

# MISSING

\$500.00  
REWARD

FOR INFO,  
LEADING TO  
A PERSONAL  
CONTACT WITH  
KATHY.



KATHY PARKS

5'7" TALL 120 LBS.

20 YRS OLD W/ WAIST LENGTH HAIR

MISSING SINCE 5/6/74

LAST SEEN WALKING

NORTH ON THE O.S.D.

CAMPUS WEARING A WHITE  
CORDUROY COAT, BLUE PANTS  
AND SANDALS.

ANY ONE WHO HAS SEEN OR  
DOES SEE HER CONTACT:

O.S.U. SECURITY. 503-754-1473

April 28, 1975

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks  
1117 Rahara Avenue  
LaFayette, California 94549

Re: Roberta Kathleen Parks

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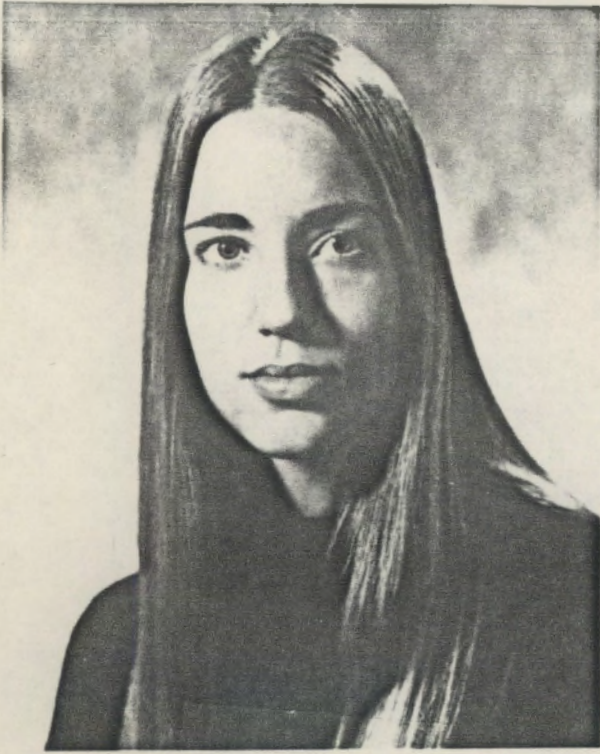
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CORVALLIS, OREGON

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Bill Harris

Oregon State U.

Security Officer

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5. Brown purse with shoulder strap.

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SEATTLE-KING COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
VITAL STATISTICS SECTION

# CERTIFIED COPY OF DEATH CERTIFICATE

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS <b>CERTIFICATE OF DEATH</b>									
LOCAL FILE NUMBER		9968						STATE FILE NUMBER	
DECEASED—NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST SEX DATE OF DEATH MONTH, DAY, YEAR 1. ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS Female Unknown LSA 5-6-1974									
RACE WHITE, NEGRO, AMERICAN INDIAN, ETC. (SPECIFY)		AGE—LAST BIRTHDAY (YEARS)		UNDER 1 YEAR MONTHS DAYS		UNDER 1 DAY HOURS MIN		DATE OF BIRTH MONTH, DAY, YEAR	
White		20						2/27/1954	
CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DEATH		INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO)		HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION—NAME (IF NOT IN EITHER, GIVE STREET AND NUMBER)					
Unknown. Bones recovered here. Issaquah		No		4 miles South of I 90 on Highway 18?					
STATE OF BIRTH (IF NOT IN U.S.A., NAME COUNTRY)		CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY		MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY)		SURVIVING SPOUSE (IF WIFE, GIVE MAIDEN NAME)			
Ohio		USA		Never Married					
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER		USUAL OCCUPATION—GIVE KIND OF WORK DONE DURING MOST OF WORKING LIFE, EVEN IF RETIRED				KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY			
[REDACTED]		Student							
RESIDENCE—STATE		COUNTY		CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION		INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO)		STREET AND NUMBER	
California		Contra Costa		Lafayette		Yes		1117 Rahara Drive	
FATHER—NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST		MOTHER—MAIDEN NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST							
Charles Parks									
INFORMANT—NAME				MAILING ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP)					
KING CO. MEDICAL EXAMINER CASE #10868				700 Crockett Street, Seattle, Wash. 98109					
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY. (ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a), (b), AND (c))									
18 IMMEDIATE CAUSE 7969 CONDITIONS, IF ANY, WHICH GAVE RISE TO IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a), STATING THE UNDERLYING CAUSE LAST (a) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF (b) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF (c) Bones recovered 3-3-75, identified 3-7-75.									
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS (CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE GIVEN IN PART I (a))									
ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, HOMICIDE, OR UNDETERMINED (SPECIFY)		DATE OF INJURY MONTH, DAY, YEAR		HOUR		HOW INJURY OCCURRED (ENTER NATURE OF INJURY IN PART I OR PART II, ITEM 18)		AUTOPSY (YES OR NO)	
								19a	
INJURY AT WORK (SPECIFY YES OR NO)		PLACE OF INJURY AT HOME, FARM, STREET, FACTORY, OFFICE BLDG., ETC. (SPECIFY)		LOCATION		(STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE)			
20a		20b		20c		20d			
CERTIFICATION—PHYSICIAN: I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM		TO		AND LAST SAW HIM/HER ALIVE ON		I DID/DID NOT VIEW THE BODY AFTER DEATH.		DEATH OCCURRED AT THE PLACE, ON THE DATE, AND, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, DUE TO THE CAUSE(S) STATED.	
21a		21b		21c		21d		21e	
CERTIFICATION—CORONER: ON THE BASIS OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE BODY AND/OR THE INVESTIGATION, IN MY OPINION, DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE AND DUE TO THE CAUSE(S) STATED.		HOUR OF DEATH		THE DECEDENT WAS PRONOUNCED DEAD		YEAR		HOUR	
22a		22b		22c		22d		22e	
CERTIFIER—NAME (TYPE OR PRINT) DONALD T. REAY, M.D.				SIGNATURE		DATE OF TITLE		DATE SIGNED MONTH, DAY, YEAR	
23a				23b		23c		23d	
MAILING ADDRESS—CERTIFIER 700 Crockett Street, Seattle, Wash. 98109				STREET OR R.F.D. NO.		CITY OR TOWN		STATE ZIP	
BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (SPECIFY)		CEMETERY OR CREMATORY—NAME		LOCATION		CITY OR TOWN		STATE	
24a		24b		24c		24d		24e	
DATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)		FUNERAL HOME—NAME AND ADDRESS		STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP					
24d		24e							
FUNERAL DIRECTOR—SIGNATURE				REGISTRAR—SIGNATURE		DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR			
25a				25b		25c			
				MAR 28 1975					

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is a true, full and correct copy of the original Certificate of Death on file in this office.

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By J. Spencer

Seattle, Wash. APR 28 1975

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BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
SOCIAL FILE NUMBER **9968** CERTIFICATE OF DEATH STATE FILE NUMBER

DECEASED—NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST <b>ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS</b>			SEX <b>Female</b>	DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) <b>Unknown LSA 5-6-1974</b>
RACE WHITE, NEGRO, AMERICAN INDIAN, ETC. (SPECIFY) <b>White</b>	AGE—LAST BIRTHDAY (YEARS) <b>20</b>	UNDER 1 YEAR MONTHS DAYS <b>5b</b>	UNDER 1 DAY HOURS MIN <b>5c</b>	DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) <b>2/27/1954</b>
CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DEATH <b>Unknown. Bones recovered here. Issaquah</b>	INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) <b>No</b>	HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION—NAME (IF NOT IN EITHER, GIVE STREET AND NUMBER) <b>4 miles South of I 90 on Highway 18?</b>		
STATE OF BIRTH (IF NOT IN U.S.A., NAME COUNTRY) <b>Ohio</b>	CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY <b>USA</b>	MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY) <b>Never Married</b>	SURVIVING SPOUSE (IF WIFE, GIVE MAIDEN NAME) <b>11</b>	
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER <b>[REDACTED]</b>	USUAL OCCUPATION (GIVE KIND OF WORK DONE DURING MOST OF WORKING LIFE, EVEN IF RETIRED) <b>Student</b>	KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <b>13b</b>		
RESIDENCE—STATE <b>California</b>	COUNTY <b>Contra Costa</b>	CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION <b>Lafayette</b>	INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) <b>Yes</b>	STREET AND NUMBER <b>1117 Rahara Drive</b>
FATHER—NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST <b>Charles Parks</b>	MOTHER—MAIDEN NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST <b>16</b>			
INFORMANT—NAME <b>KING CO. MEDICAL EXAMINER CASE #10868</b>		MAILING ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP) <b>108 Crockett Street, Seattle, Wash. 98109</b>		
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IF YES WERE FINDINGS CONSIDERED IN DETERMINING CAUSE OF DEATH <b>19b</b>				
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August 21, 1974

Mr. Kerry Webster,  
The News Tribune,  
1950 So. State Street,  
Tacoma, Washington.

Dear Mr. Webster:

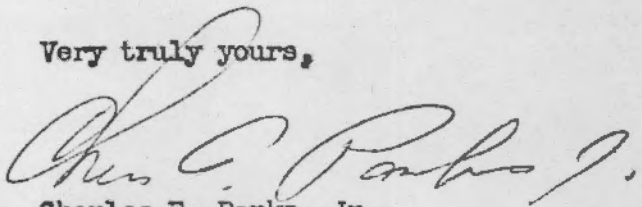
I sincerely appreciate your letter of August 15, together with the copy of the special report on the missing girls, including my daughter.

I'm afraid that the similarities of these unplanned disappearance, together with the personal knowledge of my own daughter's character, are too coincidental to be anything other than foul play.

Thank you very kindly for your courtesy in sending this very fine, well organized and highly descriptive article. I would hope that the Bay area papers would pick this whole story up.

Again, my deep appreciation.

Very truly yours,



Charles E. Parks, Jr.,  
1117 Rahara Drive,  
Lafayette, California.  
(94549)

CEP;jb

CC: Mr. Bill Harris.



Campus Security  
July 9, 1974

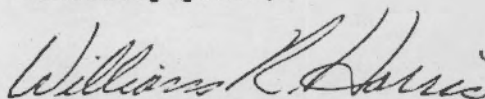
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks  
1117 Rahara Drive  
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Dear Mr. and Mrs. Parks:

Attached is a supplemental to the original report which I mailed to you on June 5, 1974. The enclosed Barometer newspaper contains a story regarding other missing coeds in Washington as well as Kathy's disappearance. As indicated in this report, I have been in contact with the agencies investigating the missing girls from the three colleges in Washington, and no evidence has been found to link Kathy's disappearance with the other four girls. These agencies have assured me they will notify us immediately if any such evidence is found.

We are continuing to investigate every lead and possible theory that could be considered, and will keep you informed of any progress.

Sincerely yours,

  
William R. Harris

WRH:jl

Enclosures

Security Department  
July 19, 1974

Jim Erickson  
Tacoma News Tribune  
Tacoma, Washington 99201

Jim:

Regarding our telephone conversation today I decided to provide you with the enclosed photograph and missing person poster.

Since Kathy's disappearance we have checked out numerous possible leads with negative results.

Kathy was a rather quiet girl and had few close friends during her year here at Oregon State University. She had very few dates here, as her fiancé was the only boy she was truly interested in. He arrived in Corvallis from Louisiana on May 13th, and has assisted us in checking out leads.


There has been no evidence found to indicate foul play in her disappearance, and her emotional state of mind indicates she might have intentionally left this area, and does not want to be found.

On June 1, approximately 200 volunteers conducted a ground search of wooded areas, back roads, and rivers in this county. No evidence of Kathy was found.

I have been in contact with the agencies investigating the missing girls from the three colleges in Washington, and no evidence has been found to link Kathy's disappearance with those four girls. These agencies have assured us they will notify our department if any such evidence is found.

I will appreciate having a copy of your resume or news article for our files. Please feel free to contact either me or Director of Security, Amos Shaw, if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely yours,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University  
(503) 754-1473

WRH:jl

Enclosures



1117 Rahara Drive  
Lafayette, California 94549  
June 13, 1974

Mr. John T. Dolan, Sheriff  
Sheriff's Office, Benton County  
Corvallis, Oregon 97330

Dear Sheriff Dolan:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you, Deputy Sheriff Howard Becker of the County Search and Rescue Unit, William Harris of O.S.U. Campus Security, the Corvallis Police and all the individuals who gave their time on Saturday, June 1st in the organized search for my daughter, Roberta Kathleen Parks, who has mysteriously disappeared.

Regardless of the eventual outcome, my wife, Katherine, and I are very much aware and extremely appreciative of the continuing investigative efforts of the law enforcement agencies. We are particularly conscious and very thankful to the many private citizens of the S&R Unit and O.S.U. students who participated in the countywide area search.

Sincerely yours,

Charles E. Parks, Jr.

cc/ Deputy Sheriff Howard Becker  
Sheriff's Office, Benton County  
Corvallis, Oregon 97330

Mr. William Harris, Chief Investigator ✓  
Campus Security, O.S.U.  
Corvallis, Oregon 97331

Mr. Thomas S. Jenks, Editor  
Corvallis Gazette Times  
Corvallis, Oregon 97330

Our very special thanks to you, Mr. Harris, personally, for your very fine and continuing cooperation.

Sincerely,

*Charles E. Parks, Jr.*

Security Department  
May 17, 1974

Mr. Eddie Heisler  
P.O. Box 22183  
Portland, Oregon

Re: Missing co-ed at Oregon State University, ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS.

Mr. Heisler:

Here is the bulletin on the missing girl I discussed with you over the phone today. She took belly dancing lessons at OSU and indicated she might take a job dancing at a night club or Go Go club.

There is no evidence at this time to indicate foul play, and she may have just wanted to go it on her own as she was very depressed over school, her boyfriend and family. Her letters indicated she intended to go out on her own.

Our only concern, of course, is to determine if she is alive. If so, she is 20 years of age and can make her own decision as to where she prefers to live and work.

Please call us collect if you should receive any information as to her location. She is emotionally unstable and has possible suicidal tendencies.

Thanks for any assistance you can give us in this matter.

Sincerely,

*William R. Harris*  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University  
phone 754-1473



Campus Security

July 3, 1974

Sheriff Don Redmond  
Thurston County Sheriff's Office  
Olympia, Washington

Sheriff Redmond:

One of your deputies phoned me yesterday regarding the meeting set for today for a coordinated investigation of the four missing coeds from Washington. I was unable to attend the meeting due to the short notice, however, enclosed is a copy of our department's reports covering approximately the first two weeks of the investigation concerning the missing coed at Oregon State University, Roberta Kathleen Parks. As of this date, we have no positive leads to her present location.

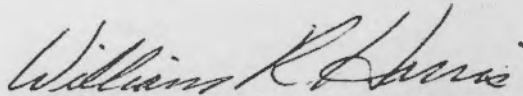
Kathy was a rather reserved girl who had few close friends during her year on this campus. She had very few dates here as her fiance was the only young man she was interested in. He is presently staying on campus and assisting us in checking out leads.

There has been no evidence found to indicate foul play in her disappearance, and her emotional state of mind at the time indicates she may have intentionally left this area and does not want to be found.

On June 1, approximately 200 volunteers conducted a search of this county, covering wooded areas, back roads and rivers. No evidence of Kathy was found.

Let me know if we can be of further assistance, and I wish you luck in your search for Donna Gail Manson. If you believe there is a connection between the missing girls in Washington and Kathy Parks from this university, please let me know.

