H. David Van Dyck, Assistant to the President Nathalie Lampman, Director, Information Services STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ALBANY

Note to degree recipient: This press release has been prepared for you to mail to your hometown newspaper following the commencement program on May 22. In the spaces left blank, please include the pertinent information.

Albany (N.Y.) May 22				
	First name	Middle initial	Last name	
son (or daughter) of, or husband (or wife) of, street and community address				
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	degree and major field			
at the 127th commencement exercises held today at State University of New York				
at Albany.				
United States Senator Mark Hatfield, of Oregon, was the principal speaker				
at the ceremony held at 2 p.m. on the Campus Center Mall. His subject was				
"The Rebirth of Spirit". President Louis T. Benezet conferred the degrees.				
Other participants were the vice president for academic affairs, eight school				
deans, and an acting dean.				

Bachelor degree recipients totaled about 1,900 and advanced degrees were awarded to an estimated 1,200 persons.

(Note to Editor:

The above information was prepared in advance for your convenience. In the event of inclement weather on Commencement Day, activities are scheduled to take place in the Physical Education Building. Closed circuit television coverage of the program will be shown in the university's Lecture Center.)

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SUMMA NEWS

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ALBANY H. David Van Dyck, Assistant to the President Nathalie Lampman, Director, Information Services

EWS OFFICE OF COMMUNITY RELATIONS

IMMEDIATE

"Albert Herring", a comic opera by Benjamin Britten, will be presented in the main theater of the Performing Arts Center, State University of New York at Albany, at 7:30 p.m., Sunday, May 9. The performance, free to the public, will be given by the Opera Theater of the State University College at Fredonia, under the sponsorship of the University-wide Committee on the Arts.

The 1947 opera is about a young man in an English community who is chosen May King, because none of the village's girls are deemed of sufficient moral stature to be honored as May Queen. Young Albert is firmly tied to his mother's apron strings and accepts the title, despite his own misgivings.

The confusions which result from the situation provide impetus for the charming operatic comedy. The production, adapted from a short story by Guy de Maupassant, is under the supervision of Jack Cogdill, chairman of the Fredonia department of theatre arts.

Tenor Peter Zellner plays the title role.

May 4, 1971

Penta P WPKN Schily A committee has been established to seek a successor to Charles W. Colman, associate dean of the division of humanities, College of Arts and Sciences, State University of New York at Albany. Dr. Colman has asked to be relieved of his responsibilities as dean in order that he may assume the position of director of international education at the university.

At the request of President Louis T. Benezet, the following persons have been named by Phillip Sirotkin, vice president for academic affairs, to serve on the committee: Edward Cowley, chairman, department of art; Alberto Carlos, chairman, department of Romance languages and literature; John Spalek, chairman, department of Germanic and Slavic languages and literature; and Kathleen Kendall, associate professor of rhetoric and public address.

Also, Patricia Ward, assistant professor of comparative literature; Harold Morick, assistant professor of philosophy; Susan Liberis and Philip Rice, graduate students; and Janice Levine and Karen Guttenberg, undergraduate students.

Dr. Colman came to Albany from the University of Nebraska in 1964 as chairman of the department of Romance languages. Four years later, he became associate dean. A graduate of Harvard University, Dr. Colman holds a Certificat d'estudes francaises from the University of Bordeaux and a Ph.D. from Cornell University.

May 5, 1971

The Dynamitron Accelerator has been accepted officially by State University of New York at Albany as having satisfied the required performance specifications. The accelerator, manufactured by Radiation Dynamics of Westbury, Long Island, is located on the subterranean level at the northeast corner of the academic podium.

The Albany accelerator is only the second of its kind, direct current voltage generator of improved design, to be used for nuclear research in the United States. The other has been in operation for one year at the Argonne National Laboratory, Washington.

The accelerator is capable of providing a beam of energetic particles such as protons, deutrons, alpha particles, and neutrons, which are the constituents of nuclei. This high intensity beam of particles can be used to study the basic and applied properties of nuclei and atoms in many interdisciplinary fields such as physics, chemistry, biology, atmospheric science, and astronomy.

In addition to the main accelerator, equipment for the detection of gamma rays and x-rays, as well as electronic circuits for measurement, also are available in the laboratory. The possibility of producing bursts of these particles also will be available in the future.

May 5, 1971

A series of eight "Sum mer Seminars for the Now People" will be offered by the School of Social Welfare, State University of New York at Albany, beginning May 31. Faculty members of the school will lead all but one of the seminars.

