

STAFF BULLETIN

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C A L E N D A R *****

SATURDAY February 11	10:30 a.m.	Developmental Programs Committee Special Open Meeting 141 North Foundation Hall
MONDAY February 13	noon	Western Institutions Staff Meeting Faculty Dining Room

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SPECIAL MEETING: Developmental Programs Committee will discuss "Proposal to Fix a Quality Standard" at the open meeting Saturday.

A N N O U N C E M E N T S *****

MEETING CANCELED: The Administrative Group will not meet Monday, February 13, Mr. Varner announces.

ENROLLMENT FIGURES: Statistics released by Mr. Stoutenburg show a total of 837 students registered for the Winter Term. There are 469 men, 368 women; 512 freshmen, 325 sophomores; 817 students are from eight Michigan counties; 16 students from 11 other states and four from four foreign countries. The 49 new students--28 men, 21 women--are from four Michigan counties.

TRUSTEES MEET: The Michigan State University Board of Trustees will meet at MSUO for the first time Thursday, February 16.

RECOMMENDED VIEWING: "The College Panic," a discussion of current and future problems of admission to college will be presented on "The Twentieth Century" documentary series at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, February 12, on the CBS Television Network. Mr. Stoutenburg believes the program will be of interest to the staff.

The program focuses on the question of whether the much-talked about "panic" is based on fact or fiction, and "whether today's high school seniors, jittery and confused, are perhaps the unwitting victims of a pressurized and status-seeking society," the CBS news department said.

Among those presenting their views on the subject will be writer and social critic Vance Packard, author of the best-sellers, "The Hidden Persuaders," "The Status Seekers" and "The Waste Makers;" Edward S. Noyes, Acting President of the College Entrance Examination Board; and Dr. Frederick M. Raubinger, New Jersey State Commissioner of Education.

"The College Panic," narrated by CBS News Correspondent Walter Cronkite, was filmed at a conference in Pittsburgh of college admissions officers and high school guidance counselors, and at the Upper Darby (Pa.) Senior High School.

FOREIGN STUDENTS: Mr. Varner made the following announcement: "Since we shall hopefully be having an increasing number of foreign students and since they invariably provide special problems, I should like to designate Mr. Stoutenburg as the University's Foreign Student Adviser. This does not include the academic advising program which should be handled in its normal fashion but rather provides a central point for counseling foreign students with their multiple problems."

FACULTY WIVES: The monthly meeting of the Faculty Women's Club will be at the home of Mrs. Margaret Hoopes, 2911 Heidelberg, Rochester, on Thursday, February 16, at 2 p.m. Those who wish to make use of the baby-sitting services offered at the Presbyterian Church for this occasion, should call Mrs. Ginny McKay at OL 1-0332.