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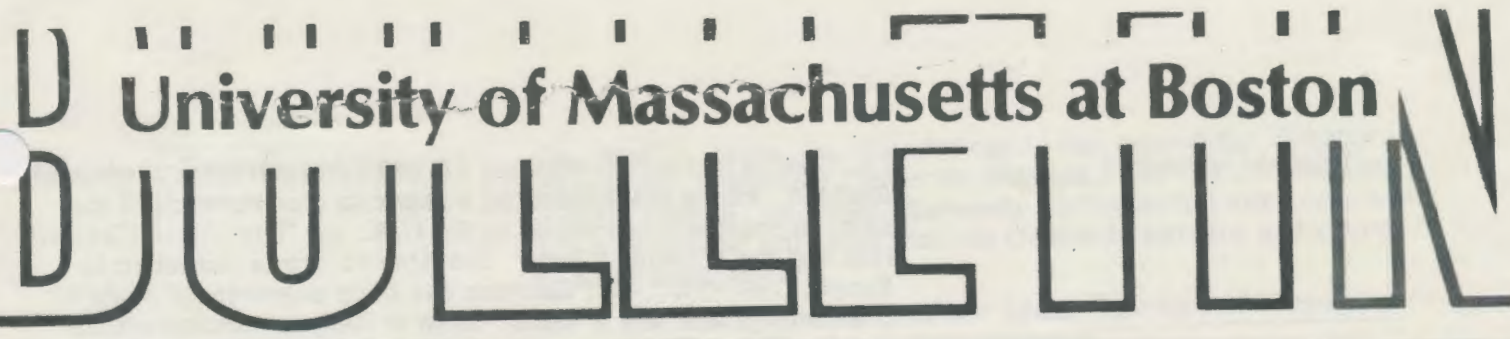
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Honduras Relief Fund

Long after the fury of Hurricane Fifi, the horrors, the human tragedies, the suffering will continue. It will continue for days and for months -- long, long after it has attention in the news.

On this campus, it is hoped that support will come to the efforts being made by the Puerto Rican Student Union to collect food, clothing, medicine and funds to help our suffering neighbors in Honduras.

Each one on this campus can help, and you are earnestly asked to support their efforts.

Amilcar Flores of Spanish I perhaps, better than all of us, knows personally about the tragic winds that struck his native land. Days after the fury struck he had not been able to get any information concerning his family.

He is one of our campus leaders who are spearheading the effort. Chancellor Golino has asked all to "assist those who have suffered much and who must now face a difficult future." Others are Angela Rodriguez, Jorge Dualos, Dorothy Marshall, and Gerard Sullivan.

You can make your check payable to "HONDURAS RELIEF FUND" and send it to the Puerto Rican Student Union, Room 124, 4th Floor, College I. You can bring food and medical supplies there, as well as light clothing which is urgently needed.

Your help can thwart starvation and disease.

Dr. Wilkes Honored

Dr. Garrison Wilkes (Biology II) has been reappointed to the Executive Committee of the Assembly of Life Sciences of the National Academy of Sciences for a three-year term.

The ALS has been formed as a merger of the Division of Medical Sciences, Division of Biological Sciences, and the Advisory Center on Toxicology. The Assembly, through its Executive Committee, is responsible for development of a scientific program in the life sciences that is responsive to overall United States and international needs.

Dr. Wilkes is a specialist in corn genetics and is among a top group of scientists who are gravely concerned with a genetic erosion of plants that are threatening crops throughout the world. The profuse varieties of plant life that man has used for centuries to breed food crops are disappearing from almost every part of the world. He warns that it is not a question that disease will strike uniform crops planted throughout the world, but when will the disease strike.



### Peripheral Capitalism

Dr. Sharon Stichter (Sociology II) has returned from Liverpool, England, where she presented a paper to a conference of the African Studies Association of the U.K. on "Peripheral Capitalism and the Working Class: The Rise of Trade Unionism in Kenya, 1945-52." Dr. Stichter has been preparing a study of the development of a working class in Kenya, and a previous paper entitled "Workers, Trade Unions and the Mau Mau Rebellion" is to be published in the Canadian Journal of African Studies early next year.

### Linguistic Circle

A UMass-Boston Linguistic Circle is being organized by students and faculty and will have a meeting on the study of language at the University at 12:30 p.m., Thursday, October 3 in Room 5-211 (red), College II. Students and faculty interested in linguistic study are invited to attend the meeting.

### The True Sphere of Woman

"The True Sphere of Woman...", an exhibit of books and posters on the history of American women, 1848-1974, is currently on view on the fourth floor of the Library. It is augmented by a display on "Women in Art" in the exhibition cases on the tenth floor.

### Errata

Our jolly journal last week identified David Podoff, one of George Goodwin's original Legislative Interns, as "formerly of the Economics Department." This is not so, for Professor Podoff who is now an economist with the Brookings Institution, Washington, is on leave and will return to UMass-Boston next September as tenured Associate Professor of Economics and, needless to say, will be welcomed back by his colleagues.

### The Urban University in the 1970's

Proceedings of the Dedication - Inauguration ceremonies of the Harbor Campus last Spring are now available through the Public Relations Office, Administration Building, Room 348

The booklet includes the texts of President Robert Wood, Governor Francis Sargent, Chancellor Carlo Golino, Dr. Robert Nisbet, Dr. Sidney Marland, Dr. David Riesman, and Dr. Robert Weaver.

