Kuchel to Face Ghetto Problems
In Tonight's Beckman Address

by Brad Leo Howard

Senior U.S. Senator of California, Senator Thomas Kuchel, tonight's speaker for the YMCA's Beckman Address. (Continued on page 2)

The Senator believes in an orderly process of change in society, improved self-esteem, "well-directed" political and moral persuasion. In this sense, he represents a moderate position of progressive, legal transformation of society as the radical New Left calls for a radical Negro revolution that calls violently for "black power now!"

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Peace Corps Volunteers
Get Draft Deferral Aid

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The Peace Corps plans to intervene on behalf of Peace Corps volunteers seeking draft deferments for two years of overseas service. Agency Director Jack Vaughn, concerned by mounting inducement calls to volunteers serving overseas, said he will take an "active role" in seeking future deferment cases before the Presidential Appeal Board -- the court of last resort for draft classification.

In the past the agency performed a largely informational function -- advising volunteers and trainees of Selective Service local procedures and confirming to local boards the fact of the volunteer's service. In future appeals, Vaughn will write letters to the board descending the circumstances in each case and urging board members to grant a deferment until completion of the volunteer's overseas tour.

"We have a serious situation," he said. "The problem of induction notices to overseas volunteers is becoming a major concern for us. Pulling a volunteer off a productive job at midcourse is unfair to the nation, the host country, the Peace Corps and the individual volunteer.

Sen. Kuchel voiced the opinion that even with administrative approval in the near future, it will still be at least two years before women are actually admitted. He felt that this optimism number should be approximately 10 percent of a class.

Dr. Davidson also stated that a great many questions remain to be answered before any final administrative program could be arrived at. More specifically, he mentioned the problem of housing, facilities and the question of what changes, if any, would have to be made in the admission requirements to achieve an optimum number of women actually admitted. He felt that this optimum number should be approximately 10 percent of a class.

Dr. Davidson was firm in the belief however, that whatever changes are made, they are "not going to make a party of the number of male to female students at the Institute."

Of immediate impact to the Institute, was the approval of the senate committee of a new freshman curriculum. Again being approved by a large majority of the faculty present, the changes will allow next year's freshmen more freedom in the planning of their initial year at Caltech than is available now. This new curriculum will restore the minimum required units for next year's freshmen to 42 per term, and the maximum will be 51 units for the first term, 48 for the second and third terms. During first term, 42 units are in required courses, and 18 units will still be able to take a nine unit elective. Second and third terms, however, only 36 of the necessary 42 units will be required, meaning that a freshman would have to take at least a six unit elective course, with an opportunity to take up to twelve elective units.

Part of the reason for the increase in freedom stems from the elimination of Ph 1 Lab as a requirement, and the elimination of all except the first term of Chem 1 Lab as a requirement. However, freshmen will be required to take at least nine additional lab units during their first year. These nine additional units will be taken from elective courses offering lab credit, such as Biology 1 or Geology 1, or from the new being developed second and third term freshman physics and chemistry labs, which will eventually be cataloged as Ph 3a and 3b, and Ch 3a and 3b. Other departments are also planning to offer courses as freshmen electives, but overall plans are still in the planning stages.

Dr. Davidson stated that it was generally agreed that whatever electives the freshmen chose, he still would be able to advise any option. However, Dr. Davidson stated that some options would still probably require certain freshman courses, and if a student did not take those during his first year, he would at some later time still have to make them up. This would mean that more freshmen in the first year would result in less freedom in later years.

Alpine Club Climbing Trip

There will be a meeting of the Alpine Club this Thursday at 8:30 p.m. in Winnett Clubroom 1 to discuss plans for a climbing trip this Sunday.

EPC LOVES OFF-CAMPUS STUDENTS

Any off-campus undergraduate having comments or complaints about any course he is taking may bring them to the attention of the EPC. Questions are directed to the member from his former Student House, by leaving a note in the Lloyd F. Box or by calling to be informed or by writing a comment on the EPC bulletin board near Louise Hoad's office in Winnett.

Placement Problems

Dr. S. C. Luce, director of the International Volunteer Service in Vietnam, is speaking at Harvard’s C.C. at 8:00 p.m. this Sunday.

