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Eight four-man teams of high-level police and probation officials from the northeastern jurisdictions of New York, Syracuse, Buffalo, Nassau County, Baltimore, Boston, Philadelphia, and Hartford will gather in Albany on May 25 for a four-day pilot institute to discover ways in which criminal justice officials can better meet common goals.

The institute is under the auspices of the School of Criminal Justice of State University of New York at Albany and the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration of the United States Department of Justice. It is a research effort aimed at developing a model program which could be used to increase cooperation among police, prosecutors, judges, district attorneys, and correctional officials in major cities of the United States in combatting crime and delinquency. The program is being co-sponsored by the National Council on Crime and Delinquency, the International Chiefs of Police, the Department of Correction of the State of New York, and the Division of Local Police of the State of New York.

The type of model this program will develop was identified as critically needed by the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice 1967. The Commission concluded that a major problem in combatting crime and delinquency has been a lack of effective coordination among the many parts of the criminal justice system in this country. The institute will bring material from organizational theory and legal research

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to bear on the problem. It also will stress behavioral science findings on methods of managing human conflict which have been found useful in enhancing cooperation.

A unique feature of the program is that the participating probation and police officials will serve as experts who will help to identify problems and alternative solutions with the assistance of a skilled staff. Faculty members will include Warner Burke, National Training Laboratories, Washington, D. C.; Alvin Cohn, director of training, National Council on Crime and Delinquency, New York City; Harvey Hornstein, Teachers College, Columbia University; Charles McCloskey, deputy director, New York Division of Local Police; Donald J. Newman and Vincent O'Leary, School of Criminal Justice, Albany; and Robert Sullivan, training consultant, Division of Probation, New York Department of Correction. Professor O'Leary is serving as program coordinator.

The National Council on Crime and Delinquency and the International Chiefs of Police hope to utilize the model developed from the institute through programs with representatives of criminal justice agencies in most of the major cities of the United States. The Department of Correction and the Division of Local Police are evaluating its potential for use in communities in New York State. The School of Criminal Justice plans to cooperate with these agencies in conducting follow up research on the applications of the model.



IMMEDIATE

Support of \$48,000 over a period of two years for research on freely suspended hydrometeors in a large vertical wind tunnel has been given by the National Science Foundation through the Research Foundation of State University of New York. The research will be under the direction of Narayan R. Gokhale, professor of atmospheric science, State University of New York at Albany.

Dr. Gokhale explained that a large vertical wind tunnel with a diameter of 1.5 meters was constructed at SUNYA with partial support from NSF for instrumentation. With the tunnel it will be possible to simulate some of the conditions in a cumulonimbus convective cloud. Temperatures are dependent upon outside ambient air drawn into the tunnel which may be expected to vary seasonally from +15°C to -25°C.

The tunnel working area is large enough to suspend up to 2,000 or more liquid or ice hydrometeors. With the new research support, studies will be made on collision, coalescence and fracture of hydrometeors using high speed photography, and the conditions under which riming and growth of graupel occur. Observations also will be made on the separation of electrical charge due to interaction of hydrometeors suspended in the wind tunnel working area.

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IMMEDIATE

Marjory Fuller, mezzo-soprano and teacher of voice in the music department of State University of New York at Albany, will be the featured performer in a concert Monday, May 12, at 8:30 p.m. in the theatre of the university's Performing Arts Center. Assisting her will be Dennis Helmrich, piano; William Hudson, clarinet; and Irvin Gilman, flute; also of the music department.

Mrs. Fuller will perform a variety of works including Mahler's "Lieder eines fahrenden Gesellen," Haydn's "Two Canzoni," and Benjamin Britten's "A Charm of Lullabies." Works by Mozart, Roussel, Debussy, Charles Loeffler, Charles Ives, and Samuel Barber will also be heard.

Mrs. Fuller is a former faculty member at De Pauw University. She has performed a broad repertoire with numerous symphony orchestras, including many oratorios.

The next concert at Albany will be a program by the University Concert Band on Tuesday, May 13, at 8:30 p.m. in the theatre of the Performing Arts Center.

Both concerts are open to the public, and there is no admission charge for either event.

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IMMEDIATE

Paul Bruce Pettit, chairman of the Department of Theatre at State
University of New York at Albany, has been appointed by the State Education
Department to the Advisory Committee on its proposed Resident School of the Arts.
Dr. Pettit will serve with committee members who include Vivian Anderson of the
State Education Department, chairman; Norman Lloyd, director of arts of the
Rockefeller Foundation; Fred O'Neal, president of Actors' Equity Association;
and Mark Schubart, vice president of the Lincoln Center.

The committee will explore the feasibility of establishing a resident school of the arts. Such a school would enroll young people with exceptional talent in the arts and provide them with both a normal high school academic curriculum and intensive and personalized training in the area of the arts in which the student is most interested.

"The Resident School of the Arts promises to be a most exciting and innovating step in the direction of education in the arts," said Dr. Pettit, "and I am delighted that the State University of New York at Albany is able to have a voice in its planning."

Dr. Pettit is the founder of the State University Arena Summer Theatre and has been a member of the Albany faculty since 1947. He has served as president of the Albany League of Art, Inc., as theatre adviser to the New York State Council on the Arts, and as a member of the advisory boards of the New York State Community Theatre Association and the Albany Institute of History and Art.

