

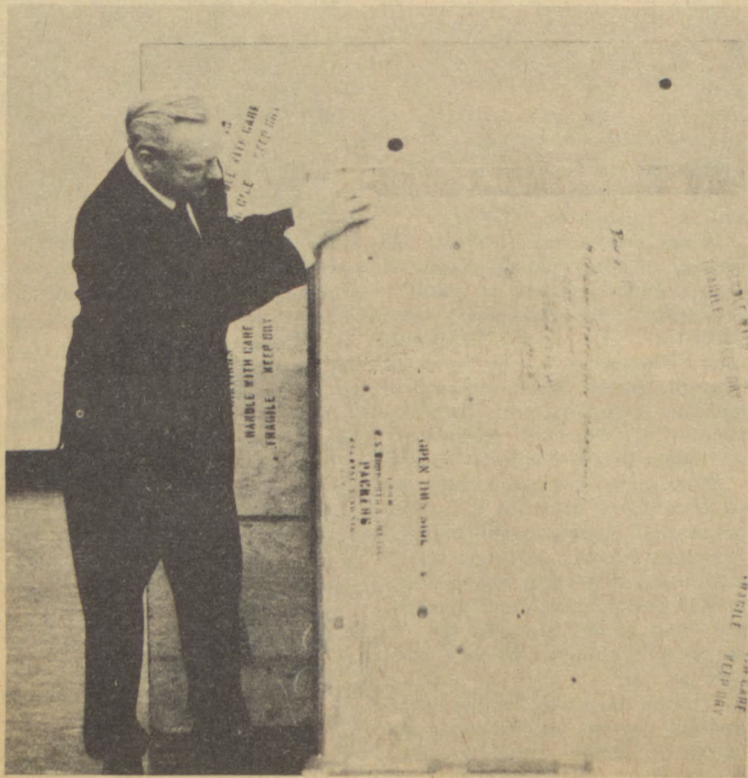
# MSUO WELCOMES ARTISTS, POLITICIANS

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**CRATE CAKEWALK**—Dr. John C. Galloway, professor of art, examines the packaging of several Wolf Kahn paintings prior to the opening of the new MSUO Art Gallery. Part of the First Annual Symposium on the Arts, to be held Wednesday through Friday of next week, the Kahn paintings, along with other art works, will be on display in the new gallery. Location of the new area, recently converted from a lecture hall, is 159 NFH. —Observer Photo

### Golden Opportunity for MSUO Young Writers

Young writers at MSUO will soon have an opportunity to examine many phases of modern writing with professionals in the field.

The first Writers' Conference, scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 20 at the university, will bring together Michigan authors and critics for a program of advice and informal talks.

Co-sponsored by the Detroit Women Writers' Club and MSUO's Division of Continuing Education, the session will focus on "The Craftsmanship of Creative Writing."

Mrs. Priscilla Jackson, assistant director of Continuing Education and conference co-chairman, enthusiastically points out that this is one of the few such meetings designed specifically to offer technical advice to local writers.

"Each writer will have an opportunity to meet with a professional in his field," she emphasizes in speaking of the event.

Fiction, non-fiction, television and radio scripts, as well as poetry and light verse are among the fields to be discussed. In addition, a manuscript criticism service will be provided at nominal cost by the "Writers' Digest." Students may submit manuscripts of stories and articles, novels, poetry and drama for criticism and evaluation.

#### Hendrix to Keynote

Margaret Hendrix, associate editor of "Writers' Digest," will

open the conference with a keynote address, "The Craftsmanship of Creative Writing." Participants will then join in round table discussions in their particular fields.

Luncheon speaker will be Marcelline Hemingway Sanford, sister of the late contemporary author Ernest Hemingway. She has recently published "At the Hemingways: The Years of Innocence." A Grosse Pointe resident, Mrs. Sanford will talk on "The Crests and Hollows of First Book Publication."

Round tables will then resume during the afternoon. Novelists and short story writers including Sylvia Cooper, Vera Henry, Daniel D. Nern, Jeanne Wylie Torosian and Josephine Winn will preside at the fiction discussions. John V. Schmittroth, assistant professor and director of creative writing at the University of Detroit, and editor of TV channel 56, will conduct a group on Television and radio scripts.

Non-fiction leaders will be article writers Jeanne Duran and Peggy Cameron King and W. Sprague Holden, chairman of the Wayne State University journalism department.

