



OU NEWS

OU wins, loses in capital outlay

Gov. William G. Milliken has approved Enrolled Senate Bill 181, the capital outlay bill, that includes \$462,831 in continuing construction funds for O'Dowd Hall.

Also listed in the bill is the new science building for which the university is seeking planning funds. However, no funds have

been committed to this project at this time.

The governor vetoed all new construction starts for all state universities, junior colleges, community colleges, and other stage agencies. Lost to OU through this veto was \$400,000 that had been requested in 1980-81 for remodeling of Hannah Hall for additional laboratory facilities.

Consideration of further funding for the proposed addition to the Kresge Library is still pending. State officials are concerned about finances and awaiting a report from the Governor's Higher Education Capital Investment Advisory Committee. The committee is looking at enrollments and capital outlay investments and needs at Michigan's public colleges and universities.

Shereda cited

Oakland University's Helen Shereda has been named to the first-team Co-SIDA (College Sports Information Directors of America)—Skoal Happy Days of the U.S. Tobacco Company Academic All-America women's basketball team it was announced today.

The 6-0, 145-pound senior, who has a 3.2 grade point average while majoring in elementary education, scored 2,338 points and grabbed 1,524 rebounds in her 101-game OU athletic career. This year she ranked third nationally with a 27.3 scoring average and fourth nationally with a 14.4 rebounding norm.

Shereda, who also earned a \$1,000 scholarship in her name for Oakland University, will leave for a six-day trip to New York City, where she will be honored at halftime of the semi-finals of the National Invitational Tournament (NIT) on Monday, March 17.

"I am extremely honored and proud of this award," said Shereda, the school's all-time leading scorer and rebounder. "I always try to do my best in anything I do but I never expected this. It is a great feeling to be one of the top five student-athletes in the entire United States."

Torch gets new post

Reuben Torch, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, is the new academic vice president at California State College, Stanislaus. He will leave the university July 1.

The liberal arts college has a spring enrollment of 3,680. The campus is located in Turlock, a city of 25,000 persons located approximately 100 miles east of San Francisco.

Torch joined the OU faculty in 1965 as a professor of biology, became assistant dean in 1966, associate dean in 1967, acting dean in 1972, and he has been dean of the College of Arts and Sciences since 1973.

"It was a very difficult decision for me to make," Torch said. "I do have a particular fondness for OU, and I think it is a first rate

place. My reason for going is to give me the opportunity to interact with a different cast of characters in a way. I will get the chance to attack similar problems in a new environment."

Torch said his new institution was "a small OU." The college started at the same time, there is a liberal arts orientation, and the college is "like OU was when I came here." Among other similarities, the area is growing, the students are mostly commuters, and Turlock is not unlike a Rochester, Torch said.

Interim President George T. Matthews said he was "saddened personally and institutionally" by Torch's leaving. "This is a great loss to the institution, but we understand his desire to seek out new challenges. He will be missed."

'Academy' participants listed

Oakland University will be well represented at the 84th annual meeting of the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters to be held March 21-22 at Wayne State University.

The academy brings together senior and apprentice scholars from across the state. Frederick W. Obear, academic vice president and provost, is vice president of the academy for 1979-80.

OU faculty and student representatives and their subjects are listed below as they are cited in the official program.

An Ultrastructural Study of Sorbitol-Disrupted Spinach (*Spinacia oleracea* L.) Chloroplast Fractions. Michael J. DePorre, M. N. O'Connor, J.M. DeMorrow and E.W. Henry.

The Activity of ATPase, Peroxidase and Chlorophyll in Fractions of Sorbitol-

Disrupted Tobacco (*Nicotiana tabacum*, cv. "Little Turkish") Chloroplasts and The Substrate Specificity of Polyphenol Oxidase in Sorbitol-Treated Tobacco (*nicotiana tabacum*, cv. "Little Turkish") Chloroplasts. M.N. O'Connor, J.M. DeMorrow, S.M. Shank and E.W. Henry, biological sciences.

The Comic in Pascal's *Les Provinciales*. David Jaymes, modern languages.

From Musset to Renoir: "Octave" in Play and Film. Dolores M. Burdick, modern languages.

Was Dimmesdale a Puritan? Jane Donahue Eberwein, English.

William Cullen Bryant and Carolina Coronado, *Kindred Spirits*. William C. Bryant, modern languages.

A Learning Environment: The Essence of the Media in Academic Libraries. Clare DiFelice, library.

Collegial or Hierarchical Organizational Structure—The Academic Librarian's Dilemma. Indra David, library.

Coincidental Cognitive Content. J. Christopher Maloney, philosophy.

The Dilemma of Soviet Policy in the 1980s: The Importation of Both Food and Oil. James R. Ozinga, political science.

President's Rule in India's States. Thomas W. Casstevens, political science.

A New Look at Aggression. Harvey Burdick, psychology.

Parent-Child Interactions: A Systems Perspective. Robert B. Stewart, psychology.

CPIB Treatment of Liver and Kidney and Its Effect on Catalase Activity. J.M. DeMorrow, A. Johnson, and E.W. Henry, biological sciences.

DISCUSSION: Influence of Significant Others on Behavior of Young Children. Discussants: Robert B. Stewart, Oakland University and Edward J. Barton and Mohey A. Mowafy, Northern Michigan University.

Women's week opens

Lectures and films will be featured March 24-28 at the Women's Week celebration at Oakland University near Rochester.

The program is sponsored by the OU Women's Center and PIRGIM, the public interest group in Michigan.

Jane Flaherty, Women's Center counselor and program organizer, said "The purpose of Women's Week is to call attention to women's changing role in society and to provide an opportunity for women faculty, staff, and students to meet and exchange ideas."