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The Sales Management Seminar, scheduled for May 8-9 at State University of New York at Albany, has been cancelled. (previous release dated April 29, 1969)

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Nathan Wright, Jr., organizer and planning committee chairman for the 1967 and 1968 National and International Conferences on Black Power in Newark and Philadelphia, has been appointed chairman of the new department of Afro-American studies at State University of New York at Albany for a three-year term by President Evan R. Collins. Dr. Wright also has been appointed professor of urban affairs. The faculty position is with tenure.

The new chairman has been a prolific writer in the field of urban analysis on a racial basis. He is the author of "One Bread, One Body," which was awarded first prize by the Christian Research Foundation, Cambridge. Dr. Wright, who also has written several books, is the author of "Let's Work Together" which was nominated for a Pulitzer Prize last year. Two years ago he was the recipient of the Media Workshop Award for "Black Power and Urban Unrest." George Harris, senior editor of Look magazine, has said that Dr. Wright, "has a better grasp of the implications of 'black power' and the present direction of the freedom movement than any other intellectual I have been able to find."

Seth W. Spellman, associate professor of social welfare and interim chairman of the department of Afro-American studies, has high praise for the new appointee. "Dr. Wright has had wide experience in the problems of urban America and I feel that such experience will be of fundamental importance to the department. He has occupied leadership positions in the black community and in efforts at resolving the difficult situations that black Americans find themselves in. He has occupied these leadership positions at the local, state, and national levels. We feel that this coupled with his academic qualifications make him uniquely prepared to lead a department such as has been established

by the State University of New York at Albany."

Dr. Wright is the holder of six degrees, five of which are earned, including two from Harvard University. They are a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Cincinnati; Bachelor of Divinity, Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, Mass.; Master of Sacred Theology, Harvard University; Master of Education, Boston State Teachers College; and Doctor of Education, Harvard Graduate School of Education. In January he received an honorary Doctor of Laws from Upsala College, East Orange, N. J. His fields of specialization have included history, philosophy, social sciences, secondary education, social ethics, and sociology.

Currently the department chairman serves as consultant to the superintendent, Minneapolis Public Schools, for more effective educational programs,
and to the Commission on Religion and Race, New Jersey Synod, United Presbyterian Church. For 14 years, beginning in 1950, Dr. Wright was rector of St.
Cyprian's Church in Boston. During World War II he was an officer in the
Medical Administrative Corps.

In a prepared press release, Dr. Wright said that an interdepartmental committee, including William O. Perlmutter, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, and Paul F. Wheeler, associate dean, will work with him to extend the program of urban affairs and human development which probably will have high priority in the university's curriculum development.

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Professor Curt Beck Department of Chemistry Vassar College

"ORIGIN OF ARCHEOLOGICAL AMBER ARTIFACTS"

7:30 P. M.

Thursday, May 22, 1969

Room B-27, Chemistry Building

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Hans H. Toch, professor of psychology in the School of Criminal Justice, is the author of the book, "Violent Men: An Inquiry into the Psychology of Violence", just published by Aldine Publishing Company, Chicago. It is described as a psychological study of violence in America today that seeks to link violent men to humanity, while separating them for their violent acts.

In the opening paragraphs, Professor Toch writes, "Few categories of conduct evoke more concern than the subject of this book. Social critics equate violence with decay, statesmen deplore its prevalence, and resources are marshaled to combat it. Everyone agrees that we are a violent people. The mass media are presumed suffused with cruelty, and they in turn claim that the masses have a propensity for gore. We are told that violence lurks within us, that we dote on it, wallow in it, and that we must exert enormous effort to suppress it.

"During the crises that follow assassinations and riots, the speculation about violence reaches feverish proportions. Violence becomes the monomania of the press, the core substance of politics, the mainstay of the cocktail party, and the obsession of the public. Violence is promiscuously viewed, and it is seen everywhere. Historically, it becomes the theme of evolution; psychologically, the corollary of human nature; educationally, the enemy of learning; socially, the wrong road to change."

The forward to "Violent Men" was written by James Douglas Grant, former chief of the Research Division of the California State Department of Correction and now a government consultant. Professor Toch focuses on the "violent incident"

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as the key unit for study. He examines assaults on police and hostile encounters between police officers and civilians. With comphasis on the Watts riot, collective violence is considered with a discussion of etiology. From the available data, Professor Toch isolates syndromes of psychological characteristics associated with violence-prone people. From this, he draws implications for therapy, training, penology, and social action as applied to the regeneration of "Violent Men", and he delineates areas for further research.

What emerges from the work is a portrait of the "Violent Man" -- a basically immature person who has learned to use force as a compensatory tool and who can be assessed, understood, and, in time, regenerated. Professor Toch's book has been described as important reading for psychologists, sociologists, criminologists, penologists, and those concerned with the problem of violence in America today.

The State University at Albany professor received his doctorate from Princeton University. He has taught at Michigan State University and has been a visiting lecturer at Harvard University. He was project co-director of the Institute for the Study of Crime and Delinquency at Sacramento, Calif. He is the author of many articles for the professional literature as well as of several books. They include "Legal and Criminal Psychology" and "The Social Psychology of Social Movements."



Immediate

Charles W. Bowler, who has served as director of alumni affairs at State University of New York at Albany for the past three years, will become assistant principal of The Milne School effective September 1. He also will be assistant professor of education at the university's laboratory school where was acting principal during the school year 1965-66 while Theodore H. Fossieck, principal, was on sabbatical leave.