Poets Sheila Pritchard and John Woods, poetry editor of the Indiana University Press, with Esther Broner and Margaret Secrist will preside at poetry round tables. Nationally syndicated author Elinor K. Rose, and

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### Kahn Art Work Featured in Art Symposium

A trapezoidally shaped room, pleasantly devoid of right angles, next week will be opened as Michigan State University Oakland's Art Gallery.

Formerly a lecture hall, the room was converted according to the design and specifications of Dr. John C. Galloway, professor of art.

The large size and irregular shape of the gallery will make possible the viewing of larger exhibits, and at the same time the angles of the room provide natural subdivisions for smaller exhibits.

The gallery is located in a central area of the University—in NFH—physically complementing MSUO's curricular emphasis on appreciation of the fine and creative arts.

The cinder block walls have been covered to an eight-foot height with a fabric-like material, and special floor and ceiling spotlights have been installed.

The first exhibition in the University Art Gallery will be the works of Wolf Kahn, distinguished American painter. One of Kahn's paintings will be purchased by the University in conjunction with the first annual Symposium on the Arts.

The gallery also will house the University's growing permanent collection, which through purchases, gifts and permanent loans, includes the works of some of today's best young painters, as well as of Matisse, Renoir, Rouault, Picasso and Cezanne.

#### Sculptors Compete

Thirteen of Michigan's leading sculptors will compete for the award of a commission for a major work of outdoor sculpture at Michigan State University Oakland.

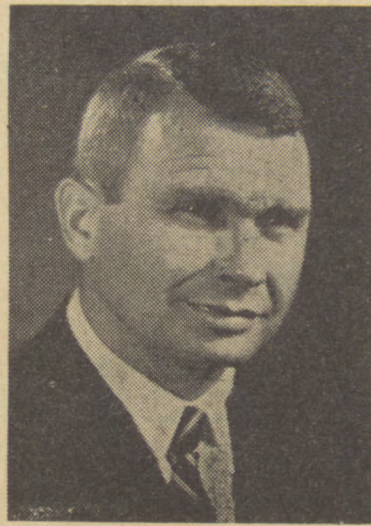
The competition is part of the first annual Symposium on the Arts, Oct. 24-26, on campus and represents recognition by MSUO, in part, of its commitment to the creative arts.

The winning artist's design, in full scale, later will be incorporated in a garden and reflecting pool setting between North Foundation Hall and the Oakland Center.

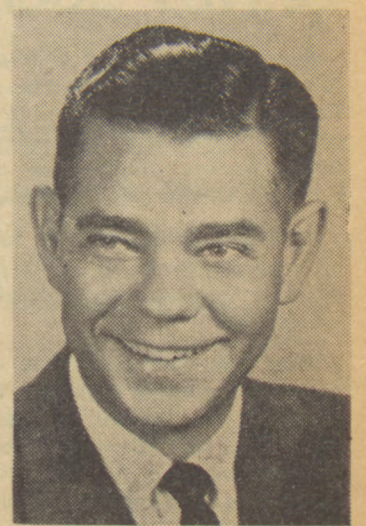
Announcement of the University Sculpture Award will be made Wednesday, Oct. 24, during the intermission of a concert, which begins at 8:15 p.m. in the Oakland Center and features the world premiere of an original musical composition commissioned by MSUO.

#### Mrs. Malm Assists Holmes

Mrs. Becky Malm, wife of Donald Malm, assistant professor of mathematics, has been appointed assistant to the Director of Student Activities. She will assist Dr. Robert Holmes with the student activities program, with special emphasis on the functions of AWS, Anibal House and other women's activities.



Leland Smith



Farrell E. Roberts

**POLITICAL DIFFERENCES WILL TELL THE STORY** today when opponents Farrell Roberts (R) and Leland Smith (D) meet at 1 p.m. in the Oakland Center Gold Room to air their views. The debate and question session is designed to inform area voters (active and potential) of key issues in the race for state senator. Edward Heubel, MSUO associate professor of political science, will moderate the discussion. All student and faculty members are invited to direct questions to the two candidates.

