UNIVERSITY PASSES PAPERS FOR PURCHASE
OF WRIGHT & POTTER PRINTING BUILDING

The university moved a step closer to occupancy of the Wright & Potter Building at 32 Derne Street with the December 29 passing of papers making Suffolk the owner of the property. Papers were signed in the President's Conference Room.

Present for the signing were Vice President and Treasurer Francis X. Flannery and Albert W. Rockwood, president of Wyman Trust, the owner of the property, Atty. William K. Mackey, counsel for Wyman Trust, and Kenneth A. Korb, counsel for the university.

Vice President Flannery expressed hope that the university might be able to occupy the building by the end of the year. Under terms of the agreement, the Wright & Potter printing firm holds an extended lease, and the university will not move in to the five-story structure until such lease expires. Flannery said that Suffolk will meet with its architects in February to consider interior design for classrooms and offices.

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COMMITTEE 'PUTS SARGE IN CHARGE'

The Law School Dean Search Committee named Professor David J. Sargent as acting dean of the Law School at its January 25 meeting, President Fulham has announced.

Professor Sargent, a magna cum laude graduate of Suffolk's Law School and president of his class, succeeds Trustee Joseph A. Caulfield who resigned from the post he held in an acting capacity.

President Fulham said Sargent will serve until a permanent dean has been named.
S.U. LINKS WITH BETH ISRAEL FOR CHEMISTRY PROGRAM

Suffolk University has established a program for awarding a bachelor of science degree in clinical chemistry under which students will receive in-service training at Beth Israel Hospital.

The program is believed to be the first undergraduate one of its kind offered in this state and only one of four in the nation, according to Dr. Maria M. Bonaventura, chairman of Suffolk's chemistry department.

It will begin with the 1973-74 academic year when three Suffolk chemistry students will be chosen to spend 12-16 hours a week at Beth Israel receiving direct clinical training for 30 weeks at the hospital's chemistry laboratory.

"The program was instituted so as to provide students with the type of training commensurate with the high level of specialized expertise demanded by hospitals and commercial chemistry laboratories today," said Dr. Bonaventura.

Under a one-year affiliation between Suffolk and Beth Israel Hospital, the students will study a core program in chemistry, basic courses in biology, physics and mathematics, and specialized courses in clinical methods and clinical practice.

Murray Golub, head of chemistry laboratory at Beth Israel, will supervise the students in-service training at the hospital and also teach a course in clinical chemistry at the university.

In addition to the clinical chemistry program, Suffolk also offers a bachelor of science degree in biochemistry. The biochemistry curriculum is designed to prepare the student for a career in biochemistry, medicine, dentistry and other allied medical fields.

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111 NEW STUDENTS GREETED AT MID-YEAR ORIENTATION

A total of 111 new freshmen and transfer students were welcomed by President Fulham at mid-year orientation exercises, January 24 in the auditorium.

The new students, including 21 freshmen, also heard welcoming remarks delivered by Student Activities Director James O. Peterson, who was chairman of the orientation program, Deans Ronayne, Waehler and Sullivan, Director of Admissions William F. Coughlin, Placement Director James G. Woods and Transfer Counselor Ellen T. Burns.

Following the speaking program, the students were divided into groups of 8-14 where they met with present student leaders. The program went over very effectively, according to Peterson.

Director of Admissions Coughlin said that the 111 new students compares "about the same as last year's mid-year figure."
L.I.F.E. COMMITTEE TO PRESENT A FIRST

Set the student activities hour of February 8 down for what looks like a good treat.

The L.I.F.E. Committee has arranged to present members of the Associate Artists Opera Company in portions of Montezuma, an opera that the company will present in its American premiere a week later on February 14. The Suffolk Auditorium will be the scene of the "sneak preview." The company's manager will offer behind the scenes insights not available at the actual upcoming premiere; how the opera was uncovered; how it came to Boston and the problems of staging a major work for the first time in this country.

All this, Prof. Frederick Wilkins of English reminds us, plus slides of prior Associate Arts productions and, of course, the music itself.

WEBB ELECTED TO HEAD SUFFOLK ALUMNI

J. Chester Webb, a Waltham attorney and a 1941 graduate of Suffolk University Law School, was elected president of Suffolk's newly reorganized General Alumni Association. Webb was elected to a one-year term at the recent meeting of the board.

Other officers elected for one-year terms were: Dr. George N. Torrey, BSBA, '56, MA in ED., '57, vice president; John D. McCarthy, BSBA, '62, and MBA, '69, treasurer; and Matthew J. Fink, AB, '64, clerk. Elected to the executive committee for the 1972-73 term were John J. Beades, AB, '44, LLB, '48; John J. Bohan, LLB, '39; Claire M. Driscoll, AB, '43, Patricia McGovern, AB, '62, JD,'66; John J. Norton, BS, '55, and Joseph B. Shanahan Jr., AB, '72.

SOCIAL WELFARE COMMITTEE FORMED

Suffolk University's Social Welfare Program has formed an advisory committee consisting of many outstanding professionals in the field of social welfare, Director John L. Sullivan of the Sociology department reports.