Mr. Bowler, a chief school administrative officer for 19 years, previously was supervising principal at Richville Union Free School, Richville, and at Hartwick High School, Hartwick, and district principal of Cambridge Central School, Cambridge. He received his undergraduate degree in history from Columbia College in the City of New York and his master of arts in secondary school administration from Teachers College, Columbia University. He also has done additional graduate work at Teachers College.

Mr. Bowler, a resident of Cambridge, is a member of Phi Delta Kappa, honorary educational fraternity; American Association of Secondary School Administrators; and the New York State Association of Secondary School Principals. He formerly was district chairman for the latter organization. His community activities have included membership in the Cambridge Professional and Business Men's Association, the Board of Trustees of the United Presbyterian Church, Cambridge, and the Advisory Committee of the Mary McClellan Hospital of Practical Nursing, of which he was chairman.



Immediate

In memory of Howard Keeler, late director of the Schenectady Community
Chest, the School of Social Welfare of State University of New York at Albany
will offer an institute in social planning Monday, May 12, at Campus Center.

Explored will be the role of social work in social planning with Robert Morris,
professor of social planning, Florence Heller Graduate School for Advanced
Studies in Social Welfare, Brandeis University, serving as challenger.

Raymond F. Mahoney, assistant dean of the School of Social Welfare, said that participants will respond to Dr. Morris's paper being sent to them in advance of the institute. There will be an opportunity to engage in an encounter about the problems of social planning in the Capital District and in the Empire State, face-to-face and in working groups.

The institute will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the ballroom. Registrations are being received by Dean Mahoney. The fees are \$1 for students and \$3 for others.



State Senator D. Clinton Dominick, of Newburgh, chairman of the New York Senate's Education Committee, will be the speaker Tuesday, May 13, at the Breakfast Roundtable at State University of New York at Albany. The roundtable series is a public service provided by the College of General Studies as a continuing link of communication for industrial, educational, and governmental leaders in the capital district area.

Senator Dominick's topic will be "The School Decentralization Issue". The legislator is chairman of the Joint Legislative Committee to Revise and Simplify the Education Law and a member of the joint legislative committees on child care needs and on conservation, natural resources and scenic beauty. He also is one of New York's commissioners on the Education Commission of the States, a member of the advisory board of the New York State Legislative Institute, and recipient of the 1967 National Distinguished Service Award from the National Education Association.

The program will begin at 8:30 in Campus Center. On the advisory committee for the series are Samuel E. Aronowitz, O'Connell and Aronowitz; George E. Brewer, executive director, State University of New York at Albany Foundation; George L. Johnson, manager, Capital Area Niagara Mohawk Corporation; Fred F. Peters, president, National Savings Bank of Albany; Warren Sherley, director, corporate industrial relations, Albany Felt Company; Harold H. Shincel, president, CMP Industries, Inc.; James A. Stiles, president, Albany Chamber of Commerce; J. Vanderbilt Straub, chairman, University Council, State University of New York at Albany; Lewis A. Swyer, president, L. A. Swyer Company; and Bruce Williamson, WTEN news staff, Capital Cities Broadcasting Company.



The University Concert Band of State University of New York at Albany will perform Tuesday evening, May 13, in the main theatre of the Performing Arts Center. There is no admission charge for the public concert which will begin at 8:30.

William Hudson will conduct the band and Thomas Brown will conduct the University Percussion Ensemble. Soloists with the band will be James Morris, trumpet, Daniel Nimetz, French horn, and Harvey Westcott, trombone.

Included in the first portion of the program will be Howard Hanson's "Chorale and Alleluia"; Robert Linn's "Concerto Grosso"for trumpet, horn, trombone, and band; and Gordon Jacob's "An Original Suite" for military band. Following intermission, the University Percussion Ensemble will be heard in Carlos Chavez's "Toccata", third movement; Thomas Brown's "Afro", and "Pattern Percussion", also by Brown.

The band's concluding numbers will be "Colas Breugnon Overture", by Dmitri Kabalevsky, and "American Overture for Band", by Joseph Willcox Jenkins.

Mr. Morris joined the music faculty three years ago. He plays first trumpet in the Albany Symphony Orchestra and Lake George Opera Orchestra. Mr. Nimetz teaches French horn and music history at the university and is the first horn player of the Albany Symphony. Mr. Westcott, a music major, will be graduated next month. He plays first trombone in the band and in the University-Community Symphony Orchestra.

The conductor and composer Thomas Brown teaches percussion majors. He is well known throughout the state for his musical accomplishments.



Immediate

Dennis Buck, pianist, will be heard in senior recital Sunday afternoon, May 11, in the studio theatre of the Performing Arts Center at State University of New York at Albany. He is a student of Findlay Cockrell of the university's music faculty.

Mr. Buck will perform "Chromatic Fantasy and Fugue" by Bach,
Hindemith's "Third Piano Sonata", and other works by Mozart, Brahms,
Debussy, and Khachaturian.

The student, who will be graduated next month, resides at 136 Holly street, Brockport. He has served as accompanist for several university musical productions.

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The finishing touches are being put on plans for "Dedication '69", a weekend of special events at State University of New York at Albany which will note both the 125th anniversary year of the institution and the conclusion of a two-year period during which buildings on the new campus have been dedicated. James E. Allen, Jr., U. S. Commissioner of Education, will be the dedication convocation speaker Saturday evening, May 17.

