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tion when such classification seems not to be in accord with policy and procedure.

The commission also believes that many highly trained individuals can serve more effectively in a civilian status than in uniform. It does not advocate the blanket deferment of all students, or of all scientists and engineers without regard to their individual effectiveness in their roles.

Langer speaks of a "somewhat unwitting alliance between the student protestors . . . and the manpower specialists." She says that both groups "have a concept of what amounts to an extended definition of 'alternative service'." What she neglects to stress is that the SMC is concerned with maintaining the supply of highly trained manpower essential to the nation in both war and peace. This is basic in the SMC's policy, whereas it is a matter of no concern to the "student activists."

Langer says, "The activist students and the Scientific Manpower Commission have another thing in common, and that is their methods." The leadership of Students for a Democratic Society, she then reports, proposed an "overt antidraft campaign" which was vetoed by the members, with the result that "the majority of students will continue trying to avoid the draft by methods that run from simply staying in school, to developing asthma, to hinting darkly about suicidal or homosexual tendencies." Some readers have taken this listing to represent the methods that the student activists and the SMC have "in common." It needs to be made perfectly clear, therefore, that the SMC has never proposed any antidraft campaign, overt or otherwise, and does not approve draft dodging in any form.

Draft dodgers, like citizens who fail to pay their taxes, are asking for the rights of citizenship without assuming its concomitant responsibilities. SMC does advocate a fully informed citizenry; a selective (rather than a lottery) process of choosing men to serve in the armed forces when all males are not needed within specified age groups; and those policies of the Selective Service which recognize that without the consistent addition of highly trained manpower to an army of skilled professionals already at work, the nation's army in uniform cannot function effectively.

Local boards and appeal boards of the Selective Service system must make the final decision regarding how each individual registrant should be asked to serve, but they should not be forced to make this decision with incomplete information; nor should individual registrants be refused opportunity to request further consideration of the action of their local boards when they believe their classification does not implement this policy.

Appeal boards and state advisory boards for scientists, engineers, and other technical personnel have been set up to provide registrants, universities, and employers with an opportunity to appeal a classification. If this machinery is to be effective, every citizen should understand the reason behind the deferment policies; and every registrant should be aware both of his obligations and his rights.

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Science Policy and National Goals

Recently the Daddario subcommittee has raised anew the questions of national science policy and has recommended that the Board of the National Science Foundation provide guidance (Science, 14 January). The problem is complex. Even if specific answers could be given about optimum science policy, they would be subject to change as events unfolded. Decisions taken in other countries frequently alter the basis on which our policies should be made. Perhaps more crucial are developments in our own nation.

National goals have an important influence on science policies. Science and technology are often the means by which such goals can be attained. When a President announces that placing a man on the moon is a national goal, all the components of science are to a degree affected, and many must respond. National goals are subject to change, often suddenly. Peace or intensified war in Vietnam could bring a sudden shift in goals, as well as a rearrangement of priorities among them. Peace in Vietnam would lead to renewed emphasis on the Great Society and on problems such as air and water pollution.

Politicians, and especially the President, establish national goals and, at least implicitly, set the relative priorities. In part, the priorities are established by speeches. More concretely, priorities are established by appropriation of funds. Money has a way of influencing decisions, both governmental and individual. Recently the Reuss subcommittee has complained that we spent \$3 billion in one year on our program to place a man on the moon, and \$560 million to improve nuclear reactors, while spending only \$1 million for developing better methods of sewage treatment. Thus, Congress made an estimate of the relative desirability of making a new and imaginative approach to the problem of pollution.

A second major problem in establishing science policy is the mismatch in response times of the politicians and the scientists. Politicians respond to the mood of the moment. Often they react to one day's headlines. The characteristic response time of scientists to a serious problem is more like a year or two, or even five. Meeting the challenges of Sputnik required the training and retraining of many scientists, a process which still continues. Tomorrow the Great Society and its needs may become paramount. However, years could pass before science and technology made their optimum contributions.

The meshing of science policy to national goals is difficult, but we have evidence that the effort can be rewarding. World War II provided an example. At that time the nation had one overriding goal, that of winning the war. This goal was maintained for a number of years, so the time constants of the politicians and the scientists coincided. Moreover, the goal was clear to all. Science policy makers could employ fairly simple criteria, and they knew that well-thoughtout plans would be implemented. Accomplishments during the war were unprecedented, and they have not been matched since, in rate or quality.

