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# The United Way of Mass. Bay

Agassiz Village

American National Red Cross Greater Boston Chapter Mass Bay Area Chapters American Social Health Assn Arthritis Foundation—Ma, Chap Assoc. Day Care Services of Metro. Boston

Assoc Jewish Community Centers of Gr Boston Big Brother Assn Big Sister Assn Boston Children's Service Boston Guild for the Hard

of Hearing Boston Legal Aid Society **Boy Scouts** 

Algonquin Council: Boston Council; Cambridge Council; Minuteman Council; Nashua Valley Council; North Bay Council; Norumbega Council; **Old Colony Council** Boys' Clubs

Arlington Boys' Club; Boys' Clubs of Boston; Boys' Club of Lynn; Newton Boys' Club, Boys' Club of Waltham

Bromley-Heath Comm Center Brookline, Brighton Newton

Jewish Community Center Cambridge Art Center Cambridge Camping Association Cambridge Community Center Cambridge Community Services Cambridge Family and Childrens' Service

Cambridge Jewish Comm Center Camp Fire Girls Gr. Bos , No. Sh , & So. Sh, Councils Camp Kingswood Caravan Society for Children, Inc Cath Charitable Bureau of Bos. Cath Charitable Bureau of Cam Cath. Char. Bur. of Gr. Brockton Cath. Charities Ctr., No. Shore Cath Family Serv. of Gr. Lynn Cerebral Palsy of the So. Shore Chelsea YM—YWHA Comm. Ctr. Children's Friend & Family

Service Soc. of North Shore Children's Protective Services (MSPCC)

Citizens Hous. & Planning Assn. CJP of Greater Boston, Inc. Community Workshops, Inc.

Concord Family Service Society Cooper Community Centre Council on Social Work Edu. Cushing Hall Inc Doug, A. Thom Clinic for Ch'dren

East Boston Social Centers, Inc. East End House Ecumenical Social Action Comm.

Elizabeth Peabody House Assn. Elma Lewis Sch of Fine Arts Epilepsy Society of Mass. Fam. & Children's Serv. of Gr.

Lynn Fam. Couns'ling & Guidance Ctr. Family Counseling Service, Inc. Fam. Service Assn. of Gr Boston Family Service of Dedham, Inc. Fed. Dorchester Nghbrhd Houses Fidelity House **Girl Scouts** 

Bay Path Council; Blue Hill Council; Hawthorne Council; Mistick Side Council; Plymouth Bay Council Girls Clubs of Boston,

Girls Club of Lynn Greater Boston Diabetes Soc. Guidance Camps, Inc.

Homemakers Home Health Aid Serv. of the North Shore, Inc.

Homemaker Services, So. Shore Hospital Services Intercomm. Homemaker Service Int. Institute of Boston Jam. Plain Neigh. House Assn. James Jackson Putnam Ch. Ctr. Jewish Big Brother Association Jewish Comm. Ctr. of the No. Sh. Jewish Comm. Council of

Metro Boston Jewish Fam. & Children's Serv. Jewish Fam. Serv. of the No. Sh. Jewish Vocational Service John F. Kennedy Fam. Serv. Ctr. Judge Baker Guidance Center Laboure Center La Alianza Hispana Lena Park Comm. Serv. Ctr. Leslie B. Cutler Multi-Serv. Ctr. Marg. Fuller-Camb. Neigh. H'se Mass. Assn. for the Blind Mass. Assn. for Adv. of Hu. Serv. Medical Foundation, Inc., The Mental Health Associations

Mass. Assn. for Mental Health;

Brookline Assn. for Mental Health: Cambridge Mental Health Assn.; Mental Health of Central Middlesex; Fort Hill Mental Health Assn.; Gr. Lynn Mental Health Assn.; Mental Health Assn. of No. Shore; Mystic Valley Mental Health Assn.; Norfolk Mental Health Assn., So. Bos. Mental Health Assn., So. Shore Men-

tal Health Assn. Nat. Assem for Soc. Pol. & Dev Nat. Assn. of Hearing & Speech National Council on the Aging Nat. Council on Alcholism Inc. Nat. Legal Aid & Defender Assn. Nat. Rec. & Park Assn

National Urban League, Inc. N.E. Home for Little Wanderers **Newton Comm Service Center** No. Bennet St. Industrial School North End Union

No Shore Comm on Alcoholism Parents' and Children's Services of Children's Mission

Protestant Social Service Bureau Quincy Jewish Commun. Center Retarded Children Associations

Charles River Assn.: Minute-Man Assn.; South Middlesex Assn; The South Shore Assn. Revere Jewish Community Center Robert Sever Hale Camp. Resrv. Rox. Fed. of Neighborhood Ctrs. Roxbury Multi-Service Center St. Vasilios Comm Center St. Vincent de Paul Societies Salvation Army Somerville Cath Charities Ctr.

