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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Fifth Anniversary:

The occasion of the fifth anniversary of my presidency here at USD was marked with an especially enjoyable celebration on August 22. To those of you who extended personal comments and notes of good wishes and who added so much to my enjoyment and that of my family at the "Fiesta," a most heartfelt thanks.

Welcome:

I would also like to extend greetings to all of the faculty and staff upon the opening of the 1976-77 academic year, and to welcome particularly new members of the University Community. We are happy that you have joined us and hope that your experience at the University of San Diego will provide you both personal and professional fulfillment.

All-University Meeting:

I ask that you reserve the time period 12:15 to 1:15 p.m. on Tuesday, September 28, 1976, in order to attend a meeting of all University faculty members in Salomon Lecture Hall. It is my intent at that meeting to review with the faculty the current status of the University as well as its future direction.

Mass of the Holy Spirit and Honors at Entrance Convocation:

The University of San Diego's annual opening all-University Mass of the Holy Spirit will be held on Friday, September 10, at 12 noon in the Immaculata Church.

In keeping with our notification to incoming freshman students last spring, we will hold a Convocation to award publicly the Honors at Entrance Certificates to about 28 incoming freshmen who have merited this award. The Convocation will be held in Salomon Hall (DeSales Hall), a brief ceremony at 11:30 a.m. just prior to the University's Mass of the Holy Spirit. Morning class schedules in the College of Arts and Sciences, and Schools of Business Administration and Nursing will be adjusted slightly (with notification from Acting Dean Peterson's office about precise times) to accommodate the Convocation and the Mass.

Members of the faculty and administration are cordially invited to participate in the Mass of the Holy Spirit, and to attend the brief prior Convocation.

Tenure and Promotion:

I am pleased to announce the following promotions, effective this September, 1976:

To Professor: Dr. Ross Dingman (Biology)
 Dr. Henry Kolar (Music)
 Dr. Michael Navin (Law)

To Associate Professor: Dr. Ralph Folsom (Law)
 Dr. Philip Hwang (Education)
 Dr. Virginia Nolan (Law)
 Dr. Angelo Orona (Anthropology)
 Dr. Jack Pope (Mathematics)
 Dr. Patricia Shaffer, R. S. C. J. (Chemistry)
 Dr. Charles Wiggins (Law)
 Mr. Alphonse Zukowski (Mathematics)

The following are tenured faculty members at the University of San Diego, effective in September, 1976:

Dr. Edward J. Imwinkelried (Law)
 Dr. Abdellatif Kriem (French)
 Father Norbert Rigali, S. J. (Religious Studies)

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST

New Professional Appointments:

The University of San Diego is happy to welcome on board for 1976-1977 the following new full-time appointees:

New Faculty Appointments for 1976-1977

College of Arts and Sciences:

Ms. Carol A. Baker, Instructor in Biology
 Dr. John Donnelly, Associate Professor of Philosophy
 Dr. Eugene M. Labovitz, Assistant Professor of Sociology
 Dr. Hélène Laperrousaz, Assistant Professor of French

School of Business Administration:

Dr. Anthony Alessandra, Assistant Professor of Marketing
 Dr. Fred Bahr, Associate Professor of Management
 Dr. Robert O'Neil, Assistant Professor of Economics

School of Law:

Dr. Kenneth Culp Davis, Distinguished Professor of Law
 Dr. Elwood Hain, Visiting Professor of Law
 Dr. Ian Kennedy, Visiting Professor of Law
 Dr. Neil Levy, Visiting Professor of Law
 Dr. Thomas Bettles, Clinical Instructor
 Dr. Theodore A. Cobb, Clinical Instructor

School of Education:

Dr. Robert L. Infantino, Assistant Professor of Education
 Dr. Joseph C. Rost, Assistant Professor of Education

School of Nursing:

Mrs. Janet K. Harrison, Assistant Professor of Nursing

Administrative Appointments

Mr. R. Benson Barr, Assistant to the President and Provost
 Mr. Herbert Whyte, Director of Financial Aid
 Miss Shannon Moore, Assistant Director of Housing
 Mrs. Kathryn Knight, Administrative Director of Graduate Career Programs
 Miss Janeann Heinzelman, Admissions Counselor
 Mr. Timothy Harris, Admissions Counselor

Faculty Handbook:

Attached to these Newsnotes are revised pages for the Faculty Handbook. These new pages (Table of Contents/Index, Duplicating, Facilities Scheduling, Insurance [first page], Public Relations/Publicity, Requisitions, TIAA-CREF Retirement Policy, University Senate, Departments, Organizational Charts [2 out of 3], Payroll Taxes, and Travel) can be placed in the appropriate place in the Handbook after removal of the old sections. The University Senate section replaces the out-dated Faculty Senate section in the Handbook. The page entitled Committees can be removed also.

For those new faculty members who do not have a Handbook, they will be available on September 10, 1976 in the Provost's Office.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Department Chairpersons, 1976-1977:

Biology - Dr. Robert Corbeil
 English - Dr. Lee Gerlach
 Fine Arts - Dr. Henry Kolar
 History - Sister Agnes Murphy
 Political Science - Dr. Ernest Morin
 Religious Studies - Father Norbert Rigali
 Behavioral Sciences - Dr. Mary Jane Warren
 Foreign Languages - Sister Alicia Sarre
 Philosophy - Dr. John Donnelly
 Physical Sciences/Mathematics - Dr. Ray White (replacing
 Dr. Don Peterson, who has been appointed Acting Dean)

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Dr. Robert L. Infantino, Director of Teacher Education
 Dr. Jack R. Morrison, Director of Counselor Education
 Dr. Robert E. Nelson, Acting Director of Special Education

SCHOOL OF NURSING: NEW BUILDING

In early December, 1975, the University of San Diego received notification from the Division of Nursing, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare that the School of Nursing Construction Grant Application was approved, but not funded. The letter advised us further that, if the application were funded, an official Notice of Grant Award would be issued. Because there was no money in the federal fiscal 1975-1976 budget for nursing construction grants, and none proposed for 1976-1977, chances of funding seemed somewhat slim. The only possibility of funding would be from monies remaining from the 1974-1975 federal budget, or unused funds turned back by institutions which could not secure the necessary matching funds.

In early July, President Hughes was notified by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare that "the construction grant for assistance in the development of an education building for the School of Nursing has been approved and placed on the Active Funding List, in an amount not to exceed \$1,080,126." As part of the agreement, the University is required to provide a certain percentage of additional funds, and the Hahn Foundation (which committed the original endowment for the Hahn School of Nursing) has committed the matching funds for USD's portion of the total.

After a geotechnical site selection investigation last month of several potential sites, it has been recommended, subject to approval by the Board of Trustees' Physical Facilities Committee, that the building be constructed in the area across the street from Founders and Camino Halls, on the south side of Marian Way. Design will follow the Spanish Renaissance architecture of existing structures, but it is not yet known whether the approximately 19,000 square-foot building will be one or two-story. The building will be designed to provide instructional, learning, office, and support space for faculty, staff, and students in the nursing baccalaureate program, the projected M. S. N. program, and the Continuing Education program currently under development. The facility will be planned for the unique learning needs of the adult student.

CEFA BOND ISSUE

Most of you will remember from prior Newsnotes the nature of the bonds sold by USD under the California Educational Facilities Act. However, in order to bring the campus community up to date on what is happening relative to funds from these bonds, it seems best to review the nature of the bonds themselves. Hence, a portion of the explanation in the January 31, 1975 Newsnotes will be repeated here.