Science policy cannot be made without reference to national goals. If politicians wish to have a sharper formulation of policy they must provide a more clear-cut description of the goals and of the relative priorities.—PHILIP H. ABELSON

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Two special systems were then taken up in greater detail-the embryo of the sea urchin and the hemoglobin-synthesizing system. S. Spiegelman showed some new approaches using both in vitro systems and hybridization techniques. P. R. Gross (Providence) dealt mainly with early protein synthesis in the embyos and its activation. This latter problem, especially from the point of view of activation and controls, was discussed by A. Monroy (Palermo), M. Nemer (Philadelphia), J. Runnström (Stockholm and Naples), and A. S. Spirin (Moscow). The last session was devoted to the synthesis of hemoglobin, a subject which has recently contributed much to the progress of our knowledge of the mechanism of protein synthesis; the discussion was led by P. A. Marks (New York) and C. Baglioni (Naples).

The sponsoring institutions were the Italian National Research Council, the International Union of Biological Sciences, and NATO. It is hoped that this type of interdisciplinary discussion can be resumed at a second international workshop, planned for the spring of 1967 in northern Italy.

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Forthcoming Events

February

15-17. Radioisotope Applications in Aerospace, symp., Dayton, Ohio. (P. Polishuk, Flight Dynamics Laboratory, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio)

15-18. Treatment and Storage of Highly Radioactive Waste, symp., Richland, Wash. (W. H. Regan, Jr., U.S. Atomic Energy Commission, Washington, D.C. 20545)

16-17. Voluntary Health, 2nd natl. conf., Chicago, Ill. (Dept. of Community Health and Health Education, American Medical Assoc., 535 N. Dearborn St., Chicago) 16-18. Practical Space Applications, symp., San Diego, Calif. (C. Tross, Box

symp., San Diego, Calif. (C. Tross, Box 931, Rancho Santa Fe, Calif.) 16-19. National Soc. of College Teach-

ers of Education, Chicago, Ill. (E. H. Goldenstein, Administration Bldg., 413, Univ. of Nebraska, Lincoln 68508)

16–19. Institute of Management Sciences, annual mtg., Dallas, Tex. (W. M. Campbell, Atlantic Refining Co., P.O. Box 2819, Dallas 75221)

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18-20. American **Psychopathological** Assoc., symp., New York, N.Y. (F. A. Freyhan, The Association, Natl. Inst. of Mental Health, c/o St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D.C. 20032)

19. Pleistocene of Ohio, interdisciplinary conf., Ohio Acad. of Science, Columbus. (J. L. Forsyth, Dept. of Geology, Bowling Green State Univ., Bowling Green, Ohio)

27-25. Analytical Chemistry and Applied Spectroscopy, Pittsburgh, Pa. (R. E. Hein, Mellon Inst., 4400 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh 15213)

21-25. Society for Nondestructive Testing, spring natl. conv., Los Angeles, Calif. (E. L. Criscuolo, U.S. Naval Ordnance Laboratory, White Oak, Silver Spring, Md.)

21-25. Non-Elastic Processes in the Upper Mantle, symp., Upper Mantle Committee, Intern. Union of Geodesy and Geophysics, Newcastle, England. (D. C. Tozer, School of Physics, The University, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 1, England)

22-24. Offshore Exploration, 1st conf., Long Beach, Calif. (P.O. Box 88, 2550 Via Tejon, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif.)

22-26. Canadian Assoc. of **Radiologists**, 29th annual, Montreal, Quebec. (The Association, 1555 Summerhill Ave., Montreal)

23-25. Biophysical Soc., 10th annual mtg., Boston, Mass. (J. Baruch, Bolt, Beranek and Newman Inc., 50 Moulton St., Cambridge, Mass. 02138)

24–26. American Acad. of Forensic Sciences, Chicago, Ill. (S. R. Gerber, Law-Medicine Center, Western Reserve Univ., Cleveland, Ohio 44106)

24-26. Interdisciplinary Aspects of Radiative Energy Transfer, Philadelphia, Pa. (J. J. Welsh, Space Sciences Laboratory, General Electric Co., Box 8555, Valley Forge, Pa.)