Travelers Aid—Int. Soc. Serv.
of America (TAISSA)
Travelers Aid Society of Boston
Un. Cerebral Palsy of No. Sh.
United Comm. Planning Corp.
United Seamen's Service, Inc.

So. Boston Neighborhood House

United So. End Settlements U.S. Comm — Int'l Conf. of Soc. Work

**Visiting Nurse Associations** Arlington; Belmont-Watertown: Boston: Braintree:

Brookline: Cambridge: Canton; Cohasset; Danvers; Dover, Medfield & Norfolk; Everett; Foxboro; Hingham; Holbrook; Lexington; Lynn; Malden; Medford; Milton; Natick; Needham; Newton-Wellesley; Peabody; Quincy; Reading, Stoneham, Wakefield & Woburn; Salem; Somerville; Sudbury; Waltham; Weston; Westwood; Weymouth; Win-

chester Wellesely Comm. Chest & Coun. West Medford Commun. Center Women's Educ. & Indus. Union Young Men's Christian Assns. Greater Boston YMCA: Cam-

bridge; Charlestown Armed Services; Clapp Memorial; Danvers; Lynn; Malden; Mar-blehead-Swampscott; Melrose; Newton; Quincy; Regional:

Somerville; Wakefield Young Women's Christian Assns. Boston; Cambridge; Malden Youth Activities Council

# Our future

The United Way is people. People helped by these listed agencies. The pledge card you are earnestly asked to fill out as a member of the UMass-Boston community is a decision for only you to make. Your help is, and will be, greatly and warmly appreciated.

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Dean Steamer on Supreme Court

Dean Robert J. Steamer, College II, was a panelist with Pulitzer Prize winner Anthony Lewis of the New York Times at the Southern Political Science Association meeting in Nev Orleans. Steamer spoke on "The Supreme Court and Fundamental Rights."

Incidentally, Dean Steamer's address to the faculty of College II is a thoughtful, incisive document on what a university's nature is, its role as a guardian of academic freedom, and is an appraisal of the role of a liberal arts education. It rang like Newman's ideas on a university.

The National Endowment for the Humanities has awarded a grant to College II to enable the University to establish an academic program on Nantucket Island. Fifteen juniors and seniors will be chosen to spend second semester on the island, and another fifteen will be selected for the Fall semester of next year. Students enrolled in the Program will take fifteen credit hours of academic study, dealing intensively with Nantucket's history and culture.

Normal tuition fees will cover the academic costs of the Program. Students will have to pay room and board costs on the Island, though the University will locate suitable living arrangements and will attempt to locate part-time jobs for those who need them. Any University junior or senior in good academic standing may apply for admission to the Program, regardless of what college he or she is enrolled in and what program of study. Preference will be given to applicants who can demonstrate intellectual initiative and maturity, and what academic interests are consonant with the resources of the Program.

Application forms can be picked up from Barry Phillips, Assistant Professor of English, College II, and Director of the Nantucket Program, in II.5.212, or in the College II Dean's Office. Applications are due Wednesday, November 20, though extensions can be obtained from Mr. Phillips.

For its major production of the Fall term, the Theatre Arts Department will be presenting the musical comedy ANYTHING GOES by Bolton, Woodhouse, Lindsay and Crouse, music and lyrics under the direction of Professor William Roberts, set design by Professor William Roberts, lighting design by Gail Van Voorhis and musical direction by Stanley Schertzer. Performance dates will be: December 3, 7:30 p.m.; Dec. 4, 4 p.m.; Dec. 5, 4 p.m.; Dec. 6, 7:30 p.m.; Dec. 7, 7:30 p.m.; Dec. 8, 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Reservations may be made by calling Theatre Arts Department, ext. 2971-2-3.

Two copies of the 1974-75 UMass-Boston telephone directory have been distributed to each department through campus mail. If your department was overlooked, you may obtain a copy from College Supply. Please do not ask for more copat this time. As soon as more books are available, (within the next few weeks), you can request one book per person in your department from College Supply.