Late in 1972, the California Legislature passed the California Education Facilities Act (AB 2014), which was approved by then Governor Reagan on December 29, 1972. The Act establishes the California Educational Facilities Authority (CEFA), and "empowers the authority to, among other things, borrow money and to issue negotiable notes, bonds, and other securities, payable from the revenue of projects operated by the authority and not constituting obligations of the state,..." The Act states that the purpose of the legislation is "to give this and future generations of youth the fullest

opportunity to learn and develop their intellectual and mental capacities by providing private institutions of higher education within the state an additional means by which to expand, enlarge, and establish dormitory, academic, and related facilities, to finance such facilities, and to refinance existing facilities. " It is clear from the stated purpose that CEFA is intended to benefit the private colleges and universities of the State of California.

The Summary Fact Sheet issued in connection with the legislation reads as follows:

1. The proposed Facilities Authority would permit independent higher education institutions to establish dormitory, academic, and related facilities and finance them at tax exempt interest rates, in the same way as public institutions. Over a dozen other states have enacted such legislation.
2. Obligations issued by the authority SHALL NOT constitute a debt or liability of the state.
3. Obligations will be issued only through the State Treasurer's Office, with a ceiling limit of \$150 million in outstanding debt imposed on the authority and a further limitation that not more than \$50 million be issued and sold within the first two years.
4. No expenditures of state monies will be required. All expenses incurred by the authority shall be met by funds obtained from participating colleges.
5. To assure adequate representation of interested parties within the state, the five member authority will consist of the Director of Finance, the State Controller, the State Treasurer, and two members appointed by the Governor, one representing private higher education and the other representing public higher education.
6. Each bond issued by the authority will carry the credit rating of the particular borrowing private college, and will not carry the credit rating of the state.

In the Spring of 1974, the University of San Diego made preliminary application to the California Educational Facilities Authority for authorization to issue approximately \$3,000,000 in tax exempt bonds. At the same time USD sought bond consultant support on a competitive basis, eventually choosing Rothschild and Co. in San Francisco. In the fall of 1974, Mr. Arthur W. Collins, Executive Secretary of CEFA, visited the campus to discuss aspects of USD's application.

After a long delay while a "test case" went through to the California Supreme Court to ascertain the constitutionality of the legislation, the first institution approved by CEFA was Stanford University, which went to market in December, 1974 with a bond issue of a total of \$16,000,000 at an interest rate of 7.13%.

At the meeting of CEFA in the end of January, 1975, the University of San Diego's application to issue tax-exempt bonds was given preliminary approval. In finalizing the application in subsequent months, USD ascertained that certain of its originally proposed re-financing projects could not be included because

they were completed before March, 1973; we also learned that there were considerable legal technicalities connected with the re-financing of the Bahia Loma and University Knolls apartments (acquired by USD in the fall of 1974) because of the necessity of a lease-back to the State of California.

Throughout the 1975-1976 academic year, the legal technicalities and the bond prospectus were being worked out by University counsel (Gray, Cary, Ames & Frye), bond counsel (O'Melveny & Myers in Los Angeles), and bond consultants (Rothschild & Co. in San Francisco). All problems were ironed out and final approval given in May, 1978.

On June 29, 1976, the University of San Diego's bonds were put out to bid by the Treasurer of the State of California. Low bidder for the bonds was Crocker Bank at approximately 7.4%. Within about ten days, all but half a million of the \$2.8 million bond issue had been sold. On July 26, 1976, President Hughes and Vice President for Financial Affairs Jack Boyce signed the papers in San Francisco for the closing of the sale.

Projects utilizing the funds must, of course, be allowable under the statute setting up the California Educational Facilities Authority (CEFA) and must have the general approval of CEFA. Approximately \$1.1 million of the total bond issue was for the refinancing of the Bahia Loma and University Knolls. You already see evidence of several of the approved projects, such as the re-paving of campus roads; expansion of existing parking facilities by addition of new parking lots across from the Law Library and on the level below the motor pool; re-modeling of the Student Dining Hall serving area to allow for simultaneous serving in two lines; the beginning of re-roofing of campus buildings; and modifications for handicapped personnel. As soon as a decision is reached on whether the School of Education or the School of Business Administration will occupy the Apostolic Center (to the east of the Law Library), plans for re-modeling and renovating that facility will be finalized. Other projects to be undertaken this fall or in 1977 include shower room renovations in Camino and Founders Halls; exterior painting of campus buildings; system improvements (fire alarm system, emergency lighting, telephone system, irrigation system); office, classroom, and laboratory renovations and improvements (with faculty input sought re classroom and laboratory furniture and fixture recommendations); erosion control project at graduate center apartments; energy conservation and cost reduction projects; physical plant warehouse construction and office and shop relocation (to free present location for proposed non-print media center); recreation facilities renovations and expansion.