25-26. Thoracic Soc., spring mtg., London, England. (H. M. Foreman, Sully Hospital, Sully, Glamorganshire, England)

27-3. American Inst. of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers, annual mtg., New York, N.Y. (The Institute, 345 E. 47 St., New York 10017)

27-4. International Anesthesia Research Soc., Bal Harbour, Fla. (A. W. Friend, 227 Wade Park Manor, Cleveland, Ohio)

28-4. Aerial Triangulation, symp., Urbana, Ill. (M. B. Scher, Intern. Soc. for Photogrammetry, Commission 3, 9701 East Light Dr., Falls Church, Va.)

28-4. American Crystallographic Assoc., mtg., Univ. of Texas, Austin. (W. L. Kehl, Gulf Research and Development Co., P.O. Drawer 2038, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15230)

28–4. American Assoc. of Junior Colleges, 46th annual conv., St. Louis, Mo. (The Association, 1315 16th St., NW, Washington, D.C. 20036)

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1-2. Dairy Engineering, natl. conf., Michigan State Univ., East Lansing. (C. W. Hall, Agricultural Engineering Dept., Michigan State Univ., East Lansing)

1-3. Space Maintenance and Extra-Vehicular Activities, natl. conf., Orlando, Fla. (M. B. Goldman, Mail No. 302, Martin Co., Baltimore, Md. 21203)

1-10. Industrial Development in the Arab Countries, regional symp., Kuwait. (Intern. Agency Liaison Branch, Office of the Director General, Food and Agriculture Organization, Via delle terme di Caracalla, Rome, Italy)

2-4. Air Pollution Medical Research, AMA conf., Los Angeles, Calif. (Dept. of Environmental Health, American Medical Assoc., 535 N. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill. 60610)

2-4. Plasmadynamics, conf., Monterey, Calif. (American Inst. of Aeronautics and Astronautics, 1290 Sixth Ave., New York 10019)

2-4. Scintillation and Semiconductor Counters, 10th symp., Washington, D.C. (W. A. Higinbotham, Brookhaven Natl. Laboratory, Upton, L.I., N.Y.)

3-4. Louisiana Soc. for Electron Microscopy, 3rd annual symp., New Orleans. (W. R. Goynes, Southern Regional Research Laboratory, Box 19687, New Orleans)

3-5. Central Surgical Assoc., Chicago, Ill. (C. E. Lischer, 457 N. Kingshighway, St. Louis 8, Mo.)

4-5. Cineradiology, 5th symp., Rochester, N.Y. (R. Gramiak, Div. of Diagnostic Radiology, Univ. of Rochester Medical Center, Rochester 14620)

4-6. American Assoc. of **Pathologists** and **Bacteriologists**, 63rd annual mtg., Cleveland, Ohio. (P. Fitzgerald, Downstate Medical Center, 450 Clarkson Ave., Brooklyn 3, N.Y.)

5-7. Society for American Archaeology, 31st annual mtg., Univ. of Nevada, Reno. (D. D. Fowler, Dept. of Anthropology, Univ. of Nevada, Reno 89507)

5-10. International Acad. of **Proctology**, 18th annual conv., Miami Beach, Fla. (A. F. Cantor, 147-41 Sanford Ave., Flushing, N.Y. 11355)

6-11. American Soc. of Photogrammetry, Washington, D.C. (C. E. Palmer, 5917 Brookview Dr., Brookland Estates, Alexandria, Va.)

7-9. Fundamental **Cancer Research**, 20th annual symp., Univ. of Texas, Houston. (M. Mandel, Dept. of Biology, M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Inst., Univ. of Texas, Houston 77025)

7-9. Electric Propulsion, 5th conf., American Inst. of Aeronautics and Astronautics, San Diego, Calif. (A. T. Forrester, Electro-Optical Systems, Inc., 300 N. Halstead St., Pasadena, Calif. 91107)

7-9. Space, 3rd congr., Cocoa Beach, Fla. (R. M. Barnes, PAA-Guided Missiles Range Div., Bldg. 423, MU 111, Patrick Air Force Base, Fla.)

7-11. American Soc. for Metals, western metal and tool exposition and conf., Los Angeles, Calif. (The Society, Metals Park, Ohio)

7-11. Society of **Plastics Engineers**, 22nd annual technical conf., Montreal, P.Q., Canada. (G. L. Bata, Union Carbide Canada, Ltd., P.O. Box 700, Pointe-aux-Trembles, P.Q.)