### Beverly Ross Fliegel Memorial Lecture

The second annual Beverly Ross Fliegel Memorial Lecture, named in honor of the late wife of Bertrand Fliegel (ACTION) will be given Thursday, October 10, at 7:30 p.m. at Cushing Hall, Boston College School of Nursing.

Michael Harrington, author of The Other America, which is regarded as one of the most thought-provoking books over the past two decades, will be the principal speaker. The topic is "Inflation, Recession, Unemployment -- What Happens To The Poor."

Panelists include Professor Lester Thurow, of MIT and Professor Francis Fox Piven of BU. Joanne A. Ross, Director of ACTION at UMass-Boston and Chairperson of the Statewide Advisory Committee, Office of Children, will be the moderator.

### Diagnostic Treatment Center

Dr. Paul T. Costa, Jr. (Psychology I) has opened the Webster Diagnostic Treatment Center in Webster. He will provide counseling, testing, tutoring, diagnostic and remedial services, and his wife will be affiliated with the Center in tutoring and remedial reading assignments.

He is currently working on a new book, Concepts of Personality: Theoretical and Empirical Perspectives.

### Wellesley Symphony Orchestra

Robert J. Prins (Music) has been appointed Conductor of the Wellesley Symphony Orchestra. The 26th concert season for the orchestra will begin on November 22. Professor Prins has been at UMass-Boston since 1969, coming here from Ithaca College.

### University Police

Twelve new University Police Officers have graduated from a 12 week Police Recruit Training Program, conducted under the supervision and control of the Boston Police Department Division of Training and Education.

The University hosted the Academy Program Graduation Ceremony which consisted of 12 Police Officers from the University of Massachusetts at Boston, 12 MBTA Officers, 5 Brookline Officers, 2 Tufts University Officers and 1 MIT Police Officer.

The Department of Public Safety now has 30 Police Officers ready to assist the UMass-Boston Community.

### The Graduate

Chief John Carpenter of the Department of Public Safety graduated on September 12th from the FBI National Academy. The 12 week training program was held at the new FBI Academy Complex on the Quantico Marine Base in Virginia.

Chief Carpenter was one of 250 law enforcement administrators from throughout the world in attendance.

The Academy program consisted of comprehensive training in: Criminal Law, Labor Relations and Collective Bargaining, Administration of Complex Criminal Investigation, Police Problems in an Urban Environment, Police Ethics, Community Relations, Sex Crimes Investigation, Advanced Fingerprint Identification, Self-Defense and Physical Training.

The University of Virginia works closely with the FBI instructors and has given 16-semester hours of credit upon completion of the Academy. The course instruction was given by the FBI training staff, and guest lecturers from the University of Virginia Law School, members of the Supreme Court, the Attorney General's Office and various other members of the criminal justice system.

Carpenter had previously completed two basic Police Academies during his 10 years in law enforcement but this advance training is the highest in the law enforcement field.

### Information Center

The Office of Student Activities has set up a new communications center, directed by Sherry Thomas, Associate Director of Student Activities, in College II, Third Floor, Room 615. The

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Information Center  
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purpose of the center is to let students and others of the university community know when and where events on campus are taking place. A hot line is in operation from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., Monday through Friday. The numbers are 3231 and 3232.

All campus departments and organizations are encouraged to utilize the services of the new facility to announce the dates, times, and other information concerning campus events.

The center is another undertaking for Sherry Thomas, who has been serving as Director of Extracurricular Activities for College II. She is a 1972 graduate of UMass-Boston. As an undergraduate she was News Editor of Mass Media.

Alumni Tracer

Berkeley W. Cue Jr., Class of 1969, is now at the University of Minnesota in his second postdoctoral year. After graduation from UMass-Boston he went to the University of Alabama where he earned his Ph. D. in Chemistry in 1973. He then became a postdoctoral fellow at the Ohio State University, working with Professor Paul Gassman. Cue, who followed Gassman to Minnesota this year, is aiming at a career in chemical industry, preferably pharmaceuticals.

Peninsula Handball and  
Racketball Leagues

The Community Services Department in cooperation with the Athletic Department is presently organizing several joint University-Community athletic activities. Any member of the faculty or staff interested in participating in a Handball or Racketball League please call Paul Puccini in the Community Services Department at Ext. 2301.

KRONOS Remote Batch

The schedule for processing remote batch jobs at the Computer Center during the first half of the fall term will be as follows:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 10:30 p. m. - 12 p. m.  
1:30 p. m. - 5 p. m.

Tuesday, Friday 12:00 p. m. - 5 p. m.

Operation during the evening and on weekends will be announced as need is determined.

National Competitions for  
Graduate Fellowships

Faculty are urged to bring to the attention of seniors five graduate fellowship programs in which our students may have interests. These are the annual Danforth Foundation Program, National Fellowships Fund/Ford Foundation Graduate Fellowship Program; Fulbright-Hays Grants for Graduate Study Abroad; Marshall Scholarship Awards, and Rhodes Scholarships.

Specific details and questions on the national competitions for graduate fellowships should be directed to Walter McDonald, Administration Building, Room 214, or Mary Winslow, Administration Building, Room 210. Or call Ext. 2277.

Faculty Club

If you have not been using the facilities of the Faculty Club in College II you are missing something. The Club and its food fare are catching on. Nearly 200 used the facility each day last week.