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BOARD HEARS GOOD NEWS ON BUILDINGS

The Board of Control learned Monday that \$35,000 has been allocated, subject to passage of this year's capital outlay bill, to complete working drawings for Instructional Facility No. 2. The money approved by the state joint capital outlay subcommittee enables the architectural firm of Alden B. Dow and Associates to proceed with final planning. That is expected to take some four to six months and is the only remaining step before funds can be allocated for construction. The planning money tentatively O.K.ed this week will primarily be used to complete the design of a 66,000 square foot library.

President Jack M. Ryder said SVSC is "critically in need" of both IF-2 and the proposed heating-cooling plant on campus. "For our size, SVSC is lacking more than any other state college in terms of physical facilities. These are important to our programs and our campus life. We need them badly. As a final decision on capital outlay approaches in Lansing, we are doing everything possible to convince the people there that we should move ahead on these projects," he said.

The Board also heard that the 1979-80 capital outlay bill now under consideration in Lansing also includes planning money for the new physical education building and outdoor facility. Vice President-Administration and Student Affairs Emerson D. Gilbert said the project has been recommended by the Governor for planning and that construction could begin as early as the 1980-81 fiscal year if state funds are available. Cost then is estimated to be some \$13.88 million for the 180,000 square foot facility, and the building could be occupied by June 1983 if approved as requested by college officials.

Gilbert also noted that the legislature is considering putting money into the current capital outlay bill to begin construction on IF-2 rather than waiting for funds to become available from the state bonding bill. He said he is hopeful that construction can also begin this year on the central heating and cooling plant, which has a current cost estimate of \$14.9 million. If held off until next year, with a 12% inflation rate, cost could mushroom to \$16,730,600. IF-2, with a total of 168,900 gross square feet, would have a total price tag of \$16,912,000 if held off until the 1980-81 fiscal year.

In other action, the Board:

--Approved a revision of by-laws for the College Board of Fellows. The original objectives, in effect since 1967, are no longer appropriate and the group's key role is to advise the president on long range planning and provide a community response to college programs as a sounding board for the administration.

--Approved a one-year leave of absence for David deSautel, instructor of mathematics, beginning July 1, 1980. He will be replaced by a one-year temporary full-time faculty person.

--Considered a rewriting of the SVSC Continuing Education Services policy for both credit and non-credit courses. Purpose of the rewrite was to avoid limiting the college geographically to just this part of the state and a lengthy discussion ensued regarding the importance of keeping quality of off-campus classes as high as those on campus. While the Board agreed to reword the policy so that off-campus sites would be designated as "primarily in eastern and central Michigan", it decided to postpone action on the revision until the next meeting.

--Approved the 1979 revised campus master plan, which was a ratification of the Board's earlier informal acceptance of the document. The joint capital outlay subcommittee approved this document in Lansing

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last month, along with the college utilities master plan and the preliminary plan for the heating and cooling plant.

--O.K.ed a resolution whereby the college will obtain a license to use the area north of the football field and track owned by Consumers Power Company. Director of Physical Plant Robert Hanes said the cost would be \$1 per year rental plus certain insurance coverage and payment of Consumers' property taxes for the affected land, estimated to be \$135 annually. It was decided not to request an option to purchase from Consumers if they decide to sell, as the land is only 66 feet wide and would not be usable by anyone other than Consumers or SVSC.

--Agreed to change the November Board meeting from November 12 to Wednesday, October 31, at 9:30 a.m. This is to enable the Board to meet with the North Central Association evaluation team which will be reporting on its visit here that afternoon.

--Heard a progress report on the presidential evaluation and decided to discuss this further at the next meeting.

--Learned that registrations by Midland County students are up 30%, along with a 9% increase by Bay County students. This is partly because of off-campus courses being offered more extensively this year in both counties. Director of Institutional Research and Planning Dr. Ann K. Dickey noted an unusually large increase in the percentage of evening commuting students this fall to 35% from 28% a year earlier. She said the percentage of credit hour increase was higher than that for head count, indicating that more part-time students are now carrying heavier loads. Fifty-three percent of the students are women this year vs. 52% last fall. There are 3,560 students on campus and a grand total 3,855. Twenty-three percent of these are in the school of Business and Management, followed by Education with 18%, Arts and Behavioral Sciences with 13%, Science, Engineering and Technology with 10% and Nursing with 8%. Twenty-seven percent are in the undecided category. Forty-four percent of the total are full-time students, and 53% are now under 25 years of age.

