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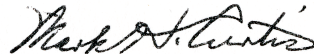
On Friday and Saturday, March 7th and 8th, some Scripps students and a few faculty members did picket on campus in favor of an autonomous Center for Black Studies. The pickets were orderly and polite, and some even assisted workmen moving tables and chairs into Balch Auditorium for the International Monetary Conference held on campus that weekend. No disruptive incidents occurred and no laws or college policies were broken. Since the intercollegiate committee began its work, no further incidents have occurred.

A proposal submitted by the United Mexican-American Students has been received by the administrations and faculties of the colleges, and measures are being taken to recruit more Mexican-American students for September 1969, engage a Mexican-American admissions officer for the Colleges, and establish some Mexican-American studies.

I am very grateful to the Scripps students and students from other colleges who established a rumor control center after the bombings, and who later published daily bulletins on events at the colleges. These reports did much to keep emotions from getting out-of-hand and to make sure that students, faculty, and staff members had accurate information on happenings in Claremont.

With appreciation for your continued interest, I am

Sincerely yours,



Mark H. Curtis  
President