane Lane) while trying to make honors to attain the coveted position of a surgical internship. A star must have some presence and he has none, aside from his good looks. Lane ("Lonesome Dove") needs to find a role that is something other than "the good looking babe who likes to have fun." Laura San Giacomo ("sex, lies, and videotape") and Jimmy Smits ("LA Law") are two fine actors who are totally wasted in this film, because they are given characters with no essence. Tim Ranson and Jane Adams are given the only fun characters as roommates in a platonic relationship who have a very hard time keeping it that way. The story around them works very well, and leaves the audience wishing that the movie focused more of its attention on them.

Director Silver tries to put heavy drama into the storyline, but it doesn't come across. These medical students sure do seem

"Vital Signs" might have worked if they had limited the focus of the students to say, three of them, which would have allowed for stronger development. But what is actually seen are the partial lives of five medical students and their vague association with the medical profession.

### - Oops! -

In our April 19 issue, HIATUS mistakenly printed that Jambay was performing at the Earth Day celebration. The band was actually Me & Baby Gin. HIATUS regrets this error



Plossu played with contrasts in his photo titled "Manuela.

Bernard Plossu exhibit at MoPA

### Capturing the Human Spirit

BY YVERRE BOBAY Contributing Writer

"Desert Wind/Paris Rain: Photographs of Bernard Plossu" is currently on exhibit at the Museum of Photographic Arts in Balboa Park. The exhibit, the French photographer's first major American museum survey, will run through May 13.

Comprised of 110 black and white pictures, the exhibit gives the viewer a strong sense of world travel. Among the countries included in the pho-

tographic survey are France, Spain, Italy, Egypt, Morocco, Portugal, and the United States. No stranger to foreign lands himself, Plossu was born in Vietnam, grew up in Paris, and moved to Mexico at the age of 20. He started taking photographs in his teens while on a family trip to the African desert, and accepted his first photo assignment in the jungles of Mexico shortly after his arrival there in 1965. Since then, he has travelled throughout the world on various photographic expeditions.

Rather than catering to stere-

conditions available; he shoots his pictures sometimes sharp and clear, sometimes blurry, depend-. ing on how bright or dim the environment is.

In addition to the black and white photographs, the exhibit

Plossu's color photos. The color shots, like the black and white ones, range in composition from quality of his blurry pictures make than photographs.

Like many European photographers, Plossu uses only a 35mm is not dull or lifeless. Because "camera with a 50mm lens. He says, "I use only the 50mm lens

because its normal vision alin doing so, to avoid exercises speaks more strongly, by itself, for itself." Plossucouldn't have

Asoociate A&E Editor Leng Loh contributed to this article.