--Learned from Director of Admissions Richard Thompson that there are now only seven lower peninsula counties with no students at SVSC, compared with 12 last fall. Nine counties supplied 40 or more students each, while 8 supplied 10 to 39 each. The number of fall '79 housing contracts was 22% above a year earlier, while the percentage of occupancy is up 17% and is currently 489. Forty-nine percent of the residential hall students (239 vs. 168 last year) are returning students, representing a 42% increase over fall '78. Fifty-one percent are new students and 58% of the dorm residents are males.

--Learned that grants approved during the past month and a half include \$114,763 for the bilingual education renewal, plus \$4,516 as a nursing scholarship renewal, and \$149,173 as the nursing H.E.W. special project grant renewal. \$14,000 has been received from the Bay City criminal justice contract, and \$21,660 has been approved from L.E.A.A./Department of Justice. \$289,445 in financial aid monies has been approved by H.E.W.

--Considered at length the revision of the Board of Control's by-laws and readjourned after lunch to discuss these for an additional 90 minutes.

BOSSSES DAY NEXT WEDNESDAY

In honor of Bosses' Day next Wednesday, October 17, all bosses and their secretaries are invited to a luncheon at 12 noon in Lower Level Doan Center. Members of the secretarial and clerical staff are each asked to bring a dish for this luncheon.

To facilitate planning, please call 4062 or 4064 not later than this Friday, October 12 to let them how many people will be attending and what dish you would like to bring.

SVSC NURSES REALLY "PASS THE TEST"

Graduates of SVSC's first nursing class showed they learned their lessons well as they scored 99% by passing 104 out of 105 possible sections in the State Board of Nursing examination. The high test scores mean that the SVSC graduates--who received bachelor of science degrees in nursing--are now licensed as registered nurses.

According to scores released this week by the State Board of Nursing, the SVSC grads garnered a mean test average of more than 500 points. Three hundred fifty is a passing grade in the examination.

Highest mean score for the SVSC group was in the psychiatric nursing section of the test, where they averaged 571.8. Nursing of children was not far behind, with SVSC's mean score at 549.8. In medical nursing the group averaged 516.5, along with 515.0 in surgical nursing and 511.8 in obstetrical nursing.

Twenty of the 21 SVSC grads passed all five sections of the test, and one passed four sections. Nineteen of the 21 graduates in the first class are employed right here in the Bay City-Midland-Saginaw area, where they are already making an important contribution to area nursing.

FIRST FACULTY COLLOQUIUM SET

Dr. Jacek Fisiak, visiting professor from the University of Poznan, Poland, will be speaker for the first fall faculty colloquium on Thursday, October 25. Four faculty colloquia are planned this semester in the large private dining room, Doan Center. Lunch is at 12 noon and may be purchased from the cafeteria or brought from home. Presentations begin at 12:30 p.m. Future speakers include Kay Harley, English, on Friday, November 9 on "Writing Across the Curriculum"; Jon Cisky, Criminal Justice, on Thursday, November 29 regarding the "Bay County Project Feasibility Study for a Metropolitan Police Agency"; and Dr. Tom Hearn, English, on Friday, December 14 concerning "The Last of Nothing".

THIS IS HOMECOMING WEEKEND

Homecoming weekend festivities begin this Friday, October 12, when the student government sponsors a window-painting contest in Doan Center. A wine and cheese party begins Friday at 3:00 p.m. for faculty, staff, and alumni in the faculty lounge. Sponsored by the SVSC faculty association, the party provides an opportunity for faculty and staff members to renew acquaintances with alumni coming back to campus.

On Saturday, doors open at 10:00 a.m. for the first SVSC Historyfest in Doan Center. SVSC's

Collegium Musicum will present a concert of old-time music on ancient instruments in the mall area at noon. Members of Roger's Rangers will re-enact a Civil War skirmish, using authentic costumes and artillery, at 12:30 p.m.

Next comes a show by the National Guard Drill team at 1:00 p.m. on the field of Cardinal Stadium. At 1:30, the football team takes on G.L.I.A.C. conference rival Grand Valley State College in a homecoming contest which may determine this year's conference championship.

Five SVSC students are competing for Homecoming Queen this year, with the winner to be announced and crowned during half-time ceremonies.

Another Civil War battle is set for 4:00 p.m., when the National Guard unit will go up against the Third Michigan Volunteers to match old-time marksmen against modern weapons. Both battles will take place in the large commons in front of the Great Lakes dormitories.

That evening, the Youth Goodwill Mission of the Republic of China will present a variety show at 7:00 p.m. in the Theatre. The event is a sell-out, and persons with tickets who cannot attend are urged to contact the Office of Information Services at ext. 4054 immediately.

