

MAY 9, 1972

STUDENTS EARN CREDITS AT VETERANS' HOSPITAL

Eight Oakland University students will be taking part in a first-of-its-kind program as part of a directed research project for Allport College, an "inner college" of Oakland University. O.U. has signed an agreement with the Veterans Administration to permit the students to conduct research at the Veterans hospital in Hampton, Va., while living at nearby Hampton Institute. The students have finished courses in behavioral sciences and will be earning off-campus credits for the research. The program will last from May 8 through the end of June.

Allport College focuses on the behavioral sciences and relates these to the technical sciences and the humanities. It is a four-year college, not designed to be a major in itself, but to accompany the student's departmental major. Freshmen in Allport College take general courses in behavioral and preceptorial sciences, which also fulfill University academic requirements. Sophomores are offered a program of guest scholars and the junior year is spent doing a directed research project or other form of off-campus study. Seniors are offered a Colloquium course.

Carl Vann, chairman of Allport College, stresses the use of small classes and tutorial experiences as well as large-group activities. "Salon Seminars" which include cultural demonstrations and experiences with people of other countries and their literature and cultures, are organized by the Allport faculty

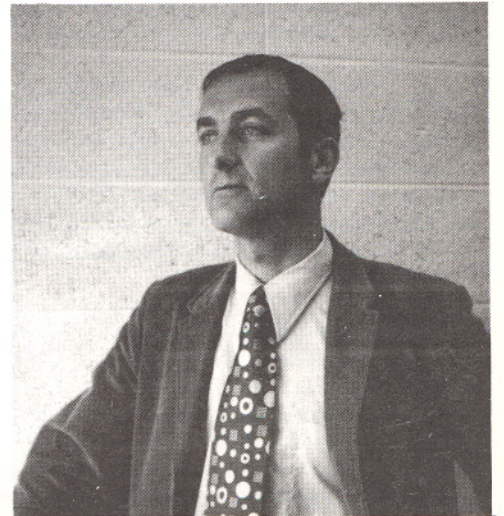
ALLAN NAMED NEW DIRECTOR OF OAKLAND'S COMPUTER SERVICES

A. E. Charles Allan has been announced as Oakland University's new Director of Computer Services by William Sturner, asst. president for campus planning.

Allan, 32, comes to OU from the State University of New York at Buffalo where he was Associate Director of Computer Services. He has also been Manager of Computer Applications for Acres Group of Consultants in Niagara Falls, Canada, and Education Specialist for the Canadian General Electric Company.

He has extensive experience in Basic Assembly language, FORTRAN II and IV, COBOL and MAP, and the GE 400 series operator systems and compiler design.

A native of Bournemouth, England, Allan is married and has two daughters. He holds a B.S. degree in mathematics from the University of London, an M.S. degree in computer science from the State University of New York at Buffalo and is also working toward his Ph.D. in computer science there.



A. E. CHARLES ALLAN

In the past, Allan has held teaching posts at Millard Fillmore College in Buffalo, N.Y., and at Brock University and Niagara College of Applied Arts and Technology in Canada. His publications include "Data Processing Equipment and Programming" and "Studies on the Behavior of an Organism in a Hostile Environment."

MEADOW BROOK HALL GUIDE TO PUBLISH ORIGINAL ART



THIS WATERCOLOR SKETCH, one of two views, was done by Smith, Hinchman and Grylls in the late 1920's as an elevation rendering for Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Wilson before the completion of Meadow Brook Hall. The watercolor will be published formally for the first time in the Meadow Brook Hall Guide, which is soon to be produced. Although the original picture hung in the Club House, plans are underway to have it rematted and framed for proper viewing in the Hall.

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BLACK AMERICAN HISTORY ON TELEVISION

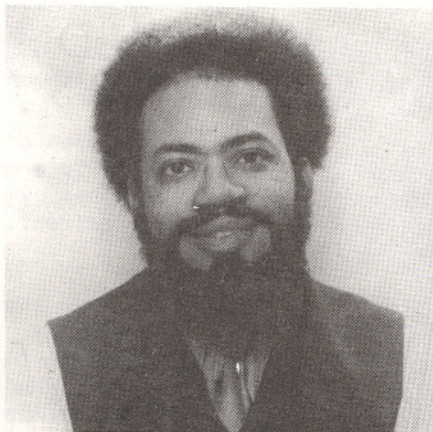
Black American History will be the topic on "TV College," WXYZ-TV (Channel 7) during the weeks of May 15-19 and May 22-26. The current series is on "The Black Experience: Its Sources and Substance."

Two historians, De Witt Dykes, Oakland University, and Norman McRae, Detroit Public Schools, will be the main lecturers during these two weeks. Dykes, who is in his third year of teaching history at Oakland University, will give four lectures.

In his first talk, "African Explorers and Servants in the New World," to be shown on Tuesday, May 16, Dykes discusses African explorers who sailed to the Americas before Columbus and the Africans who were indentured servants in the 1600's. Wednesday, May 17, Dykes discusses "The Atlantic Slave Trade."