The first of the series, "Conflict Resolution in Social Work," will be held 9 a.m. - noon, May 31-June 4, with Mary M. Jacques as leader. Maureen C. Didier will conduct a seminar on "Behavior: Theirs and Ours," 9-noon, June 7-11, one of three offerings on those dates. The others are "Self-Help Organizations and Social Work," Donald M. Traunstein, 9 - noon, and "Decision-Making in Social Work Practice," Professor Jacques, 1-4 p.m.

Two seminars will be held from 1-4 p.m., June 14-18: "Family and Life Education: Who Needs It?" with Hedi McKinley and "Methods of Community Organization" with Professor Traunstein.

The final two seminars will be offered June 21-25. Harriet H. Naylor, director of volunteer services, State Department of Mental Hygiene, will conduct "Working With Volunteers in Social Services" from 9-noon; while Professor McKinley will lead the "Interviewing" seminar 1-4 p.m.

The fee per seminar is \$50. Interested persons may obtain additional information from the School of Social Welfare, SUNYA, Draper Hall, Western Avenue, Albany.

May 5, 1971

Children who do not speak English at home often have trouble competing in school, but their problems may be eased as the result of a program recently approved for the State University of New York at Albany.

A preliminary grant of \$64,000 has been awarded to the School of Education to initiate a three-year bilingual program which will provide educators in New York State and New England with the tools necessary to work more effectively with bilingual children. The U. S. Office of Education grant, which is expected to total \$480,000 over the three-year period, will be used to establish a bilingual education program at SUNYA to provide educators with information in such areas as elementary education, language arts, and Puerto Rican history and culture. Participants in the program also will be provided with information on special methods and materials for teaching English as a second language (TESL) by the staff of SUNYA's master's program in TESL. Richard Light, assistant professor in the School of Education, is director of the project.

The initial emphasis will be on training educators for work in Spanish with Spanish-speaking students. An estimated 300,000 children of school age in New York State speak Spanish as their first language, and there are another 100,000 in Boston, Providence, and other New England communities.

Native Spanish-speaking teachers will be given instruction in educational methods to help such children enter the English-speaking society easily, while maintaining the children's competency and pride in their first language and culture. An English-Spanish program in an elementary school in Amsterdam will be among the first projects in the schools.

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The program also calls for cooperation between SUNYA and educational institutions in Puerto Rico. The aim is to strengthen cultural ties of Puerto Rican teachers whose experience has been concentrated on the mainland.

A long-term objective of the project is to develop SUNYA's ability to prepare educators in other language groups which are prominent in the Northeast. Among those which might be served are various Indian groups in New York State, Portuguese speakers in Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and French speakers in Vermont and Maine.

Assisting in planning for the project is an advisory group which includes among its members Herman Badillo, member of the U. S. House of Representatives; SUNYA faculty members, school principals, and New York State Education Department personnel. Craig Sipe, chairman, department of instruction, SUNYA; Paul Pimsleur, coordinator of foreign language education, SUNYA; and Ruth Blackburn, associate coordinator of SUNYA's MATESL program, assisted in writing the proposal for the project.

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OFFICE OF COMMUNITY RELATIONS

IMMEDIATE

Leslie A. Hart, of New Rochelle, author of a current best seller in education, "The Classroom Disaster," will be the guest speaker at the annual meeting of the Capital Area School Development Association which has offices at State University of New York at Albany. The meeting will be held Thursday, May 13, at the Bayarian Chalet in Guilderland and an estimated 150 persons are expected to attend.

Mr. Hart, whose latest book was published by Teachers College Press, is an opponent of the traditional classroom approach to education. An advocate of the "open" school, he addresses professional people and school board members on the structure of public school systems. His topic at the CASDA meeting will be "What Society Demands of Schools Today".

The annual meeting will convene for the business session at 4 p.m. with a report from James E. Runkel, who has headed a nine-member committee on long-range planning for CASDA. Mr. Runkel is superintendent of schools in the South Colonie School District and has been a member of the CASDA executive committee for two years.

Howard Welker, superintendent of schools at Mechanicville and chairman of the board of CASDA, will conduct the afternoon session which will include the annual report to 57 member schools of Alton U. Farnsworth, executive director of CASDA.

The meeting will elect three members for three-year terms to the executive committee.

At the evening meeting, to begin at 7 o'clock, Mr. Hart will be introduced by Mr. Welker. After the main address, the meeting will be open to a discussion and question period with the author.

