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OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES

March 7 3:00 p.m. - General Education Requirements Committee - Rm.304
11 Joint Department Meetings
13 12:00 noon - Psychology Film Series - "Conscience of a Child"
Rm. 208

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Congratulations are extended to the following faculty members who will receive a promotion in academic rank, effective September 1, 1969, at the recommendation of the Committee on Faculty Standing:

Dr. A. Paul Theil - Professor of Political Science
Dr. John Bradshaw - Associate Professor of Biology
Dr. Jack Opdycke - Associate Professor of Chemistry
Rev. Joseph McDonnell - Assistant Professor of Theology
Mr. Pedro Nava - Assistant Professor of Biology
Rev. James Rankin - Assistant Professor of Philosophy

Final dates, times, and places have now been established for graduation ceremonies at the close of the current academic year. Problems with scheduling, a suitable place for commencement have led to the necessity of holding commencement exercises one day later than announced last Fall. The schedule, as finalized, is the following:

Saturday, May 31 10:30 a.m. Immaculata Chapel - Baccalaureate Mass
Sunday, June 1 3:00 p.m. Civic Theater - Commencement Exercises

EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER

EDC is now an approved GED Center (General Education Development) and is one of three such centers in all San Diego. Establishment of such a center is by approval of the State Department of Education and the American Council on Education, Washington, D.C. Dr. Sperrazzo is chief administration officer and Dr. Phelps is chief examiner.

The purpose of the program is to provide high school equivalency examinations to adults who have not completed their formal high school education. Those interested adults will be administered a series of tests constructed by the State Department of Education, designed to measure learning evolved from experience.

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The EDC will issue a high school equivalency certificate to students who satisfactorily pass the tests. This certificate will allow students to apply for jobs where a high school education is a mandatory requirement to enter college level work or the military service, or to apply for a high school diploma.

Dr. Sperrazzo has been selected president-elect of the San Diego County Psychological Association. Dr. Sperrazzo will sit on the association's executive board and will take office as president in January 1970.

Dr. Phelps took office last September as president of the North County Psychological Association.
