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"I don't wish to overlook the paper of the Armenian Program of Fresno University, Hye Sharzhoom/Armenian Action, whose editors are Prof. Dickran Kouymjian and Vahe Messerlian. The periodical is published in English and Armenian and has student readers beyond Fresno."

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«Լոս - Անճըլլոս» բառով կը հասկնանք ոչ միայն 3.000.000 բնակիչ ունեցող քաղաքը, որոնցմէ թերեւս 40.000-ը հայ է (20.000-ը կեդրոնացած Հոլիվուօսի թաղին մէջ), այլ նաեւ անոր արուարձաններէն ոմանք, օրինակ՝ Կլէնտէյլ, իր 15.000 Հայութեամբ, Փասսատինա, նոյն թիւով, եւայլն: Լոս - Անճըլլոս եւ իր անձայրածիր արուարձանները, միասին, ունին 7 միլիոն բնակիչ, անոնցմէ 125 հազարը Հայ, իմ հաշիւովս. ուրիշներ աւելի բարձր կը դնահատեն այդ թիւը: Այս թիւին մօտ երեք չորրորդը զբաղակցողներն են՝ Գրեյն, Սթեյն, Լիբանանէն, Իրանէն, Միչիգէն - Արեւելքի միւս զազութներէն: Ասիէ դուրս, Հարաւային Քալիֆորնիոյ միւս շրջաններուն մէջ ալ կայ գոնէ 25.000, ուրիշներ կ'ըսեն 50.000 Հայութիւն, կէսը գոնէ՝ նորեկներ: Կեդրոնական եւ հիւսիսային Քալիֆորնիոյ մէջ (Փրէզիս, Սան - Ֆրանսիսքօ եւայլն) կայ գոնէ 50.000 Հայութիւն, որոնցմէ թերեւս 10.000-ը նորեկ: Ուրեմն, Քալիֆորնիոյ մէջ կ'ապրի նուազագոյնը 200.000 Հայ (թերեւս 250 հազար), որոնցմէ մօտ 110.000-ը «գուրսէն» եկած են, Միչիգէն - Արեւելքի կամ Սորհրդային - Հայաստանի հայախօս եւ սանկուստ - նանկ հայլնթերց շրջանակներէն, 1965-էն ետք:



Պատկերը ամբողջացնելու համար կ'արժէ աւելցնել որ իսկապէս ընթերցասէր հանրութեան մէջ նշանակալից է թիւը «Հորիզոն» թերթի ընթերցողներու: Հետաքրքրական երեւոյթ մըն է այս շարժաթերթի թափանցումը՝ Միացեալ - Նահանգներու արեւմտեան ու մանաւանդ արեւելեան - Ատլանտեան շրջանին մէջ, քանի որ ան պաշտօնաթերթն է ... Գաւառային Լ. Յ. Գ. Կ. Կ. -ին, խմբագրութեամբ՝ Վրէժ - Արմէն Արթինեանի: Ենթահի իր որակին, զոր շատեր «անսովոր» կ'որակեն, այս թերթը ընդունելութիւն եւ ընթերցողներ սկսած է գտնել իր ծիրէն դուրս:

Չեմ ուզեր անտեսել Ֆրեզնոյի համալսարանի հայկական ամպիոնի թերթը, Հայ Եարժուս, որուն խմբագիրներն են Փրոֆ. Տիգրան Գոյումճեան եւ Վահէ Մարրիան: Պարբերաթերթը յոյս կը տեսնէ անդերեկնով ու հայերէնով, եւ ունի ուսանող - ընթերցողներ, Ֆրեզնոյէն դուրս ալ:

Այս է ուրեմն «համայնապատկեր»ը իսպառարդէս զազութի մը իսպառարդէս մամուլին, զոր առի՛ կարելիութեանս սահմաններուն մէջ:

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Special Armenian Courses Will Be Offered at California State University

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Dr. Dickran Kouymjian introduced the controversial course three years ago. Because of its popularity then and because 1985 marks the tenth anniversary of the outbreak of organized Armenian militancy, the course will be offered again at a time convenient for both the university and non-academic community.

In addition to discussing the history of the Armenian Secret Army for the Liberation of Army (ASALA), the Justice Commandos of the Armenian Genocide, and the Armenian Revolutionary Army (ARA), Professor Kouymjian will assess the effect of Armenian political violence on Armenian-Turkish relations, on the western world and international bodies, and on the Armenian search for recognition of the 1915 Genocide. Guest speakers will be invited with varying viewpoints.

Two other one credit courses will be offered later in the semester; the one on October 19 and 26 will be devoted to the rites and beliefs, the history, and the current problems of the Armenian Church. It will be

taught jointly by the newly appointed lecturer in Armenian Studies, Barlow Der Mugrdchian, and Dr. Kouymjian. There will be a series of guest speakers including Armenian clergymen.

