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DONATIONS SOUGHT FOR LIBRARY COLLECTION HONORING MARTIN LUTHER KING

Community-wide support is being sought for the Martin Luther King, Jr., Memorial Collection, which was created by voluntary contributions from the staff of Kresge Library. The initial purchases for the collection are currently on display at the library in observance of Negro History Week.

The memorial fund was established by unanimous vote of the professional librarians a few days after Dr. King's assassination last April 4. The librarians donated \$262.50 for the first purchases and agreed to conduct an annual fund drive, both within their own ranks and from the general community. Chancellor Varner added his personal appeal for support, along with the transfer of \$1,000 from Chancellor's Club offers to the Martin Luther King book fund.

The books are selected by a committee comprised of three librarians--Mrs. Robert Cross, Mrs. Stanley Stefancic, and James Myers--and three OU students--Gwendolyn Heard, Robert Smith, and LeRoy La Motta. They coordinate requests for purchases received from a variety of sources. The collection covers a wide range of subjects related to black history and literature, as well as social and economic problems of the black citizen in America. Efforts have been made to select books which will be read by many people within the academic community, leaving material of more specialized scholarly interest to regular library acquisition. All gifts, no matter how small, will be appreciated. Donations are tax deductible. Checks should be made out to Oakland University and sent to Mrs. Joyce Klosky at Kresge Library.

MASCITELLI ON ART David Mascitelli (English) will give the second lecture in the Last Lecture Series at 3:15 p.m. Wednesday in the Gold Room. He will discuss "The Irrelevance of Art" from the point of view that works of art--with an emphasis on literary works--are necessary and fortunately removed from the immediate concerns of everyday living, social problems and social reforms. The lecture series, presented by the Oakland Center programming board, is based on the premise that the speaker is giving the lecture he would give if he were never to have another opportunity to speak.

HAMLIN HALL RITES Wednesday will be dedication day at Hamlin Hall, with a formal ceremony to be held in the main lounge beginning at 3 p.m. Brief addresses will be given by Delos Hamlin, long-time head of the Oakland County Board of Supervisors, in whose honor the dormitory was named; Steve Rubin, an OU sophomore and president of the Hamlin dorm council; head resident Frank A. Seaver, and Chancellor Varner. Guided tours of the nine-story dorm will follow the ceremony.

BERGMAN ON FAITH "Winter Light," directed by Ingmar Bergman, is this semester's second presentation of the St. John Fisher Chapel Art Film Series, sponsored by the Newman Student Association. It will be presented at 8 p.m. today (Monday). Part of Bergman's trilogy on faith, the film springs from his explicit desire to define man's relation to God--if He exists. Following the showing, Fr. Gerald O'Bee will lead a discussion for those interested in sharing their reactions to the film. Admission is 50 cents.

ESSAY PUBLISHED Richard A. Mazzara (modern languages) has reviewed "Three Tragedies by Hermilo Borba Filho" in a recent issue of Hispania. The article is one of a series of essays on modern Brazilian drama which has been subsidized since 1963 by the NDEA, Franklin and Marshall College, the American Philosophical Society, the Organization of American States, the Social Science Research Council, and Oakland University.

SWIMMING FOR FUNDS Friends of Oakland will sponsor the University's third annual open swim meet on Sunday, February 23, in the Sports and Recreation Building. Admission to spectators will be free, but participants will be charged an entrance fee of 50 cents. All proceeds will go to the Matilda Wilson Honor Scholarship Fund.

GORDONS ON TOUR Nathan and Marjorie Gordon, who are on the faculty of the Meadow Brook School of Music, recently returned from a performing tour in Greece. Gordon, solo violist with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, and his wife, a coloratura soprano and managing director of the Piccolo Opera Company in Detroit, appeared in Saloniki, Volos, Chalkis, and Athens.

LOCK YOUR CAR That's the advice from public safety, which reports four cars were stolen in one week recently from campus parking lots. The wave of thefts is believed to be the work of a gang of professional thieves.

CALENDAR

Friday February 21	7:30 p.m.	Swimming, Northern Michigan (away)
	8:00 p.m.	Basketball, Wayne State University (here)
	8:00 p.m.	Film, "The Pawnbroker," 156 North Foundation (shown again at 10)
	8:30 p.m.	Casino Night, Vandenberg Hall cafeteria
Saturday February 22	2:00 p.m.	Swimming, Central Michigan (away)
	8:00 p.m.	Basketball, Adrian (here)
Sunday February 23	8:00 p.m.	Film, "The Pawnbroker," 156 North Foundation