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FACULTY & STAFF NEWS BULLETIN

University of San Diego

College for Men

This Bulletin is issued every other Monday during the academic year. Material to be included in the next issue should be submitted to the editor by the Tuesday preceding the next issue.

Paul R. Gardner, Editor

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LIBRARY

On June 1, 1965, Mr. Adolph Koran, will begin working for the Library. He will replace Mrs. Damrau when she leaves in August. Mr. Koran received his B.A. degree at the University of Maine. He did some graduate work, mostly German at U.C.L.A. After retirement from U.S.N. he had his M.S.L.S. at University of Syracuse, February, 1965. He is a member of Delta Phi Alpha (German honorary), Beta Phi Mu (Librarianship honorary). ALA, SLA.

Also, Miss Janet Thompson is working half time for the Library. She graduated as a B.E. from Seattle University. Presently she is doing graduate work at San Diego State College in Speech Therapy and is working with the deaf in hard of hearing in Tijuana. If anyone wants to learn sign language, stop by at the Library.

This summer the Library will be doing complete inventory. We will report for this, recarding the losses that we may have sustained since the last inventory. A cursory invenry has shown that we have lost almost \$45.00 in current periodicals taken from the Library. This represents a loss of almost \$20.00 in labor; it also represents a cost of almost \$80.00, if we were to replace in full, plus the loss in research facilities.

DEPARTMENT OF SPEECH AND DRAMA

The interfaith program, "Let There Be Light", on Channel 8 recently received a new coordinator of the Catholic section, when Fr. Cloonan was appointed to this position by the Chancery Office. Fr. Leonard Brugman, College for Men Chaplain, had been the coordinator for the past five years.

Flanked by the U.S. Marine Band of the local Marine Corp Recruit Depot and Major Frank Curran, Fr. Cloonan offered the invocation on the occasion of the opening of the Old Globe Annual Original One Act Play Series, on April 19, in the large patio of the Community Concourse. On the final night of the series, Father enjoyed the company of Sebastian Cabot, Preston Foster, Leif Erickson, and Florida Friebus, Hollywood luminaries present to make the awards for the outstanding work done in the play series. Mr. and Mrs. Foster invited Fr. Cloonan to be their guest at their new theater in Oceanside this coming month. Miss Kathleen Brophy, Assistant Professor of Theater Arts at the College for Women, directed one of the plays produced this year, in which two University "coeds" took parts. Mr. Donald Ernst, Chairman of English at our College, wrote one of the plays. It is the opinion of this department that the University of San Diego made a good name for itself this years tournament. Another invocation was given by the Chairman of this Department on the occasion of the state convocation of the National Federation of Womens' Clubs held at Town and Country Club in Mission Valley, on Monday, April 27.

The Fifth Annual Demosthenian Contest was held on Thursday, April 30, in More Hall. Mr. Eugene Bambic, Lecturer in Business Administration, did his usual excellent, genial best as Master of Ceremonies. In the opinion of the judges: Fr. I. Brent Eagen, Public Relations Director; Dr. Joseph Ruane, Chairman of the History Department; and Dr. John J. Wells, prominent physician from La Jolla; the first, second, and third places in oratory went to: Robert Slatten (senior); Caryl Norris (sophomore); and William Sink (freshman) respectively. This contest, founded five years ago by Fr. Leo Lanphier, was baptized "Demosthenian" two years ago by Fr. Cloonan, who was in charge of this year's program. It is the belief of this department that development of students in intracollegiate events is a prime requisite for intercollegiate competition. It is sincerely hoped that such activity will bear fruit in the work of the University of San Diego Forensics Team this coming year. The efforts of the team this current year were rather meager but quite successful for so new an organization.

Crawford High School won the Sixth Annual Thespian Contest held at the College for Women Theater on Sunday, May 2. Sponsored by the Alcala Masquers and directed by Fr. Cloonan, their moderator, the event included: Cathedral, Crawford, University, Mar Vista, and Chula Vista high schools. Crawford's Stacey Mann was judged best actress for her portrayal of the witch in "To Burn A Witch". Dale Burton of University High School won the best actor award for his role as the preacher in "The Mark" (written and directed by Mr. Charles H. Williams, Theator Director of University). Best supporting actor and actress honors went to University's James Griffin, who played the negro in "The Mark", and Mar Vista's Linda Semken for her role as the waif in "Will O' The Wisp".

The Thespian Contest was founded six years ago by Fr. Leo Lanphier as a means of spotting future collegiate actors and for giving our students an opportunity to handle theater competition on the secondary level. Fr. Cloonan named the event "Thespian" this year in order to have uniformity with the other on-campus speech programs - "The Orphean Contest" (Oral Interpretation) and "The Demosthenian Contest" (Original Oratory).

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Miss Kathleen Brophy, who has pushed so successfully the cause of theater on the campus since her coming here two years ago and Mr. Donald Ernst, who has done a great deal in like manner, were judges for the contest.

