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UCSC Science, Library Units Architectural Honors

ge tectural awards today at the de-local campus. partment of Health, Education and Welfare, Washington, D.C.

Natural sciences unit No. 1 received a first place award and library unit No. 1 received an award of merit from the American Institute of Architects and the Educational Facilities Laboratories in collaboration with the Bureau of Higher Educa-

The awards were presented

Architect for the \$2.58-million natural sciences struc-

William Stephen ture was Allen, of Anshen and Allen of San Francisco. Containing 81,500 square feet, it was built by Nomellini construccompany of Stockton. Construction started in March, 1964, and ended in September, 1965.

The natural sciences buildby Commissioner Harold Howe ing consists of three central II, of the U.S. Office of Educa-buildings: a three-story labora-

Two major buildings on the tion, to UCSC Librarian Donald tory, classroom and faculty of lyo UCSC campus received archi-T. Clark, who represented the fice; a one-story building con-the two lecture halls, one for taining with a 250-seat capacity and the ling other with 100; and a one-story shop-storage unit.

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The building is of concrete, with columns and wall panels of precast concrete and floor slabs his of post-tensioned, lightweight concrete. Copper-clad parapets na The lec- an hide roof equipment. ture hall roof is sheathed in gu

Structural engineer was T. Y. Lin and Associates International, mechanical and electrical engineer was Gaynor Engineers, and landscape architect was Douglas Bayliss, all of San Francisco.

Architect for the library was John Carl Warnecke, of John Carl Warnecke and Associates of San Francisco. The \$2.32-million building was constructed by Rothschild, Raffin and Weir- b ick, Inc., of San Francisco. Started in January, 1965, and ed completed in September, 1966, it contains 102,600 square feet. h

The building consists of four stories surrounding an interior open-air reading court. It is made of reinforced concrete, with some use of wood in balcony rails and in the interior finishing. Concrete, poured in place, is expected. Wall panels on the top floor are pre-cast exposed aggregate concrete.

The library is located amid redwood trees, including circles of 150-foot second growth cathedrals. It is within 10 to 15 minutes' walking distance from the residential colleges.

Structural engineer was Isadore Thompson, mechanical and I structural engineer was Keller and Gannon, and landscape ar-chitect was Thomas D. Church, all of San Francisco.

The UCSC facilities were two of 29 winning buildings selected by from 258 entries throughout the nation. All were federally funded in part, under Title I of the a Higher Education Facilities Act f of 1963. Natural sciences was a granted \$1 million and the li-th brary \$923,098 under the federm ated act.

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A special bronze plaque will st be installed in the natural sci- to ences unit in recognition of its E. first-place honor.

(Pictures of the two UCSC prize winners are on Page 11 of today's Sentinel.)

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