Notice
Editorial

Mystery Meat Rules

In this number issue of Moderator, the "Grapeshot" section devoted to the universal food service on campus was on present faults and failings. Especially taken to task are the servings of "mystery meat," tokens in response to student complaints, and the general feeling of "Adventures in Good Eating." What would come as good news to us, as Caltech, we enjoy our own little version of the aforementioned three items, and despite constant complaints, little has been done to improve the situation, although small incorrect tidbits are thrown out as suggestions and comments.

Our present complaint is this: the cafeteria's last straw is the situation which currently exists over Institute holidays, when the Food Service closes down, lock, stock, and can opener. During the past four day weekend, the only food available on campus was obtained from vending machines, and during this period, there were enough people on campus to provide sufficient business to justify Chandler's remaining open.

We therefore submit humbly that in the future, some dining facility remain open during short term breaks, as the distance towards the nearest commercial restaurants disallows convenient regular meals.

—Kirk Benson
Los Fishbone

Letters

New Option Not Final

Editors:

There is one important error in the generally excellent, and accurate article by Jim Cooper in last week's California Tech dealing with the actions of the Faculty Board at its meeting on November 13. The article states that the Faculty Board approved the creation of Distributed Studies option and then referred the proposal to the Curriculum Committee for detailed implementation. The Faculty Board did not approve or disapprove of the principle that there be a Distributed Studies option. It requested the Curriculum Committee to consider the problem and to develop a more detailed description of just how such an option would work. The Board felt that a judgment as to whether or not such an option would provide a desirable alternative course of study for some Caltech students could not be made without a more detailed description of what is actually involved.

I do not mean in this letter to imply any criticism of Mr. Cooper. It is quite possible that the error is due to my failure to explain the actual situation clearly. However, it would be unfortunate if Caltech students drew the conclusion that the principle of a Distributed Studies option has been approved and its implementation is only a matter of time.

Norman R. Davidson
Chairman of the Faculty

We thank Dr. Davidson for this clarification.—Eds.

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Editors:

Some of us who are not members of your student body subscribe to your paper because we are interested in what goes on at the Institute, and you do have a monopoly on student publications. If some of your "news stories" are going to continue to be silly, childish pranks perhaps you should cancel our subscription.

Mrs. Robert L. Foreman

As we have said before, the experiment conducted in the issue of October 26 and explained in the issue of November 2 was not a prank. Moreover, the California Tech has no monopoly on student publications.—Eds.

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Reading Time, Thursday, November 30, 1967

In YR Poll

(Continued from page 1) bright shows their strength is not entirely based on the war issue. But Virginia Governor Nelson Rockefeller, paired with Hougton, also received a consider­ able number of votes against Johnson-Humphrey of 67 percent, and against Kennedy-Fulbright of 92 percent.

When Ronald Reagan was pit­ tened in the Presidential spot with Charles Percy, the Democrat tickets of Johnson-Humphrey and Kennedy-Pinot both won with majorities of 53 and 50 percent respectively.

By Robert Fisher
Who are the blacks? Not many college students can answer this question from their own experience. The Caltech YMCA is interested in helping people find it.

Two miles away lies a ghetto. Today it's effectively a thousand miles away. Communication between the black and the white ghetto of America is inhibited by a lack of mutual experience. The diversity of the ghetto and the magnitude of its problems cannot be understood vicariously—they have to be experienced. To comprehend racial discrimination you have to feel it. If you cannot hear about it. To visualize ghetto life you have to live it, not read about it.

To get a unique vantage point. From inside. Hopefully, this will cultivate in you the wrong of "separate and unequal." Especially taken to task are the present faults and failings. Particularly taken to task are the inequity. The Caltech YMCA can obtain information in an intensely personal level. The participant to the outside, more correlative effects of racial prejudice. This won't be particularly easy on the volunteer. He won't be able to stand comfortably back and observe, but will have to face the ghetto's problems on an intensely personal level.

People interested in this program can obtain information in the YMCA office.

Did you like beer the first time you tasted it?

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Maybe. But we think it makes a difference which brand of beer we're talking about.

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From the very first taste.

Budweiser... best reason in the world to drink beer.

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Experience Too Valuable For Mid-Tour Dropouts

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news duty because their service is deemed by their local boards to be "in the national interest," as recommended by L. G. Lewis. B. Hornsey, the draft director.

