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60% OF STUDENTS REGISTER EARLY FOR SPRING SEMESTER

Approximately 60 per cent of the college's enrollment opted for the early December registration for the Spring semester, Registrar Mary A. Hefron announced Wednesday. A total of 2569 students registered for courses.

The early registration "went fairly well," according to Miss Hefron. "We estimated about five per cent more signed up early this year than a year ago."

The registration was carried out in the cafeteria in the Donahue Building and in tighter quarters than in the past because of a reduction in the size of the cafeteria through renovation.

Those who did not register for Spring courses must do so Jan. 12, 13, and 14 at which time new students will also sign up for courses.

"The early registration gives students signing up first choices on courses and also means they won't have to come back to register a week before classes start (Jan. 19) and interrupt their vacation," Miss Hefron said. "It also gives us an opportunity to evaluate what we're offering and to see what courses will be oversubscribed or have too few students."

The Registrar's Office had some obstacles to overcome since it is now located at Charles River Plaza away from the mainstream thus presenting communication problems. "However, we managed, and had registration cleaned up each day in an hour and a half," said the Registrar. "I think next year we will be able to cut registration from four to two days, by doubling up the four classes in the morning and afternoon," Miss Hefron added.
LAW SCHOOL RECEIVES GIFT FROM QUINBY ESTATE

The law school has received a gift of $53,497 from the Winfield S. Quinby Trust, created under the will of the late Brookline businessman.

A check in that amount was presented to Vice President Treasurer Francis X. Flannery by Atty. Edward T. Bushell of Malden at the university. Also on hand were Judge C. Edward Rowe, chairman of the board of trustees, Law School Dean David J. Sargent, Atty. Mary Ann Gilleece, president of the General Alumni Association, and Atty. John A. Brennan Jr. of Malden and Thomas E. Giblin of Boston. Bushell, Brennan and Giblin are all graduates of Suffolk Law School. Bushell received his degree in 1926, Brennan earned his juris doctor degree in 1971 and Giblin received his degree last June.

SEMINAR ON GRANTSMANSHIP WILL BE HELD FRIDAY

Dr. Donald Levitan, director of Suffolk's Center for State Management, will welcome guests Friday, Dec. 19 at a seminar on grantsmanship at the Holiday Inn in Newton beginning at 9:30 a.m.

The seminar, sponsored by the Center for State Management, will consider current grant information, grant writing and grants management. Dr. Levitan will open the program speaking on "Grant Resources, the Well Known as Well as the Little Known: Governmental & Philanthropic."

Other speakers will be John Dalton of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co., Dr. Doris S. Fraser, director of the Office of Federal State Resources in the Division of Administration and Finance, and David Newman of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co.

Cost for the seminar is $35.

UNITED WAY TOPS '74-75 CAMPAIGN IN SUFFOLK PLEDGES

The 1975-76 United Way campaign at Suffolk has come to a close with a 6.7 per cent increase in pledges over the 1974-75 campaign.

Some 55.7 per cent of the Suffolk faculty and staff participated compared to 49 per cent a year ago. A total of $2703 was collected, which was down from $3055 in 1974-75.

The Office of Public Relations expresses its thanks to all of the contributors and to the many volunteer team leaders for their cooperation and efforts during the drive.
COMMITTEE ON WOMEN'S STATUS PLAN OPEN MEETING

The Committee on the Status of Women at Suffolk University has scheduled an open meeting of faculty and administration for Jan. 29 from 1 to 2 p.m. in the President's New Conference Room. The sub-committee is seeking comments on the committee's report of April of this year.

Carol Robb of Humanities and the Campus Ministry invites all who are interested to attend the open meeting. This will be the first event scheduled to elicit response from last Spring's report, Ms. Robb said. Copies of the report are available in all departmental offices.

Ms. Robb said that those unable to attend the meeting may forward written responses to her or to Dr. Maria Bonaventura of the Chemistry department.

RAMS IN BENTLEY HOOP TOURNEY THIS WEEKEND

Suffolk's basketball Rams, who have won three of their first five games, will be in action this weekend in the Bentley College Christmas Tournament.

The Rams face Division II power Stonehill Friday at 6 p.m. at Bentley's Dana Athletic Center. Bentley and Lycoming College of Pennsylvania collide in the second game at 8 p.m. Winners and losers will meet the following evening.

Coach Charlie Law's team has beaten all three of its Division III opponents (UMaine at Portland, 95-87, Fitchburg State 99-76, and Nasson, 98-64) but stumbled when they went up against Division II opponents (losses to Hartford 71-58 and Bryant 83-57).

Tickets for both games are priced at $1.50 each and are on sale in the Athletic Department and in the school cafeteria.

LIBRARY ANNOUNCES GET TOUGH POLICY ON OVERDUE BOOKS

The College Library has announced a new, tougher policy for overdue books beginning in January.

Librarian Edmund G. Hamann said delinquent student borrowers will receive two notices by mail for overdue books. If the borrower heeds either the first or second notice a fine of five cents a day will be assessed and the record cleared. The second letter also warns of a billing for the original cost of the book, a $3 replacement surcharge plus accumulated fines should the book not be returned.