DIVISION OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Students who wrote the best papers in the Principles of Management class last semester have been posted by the lecturers in the Executive Lecture Series. Gerald Olma and Stephen Wojdowski toured the National Steel and Shipbuilding Company and had luncheon at Lubach's with the executives of the company. Mike Simpson and Dennis Vice were provided a four-hour tour at General Dynamics-Convair. The students were briefed in many aspects of missile production and marketing and financial management. Mr. Dempsey, the president, hosted the students in the executive dining room. Mr. Dempsey indicated that he would be interested in the placement of University of San Diego graduates in their management training program. Ronald Bennett toured the Ninteman Construction Company and visited its new site in Kearny Mesa.

Future Events - Bus. Admin.

Pat Barry and Ron Cady will meet with Leonard Zanville, general manager of Sears Roeick and Company. The management program offers an excellent opportunity for a dynamic graduate of U.S.D. Jeff McDade and Paul Tuomainen will meet with C.Arnholt Smith, President of U.S. National Bank, and James Mulvaney, Executive Vice-President, on May 24. They will discuss the Westgate Packing Corporation and its management. Ron Kayton will meet with the management of Scripps Hospital during the month of June. The newly elected officers of the University of San Diego will meet with the officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce at a business meeting on a day in June not yet determined.

SOCIETY FOR ADVANCEMENT OF MANAGEMENT

The student chapter held their last meeting of the school year on Thursday, May 7. Officers elected for the year 1965-66 were: Richard Nance, President; Dennis Vice, Vice-President; Paul Tuomainen, Treasurer; Martin Boyle, Secretary. Plaques were presented to this year's officers, who were Roy Corder, Mike Jackson, Al Coury and Robert Guiltinan. Certificates for outstanding service to the organization were given to Richard Nance and Will Scavo. A plaque in appreciation for services was given to Harold Dermody, who has been the faculty moderator the last three years. Other business included postponing the picnic until next fall because of the many events scheduled for the end of the semester.

ALCALA GUILD

At the board meeting held May 11, Dr. Andre Vince was honored with a "bon voyage" cake. Coffee was served.

PARTMENT OF ATHLETICS

Mr. Phil Woolpert, Director of Athletics, was guest speaker at the Coronado High School Awards Banquet held on Monday, May 3, at Coronado. The banquet was attended by 250 people. Mr. Woolpert also was the guest speaker at the Morse High School Awards Banquet held on Tuesday, May 11. The banquet was attended by 200 people.

University High School's Basketball Clinic to be held at USD Gymnasium, June 24, 25, and 26, for junior high and senior high school boys. Lectures will be given by Phil Woolpert, USD Head Basketball Coach, John Wooden, UCLA Head Basketball Coach, Forrest Twogood, USC Head Basketball Coach, and Rudy LaRusso, Los Angeles Lakers. In addition to the lectures there will be games, floor instruction by staff, movies, tournament and trophies. Registration blanks may be obtained from University High School. Tuition fee - \$20,00 for the three days. Coaches and other interested adults may attend the clinic for a fee of \$5,00. Registration will be on Thursday, June 24, at 8:00 a.m. The clinic is designed to improve basketball skills under the personal guidance of the outstanding players and coaches on the staff.

GUIDANCE CENTER

On the weekend of May 14-16 Father Merikle participated in a workshop conducted by Carl Rogers, who is internationally known and respected as a psychotherapist, teacher, and author. Under the theme of "Facilitating Personal Development", those professionally olved in helping relationships--psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers--attempted to consider and explore differing ways in which the individual may be given opportunities to develop in the direction of self-realization. New films of two different types of therapeutic interview, films of basic encounter group sessions, and tape recordings of therapeutic interviews formed the basis of much discussion and interaction. He was also involved in a small group workshop composed of other professionals who prepared to meet personally with their colleagues.

DIVISION OF NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS

During the summer various members of the science faculty will be engaged in the following activities:

Dr. Donal B. Peterson, of the chemistry department, has received a summer appointment as Visiting Research Scientist at the University of Notre Dame Radiation Laboratory. During his twelve week appointment Dr. Peterson Will investigate energy transfer processes in irradiated liquid systems.

Dr. John P. McDermott, Chairman of the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics, has received an educational grant from the National Science Foundation to participate in the Summer Institute for College Teachers of Chemistry at Oregon State College, Corvallis, Oregon. The Institute will be in session from June 28 to August 6 and will be concerned primarily with the latest developments in the various fields of chemistry and chemical education.

Mr. Granger Van Ess, of the physics department, has been granted a summer appointment as a Research Physicist in the Transducer Division, U.S. Navy Electronics Laboratory. He will be associated with the Research and Development Division which is concerned with developing a high power sonar transducer for converting electrical energy to acoustic energy.

DIVISION OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

Father John Myhan, O. P., will spend the summer months doing research in Mexican history at the University of Mexico. He will also visit Indian villages in the jungle area of the province of Chiapas. In late August he will fly to the Yucatan Peninsula to study recent archaeological findings at the site of an ancient Indian temple.

Dr. Andre Vince is going to Geneva, Switzerland, to teach International Law and International Relations beginning in October, 1965. He will teach in the Graduate College of International Studies (University of Geneva). Dr. Vince will be at University of California (Berkeley) doing research work on his new book which he is writing. June 27th he will leave the U.S. for Spain and on to Switzerland to his new position in the fall of 1965. (Ed. note: We will miss Andre Vince.)

WE WISH THE FACULTY AND STAFF MEMBERS A VERY HAPPY AND RELAXING SUMMER!

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