Sincerely,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University  
Phone (503) 754-1473

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Security Department  
June 20, 1974

Detective G. Jelberg  
Seattle Police Department  
Room 529 Public Safety Building  
Seattle, Washington 98104

Detective Jelberg:

Attached is a copy of our department's reports covering approximately the first two weeks of the investigation concerning the missing coed, Roberta Kathleen Parks. Since that time we have checked out numerous other possible leads with negative results.

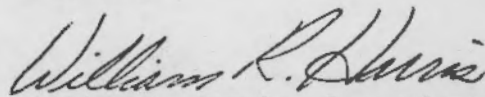
Kathy was a rather quiet girl who had few close friends during her year here at Oregon State University. She had very few dates here as her fiancé was the only boy she was truly interested in. He is now staying on campus and assisting us in checking out leads.

There has been no evidence found to indicate foul play in her disappearance, and her emotional state of mind indicates she might have intentionally left this area and does not want to be found. During the past school year which she has been a student of Oregon State University she has been receiving counseling at the OSU Health Center for emotional instability.

During the week end of June 1 and 2, 1974, approximately 200 volunteers conducted a ground search of this county, including wooded areas, back roads, and rivers. No evidence of Kathy was found.

Let me know if we can be of further assistance, and I wish you luck in your investigation.

Sincerely,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University  
Phone (503) 754-1473

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Campus Security  
May 30, 1974

Emil K. Moen, Chief  
720 Wall Street, P.O. Box 108  
Bend, Oregon 97701

Dear Sir:

On May 24th I received a telephone call from Mr. Ivan Korosh, owner and operator of the Redmond Taxi Company. He believes he saw the missing girl, Roberta Kathleen Parks, hitch hiking toward your city from Redmond on Highway 97 on May 20th. The girl whom he believed to be Kathy Parks was with another girl described as shorter and heavier. The girl fitting Kathy's description was dressed in slacks or jeans, had shoulder length brown hair, and was carrying a draw string type handbag. He described both girls as hippy appearing.

I have since sent copies of the enclosed poster to Mr. Koroush and the Redmond Police Department. I received another telephone call today, May 30th, from Mr. Koroush who advised that after looking at the picture of Kathy on this poster, he still believes she is the same girl he saw hitch hiking toward Bend on May 20th.

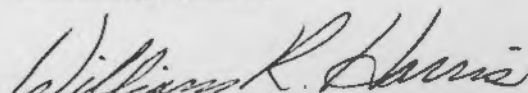
Since Kathy's disappearance at Oregon State University, we have given this as much publicity as possible, and distributed hundreds of these posters. We naturally have received many replys from persons reporting having seen girls resembling Kathy. Most of these reports, however, have been checked out and cleared.

I will appreciate any help you might give us in attempting to locate the girl that Mr. Koroush saw on Highway 97 at the south end of Redmond.

We have no evidence at this time that there was foul play involved in her disappearance, but there is no reasonable explanation why she would leave on her own without telling someone. She was a very emotionally unstable girl and had been receiving counseling at the mental health center on campus during the past year. We believe there is a possibility that she may have decided to lose herself and break all ties with friends and relatives. On the other hand, if she has been abducted, we can only wait for a lead to arise and continue to hope she is alive.

If you should receive any information that could be of assistance, please call me collect at O.S.U. Campus Security, phone 754-1473.

Sincerely yours,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University

Security Department  
May 17, 1974

Detective Vigna  
Portland Police Department  
222 S.W. Pine  
Portland, Oregon 97204

Re: Missing co-ed at Oregon State University, ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS

Detective Vigna:

Here are the photos of the girl (she goes by the name of Kathy) who has been missing from campus since May 6, 1974. Recent letters to her boyfriend indicate she wanted to go off by herself and live independently of family, her boyfriend, and present ties. She took belly dancing classes at OSU and indicated she would like to get a job dancing at a night club or "Go Go" joint.

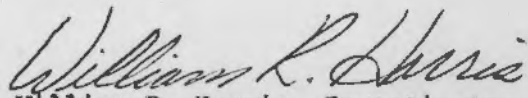
The full length photo shows her in the same clothes she was wearing when she disappeared. She took no luggage or toilet articles with her, and had less than \$10 at the time. She was very depressed at the time, due to her indecision of marriage with her boyfriend, Christy McPhee. This subject flew in from Louisiana to assist in locating her, and is presently staying on the campus. There is no evidence to indicate foul play at this time.

The girl is somewhat of a loner and very moody and emotional. She likes to smoke pot or hash and drink vodka. She has been receiving psychiatric counseling while she's been a student here the past year, and has had emotional problems since high school.

She was not familiar with the Portland area, however had been there on several occasions this year to go shopping. I believe there is a good possibility that she may have decided to just drop out and lose herself there. The psychiatrists who have talked to her say that she does have suicidal tendencies.

Thanks for any help you can give us.

Sincerely,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University  
Phone 754-1473

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks

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As I mentioned to you during our telephone conversation yesterday, Mr. Dale Dobbins contacted me at our office on Monday, June 3rd, and offered his assistance in searching for Kathy. I was very impressed with his demeanor and sincerity, and supplied him with several possible leads in the Portland area. I also gave him several of the missing person bulletins which he will post in areas where she was known to have visited.


As I previously mentioned, there has been absolutely no evidence, information or even a rumor received to indicate that foul play was involved in Kathy's disappearance. Since the county-wide search uncovered no evidence in this respect, we are continuing the investigation on the assumption that she is alive.

We continue to receive good response from the public with reports of individuals who believe they saw Kathy, or someone resembling her, in the states of Washington, Oregon, and California. Some of these are naturally very difficult to check out when the person waits several days to report a person resembling Kathy, with no information as to where that person can be located. Surprisingly, we have been successful in locating a number of these girls who have been reported to us, and several of them do resemble her fairly closely. It is encouraging that people are continuing to call in and make reports.

I will naturally keep you advised of any progress made, and will make it a point to call you at least twice a week. If something of importance should arise and I am unable to contact you at your home, I will notify your daughter, Sharon, and her husband at (415) 892-2323.

I was very pleased to learn that your health has been improving so rapidly, Mr. Parks, and I continue to be optimistic that we will have good news to report to both of you in the near future.

Very sincerely yours,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks  
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Campus Security

June 5, 1974

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks  
1117 Rahara Drive  
Lafayette, California 94549

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Parks:

I received your letter today with copies of correspondence with Patricia McNeil, receptionist for Dr. Donald B. Gwinner, dentist in Corvallis..

I learned from Mrs. McNeil that she has never met Kathy. However, on May 6th. prior to 4 p.m., a young lady identifying herself as Kathy telephoned her at the office to cancel her dental appointment scheduled for 4:30 p.m. on May 8th. Mrs. McNeil described the girl's voice as sounding "rather meek and complacent." The girl was, however, very insistent about cancelling her May 8th. appointment, as she was returning home to her regular dentist. Mrs. McNeil is uncertain, but she believes that Kathy also said she would not be in this area on May 8th. I naturally questioned Mrs. McNeil at length about Kathy having made this remark as it would obviously indicate she intended to leave this area prior to May 8th, but Mrs. McNeil could not be certain if Kathy did say this or if she indicated when she intended to leave Corvallis.

Enclosed is a copy of our department's reports covering approximately the first two weeks of this investigation. Since that time, numerous other possible leads have been received and checked out with negative results. All of this information will be the subject of supplemental reports which I will forward to you when they have been completed.

I believe the county-wide search on June 1st. was well organized and thoroughly completed by volunteers from the Oregon State University student body and the Search and Rescue Unit of the Benton County Sheriff's Department. I have enclosed a packet which was distributed to each member of the search party. Deputy Sheriff Howard Becker, who coordinated the search, is at this time preparing his report which I will send you a copy when it has been completed. Although there was no evidence of Kathy's location found during the search, this is encouraging to me that she is still alive as no evidence has thus far been found to indicate otherwise.

The news media has given us good coverage on television, radio, and in the newspapers. I've enclosed a few of the news articles and apologize for not having secured all that have been printed.



Campus Security  
May 23, 1974

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Parks:

I have notified the Oregon State University Department of Information of the additional \$1,000 reward offered for information leading to a personal contact with Kathy. They are now in the process of contacting United Press and Associated Press for the purpose of broadcasting this information again, and making a plea for assistance from the public.

I intend to again conduct a search of her room for any clue she may have left as to her destination. If she is not located by the end of school, her belongings will be inventoried and stored at the University until they are eventually mailed to you.

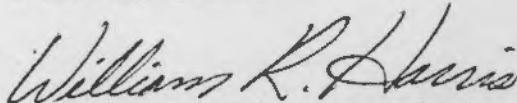
We intend to pursue this investigation until Kathy is located, regardless of how long it may take. I feel optimistic that she is alive as the vast majority of all homicide victims are found within a very short period of time. However, we are continuing to investigate every possible reason for her disappearance.

The numerous people we have interviewed thus far has mitigated the possibility that she took her own life. Although she was, in fact, very depressed when she was last seen by a friend, Miss Lorraine Fargo, Kathy stated that she just felt like being alone, taking a walk, and trying to straighten things out in her mind.

As I mentioned to you over the phone, we have contacted the Spokane Police Department and alerted them as to the possibility that Kathy may attempt to contact Susan at the World's Fair during the weekend of May 25th. Members from this department will be looking for Kathy at the Fair, and Susan will be contacted for any information she may have.

We are continuing to pursue any possible leads to Kathy's location, and we will keep you advised of any progress.

Sincerely yours,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator

WRH:jl

Security Department  
June 19, 1974

Cheryl Schmeizer  
Campus Police  
Central Washington State College  
Ellensburg, Washington 98926

Officer Schmeizer:

Attached is a copy of our department's reports covering approximately the first two weeks of the investigation concerning the missing coed, Roberta Kathleen Parks. Since that time we have checked out numerous other possible leads with negative results.

Kathy was a rather quiet girl who had few close friends during her year here at Oregon State University. She had very few dates here as her fiance was the only boy she was truly interested in. He is now staying on campus and assisting us in checking out leads.

There has been no evidence found to indicate foul play in her disappearance, and her emotional state of mind indicates she might have intentionally left this area and does not want to be found.

During the week end of June 1 and 2, 1974, approximately 200 volunteers conducted a ground search of this county, including wooded areas, back roads, and rivers. No evidence of Kathy was found.

Let me know if we can be of further assistance, and I wish you luck in your search for Susan Elaine Rancourt.

Sincerely,

William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University  
Phone (503) 754-1473

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CENTRAL WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE  
Campus Police Department

ELLENSBURG, WASHINGTON  
98926

June 13, 1974

TO: Campus Police Chief or  
Director of Security

On April 17, 1974, at approximately 10:00 pm, Susan Elaine Rancourt left a meeting on Campus presumably enroute to her living quarters, alone on Campus and about 1/4 mile away. She has not been seen since. All her personal property, including glasses, contact lenses, identification, money, check book, clothing, etc. are intact in her room.

She was an excellent student and extremely careful about her habits, friends, and contacts. Her disappearance is completely out of character and foul play is definitely suspected.

Similar disappearances have occurred at the following colleges to our knowledge:

Linda Ann Healy from the University of Washington, Seattle,  
Washington on 1-31-74;

Donna Gail Manson from the Evergreen College, Olympia;  
Washington on 3-12-74;

Roberta Kathleen Parks from the Oregon State University ,  
Corvallis, Oregon on 5-6-74.

Similarities in the above disappearances include: all four females are WFA; 18-21 years of age; and are considered attractive. They all were attending colleges located on or near an interstate highway. All disappeared during evening hours, telling no one and taking no personal belongings.

It is requested that any additional college having cases that would appear to fit this pattern contact the undersigned and send a copy of their case report.

Chief A. H. Pickles  
Campus Police Department  
Ellensburg, WA 98926  
(collect 509-963-2958)  
( or 509-963-1111)

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CENTRAL WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE  
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ELLENSBURG, WASHINGTON  
98926

June 11, 1974

████████ William R. Harris

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Oregon State University  
Corvallis, Oregon 97331

Dear Sgt. Harris:

Could you send me some more information concerning the girl who is missing from your Campus, Roberta Kathleen Parks. I would appreciate information as to her personal habits, friends, etc.

Anything that you can send me will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

*Cheryl Schmeizer*

Cheryl Schmeizer  
Campus Police



INVENTORY OF PERSONAL BELONGINGS OF ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS

On the morning of June 13, 1974, William R. Harris, Investigator, and Amos Shaw, Director of Security, removed the following items from room 325 Sackett Hall "B" which was occupied by Kathy Parks. These items are presently stored at the OSU Campus Security Office in Gill Coliseum.

A total of 62 letters, most of which are from Chris McPhee to Kathy. Five of these letters arrived since her disappearance.

Seven envelopes containing bank statements and cancelled checks from Citizen's Bank, Corvallis, in the name of Kathy Parks.

One savings account book, Lafayette Federal Savings, Lafayette, California, in the name of Kathy Parks, showing the most recently withdrawal on January 4, 1974, of \$16 with a balance of \$44.87.

Three statements from OSU Department of Housing to Kathy Parks with a balance due of \$309.

One cardboard box containing six books of personalized checks from Citizen's Bank of Corvallis in the name of Kathy Parks.

One OSU 1973 General Information Booklet.

One wedding invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Tornow and Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Sutrow, announcing the marriage of Kathryn Colman and Thomas Michael on May 4, 1974, in Walnut Creek, California.

Miscellaneous handwritten notes for school work.

One grade report from the OSU Registrar's Office for Winter Term for 1974, showing subjects taken by Kathy as: Basic Drawing, First Year Spanish, Personal Development, and Scuba Diving.

Two drawings in pencil made and signed by initial "C" McPhee.

Cardboard box containing approximately one dozen blank envelopes.

Statement from Dr. Franklin A. Rosumny, dentist, for \$47 showing the next appointment for Kathy scheduled for 4:30 p.m., May 8, 1974.

A grade transcript, Diablo Valley College, Pleasant Hill, California, September 13, 1973.

One envelope containing 79 photographs and several 35 millimeter negatives

Twenty-three pencils.

Four ball point pens.

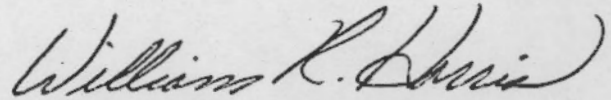
Two erasers.

Two single edged razor blades.

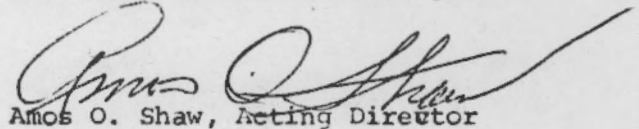
One bottle of India ink.

Page 5 - Inventory of personal belongings of Roberta Kathleen Parks

one bicycle, of following description: make: Steyr, color: green, license #: 31149, serial # 116851, type: girls, 3 speeds, has basket on front. (Note: bike is presently in possession of Chris McPhee, Kathy's boyfriend, disposition of bike will be made by Kathy's parents after Chris leaves campus.)



William R. Harris, Investigator



Amos O. Shaw, Acting Director



One paper clamp.

One tire patching kit.

Two clear glass wine glasses.

One pair of sunglasses.

One glass paper weight green in color and round in shape.

One pair scissors.

One red clay tea pot.

One instamatic x-15 Kodak camera.

One plastic box of 35 millimeter colored slides.

One pair of white shoelaces.

Three 8 cent postage stamps.

