



STAFF BULLETIN



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SIGN UP FOR INSURANCE The University has just received permission from all its groups insurance carriers to make available a complete portfolio of benefits to those full-time employees who have not yet enrolled in these insurance plans. In addition, a new feature has been added to the existing accidental death and dismemberment insurance which will allow employees to include their dependents under the benefit for a nominal increase in premium. Details of these programs are now being mailed to all full-time employees. For more information call the personnel office, ext. 2021.

ESSAY DEADLINE NEAR Entries in the \$1,500 essay contest on the theme "What is a liberal education?" must be submitted by Nov. 15, Vice Provost William F. Sturner reminds the University community. All are eligible to compete, and faculty are asked to remind their students of the deadline. Forms and general information sheets are available in the main administrative reception lobby, 101 North Foundation.

COULDN'T CUT IT The question a month ago was could a hair stylist succeed in the Oakland Center where a barber could not. The answer today is no. Stylist Phil Fitzgerald folded his scissors and closed his shop a week ago for want of business. The previous barber quit last June for the same reason.

CANDIDATES TO APPEAR Candidates for the State Board of Education will be on hand to discuss "Education for the '70s" and meet members of the University community Tuesday afternoon in 201 Dodge Hall. The program is scheduled to run from 2 to 4 p.m.

LIGHTS THAT FAILED There will be a brief scheduled power interruption of about five minutes in each building on Tuesday between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. while power cables from the new Performing Arts Building are being switched.

CHOSEN AS CANDIDATE Walter S. Collins (music) has been nominated for the presidency of the College Music Society, which will hold its annual meeting and elections November 5 in Toronto.

TRIP DEADLINE LOOMS Faculty and staff members interested in joining the trip to Freeport, Grand Bahamas, December 26-31, should send their deposits to Corporate Travel by November 1. If you cannot meet this initial deadline, call LO 5-8888 and leave your name and address. Information and applications are available at the Student Activities Counter in the OC or by calling the travel agency. Trip prices are \$194 without meals and \$252 with meals, based on double occupancy.

WU WINS CRUISE The hand that held the winning ticket in the drawing for that seven-day Caribbean cruise offered by the Credit Union belonged to Yel-Chiang Wu, assistant professor of mathematics. The trip for two is scheduled to set sail April 24. Second prize in the annual meeting drawing, a weekend in New York, was won by Barbara Walker, a cashier in the East Lansing office of the Credit Union.

ONE COMMENCEMENT The University Senate voted last week to hold only one commencement each year. It will probably be held during May, for degree candidates of all classes during the academic year. The Senate also voted to defer elections to fill vacancies in the Senate for three student members, pending establishment of a proposed Student Congress or "the appearance of substantial student interest in holding the elections for the three vacancies."

LIBRARIAN CITED Elizabeth Titus (library) recently won the Loleta D. Fran Award as the young librarian of the year at the annual meeting of the Michigan Library Association. A 1966 graduate of Oakland, she received an A.L.M.S. degree from the University of Michigan and joined the OU staff last year. She worked for the Detroit Public Library and for the library of Austin Peay State University.

SERVES AS PANELIST Philip Singer (sociology and anthropology/Allport College) will present a paper at the Michigan Conference of Political Scientists in East Lansing October 29-30. His paper, "The Concept and the Use of Pluralism in Anthropology," will be part of a panel on "Pluralism and Social Strategy."

WILL PRESENT PAPER Robert L. Stern (chemistry) will present a paper with a former student at the medical chemistry section of the Northeast regional meeting of the American Chemical Society. The paper is entitled "Mechanism of Oxygen Incorporation in the Transformation of p-Hydroxyphenylpyruvate into Homogentisate."

NEW GUIDE PRINTED A newly designed CAMPUS GUIDE, with updated map and general information on the University, is now available and may be ordered in quantity -- free, within reason -- from University Relations.

PITTS IS PANELIST

Jesse R. Pitts (sociology and anthropology) served as a featured panelist during a symposium on Youth and Children in Industrial Society, held Oct. 14-18 at the University of Wisconsin. His co-panelists in a session dealing with "Meaning of Generational Conflict for Social Institutions," were Professors S. N. Eisenstadt of Hebrew University, Jerusalem, and Erich Allardt of the University of Cologne, Germany. Pitts also was interviewed over Westinghouse Radio on the topic of the "Meaning of Communes in the World Today."

CALENDAR

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| <i>Monday
October 28</i> | 4:15 p.m. | <i>Christian Science lecture, "Commitment: A Christian Science Approach," Roy J. Linning, OC Lounge II</i> |
| | 8:00 p.m. | <i>Lecture, Professor James Bolton of the department of chemistry, University of Western Ontario, speaking on "Primary Processes in Photosynthesis," 203 Dodge Hall</i> |
| <i>Wednesday
October 28</i> | 2:00 p.m. | <i>Area studies lecture, Fredric Lieberman, Brown University ethnomusicologist, speaking on "Music of the Sino-Indian Borderlands," with slides and tapes, Gold Room</i> |
| | 7:00 p.m. | <i>Films, "Andalusian Dog" and "Freaks," 201 Dodge Hall (reshown at 9:15)</i> |
| | 8:15 p.m. | <i>ADA Studio Company play, The Little Foxes by Lillian Hellman, new Studio Theatre, Performing Arts Building</i> |
| <i>Thursday
October 29</i> | 8:15 p.m. | <i>ADA Studio Company play, The Little Foxes, Studio Theatre</i> |
| <i>Friday
October 30</i> | 8:00 p.m. | <i>Film, "The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie," 201 Dodge Hall (reshown at 10)</i> |
| | 8:15 p.m. | <i>ADA Studio Company Play, The Little Foxes, Studio Theatre</i> |
| <i>Saturday
October 31</i> | 10:00 a.m. | <i>Parents Day registration (programs run through luncheon), Oakland Center</i> |
| | 1:00 p.m. | <i>Soccer, Saginaw Valley College (away)</i> |
| | 1:30 p.m. | <i>Cross country, Ohio Northern (away)</i> |
| | 8:00 p.m. | <i>Film, "The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie," 201 Dodge Hall</i> |
| | 8:15 p.m. | <i>ADA Studio play, The Little Foxes, Studio Theatre</i> |
| <i>Sunday
November 1</i> | 8:00 p.m. | <i>Film, "The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie," 201 Dodge Hall</i> |