Three days of programs will begin Thursday, May 15, and conclude with the convocation. An academic procession will precede the formal program to be held at the ceremonial entrance to the academic podium. J. Vanderbilt Straub, chairman of the University Council, will preside at the ceremony. Prior to Commissioner Allen's address, the University Concert Band and The Statesmen, men's choral group, will present "The God Who Gave Us Life" from Thompson's "Testament of Freedom". Following the dedication convocation, to begin with the colorful procession at 8:30, a reception will be held on the academic podium surrounding the carillon concourse.

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Coinciding with the dedication/will be the events of Alumni Weekend, Parents'
Weekend, and the students' traditional State Fair. A variety of scheduled events
ranges from formal banquets to discussions on social issues led by experts in their
fields to cookouts on the Mohawk Campus and game booths on the campus lawn. Many
alumni, parents, and other friends of the university plan to share in the festivities
which are open to the public.

An unusual feature of the weekend will be a symposium designed to provide participants with an opportunity for stimulating discussions on contemporary subjects with knowledgeable people. Twelve sessions are scheduled for Friday morning and afternoon, may 16, and the following morning. Topics will range from international dimensions of higher education and ethics and human engineering to the new literature and the cost and consequences of science in the modern world.

Among the panelists coming from outside the university community are Rodney Felder, Class of 1949, dean of students at Finch College; Seymour Fersh, '49, education director of the Asia Society; Elizabeth Strong Finley, '28, liaison engineer for Grumman Aircraft; and Harold Martin, president of Union College. Canon Rue Moore, chaplain and assistant professor of preventive and community medicine, Albany Medical College and Theodore King, professor and head of the college's department of gynecology, will participate in a discussion of "Take Any Heart, Take Mine: Ethics and Human Engineering".

Other guest panelists include Bernard Berkowitz, instructor and team leader of the Capital District Psychiatric Center; Ellen Stewart, producer-director of La Mama Reptertory Theatre; Olin Le Compte, attorney; Eunice Baird Whittlesey, 44, consultant on pollution to the New York State Department of Health, Division of Pure Waters; and Dalwin J. Niles, New York State Senator.

Musical events will be held throughout the weekend. A carillon concert is scheduled for Friday noon. Later in the day, at 5 o'clock, The Statesmen will be heard in concert at the Campus Center fountain. In the evening there will be a popular music concert at the gymnasium to be presented by the Contemporary Music Council.

Saturday afternoon, from 4 to 5, the University Band will give a pops concert at the main entrance to the academic podium.

Several of the academic departments will have open houses and several plan special exhibits. Additionally, all residence halls will be open throughout the weekend. Art Gallery hours will be extended. Currently being shown is the All-University Exhibit with works by artists from State University campuses throughout the state. For four evenings, beginning Wednesday, State University Theatre will present the Arena Theatre production, "Big Soft Nellie". It will be staged in the Performing Arts Center.

Athletic events in outdoor areas have been scheduled. Saturday afternoon there will be a baseball game at 1, a lacrosse contest at 2, and a track meet, also at 2.

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In the physical education building there will be an exhibition of synchronized swimming at 2 and a gymnastic exhibition at 2:30.

State Fair, featuring entertainment booths, will be held from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon on the Campus Center Mall. Parents' Weekend banquets will be held in residence hall ding rooms from 4:30 to 7.

Editors: Please note that a "Dedication '69" brochure is enclosed for your convenience.

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A lecture series honoring the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy has been established at the Graduate School of Pubic Affairs, State University of New York at Albany. The initial lecture will be delivered by Adam Walinsky, chief legislative assistant to the late Senator, at 8 p.m., Tuesday, May 20, in room 315 of the Campus Center. Mr. Walinsky will speak on "The Radical in Politics." His appearance is sponsored by the Albany Chapter of Pi Sigma Alpha, a national political science honor fraternity an is open to the public.

In addition to the primary purpose of honoring Kennedy, the Robert F.

Kennedy Memorial Lectures will be designed to establish a dialogue between today's political leaders and the students. Richard P. Rust, president of Pi Sigma Alpha, stated, "We hope that this memorial lecture series will recapture the spirit of Robert F. Kennedy and his commitment to the solution of social and moral problems through the confrontation of ideas, rather than the physical confrontation of violence and invective so prevalent on the campus today."

The lecture series has the encouragement of the Kennedy family, as well as the enthusiastic support of the Graduate School of Public Affairs, faculty and students. Mr. Walinsky, a graduate of Yale University, joined Senator Kennedy's staff at age 26, after having worked with the Peace Corps. He was concerned with speech writing and helped draft Kennedy's legislative program.

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The annual spring choral festival of State University of New York at Albany will be presented by the music department Wednesday evening, May 21, at 8:30 in the main theatre of the Performing Arts Center. Participating will be The University Singers, Women's Chorus, The Statesmen, and The Collegiate Singers conducted by Karl A. B. Peterson, professor of music.

More than 250 singers will perform in the concert. The major works will include Leonard Bernstein's "Chichester Psalms" and Randall Thompson's "The Testament of Freedom". The latter work is a setting of four passages from the writings of Thomas Jefferson. Dennis Buck will accompany all the choral ensembles.

The festival is open to the public without charge. The newly opened Performing Arts Center is located at the southeast end of the campus, inside the academic quadrangle, nearest to the Art Gallery. The parking area closest to Washington avenue and to the Thruway Hyatt House serves the center.