Later that evening the annual Homecoming Dance is set for the Bay City Country Club, beginning at 9:00 p.m.

PHOTO SILKSCREEN SHOW ON NOW

A collection of photo silkscreen prints by local artist John Fetter is being exhibited at the arts workshop now through October 19. Titled "Collages in Photo Silkscreen", the work is a composition of several photographic images meshed together by the process of silkscreen. Fetter has won several awards, including local honors at the Bay City Riverside Art Fair. He is a 1975 graduate of SVSC and founder and director of Bay City's Images Unlimited, one of the most successful design and screen print studios in the area. There is no admission charge.

EDMUNDS TO LECTURE AT SVSC

Barry Edmunds, director of photography at the Flint Journal and international photography award winner, will present free lectures in the arts workshop at 9 00 a.m. October 31 and at 6:00 p.m. on November 1.

Edmund's talk is entitled "The Shadows Lengthen", a slide presentation on the problems of growing old as seen by the artist-photographer. Following the slide showing, he will discuss the work of a photojournalist and hold a question-and-answer session. A reception for Edmunds, hosted by the SVSC Honors Program is planned for 11:00 a.m. on the 31st. For additional information, contact Dr. Barron Hirsch at ext. 4391.

CAMPUS NOTES

--Dr. William G. Elliott, professor and chairman of the department of Business Law and Finance, was elected vice president of the American Business Law Association (ABLA) during the group's 56th annual convention in Hot Springs, Arkansas, recently. His election means that Elliott will become president-elect of the group next year and its president in 1982-83. He was previously secretary/treasurer. Elliott also presented a paper on "The Business Law Professor's Income" at this year's convention, following his survey of business law professors throughout the U.S. and Canada.

--Director of the Division of Placement and Continuing Education Gene Hamilton and Vice President for Business Affairs Jerry Woodcock attended last week's 5th annual Midwest Cooperative Education Association fall conference in LaCrosse, Wisconsin. Hamilton is president of the group, while Woodcock presented a proposal for establishing a corporate source of funding co-op programs. Dow Chemical U.S.A. received recognition as this year's recipient of the annual award for "outstanding leadership in support of cooperative education." Convention theme was "Co-op Fest: 80's".

--Five additional \$1,000 scholarships have been funded by the SVSC Triskelions women's volunteer group. Their \$5,000 gift last week brings to \$149,000 the amount they have contributed over the past 12 years. The awards are given to students on the basis of merit rather than financial need,

and have helped some 300 students. Maximum stipend is \$1,000 to cover the cost of books and other college-related expenses over a four year period. Information on joining the Triskelions or in assisting them through their Consignment Shop at 136 Townsend St., Midland, is available from Shop chairman Patricia Sanders at 835-4980, Midland.

--The SVSC Women's Club will be journeying to Oakland University on Monday, October 29 for a guided tour of Meadow Brook Hall. The group will see that 100-room mansion of priceless opulence from the auto-baron era in the morning before a 12 noon luncheon. In the afternoon, an outlet shopping excursion will take them to special shops selling clothing, shoes, bedding, housewares and small gifts at $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ off. Cost including luncheon and touring fees is \$15 per person, and members of the college community can make reservations by contacting Marsha A Means, Secretary of the Women's Club, at 793-7077. Reservations must be made by October 15.

--The Political Science Dept. announces an internship in public administration with the County of Saginaw's personnel department. Saginaw County will pay a political science student for 20 hours a week per semester, whereby the student can obtain experience in various public administration activities. He or she will concurrently enroll in Political Science 493, Field Work in Public Affairs, for 6 hours of credit. Students who wish to be considered for this internship should apply to the SVSC Political Science department, currently chaired by Dr. David Weaver. The fall 1979 intern is student Kurt Trautman.

--Dr. David Barker, associate professor of French, has just published an article entitled "The Foreign Language Professor as a Public Relations Person" in the current issue of the "Newsletter" of the Northeast Conference on the Teaching of Foreign Languages. Primary audience for the publication is secondary and college faculty throughout the nation.

--Dr. Thomas Renna, associate professor of History, read a paper on "Augustinian Autobiography: Medieval and Modern" at the 4th Mid-Atlantic States Conference on Patristic, Medieval, and Renaissance Studies held at Villanova University, PA, last week.

The conference was sponsored by the Augustinian Historical Institute.

--SVSC race walkers Ward Freeman, Steve Umphries, and Doug Philpotts were on Channel 19's "Day by Day" program Monday, October 8, to tell the public more about race walking. They are coached by Dr. Douglas Hansen.

