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$4,281,000 BID PLACES LIBRARY NEARER REALITY

All College personnel share, to some degree, in the beneficial results which will flow out of Tuesday's bid opening for the new Library.

The low bid came within the state's construction budget for the building. This means more space and less crowding, directly and indirectly, for everything from faculty and staff office space to classrooms to student services to computer storage—just to name a few.

The six-floor Library will contain 166,000 gross square feet of space—a greater total than both science buildings, the new gymnasium and the administration building combined.

If there had been no bid within the state's budget, crowding could have become acute in 1970. Re-design and re-bidding the Library could have resulted in delays past the beginning of the 1970-71 academic year.

However, the $4,281,000 apparent low bid by the James I. Barnes Construction Co. of Claremont means that construction on the 22-month job probably will begin within about 60 days.

President John M. Pfau praised Dr. Joseph K. Thomas, Executive Dean; Mr. James Urata, Building Coordinator; and Mr. Arthur Nelson, College Librarian, for "good management and excellent planning" to come within six-tenths of one percent of estimating construction costs on a $4.25 million structure.

The low bid was about $30,000 over the state budget for the (cont'd on Page 2)
building. However, this can be settled by making a few minor changes in design and landscaping. None of the vital facilities will be involved in the changes.

"This bid was really a tribute to the architects who worked so closely with us on the building," Dean Thomas said. "Another significant thing is how extremely pleased we are with the bidding competition. We had four bidders despite the heavy amount of activity in commercial industry.

"The fact that the low bidder and the architects are both from Claremont and have worked closely on other jobs means we anticipate nothing but fine relationships in the 22 months of construction time.

"We are also pleased to have a local contractor—we consider Claremont as local—and the majority of the subs are local.

"We will use the very newest construction materials and techniques available in the industry, including many pre-cast units trucked in from Los Angeles.

"This is a red-letter day for the College after nearly five years of planning," Dean Thomas added.

Total cost of the Library will approach $4.9 million, including landscaping.

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SUMMER ENROLLMENT SHOWS INCREASE

Summer Session enrollment has increased 49 percent this year over last year's first session.

Enrollment reached 404 this year, compared to 271 last summer. The present full-time-equivalent is approximately 313, with a few late registrants anticipated to raise the FTE slightly.

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BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY PROFESSOR TO LECTURE NEXT TUESDAY

"Spatial Envelopes" will be the topic of a lecture given by Professor Michael Mazur of Brandeis University Tamarind Lithography Workshop.

"Spatial Envelopes" deals with environmental figuration as a livable space.

Prof. Mazur's lecture, illustrated with slides, is scheduled for Tuesday, June 25 at 12:30, in PS-10.

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THREE STUDENTS AWARDED SCHOLARSHIPS

Stanley Hodge, senior political science major, has been awarded the CSCSB Foundation Scholarship.

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STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

SUMMER SCHEDULE SET

The Student Health Center goes on Summer Session hours, effective with the start of Summer Session. Mrs. Carol Stein, former head nurse of the St. Bernardine's Hospital intensive care ward, will serve as Student Health Nurse.

Mrs. Stein's hours will be 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, until July 31.

During the Summer Session a doctor will not be on duty in the Health Center. However, there will be one available for emergency calls.

Mrs. Vivian McEachern, Student Health Center Nurse, has been granted a leave of absence for the summer and will return in September.

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STAFF MEMBERS TO VOTE

ON PROPOSED STAFF COUNCIL CONSTITUTION

The Staff Council Formation Committee submitted its proposed constitution and by-laws to President Pfau last week. This Wednesday members of the committee met with the president to discuss the proposed documents. President Pfau approved both the constitution and the by-laws.

The Formation Committee plans to submit the proposed constitution and by-laws to the entire staff for consideration next week. Balloting will take place at a later date.

Dale Lohmuller, committee chairman, urges that all staff members give careful consideration to the documents before voting.

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PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Alfred Egge (Biology) has been appointed one of the eight members of a state-wide California Commission on Ocean Resources. He will represent the 19 state colleges on the committee, which was named by the Coordinating Council for Higher Education.

Ward McAfee (History) has an article in the February, 1968, Pacific Historical Review titled "Local Interests and Railroad Regulation in California During the Grange Decade." The article covers California community reactions to railroad construction and regulation in the late 19th Century.

Kent M. Schofield (History) has received a $1,000 grant from the American Philosophical Society to study the papers of former President Herbert Hoover. He will go to West Branch, Iowa, this August to do research in the Herbert Hoover Presidential Library.

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PARKING DECALS TO BE ISSUED IN PAY ENVELOPES

1968-69 parking decals will be placed in the June paycheck envelopes. Employees are cautioned to not overlook the decal and to extract it from the envelope before throwing it away.
SCHOLARSHIPS - continued

Carmen Molina has been named the recipient of the Delta Kappa Gamma, Alpha Pi Chapter scholarship. The same grant was made to her last year as an outstanding woman student preparing for a career in teaching. Miss Molina is a senior majoring in English.

The Social Lites Scholarship has been awarded this year to Glenn P. McKinley of Highland. He will enter the College as a freshman.

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