Thursday, May 18, Norman McRae will cover "The Peculiar Institution of Slavery" and on Friday, May 19, McRae's topic will be "Cotton as King."

Dykes' topic will be "Black Pioneers" of the American revolutionary period and the founding of black institutions on Monday, May 22.



DE WITT DYKES

On Tuesday, May 23, Dykes will define "Black Nationalism" and comment upon such prominent Black Nationalists as Paul Cuffe, W.E.B. DuBois, Marcus Garvey and Malcolm X.

McRae will talk about "The Black Man in Michigan" on Wednesday, May 24. On Thursday, May 25, McRae and a panel will discuss "The Underground Railroad." (Pictures and illustrations accompany each talk.)

Other programs in the series will continue Monday through Friday, until July 7th. All programs will be shown on WXYZ, Channel 7, from 6:30 to 7:00 a.m.

The series is a credit course coordinated by Professor Margaret Ashworth through Wayne State University's Division of Urban Extension.

EKLUND GIVES PAPER TO NUEA

Lowell Eklund, dean of Continuing Education Dept., delivered a paper on the Continuum Center at the National University Extension Association (NUEA) annual conference, May 1-3, Columbia, S.C. Eklund is frequently asked for information about the center's "Investigation Into Identity" program. Considered the leading program in the country, it has served as the prototype for many experimental efforts by educational institutions across the nation.

HEATING PLANT ROAD CLOSED

Construction on the Heating Plant Road, temporarily suspended, was resumed during the week of May 1, 1972. It will now be necessary to close the road until about June 15, 1972.

MISSING KITTY

Susie, the Farmhouse mascot for three years, disappeared two weeks ago. A true friend of Mrs. Irene Pelton (that nice lady who tends to the Clubhouse) and protector against mice, Susie is a pretty calico cat. Her owners miss her! If anyone has seen her or knows her whereabouts, please call the Continuum Center at 7-3033.

GOLF TEAM PLANS SIX MATCH WEEK

Captain Dave DeWulf, Bloomfield Hills senior, shot 73 on the Bald Mountain Golf Course Saturday to lead the OU Pioneers to a 305-311 victory over the Grand Valley State College team. The win was the fourth dual match victory against two defeats. Scores by other team members were: 77's by Gerard Tarr, Troy, and Jon Brown, Pontiac; 78 by John Hillman, Taylor; and 82 by Kevin Fair, Chicago.

The Pioneers lost two early season matches to Saginaw Valley State College and Grand Valley State College, but have since defeated both teams plus Albion College and Northwood Institute..

The OU team has a busy schedule this week, playing six matches in four days. (see campus Calendar for schedule information)



1972 OAKLAND UNIVERSITY GOLF TEAM #33 Girard Tarr, #36 Kevin Fair, #34 Fred Mercer, #31 Jack Brown, #35 John Hillman, #32 Captain Dave DeWulf



MATILDA (RAUSCH) DODGE WILSON

These oil-tinted photoportraits of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Wilson were done by Eva Briggs in the early 1960's and will also be published for the first time in the new Meadow Brook Hall Guide. The portraits now hang in the Administrative Offices in N. Foundation Hall.



ALFRED GEORGE WILSON

PROFESSOR MARGARET KURZMAN AND BRYAN McMAHON FEATURED ON WDET

Professor Margaret Kurzman of the Writing Center and Department of English and Bryan McMahon, an instructor in the Writing Center, were interviewed March 28 on Gary Barton's "American Time Capsule" program, WDET. Mrs. Kurzman read poems from her book, Because Capri-corn Rising and Mr. McMahon, from his book, Kree.

They are currently taping a jazz-poetry program with the Vachel Lindsay Memorial Drugstore Band for broadcast later this month.

COLLEGE INFORMATION DAY AT O.U. DRAWS STATE-WIDE ATTENDANCE

Oakland University will hold its 7th annual College Information Day (CID) Saturday, May 20.

High school juniors from all over Michigan will attend the half-day session. Designed to answer the hundred-and-one questions whose answers are often elusive and fragmented at the high school level, the Information Day is open to all high school students.

Faculty members from the Schools of Economics and Management, Engineering, Education, and College of Arts and Sciences will be available to talk with an expected 500 students about their areas of interest. The Admissions Staff will hold discussion groups on college entrance procedures, factors to be considered in the selection of a college and will give pointers on filling out scholarship forms and applying for financial aid.

Irrespective of the school, the CID can help any student to get general information for whichever school he plans to attend.

Thirty to forty per cent of Oakland's freshman class have generally taken part in CID. In addition, students already enrolled for college in the fall may attend and perhaps find solutions to new and unforeseen problems.

The information and opportunities discussed during CID are valuable to both parents and students and can help them avoid a long wait for college entrance and scholarship application replies by giving them an early start.