### THE WEEK ON CAMPUS

- Oct. 19 Friday Readings, noon 190 Science Building  
Nadine Popluiko: "Pasternak and Modern Russian Poets"  
Newman Club Meeting, 1 p.m., 156 NFH  
Farrell Roberts - Leland Smith Debate  
1 p.m., Gold Room, O.C.  
Senior Class Meeting, 1 p.m., Resident Cafeteria  
Seminar, 2 p.m., 321 Science Building  
Crystal Field Theory as applied to Tetrahalo Cobalt (II) Ions  
Film, "The Roots," (DAFS) 8 p.m., 190 Science Building  
Grill Dance, 8:30 p.m., Oakland Center Grill  
Football, Engineers #1 vs. Fitzgerald #1  
3 p.m., Bearcat Stadium  
Football, Business Ad. #1 vs. Fitzgerald #2  
4 p.m., Bearcat Stadium
- Oct. 20 Research Methods Clinic, all day, 269 Science Building  
Writers Conference, all day, 125-130 Oakland Center  
Football, Engineers #2 vs. Fitzgerald #2  
10 a.m., Bearcat Stadium  
Football, Business Ad. vs. Fitzgerald All Stars  
11 a.m., Bearcat Stadium  
Grill Dance, 8:30 p.m., Oakland Center Grill
- Oct. 22 Music Listening Program, noon, 190 Science Building  
All Mozart Program: Serenade in D major, Oboe Concerto #9 in Bb major, Mass in C "Coronation"  
Placement Seminar for Teacher Education Seniors  
4 p.m., 190 Science Building
- Oct. 24 Opening of the Symposium on the Arts, 2 p.m., Gold Room  
Formal Conference: Professor Robert J. Goldwater, Director of the Museum of Primitive Art, New York, "Support of Art Among Primitive Societies."  
Professor Claude Palisca, Yale University, "The Nature of Musical Patronage in the Late Renaissance."  
Open Discussion.  
Concert: An Evening of Music by Henry Cowell  
Announcement of Symposium Awards for painting and sculpture, 8:15 p.m., Gold Room
- Oct. 25 Archery, 12:30 p.m., Archery Range  
Music Listening Program, 1 p.m., 190 Science Building  
Shubert — Symphony #8 (Unfinished)  
Ravel — String Quartet  
Formal Conference, Symposium on the Arts, 2 p.m., Gold Room  
Professor Karl Geiringer, University of California at Santa Barbara, "Patronage of Music in the Nineteenth Century."  
Professor Harry Bober, Institute of Fine Arts, New York University, "Dimensions of Art Patronage in the Twentieth Century."

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## It Is

For three years students and faculty members have asked for cultural events on this campus.

The first annual Symposium on the Arts begins Wednesday, Oct. 24.

## Fritz Earns Praise; Leaves Soon On Safari

Farrell Roberts and Leland Smith are here today. The First Annual Symposium on the Arts starts next week. Fitzgerald House continues to win intramural football games. The new physical education building moves closer to completion. Midterms are almost due and the computer in the science building is playing baseball. George Fritz leaves today.

Oakland Center director for the past three years, Fritz leaves his post to move his family to Nigeria for a two-year stint as a continuing education officer at the University of Nigeria in Nsukka.

Fritz has been with the university since its earliest days, managing student facilities. Under his supervision, the original Oakland (nee Student) Center was completed. Two years later, under that same direction, the building was expanded to double its capacity, and the first units of the dormitory complex were completed. Ground will be broken shortly for the third dormitory, Pryale House.

These facilities could have been erected and managed without Fritz, But how well?

Thanks to you, Mr. Fritz, for three fine years, and we wish you well on your safari to the civilized educational wilds of Africa.

### PLACEMENT OFFICE BULLETIN

The following employers will be interviewing on campus the week of Oct. 22. All 1963 graduating seniors are eligible to sign up for these interviews.

If you are interested in one or more of the organizations listed, please report to the Placement Office, Room 266, South Foundation Hall, at least two days in advance to sign up for an interview and to obtain additional information.

Tuesday, October 23, 1962

#### IBM Corporation OPENINGS FOR FOLLOWING MAJORS:

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#### Whirlpool Corporation OPENINGS FOR FOLLOWING MAJORS:

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Business Economics

TYPES OF POSITIONS  
Accounting  
Production Management  
Material Control

Wednesday, October 24, 1962

#### Social Security Administration OPENINGS FOR FOLLOWING MAJORS:

(both men and women)

Business Economics  
Liberal Arts

TYPES OF POSITIONS  
Claims Representative Trainee

Inserted in this week's Observer is the Collegiate Digest, a monthly feature magazine. The editors selected this magazine after a careful search because it offers a wide range of topics.

Collegiate Digest will feature special sections on college clothes, trends in education, sports and placement opportunities for seniors. It will be inserted each month at no additional cost to subscribers.

## Writers

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Irene Warsaw, regular contributor to the "Saturday Evening Post," will lead tables on light verse.