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A banquet at which 125 alumni will be honored for distinguished service will highlight events planned by the Alumni Association of State University of New York during "Dedication '69", a weekend of special events marking the dedication of the university's new campus and the observance of the 125th year of the institution. Prior to the dinner, to be served in ballroom at 6 o'clock, a reception honoring the distinguished alumni will be held in the main lounge of Campus Center.

of Schenectady,
Mrs. Germaine Keller,/president of the Alumni Association, will extend
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greetings to the gathering after which Leonard/Friedlander, of Albany, will
preside as toastmaster. The main address will be given by Dr. Evan R. Collins,
university president, who is leaving the university after 20 years of service.

The program also will include "A Look Back", presented by Dr. Clifton C. Thorne, vice president for student affairs and an alumnus. Mrs. Kenneth S. MacAffer, of Menands, a member of the University Council and an alumna, will lead the assemblage in the singing of the Alma Mater.

Alumni events for the weekend begin with a social hour Thursday evening in the ballroom. On Friday there will be eight sessions of the symposia concerned with discussions of contemporary issues. There also will be a picnic from noon until 3 o'clock at the Mohawk Campus.

Saturday morning there'll be breakfast at the Campus Center cafeteria to be followed by a business meeting of the Alumni Association starting at 9:15 in the cafeteria. The concluding four sessions of the symposia will be held from 10 o'clock until noon.

Mrs. Chester Gavryck , of Castleton, is chairman of the alumni luncheon to be held in the ballroom and during which the Class of 1919 will be honored.

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Chad Walsh, poet, author, and anthologist, will read and discuss his poetry at 8:15 Wednesday evening, May 21, in the Campus Center assembly hall, State University of New York at Albany. Mr. Walsh, a professor of English at Beloit (Wis.) College, is founder of the Beloit Poetry Journal.

Mr. Walsh has published several volumes of verse, including "The Factual Dark" (1949), "Eden Two-Way" (1954), and "The End of Nature" (1969). He also is the editor of "Today's Poets," a college anthology. In the mid 1940's he became a convert to Christianity, was made a deacon in the Episcopal Church in 1948, and was ordained a priest in 1949. He is a weekend assistant at St. Paul's Church in Beloit, has been a guest preacher in many churches throughout the country, and has written several religious works, including "Campus Gods on Trial" (1953).

The educator received his B.A. from the University of Virginia, an M.A. in French from the University of Michigan, and a Ph.D. in English from the same institution. He joined the Beloit faculty in 1945 after three years in Washington with the United States Army Signal Corps. Mr. Walsh has lectured at many colleges and universities in the U.S. and abroad. In 1957-58 he was a Fulbright lecturer in American literature at Turku, Finland.

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IMMEDIATE

"Arena: Season '69" is the catchphrase for the 1969 Arena Summer Theatre which will debut in the Performing Arts Center at State University of New York at Albany, according to William Frankonis artistic director. Long a leader in summer dramatic entertainment, Arena Summer Theatre has initiated its new season with the announcement of a direction and technical staff. Audition and production dates have also been set. The season will include four productions, among which will be a Children's Theatre production for the first time in Arena's seventeen-year history.

The direction staff announced by Mr. Frankonis includes two former

Arena directors and two newcomers. New to Arena are Martin Mann and Patricia

B. Snyder, both of whom are on the staff of the State University Theatre.

Mr. Mann has directed such productions as "Stop The World, I Want To Get Off,"

Thornton Wilder's "The Skin of Our Teeth," and Elmer Rice's "The Adding Machine." Mrs. Snyder is director of the Children's Theatre at the university and has directed recent productions of "Androcles and The Lion" and "Johnny Moonbeam."

Returning to Arena, after an absence of several years, is C. Duryea Smith whose most recent Arena production was Goldoni's "Mistress on the Inn." The fourth Arena director will be John Velie, returning for his third year. Mr. Velie directed a bill of one-act plays last year, and the year before did Ann Jellicoe's "The Knack."

The Arena technical staff this year will consist of Robert Donnelly as scenic designer and technical director; Jerome R. Hanley as lighting designer; and Arlene F. DuMond as costume and make-up designer. All three designers are regular State University Theatre staff members.

"Arena: Season '69" will have a four-week production period. The season will begin on July 9 and end August 2 with each production running four days, Wednesday through Saturday. Play selection is not final. Arena has set Monday through Wednesday, June 2, 3, and 4 as its audition dates. Auditions, as usual, are open to all interested people in the Capital District and will be held at 7:30 each night in laboratory theatre 2 of the Performing Arts Center. Anyone wanting further information is advised to telephone Mr. Frankonis at the university (457-8594).

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IMMEDIATE

Dr. Emanual Palacios Ramirez, director general of international affairs,
Department of Public Education, Mexico City, will be the guest speaker Thursday
evening, May 22, when the installation of the local chapter Eta Psi of Sigma Delti Pi,
national Spanish honorary, will take place at State University of New York at Albany.
A reception will follow the meeting to be held in Campus Center rooms 315 and 316,
beginning at 7:30.

Dr. Palacios, a participant in the International Visitors Program, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Department of State, is in this country for a month. He has been professor of Mexican literature at the University of/Mexico for the past thirty years and is a member of the U.S.-Mexico Commission for Border Development and Friendship. Dr. Palacios has a degree in medicine from the University of Guadalajara.

Twenty-one students will be inducted as members of the new honorary and they will hear a message of congratulations from Dr. Palacios. Five associate members of the new organization at SUNYA are faculty members who already hold membership in the national honorary. Co-sponsors of the chapter and serving as faculty advisors are Edward A. Riggio, lecturer in Romantic languages, and Frank S. Carrino, directo of the Center for Inter-American Studies.