One package of lozenges.

One small package of picture hangers.

One large wicker basket full of clean clothing. One pair of shoes, and one belt. Also one set of drapes.

One biege colored blanket.

One multi-colored quilt.

One tan colored suitcase, brand name is Tourister, full of women's clothing.

One blue flowered plastic overnight bag, empty.

One black suitcase, brand name is Starflite, full of women's clothing.

One small canvas-type multi-colored suitcase full of women's clothing. Has zippered pocket on side.

One cardboard box containing assorted pairs of women's shoes, also a paper sack containing a sack of sugar, a bottle of catsup, a bottle of mustard, and a box of salt. Also in the same box is one box of Fab laundry detergent.

Six building blocks decorative type approximately 12 inches square used to make a book shelf.

Four common red bricks in cardboard box with coat hanger.

One portable panasonic stereo set equipped with speakers and AM-FM radio built in. It's model SG-674, no serial number visible.

One clock radio, General Electric brand, equipped in a white plastic case.

One cardboard box containing assorted pots and pans, and electric steam iron. Also a scuba diving skin mask and a Turbo brand snorkel. Also a Westclox alarm clock. Electric portable lamp with 40 watt bulb attached an extension cord.

One Sunbeam brand toaster equipped for two slices of bread.

One upright table lamp equipped with white shade. The lamp itself is approximately 18 inches in height, decorative type, made of plaster.

One red colored umbrella.

One cardboard box containing one small wicker basket full of sewing material, (thread, needles, and etc.) Plastic bowls and dishes, miscellaneous cooking material, salt shaker, pepper shaker, can opener, and paper plates.

Wooden two-tiered end table, brown in color and square.

Six red stained boards approximately four feet in length. These were used to assemble book shelf with the bricks that have been previously described.

One full length red colored bath robe.

One camel hair light tan colored coat.

One blue plastic rainjacket.

One navy blue wool full length woman's coat.

Three multi-colored woman's dresses.

One orange plastic OSU Bookstore sack containing the following items: One Westclox alarm clock, miscellaneous bottles and jars of face cream and toilet articles. Also two rolls of toilet paper.

One rust colored wool blanket.

One white colored cardboard box containing miscellaneous magazines.

Cardboard box containing the following items:

Eighty-six paper back novels

Four paper back books on University subjects.

Assorted hand written pages on the Origin and History of Belly Dancing.

One spiral type notebook containing numerous sheets of blank notebook paper.

One University paper back book on the "Cognitizely Oriented Curriculum."

One paper back book on "Astrology Made Simple,"

One paper back book entitled "One Family,"

One packet of blank notebook paper.

One blue colored spiral notebook containing notes on Hinduism and World Religion.

One dark gray colored three ring spiral folder on "Food and Man."

One green colored notebook containing school notes.

One blue three ring folder which is empty.

One three ring notebook white in color containing school material and hand written notes on the subject of "Scuba Diving." Also in this same box are the following hardback books:



1. Old English Ballads
  2. Golden Treasury of Songs and Lyrics
  3. New Hudson Shakesphere
  4. A novel entitled "My Cousin Rachel."
  5. Very old book from the Sacramento Public Library, entitled "Cyril Hamilton; His Adventures by Sea and Land."
  6. The Prophet
  7. Collected Poems of Robert Frost
  8. Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam
  9. The Prose and Poetry of John Milton
  10. Chinese Fairy Tales
  11. Flower Thoughts
  12. The Indispensable Edgar Allen Poe
  13. Wuthering Heights
  14. One orange colored OSU plastic bookstore sack containing miscellaneous toilet articles: soap, bottle of rubbing alcohol, string, shampoo, and several packages of Salem cigarettes. Also in this bag one plastic sack of cotton balls.
- The following two empty plastic bottles with the following prescriptions.
- #1. Prescription number 141390, Dr. Wilson, Demerol tablets 50 mg. Prescribed for - take one every four hours as needed for severe pain, for Miss Roberta Parks, December 17, 1973. Good Samaritan Hospital Pharmacy, Corvallis.
- #2. Empty bottle. Prescription number 141391, Dr. Wilson, Tylenol, 325 mg. Instructions are: take two tablets every four hours as needed for pain. For Miss Roberta Parks, dated December 17, 1973. Good Samaritan Hospital Pharmacy.

Cardboard box containing the following items:

- Eight brass hand clickers to be used in her dancing.
- One small ash tray.
- One pair scissors.
- Several sea shells
- One set of book ends.
- One paper sack containing a dress making pattern and blue material.
- One brown coffee cup.
- Thirty-one long playing record albums.
- One wooden ruler.
- One paper sack containing approximately a dozen abalone sea shells and clam shells.
- One yellow plastic sack containing numerous feminine hygiene material.
- One bicycle flashlight used to attach to rider's leg.
- One wooden seven-drawer jewelry case containing miscellaneous costume jewelry.
- One table lamp with chrome plate glass base and small white colored shade.

Cardboard box containing the following items:

- One clear plastic zipper bag.
- Two wooden ornamental wall plaques with designs made from multi-colored thread and string.
- Two pictures made from cardboard; one equipped with a black wooden frame.
- One cardboard box full of miscellaneous type clothes hangers.
- One flowered colored box containing miscellaneous photographs, paintings, blankets, a wall mirror - approximately 8 x 10 inches in diameter. A gray colored shawl like you wear over your shoulders, and miscellaneous items of cloth.
- One wall mirror with wooden frame. Mirror measures approximately four feet in height and approximately 14 inches in width.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
VITAL STATISTICS SECTION

## CERTIFIED COPY OF DEATH CERTIFICATE

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS									
LOCAL FILE NUMBER <b>9968</b>					STATE FILE NUMBER				
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH									
DECEASED—NAME			SEX			DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)			
1. <b>ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS</b>			2. <b>Female</b>			3. <b>Unknown LSA 5-6-1974</b>			
RACE WHITE, NEGRO, AMERICAN INDIAN, ETC. (SPECIFY)		AGE—LAST BIRTHDAY (YEARS)		UNDER 1 YEAR		DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)		COUNTY OF DEATH	
4. <b>White</b>		5a. <b>20</b>		5b. <b>No</b>		6. <b>2/27/1954</b>		7a. <b>King</b>	
CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DEATH			INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO)			HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION—NAME (IF NOT IN EITHER, GIVE STREET AND NUMBER)			
8. <b>Unknown. Bones recovered here. Issaquah</b>			9. <b>No</b>			10. <b>4 miles South of I 90 on Highway 18?</b>			
STATE OF BIRTH (IF NOT IN U.S.A., NAME COUNTRY)		CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY		MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY)		SURVIVING SPOUSE (IF WIFE, GIVE MAIDEN NAME)			
11. <b>Ohio</b>		12. <b>USA</b>		13. <b>Never Married</b>		14. <b>1117 Rahara Drive</b>			
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER		USUAL OCCUPATION (GIVE KIND OF WORK DONE DURING MOST OF WORKING LIFE, EVEN IF RETIRED)				KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY			
15. <b>California</b>		16. <b>Student</b>				17. <b>Yes</b>			
RESIDENCE—STATE		COUNTY		CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION		INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO)		STREET AND NUMBER	
18. <b>California</b>		19. <b>Contra Costa</b>		20. <b>Lafayette</b>		21. <b>Yes</b>		22. <b>1117 Rahara Drive</b>	
FATHER—NAME			MOTHER—MAIDEN NAME						
23. <b>Charles Parks</b>			24. <b>Parks</b>						
INFORMANT—NAME					MAILING ADDRESS				
25. <b>King Co. Medical Examiner Case #10868</b>					26. <b>100 Crockett Street, Seattle, Wash. 98109</b>				
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY (ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a), (b), AND (c))									
18. IMMEDIATE CAUSE									
7969									
(a) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF									
(b) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF									
(c) <b>Bones recovered 3-3-75, identified 3-7-75.</b>									
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS (CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE GIVEN IN PART I (a))									
27. <b>ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, HOMICIDE, OR UNDETERMINED (SPECIFY)</b>									
DATE OF INJURY (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)		HOUR		HOW INJURY OCCURRED (ENTER NATURE OF INJURY IN PART I OR PART II, ITEM 18)					
28. <b>206</b>		29. <b>M</b>		30. <b>206</b>					
INJURY AT WORK (SPECIFY YES OR NO)		PLACE OF INJURY AT HOME, FARM, STREET, FACTORY, OFFICE BLDG., ETC. (SPECIFY)		LOCATION (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE)					
31. <b>206</b>		32. <b>201</b>		33. <b>206</b>					
CERTIFICATION—PHYSICIAN: I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM		MONTH DAY YEAR		MONTH DAY YEAR		AND LAST SAW HIM/HER ALIVE ON		I DID/DID NOT VIEW THE BODY AFTER DEATH	
34. <b>216</b>		35. <b>216</b>		36. <b>216</b>		37. <b>216</b>		38. <b>216</b>	
CERTIFICATION—CORONER: ON THE BASIS OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE BODY AND/OR THE INVESTIGATION, IN MY OPINION, DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE AND DUE TO THE CAUSE(S) STATED.									
39. <b>27a</b>									
CERTIFIER—NAME (TYPE) <b>DONALD T. REAY, M.D.</b>					SIGNATURE				
40. <b>DEPUTY CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER</b>					41. <b>3-14-1975</b>				
MAILING ADDRESS—CERTIFIER					STREET OR R.F.D. NO.				
42. <b>100 Crockett Street, Seattle, Wash. 98109</b>					43. <b>100 Crockett Street, Seattle, Wash. 98109</b>				
BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (SPECIFY)		CEMETERY OR CREMATORY—NAME		LOCATION		CITY OR TOWN		STATE	
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DATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)		FUNERAL HOME—NAME AND ADDRESS		STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP					
49. <b>24d</b>		50. <b>24e</b>		51. <b>24f</b>		52. <b>24g</b>		53. <b>24h</b>	
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54. <b>24i</b>					55. <b>24j</b>				
					DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR				
					56. <b>MAR 28 1975</b>				

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is a true, full and correct copy of the original Certificate of Death on file in this office.

Lawrence Bergner, M.D. Director of Public Health

By

Seattle, Wash.

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# Staff Newsletter

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## *Saturday dedication due Nash Hall*

The building that houses the Department of Microbiology and the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife will officially be named Nash Hall Saturday at a 2 p.m. dedication program. "Bioscience" has been the unofficial name up to now.

Nash Hall was completed in 1970 at a total cost of \$3,780,000.

Speakers for the program in Nash Hall 206 will include Wilbur T. Cooney, dean of agriculture; Robert W. Krauss, dean of science; Betty E. Hawthorne, dean of home economics; and J. Kenneth Mumford, director of publications. Roy Young, university vice president, will make the formal dedication. Charles Warren, acting head of fisheries and wildlife, will conduct the program and Paul E. Elliker, chairman of microbiology, will give a response following the dedication.

Wallis Nash, for whom the building is named, was a member of the institution's first board of regents, 1884-1898, and secretary of the board for six years. A British-born lawyer, naturalist, musician, artist and writer, he was an early advocate of the land grant system of public education. At one time the Nash home was situated where Waldo Hall now stands. Through Charles Darwin, his close personal friend, Nash brought Henry Moseley, naturalist of the famed round-the-world Challenger Expedition, to survey the agricultural, forest and marine resources of Oregon.

Three books by Nash helped tell the story of Oregon across the nation and in many places of the world. They were entitled: Oregon, There and Back in 1877; Two Years in Oregon; and A Lawyer's Life on Two Continents. Born in 1837, Nash died in 1926 near Nashville, the western Oregon community named for him.

## *State Health Plan costs to increase*

State employe Blue Cross contracts will increase in price effective July 1, 1974. This means that for most subscribers there will be an increase in the premiums. This is the result of inflation and a higher volume of claims by employes and their families.

The rates listed below will be the out-of-pocket expense to an employe:

	Plan I		Plan II		Plan III	
	OLD	NEW	OLD	NEW	OLD	NEW
Employee	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.66
Employee & Spouse	12.31	17.44	4.82	8.59	16.69	22.62
Employee & Children	7.88	12.22	1.99	5.25	13.47	18.82
Employee, Spouse & Children	23.19	30.32	13.06	18.34	30.68	39.16

The open enrollment period (for a July 1, 1974, effective date) for enrolling, changing plans, or adding dependents will be:

9 month Academic-April 29 to May 15, 1974; all other Employees-May 15 to June 14, 1974

## *25-Year list being compiled*

Staff members who have completed 25 years or more of service to the university will be honored May 23 at a 7 p.m. dessert in the Memorial Union Ballroom. Invitations will be mailed before May 7. Eligible persons who do not receive an invitation by then are asked to notify John A. Haytas, x1121, Dept. of Budgets and Personnel Services, so the list is made complete and accurate.



# Calendar of events

## Seminars

### Friday, April 26

Dr. Sonia Buist, Div. of Chest Diseases, Univ. of Oregon Medical School, "High Altitude Pulmonary Medical Problems," Stewart Aud., Peavy, 3 p.m.  
Dr. Herbert Hultgren, Dir. Cardiovascular Lab., Stanford Univ. Medical School, "High Altitude Cardiovascular Medical Problems," Stewart Aud., Peavy, 7:30 p.m.

### Monday, April 29

Capt. Tor Richter, Medical Corps, U.S. Navy, "Navy Careers in the Health Sciences," NROTC Armory, 9:30 a.m.  
and  
"Fitness to Dive," MU 105, 12:30 p.m.  
Dr. James L. Tuck, Univ. of Wash. physics, "A Broad Look at the World Energy Problem," Weniger 153, 3:30 p.m.  
James Kezer, Univ. of Oregon biology, "Lampbrush Chromosomes and Their Nucleoli," Cordley 1045, 4 p.m.  
Dr. Dahsoong Yue, Univ. of Calif., Los Angeles, "Social Economic Implications of Nuclear Energy," Dearborn 115, 4:30 p.m. (nuclear, electrical and computer engr. seminar)  
Dr. G. Schroder, Institut Fur Organische Chemie Der Universitat Karlsruhe, Germany, "The Cyclooctatetraene Route to Higher Membered Annulenes," Gilbert 101, 4:30 p.m. (Pacific Coast Lectureship)  
Walter L. Bell, OSU general science, "The Analytical Society: The Introduction of Leibnitz' Calculus into England," Weniger 285, 4 p.m. (Ph.D. seminar)  
Dr. P.E. Kolattukudy, Wash. State agricultural chemistry, "Structure and Biosynthesis of Hydroxy Fatty Acid Biopolymers," Weniger 149, 4 p.m. (changed from April 26)

### Tuesday, April 30

Dr. Ronald M. Case, "Bioenergetics of the Bobwhite Quail," Nash 214, 3:30 p.m. (fisheries and wildlife seminar)  
Capt. Tor Richter, Medical Corps, U.S. Navy, "Human Engineering of Diving Equipment," Oceanography II-176, 3:30 p.m.  
Emery N. Castle, OSU Dean of Graduate School, "Agricultural Production and Energy," Weniger 149, 3:30 p.m. (Energy Related Seminar)  
Dr. S. Barnett, Univ. of Bradford, England, visiting at the Univ. of Calgary, "Some Applications of the Kronecker Matrix Product," Kidder 263, 4 p.m. (mathematics colloquium)

### Wednesday, May 1

Dr. Jeffrey Lee, Environmental Protection Agency, Corvallis, "Ecosystem Models--Uses and Abuses," Nash 204, 3:30 p.m. (graduate seminar, fisheries and wildlife)

### Thursday, May 2

Dr. James McMurtry, Univ. of Calif., Riverside, biological control, "Management of Spider Mites in Southern California," Cordley 1045, 3:30 p.m. (entomology seminar)  
Virgil H. Freed, OSU ag. chemistry, "Man in a Chemical World: Essaying a Perspective," Wiegand 106, 4 p.m. (The Many Face(s) of Agriculture) (continued)

## This Week

### Friday, April 26

--Biology Colloquium, "Chromosomes from Simple to Complex," HEA, also April 27  
--Student Recital, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.  
--Faculty Women's Club lunch, Robert Walls, "Through Europe on a Song, Chapter II," MU 109, 12:30 p.m.  
--Baseball: Washington, 3 p.m.\*  
--Women's Softball: Univ. of Oregon, 3:30 p.m.  
--Tennis: Univ. of Oregon, 3 p.m.  
--Student Recital, Bret Godfrey and John Abrahamson, HEA, 8 p.m.

