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SPACE SCIENTIST TO DO SPECIAL RESEARCH AT JICAMARCA

Prof. William B. Hanson of the Southwest Center for Advanced Studies' Atmospheric and Space Sciences Division will do one month's special research on ionospheric behavior at the equator during 1969.

His work will be conducted at Jicamarca Radar Observatory in Peru. The observatory, which has headquarters in Lima, is situated in the 20,000 foot Andes mountains, about 12 degrees south of the equator.

No date has been set for the month's research. The program is supported by a new National Science Foundation grant of \$4,000.

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ROBERT LLOYD JONES, SCAS, AUTHOR OF SECOND BOOK ON COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

Robert Lloyd Jones of the Southwest Center for Advanced Studies is the author of a book to be published this spring on "Basic COBOL for IBM System/360." The book, designed to be used as the text for one-semester college courses, is his second publication in the field.

Mr. Jones is Manager, Business Data Processing, at the SCAS. He is also a member of the faculty at El Centro junior college in Dallas.

The book describes basic concepts of the COBOL programming language, and is intended to aid students and beginning programmers to write simple computer programs in short time plus make transitions to more complicated languages.

Prentice-Hall is the publisher of the book.

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