Student members of the steering committee are Virginia Brownell, Christine Zawisza, Jerome Mikowicz, Marcia Macknica, Judy Slaver, and Marie Balmentie.

Officers for the coming year will be elected at the meeting.

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IMMEDIATE

State University of New York at Albany will be host Thursday, May 22, to a group of French university educators who will play a key role in the current reform of education in France. They will come to the campus under the auspices of U.S. Ambassador to France Sargent Shriver and of the Ford Foundation in an effort to gain insight into the State University structures and procedures.

In the group will be J. P. Millard, director of the University Institute of Technology at Nimes; Maurice Jacob, associate director of the department of civilizations of Central Europe, University of Nancy; Phillippe Mouchez, of Paris, professor of economics; Angel Perez, professor of American studies at Bordeaux; and Ralph Tissot, a member of the faculty of literature and humanities at Lyon.

The French visitors' program at SUNYA will include a tour of the academic podium, lunch at Campus Center, and a three-hour to discussion period. Charles W. Colman, associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, is in charge of arrangements.

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Gilbert D. Moore, of the office of assistant to the president, State University of New York at Buffalo, has been elected permanent chairman of the newly-formed advisory council for the Two-Year College Student Development Center at State University of New York at Albany. Dr. Moore served as acting chairman during the organizational meeting held Tuesday evening at Campus Center.

Elected to the executive committee were Thomas Aldington, associate professor of mechanical technology, Mohawk Valley Community College; Anthony Dombrowski, president of College and Institute Student Government Association at Agricultural and Technical College at Alfred; John E. Ginter, School Boards Association, Inc., Broadalbin; and Shirley E. Wurz, dean of students, at the Alfred college.

The council will review the programming of the center and advise on the directions for new programs, as well as to keep the focus of the center continually on the people it is to serve; namely, the students in two-year colleges. The council membership includes a number of interested citizens not associated with formal education bodies. Providing a more flexible way for people representing the council to keep in close touch with the center will be the executive committee.

Other members are James A. Colston, president, Bronx Community College;
William DeCamp, director of counseling, Community College of the Finger Lakes;
Darrell D. Hilliker, dean, continuing education, Suffolk County Community College;
Abe Lavine, director of Employee Relations, State of New York Executive Chamber
Office of Employee Relations; Marilyn C. Link, special assistant, Mohawk Airlines, Inc.

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New York; James I. Loeb, publisher and editor, Adirondack Daily Enterprise;

Saranac Lake, Christine Rose, vice president, CISGA, Dutchess Community College;

Suzanne P. Ryder, vice president, CISGA, Fashion Institute of Technology, New York;

Vincent J. Schaefer, director, Atmospheric Sciences Research Center, State

University at Albany; and Walter T. Schoen, Jr., dean, Rockland Community College,

Suffern.

Ex-officio council members are Randolph S. Gardner, dean, School of Education,
State University at Albany; Lawrence Gray, chief, Bureau of Two-Year College Programs,
State Education Department; Norman D. Kurland, director, Center on Planning and
Innovation for Elementary, Secondary and Continuing Education, State Education
Department; Philip B. Langworthy, assistant commissioner for Pupil Personnel
Services and Continuing Education, The University of the State of New York, State
Education Department; S. V. Martorana, vice chancellor for two-year colleges,
State University of New York; Robert H. McCambridge, Division of Higher Education,
State Education Department; Robert S. Seckendorf, assistant commissioner for
occupational education, State Education Department; and Harold C. Skorpen, associate
in higher education, Bureau of Two-Year College Programs, State Education
Department.

May 21, 1969



Paul C. Boomsliter, chairman, department of audiology and speech pathology, State University of New York at Albany, has been awarded a research grant of \$28,600 from the United States Office of Education, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. The grant is for a 15-month period, June 1, 1969. August 31, 1970.

Dr. Boomsliter will study a "Program for the Preparation of Professional Personnel in the Education of Handicapped Children (Speech and Hearing)." He has been at the university since 1948 and was named chairman of the new department this year. The educator holds a bachelor's degree from West Virginia University and advanced degrees from the universities of Iowa and Wisconsin.

Professor Boomsliter has served as consultant in speech pathology at the Veteran's Administration Hospital, Albany, at the Albany Study Center for Learning Disabilities, and at the Albany Child Guidance Center. Among the particular developments with which he is associated are thereferential theory of melody, the Boomsliter-Creel test of tonal processing, and the referential search organ.

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Milton Rector, director of the National Council on Crime and Delinquency, will speak Sudany evening, May 25, at the opening session of the pilot institute to discover ways in which criminal justice officials can better meet common goals. It is being held under the auspices of the School of Criminal Justice of State University of New York at Albany and the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration of the United States Department of Justice. Mr. Rector is a national authority on the subject.

Several other noted authorities will be in Albany to observe sessions at the four-day pilot institute and its application. They include Wesley Pomeroy, associate director, Law Enforcement Assistance Administration. He will discuss the implications of the program with the participants on Tuesday evening. Other Justice Department people will be in attendance during the week.

The work of eight four-man teams of high-level police and probation officials from the northeastern jurisdictions of New York, Syracuse, Buffalo, Nassau County, Baltimore, Boston, Philadelphia and Hartford will be aimed at solving the problems of conflict which plague the criminal justice system, such as courts versus police. Conflict "games" will be conducted in order to identify problems and to look at new ways of resolving them. There will be an attempt to improve relationships by using research

methods and determining what has been useful in other conflict situations such as labor vs. management.