The final Saturday course on the "Armenian Experience Through Film" will meet December 7 and 14. Dr. Kouymjian will discuss the history of Armenian film making and show a select number of modern and historic Armenian films, or films by Armenian film makers, including William Saroyan, Rouben Mamoulian and Henrik Malian. Dr. J. Michael Hagopian, the famous producer and director of Armenian documentary films, will be present on December 7 to introduce his latest films.

Enrollment for the Political Violence course, Armenian Studies 120T, as well as other courses is open to all. To sign up, contact the Armenian Studies Program (Tel. 294-2669) or the University Division of Extended Education (Tel. 294-2524). The fee for university credit is \$54.00. Those who wish to attend without credit will be entitled to a special fee of only \$25.00, however, they must register formally as other students. Currently enrolled students may add the courses fee before the end of the fourth week of classes.

For further information, contact the Armenian Studies Program.

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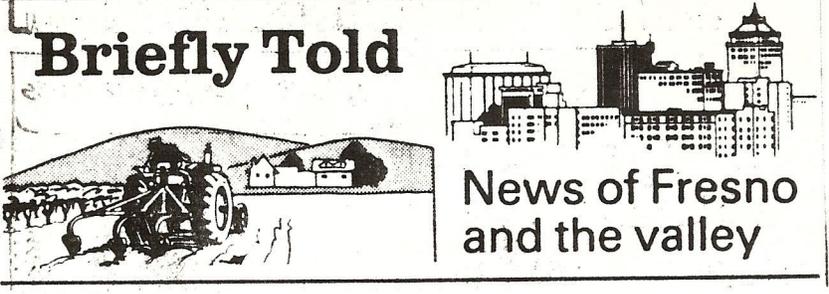
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Briefly Told



News of Fresno and the valley

A course on "**Armenian Political Violence**" will be offered as the first in a series of three Saturday programs this fall by the Armenian Studies Program at Fresno State University. Other classes in the series deal with the Armenian church, and Armenian documentary films. The fee for each class is \$54 if taken for credit and \$25 if taken on a non-credit basis. The first course begins Saturday. For more information, contact the FSU Armenian Studies Program Office at 294-2669 or the Division of Extended Education at 294-2524.



Course on Armenian Militants at CSUF Fresno

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Saturday Courses at Cal State, Fresno to Study Armenian Political Violence

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Armenians Play Major Role At Fresno Centennial Fete

FRESNO — "A Visit To Fresno — A Trip Around the World" will be theme of an exhibit on the downtown Fulton Mall as part of Fresno Centennial Festival Celebration on Oct. 5 and 6.

More than 20 countries, including Armenia, will be represented in the exhibit that will also focus on ethnic foods, costumes and entertainment.

The Armenian participation in the Centennial Festival is most appropriate, since only a few years earlier, in the fall of 1881, Armenian immigrants in search for freedom and opportunity, settled in Fresno. Armenians, along with many other ethnic groups, have contributed much to the growth of Fresno.

"Each country has been assigned an area on the mall, a half block in size, which will transform

into a visual presentation about its particular country, its people and customs," said exhibit coordinator, Tom Nortwick of the Fresno Downtown Association.

Allan Y. Jendian of the Armenian Assembly and coordinator of the Armenian section, said the Hye section on the Fulton Mall at Kern Street will feature ethnic foods, pastries and major cultural and historical exhibits by various local Armenian organizations.

Highlighting the Hye section will be an elaborate photographic exhibit, "The Armenian Community in California: The First One Hundred Years," prepared on the occasion of the centennial observance of the settlement of Armenians in California and exhibited here in 1982.

The project was co-sponsored by the Armenian Assembly of America, the Armenian Film Foundation and the Armenian Studies Program, CSUF, with a matching grant by the California Council for the Humanities.

Another feature will be a display of Armenian costumes of the past, recaptured by members of the Armenian Relief Society, Sophia chapter. The costume exhibit can be seen at Luftenburg's Bridal store.

A special centennial booklet with a cover montage by artist Varaz Samuelian is being prepared by the Armenian Assembly, Fresno Committee "that promises to be a keepsake."

Appearing in the opening program on Oct. 5, on the main stage

at Van Ness and the Mariposa Mall, at 2 p.m. are: noted oudist Richard A. Hagopian and his Ensemble, dancer/choreographer Tom Bozigian and the Arax Dancers. The chorus from the Armenian Community School will perform at 5:15 p.m. on Oct. 5 at the Theatre A La Carte stage at "M" and Broadway.

On Oct. 6, at 12:45 p.m., the Hamaskayin Chorus will perform on the main stage.

Participating organizations in the Hye section include the Armenian Assembly, the Armenian Community School of Fresno, the Armenian Relief Society, Sophia chapter, the St. Paul Armenian Church, Junior Ladies Society and the National Institute of Armenian Culture.