May 7, 1971

A systematic plan for development of criminal justice systems throughout the country will be devised at State University of New York at Albany under a new \$102,000 grant from the Ford Foundation.

The award will be administered by Leslie T. Wilkins, professor of criminal justice, to analyze criminal justice systems at all levels of government and to suggest an overall plan for their future.

Present methods of dealing with criminals will not be adequate for the future, Dr. Wilkins said, and the simple addition of more police, prisons, or other law enforcement institutions will not solve the problems of the future.

There are planning agencies in the federal government, state governments and some local governments, he added. The SUNYA project will use the resources of all these agencies as well as provide them with the results of current studies and information on a nationwide scale. By doing this, Dr. Wilkins commented, criminal justice planning agencies can make decisions based on a much broader scale than might have been available before.

The first stage of the project will involve study of current trends and the possibility of mapping a rough plan for the future. The results of the study will be given to criminal justice planning agencies for their comments. By going through that procedure a number of times, the SUNYA study group plans to identify the most reliable projections for the future and to arrive at the most effective methods of dealing with probable problems.

Working with Dr. Wilkins will be William P. Brown, professor of criminal justice, and Hyun Joo Shin, currently director of research at the University of Chicago and a candidate for a doctoral degree from SUNYA's School of Criminal Justice

Anthony Rocha, visiting professor of continuing education and director of the Gerontology Institute, State University of New York at Albany, will conduct a summer seminar on aging and the aged, under the sponsorship of the School of Social Welfare. Sessions are scheduled for June 14-18 from 9 a.m.-12 noon.

Discussions will center around the questions, "What do the aged need?" and "Who needs them?" Participants will examine the phenomenon of aging and the physical, emotional, financial, medical, sexual, legal, vocational, and familial needs of the aged.

Existing programs and services will be evaulated and new professional and volunteer programs discussed. Studied also will be the political and intellectual power of 20 million senior citizens. New and effective ways of channeling the power will be sought.

Interest in the subject of aging and the aged is the sole prerequisite for participation. The seminar fee is \$50. Additional information is available from Professor Rocha at 457-8943.

May 7, 1971

Students at State University of New York at Albany have chosen Michael A.

Lampert, a sophomore from Massapequa Park, as president of Student Association.

Mr. Lampert, who served as vice-president the past year, defeated Kenneth C.

Stokem, an Endicott, junior, in a run-off election. None of the candidates received a majority in the original six-man race. Elected vice-president was Terry B.

Wilbert, a junior from Leyden, in a run-off with David J. Kopilow, a junior from Oceanside.

The elections were the first ones held under a new constitution adopted earlier this semester. Formerly, the Student Association president and vice-president also served as president and vice-president of Central Council, the student's governing body. Now, however, the positions of chairman and vice-chairman of Central Council are separate from the SA leadership. Members of Central Council chose Richard A. Liese, a junior from Ganesvoort, chairman, and Festus A. Joyce, a junior from the Bronx, vice chairman. Both won by 16-6 margins over Stokem and Steven Gerber, a sophomore from Bayside, respectively.

Also decided by the SUNYA students were questions of mandatory or voluntary fees for student activities and athletics. Previously, the two had been combined into a single mandatory tax. A State University of New York Board of Trustees ruling required all SUNY units to vote this spring on whether to continue the mandatory tax or make it voluntary. At Albany, it was decided to split the athletic fee, which supports the university's intercollegiate sports program, from the general activities fee.

Students voted to make both fees mandatory. The athletic tax passed 1, 136-628 and the activities fee, 1, 138-658.

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NEWS OFFICE OF COMMUNITY RELATIONS

IMMEDIATE

Social science teachers in Central America and the Dominican Republic will receive training in advanced methods under a grant awarded to State University of New York at Albany.

The \$30,000 Department of State award is one of many grants received by SUNYA during April. Total awards, including renewal grants, were \$491,269. Of that figure, \$355,595 was awarded for research and \$135,674 was awarded for program sponsorship. New awards include two grants totaling \$83,634 to one professor for study of electrical charges, \$22,300 to study pollution effects in certain types of air, \$25,400 to train directors of summer institutes for teachers, \$15,027 for study of Great Lakes snowstorms, \$6,000 for mathematics research and \$5,000 for analyses of lunar samples.

