## SAGINAW VALLEY COLLEGE

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THE INTERIOR

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William Smith has been re-elected the Region 6 Co-ordinator of the Michigan Council of Teachers of English. In this capacity, he is planning to host a one-day regional conference in September, co-sponsored by the MCTE and the SVC English Department. The conference will involve teachers from all levels of education.

Debbie Pelletier, a sophomore music major, will attend a convention sponsored by the World Library of Sacred Music, in Boston, from June 23 to 28.

Freshman orientation for fall semester has begun. Groups of students will be on campus for two-day sessions between June 17-20, 24-27, July 8-11, and August 12-15 and 19-20.

Under a new procedure, students will be tested for basic skills ability, and will take tests in mathematics, writing ability, English expression, and reading comprehension. They will meet in workshops with staff and administrators to learn about the college's judicial code, student handbook, catalog, registration procedures, student services, and student life.

O. Zeller Robertson's article, "Education and Economic Development in Latin America: A Causal Analysis," has been published in the June issue of <u>Inter-American Economic Affairs</u>. In his article, Robertson studies the various relationships between education, political development, and urbanization and communication. He concludes that when economic development is thought of in terms of growth, urbanization has a small positive effect, school a large negative effect, and college a large positive effect.

The college launched its campaign to raise \$95,000 for athletics, mainly football, last Tuesday night at a dinner for fund-raisers held in Doan Center. The money will go toward equipment, scholarships, and one-time costs of establishing a football program. Work on the stadium, to be located north of Pierce and east of Davis Roads, is expected to begin this summer or early fall, and should be ready for use by fall, 1975. Football games for this season will be played at SVC.

## PERSONNEL NOTICES

The college is seeking candidates for three secretarial positions:

- --- Secretary II for the Co-Operative Education Office, with a pay rate of \$122 per week.
- --- Secretary III for the Institute of Polish Studies, with a pay rate of \$110.86 per week.
- --- Secretary III for the Housing Office, with a pay rate of \$110.86 per week.

These positions are available exclusively to SVC employees until June 25. Interested persons should contact Dick Bologna, ext. 266, before that date. SVC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

The Department of Community Affairs is accepting applications for the position of Sports Information Director, who will report to Stu Gross, but work extensively with the athletic department. Salary range: \$10,000-\$13,000. This position is available exclusively to SVC employees until June 25. Interested persons should contact Dick Bologna before that date. SVC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.