### Saturday, April 27

--Baseball: Washington, 1 p.m. (doubleheader)  
--Dedication of Nash Hall, 2 p.m., Nash 206  
--Hawaiian Luau, MU Ballroom, 6 p.m.\*  
--4-H Style Show, HEA, 8 p.m.

### Sunday, April 28

--Square Dance, MU Ballroom, 2-5 p.m.  
--Music at 3, Horner Museum  
--"A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," with Pat Conner, and Hendrik Oorthys, OSU; Steve Hokenson, Oregon State Penitentiary on "Corrections," Westminster House, 5:30 p.m. (supper); 6:30 p.m. (forum).

### Tuesday, April 30

Speaker: Tor Richter, Medical Corps, U.S. Navy, "Look Out Below: Medical Aspects of Diving," Cordley 1109, 8 p.m.  
--Modern Languages Play, HEA, 7 p.m.

### Wednesday, May 1

--Administrative Council, AdS, 3 p.m.  
--Sigma Xi Banquet, MU Ballroom, 5:30 p.m.  
--Friends of Chamber, "Amadeus Quartet," HEA, 8 p.m.\*\*

### Thursday, May 2

--Faculty Senate, Withycombe 101, 3:30 p.m.  
--Speaker: Johnson Menninick, member of Yakima Confederate Tribes and Bands, "Columbia River Indian Fishery," Wilkinson Aud., 7 p.m.

### Friday, May 3 MOMS WEEKEND

--Structural Engineers, Apperson (100)+  
--No. Div. Golf Championships, Corvallis Country Club  
--Chicano Student Fashion Show, HEA, 8 p.m.  
--Concert: B. B. King, GC, 8 p.m.\*  
--Faculty Women's Club lunch, Sheldon Meyer, "Preparation for Retirement," MU 109, 12:30 p.m.

### Saturday, May 4 MOMS WEEKEND

--"Steinbeck and the Sea," Marine Science Center Aud., Newport  
--Sheep and Wool Day, Withycombe 101, (150)+  
--ROTC Drill Competition, GC, 8 a.m.-noon  
--Crew: Mother's Weekend Regatta, Willamette River, 10 a.m.  
--Judo tournament and clinic, WB, 11 a.m.  
--Tennis: NW All Stars, 11 a.m.  
--Turtle Races, GC, 3-5 p.m.  
--IFC Sing, GC, 8 p.m.\*

AdS--Administrative Services MPH--Mitchell Playhouse  
GC--Gill Coliseum MU--Memorial Union  
HEA--Home Ec Auditorium WB--Womens Building  
+ Estimated Attendance; \* Admission Charged;  
\*\* Admission by Membership Only.

### Thursday, May 2 (See also continued)

George W. Churchill, Dir. Willamette River Parks System, Salem, "Status of Greenway Project," Weniger 149, 1:30 p.m. (WRRI series)  
Dr. Lyle Brown, OSU microbiology, "RNA Polymerase Mutants in *Bacillus Subtilis*," Withycombe 209, 3:30 p.m. (genetics seminar)  
C. G. Sahasrabudde, OSU biochemistry and biophysics, "Physico-Chemical Studies on the Structure of Eukaryotic Chromatin," Weniger 151, 9:30 a.m. (Ph.D. seminar, biochemistry and biophysics)  
Dr. Curtis Collins, IDOE/NSF, "Plume Interaction and Combined Buoyancy Mechanics in Flows," Oceanography II-76, 4 p.m.

### Friday, May 3

Dr. David Coombs, Molecular Biology Institute, UCLA, "The Morphogenesis of Head-to-Toe Attachment in Phage T-4," Weniger 149, 4 p.m. (biochemistry and biophysics seminar)

## Next Week

--"A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," May 5, Westminster House, 5:30 p.m. (supper); 6:30 p.m. (forum)  
--Fairbanks Art Exhibit, OSU Student Show, May 6-June 8  
--Baseball: OTI, May 6, 2 p.m.\*  
--Women's Tennis: Univ. of Ore., May 8, 3:30 p.m.  
--Tennis: Univ. of B.C., May 8, 3 p.m.  
--Speaker: Dr. Chalmers Johnson, political science, Univ. of Calif., May 8, Stewart Aud., Peavy, 8 p.m.  
--MU Senior Art Show, May 9-29  
--Speaker: Jim Redden, May 9, MU Lounge, noon  
--Speaker: R. Barry Fisher, May 9, Wilkinson Aud., 7 p.m.  
--Concert: Klemi Hambourg, May 9, HEA, 8 p.m.  
--OSU Theatre: "Oliver," May 10-11, MPH, 8:15 p.m.\*  
--Annual American Soc. of Eng. Ed., Withycombe (150)+ May 10-11  
--Student Recital, May 10, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.  
--Baseball: Univ. of Oregon, May 10, 3 p.m.\*  
--Faculty Women's Club lunch, May 10, MU, noon

## CONFERENCE PHONE; DIRECTORIES AVAILABLE

The Communications Service Department is making available the use of a Conference Phone arrangement to faculty and staff. The arrangement has a wide variety of uses for teaching as well as conference-type calls. For information call Chris Moore, x3237.  
New telephone directories for Portland and Springfield-Engene are available in the Communications office. Please pick them up at AdS 100.

## RECEPTION FOR DORRIS PUGSLEY

The University community is invited to a reception honoring Miss Dorris M. Pugsley on Tuesday, April 30 from 2 to 4 p.m. in the President's conference room, AdS A622D.  
Since July 1966, Miss Pugsley has served as secretary to the Dean of Faculty. She retires on April 30 after completing close to nine years of effective service on the staff of Oregon State University.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR CLASSIFIED STAFF

These positions offer present or future promotion opportunities for classified employees at OSU. Employees who have successfully taken the appropriate exam are being given consideration in accord with their promotional ranking on the State Personnel Division certificate. The purpose of this announcement is to encourage employees who are interested in promotion opportunities to apply for the appropriate agency promotional exam if they have not done so. For applications and information, see the bulletin boards or Employment Office Staff, AdS B122.

### Current Vacancies

Architectural Consultant 1  
Computer Operator 1\*, 2\*  
Experimental Biology Tech 2\*  
Farmer\*\*\*  
Lab Assistant 1\*  
Lab Technician 1  
Management Analyst 1\*  
Microbiologist 2  
Radiation Specialist 2  
Scientific Instrument Tech 1, 2\*  
Senior Programmer\*\*  
Software Specialist\*  
System Specialist  
Accounting Clerk 1, 2  
Clerk 2T\*, 3T\*  
Secretary 2T\*, 2S\*, 3T\*, 3S\*, 4S\*  
\*Open Competitive Exam  
Secretary 5  
Lab Technician 3  
\*\*Agency Promotion Exam  
Business Manager 2  
\*\*\* Applications accepted

## EPA RESEARCH CENTER HOSTS OPEN HOUSE

On Saturday, April 27, EPA's National Environmental Research Center in Corvallis will hold an open house in conjunction with the national observance of "Earth Week--74." The hours will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Guests are being invited to meet members of the staff and tour two of the laboratories, the Pacific Northwest Environmental Research Laboratory and the National Ecological Research Laboratory.

The open house will include the following continuous presentations:  
--A general briefing on the missions of EPA, with emphasis on environmental research.  
--Slide-talk presentation on research by the National Ecological Research Laboratory.  
--Tours of the National Ecological Research Laboratory.

--Slide-talk presentation on salmon and trout research at the Western Fish Toxicology Station.  
--Demonstrations of tests to determine oxygen content of water samples.  
--Tour of the Pacific Northwest Environmental Research Laboratory.  
--Demonstrations in the Word Processing Center.  
--Tour and demonstrations in EPA's Computer Center, through which scientists have access to vast computer systems across the country.  
--Showings of two popular environmental films, "The Gifts" (on the hour), and "Air Is for Breathing" (on the half-hour).  
--Environmental literature and other free materials will be available on request at the door.



## The Faculty Senate

The May meeting of the Faculty Senate is scheduled Thursday, May 2, 3:30 p.m. in Withycombe 101. All faculty members and other interested persons are invited to attend.

The agenda:

- Election of Faculty Panel for Faculty Hearing Committees (See March 29 Staff Newsletter, p. 88).
- Report of the Nominations Committee--B. H. Wilkins. Two nominees for the one position of Inter-institutional Faculty Senate representative, to serve June 1, 1974-May 31, 1977, (replacing Robert McMahon), include G. Jeannette A. Masilionis, Physical Education; and Dale E. Kirk, Agricultural Engineering. Additional nominations may be made from the floor, with the election to be conducted by on-campus faculty mail ballot.
- Report of the Bylaws Committee--H. Freund.
- Report of the University Traffic Committee (Report on Parking)--H. F. Horton.
- Reports from the Executive Committee and from the Executive Office.

### RETIREMENT DINNER FOR PROF. A. D. HUGHES

Professor A. D. Hughes, Mechanical and Metallurgical Engineering, will be honored at a retirement dinner Wednesday evening, May 15, 1974, at the Toa Yuen restaurant at 7 p.m. Persons wishing to attend should call the Office of Planning and Institutional Research, x2001, to make reservations.

### THEFT OF POCKET CALCULATORS ON THE RISE

Since September of 1973 the OSU Campus Security department has received nineteen reports of stolen pocket calculators on campus. This has amounted to a \$4,700 loss. Most of the thefts occur in academic buildings when the calculator has been left on a desk top in an unlocked office while the occupants are absent for brief periods of time. The remainder have been stolen from unlocked dormitory rooms usually under the same circumstances. The two most popular brands which are being stolen are Hewlett-Packard and Texas Instrument.

Campus Security director, Bill Harris, notes that identification of these calculators is difficult, as the serial numbers provided by the factory are quite often placed in or on the machine with an adhesive strip of paper which is easily removed by the thief. It is recommended that the items owned by the University be engraved "OSU" combined with the inventory number or department name. Personal items should be engraved with the owner's driver's license number, preceded by the state of issue, such as "ODL" (Oregon Driver's License).

Harris stresses that the important thing to keep in mind is to engrave the item so that it can be traced back to the owner with the least amount of difficulty. In addition, the serial number of the item should be recorded and reported to the campus security without delay in event of theft or loss.

If at all possible these and other small, valuable items should be locked up when left unattended. A desk or filing cabinet equipped with a lock should be adequate. In addition, desk top locking devices for pocket calculators are available at the OSU Bookstore. The calculator can be operated while secured in the locking cradle which is anchored to the desk top, and may be removed with a key.

For further information contact Bill Harris, Crime Prevention Office, 223 Gill Coliseum, x1473.

### MEDICAL PROBLEMS AT HIGH ALTITUDE

Medical problems encountered by mountain climbers, backpackers and others at high altitudes will be discussed by two medical doctors at a public seminar Friday.

The seminar will be in Peavy Hall Auditorium, with talks scheduled at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. The seminar, free to the public, is sponsored by the OSU Division of Health and Physical Education.

Dr. Sonia Buist, specialist in chest diseases at University of Oregon Medical School, will speak at 3 p.m. on "High Altitude Pulmonary Medical Problems."

The evening speaker will be Dr. Herbert Hultgren, director of the Cardiovascular Laboratory at Stanford University Medical School, who will discuss "High Altitude Cardiovascular Medical Problems."

High altitude medical problems can begin as low as 7,000 feet with symptoms of "mountain sickness" in persons who are in poor physical condition, according to Pat O'Shea of the OSU Department of Physical Education who will moderate the seminar.

Symptoms of mountain sickness include insomnia and loss of appetite. At 12,000 feet, O'Shea said, mountain sickness and other high altitude medical problems begin to surface, even in persons in good physical condition.

Buist has done research on high altitude pulmonary medical problems at the White Mountain Research Station in California.

Hultgren, a backpacker and mountain climber, has done research for 15 years in the Peruvian Andes, studying cardiovascular problems of both natives and climbers. The chairman of the Medical Committee of the American Alpine Club, he has written some 30 research papers on high altitude medical problems.

### BOERSMA NEW HEAD OF CENTURY CLUB

Larry Boersma, professor of soils, has been elected president of the OSU Century Club for 1974-75.

The Century Club was formed in 1933, with a goal of 100 members, to help promote the university and attract students. Affiliated with the Corvallis Area Chamber of Commerce, it supports varied university-related projects for which other funding is not available, such as mailings to prospective students, minority student programs, and statewide programs of university musical organizations, summer theater, etc.

Herman C. Forslund, pharmacy, Century club president this past year, says the club now has 258 members with a goal of 300 before the new school year begins.

A seven-member board of directors, a secretary, and a treasurer make up the group that conducts the business of the club and initiates and approves projects.

The three new directors who have been elected to two-year terms include Eileen Jeffries, Department of Information; Olaf A. Boedtker, College of Science; and Alfred N. Roberts, Horticulture.

Directors who are now in the second year of their terms include Ronald P. Lovell, Journalism; Roger Fendall, Agriculture; and Boersma. Forslund will continue for a year also as past president.

Elaine Carlson, Home Economics, is secretary and Pete Smith, Book Store, is treasurer.

Retiring directors are Marie Diedesch, Home Economics; Lyle Calvin, Statistics; and Jo Anne Trow, associate dean of students.

### 3,000 MOMS EXPECTED FOR WEEKEND

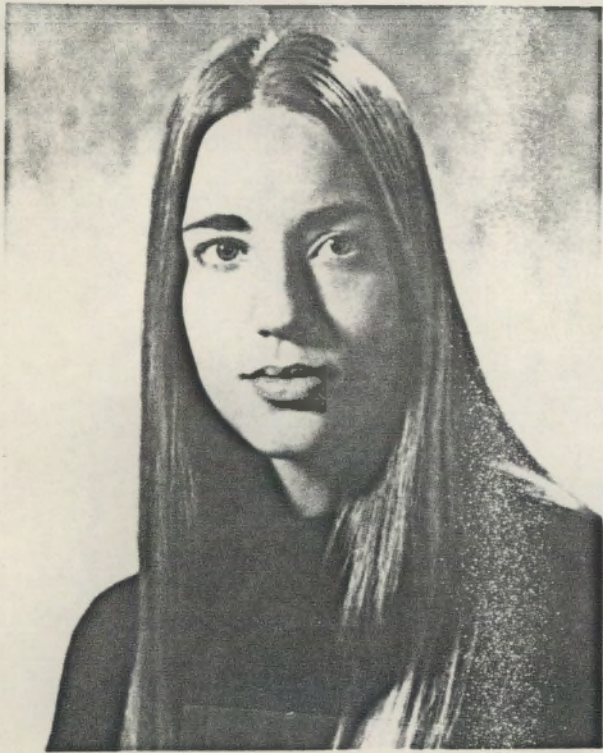
More than 3,000 mothers of OSU students are expected on campus May 3-5 for the annual Mothers Weekend. General co-chairmen of the traditional event are Susan McCorkell, senior in home economics from Weston, and Paul Walker, senior in engineering from Milwaukie.

