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REPORT OF FIRST ALL-COLLEGE MEETING

At Monday's meeting, Dr. Ryder:

- Announced the appointment of Dr. Walter T. James as Special Assistant to the President. He will continue as Dean of the College of Professions and Acting Dean of the College of Business Administration.
- Announced the appointment of Dr. Curtis L. McCray as Vice-President for Academic Affairs. A search committee will be named to find candidates for a Dean of Liberal Arts, and the position is expected to be filled by July 1. Dr. McCray will continue in that position until it is filled.
- Named the members of his Goals and Objectives Committee: Dr. Curt McCray and Allan Orr, administration; Dr. Phil Kumler, Dr. John Jezierski, Dr. Bernyce Smith, Dr. Thomas Gillespie, and Dr. Robert Yien, faculty; Dorothy Horwath and Mark Denay, staff; and Steve Pantano and Kevin Bell, students. Peg Guimond was named staff assistant to the committee. Dr. Jezierski was named chairman of the committee.
- Announced the acquisition of Comprehensive Training and Employment Act (CETA) funds to fill 13 positions within the college, mostly at the secretarial and custodial level. The positions are expected to be filled within the month
 - Set forth these interim priorities:
 - *Strengthen the College of Business Administration,
 - *Increase the ratio of full-time to part-time faculty.
 - *Develop the Engineering-Technology program.
 - *Develop the nursing program, studying the possibility of offering a BS degree, *Increase the library holdings.
 - Set forth his facilities priorities:
 - - *New Library.
 - *Science and Technology building.
 - *Physical Education and Field House building.
 - *Power plant.
 - *Remodeling of Wickes Hall.

BOARD OF CONTROL MEETING

Dr. Ryder reviewed the appointments and present priorities he set forth at the All-College meeting. He noted that applications for admission this fall are up 157 per cent; and that this is the first Winter semester since 1966-67 that headcount has been higher than the headcount of the previous fall semester.

The Board:

*Approved sabbatical leave during the 1975-76 academic year for the following faculty members: Dr. Margaret Cappone, Winter term; Dr. Raymond Tyner, Winter term; Dr. Gamal Elashhab, Fall term; Dr. Sam Sarkar, Fall and Winter terms; Dr. George Eastland, Fall and Winter terms; Dr. Eric Petersen, Winter term; Dr. William Elliott, Fall term; and Dr. Tom Yun, Fall and Winter terms.

*Approved the expenditure of \$10,000 of Forward '71 monies to be allocated for faculty research and growth.

*Passed a resolution of appreciation to Gladys A. Kearns for her service to the college since its beginning.

*Changed the dates of the next three meetings to: Saturday, March 15; Saturday, April 12; and Saturday, May 10, at 10 a.m.

The Michigan Council for the Arts has awarded the Art Department a \$500 grant to expand its Saturday morning children's art classes. Art education students have supervised these classes for the past four years.

The Sociology Club and the Career Counseling and Placement Office will sponsor Job Rap '75, a mini-conference on employment opportunities, qualifications, and job-hunting procedures for sociology and social work majors, this Wednesday from 2:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. in Room 316 of Wickes Hall. Robert Thaler will moderate the program, and Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson will serve as one of the panel members. All interested students, faculty, and staff are invited to attend.

Since the demands on the uses of the new theatre building are unlike those of other classrooms, it is imperative that anyone wishing to use the buildings schedule it through Dean McCray's office.

The college graduated 73 students in December, and named 413 students to the Dean's List.

Protest and Communication, the sixth film in the "Civilisation" series, will be shown this Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Wickes Lecture Hall. This film studies the time when Gutenberg's printing press became a major influence.

 $\underline{\text{Malcolm X}}$ will be shown this Thursday at 10 p.m., Friday at 1 p.m., and Sunday at 8 p.m. in the Wickes Lecture Hall.

The paintings of the late French artist Jacqueline D'Arcole of Paris, which were produced as designs for fabrics, are on exhibit in the Arts Workshop during the month of February.

The Chrysallis Center is sponsoring a workshop entitled "Non-Sexist Communication" for the next five Fridays. The workshop, directed by Ione Rodnick, is designed to improve interpersonal communication.

SPORTS SHORTS

Coach Bob Pratt's basketball team, now 8-16, will host Oakland University this Wednesday in hopes of overtaking Northwood Institute for sole possession of fourth place in the GLIAC. The team presently has a 2-5 conference record.

Coach Archy Robinson's women's basketball team extended its winning streak to 12 by routing Ferris State 58-29, Hillsdale College 73-29, and Schoolcraft Community College 68-42.

The SVC wrestlers soundly defeated visiting Albion College last week 42-18, with all Albion's points coming from forfeits.

SPORTS CALENDAR

Wednesday, February 12	Basketball vs. Oakland University	8 p.m.
Saturday, February 15	Wrestling Invitational at Northern Michigan Univ.	. •
		3 p.m.
Monday, February 17	Basketball vs. Detroit Tech	8 p.m.

Happy Chinese New Year 4673 - the year of the rabbit - traditionally a time of peace and tranquility. To all our friends who celebrate on Tuesday, February 11, 4673, "Kung Hsi Fa Tsai! (May you prosper!)"

Dr. Ryder wishes to express his appreciation to members of the committee who assisted in the evaluation of candidates for the position of Vice President for Academic Affairs: Dr. Frank Bernier, Dr. William Byas, Dr. Margaret Cappone, Dr. George Eastland, Mrs. Pat Hayner, Dr. Barron Hirsch, Dr. Guy Lee, and Mr. Lee Schwartz.

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