The Central American project, under the direction of Frank Carrino, director of the Center for Inter-American Studies, will send educators from six United States universities to Panama for a two-week series of seminars on teaching and research methods. About 35 secondary school teachers from Central America and the Dominican Republic will participate in the seminars. They will concentrate on history, economics, geography and civic education.

Ernesto Barreto, senior research associate at the Atmospheric Sciences Research Center, was awarded two grants. The American Petroleum Institute awarded him \$58,634 for study of electrical discharges generated during cleaning of oil tanks. Dr. Barreto also received \$25,000 from the Office of Naval Research for research into electrical charges within thunderstorms.

A National Science Foundation (NSF) grant will enable Vincent J. Schaefer, of the Atmospheric Sciences Research Center, to study properties of air. The study may lead to a method for establishing the degree of urban pollution in air.

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Dr. Schaefer's project is titled, "A Study of the Factors Controlling the Formation of Large Numbers of Condensation Nuclei in Clean Global Air."

Another NSF grant was awarded to Dale G. Lake, director of the Program in Humanistic Education. Dr. Lake will establish a temporary systems management laboratory, stressing new concepts for recruitment, design and conduct of summer institutes for teachers. Twenty directors of such institutes and their staffs will take part in the 11-day program.

A study of snowstorms over the Great Lakes will be conducted by James E.

Jiusto, of the Atmospheric Sciences Research Center, using a grant from the National

Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, part of the Department of Commerce.

Among other new grants was \$6,000 awarded by NSF to Joe W. Jenkins of the department of mathematics. Dr. Jenkins will conduct research in "Nonsymmetric Group Algebras." Also, David Kline of the physics department was awarded \$5,000 through the Union Carbide Corporation for analyses of lunar samples.

Several grants were renewed. Among them were \$64,112 awarded to John W.

Saunders, biology, by the U.S. Public Health Service for study of "Morphogenetic Cellular Death"; \$53,863 as a "Biomedical Sciences Support Grant" awarded by the National Institutes of Health to Einard S. Haniuk, assistant to the vice-president for research; \$35,819 from the U.S. Public Health Service awarded to Charles O'Reilly, dean, School of Social Welfare, for "Graduate Training Program in Psychiatric Social Work"; and \$3,559 awarded to Charles Edwards, biology, by the Heart Association of Eastern New York for research in "Potentials in Glycerinated Muscle Fibers."

In addition to direct funds from outside sources, the SUNYA faculty-student committee on institutional funds has recommended allocation of \$47,577 to support new research projects by 20 faculty members. The awards are to "provide start-up

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funds for scholarly research, especially for the newer members of the faculty," according to Earl G. Droessler, vice-president for research.

The projects were selected from over 40 proposals submitted to the committee. Eleven awards were given for studies in the behavioral sciences, five in the humanities and four in the physical sciences.

Four federal sources supply the institutional funds for the awards: the National Science Foundation Institutional Grant for Science, the National Institutes for Health Biomedical Sciences Support Grant, the NSF Traineeship Program Cost-of-Education Allowance, and the National Defense Education Act Graduate Fellowship Program Education Allowance.

May 12, 1971

An estimated 3, 100 degrees will be conferred at State University of New York at Albany on May 22, at the annual commencement exercises. The program will begin at 2 p.m. on the Campus Center Mall with United States Senator Mark Hatfield, of Oregon, as guest speaker.

Degree candidates will report in academic regalia to designated areas on the Academic Podium at 1 p.m. to form the procession which will get underway at 1:30.

Bachelor degree recipients are expected to total about 1,900 and advanced degrees will be awarded to an estimated 1,200 persons.

The traditional Torch Night ceremony takes place Friday evening, May 21, at 9 o'clock. Immediately afterwards the President's reception for graduates and families will be held in front of the Campus Center on the podium level. Those wishing to observe the ceremony may take places in the area between Colonial and State Quadrangles on the north side of the podium at the ceremonial entrance.

Senior Week activities get underway Tuesday, May 18, with a night at the races from 6 to 11. The evening will begin with a social hour and a buffet in the Campus Center ballroom, to be followed by a bus trip to the Saratoga Racetrack. A race will be named, and a trophy presented, in honor of the Senior Class.

The next day there'll be a clambake and concert at the Mohawk Campus starting at 1 p.m. A folk concert, to be followed by a light supper, will begin at 6. Later a banjo band and rock band will provide entertainment.