The Friday program includes an ice cream social in the Memorial Union Quad, 1-4 p.m., and a concert by B.B. King in Gill Coliseum at 8 p.m. Additional events are scheduled for Saturday and Sunday.

Proceeds from Mothers Weekend and dues from the Mothers Club are used for scholarships to OSU students.



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## *Educational Opportunities Program Director sought*

Applications are invited for the position, Director of the Educational Opportunities Program. The position is a 1.0 FTE position with fiscal appointment basis with an approximate starting date of July 1, 1974.

Inquiry should be made to Dr. Carvel Wood, Chairman, EOP Search Committee, Office of Undergraduate Studies, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR 97331, who will provide a complete job description and criteria that will be used to select the candidate.

Letters of application with statements regarding the candidates' professional interests should be submitted to the Search Committee by May 24, 1974. Women and minority candidates are especially encouraged to apply.

## *State Board members to visit campus*

Members of the State Board of Higher Education are scheduled to visit Oregon State University on Monday afternoon, April 8 through Wednesday noon, April 10.

For many years, the Board each year held one of its regular meetings on each of the campuses and at such meetings, the Board tried to provide some special opportunity for discussions and exchange of information with the host institution. Now the Board is scheduling its regular business meetings in Portland and is periodically sending groups of its members to visit each of the campuses so as to provide for longer contacts with more segments of each institution.

The purpose of these visits is to provide for closer liaison and more effective understandings of the programs and concerns of both the Board and the institution. A schedule has been planned which will involve participation of the executive office and other administrators, the faculty and students, and community representatives.

Of particular interest to members of the faculty is the meeting that Board members have scheduled with faculty from 10:30 a.m. to noon in MU 105. The time will be divided between informal discussion and formal presentation. Faculty wishing to present a statement to the Board members should contact Lois McGill, xl636, as soon as possible.

## *1974 Summer Bulletin published*

Copies of the 1974 *Summer Bulletin* containing both a catalog and time schedule of summer courses are now available from several campus sources.

Included in the 600+ listings are 8-week courses, shorter workshops, and sequences which allow the student to complete one academic year of work in a subject during an eleven-week period.

A special feature at the end of this year's *Bulletin* is a schedule of the start of shorter courses shown week by week from June 9 through August 19. Twelve pages and the cover are devoted to work by OSU artists, photographers and poets.

The '74 *Summer Bulletin* is available from the Summer Term Office, Information Center, Registrar's Office or Memorial Union Activities Center.

Registration day for Summer Term is Monday, June 17 and/or the first day of class. Most summer classes are taught on a Monday through Thursday schedule. A number of foreign travel courses are also included.



## EDUCATIONAL GAMING SIMULATIONS WORKSHOP

Gaming simulations for teaching social science, consumer education, career education, and citizenship education will be demonstrated at a workshop Saturday, April 13, at the Memorial Union, Room 206, starting at 9 a.m. The workshop is sponsored by the O.S.U. Center for Economic Education, Charlotte T. Harter, Director.

Teachers in Western Oregon's colleges and universities, community colleges, secondary schools, and extension agents have been invited. OSU staff and students are particularly invited to participate. Students will not be required to pay the \$5 registration fee. Registration deadline is Thursday, April 11. For further information call x3211.

## ADMISSION TO CLASS, ADDS, DROPS, & WITHDRAWALS

Commencing Spring Term 1974, the Academic Requirements Subcommittee will strictly adhere to the deadlines established in the Academic Regulations and published in the Schedule of Classes-1973-74 regarding Admission to Class (AR 9), Adding and dropping courses (AR 11), withdrawal from individual courses (AR 12), and Withdrawal from the University (AR 13). Student petitions for exceptions to these Academic Regulations must present substantive reasons based upon exceptional circumstances for the Subcommittee to allow deviations from the established deadlines. The Subcommittee is announcing its position at this time so the faculty will be able to adequately advise their students. Considering only the matter of late adds, faculty assistance can materially reduce the large number of petitions considered by the Subcommittee, which request class entry beginning the third week of classes and continuing through the end of the term and into succeeding terms.

## MU FOOD SERVICE OPENS NEW FACILITY

The MU Food Service has announced the opening of its newest luncheon operation. Called The Corn Exchange, it features hot homemade soups, salad bars, all the beverages one can drink, and roast beef, turkey, ham, pastrami, or corned beef sandwiches carved to your specifications. The Corn Exchange is located in the old Oregon State Room in the Memorial Union and is open weekdays from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

## Next Week

- Women's Track and Field, OCE, LCC, SOC, OSU, April 13, 1 p.m.
- Gaming Simulators for Social Sciences Consumer Career and Citizen Education, April 13, MU 206, (100)+
- Tennis: Washington, April 13, 11 a.m.
- Fairbanks Art Exhibit: Retrospective, Woodcuts and Etchings by Gordon Gilkey, April 15-May 4
- Women's Tennis: L&C, April 15, 3:30 p.m.
- Century Club luncheon, April 15, MU 109, 11:45 a.m.
- Blood Drive, April 16-18, MU Ballroom
- "Contemporary Chair Design," April 16, Horner Museum, 4 p.m.
- OAES luncheon, April 16, MU 109, noon
- Corvallis-OSU Music Assn., "Gregg Smith Singers," April 16, GC, 8 p.m.\*\*
- OSU student print show, April 17, 3-5 p.m., Horner Museum
- Stage Band concert, April 17, MU Lounge, 11 a.m.
- Tennis: Univ. of Portland, April 17, 3 p.m.
- Speaker: Palmer Hoyt, April 17, MU 208, 2:30 p.m.
- Speaker: Stewart Brand, April 17, HEA, 8 p.m.
- Spring Photo Competition, April 18 to May 8, MU
- Speaker: Pater Marler, April 18, Withycombe, 8 p.m.
- Women's softball: PSU, April 19, 2 p.m.
- Faculty Women's Club lunch, April 19, noon
- Tennis: Univ. of Idaho, April 19, 3 p.m.
- High School Bands concert, April 19, GC, 8 p.m.

## WRITING CLINIC OPEN DAILY FOR ASSISTANCE

Faculty are reminded of the availability of the OSU Writing Clinic facilities which are now located in Moreland Hall 302 and 304 (x1266). The staff at the Clinic is available to assist without charge undergraduate and graduate students and faculty with their writing problems. Training is also provided in particular areas, such as vocabulary, spelling, punctuation, and grammar.

The Writing Clinic is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Regular individual tutorial sessions may be arranged either in person or by telephone. In addition, an assortment of writing manuals and self-instructional materials is available for students' use any time the Clinic is open. No credit nor grades are given for work done in the Writing Clinic.

## In memoriam

• LeMar Fred Remmert, 58, Department of Agricultural Chemistry faculty member from 1948 until 1966, died March 13 at his home in Maryland of a heart attack.

He left the university to join the staff of the National Cancer Institute of the National Institutes of Health. At the time of his death, he was director of the diabetes program for NIH's Institute of Arthritis, Metabolic and Digestive Diseases.

• Ralph Colby, 79, first dean of the School of Humanities and Social Science (now the College of Liberal Arts), died March 27.

He came to Oregon State in 1928 as an assistant professor of English. In 1949, upon the retirement of M. Ellwood Smith, Dr. Colby was named dean of lower division. When the State Board of Higher Education approved major degree-granting work in liberal arts in 1950, he became dean of the new school. He retired as dean in 1962 but continued to teach literature until 1965.

Dean Colby was a long-time member of the OSU-Corvallis Symphony Orchestra.

◇ The Department of English and the College of Liberal Arts are establishing a memorial book collection in the library to honor the late Ralph Colby, first dean of humanities and social sciences at the university.

Those who desire to participate may contribute either books or funds (to the OSU Foundation).

## MOTOR POOL AND RELATED NOTES:

--All operators of state owned vehicles are reminded by the Motor Pool Committee of the *drivers' responsibility* to become acquainted with and to observe the rules and regulations governing use of these vehicles. Refer to Chapter 8.91 of the OSU Business and Administration Manual and the pamphlet "Motor Pool Information" available in quantity from the Motor Pool.

The fuel crisis in no way abrogates the regulation barring unauthorized passengers. Spouses of state employees are permitted as passengers, but the transportation of other family members, children, hitchhikers or pets constitutes a violation.

--Motor Pool has acquired a horse trailer which is available to any department. This trailer is not only suitable for transporting livestock but can also be used to haul any cargo which needs covered hauling space and whose dimensions do not exceed the capacity of the vehicle. The daily rental charge will be \$7.50.

--The 1974 Special Session of the Legislature increased the maximum private vehicle mileage reimbursement rate from 10¢ to 11¢ per mile. The revised rule effective March 1, 1974, is quoted below:

### Rates:

- a) For the first 1,000 miles per month, 11¢ per mile.
- b) Travel in excess of 1,000 miles per month, 7 1/2¢ per mile.
- c) When used for the convenience of personnel (and state cars are available), 7 1/2¢ per mile.



# Calendar of events

## Seminars

### Friday, April 5

- Dr. David Barber, Univ. of Wisc. meteorology, "Cyclone Development in Middle Latitudes," Ag 326B, 3:30 p.m.
- Dr. Fritz Went, Desert Research Institute, Reno, Nev., "Plants in Relation to Desert Environment," Cordley 2113, 4 p.m.
- Dr. Esmond Snell, biochemistry, Univ. of Calif., Berkeley, "Alpha, Beta--Elimination Reactions Catalyzed by Tryptophanase and D-Serine Dehydratase," Weniger 149, 4 p.m. (biochemistry and biophysics seminar)
- Dr. David Peakall, Div. of Biological Sciences, Cornell Univ., "Eggshell Thinning--Its Cause and Mechanism," Weniger 149, 2:30 p.m.

### Monday, April 8

- Dr. Walter D. Loveland, OSU chemistry and Radiation Center, "The Structure of the Fission Transition Nucleus, Radium, 227," Weniger 153, 3:30 p.m.
- Dr. Lyle D. Calvin, OSU statistics, "Activities of the Bureau of Census," Kidder 274, 4 p.m. (statistics seminar)
- Peter G. Wiinikka, OSU general science, "Vortices and Pips in the Ether: J.J. Thomson and the Atom," Weniger 285, 4 p.m. (Ph.D. seminar)
- Hunter Yarborough, Exxon Co., Houston, Texas, "Energy and Mineral Problems--Future Supply and Demand," Earth Science 108, 4 p.m.

### Tuesday, April 9

- Charles Vars, OSU economics, "Federal Tax Policy in the Energy Crisis," Weniger 149, 3:30 p.m. (Energy Related Seminar)
- Dr. Thomas F. Banchoff, visiting at UCLA from Brown Univ., Global Differential Geometry of Polyhedra, Kidder 364, 4 p.m. (math. seminar)
- Charles Bingham, senior vice president, Weyerhaeuser, "Industrial Forestry's Responsibility for Environmental Quality," Stewart Aud., Peavy, 7 p.m.

### Wednesday, April 10

- Loh-Lee Low, fisheries, Univ. of Wash., "Stock and Production Estimation in the Bering Sea Multi-species Groundfish Fishery," Nash 204, 3:30 p.m. (fisheries and wildlife seminar)
- Donald J. Armstrong, plant physiologist, Univ. of Wisc., Madison, "Cytokinins and Transfer RNA," Cordley 1045, 4 p.m.

### Thursday, April 11

- Dr. Keith W. Muckleston, OSU geography, "Floodplains of Oregon," Weniger 149, 1:30 p.m. (WRRU)
- Arthur W. Anderson, OSU microbiology, "Rapid Identification of Microbial Toxins in Foods," Wiegand 106, 4 p.m. (The Many Face(s) of Ag.)
- Jaime Undurraga, OSU entomology, "Bee Management in Eastern Oregon," Cordley 1045, 4 p.m.
- Nickolas J. Panopoulos, Research Plant Pathologist, Univ. of Calif., Berkeley, "Conjugation in Plant Pathogenic *Pseudomonas* and *Erwinia* Species," Cordley 2113, 4 p.m.

- Dr. Dale Everson, OSU statistics, "Threshold Characters in Livestock," Withycombe 209, 3:30 p.m. (genetics seminar)

### Friday, April 12

- Dr. F. Ivan Nye, Wash. State Univ. sociology, "Exchange Theory in Family Interactions," Home Ec 318, 2 p.m.

## This Week

### Friday, April 5

- Faculty Women's Club luncheon, speaker: Barbra Bowman, "What's Happening in Native American Education," MU 109, 12:30 p.m.
- Baseball: Washington State, 3 p.m.\*

### Saturday, April 6

- Spinning Workshop, Mariann Murphy, Horner Museum, 8 to 12; 1 to 4 p.m.
- Track: Idaho State and Univ. of Portland (men), OCE (women), 1:15 p.m.\*
- Baseball: Washington State, 1 p.m.\* (double-header)
- Folk and Square Dance, 1-5 p.m., MU Ballroom, Reception for Erma Weir, MU 109, 7:30 p.m.

### Sunday, April 7

- Speaker: Harry Edwards, "Minorities in the Institution of Sports," ESA, 8 p.m.

### Monday, April 8

- Concert: Bach Chamber Music, MU Lounge, 12:30 p.m.
- Baseball: Portland University, 3 p.m.\*

### Tuesday, April 9

- "Objects for Preparing Food," Horner Museum, 3-5 p.m.
- Concert: Preludes and Fugues, MU Lounge, 12:30 p.m.
- AAUP meeting, MU 109, noon
- OSEA #29, MU 109, noon; Wiegand 106, 7:30 p.m.
- Concert: Harpsichord, Angela Carlson, MU Lounge, 7:30 p.m.
- Matrix Table, MU Ballroom, 7 p.m.
- Speaker: Josh McDowell, HEA, 8 p.m.

### Wednesday, April 10

- Concert and Cantata, MU Lounge, 12:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.
- Baseball: Southern Oregon, 3 p.m.\*
- Speaker: Josh McDowell, GC, 8 p.m.

### Thursday, April 11

- Prospects for Export of Forest Products Machinery to USSR, MU 208 (50)+
- Concert: Music for Brass, MU Lounge, 12:30 p.m.
- "Chronicles from Pedee, Ore.," Lena Belle Tarter, Horner Museum, 3 p.m.
- Women's Tennis: PSU, 3:30 p.m.
- Concert: Oregon Sinfonietta, MU Lounge, 7:30 p.m.
- Lecture: Ross Lindstrom, "Columbia River Gill-netter," ESA, 7 p.m.

### Friday, April 12

- Faculty Women's Club luncheon, Richard Weinman, "You Gotta Start Somewhere," film, MU 109, 12:30 p.m.
- Student recital, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.
- Women's softball: OCE, 2 p.m.
- Concert: Kronos String Quartet, MU Lounge, 12:30 p.m.
- Tennis: Seattle Univ., 3 p.m.
- Concert: Golden State Boychoir, MU Lounge, 7:30 p.m.

- Ag--Agriculture Hall  
ESA--Earth Science Auditorium  
GC--Gill Coliseum  
HEA--Home Economics Auditorium  
MU--Memorial Union  
\* Estimated Attendance  
\* Admission Charged

## INCREASE IN SAIF ASSESSMENTS APRIL 1

The Special Session of the Legislature approved an increase in both Employee and Employer assessments effective April 1, 1974.

