

## "Goldberger supper" celebration

**September 19, 1966**

Dr. Edward D. Goldberg, professor of chemistry at the University of California, San Diego, will be honored by his associates for his recent service as the first provost of UCSD's Revelle College, at a dinner, Saturday evening, September 24.

The dinner will be held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. William A. Nierenberg, of La Jolla. Invitations refer to the gathering as the "Goldberger Supper" and menu fare will provide "Goldbergers around the world." Taped music with an international flare and old-time jazz (a favorite with Goldberg) will contribute to the festivities.

"Dr. Goldberg interrupted his distinguished career at Scripps to serve as the first provost of Revelle College," said Dr. Nierenberg, director of Scripps Institution of Oceanography (SIO). "His colleagues and I are welcoming him back to the Scripps campus and a continuation of his fine scientific and administrative work."

Members of the committee organizing the "Goldberger Supper" include Mesdames Andrew Benson, Harmon Craig, Jeffery Frautschy, John Isaacs, Henry Menard, Walter Munk, William Nierenberg, Russell Raitt, Per Scholander, George Shor, Jr., and Warren Wooster. Dr. Goldberg, who has been on the faculty of the Department of Earth Sciences since 1949, was named professor of chemistry in 1961. He served as provost of UCSD from February, 1965, to July, 1966.

Having now returned to the area of scientific research, Dr. Goldberg has resumed work in his major fields of interest, the geochemistry of marine waters and sediments and the application of radioactive dating techniques to problems in the major sedimentary cycle. His current research programs include a study of the escape of helium from the earth's atmosphere, the potassium-argon dating of marine sediments, the use of glaciers in studying recent geological events at the earth's surface, and fluorine geochemistry.

Dr. Goldberg received his B.S. degree from the University of California, Berkeley, in 1942 and his Ph.D. in chemistry from the University of Chicago in 1949.

He served as chairman of UCSD's Department and Division of Earth Sciences from 1960-63, and is now a member of the SIO Executive Committee and the SIO Contributions (Publications) Committee.

Author of many scientific articles, Dr. Goldberg has served as co-editor of a technical series in oceanography, "The Sea: Ideas and Observations," a three-volume treatise, and as co-editor of the volume, "Earth Sciences and Meteoritics." He is the editor of two journals, "Earth and Planetary Science Letters" and "Journal of Marine Research." He is an active member of the National Science Foundation's Earth Sciences Review Panel and was elected vice-president of the Section of Volcanology in the American Geophysical Union in 1961.

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