Thursday evening, May 20, a semi-formal dinner dance, starting at 6:30, will be held in the Thruway Hyatt House. Dinner will be served at 7:45 in the Four Seasons Room and in the Plantation Room. The Otto Road Rock Band will provide music for dancing until 2 a.m.

In the event of inclement weather on Commencement Day, activities will take place in the Physical Education Building. If a change is to take place, local radio stations will carry the announcement. Closed circuit television coverage of the program will be shown in the Lecture Center.

May 12, 1971

A special two-day study institute, "Increasing Language Skills in Hearing-Impaired Children," will be held May 17 and 18 at State University of New York at Albany by the State Education Department's Bureau for Physically Handicapped in the Division of Handicapped Children. The institute, funded through the U.S. Office of Education, is planned in cooperation with the university's department of speech pathology and audiology of which Paul C. Boomsliter is chairman.

More than 30 persons will be regular participants in the institute which begins

Monday morning with preliminary considerations being outlined by Richard Hehir, chief

of the Bureau for Physically Handicapped Children. Dr. Boomsliter, at 9:45 a.m.,

will describe "Processes of Language Acquisition."

At the afternoon session, starting at 12:45, E. Ross Stuckless, research and training director at the Rochester Institute of Technology, will talk about "Language Problems of the Hearing Impaired." Discussions and reports will follow.

The next day, May 18, Marjorie Brehl, director of the department of speech pathology at the Al Sigl Center, Rochester, will give an address on "Improving Language," beginning at 9:30. Later in the morning Beatrice Jacoby, supervisor in the education of the speech and hearing handicapped in the State Education Department, will comment on the methods of improving language.

The afternoon program will be devoted to discussion groups, reports, and participants' evaluation.

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From: State University of New York at Albany

Community Relations Office

May 13. 1971

Jill J. Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carter, Richfield Springs, smiles her pleasure when presented with a \$400 Am erican history award check from the New York State organization of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Miss Carter, a member of Signum Laudis, academic honorary at State University of New York at Albany, plans to teach American history upon completion of graduate work. She has been on the Dean's List several semesters and has been a member of the university's history honors course. She will receive her Bachelor of Arts this month from SUNYA. Looking on, at the left, are Miss Ruth E. Howe (23 South Lake Avenue, Troy), member of the American History Award Committee, and Anna M. Bristol (2159A Daisy Lane, Schenectady), chairman of the State DAR's American History Award Committee. At the right is Robert B. Morris, dean of undergraduate studies at SUNYA.

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IMMEDIATE

Robert Rienow, professor of political science, State University of New York at Albany, will receive an honorary Doctor of Letters degree at the commencement exercises of Ripon (Wis.) College, Sunday, May 16.

The theme of the three-day exercises is environmental awareness and Ripon is honoring the nation's leading environmentalists. Dr. Rienow is co-author of the book, Moment in the Sun, and was the principal lecturer of the television series, "Man Against His Environment". He also has written numerous magazine articles on the environmental crisis.

Other who will be honored at the Ripon exercises include scientist Barry Commoner; Stewart Udall, former Secretary of the Interior; Lamont C. Cole of Cornell University; Senator Gaylord Nelson of Wisconsin; and Thomas Smith, president of Lawrence University, Appleton, Wis.

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EDITORS: Please substitute this release for one mailed May 7, 1971.

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The award will be administered by Leslie T. Wilkins and William Brown, professors of criminal justice. They will analyse criminal justice planning methods at all levels of government and suggest alternatives for consideration and action.

Present methods of dealing with crime will not be adequate for the future, Mr. Wilkins said, and the simple addition of more police, prisons, or other law enforcement institutions will not solve the problems of the future. There is a need for creative imagination related to hard data.

There are planning agencies in the federal government, state governments and some local governments, he added. The SUNYA project will hope to cooperate with these agencies and to have access to their resources and to provide them with the results of current studies and information from relevant fields of research and inquiry. By doing this, Mr. Wilkins commented, criminal justice planning agencies will be assisted in making decisions based on a broader perspective than might have been available before.

The first stage of the project will involve study of current trends and projections and examine the possibility of mapping different probable future conditions which may have an immediate relevance. The results of the first stage of the study will be given to criminal justice planning agencies for their comments. By going through

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Working with Mr. Wilkins in addition to Professor Brown will be Hyun Joo Shin, currently directing research in criminal justice at the University of Chicago and a candidate for a doctoral degree from SUNYA's School of Criminal Justice.

May 18, 1971

FOR RELEASE MAY 18 P.M.