7-12. Inter-American Nuclear Energy Commission, 6th mtg., Washington, D.C. (J. D. Perkinson, Jr., Pan American Union, Washington 20006)

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20-23. Solar Energy Soc., 2nd annual mtg., Boston, Mass. (F. Edlin, Arizona State Univ., Tempe 85281)

21–24. Aerospace Instrumentation, 4th intern. symp., College of Aeronautics, Cranfield, England. (E. K. Merewether, ISA Aerospace Industry Div., 4515 Canoga Ave., Woodland Hills, Calif.)

21-25. Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, intern. conv., New York, N.Y. (IEEE, 345 E. 47 St., New York 10017)

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25-26. National Assoc. of **Biology Teachers**, western regional conv., Los Angeles, Calif. (The Association, Professional Building, Great Falls, Mont.)

26-2. Stress Analysis, 3rd intern. conf., Berlin, Germany. (H. Kotthaus, Verein Deutscher Ingenieure, Prinz-Georg Str. 77/79, 4 Düsseldorf 10)

26-27. Arizona Chest Disease Symp., Tucson. (E. A. Oppenheimer, P.O. Box 6067, Tucson 85716)

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28-31. Collegium Intern. Neuro-Psychopharmacologicum, 5th biennial mtg., Washington, D.C. (M. K. Taylor, 3636 16th St., NW, Washington 20010)

29-31. Airborne Infection, 2nd intern. conf., Illinois Inst. of Technology, Chicago. (E. K. Wolfe, U.S. Army Biological Laboratories, Fort Detrick, Frederick, Md.)

29-31. Applied Meteorology, 6th natl. conf., Los Angeles, Calif. (B. N. Charles, Booz-Allen Applied Research, 6151 W. Century Blvd., Los Angeles 90045)

29-31. Chemical Soc., anniversary mtgs., Oxford, England. (General Secretary, Burlington House, London W.1)

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30. Oral Cancer, 4th symp., St. Francis Hospital, Poughkeepsie, N.Y. (M. A. Engelman, 1 E. Academy St., Wappingers Falls, N.Y.)

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31-2. Michigan Acad. of Science, Arts, and Letters, Wayne State Univ., Detroit. (E. A. Wunsch, Dept. of English, Univ. of Michigan, Ann Arbor)

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Atomic Energy Research Inst., 1-1, Shibatamura-cho, Minato-ku, Tokyo) 4-6. Exobiology, conf., Ames Research

Center, Moffett Field, Calif. (Letters and Science Extension, Univ. of California, Berkeley 94720)

4-6. American Assoc. of **Physical Anthropologists**, Berkeley, Calif. (F. E. Johnston, Dept. of Anthropology, Univ. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia 19104)

4-7. Federation of European **Biochem**ical Soc., 3rd mtg., Warsaw, Poland. (T. Klopotowski, Polish Biochemical Soc., Freta 16, Warsaw)

4-7. Advances in Water Quality Improvement, conf., Univ. of Texas, Austin. (Special Lecture Series, Engineering Laboratories Bldg. 305, Univ. of Texas, Austin 78712)

4-8. International **Biological Program**, 2nd general assembly, Paris, France. (F. W. G. Baker, 2 via Sebenico, Rome, Italy)

4-10. **Psychology**, 10th inter-American congr., Lima, Peru. (Intern. Soc. of Psychology, 2104 Meadowbrook Dr., Austin, Tex.)

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7-8. Southern **Sociological** Soc., annual mtg., New Orleans, La. (J. J. Honigmann, Dept. of Anthropology, Univ. of North Carolina, Chapel Hill)

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11-20. Oceanography, intern. conf., Moscow, U.S.S.R. (R. C. Vetter, Committee on Oceanography, Natl. Acad. of Sciences, 2101 Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, D.C. 20418)

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12–29. Soil Conservation, 1st Pan American congr., São Paulo, Brazil. (J. Abramides Neto, avda. Francisco Matarazzo 455, Caixa Postal 8366, São Paulo)

13-15. Institute of Environmental Sciences, 12th annual tech. mtg. and equipment exp., San Diego, Calif. (The Institute, 34 S. Main St., Mount Prospect, Ill. 60057)

13-16. American Orthopsychiatric Assoc., 43rd annual mtg., San Francisco, Calif. (M. F. Langer, The Association, 1790 Broadway, New York 10019)

13-16. American Radium Soc., annual mtg., Phoenix, Ariz. (J. L. Pool, Memorial Soc., 444 E. 68 St., New York 10021)

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14-15. British **Biophysical** Soc., spring mtg., Oxford, England. (D. Noble, Balliol College, Oxford)

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