The program opens March 24 with a coffee hour from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Oakland Room of the Oakland Center.

Other activities: March 25, films, "Claree and Albie," and "Pursuing the Dream" followed by a panel discussion on "Women and Their Roles: A Multicultural Perspective."

March 26, films, "Union Maids," "Emerging Women," and "Anything You Want to Be," followed by a lecture on "The Complete Woman."

March 27, films "With Babies and Banners" and "Nine to Five," followed by a discussion entitled "How to Live With What You've Got."

March 28, a noon lecture on "Transition and Women's Roles: Where Are We Headed?"

Rummage sale

The Slavic Folk Ensemble is seeking rummage sale items including furniture, dishes, clothing, toys, etc., for a sale to benefit the ensemble's tour of Poland and Czechoslovakia. Date, place, and time of the sale will be announced. Contributed items will be picked up. Call 377-2060, 569-7954, or 583-9000, ext. 1498.

Computer committee formed

The University Senate has approved the formation of a new standing committee known as the Academic Computing Committee.

The charge and membership specifications follow.

Charge: The Academic Computing Committee shall be responsible for advising the University Senate on all matters pertaining to the use of computers for instruction and research. It is expected to define and be responsive to the needs of students and faculty using the university computer facilities. It is given primary responsibility for devising and directing the

implementation of plans to develop appropriate levels of computer literacy. It is required to prepare annually a recommendation to the provost and president on requirements for improvements and additions in computer facilities (both hardware and software) to meet the anticipated academic computing needs for the subsequent five-year period.

The Academic Computing Committee shall advise the director of the Office of Computer Services as necessary and shall assist the director in developing services, schedules, and priorities for academic computing usage in relation to total university computer usage. It should,

periodically, examine patterns of use and charge systems, and make recommendations for such modifications as may be necessary.

The membership shall consist of six faculty members, one appointed as the chair, two students, one appointed by University Congress and one by the Oakland University Programming Society, the coordinator of the School of Engineering Computer and Information Science Program, ex officio and voting, the manager of Academic Computing Services, ex officio and voting, and the Director of Research and Instructional Services, ex officio and voting.

Renaissance Ensemble performs

"The Triumphs of Orianna" or "Music in the Golden Age of Queen Elizabeth" is the theme of the March 21 concert by the Oakland University Renaissance Ensemble.

The concert starts at 8 p.m. in St. John Fisher Chapel on Walton Blvd.

The ensemble will perform on authentic copies of period instruments including the lute, recorder, viol, harpsichord, shawm, and sackbutt. Director is Lyle Nordstrom, associate professor of music. Featured with the ensemble will be the voices of the OU Collegium Singers. Nordstrom notes that

music held a special place in Elizabethian England and that many persons feel that this era was perhaps the greatest in the history of English music.

The Elizabethian madrigal has endeared itself to generations of singers, Nordstrom says, but perhaps just as important was the music written for lute and lute songs. John Dowland and Thomas Morley were two of the most famous composers in these forms. William Byrd, composer to the Chapel Royal, was the most famous composer of music for the church, but many also credit him with the rebirth of

the English Virginalist (harpsichord) school as well.

Nordstrom says all of these facets of the "Golden Age" will be represented in the concert. Included are madrigals of Weelkes and Bennet, a mass by Byrd, dance music of Anthony Holborne, and Dowland's lush music for lute and viols.

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1980

CALENDAR

THURSDAY, MARCH 20

9 am & 2 pm Academic Careers Day, Gold Rooms, OC
noon Discussion & Slide Show, Crescent of Crisis, Exhibit Lounge, OC
3:30 pm Roy Kotynek, "Alfred Strieglitz: American Photographer," History Lounge, Vandenberg Hall
7 pm Battle of the OU Bands, Crockery, OC
8:30 pm "A Life in the Theatre," Meadow Brook Theatre

FRIDAY, MARCH 21

2:30 p.m. International Student Coffee Hour, Lounge II, OC
7 & 9:30 pm "Alice's Restaurant," 201 Dodge
8 pm Renaissance Ensemble, St. John Fisher Chapel
8:30 pm "A Life in the Theatre," Meadow Brook Theatre
8:30 pm "The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds," Studio Theatre
9 pm-2 am Masquerade Ball '80, Gold Rooms, OC

SATURDAY, MARCH 22

1 pm Children's Matinee, "The Point," 201 Dodge
6 & 9:30 pm "A Life in the Theatre," Meadow Brook Theatre
7:30 pm Have You Seen the Son?, St. John Fisher Chapel
8:30 pm "The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds," Studio Theatre

SUNDAY, MARCH 23

12:30 pm Sailor's Sunday, OC
1 pm Tour, Meadow Brook Hall
2:30 & 6:30 pm "The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds," Studio Theatre
6:30 pm "A Life in the Theatre," Meadow Brook Theatre

MONDAY, MARCH 24

3 pm Women's Center Coffee Hour, Oakland Room, OC
7:30 pm Ronald Reagan's Campaign Representative, Gold Rooms A-B, OC

TUESDAY, MARCH 25

noon "Women and their Roles: A Multicultural Perspective," Fireside Lounge, OC
11 a.m.-1:30-3 pm "Cloree & Albie" & "Pursuing the Dream," Fireside Lounge, OC

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26

11 am & 1:30 pm "Union Maids," "Emerging Women" & "Anything You Want to Be," Fireside Lounge, OC
noon Film Forum, "All That Jazz," Room 127, OC
noon Workshop, Body Language Explorations, Gold Room A & B

For news of daily campus events, call the OU Hotline at 377-4650. To list items in the calendar contact CIPO 377-2020, two weeks prior to the event.