Dr. Sullivan said the following have accepted invitations to serve on the committee: Albert F. Hanwell, chairman and associate professor of the Boston College Graduate School of Social Work; Clifford R. Falby, executive director of the New England Home for Little Wanderers; Mrs. Pauline Gamache, social worker for the Home for Italian Children; Mrs. Elaine Kohn, director of volunteer services for the Massachusetts Department of Public Welfare; John G. McManus, director of Children and Family Services in New Bedford; Sister Mary Patricia, administrator for Nazareth Child Care Center; Dr. John V. Driscoll, research and demonstration specialist, social and rehabilitation services, U.S. Department of H.E.W.; Dr. D. Donald Fiorillo, chairman of the sociology department, Dean Joseph H. Strain and Dr. Sullivan.

The first meeting of the committee was held on December 19. Another is scheduled for February 6. Dr. Sullivan says the committee is presently evaluating the curriculum.
HISPANIC WEEKS WILL OFFER VARIED PROGRAM FEBRUARY 13-23

The Languages and Humanities Department will pay tribute to the Spanish this year when they sponsor Hispanic Weeks February 13 through February 23. They have arranged a program which should have a wide appeal and hope that this year's tribute to the great cultures will be the best of those presented the past four years. Last year's observance was China Week.

One of the highlights will be the appearance of Ron Hudson, a truly outstanding Latin American guitarist, who will perform on February 15 at 1 p.m. in the auditorium.

On the 20th at 1 p.m. in the auditorium, the film "Pablo Neruda" based on the life of the most widely read poet in the world, will be shown. The Chilean poet recently won the Nobel Prize for literature.

Another outstanding film, "Viridiana," a controversial allegorical movie about Spain and Franco, will be shown on February 22 at 1 p.m. in the auditorium. It was produced by the great European film-maker Bunuel, now in exile in Mexico.

On February 13 and 14 a Spanish menu will be offered in the cafeteria all day, and from February 13-16 there will be displays of arts and crafts in the lobby. In addition, from February 20-23 there will be slide lectures shown on a continuing basis in the lobby illustrating great painters and lecturers.

But the highlight of the program could come the evening of the 22nd at 7:30 p.m. when a Spanish Fiesta in the auditorium winds up the festivities. It will feature performers from the Latin and Spanish community in Boston and Cambridge representing nine Latin American countries and doing dances, readings and music with native instruments.

Dr. Cleo Boudreau of Languages and Dr. Florence Petherick of Humanities have put together an exciting program and the events are expected to be well attended.

VALENTINE'S DANCE ON TAP FEBRUARY 9

Remember the Valentine's Dance of a year ago? If you were there, you'll recall it as one of Suffolk's swinging times, highlighted by the slick dancing of Albert Mendez-Herrera and Bernie MacPherson. It was a good get-together where faculty and staffers and spouses got to know one another.

Well, here we go again. This year's Valentine's dance will be held on Friday, February 9 from 8:30 p.m. until Midnight. There will be refreshments and dancing featuring Al Meuse's Bluechip Orchestra. Tickets are $2 per person, and there will be a cash bar.

Mary M. Mahoney of Psychological Services is chairman of the Suffolk Social Committee planning the affair. Other members are Howard Aucoin of Business, John Colburn of English, Dr. Theodore Marshall of Physics, Alberto Mendez-Herrera of Modern Languages and Jim Nelson of Athletics.
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You figured something had to be wrong when you saw Supt. Ivan Banks zoom by your Temple Street window looking all the world like Charlie Hustle heading for home plate. Banks, it turns out, was on his way to the Mt. Vernon Street building when he spotted flames leaping from the roof of a Hancock Street apartment and fire apparatus already at the scene. He spun around and before you could say Captain Marvel, he was on Suffolk's roof, had ordered ventilating units shut off to prevent smoke from filtering into our buildings. Alert reaction by an alert guy. The blaze, which claimed one life, could have proved damaging to S.U. property had there been a strong westerly wind. Banks stood by to watch the progress, was later joined by Dean Mike Ronayne with eyes to a school evacuation if needed. Our property escaped unblemished... When Jim Matthew of Development and Betty Williams of Psychology met recently on a flight from Washington, it was a surprise to each to learn that they were both returning from President Nixon's inaugural. Betty's 20-year old daughter, Megan, had a distinguished dancing partner at the Youth Ball - Richard M. Nixon himself. Megan, a senior at Simmons, was one of the hostesses at the ball and one of the 10 young ladies the President danced with. While dancing with Megan, the President asked her where she came from. "Massachusetts," was the answer, but before Nixon could respond, he was off to dance with another hostess... Speaking of Washington, it was nice to see Professor Arthur West host a group of Washington area S.U. alumni at his Bethesda, Maryland home. There are several in the area and it looks promising for a regional grouping...