Professor Vincent O'Leary of the School of Criminal Justice is serving as

Professor Vincent O'Leary, of the School of Criminal Justice, is serving as program coordinator. Other faculty members include Donald J. Newman, of the SUNYA graduate school.

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IMMEDIATE

At a meeting of the Committee on Anthropological Research in Museums (CARM), American Anthropological Association, held in Milwaukee, awards were confirmed for two programs involving students of State University of New York at Albany.

A museum internship at the New York State Museum and Science
Service for three months this summer, designed to provide a museum experience for an undergraduate student in anthropology, has been awarded to Garrett Cook of Suffern. Mr. Cook will design an inventory of Iroquois arts and industries. Internships carry a stipend of \$300 per month.

A special project grant of \$2,250 was made to the State University at Albany to aid a seminar in the technology of material culture under the joint leadership of William N. Fenton, research professor of anthropology, and Dwight Wallace, associate professor of anthropology. Miss Marlene Martin of Amsterdam, a graduate student, will serve as research assistant to the project.

Professor Fenton is chairman of CARM. Its program is supported by the Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, Inc., of New York.

May 21, 1969



Lester W. Rubin, of Rye, has been elected president of the Alumni Association of State University of New York at Albany. A member of the Class of 1937, Mr. Rubin now is a corporation lawyer in New York. He served as legal counsel for the association's Project Carillon and is a member of the executive committee of the Metropolitan Branch of the association.

Other officers, all of whom will serve for two years, are Arthur E. Soderlind '47, of Weatogue, Conn., vice president; and Mrs. Nancy W. Mitchell '54, of Ballston Lake, secretary. Mrs. Mitchell was re-elected after having served as secretary of the association for the past two years.

Dr. Soderlind has served on the association's board of directors since 1966. He is a consultant for social studies for the Connecticut State Department of Education and has been active in various councils for social studies. Mrs. Mitchell, in addition to having served previously as an officer, formerly was employed by the association as its alumni research associate. She is the councillor for the Class of 1954.

Newly-elected directors, who will serve for three years, are Paul G. Bulger '36, of Albany; Mrs. Jacquelyn M. Gavryck '51, of Castleton; and Henry M. Madej '37, Amsterdam. Dr. Bulger is a professor of educational administration at State University at Albany. Prior to joining the faculty he was president of State University College at Buffalo from 1959 to 1967 and then associate commissioner of higher and professional education in the New York State Education Department.

Mrs. Gavyrck, an assistant librarian at the university, has been her class councillor since 1961. She has been chairman of the Alumni Council and president of the Theatre Alumni Association. Mr. Madej is the most recent graduate elected to serve on the board of directors. He presently is working on an urban renewal project in Amsterdam. As an undergraduate he was active in class and student government, editor of Campus Viewpoint, and chosen for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

From: William A. Frankonis Arena Summer Theatre

IMMEDIATE

Four plays, including one for children, have been scheduled for the Arena Summer Theatre at State University of New York at Albany according to William A. Frankonis, artistic director. The first and third productions will be held in the Studio Theatre and the second and fourth productions will be held in the Experimental Theatre. Both are located in the Berforming Arts Center on the campus.

Opening the season will be Patrick Hamilton's melodrama, "Angel Street". The play will run July 9-12 under the direction of Martin Mann, staff director with the State University Theatres.

Under the direction of Patricia B. Snyder, "Professor Filarski's Miraculous Invention", a children's play by Erik Vos, will be featured the week of July 16-19. The production will mark the first time in its seventeen-year history that Arena will feature a children's play as part of its schedule. The play will be presented in the Experimental Theatre.

John Osborne's play, "The Entertainer", will be the third attraction. It will run July 23-26 under the direction of John Velie. He is returning to Arena for his third season. His Albany High production of "School Play" recently played at the Cafe La Mama.

Arena's season will conclude with the presentation of two plays, directed by C. Duryea Smith, during the week of July 30-August 2. The

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American premiere of "In His Own Write", by John Lennon, Adrienne
Kennedy, and Victor Spinetti, is a dramatization of Lennon's two books.

Samuel Beckett's "Act Without Words" is a scripted pantomime.

Mr. Frankonis has announced that auditions would be held June 2, 3, and 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the Experimental Theatre of the PAC. They will be open to all residents of the Capital District. Those interested in the technical aspects of theatrical production may inquire during the auditions.

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IMMEDIATE

Earl G. Droessler, vice-president for research, State University of New York at Albany, has returned from Cornell University where he gave the dedication address for Cornell's Entomology-Plant Pathology Laboratory. The Entomology-Plant Pathology building complex consists of a six-story laboratory research tower, a one-story administrative unit, facilities for certain field-simulated and other specialized research, and four ranges of multi-compartmented greenhouses.

An Institutional Grant from the National Science Foundation for \$5,690 has been received by Dr. Droessler for a nine-month period.

The grant is for the support of a research assistant. Currently

Lee Pitock, a doctoral candidate at the Graduate School of Public

Affairs, holds the position.

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IMMEDIATE

Ernest R. Ranucci, professor of mathematics at State University of New York at Albany, and Mrs. Ranucci will direct a three-month training course for Peace Corps and native teachers in Micronesia, in the U.S. Territories this summer. Dr. Ranucci will teach mathematics education and Mrs. Ranucci will teach science education.

Prior to joining the Albany faculty in 1965, Dr. Ranucci was chairman of the mathematics department at Newark State Teachers College, Union, N. J. He has traveled in Scotland, and Brazil on Fulbright program grants and also has visited Uraguay, Argentina, Chile, Peru, Bolivia, and Paraguay. He has authored more than 30 articles on mathematics in various journals and periodicals.