A panel of area magazine editors, including Michigan Voices, Fresco, Caliope, Alphabet, Ford Times, and the DAC News, will conduct a symposium on the needs and future of their magazines.

The closing session on "Trends, Taboos and New Freedoms in Writing," will concentrate on writing markets.

### Swainson Declares Week

At the request of the two sponsor groups, the week of October 14 to 20 has been declared Michigan Writers' Week. The conference should be "Top quality"; approximately 100 reservations have been received for next week's meeting, Mrs. Jackson said recently.

Reservations may be obtained by contacting the Continuing Education office, 263 SFH, university extension 2147.

## MSUO Gridiron Battles

Campus athletics this fall have concentrated in a hard-hitting intramural touch football league, composed of five teams. Games are played Friday afternoons and Saturday mornings on the 80-yard gridiron west of Fitzgerald House.

"MSUO'S Engineering society and Fitzgerald House each boast two teams, and at least one commuter team has been formed," Hollie Lepley, director of physical education and recreation, said this week.

Biggest rivalry so far is Fitzgerald North against Fitzgerald South. Two games have been played, with one victory to each side. The opener went to South, which has a 220-lb. line, 8-0, on a muddy field. North, a fleet squad, won the rematch, 23-0 with sharp defensive play.

South is captained by Tom Fontaine and Vern Riportella; North by Terry Priestap and Dave Lewis.

Engineering "A" Team is Captained by Ted Lorenzen and Phil Williams, The "B" Team by Tom Nichols and Roger Williams.

The commuter team has not appeared in competition as yet. All teams are welcome in the league, and those interested in participating should contact Lepley in 114 Oakland Center.

Dr. Robert Holmes, director of student activities, expressed his hope that the league could be formed on the basis of academic disciplines, with dorm students playing for teams not connected with Fitzgerald House.

### Results last weekend:

Business Ad #1	28
Fitzgerald #2	18
Engineers #1	13
Engineers #2	12

## Fritz Departs Oak'd Center

George E. Fritz, Oakland Center director, finishes his three-year association with MSUO today, and will leave the United States next month to assume his duties as a continuing education officer with the MSU-EL Nigeria Project.

His replacement is John Corker, now with the University of New Mexico, who will arrive early in November.

Three weeks of hotel management refresher training will be given Fritz at MSU-EL's Kellogg Center before his Nov. 19 departure for Europe and Africa.

When interviewed, Fritz described his biggest problem of the past three years as "standardization" of equipment and procedure. He found, however, that "Flexibility to the point of disorganization was necessary to function, negating any formulation of a standard operational procedure in the Oakland Center."

Fritz, noted for his willingness to take extra time to help students with knotty problems, and for his continuous cooperation with student groups, hopes Corker will "perpetuate the Fritz System, and in doing so, be able to see and do things I haven't been able to do."

"I hope students, faculty, staff and the various publics using the Oakland Center grant my successor the same cooperation, understanding and help they've given me," Fritz said.

He will spend the next few weekends working in his office in the center, preparing it for the new director.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

To The Editors:

In seven months, MSUO's Young Democrats and Young Republicans will be Old Democrats and Old Republicans, but in terms of leadership they have displayed here, they will never be old enough to vote.

—The We Will Bury You Committee

Tickets are still available in the physical education office for next Friday's performance of the French National Orchestra at the Masonic Auditorium.

Reservations are also being accepted for the Van Cliburn concert Oct. 27.

## 12:30 WITHOUT FAIL RESIDENT CAFETERIA

## Art Symposium Plans Meeting

Five eminent scholars will come to Michigan State University Oakland to meet with four MSUO faculty members for a two-day formal conference on public and private support of the arts.

All sessions of the conference are open to the public. The meetings will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, and 2 p.m. and 8:15 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 25, in the Gold Room of the Oakland Center.

Speakers for the first session will be Professor Robert J. Goldwater, director of the Museum of Primitive Art of New York, whose topic will be "Support of Art Among Primitive Societies"; and Professor Claude Palisca, a member of the Yale University music faculty, whose topic will be "The Nature of Musical Patronage in the Late Renaissance."

MSUO Professor of Art John C. Galloway will be chairman of the opening session, and Assistant Professor of Art History Damie Stillman will provide a summation and comment, which will be followed by an open discussion.

Second session speakers will be Professor Karl Geiringer, director of the Graduate Program in Music at the University of California at Santa Barbara, whose topic will be "Patronage of Music in the Nineteenth Century"; and Professor Harry Bober, a member of the art faculty at the Institute of Fine Arts of New York University, whose topic will be "Dimensions of Art Patronage in the Twentieth Century."