Employees will contribute 8¢ for each day, or part of a day, worked. This replaces the present 5¢ per day. For employees who regularly work a full month, a monthly amount of \$1.76 will be deducted (presently \$1.10). For those on unusual or irregular schedules, the maximum which can be deducted in any one month will be \$2.48 (presently \$1.55). The increased employee contributions will be effective with the April payrolls.

## TAX REFUND - RETIREMENT CONTRIBUTIONS

If you are a member of the Oregon State Retirement program, you may again wish to file Form 843 with the Internal Revenue Service.

IRS Form 843 initiates action to secure refund of federal income taxes that you believe were illegally collected more than three years ago. Campus employees were urged to take the same action last year.

Last year filing of Form 843 was based primarily on a Michigan case that claimed it was illegal for IRS to tax retirement contributions. In December 1973 this case was decided in favor of IRS. However, the plaintiff, supported by public employees associations, undoubtedly will appeal the decision. There is currently a similar case in California courts.

This year each taxpayer who wishes to preserve recourse to refund of taxes at issue for 1970 must again file Form 843. The form must be filed by April 15.

A copy of the form and instructions for filing are available in the Staff Benefits Office, AdS B122.

## SECRETARIAL-CLERICAL STATEMENT DISTRIBUTED

A 12-part question-and-answer statement about the proposed secretarial-clerical classification structure is being distributed to secretarial and clerical employees of the university by the Office of Budgets and Personnel Services.

Information copies also are going to deans and directors.

Secretarial and clerical employees who have not received a copy by April 10 should call Budgets and Personnel, x1121, to request one.

Other interested persons may also get a copy by calling that office.

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR CLASSIFIED STAFF

These positions offer present or future promotion opportunities for classified employees at OSU. Employees who have successfully taken the appropriate exam are being given consideration in accord with their promotional ranking on the State Personnel Division certificate. The purpose of this announcement is to encourage employees who are interested in promotion opportunities to apply for the appropriate agency promotional exam if they have not done so. For applications and information, see the bulletin boards or Employment Office Staff, AdS B122.

Current Vacancies

Experimental Biology Tech 2*	Senior Programmer *
Farmer***	Radiation Specialist 2
Groundskeeper 2	Scientific Instrument Tech 1, 2*
Lab Assistant 1*	Software Specialist*
Lab Technician 1	Stationary Engineer*
Laborer 1***	Systems Specialist
Management Analyst 1	Systems Supervisor*
Painter *	Accounting Clerk 1
Plumber*	Key Punch Operator*
Programmer*	Clerk 2T*, 3T*
	Secretary 2T*, 3T*, 3S*, 4S*

\* Open Competitive \*\*\* Applications Accepted

## PERS ANNUAL STATEMENTS

PERS statements were mailed March 28, 1974 to all employees. The retirement system by law may invest up to 35% of the entire retirement fund in the Oregon Equity Growth Fund (stock market). In 1973 25% of the fund was invested in the market resulting in a 28 million dollar loss to the fixed account. The balance of the account did earn about 30 million dollars, but not enough to overcome the substantial loss from the 25%.

Those employees in the fixed account only, received no earnings on their retirement account for 1973. Employees who have elected to participate in the variable account lost 16.39%.

To clarify any misunderstandings, those employees who have not elected to put a share of their contributions in the variable account did not lose money because of the employees who did exercise the variable election.

Since the fund has invested in stocks, the fixed account has earned an annual average of 4.7%, as against a 25 year average, without stocks, of 2.7%.

## GRADUATE/FACULTY/STAFF SOFTBALL SIGNUPS

Departments and/or individuals interested in participating in the Spring Term Graduate/Faculty/Staff intramural softball program should contact the Department of Intramural Sports, 125 Langton Hall (x1083) by Wednesday, April 10, 1974. Competition will start the week of April 15.

## MONTHLY ORIENTATION MEETING DATED

The monthly Administrative Services Orientation will be held April 10, 1974, from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the Memorial Union Council Room for new employees whose responsibilities are related to this area. New employees will be contacted to attend.

## IDENTIFICATION OF STOLEN OR LOST PROPERTY

In the past many stolen or lost items that were recovered could not be traced to the owner due to a lack of identification. The Campus Security department recently acquired electric engraving tools for this purpose. These tools are available to any OSU student, faculty or staff member free of charge.

This property identification method has proven to be very effective in other communities, and serves as a theft preventive measure as well.

Personal items should be marked with the Owner's Oregon driver's license number or social security number.

University owned items should be marked "OSU" and the inventory number. If no inventory number has been assigned, the initials "OSU" should be followed by the name of the department on campus.

In addition to marking the items, the serial number, make and model should also be recorded and kept in a secure place.

The use of these engravers is encouraged. They may be checked out at the Campus Security office, room 223, Gill Coliseum, x1473.

For further information contact Bill Harris, Crime Prevention Officer, at the same location.

## DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR DEADLINE NEARS

April 15 is the deadline for OSU Alumni Association Distinguished Professor Award nominations. The award recognizes superior academic performance, professional renown, and outstanding service to the institution and to the community. The recipient receives \$1,000 from the OSU Alumni Association. Nominations should be sent to Jesse E. Parker, poultry science, the chairman of the Faculty Recognition and Awards Committee. The award presentation will come at Faculty Day in September.



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# Staff Newsletter

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## *Spring Blood Drive scheduled*

Every day, someone requires blood or a blood product and may die without it.

The only way this blood can be made available is through donations by the people of the area. OSU pharmacy students and the Pacific Northwest Red Cross are providing an opportunity for all to donate during the spring blood drive. It will be held in the Memorial Union Ballroom on April 16-19 from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The material rewards are few but the satisfaction of having helped someone in need is immeasurable. All are urged to come to the drive and "give to let live."

## *Library inventory set*

Beginning May 6, faculty inventory lists will be compiled for library materials loaned to faculty during the academic year 1973-74. Completion date will be approximately May 21. After these lists have been received by faculty members, books may be brought to the Circulation Desk of the Library for processing (Monday-Saturday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. or Monday-Thursday, 7-10 p.m.).

Books to be returned or renewed should be returned across the counter rather than dropped in the book return chute. This method of return will allow the Library staff to check the lists as the books come in, without having to gather the material from the shelves. During the period of compilation of lists, no requests can be filled since book location will not be possible. *All books must be returned by June 30.* Faculty members who do not return books by this date will be billed.

## *"The Country Store" opens in MU*

The Memorial Union Food Service has issued a general invitation for all to attend the Grand Opening of its newest venture, "The Country Store," on Monday, April 15. Hours will be from 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

The Country Store will feature four new shops: The Flower Shoppe, The Grain & Cereal Shoppe, The Ice Cream Fountain, and The Pastry Shoppe. The Flower Shoppe will be centered around potted and cut flowers for those who have someone special to remember with flower. The Grain & Cereal Shoppe will be a complete, carry-out center (spices, grains, coffees, teas, cheeses), for those who would like to try new cooking ideas. The Ice Cream Fountain is designed for enjoyment with its atmosphere of nostalgia and many delightful ice cream dishes such as The Crater Lake and The Energy Crisis along with the old favorites, sodas, floats and sundaes all made from homemade hard ice cream. The Pastry Shoppe will feature many varieties of cakes, bagels, donuts, cookies and other taste treats.

## *Dedications due two buildings*

Two campus buildings will be dedicated this month. They will be named for former university leaders.

On April 20, the new Earth Science building will be named Wilkinson Hall at a special 2 p.m. program.

The name honors the late William Donald Wilkinson, former chairman of the Department of Geography. The \$2,248,000 structure houses geology, the Department of Geography, and some offices of the School of Oceanography. It was completed in 1972.

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# Calendar of events

## Seminars

### Friday, April 12

\*Dr. F. Ivan Nye, Wash. State Univ. sociology,  
"Exchange Theory in Family Interactions," Home  
Ec 218, 2 p.m.

Dr. David Clayton, Stanford Univ. Medical Center  
Pathology, "The Mechanism of Replication and  
Repair of Mammalian Mitochondrial DNA,"  
Weniger 149, 4 p.m.

### Monday, April 15

Dr. Andre Delbecq, Univ. of Wisc., "Building the  
Faculty Research Team," Bexell 202, 3 p.m.  
(visiting scholar, B&T seminar)

Dr. Robert E. Brooks, Univ. of Oregon Medical  
School Pathology, "Ultrastructural Study of  
Mouse Lung Tumors and Some Thoughts on the  
Biology of Neoplasia," Cordley 1045, 4 p.m.

Sumner Davis, Univ. of Calif., Berkeley, "Spectro-  
scopy of Ionized Atoms," Weniger 153, 3:30 p.m.

Robin W. Tyser, OSU general science, "The  
Taxonomic Status of *Microtus Canicaudus*,"  
Weniger 285, 4 p.m. (M.S. seminar)

Michel Lejeune, OSU statistics, "Likelihood Methods  
in Predicting Future Observations," Kidder 274,  
4 p.m. (statistics seminar)

### Tuesday, April 16

Charles Glanzman, Dorsch Consult, Consulting  
Engineers in Munich Germany, "Computer-Aided  
Design and Analysis of Storm and Combined Sewer  
Networks," Apperson 212, 3:30 p.m. (ocean engr.)

James G. Knudsen, OSU engineering, "Funding of  
Energy Related Projects," Weniger 149,  
3:30 p.m. (Energy Related Seminar)

Dr. Benjamin Gebhart, mech. eng. and eng. science,  
Cornell Univ., visiting OSU mech. eng., "Dynamics  
of Buoyancy Induced Flows," Kidder 364, 4 p.m.  
(mathematical seminar)

### Wednesday, April 17

Dr. Larry Male, Environmental Protection Agency,  
Corvallis, "Use of Poisson and Exponential  
Distribution in Biological Sampling," Nash 204,  
3:30 p.m. (fish. & wildlife graduate seminar)

### Thursday, April 18

Dr. Michael P. Kiley, Research Assoc., Virology  
Labs., Epidemiology Dept., Univ. of Michigan,  
Ann Arbor, "Intracellular Structures Involved in  
Measles Virus Replication," Nash 206, 3:30 p.m.  
(microbiology seminar)

Dr. Quentin West, Admin., Economic Research Svc.,  
USDA "Expanding Trade in Agricultural Products;  
Perspectives for the Pacific Northwest," Covell  
319, 3 p.m. (ag. economics seminar)

Dr. W.P. Olson, Pharmacia Fine Chemicals Co.,  
Piscataway, N.J. "Recent Advances in Analytical  
Gel Electrophoresis," Weniger 153, 3 p.m.  
(Nutrition Research Institute seminar)

Dr. Peter R. Marler, Rockefeller Univ., N.Y., "An  
Ethological Theory of the Origin of Speech,"  
Cordley 2113, 4 p.m.

Dr. Kim Ching, OSU forest research lab., "Intra-  
specific Variations in Douglas Fir and Their  
Application in Forestry," Withy. 209, 3:30 p.m.  
Stanley Hamilton, Div. of State Lands, "The Re-  
moval Fill Law," Weniger 149, 1:30 p.m. (WRI  
seminar)

\*Changed to April 19, 2 p.m. Home Ec. 123.

## This Week

### Friday, April 12

--Faculty Women's Club luncheon, Richard  
Weinman, "You Gotta Start Somewhere," film,  
MU 109, 12:30 p.m.

--Student recital, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.

--Women's softball: OCE, 2 p.m.

--Concert: Kronos String Quartet, MU Lounge,  
12:30 p.m.

--Tennis: Seattle Univ., 3 p.m.

--Concert: Golden State Boychoir, MU Lounge,  
7:30 p.m.

### Saturday, April 13

--Women's Track and Field, OCE, LCC, SOC,  
1 p.m.

--Gaming-Simulations for Social Science,  
Consumer, Career, and Citizenship Education  
Workshop, MU 206 (80)+

--Tennis: Washington, 11 a.m.

### Sunday, April 14

--"A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," series,  
"The Courts," with Frank Knight and Dale  
Simons, Westminster House, 5:30 p.m.  
(supper); 6:30 p.m., (forum)

### Monday, April 15

--Fairbanks Art Exhibit: Retrospective, Woodcuts  
and Etchings by Gordon Gilkey, to May 4

--Century Club luncheon, MU 109, 11:45 a.m.

--International Night, MU Lounge

--Women's Tennis: L&C, 3:30 p.m.

### Tuesday, April 16

--Blood Drive, MU Ballroom, to April 19

--"Contemporary Chair Design," Horner Museum,  
4 p.m.

--OAES luncheon, speaker: Alberta Johnson,

"Consumer Protection," MU, noon

--Corvallis-OSU concert: "Gregg Smith Singers,"  
GC, 8 p.m.\*\*

### Wednesday, April 17

--OSU student print show, 3-5 p.m., Horner  
Museum

--Stage Band concert, MU Lounge, 11 a.m.

--Tennis: Univ. of Portland, 3 p.m.

--Speaker: Palmer Hoyt, former editor-publisher,  
Denver Post, "What Watergate Means to  
You," MU 208, 2:30 p.m.

--Speaker: Stewart Brand, author of "Whole Earth  
Catalog," will speak on the energy crisis,  
HEA, 8 p.m.

### Thursday, April 18

--Spring Photo Competition, MU, to May 8

--Oregon Assn. of School Administrators, MU and  
Nendel's (300)+

--Gourmet Talk, "Health Foods," Horner Museum,  
12:30 p.m.

--Speaker: Peter Marler, Rockefeller Univ.,

"Communication in Monkeys and Apes--  
Signaling or Language," Withycombe Aud, 8 p.m.

--Speaker: Peter Steen, "Sports Fisherman,"  
ES, 7 p.m.

### Friday, April 19

--Faculty Women's Club lunch, Faith Norris,  
"Should Doctors Read Ken Kesey?" MU, noon

--Women's softball: PSU, 2 p.m.

--Tennis: Univ. of Idaho, 3 p.m.

--High School Bands concert, GC, 8 p.m.



Thursday, April 18 (continued)

- Russell O. Sinnhuber, OSU food science & technology,  
"Rainbow Trout, A Unique Testing System for  
Carcinogenesis," Wiegand 106, 4 p.m. (The  
Many Face(s) of Agriculture)  
Don Berry, County Ext. Agent, Medford, "Agricultural  
Pest Management: A County Agent's Viewpoint,"  
Cordley 1045, 3:30 p.m. (entomology seminar)  
John S. Allen, "Coastal Trapped Waves in a  
Stratified Ocean," Ocean. II Room 174, 4 p.m.  
(physical oceanography seminar)  
Dr. Weston Borden, Univ. of Wash. chemistry,  
Systematic and Serendipitous Synthesis of  
Theoretically Interesting Molecules," Gilbert  
104, 4:30 p.m.