Anyone who has questions concerning the CEFA program could consult Mr. Boyce.

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The San Diego County Mental Health Advisory Board has created a Task Force on Emergency Mental Health Services. Two USD law school professors have been appointed to serve on the task force, Professor Grant Morris and Professor Rodney Jones. Professor Morris is the chairperson of the task force which has met regularly through the summer and will report their findings and recommendations to the Mental Health Advisory Board in September.

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Dr. Patricia Watson, Director of Academic Services, has been invited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges to become a member of a Committee on Off-Campus Quality Control. She has accepted and will attend the first meeting on September 10.

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The issue of public trust and state ownership of certain lagoons in the San Diego Region is being resolved with the assistance of a committee appointed by the Board of the Comprehensive Planning Organization of the San Diego Region. The Tideland Ownership and Public Trust Inventory Committee, which was formed to help gather the necessary information, made a progress report to the Board in April. The Committee, which is chaired by USD Law Professor John Winters, has been successful in obtaining the cooperation of the State Lands Division staff. This staff has completed the San Elijo Lagoon Boundary Study, the findings of which were given in the progress report.

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Myrna Nobile, Art Department, currently has a one-person show of sculpture at the Unicorn Theater in La Jolla. This is the third show for her this year. The first was an invitational show at the Triad Gallery in January and then her show in Founders Gallery in February. An enamel of hers is in the current 1976 International Festival of Enamels at the Laguna Beach Museum of Art. Her sculpture was included in the membership show there in the spring. She was one of twenty artists invited to exhibit work in the Exposition Artists Invitados in July (these artists were selected to be representative of both Southern California and Northern Baja California) and Professor Nobile was listed in the World Who's Who of Women for the year 1975.

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Dr. Donald Helmich of the School of Business Administration has recently had a paper accepted entitled, "Cross-cultural Aspects of Executive Leadership Styles," for publication in Akron Business and Economic Review, Vol. 7, Fall 1976 - co-authored with Andy Papageorge, Department Chairman, Business and Economics, Whittier College. Dr. Helmich's article entitled "Executive Succession in the Corporate Organization: A Current Integration," has also been accepted for publication by Academy of Management Review. Publication date - April or July, 1977.

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Irene S. Palmer, Dean of the School of Nursing, presented a paper at the American Nurses Association Biennial Convention, June 9, 1976 entitled "Florence Nightingale: Reformer, Reactionary, Researcher." The program was sponsored by the Boston University Mugar Memorial Library, Nursing Archive.

Dr. Palmer visited Great Britain in June where she continued her research into Florence Nightingale at the British Museum and The Wellcome Institute as well as St. Thomas's Hospital. A highlight of her research was the opportunity to visit and study at Claydon House, the home of Sir Harry Verney, Miss Nightingale's brother-in-law.

Three articles by Dr. Palmer have recently been published: "History and Preparation for Leadership," Nursing Forum, 15:2, 1976; "Florence Nightingale and The Salisbury Incident," Nursing Research, September-October, 1976; and, "Florence Nightingale, Founder of Modern Nursing," Boston University Mugar Memorial Library, Nursing Archive, 1976.

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Sister Sally Furay, Vice President and Provost, has been re-elected a member of the 1976-1977 Board of Directors of Equal Rights Advisors, Inc., a San Diego-based group which operates an office to work with problems relative to legal aspects of sex discrimination in employment.

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Dr. James Hottois, Assistant Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, has been appointed to a two-year term of membership on the Employment Practices Committee of the Western Political Science Association.