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Nantucket Studies

Anything Goes

Telephone Books

Telephone Books (Continued from page 2)

Seidman' Seminar

Helpful Services

Enrollment

The Boston telephone directory white pages have not yet arrived. When they come in, they will be delivered to departments. In addition, Boston yellow pages and suburban directories can be obtained from College Supply. Area code directories are available from the operators.

The Department of Political Economy is sponsoring a seminar by Ann and Robert Seidman on Law and Economic Development in Africa on Thursday, Nov. 21 at 12:45 p.m. in College I, Room 2/198. Ann Seidman is in the Political Economy Department at UMass-Boston and Robert Seidman is on the law faculty at Boston University.

For added personal safety and convenience, when working after hours, the Department of Public Safety recommends that you advise the University Police, Ext. 2111 of your presence. This assists in proper security of buildings and relaying emergency messages coming into the University Police Office - 297-1904 - after the switchboard is closed. This helps our police to help you, by having additional security checks of your area. Also advise Ext. 2111 when leaving the campus.

All students requiring admittance to a building after school hours must have prior written authorization, by the appropriate Department Head, submitted to the Chief of the University Police. University I.D. cards will be required of all persons entering a locked building.

There are 6803 undergraduates and 35 graduate students enrolled as Full Time Students.

This is the listing for part time students and the total headcount:

## PART TIME STUDENTS

	Headcount	FTE
Post Graduates Special Non-Classified Graduate Masters	118 129 283 12 542	60 52 146 7 265
TOTALS		
Total Headcount Full Time Equivalent	7380 7103	
Headcounts		
Undergraduates Graduate Masters (full & part) Part Time Students Totals	6803 47 530 7380	
Full Time Equivalents		
Undergraduates Graduate Masters Part Time Students Totals	6803 42 258 7103	

Book Reviewers and a Book Reviewed

Women's Status in Sierra Leona

Tax Reform

Campus Visitors

It seems that since Margaret Manning became the new Book Editor of the Boston Globe Lee Grove and Shaun O'Connell (English II) have become almost daily book reviewers. John Hersey's new book My Petition For More Space was a Grove review which rang no bells for Adano. Grove said "nothing, nothing moves in this novel, or is moved" including the reader. O'Connell assesses The Last Days of Louisiana Red by Ishmael Reed who "plays the literary parallels and put-ons game so marvelously his novel consumes itself in its own fun.." O'Connell also reviewed (Nov. 14) The Poor Mouth: A Bad Story About The Hard Life by Flann O'Brien. O'Connell calls it a "jumble of folk tale, myth, black comedy and straight-up Oirish blarney."

Grove is the author of <u>Boston</u> magazine's lead article in the November issue on Frank Sinatra, titled "Last Night When We Were Young." The same issue has an article on poet Ann Sexton by former faculty member Dan Wakefield.

American Transcendentalism by Professor Paul F. Boller Jr. (History II) won a rave review in the Sunday Herald-Advertiser (Nov. 10). "This is a book about people who sought to bring more life into their lives, and scholar and layman alike will be made a little more alive by taking a deep breath of the exhilarating air coming through the window Professor Boller has opened for us."

Madam Honoria Bailor-Caulker, woman Paramount Chief and Member of Parliament, Republic of Sierra Leone, West Africa, will present a lecture on "My Career: The Role and Status" Women in the Republic of Sierra Leone, "Wednesday, November 20 at 12:30 p.m. at the College II Auditorium.

Madam Honoria Bailor-Caulker's talk is being co-sponsored by Sociology II, Ujima Society and University Year of Action. All are cordially invited.

Joseph S. Slavet, Director of the Boston Urban Observatory, was one of several keynote speakers at the recent Annual Meeting of the Massachusetts League of Cities and Towns. He addressed members of the League on the issue of tax reform and chaired a panel of specialists discussing selected aspects of the problem which included Sen. Frederick W. Schlosstein, Senate Chairman, Committee on Taxation; Gregory Anrig, Massachusetts Commissioner of Education; William S. Taupier, Mayor of Holyoke; and Stuart DeBard, Executive Director, Association of Town Finance Committees. Mr. Slavet is providing consultant services to the League under a contract between the City of Boston and UMass-Boston in coordinating development of a tax reform package for consideration by the 1975 session of the Massachusetts Legislature.

Some 50 high school students, members of the Junior Engineering Technical Society, were here Saturday for a seminar on effective communications. Dr. Ernest Becker (Chemistry) spoke on communications as a career objective for scientistand engineers, and the evaluation of aptitudes for science-e. neering-communications careers.

The Department of Political Economy (College II) had many Boston College High School students here yesterday for the John Kenneth Galbraith lecture.