Friday, April 19

- Dr. W. P. Olson (see April 18), "Recent Advances in  
Affinity Chromatography," Weniger 149, 1:30 p.m.  
Dr. Walton Fangman, Univ. of Wash. genetics,  
"Replication of Yeast Chromosomes," Weniger  
149, 4 p.m. (biochemistry and biophysics)

Next Week

- Track and Field meet sponsored by the Marine  
Corps., April 20, east of crew house, 9 a.m.  
--Crew: Corvallis Regatta, April 20  
--Speaker: James Pike, April 20, ESA, 11 a.m.  
--Track: Washington, April 20, 1:15 p.m.\*  
--Baseball: Oregon, April 20, noon\* (doubleheader)  
--Tennis: Washington, April 20, 11 a.m.  
--Dedication of Earth Science Bldg., April 20,  
ESA, 2 p.m.  
--"A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," April 21,  
6:30 p.m., Westminster House  
--Structural and Foundation Eng., April 22-26  
--Speaker: Victor Atiyeh, April 23, MUL, 4 p.m.  
--OSEA #72, April 23, MU 109, noon  
--Concert: Leslie Breidenthal, April 23, HEA, 8 p.m.  
--Women's Tennis: L&C, April 24, 3:30 p.m.  
--Clifton Ensemble, April 24, Horner Museum,  
4 p.m.\*  
--Baseball: OCE, April 24, 3 p.m.\*  
--Water Works Operators Short Course, April 25-26  
--Performance by Oregon School for Deaf, April 25,  
12:30 p.m.  
--Lecture: "As Long as the Rivers Run," Nisqually  
Indian document, April 25, ESA, 7 p.m.  
--Biology Colloquium, April 26-27, HEA  
--Student recital, April 26, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.  
--Faculty Women's Club lunch, April 26, MU, noon  
--Baseball: Washington, April 26, 3 p.m.\*  
--Women's Softball: Oregon, April 26, 3 p.m.  
--Tennis: Oregon, April 26, 3 p.m.  
--Student recital, April 26, HEA, 8 p.m.  
ES--Earth Science HEA--Home Economics Auditorium  
GC--Gill Coliseum MU--Memorial Union  
+ Estimated Attendance \*\* Membership Only Admission

VIDEOTAPE SERIES REMINDER

Computer Center videotape series will be shown  
this term in K 108J and over Cable Channel 5 begin-  
ning April 22. Tapes will be broadcast Mondays  
through Thursdays at 3:30 p.m. and again at 10 p.m.  
"Introduction to OS-3" starts April 22; "Introduction  
to FORTRAN" begins April 29.

PROMOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES ON CAMPUS

There are presently several Secretary 3 vacancies  
on campus. Employees in the Secretary 2 classification  
seeking promotional opportunities should contact the  
Employment & Staff Benefits Office, x3103.

SIGNATURE-REQUIRED MAIL DELIVERY CHANGES

Because of difficulties experienced by the U.S.  
Postal Service in the receipt and delivery of insured,  
certified and registered mail on campus, delivery of  
such mail to the departments will be discontinued un-  
less the department or office designated as the de-  
livery point within a building executes a specific  
agreement that names the person authorized to receipt  
for such mail. In the absence of such a signed agree-  
ment the U.S. Postal Service will deliver only the  
slip notifying the addressee that the mail may be  
signed for and received at the downtown post office.

Copies of the agreement to be executed and de-  
livered to the post office are being distributed to  
all campus points of U.S. mail delivery by carrier  
this week.

PRE-RETIREMENT CONFERENCES

The Public Employees Retirement Board will hold a  
series of pre-retirement conferences throughout the  
state. All of the meetings will cover the same topics:  
retirement and Social Security benefits, Medicare and  
other medical coverage, income and finances, leisure  
activities, health, family life, a place to live and  
legal problems.

Anyone nearing retirement age should plan to  
attend one of these hearings.

Eugene - April 22 - Main Floor Harris Hall (next door  
to the Courthouse)

Corvallis - April 23 - Elizabeth P. Ritchie Room,  
Corvallis Public Library, 645 NW Monroe (7th Street  
entrance)

Salem - April 24 - Room 122, State Highway Bldg., Be-  
tween Center & Chemeketa at East Summer Street

Portland - April 25 - Room 36, State Office Bldg.,  
1400 SW 5th Avenue

All meetings will be from 7-10 p.m.

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING CONTRACT DISTRIBUTED

In two separate mailings, the Office of Budgets  
and Personnel Services has attempted to distribute  
copies of the recently-revised Collective Bargaining  
Contract between the University and the Oregon State  
Employees Association to all classified employees. Em-  
ployees who have not received a copy and wish one may  
contact the Office of Employment and Staff Benefits,  
x3103.

The contract, which became effective January 1,  
1974, has a cover sheet which outlines the new and  
revised sections.

SPEAKER TO TALK ABOUT 'WATERGATE'

Palmer Hoyt, former editor and publisher of The  
Oregonian and the Denver Post, will speak at Oregon  
State University Wednesday (April 17) on "What Water-  
gate Means to You."

His talk, open to the public, will begin at 2:30  
p.m. in Memorial Union 208. It is part of the second  
annual Liberal Arts Lecture Series sponsored by the  
College of Liberal Arts. The Hoyt lecture is co-spon-  
sored by OSU's journalism department.

Hoyt is a member of the U.S. Advisory Commission  
on Information. During World War II, he was domestic  
director of the Office of War Information.



## BUILDING DEDICATIONS (continued from first page)

At a 2 p.m. program on April 1, the Bioscience building will be named Nash Hall as a memorial to Wallis Nash.

He was a member of the first board of regents, 1884-1898, and board secretary for six years. A noted naturalist, he also was author of books dealing with travel in 19th Century Oregon, its geography and resources.

The building houses the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife and the Department of Microbiology. It was completed in 1970 at a cost of \$3,780,000.

## The Faculty Senate

Actions taken at the April 4 meeting of the Faculty Senate:

--Nominated a slate of 20 nominees of Panel members to serve on Faculty Hearing Committees, with 10 to be elected on May 2 (See page 88, March 29 *Staff Newsletter*.)

--Approved Faculty Status Committee recommended statement on "Criteria for Faculty Evaluation."

--Received Faculty Status Committee report on "Tenure Statement."

--Approved Academic Requirements Committee recommended revision of AR 28. Concurrent and Subsequent Baccalaureate Degrees.

--Received Faculty Recognition and Awards Committee report.

--Deferred action on Curriculum Committee report on proposal for certificate program in Latin American Affairs (revised from proposal for B.A. degree program in Latin American Studies--approved by the Senate November 18, 1971; see Senate Minutes, p. XI *Staff Newsletter* Appendix, Vol. XI, No. 12, December 3, 1971).

--Received additional reports from the Executive Committee and from the Executive Office.

## GRADUATE INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PROPOSALS ASKED

The U.S. Office of Education, Institute of International Studies, has invited proposals "from institutions of higher learning wishing to develop innovative graduate-level international studies programs which are problem-, issue-, or topic-oriented and comparative and/or interdisciplinary in approach."

Proposed programs may be aimed at strengthening disciplinary linkages, at interinstitutional cooperation, at interdisciplinary focus on problems or issues, or at curriculum and faculty development.

Activities will be carried out in the United States.

Material on the program may be viewed at the Graduate School Office. The deadline for submission of applications is May 9, 1974.

Additional information is published in the *Federal Register* for April 4, 1974.

## SUMMER ATHLETIC PROGRAMS FOR YOUNGSTERS PLANNED

The Physical Education Department of Oregon State University will again sponsor instruction for children in swimming and gymnastics in the Women's Building as part of the Summer Recreation program. Mrs. Astrid Hancock, assistant professor, will direct and teach in the program. Kathy Hayasaka and OSU students will assist.

Classes will begin Monday morning, June 17, and will run for seven weeks, Monday through Thursday, ending on August 1.

Swimming lessons for boys and girls age four and up will be held from 8:15 a.m. to noon. Suits and towels are provided. Classes will be held for pre-school, beginners, advanced beginners, intermediates, swimmers and junior life savers. Class fee is \$15 for the 40 minute session.

Gymnastic instruction will be given for girls age 6 to 17 from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. A combined tumbling-apparatus class will be offered for 6 and 7 year olds. Separate classes in tumbling and apparatus will be held for girls age eight and up with groups divided according to beginner, advanced beginner, intermediate and advanced skill. Two sessions of pre-school gymnastics will be offered for 4 and 5 year old boys and girls in the mornings as well as a tumbling class for 6 and 7 year old boys. There is a possibility of offering two classes of trampoline only with a limit of six per class. Class fee is \$15 for each 45 minute session.

Further information and application blanks are available in WB 120 or by calling x3015. Mrs. Hancock may be contacted at 745-5934, evenings.

### BOYS' SUMMER SPORTS PROGRAM

The Division of Health and Physical Education is offering a Summer Sports Program for Boys, ages 8-12. The seven week, four hour/day program is scheduled Monday-Thursday (1-5 p.m.) and runs from Monday, June 17 through Thursday, August 1, 1974.

Instruction is offered within the areas of aquatics, team sports, tennis, wrestling, and track and field. Participants will be assigned to activities according to age, previous experience, and skill level. A ratio of one faculty/graduate assistant instructor to not more than 10 boys will assure emphasis upon individual instruction and guidance.

The program fee is \$60 and includes instruction, insurance, equipment, locker and towel expenses. Each boy provides his own gym uniform (tennis shoes, socks, gym trunks, and swim suit). A Boy's Summer Sports T-shirt will be provided each participant. Those enrolled in baseball are expected to furnish their own glove. A statement of authorization from the family physician is also required.

Enrollment is unlimited. For additional information and program applications, contact Don Martin (Langton Hall 123, x3222) or Dow Poling (Langton Hall 125, x1083).

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR CLASSIFIED STAFF

These positions offer present or future promotion opportunities for classified employees at OSU. Employees who have successfully taken the appropriate exam are being given consideration in accord with their promotional ranking on the State Personnel Division certificate. The purpose of this announcement is to encourage employees who are interested in promotion opportunities to apply for the appropriate agency promotional exam if they have not done so. For applications and information, see the bulletin boards or Employment Office Staff, AdS 8122.

### Current Vacancies

Computer Operator 1\*, 2\*

Experimental Biology Tech 2\*

Farmer\*\*\*

Groundskeeper 2

Lab Assistant 1\*

Lab Technician 1

Management Analyst 1

Microbiologist 2

Plumber\*

Radiation Specialist 2

Scientific Instrument Tech 1, 2\*

Senior Programmer\*

Software Specialist\*

Stores Clerk

Systems Specialist

System Supervisor\*

Accounting Clerk 1, 2

Clerk 2T\*, 3T\*, 4T\*

Secretary 2T\*, 2S\*, 3T\*, 3S\*, 4S\*

Key Punch Operator 1\*

Marine Oiler

\* Open Competitive

\*\*\* Applications Accepted

## OSEA Staffs Employee of the Month Program

OSEA Chapter 29 has initiated a program to honor an outstanding employee each month. Selection is made on the basis of outstanding contributions to job and community and relationships with fellow employees. Each person selected is presented a certificate and a \$15 dinner for two at Nendels Inn.

### April: Wilbur Varah

"Employee of the Month" for April was Wilbur Varah, School of Forestry business manager. He has been with the School of Forestry since 1963 and has proven to be a most competent civil servant. As one of his supervisors stated: "He has a quiet, friendly way in dealing with individuals so that one is impressed by the feeling that one of his highest priorities is the assistance to others." Wilbur is described as

a "we'll work it out" man; he is never negative in his approach, a characteristic appreciated by all.

### May: Eileen Jeffries

"Employee of the Month" for May is Eileen Jeffries, Information Center. She has been with the University 15 years, the last nine in the Department of Information. "She really goes the second mile in providing answers and information to visitors, staff and students," it was noted. "She is friendly, courteous, patient and helpful far beyond the normal call of duty. Most of all, she is efficient and dedicated." The Department of Information has had scores of calls of commendation for her work and her ability to meet the public with such grace and effectiveness.

## Notices

### MINIMUM WAGE INCREASES

Amendments to the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act recently enacted by Congress contain provisions for a series of minimum wage increases. Oregon State University will be subject to the following minimum wage schedule:

Effective Date	Minimum Wage
May 1, 1974	\$1.90 per hour
January 1, 1975	\$2.00 per hour
January 1, 1976	\$2.20 per hour
January 1, 1977	\$2.30 per hour

All university employees, including students, are subject to these minimum wage rates. The new legislation provides, however, that full-time Oregon State University students who work no more than 20 hours per week may be paid an hourly rate equal to 85% of the current minimum. Part-time Oregon State University students and all students from other educational institutions must be paid at the full minimum wage rate.

A memorandum explaining the new minimum wage policy has been sent to deans, directors, department heads, and other administrative officers by the Dean of Administration. Additional information may be obtained from the Department of Budgets and Personnel Services.

### BABY SITTER COSTS AFFECTED BY AMENDED ACT

Parents who hire a person to come into their homes on a regular basis to care for their children are due for a financial shock.

Wednesday, May 1, was the day the amended Fair Labor Standards Act went into effect with provisions for minimum pay and overtime extended to domestics who work in private households. The minimum pay is \$1.90 per hour for the first 40 hours per week, and time and one-half for hours over that. The law covers those employed over 16 years of age.

The amended law does not apply when children are taken to someone else's home for day care.

Those concerned about their responsibilities, or rights, under the new regulations may telephone the Wage, Hour and Public Contracts Division listed under the U.S. Department of Labor.

### VETERANS VIEWS SOUGHT BY OFFICE

The National Student Lobby Office, located in the MU Student Activities Center, is sponsoring a survey to examine veterans' attitudes toward establishment of a permanent veterans organization on campus. Interested persons are asked to go to the office and fill out a survey. Once an adequate number of veterans show support, a meeting on the matter will be held. For answers to questions contact Carl Buskuhl at the office or call x 2101.

### ENERGY SAVINGS CONTINUE AT OSU

Oregon State University isn't letting up in its drive to conserve energy.

March figures released by Everett H. Lillig, Physical Plant director, showed a 26 per cent saving in electrical power and an 18 per cent reduction in steam heat output compared to March 1973.

For the nine months since the budget year began, electricity use is down 16 1/2 per cent; steam output, down 15 per cent.

### CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES LISTED

For applications and information, see the bulletin boards or Employment Office Staff, AdS B122.

Architectural Consultant 1  
Composing Room Foreman  
Computer Operator 1\*, 2\*  
Equipment Operator 1\*\*\*  
Experimental Biology Tech 2\*  
Farmer\*\*\*  
Lab Assistant 1\*  
Lab Technician 1  
Management Analyst 1\*  
Microbiologist 2  
Radiation Specialist 2  
Scientific Instrument Tech 1, 2\*  
Senior Programmer\*  
Software Specialist\*  
Systems Specialist  
Systems Supervisor  
Clerk 2T\*, 3T\*  
Secretary 2T\*, 2S\*,  
3T\*, 3S\*, 4S\*  
\*Open Competitive Exam open  
\*\*\*Applications accepted

### ENGINEERING CHAIR ESTABLISHED

A special five-year professorship (chair) has been established in Oregon State University's Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering by Tektronix, Inc., of Beaverton, the state's largest industrial employer. "The Tektronix chair will enhance ties between the university and industry," Ronald R. Mohler, head of the OSU department, said. "It will help us to keep more fully abreast of industry progress and needs so that our programs are always up to date and our graduates properly prepared."

### ASTRO WINS ACE INTERNSHIP

Richard Astro, associate professor of English and assistant to the vice president for research and graduate studies, has been selected for a 1974-75 administrative internship by the American Council on Education. The program is designed to strengthen leadership in American higher education by identifying and training promising faculty and junior staff for responsible positions in academic administration.

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## Mothers Weekend Theme: 'To MOM With Love'

### FRIDAY, MAY 3

Moms are invited to attend classes  
Moms Club Executive Board Meeting  
Moms Club General Board Meeting  
Luncheon  
Moms Registration  
Spring Photo Competition  
Ice Cream Social  
Classical Concert  
Tandem Bicycle Races  
B.B. King Concert

All Day  
10 a.m.  
11 a.m.  
12:30 p.m.  
Noon-7:30 p.m.  
All Day  
1-4 p.m.  
4 p.m.  
4:30 p.m.  
8 p.m.