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For many years SUNYA students have been active in support of service programs throughout the community. More recently the volunteer effort has been accommodated within the framework of the Community Service Program, for academic credit, and the Student Volunteer Services Program for which there is no academic credit.

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Speakers at the brief program at today's reception included, in addition to Mayor Corning, university president Louis T. Benezet, director of student activities Gary L. Jones, assistant dean for innovative education Melvin Urofsky, and assistant to the president for community relations H. David Van Dyck. Guests included personnel from representative agencies which have benefited from the programs and students

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A student at State University of New York at Albany is one of 97 in the nation to receive grants to study ethnic minority groups in the United States. History major Blanca Pacheco has been awarded \$4,602 by the Ford Foundation to support her doctoral dissertation research on "The Labor Movement and the Socialist Party in Puerto Rico, 1932-1940". Her dissertation advisor is Bruce B. Solnick, associate professor of history and associate, Center for Inter-American Studies.

Mrs. Pacheco was among 248 students from 95 graduate schools to apply for the grants, which were established to further understanding of Blacks, Mexican, Indian, Puerto Rican, and Asian ethnic groups in the United States.

"The award will make a big difference in my research," Mrs. Pacheco stated. She will do most of her work in Puerto Rico, but also will gather information in Washington and New York City. She expects to complete her study in about a year and one-half.

May 18, 1971

Walter A. Kopczynski, of the plant department at State University of New York at Albany, has received a \$25 award for his suggestion for a numbering system for outside lights on the SUNYA campus. The new system makes it easier to locate trouble spots and possible to save time on service calls. Mr. Kopczynski lives at 907 Stanley Street, Schenectady.

The award was made under the program administered by the State University of New York Suggestion Program chaired by Arnold Spaner, director of administrative services, State University of New York. Robert Stierer, assistant vice president for management and planning at SUNYA, serves on the committee.

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From: State University of New York at Albany

Community Relations Office

May 18, 1971

Virginia Z. Grant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Zuzze of Buffalo, and a senior at State University of New York at Albany, receives from Roswell E. Fairbank, chairman, department of business education, SUNYA, the National Business Education Association Award of Merit for Outstanding Achievement in Business Education. The NBEA award consists of a certificate, a year's professional membership in NBEA, current issues of Business Education Forum, a national professional magazine for business teachers, and the National Business Education Yearbook. The NBEA sponsors this Award of Merit through its Teacher Education Division, the National Association for Business Teacher Education. Mrs. Grant also is former president of Pi Omega Pi, a national business education honorary at SUNYA.

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TO KN Selides Tray MEMORANDUM TO NEWS EDITORS:

Special arrangements are being made to accommodate representatives of the news media planning to cover our 127th annual commencement program here on Saturday, May 22. Parking facilities will be available for you at the Dutch Quadrangle parking lot, at the southwest side of the campus. Additionally, there will be a number of seats reserved for your convenience. The press section will be at the right front corner of the seating area as one faces the platform.

Enclosed with this memorandum is a list of picture possibilities and a time schedule of places and events. There will be no mailing of the list of graduates due to budget considerations.

This year we will not keep the Office of Community Relations open, but rather, for your convenience, we will use the information desk at Campus Center, telephones 457-6925 and 457-6926. Robert H. Rice, Jr., assistant director for information services, will be on hand to assist during the commencement program.

Your letting me know by Friday what coverage you are planning will be helpful. Enclosed are press passes to aid security in keeping the area clear near the speakers' platform.

Nathalie E. Lampman, Director Information Services

May 19, 1971

NOTE: Television camera equipment may be unloaded near the speakers' platform across the road from Campus Center and the vehicles parked farther along at the east side of the band. There will be a patch box in the Red Cross tent where radio personnel can be accommodated. Television personnel also can make use of the box. A standard microphone (115-600 ohms) will be used.

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ALBANY

Picture Possibilities, Commencement, May 22, 1971

Precommencement Activities:

Friday, May 21

Torchlight Ceremony, 9 p.m., ceremonial entrance, academic podium

President's Reception at 10 p.m., following ceremony. For graduates and families on the Campus Center terrace.

Commencement Activities:

Saturday, May 22

1 p.m. Procession forms - Campus Center Platform party: Patroon Room lounge Faculty: Cafeteria lounge

1:25 p.m. Academic procession starts from Campus Center to garden area, site of exercises.

2 p.m. Commencement program begins. Mark Hatfield, United States Senator from Oregon, speaker.

