Dr. Ralph H. Petrucci, faculty-Fulbright advisor, has received an announce-
ment concerning the SEATO Fellowship program for 1966-67. The Fellowships
are intended for established scholars (students working for advanced degrees
are not eligible) in all fields who wish to undertake from four to ten months
of research, teaching or training in SEATO member countries on subjects
relating to SEATO interests and objectives. Previous applicants who were
not selected for Fellowships may reapply. More detailed information is
available from the brochure posted on the faculty bulletin board. Inter­
ested persons should write directly to the committee for application forms:
Committee on International Exchange of Persons
Conference Board of Associated Research Councils
2101 Constitution Avenue, Washington D. C. 20418
The application deadline is February 15, 1966.

Dean Robert G. Fisk will speak tonight January 17th, at the third session of
the Top Man Conference at the San Bernardino Uptown YMCA, sponsored by the
Y's Men's Club.

Dr. Robert R. Roberts has been named vice-chairman of the "Great Decisions
...1966" citizens committee serving San Bernardino and Riverside counties.
The Committee is sponsored by the non-partisan, non-profit Foreign Policy
Association in cooperation with University of California Extension.
Informal discussion groups are being organized to talk about key foreign
policy issues at eight weekly meetings in February and March.
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A high-level policy meeting described by its participants as "very encoura­
ging" was held with Governor Brown by members of the Board of Trustees in
Sacramento, January 5.

Present at the lengthy session along with the Governor and Trustees Albert
J. Ruffo, George D. Hart, Theodore Meriam, Charles Luckman and Mrs. Philip
Conley were Chancellor Glenn S. Dumke; Hale Champion, the state's director
of finance; and Les Cohen, director of governmental affairs for the
college system.

Capital Outlay and support budget needs for the Colleges were explained by
the Trustees. Special emphasis was given to their recommendations for
early action on faculty and staff salary increases. They also pointed out
the immediate necessity for correcting pay lags in non-academic classifi­
cations of the clerical field. The Trustees' position on year-round
operation was also discussed. The Governor and Mr. Champion both expressed
full support for the plan to establish an office in Washington, D. C. to
coordinate federal programs with the California State Colleges.

"Governor Brown was most impressed by the facts we presented," Chancellor
Dumke said. He reported, too, that Director of Finance Hale Champion
would soon launch a major study of fringe benefits at both the University
and the State Colleges. The Governor said he hoped the Colleges and their
constituents would continue to develop public support for the needs of
higher education because of the impact of education on the economy of the
state.
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Mr. Jim Arabatzis, Bookstore Manager, has announced that as a service to
students, staff and faculty, the bookstore is now selling postage stamps
at cost.

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On Tuesday January 18th a Conference on Educational Philosophy will be held at the office of the Chancellor in Los Angeles. Chancellor Dunck will open the session with a talk on "Goals, Purposes and Functions of the California State Colleges" and this will be followed by a series of panels on Liberal, Occupational and Graduate Education in Relation to the Diversified Functions of the California State Colleges. After the lunch recess the conference will break up into Discussion groups which will then present summary statements at the concluding session. Attending the conference from our campus are: President John M. Pfau, Dean of Faculty George McMichael, Dr. Gerald Scherba, Chairman of Natural Sciences and Dr. Fernando Penalosa, Faculty Representative on Academic Senate of the California State Colleges.

Dr. Robert G. Fisk, Dean of Students spoke last week at an open meeting of the San Bernardino Inter-Racial Advisory Council. One of the many lively and pertinent features of the talk was Dr. Fisk’s point that the time had come for workshops where school teachers could achieve better understanding of their minority group students, thus improving teacher-student relationships and enabling the students to better adjust to educational requirements. Dr. Fisk is Chairman of the Council, the purpose of which is to serve as a meeting place where people of all groups can come and discuss racial problems in the San Bernardino area—and help resolve them.

Governor Brown announced recently that his Education Secretary, Mr. Ron Moskowitz, has resigned to accept a position with the newly created Interstate Compact on Higher Education as Association Director at Duke University in North Carolina. On an interim basis Governor Brown has appointed Dr. James E. Gregg, Associate Professor of English and Journalism at Chico State College, as his acting education secretary. Dr. Gregg has been working in the Governor's office under a foundation grant and presently is on a leave-of-absence from the College.

Later in the year a San Bernardino chapter of the Association of California State College Professors may be formed. Information about this organization and membership applications are available in the office of Dr. Fernando Penalosa, Sociology, Room A-168.

There will be a meeting of all departmental secretaries on Wednesday, January 19th at 3:30 p.m. in the President's Conference Room.

Dr. Leo Kreter, Music, served as a consultant to a conference sponsored by MEMC (Music Educators National Conference) and the Ford Foundation at USC last Wednesday which met to discuss plans for establishing a regional center for the study of contemporary techniques in music education. This is a national project started 3 years ago and Dr. Kreter was asked to be a consultant as he conducted two pilot projects for the conference while he was on the music staff of Wichita State University in Wichita, Kansas. Later in the week, on Friday, Dr. Kreter attended a meeting in Whittier of the California Music Executives, a group made up of the heads of all music departments in California. The principle topic of discussion was the Rodda Act, the new education bill, and its effect on music education in California.