Dr. Ranucci received his bachelor of arts and master of arts from Montclair State College and his doctorate in mathematics from Columbia University.

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IMMEDIATE

Two international students, Ufuk Ozbudak and Muhammad Khan, have received summer study awards under the Training Opportunities for Youth Leadership Program (TOYL) administered by the Institute of International Education.

TOYL awards are granted to outstanding self-sponsored students who are near completion of their studies. The funds are made available through the Agency for International Development of the U. S. State Department.

Miss Ozbudak, an undergraduate psychology major, will complete her degree requirements in August. Mr. Khan, who is a TOYL award recipient for the third consecutive year, is completing his dissertation for a Doctor of Education in educational administration.

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IMMEDIATE

David E. Buerle, assistant professor of geography at State

University of New York at Albany, has been awarded a contract by the

Department of Energy, Mines and Resources of the Canadian Government.

In his consultative position Dr. Buerle will assess the present state

of oceanographic research in Canada. His research, which will begin

this summer, will be devoted to use of the marine environment including

commercial fisheries, oil and mineral exploitation, recreation, and

industrial, municipal, and vessel waste discharge.

The professor will study the legislation, organizations, and the processes of decision-making employed in Canada, both on the federal and provincial levels as they influence marine resources exploitation. He will give attention to the capacity and design of ships involved in utilization of oceanic resources.

The establishment of priorities will be the focus of Dr. Buerle's study. Priorities will be based on social and economic benifits likely to accrue to the Canadian population for oceanographic research in the natural sciences. The study will serve as a guide for budgetary policies related to use of the oceans' resources.

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IMMEDIATE

Robert Rienow, professor of political science at the Graduate School of Public Affairs at New York State University at Albany, will be the guest of Arthur Godfrey on his radio show at 12:10 p.m. Sunday, June 8, on Station WROW. The session is one of a special Sunday series on environmental problems to which noted conservationists have been invited.

Dr. Rienow is co-author of "Moment in the Sun", a book concerned with the way the human race has been polluting the air and waters.

His wife, Leona Train Rienow, co-authored the book with him.

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IMMEDIATE

Richard A. Myren, dean of the School of Criminal Justice at State University of New York at Albany, has been invited by the government of Mendoza to attend the International Conference of Criminology in Mendoza, Argentina, from June 22-28.

Dean Myren was consultant on juvenile delinquency to the Children's Bureau of the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare while on leave from the University of North Carolina where he was assistant director of the Institute of Government before coming to SUNYA in 1966. He holds a Bachelor of Science in chemistry from the University of Wisconsin and a degree from Harvard Law School.

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IMMEDIATE

Vincent O'Leary, professor at the School of Criminal Justice at
State University of New York at Albany, has been appointed by U.S.
Attorney General John Mitchell to a 12-member National Advisory
Committee to the Law Enforcement Education Program (LEEP). The
committee advises on the expenditure of federal funds towards programs
in higher education for police, courts, corrections and law enforcement.

Professor O'Leary served as an assistant director of the President's Commission on Law Enforcement and Administration of Justice from 1965-1967. He specialized in correctional matters and was responsible for working with nationally recognized consultants in conducting studies, writing and developing policy statements for the Commission's consideration. In 1966 he was appointed by U.S. Attorney General as advisor on correctional projects for the Office of Law Enforcement Assistance.

The professor received his bachelor of arts degree from San Francisco State College and his master of arts degree from the University of Washington.

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IMMEDIATE

Leonard V. Gordon, professor of educational psychology, State
University of New York at Albany, and director of the program for
behavioral research, has received an award from the American Psychological Association to attend the 19th International Congress of Psychology
in London, July 27 to August 2. A paper, jointly authored with
Akio Kikuchi, entitled "The Comparability of the Forced-Choice and
Q-sort Measurement Approaches - An Other-Cultural Study" has been
accepted for the program.

Professor Kikuchi, who is a visiting research associate at the university, also will attend the congress. He will return to complete his year at Albany prior to departing for Japan in September.

Professor Gordon will be visiting at the Western Behavioral Sciences Institute in La Jolla, Calif., during June and July where he will serve as a consultant on international study of youth elites. He will be involved in research on the bureaucratic personality as it relates to the school setting.

Following the London meeting, Dr. Gordon will visit briefly the Juniversity of Madrid in relation to an ongoing international research project on student values.

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IMMEDIATE

"The Value Revolution: Changing America's Priorities" is the title of the commencement address to be given at State University of New York at Albany Sunday, June 8, by Stewart L. Udall, former Secretary of the Interior.

Mr. Udall, who held a Cabinet position throughout the eight years of the administrations of Presidents Kennedy and Johnson, formed "The Overview Group" in January. It is a pioneering international consulting firm working for governments and industries to create a better environment for man. Mr. Udall, a 1948 graduate of the University of Arizona, is an attorney and the son of a Chief Justice of the Arizona Supreme Court, the late Levi S. Udall.

The academic procession for the 125th commencement exercise will begin from the Campus Center at 9:25 a.m., preceding the commencement ceremony to take place at the Campus Center Mall at 10 a.m. In the event of rain, commencement will be held in the gymnasium.

The traditional torchlight ceremony will be held Saturday evening at the ceremonial entrance to the Academic Podium, beginning at 9. At 10 there will be a reception for parents and 1,242 graduating seniors at the Campus Center..

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