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State University of New York at Albany Commencement Exercises -2-

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SUNY at Buffalo

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Wednesday, June 2, 1971

4:00 p. m.

Chemistry Building, Room 151

All interested persons are cordially invited to attend

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OFFICE OF COMMUNITY RELATIONS

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Two Milne faculty members and twelve students participated in a series of educational exhibits displayed at the Colonie Center Mall.

Eleven pupils of Fred Lyon, industrial arts instructor at Milne, the laboratory school at State University of New York at Albany, entered projects in the Capital District Industrial Arts Association exhibit, with six of the entries receiving prizes.

A student of Mrs. William Dupuis, home economics instructor at Milne, assisted as a hostess at the Careers Fair, sponsored by the Eastern District State Home Economics Association, which opened May 22. Professionals and college students from area two- and four-year colleges, as well as representatives from government, business, and service agencies are present from noon to 6 p.m. to answer questions and distribute information on home economics careers.

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For Immediate Release

Dr. Jack J. Bulloff, Professor and Acting Chairman, Department of History and Systematics of Science, State University of New York at Albany, attended the 1971 Conference, May 9 to 12, 1971, of the Technical Association of the Graphic Arts and participated in the session on Process Quality Control as panel member and author. He read a paper on "Tutorial Bibliographies-VII-Quality Control and Quality Assurance" which reported the largest review of research and development literature ever made in the fields of interest of the \$30,000,000,000 a year printing and publishing industry. Dr. Bulloff's paper was the latest in a series that is annually published in the TAGA Proceedings. The series began in 1965 as part of a long-range program of outlining technical opportunities envisaged in a science forecast made in 1960. Previous tutorial bibliographies dealt with photochemistry, mathematics, dyes and pigments, ink constituents, photophysics, and science and technology forecasting and research and development planning.

The work reported was started at Battelle Memorial Institute in 1956 and has been continued by Dr. Bulloff and his students at the University since 1968. Advance materials from literature and patent surveys under way for future TAGA papers have been provided to various activities at the University that require bibliographic support, e.g., courses like the Environmental Forum and technical meetings of visiting specialists. Environmental quality control, science and technology assessment, human ecology, history of science and technology, and scientific method are among the areas for which bibliographies are being collected and annotated.

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IMMEDIATE

Sherrie Moore is the first student enrolled under the auspices of the Educational Opportunities Program to be graduated from State University of New York at Albany. Mrs. Moore entered SUNYA in September 1969 after graduating from Hudson Valley Community College with an Associate of Arts. While majoring at SUNYA in social studies (history) she earned a B- average in all subjects. Mrs. Moore will continue her education at the graduate level at SUNYA in the department of guidance and counseling. Her husband plans to enter the university this fall, also under the EOP program, having recently completed his military service.

Mrs. Moore was a member of the board of directors of Black Ensemble, a student fine arts group at SUNYA. In addition, Mrs. Moore has been a tutor for high school students through a program at Trinity Institute and has worked as a volunteer for the Internal Revenue Service giving assistance to persons completing their income tax forms. She is music director for Walls Temple A.M.E. Zion Chruch in Albany. She is a member of the Student Education Association of New York State and of the New York State Teachers Association.

Mrs. Moore is the daughter of Mrs. Alaise Fowlkes of Millerton, New York, and the wife of James Moore, 19 Second Street, Albany.

May 26, 1971



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IMMEDIATE

John F. Sharlow, assistant professor of mathematics education at Eastern Connecticut State College, Willimantic, Conn., received a doctoral degree in education Saturday, May 22, at State University of New York at Albany.

Dr. Sharlow, whose doctoral dissertation was entitled "Retroactive and Proactive Effects of the Study of Symbolic Logic on Students' Mathematical Achievement," holds undergraduate and graduate degrees from State University College at Potsdam and a Master of Science from Clarkson College of Technology. He received his secondary education at Norwood-Norfolk Central School.

Dr. Sharlow's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew S. Neer of Furnace Street, Norfolk (N.Y.).

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Mrs. Sherrie Moore is shown on commencement day (May 22) being congratulated by Harry L. Hamilton, Director of the Educational Opportunities Program, State University of New York at Albany.

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From: State University of New York at Albany Community Relations Office

May 26, 1971

Mrs. Sherrie Moore is shown on commencement day (May 22) as the first student to be graduated under the auspices of the Educational Opportunities Program, State University of New York at Albany.