Chairman of the second session will be Professor of Music Walter S. Collins and a summation and comment will be provided by Assistant Professor of Music Robert W. Holmes. An open discussion will follow.

Speaker for the third session will be Professor Howard Mumford Jones, Abbott Lawrence Lowell Professor of Humanities (Emeritus) Harvard University, whose topic will be "State, Society, and the Artist in Mid-Twentieth Century America."

Chairman for the third session will be Professor of English Robert Hoopes.

## OFFICIAL BULLETIN

Items to be included in the weekly Bulletin must be submitted to Mrs. Mondine McNeil, 136 NFHL, by noon on the Tuesday preceding publication. All items must be clearly labeled "Official Bulletin" and signed.

• All teacher education students planning to graduate in April or August are required to do their teaching internship next semester.

Internship applications may be obtained at the social science office, and must be filled out and returned to that office by Nov. 2. Those failing to do so will not graduate on time.

L. J. Hetenyi  
Director,  
Teacher Education

• Meeting of the Academic Senate on Monday, Oct. 22, at 8 p.m. in 126-127 Oakland Center. Business: New business.

• A Teacher Placement Service meeting for all April and August education graduates will be held at 4 p.m. Monday in 190 Science. Peter Evarts, Assistant Director of Teacher Education, emphasized that attendance at this meeting is imperative.

• Faculty and Administration Staff Meeting, 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 23, 235 Science Building. University Courses in English and Western Literature will be discussed.

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### SOS Club Gets \$100 Gift

Mondine McNeil, president of the MSUO SOS Club, a campus secretarial organization, this week announced a gift of \$100 from the Utica Business and Professional Women's Club.

The money is a contribution toward the group's Student Aid Fund which provides books, tuition, and other items for students.

Students desiring SOS Club funds should contact Bertha Ginter, 101 NFH, or Mrs. McNeil, 136 NFH.

Also announced this week were the results of the SOS crossword puzzle contest, held in conjunction with the group's nut sale.

Winner was Paul Turk, Observer co-editor. Second place went to Dr. James Haden, associate professor of philosophy, and third, to Karen Ulseth.

**"BRILLIANT . . . EXCITING"** Pianist Gyorgy Sandor was described yesterday by MSUO professor Dr. Walter S. Collins. Sandor, renowned for his concert recitals in the United States and Europe, will play for the university and the community at 8:15 Friday, Oct. 24 in Pontiac Northern High School Auditorium. Part of the Symposium on the Arts, he has been lauded for his technical ability and interpretations of both classical and modern compositions.

### Meeting on World Affairs

Informal campus discussion of international affairs will start Wednesday in 126 Oakland Center with the first meeting of students, faculty, and staff interested in world politics, to be held at noon.

Dr. Sheldon Appleton, assistant professor of political science, will act as advisor to the group, which is intended to promote comprehension and analysis of world affairs, rather than political action.

Future meetings will be held on campus and in homes of group participants.

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### Debate Team Possible

The possibility of establishing a debate team at MSUO will be explored in a meeting of all interested students at noon, Monday, in 128 Oakland Center.

According to its prospective advisor, Peter Evarts, assistant director of teacher education, the organization would be geared to student needs, and would be conducted on an intramural basis.

Students leaving MSUO to enter the armed services, should notify the Observer circulation manager. The paper will be mailed free to any students in the services. This offer is retroactive to include all students whose education has been interrupted by either draft or enlistment in the service this semester. Requests for free subscriptions should be made in writing to Circulation Manager, The Oakland Observer, MSUO, Rochester, Michigan.

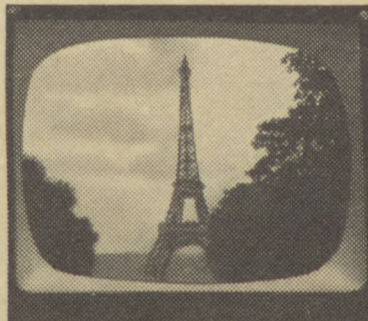
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But there's one Telstar reflection you might have missed. Look into the faces of the Bell System people below and you'll see it. It is the reflection of Telstar's

success that glowed brightly on the faces of all who shared in the project.

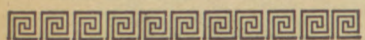
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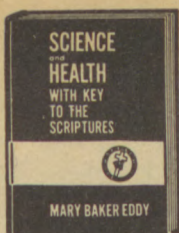


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