Hamann said the large number of books not returned and thus not available to other students prompted the hard line on late books. He pointed out that current overdue books may be returned without penalties during this week, Dec. 15-20.
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S.U. DEBATERS TAKE TOP HONORS AT UMASS TOURNEY

Top honors are getting almost routine for the Suffolk University debating team. Dr. Allan J. Kennedy's consistent performers won first place at the University of Massachusetts Novice Debate Tournament in Amherst Dec. 6.

Don Orcutt of East Weymouth, a freshman majoring in government, and Brian Greeley of Arlington, a sophomore speech major, led the Suffolk novices as they outscored UMass, whose teams finished second and fourth. Bates College finished third and Army fourth. Twenty-eight college teams competed.

A second Suffolk novice team of Cathy Costanzo of East Boston, sophomore psychology major, and Barbara St. Andre of Braintree, a government major, placed seventh. Greeley received the third best speaker award as Suffolk finished the tournament with 10 wins and six losses.

Meanwhile, at the College of St. Rose in Albany, N.Y., another group of Suffolk debaters placed seventh out of 23 competing colleges and universities from six states. Walter Sherburne of Arlington, a junior in sociology won first in informative speaking and Kirk Joslin of Natick, a journalism major, brought home a fourth in rhetorical criticism.

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UNIVERSITY NURSE IS NAMED

Mary E. Gibbons, R.N., of Everett has been appointed day nurse in the University Health Service to succeed Mary Brady, who is retiring after 10 years service.

Ms. Gibbons comes to Suffolk from the Harvard University Health Services. She is a graduate of Catherine Laboure School of Nursing (Carney Hospital) and also attended Boston College School of Nursing.

The Health Office is located in Room 103 of the Fenton Building. Ms. Gibbons will be on duty daily Monday through Friday from 8:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. The office is open evenings with Nurse Elaine Orr on duty.

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NEW PROGRAM IN HEALTH SERVICES APPROVED

A new program in Sociology leading to a bachelor of sciences in health services has been approved, Dean Michael R. Ronayne of the College of Liberal Arts, recently announced.

The program, which will begin with the Spring semester, is designed for graduates of accredited nursing schools and associate degree programs, health professionals and pre-service students.

Dr. D. Donald Fiorillo, chairman of Sociology, said "with health care expanding so rapidly, it will require an increased corps of professionally trained personnel... and accordingly educational opportunities geared to meet these future needs must be provided."

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Don't tell the kiddies, but the Santa Claus at Saturday's Christmas party will really be Admissions Ed Saunders returning to the role after a year's absence. The party will run from 2 to 4 p.m. in the university cafeteria. A. David Mazzone, a recent Superior Court judicial nominee, is a lecturer in the law school. As a climax to English History Week, the Humanities Club and History Society held an Elizabethan banquet to commemorate the 45th anniversary of Elizabeth I's ascension to the throne. Participants were attired in costumes of the period, danced the bromlet and minuet to music by students from the New England Conservatory and took part in a feast consisting of mutton, cygnet and syllabub. Dr. Florence Petherick of Humanities says another banquet will be held in the Spring, this one with a Victorian theme. The production of William Butler Yeats' Purgatory for Suffolk students was staged and directed by Christine Dunn, a student in Dr. Ann Bouteille's Modern British Poetry course. Ken Kelly of Student Activities informs us that hypnotist James Mapes will appear at Suffolk Jan. 27 at 1 p.m. in the auditorium. Mapes, who has appeared on the Mike Douglas TV Show and holds masters degrees in psychology and the theater arts, will demonstrate extra-sensory perception and actual hypnosis using audience volunteers. The Student Government Association is sponsoring Mapes. Tom Walsh of Athletics reports that the intramural football program was a big success again this season with 180 students taking part in the undergraduate flag football program and 288 college and law students have already signed up for intramural basketball.

We're happy to report that life trustee Judge Frank J. Donahue is out of the hospital and recuperating from a broken hip at the home of son, Frank, Jr. in Hull. New staffer this month is Helene Alioto of East Boston, secretary in the Law School Word Processing Center. Dr. R. Arthur Winters and Dr. Bradford S. Chase of Education will take part in the annual conference of the Massachusetts School Counselors Association in Hyannis in May. Winters will speak on recent trends in career education while Chase is state conference chairman. Dr. Don Levitan of the Center for State Management has a paper, "Massachusetts Route 128: A Non-Emulative Enigma" scheduled for publication in the National Research Council's Transportation Research Record this spring. Betty Williams of Psychology was a panelist at the Boston chapter of Society for Advancement of Management's discussion, "Moving up in a Man's World," Nov. 13. Dr. Malcolm Wetherbee, chairman of Psychology, attended a two-day National Science Foundation conference on Psychology of Women at College Park, Maryland. Special salutes to the English department, the College Library, Government and Economics Departments and Physics and Philosophy, all of which had 100 per cent participation in the United Way this fall. Peter Francis of Roxbury, a senior in the business college, has been appointed minority student coordinator. Suffolk's hockey club is still winning, the latest being a 10-2 decision over Grahm Junior College. The Social Committee's initial staff-faculty reception attracted a good turnout with favorable reaction. Another is planned for February. The blessings of the season to all, and we'll see you in '76.