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IMMEDIATE

Demonstration of new methods and materials in the teaching of Spanish and integration of language and social studies programs are being provided to area schools by the language department of The Milne School, State University of New York at Albany laboratory school.

Mexican songs, dances, and culture were presented recently in a "Mexican Fiesta" to the Goodrich School in Latham. Maryann Ferrari and William Short, supervisors of Spanish education in Milne, explained the significance of the fiesta, and students in the Milne Spanish classes presented songs and dances. Flags of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Spain, and Mexico were used in the fiesta setting. Artistic director of the fiesta was Mrs. Rosa Maria Short, wife of Dr. Short. A native of Yucatan, Mexico, and a professional singer and dancer, she participated in the program. Goodrich Principal, Robert D. Farrell, welcomed the group.

SUNYA students of Spanish education attending the presentation included Mrs. Rosemarie Berger of Latham, who is a native Puerto Rican; Mrs. Gloria Naylor of Voorheesville, a native of Colombia; and Mrs. Blanca McBrien, of Schenectady, from Pampalona, Spain.

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IMMEDIATE

A national leadership institute on "The Art of Leadership" is to be held at State University of New York at Albany on August 4, 5, and 6 under the sponsorship of the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA) in cooperation with the Humble Companies Foundation, which is funding the program. The Office of the Vice President for Student Affairs of the university is serving as co-sponsor and host.

The institute program is designed for key college and university officers who direct student personnel and related programs. It utilizes the laboratory method of learning and brings institute participants into contact with decision-making techniques, how to structure meetings for maximum involvement, interpersonal perceptions, conformity-deviation problems, leadership styles, and communication skills.

The program is limited to 100 participants who will reside on the campus during the three-day conference. Participants will represent a variety of colleges and universities throughout the United States. The program is coordinated at SUNYA by Sorrell E. Chesin, assistant vice president for student affairs.

IMMEDIATE

Natalie J. Woodall, of Henderson (RD1), a doctoral student of classics at State University of New York at Albany, has been awarded a Woodrow Wilson Dissertation Fellowship for 1971-72. Mrs. Janet Mitchell, director of the Wilson Dissertation Program, said that this year's successful candidates, who were selected by distinguished committees of scholars, were chosen from 500 applicants.

The fellowships are funded by the Ford Foundation which last year granted \$1 million to the Wilson Foundation for a continuation of the program. The fellowships enable Ph.D. candidates to complete their doctorates within a four-year period by freeing them to devote their full attention to research and writing. The majority of Ph.D. students in the humanities and social sciences require seven to eight years to complete their doctorates.



Susan M. Cypert, a member of the graduating class at State University of New York at Albany, is the recipient of the Ada Craig Walker Award, given to the graduating senior "who in the judgment of the faculty best typifies the ideals of the university".

Miss Cypert, who received a Bachelor of Arts at commencement,
was graduated summa cum laude. Active in university affairs, Miss Cypert
has been a member of the Protect Your Environment (PYE) Club at Albany,
Environmental Decisions Commission, Advisory and Program Planning
Committees for Environmental Studies, English Student Advisory Committee,
Undergraduate Curriculum Committee for English, and the Community
Action Program.

The award winner's home is at Oliverea (N.Y.). She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Cypert and a graduate of Tri-Valley Central School at Grahamsville.

Ada Craig Walker was graduated from the Albany institution in the Class of 1871. She served as a teacher in the schools of New York State and was a loyal alumna. Her son, William John Walker, established a fund in her memory, the income of which is used for the Walker award.

IMMEDIATE

State University of New York at Albany and the University of Manchester, England, are offering a Master of Science program in curriculum planning and development that will feature a fall semester in Albany and a spring semester in Manchester.

In Albany, students will examine curriculum foundations and theory. In England, they will explore English views with the Manchester staff, participate in activities of the Northwest England Curriculum Development Project, team teach in English schools, and pursue a comparative education tour to selected countries on the continent. The English semester is scheduled January 15 - May 15, and includes the five-week break appropriate for planned travel and the comparative tour. In 1971-72, the focus of the English semester will be on English open primary programs in inner city racial-ethnic mix schools.

Applications will be accepted until July 15 with registration limited to 15 students. Students registered in university certificate and doctoral programs are eligible to participate. Inclusive basic costs are estimated at \$4,000. Payment for the English semester will be required no later than September 15.

Further information may be obtained from the SUNYA department of curriculum and instruction, 1400 Washington Avenue, Albany 12203.