Travel Circuit - Professor Ronni Lacroute of Modern Languages enjoyed a delightful Christmas vacation with her husband and son. The trip included stops to visit relatives in Burgundy and Versailles in France and was topped off by a week's skiing in the Alps. "In the Alps we stayed at a small hotel for three nights and a hand-lettered sign said, 'L'eau is pollu'ee - buvez du vin' (the water is polluted-drink wine)," recalled Ronni. "We took their suggestion and thoroughly enjoyed our vacation."... Dr. Ilse Fang of Modern Languages has a Berlin companion in new student assistant in German, Dagmar Kuschke. The two are preparing a slide show and a movie on Berlin, February 16... A speedy recovery to Bernie MacPherson, Speech professor at Emerson, who suffered a foot injury when it was caught in her car door... Two exhibits on the calendar - Paul Klee and the "Blue Rider" expressionistic school of art (Munich, 1911) will be on display in the new trophy case in the lobby of the Donahue Building and on the second floor of the Archer Building January 31 - February 9 and a Chinese New Year customs exhibit in wall cases outside Room 25 and on the sixth floor of the Donahue Building January 31 - February 9 ushering in the Year of the Ox... Reference Librarian James Coleman attended the Modern Language Association Convention in New York City, December 27-28. Coleman has just produced a Guide to Indexing, Abstracting, and State of the Art Reviews in the College Library. Copies are available at the reference desk... Dr. Edward G. Hartmann was a New Orleans visitor for a meeting of the American Historical Association over the Christmas holidays... Wearing his year-round tan, Law Professor Dave Sargent has returned from a sojourn in Jamaica... Congratulations to Suffolk baseball coach Tom Walsh and his wife Diane on the birth of their first child. Eight-pound 11 ounce Jennifer Anne arrived on January 8... Former College Recorder Barbara Latture expresses her deep appreciation to all her S.U. friends for a farewell gift bestowed upon her a while back...
Law Professor John E. Fenton Jr. addressed the Suffolk Law School Alumni Association of New Hampshire at the New Hampshire Bar Association's mid-winter meeting luncheon last Saturday, at the New Hampshire Highway Hotel in Concord... Nancy Bliss of Mansfield is a new secretary in Business Administration while Susan Drew of Quincy joins the college Admissions Office. The library has three new staffers. Monica Graham of Dorchester joins the processing department, Karen Jurewich of Roslindale to the library desk and in the law library, Gloria Ravenel joins that force. Gloria replaces Dave Abbott who resigned while Monica and Karen succeed Joanne Dodge and Emma Crosby. Miss Jurewich is the sister of Mrs. Dodge, who left to welcome her first child in the Spring... Two library staffers are driving around in class. Margie Moody just bought a 1973 Plymouth Satellite while Cathy Reardon sports a '72 Dodge Swinger... Professor Dick Santeusanio of Education will be awarded his doctorate in education from U. Massachusetts in February... Only thing left over from the President's Christmas Party was a youngster's green mitten. Another good time and the hat is off to Dottie McNamara for the job she did again and to Ed "Santa Claus" Saunders for his role. Saunders and wife, Ellen, just celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary. Congratulations!... A year ago, outspoken Sheriff John J. Buckley of Middlesex County made headlines when he spoke here. The Sociology Club has him booked up again for February 15 at 1 p.m. as part of their continuing series on crime and correction... Dean of Students Brad Sullivan presented part of the data associated with his doctoral dissertation on student attitudes before the sociology class of Dr. John Sullivan on January 10. Dr. Sullivan said the dean of student's talk was very effective as part of the class' semester-long study developing hypotheses on student dissatisfaction... Mrs. Inez Patten, part-time lecturer in history and sociology and a S.U. grad, has been promoted to associate dean of students at Boston State College. She was director of financial aid...

DOCTORAL DATA - Dennis L. Outwater of Philosophy received his Ph.D. from the University of Chicago on December 15. That means that all five Suffolk philosophy profs have their Ph.D.'s (Sahakian, Pearl, Zuckerstatter, and Reiche) and Dr. William Sahakian believes that this is a first for any department that size in Suffolk history. Dr. Sahakian has published an article in the Israel Annals of Psychiatry entitled, "Logo Therapy as a Philosophy of Life" for an upcoming volume... Julie Marchankevitz, Biology secretary, leaves S.U. employ to become a full-time student in the CROSS program. Anita Curtis moves from Law Admissions to take Julie's place... President Fulham and Vice President Flannery attended the three-day convention of the American Association of Colleges in San Francisco... Law Professor Charles B. Garabedian has been appointed to the board of advisers of the Court Practice Institute... The Sigma Xi Club will sponsor talk by Dr. Roy O. Greep, professor of anatomy at Harvard Medical School, February 8... Judge John E. Fenton, chairman of the board of trustees, brought the greetings of S.U. to the highly successful IRS tax conference of which S.U. and Professors Volk and Meyler were a part... Thirty-six students from the Modern Language Club spent the past weekend on a combined skiing-cultural trip to Quebec, accompanied by Professor Mendez-Herrera... Years ago, student Recognition Day featured top name speakers as the guest attractions, something Activities Director Jim Peterson would like to resume, and he solicits your thoughts on the subject... Judy Minardi from Personnel lists the following job openings: Typists for Law School Admissions and Typists for the College Registrar's Office... See you next month and have a Happy Valentine's Day!...