Ten years after the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which required the government to make sure that no federally funded programs practiced discrimination, the Department of Justice is still struggling with the question of racial segregation in higher education.

According to the report, the department determined that 10 states were operating segregated systems of higher education. It was not until Feb. 16, 1973, however, when U.S. District Judge John H. Pratt ordered the law, that the department initiated formal review and compliance proceedings in all 10 states. These reviews are almost over. By June 21, H.E.W.'s Office for Civil Rights will decide whether nine of the 10 states cited in the case before Judge Pratt have developed acceptable plans for desegregating their traditionally white colleges and universities. The 10th state, Louisiana, is being sued by the Department of Justice for failing to submit a plan. The government's decisions will be milestone.

Truman Dispute Tests 2 Roles Of President

By William A. Sievert

SAN JOSE, CAL.

An assistant university professor who has been denied promotion at San Jose State University here has filed a suit that could have repercussions for grievance procedures at colleges throughout the country.

Joseph Foresi, Jr., who was recommended for promotion by his faculty colleagues in the school of education in the fall of 1972 after six years on the tenure track, was subsequently terminated by the university administration, effective this spring.

Under the procedures of the California State University and Colleges system, the final decision not to promote or grant tenure to Mr. Foresi was made by San Jose State President John H. Bunzel on the recommendation of Mr. Foresi's dean.

Mr. Foresi then turned to the university grievance procedures. His case was handled by a hearing officer designated by the system chancellor's office. The hearing officer upheld the termination and that decision was reversed by a hearing officer designated by the system administrator, Mr. Bunzel, Mr. Foresi's dean.

Mr. Foresi charged that making action by the president the final step is both the promotion process and the grievance procedures—a fairly common practice among colleges—subjected the faculty member to double jeopardy.

A legal brief prepared by Mr. Foresi's lawyers argued that "it is obvious" that the Continued on Page 2, Column 4

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In Biomedicine

Faces Review

By Philip M. Balfy

WASHINGTON

The Nixon Administration is considering a major review of the nation's biomedical research programs, in the wake of criticism that the research effort is being jeopardized by misplaced priorities and bureaucratic bungling.

Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, says he has recommended that a Presidential commission be established to conduct "a major, short, extremely professional, and highly competent" review of the appropriate role for the federal government in biomedica

British Open U. Courses Found Unsuitable for 'Disadvantaged'

PRINCETON, N.J.

Courses prepared by Princeton University can be used in American institutions, but they probably are not suitable for students who lack strong academic credentials, according to a study conducted by the Educational Testing Service.

The Open University courses required a good deal of time and effort, and rather traditional student competencies, the study found. "As such, these courses probably should not be regarded as a particularly accommodating means of entry into secondary and tertiary educational opportunities to those who might be regarded as educationally dis-
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After a Decade, College Desegregation Still an Unsettled Issue

To be more, often poorly prepared black students. "Even if one out of every four applicants achieves less than a combined score of 650 on the College Board tests..."

"The data supports the findings of many previous studies that black students are inferior not only in the academic skills which they bring to college but also in their capacity to adjust to and compete with students from minority groups."... "The antipathy and ambivalence toward integration on the part of minority-group recruiting..."

"The black schools can't even play the same game. The majority institutions are playing..."

"If we reach a point where the numbers of whites and blacks are equal..."

"In this era of high technology, job openings for persons with a 'sound education'..."

"If we have some special trouble attracting white students..."