However, some local selective service boards refuse deferments even though Peace Corps service does not relieve volunteers of their draft obligations. If the local board is upheld by the State Appeal Board, the case may reach the Presidential Appeal Board, which makes the final decision.

The appeal process often takes months to be resolved and the Peace Corps frequently sends volunteers to their overseas sites while their appeals for deferment are pending.

Intensive Training

Vaughan said the Peace Corps, having provided upwards of 600 hours of intensive language training during the 12 to 18 weeks of preparation, often sends volunteers overseas to begin service "rather than risk the loss of their newly-earned language fluency during the long wait for final approval or disapproval of deferment requests."

Vaughan said, "So long as the chances for deferment are good and the system makes sense, it is better for volunteers overseas to know they have given up their appeals in order to respect the process and keep them, a wasting asset, in the United States until their cases are resolved."

He also said induction calls for volunteers overseas "dismay the continuity of carefully planned projects by host country governments who also have invested a large amount of time and money in the program."

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Conversion From A Hawk

In the December issue of Cheeta-
tah, writer Rob Ross travels with
smugglers as they make a run from Tijuana to Southern California. It's a scary, nasty, fascinating story. "Well, I think that's what's good," said the waiter. "Yes, you would, wouldn't you?"

"Yes, Barrelmaker?"

"I was wondering if you— well, if you could lend me something to eat."

Certainly. Here, take this box of crackers Barrelmaker had even seen.

"Food!" shouted Barrelmaker, and he leaped toward the box of crackers with the strength of a freshly-soaked noodle.

Two strong arms grabbed him and shook him, and the owner of the arms said, "Hey, out of it, Barrelmaker, old man. Come to your senses." With those words, he slapped Barrelmaker sharply across the face.

Barrelmaker crumpled into a heap on the floor. "Thank you, that's all I wanted," said Barrelmaker. "I'm all right now."

"That's good," said the waiter, as he sat down on the bed. "Kitsy room."

"Now that Barrelmaker had calmed down, he could see that the Ritz crackers were not the only foodstuff in the room. To be exact, there were two cellphone-wrapped doughnuts, three Milky Way candy bars, three cans of Canada Dry Sparkling Cola, a half-empty hamsandwich, four apples, and the waiter. Barrelmaker mentally jerked himself out of his reverie. He had not sunk to cannibalism — at least, not yet.

"I was wondering —"

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Certainly. Here, take this box of crackers, but go easy on the first few.

"Thanks a lot," said Barrelmaker. "Sure, I'll be sure to take it. It's easy on the first few."

"That's quite all right."

"You see, with food services here at these cutoff during vacation, and as I am temporarily somewhat short of funds, I can't afford to get a meal as often as I should."

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Tech Tankers Take Last Two

Caltech's water polo team decided to end the season with a victory or two and came through by producing the first two game wins in two over years. By winning the last two league games of the season, the tankmen raised themselves to a three-way tie for third in league competition, and a season record of 4 and 4. In other happenings, the all-conference team was announced and Tech's only man to make the team was Henry DeWitt; he made the first team.

Against Redlands, Tech came from a 4 to 1 deficit in the first half to score a 6 to 5 victory. Scoring was done by DeWitt, 3 goals, Norm Whiteley, 2 goals, and Larry Hunt. This is the first time in recent history that Tech has beat Redlands at Redlands, a feat that was not even accomplished by 1960's co-championship team.

The following Saturday the tankmen faced Occ to decide the year series, until then split one game, and finished third in passing. Despite this phenomenal performance, Tom was not named to the first string, but was SCIAC's second string QB. M.I.K. GIRARD, Caltech's Mighty Mouse, earned an all-conference position at second string defensive back. Mike sparked Caltech's relatively weak defense early, and finished third in passing. Dick is the Beavers' captain and finished third in passing. DeWitt led the conference in total offense with 1506 yards in eight games, and finished third in passing. DeWitt led the conference in total offense with 1506 yards in eight games, and finished third in passing. Joe Templeton is Caltech's sophomore goalie and has done a fantastic job in his maiden season at C.I.T.

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8 Beavers Make All-SCIAC Teams

Eight Caltech athletes who participated in fall sports have been named to all-conference teams by the Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. JOHN FRAZZINI was selected first string all-SCIAC defensive end. He improved steadily all year and looked great on a defensive unit that finished last in the league.

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