--Persons from Bay City interested in forming a car pool to SVSC are asked to contact Barb Buford at ext. 4072. If enough people are willing to make a commitment, it might be possible to make busing arrangements.

--A large number of trees is currently being planted across campus, and Physical Plant needs any length and type of garden hose to be cut up for mooring the trees to our windy turf. Please drop off garden hose to Don Zorn in the '66 building.

--Numerous SVSC individuals and groups will be participating in the St. Jude's Hospital Radiothon this weekend at Fashion Square Mall. Included will be the Jazz Ensemble, members of the marching band, who will open the Radiothon at 6:00 p.m. Friday, football team co-captains, who will be locked up if sufficient money is raised for the purpose, and numerous members of fraternities and sororities who will be manning telephones. There will also be a Delta and SVSC ping-pong tourney, and interested persons may sign up at the intramural office for the preliminary bout at 8:00 p.m. Friday. Finals will take place at 10:00 a.m. Sunday in the Mall. The Radiothon will be broadcast on WSGW Radio.

--A Conversational Polish class will begin next Monday, October 15, and will continue Monday evenings for 8 weeks from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. in 235 Wickes Hall. The class is especially designed for persons who plan to visit Poland soon or who want to learn more about Eastern European culture. Cost is \$20 per person, and details are available from the Institute at ext. 4315.

--Persons interested in obtaining Delta College's "Interlink" weekly staff publication should contact the office of Dr. Emerson Gilbert at ext. 4043.

--Pamela Thompson is new secretary to the Dean of Students, and her phone number will be ext. 4042 until further notice. Persons

who wish to call the Office of the President should do so on ext. 4041.

--James Dwyer is new Admissions Representative for SVSC. He received his B.A. degree here in 1976 and was previously a teacher at All Saints High School, Bay City. He has also been assistant men's basketball coach.

--Mrs. Marilyn Frahm is new Media Coordinator in the Office of Information Services. She has transferred from a part-time position with the Division of Placement and Continuing Education. She has worked at SVSC since 1976, and received her B.S. degree from Michigan State University.

--Katheryn Lewis is new Librarian/Cataloger in the Library. She received her B.A. degree from Oakland University and her A.M.L.S. from the University of Michigan. She was previously employed with the Detroit Public Library.

--Nancy Voorheis is a new Computer Operator, and has transferred there from the Financial Aid Department where she was a student employee for the past year and a half.

--Martha Miller is a new Juvenile Center Teaching Intern in Saginaw County. She is enrolled in SVSC's M.A.T. program, and was formerly a teacher at St. Casimir's School, Saginaw.

--Mrs. Elsie Trerice has been appointed Head Teacher at the new Day Care Center. She formerly worked as Senior Bookstore Assistant at SVSC, where she received her B.A. degree in 1976, and is currently working on her M.A.T. degree.

--Ms. Bonnie Witzke is new Assistant Teacher at the Day Care Center. She presently attends SVSC, and formerly worked at the Bay-Arenac Intermediate School District Day Training Center.

--Altaf-ur-Rahman will become an Assistant Professor of Engineering and Technology here in January. He received his B.E. degree from Osmania University, India, and his M.E. degree from Baroda, India. He expects to complete his Ph.D. degree at Oklahoma State University this December.

--The School of Nursing & Allied Health will hold an open house of their new audio-visual lab and clinical nursing lab on October 18 from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. The labs are located in Pioneer Hall, rooms 122 and 125.

PERSONNEL--

ALL LISTINGS ARE FOR FULL-TIME/PERMANENT
NEW POSITIONS UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.

ACCOUNTING - Assistant Professor (one),
starting January 1980.
-Instructor (one) starting July 1980

MANAGEMENT - Assistant Professor (one),
starting January 1980 (replacement).

MARKETING/MANAGEMENT - Assistant Professor
(one) starting July 1980.

NURSING - Asst. Prof./Instructor (two),
starting January 1980.
-Asst. Prof./Instructor (two), starting
July 1980.
-Associate Professor (one), starting
July 1980.

ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY - Assistant Pro-
fessor (one), starting July 1980.
-Instructor (one), starting July 1980.
-Assistant Professor (one), starting
January 1980 (replacement).

PHYSICS - Assistant Professor (one),
starting January 1980.

MATHEMATICS - Asst./Assc. Professor (one),
starting July 1980 (temporary).

SOCIAL WORK - Assistant Professor (one)
starting January 1980.

SPEECH/THEATRE - Instructor (one) starting
July 1980.

PHYSICAL PLANT - Custodian, (one), replace-
ment.

These positions will be open to members of
the campus community for one week. Interested
persons should contact the Personnel Office
at ext. 4108.

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