Participants will meet at 8:30 a.m. in the Wilson Hall Theatre for refreshments and a welcome address. The morning will end with a tour of Oakland's campus.



OU NETTERS

The tennis team lost to Cleveland Friday, April 28, 1972. During the match, however, OU won number one doubles when Geoff Nichols and Stephen Stuk scored a 6-2, 3-6, 6-4. The season record is five wins and nine losses after the Saturday, April 29, loss to Central Michigan University, 9-0. Coach Delawasum has placed a lot of confidence in her team and feels that they are having a good season. Back row (left to right): Captain Stephen Stuk, Gerry Breen, Coach Delawasum, Paul Tabaka, Geoff Nichols. Front row: Tom Glover, Bruce Gursky, Chuck Lindgren.



campus calendar

EXTENSION
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FAMILY TOUR DAY SET AT KNOLE COTTAGE

Tuesday May 9	1:00 PM 1:00 8:30	OU vs. U of M - Flint at Grand Blanc (golf) OU vs. Hillsdale College at Oakland (double header) Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE
Wednesday May 10	1:00 PM 2:00 8:30	OU vs. WSU and Aquinas at Oakland (golf) Matinee Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE
Thursday May 11	8:30 PM	Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE
Friday May 12	2:30 PM 2:30 8:30	Spartan Golf Invitational at East Lansing OU vs. Aquinas College at Grand Rapids (baseball) OU vs. Northwood Institute at Oakland (tennis) Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE
Saturday May 13	9:30 AM 1:00 PM 6:00 9:30	OU vs. Wayne State at Oakland (tennis) Spartan Golf Invitational at East Lansing OU vs. Grand Valley at Oakland (double header) Matinee Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE
Sunday May 14	1-4 PM 1:00 6:30	Meadow Brook Hall tours OU vs. University of Detroit at Oakland (double header) Meadow Brook Theatre play, THE PRICE

Monday
May 15

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May 16

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VIIth INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON CYBERNETICS

The International Association for Cybernetics is organizing the Seventh International Congress on Cybernetics in Namur (Belgium) from September 10-15, 1973.

The official languages of the Congress will be English and French.

All those wishing to take part in the Congress are invited to write to the Secretariat of the International Association for Cybernetics, Palais des Expositions, Place André Rijckmans, Namur (Belgium).

Authors of papers are requested to send the title and a summary of the paper to the Secretariat as soon as possible (not later than January 1, 1973).

APPLY NOW FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE COURSE

Applications are still being accepted for the Community Service Course 201-202 for fall semester.

Forms are available in the Urban Affairs Center, 120 North Foundation Hall and should be returned to Irene Robinson, Program Director in that office.

COTTRELL RESEARCH GRANT AWARDED TO DR. WALLACE AND TEPLY

The Research Corporation, a foundation for the advancement of science, recently awarded to O.U. Professors William D. Wallace, Assistant Professor of Physics, and Norman Tepley, Associate Professor of Physics, a Cottrell research grant for \$5,012.

Wallace and Tepley have been conducting their research on "Ultrasonic Measurements of Magneto-Elastic Properties and Electron Relaxation Times in Metals."

The co-investigators are recently appointed members of the Department of Physics whose common interests and research techniques have provided the close collaboration desirable during the developmental stages of a research program.

MEETING
OAKLAND UNIVERSITY
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SATURDAY, MAY 13,
VARNER RECITAL HALL
2:00 PM

The Knole Cottage playhouse on the Meadow Brook Hall estate will be open for a special O.U. family tour day on Monday, May 15, noon to 6 p.m. A reduced fee of \$.50 per person will go to the O.U. Child Care Center.

The routine price structure for tours of Knole Cottage is as follows: 1) If a tour of Meadow Brook Hall is purchased at \$3.50, a tour of Knole Cottage is available on the same day for an additional \$.50 during the hours the Hall is open for scheduled or public tours. The Meadow Brook Hall tour stub and \$.50 should be presented at Knole Cottage. 2) On Sundays it is \$1.00 to tour Knole Cottage only. 3) For scheduled tours of the Cottage for groups of 20 or more, a special group rate of \$.75 per person is available. To make tour arrangements call Mrs. Gene Simmons at 375-9798.

Fifty per cent of the Knole Cottage tour charges are donated to the O.U. Child Care Center, the remainder goes toward maintenance of Meadow Brook Hall, Knole Cottage and their grounds.

NEEDLEPOINT, CREWEL EXHIBIT SEPTEMBER 6 DEADLINE

Alerting adults and children! Your entries are wanted for the "Needlepoint and Crewel Exhibit" at Meadow Brook Hall, September 12-14, 1972. This second fund-raising event sponsored by the Meadow Brook Hall Guild includes special categories of needlepoint and crewel work by celebrities, heirloom pieces and the antique needlework collected by the late Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Wilson. To request an entry blank write to: Needlepoint and Crewel Exhibit, Meadow Brook Hall, Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan 48063. Entries will be gathered at the Hall on Sept. 6-7.

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