Memorial Union  
Memorial Union  
MU 109  
MU Concourse  
MU Concourse  
MU Terrace  
MU Lounge  
Parker Stadium  
Gill Coliseum

### SATURDAY, MAY 4

Judo Clinic & Invitational Tournament  
Women's Crew Races (OSU vs Oregon)  
ROTC Drill Competition  
Moms Brunch  
Spring Photo Competition Awards  
Renaissance Fair  
Registration  
Tennis NW All Stars  
Luncheon and Style Show  
Tug of War  
Historical Tour of Gathercoal House  
Flower Show  
Turtle Races  
Pau Hana Dinner  
RHC Ice Cream Social  
IFC Sing  
Table Tennis (OSU vs Oregon)

10 a.m.-5 p.m.  
10 a.m.  
8 a.m.-Noon  
9 a.m.  
10 a.m.  
9 a.m.-5 p.m.  
9 a.m.-Noon  
11 a.m.  
11 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.  
1:30 p.m.  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
2-9 p.m.  
3:30 p.m.  
4:30-7:30 p.m.  
2-3:30 p.m.  
8 p.m.  
10 p.m.

Women's Building  
Crew Docks  
Gill Coliseum  
MU 109  
MU Concourse  
MU Quad  
MU Concourse  
Tennis Courts  
MU Ballroom  
NE Corner Quad  
242 SW 5th  
St. Mary's School  
Gill Coliseum  
MU Ballroom  
Weatherford Roof  
Gill Coliseum  
MU

### SUNDAY, MAY 5

Attend church  
Flower Show  
Mass Media Workshop Quad Concert  
Moms Reception by Campus Crusade

Noon-5 p.m.  
1:30-5:30 p.m.  
2:30 p.m.

St. Mary's School  
MU Quad  
MU 109

**Saturday Open Houses:** 10 a.m. to noon--Home Economics, Gilbert Hall, Chemical Engineering, Oceanography, Rogers Hall, Computer Center, Craft Shop, Women's Studies Center; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.--Homer Museum, Navy ROTC; 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.--Air Force ROTC. **Saturday Teach-Ins and Demonstrations:** Folk Dancing Demonstration, MU Terrace during Renaissance Fair; Outdoor Program Presentation, 7 p.m., MU; Modern Dance Lecture and Demonstration, 12-12:30, Women's Bldg. 118; Ballet Lecture and Demonstration, 12:30-1:30, WB 118; Modern Dance, 1-1:30, WB 118; Folk and Ballroom Dancing program, 12:45-1:30 and 1:45-2:30, WB 116.



## Calendar of events

### Seminars

- Friday, May 3**  
 Dr. David Coombs, Molecular Biology Institute, UCLA, "The Morphogenesis of Head-to-Toe Attachment in Phage T4," Weniger 149, 4 p.m. (biochemistry and biophysics seminar)  
 Dr. Wilbert A. Scheffler, Affiliate Assoc. Prof., Joint Center for Graduate Study, Richland, Wash., "Deviations to the Linear Transport Laws and Corrections to the Onsager Relations," Covell 320, 3:30 p.m. (mech. and metal. engr. seminar)
- Monday, May 6**  
 Jacob F. Lester, OSU general science, "Herbert Spencer and Early Evolutionary Theory in America," Weniger 285, 4 p.m. (Ph.D. seminar)  
 Sr. Margaret J. Clarke, OSU general science, "Electron Theories of Chemical Valence Before G. N. Lewis," Weniger 285, 4:30 p.m. (Ph.D.)  
 Dr. Peter Bruesch, Brown-Boveri Co., Ltd., Baden Switzerland, "One-Dimensional Conductors," Weniger 149, 8 p.m. (chemistry seminar)  
 Hans Frauenfelder, physics, Univ. of Ill., "The Physics of Biomolecules," Weniger 153, 3:30 p.m. (physics and biochemistry seminar)  
 Keith S. Yoder, Tree Fruits Pathologist, botany and plant pathology, Mich. State U., "Tolerance to Diodine as a Factor in the Control of Apple Scab," Cordley 2113, 4 p.m.  
 Arthur F. Veinott, Jr., Dept. of Operations Research, Stanford, "Monotone Solutions of Extremal Problems on Lattices," Covell 319, 3 p.m. (statistics)  
 Dr. Charles Lambert, Univ. of Wash., Friday Harbor Lab., and Calif. State Univ., Fullerton, "RNA Synthesis During Tunicate Development and Metamorphosis," Cordley 1045, 4 p.m.
- Tuesday, May 7**  
 Dr. E. Wendell Hewson, OSU atmospheric sciences, "Recent Developments in Wind Power Utilization," Weniger 149, 3:30 p.m. (Energy Related Seminar)  
 James Koziol, statistics, Univ. of Chicago, "Multivariate Rank Order Tests for Shift Alternatives," Kidder 276, 5 p.m. (statistics seminar)  
 G. G. Goles, Univ. of Ore. chemistry, "Geochemistry of the Skaergaard Intrusion," Wilkinson Aud., 4:30 p.m.  
 Dr. Wayne Wang, Lawrence Berkeley Lab., Univ. of Calif., Berkeley, "Pion-Nucleus Scattering," Weniger 377, 3:30 p.m.  
 Dr. Helmut Groemer, Univ. of Ariz., "Function Spaces Associated with Convex Bodies," Kidder 364, 4 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 8**  
 Chalmers Johnson, political science and former chairman of Chinese Studies, Univ. of Calif., Berkeley, on subject of his most recent work, "Autopsy on People's War," MU Board Room, 2:30 p.m.  
 Dr. Gary Larson, OSU fisheries and wildlife, "Development of Coho Salmon Embryos and Alevins Exposed to Chloramine," Nash 204, 3:30 p.m.
- Thursday, May 9**  
 Leon Coburn, Univ. of Nevada, Las Vegas, "The Eighteenth Century Novel," MU 206, 8 p.m. (English dept. conference and events)

### This Week

- Friday, May 3 MOMS WEEKEND** (See front page)  
 --Structural Engineers, Apperson (100)+  
 --No. Div. Golf Championships, Corvallis Country Club  
 --Concert: B. B. King, GC, 8 p.m.\*  
 --Faculty Women's Club lunch, Sheldon Meyer, "Preparation for Retirement," MU 109, 12:30 p.m.
- Saturday, May 4 MOMS WEEKEND** (See front page)  
 --"Steinbeck and the Sea," Marine Science Center Aud., Newport  
 --Sheep and Wool Day, Withycombe 101 (150)+  
 --IFC Sing, GC, 8 p.m.\*
- Sunday, May 5**  
 --"A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," Andy Barker, OSU student, and Tilman Cantrell, OSU sociology, "Release and Parole," Westminster House, 5:30 p.m., supper; 6:30 p.m., forum.
- Monday, May 6**  
 --Fairbanks Art Exhibit, OSU Student Show, to June 8  
 --Baseball: OTI, 2 p.m.\*
- Wednesday, May 8**  
 --Women's Tennis: Univ. of Ore., 3:30 p.m.  
 --Tennis: Univ. of B.C., 3 p.m.  
 --Speaker: Dr. Chalmers Johnson, Univ. of Calif., political science, "Prospects for Japan and for Japanese-American Relations," Stewart Aud., Peavy, 8 p.m.
- Thursday, May 9**  
 --MU Senior Art Show, to May 29  
 --Speaker: Jim Redden, MU Lounge, noon  
 --Speaker: R. Barry Fisher, "Fisheries of Polynesia and Micronesia," Wilkinson Aud., 7 p.m.  
 --Concert: Klemi Hambourg and Ruth Million, HEA, 8 p.m.
- Friday, May 10**  
 --OSU Theatre: "Oliver," MPH, 8:15 p.m.\* Also May 11  
 --Annual American Soc. of Eng. Ed., Withycombe (150)+ Also May 11  
 --Student Recital, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.  
 --Baseball: Univ. of Oregon, 3 p.m.\*  
 --Faculty Women's Club luncheon, Edward Heath, "Dimensions in Leisure," slide-talk, MU 109, 12:30 p.m.
- Next Week**  
 --Spring football game, May 11, 1:30 p.m.\*  
 --Baseball: Oregon, May 11, 1 p.m.\* (doubleheader)  
 --Concert in MU Quad, May 11, 6:30 p.m.  
 --Music at 3, May 12, Horner Museum  
 --Mortar Board Initiation, May 12, MU 109, 7 p.m.  
 --"A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," May 12 5:30 p.m., supper; 6:30 p.m., forum, Westminster House  
 --Speaker: Samella Lewis, Scripps College Art Dept., May 13, Stewart Aud., Peavy, 8 p.m.  
 --Women's Tennis: OCE, May 14, 3:30 p.m.  
 --OSEA #29, May 14, Wiegand, 7:30 p.m.  
 --OSU Theatre: "Oliver," MPH, 8:15 p.m.\* May 15-18  
 --The American West, Myth and Reality, May 15-17

### Seminars (continued)

- Dr. John P. Mullooly, Kaiser Foundation Hospitals, Health Services Research Center, "Epidemiology, Health Care Characteristics and Economics of Allergic Diseases in the Kaiser Health Plan," Kidder 350, 1:30 p.m. (biometry seminar)  
 Robert D. Jackman, Dept. of Environmental Quality, Portland, "The Septic Tank's Role in Land Use," Weniger 149, 1:30 p.m. (WRII series)  
 Dr. A. Huyer, OSU oceanography, "The Upwelling Regime Off Oregon: The MCS (Mooers, Collins and Smith) Picture and the Results of CUE-I," Oceanography II-176, 4 p.m.  
 Richard Maine, OSU general science, "Management of Insect Vectors of Human Diseases," Cordley 1045, 3:30 p.m.  
 Dr. George Pearson, OSU biophysics-biochemistry, Withycombe 209, 3:30 p.m. (genetics seminar)

### Administrative Information

#### POLICIES OF ANIMAL CARE COMMITTEE (ACC) AND OFFICE OF LABORATORY ANIMAL RESOURCES (OLAR)

The Animal Care Committee recommends to the Vice President policies governing all aspects of laboratory animal procurement, care and welfare, and utilization with the university. The Animal Care Committee also advises the Office of Laboratory Animal Resources in its relations with university programs employing animals.

The Office of Laboratory Animal Resources serves the entire university. The Director is responsible to, and implements directives of, the Vice President relating to laboratory animal care and welfare and utilization.

The Director of Laboratory Animal Resources has the following professional and administrative responsibilities:

1. Serve as Executive Secretary of the Animal Care Committee.
2. Regularly inform the Vice President of the status of animal care programs associated with the university.
3. Acquaint the university and its staff with the implications and requirements of existing and new federal, state, and local laws or regulations applying to laboratory animals.
4. Take steps necessary to assure compliance with applicable laws.
5. Review budgets of appropriate research proposals and teaching programs to assure that funding requests are realistic to provide adequate care and humane use of animals.
6. Provide advisory assistance to university staff in laboratory animal utilization, including experimental design and use of special procedures or unusual animal species.
7. Maintain routine medical surveillance of all university animal facilities, and directs all necessary steps in combating any disease outbreak among laboratory animals, utilizing the diagnostic support services of the Department of Veterinary Medicine.
8. Develop and maintain the budgetary structure of OLAR.
9. On the advice of the Animal Care Committee, develop an administrative structure which will eventually supervise the maintenance and care of laboratory animals throughout the university. The objective of such a structure must combine overall efficiency of operation with capability for immediate access to animals by investigators.

### Next Week (continued)

- State Structural Building Code short course, May 16-17, Withycombe (150)+  
 --Film, "The Moontrap," May 16, Wilkinson Aud., 7 p.m.  
 --Student Recognition and Awards Banquet, May 16, MU Ballroom, 7:30 p.m.  
 --Women's Tennis, NCWSA, May 17-18  
 --Faculty Women's Club lunch, May 17, MU 109, 12:30 p.m.  
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 \* Admission Charged + Estimated Attendance

### VENDING MACHINE POLICY STATEMENT (A REMINDER)

The following statement was adopted on June 2, 1971, by the Oregon State University Administrative Council which reads in part:

"All administrative procedure pertinent to the installation of vending machines, their management and maintenance at all locations other than the Residence Halls shall be the responsibility of the Director of the Memorial Union...."

"Vending Machines may be installed in strategic locations on campus at the request of Building Managers and with the approval of appropriate Deans and Directors to provide extended refreshment services to members of the University community. All installations shall be made in appropriate locations, which shall not constrict traffic, disturb the normal activities of the area, detract from building appearance, nor present a safety hazard."

On July 12, 1971, the Council of Deans concurred in the above policy statement with the following conditions which means in part:

1. That the Dean or Building Manager can order a vending machine removed at any time.
2. That there be no cigarette vending machines installed in instructional buildings.

Therefore, it would be appreciated if Building Managers would contact the Memorial Union Food Service Manager, Paul Scoggin, x2285, if there are machines in buildings that are not covered currently under the above procedure. The current contract is with the Canteen Corporation.

It has come to the attention of the Memorial Union Food Service that there are a number of these machines on campus not included in the current Canteen Contract. Those Building Managers concerned please contact the Memorial Union Food Service as soon as possible for complete details.

### UNIVERSITY SEEKS EOP DIRECTOR

Oregon State University has launched a nationwide search for a person to direct the Educational Opportunities Program on campus.

The position will be available July 1 at a salary of not less than \$15,500 a year, according to Stuart Knapp, dean of undergraduate studies.

The OSU program is designed to assist students who do not meet university admissions requirements and those who are financially disadvantaged, or both. Other services include helping those students find housing in the university community and providing tutorial assistance and academic advising and counseling in any problem areas.

Qualified candidates must have prior administrative experience, preferably in minority programs, and have at least a master's degree, Knapp said.



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Moms Club General Board Meeting  
Luncheon  
Moms Registration  
Spring Photo Competition  
Ice Cream Social  
Classical Concert  
Tandem Bicycle Races  
B.B. King Concert

All Day  
10 a.m.  
11 a.m.  
12:30 p.m.  
Noon-7:30 p.m.  
All Day  
1-4 p.m.  
4 p.m.  
4:30 p.m.  
8 p.m.

Memorial Union  
Memorial Union  
MU 109  
MU Concourse  
MU Concourse  
MU Terrace  
MU Lounge  
Parker Stadium  
Gill Coliseum

### SATURDAY, MAY 4

Judo Clinic & Invitational Tournament  
Women's Crew Races (OSU vs Oregon)  
ROTC Drill Competition  
Moms Brunch  
Spring Photo Competition Awards  
Renaissance Fair  
Registration  
Tennis NW All Stars  
Luncheon and Style Show  
Tug of War  
Historical Tour of Gathercoal House  
Flower Show  
Turtle Races  
Pau Hana Dinner  
RHC Ice Cream Social  
IFC Sing  
Table Tennis (OSU vs Oregon)

10 a.m.-5 p.m.  
10 a.m.  
8 a.m.-Noon  
9 a.m.  
10 a.m.  
9 a.m.-5 p.m.  
9 a.m.-Noon  
11 a.m.  
11 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.  
1:30 p.m.  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
2-9 p.m.  
3:30 p.m.  
4:30-7:30 p.m.  
2-3:30 p.m.  
8 p.m.  
10 p.m.

Women's Building  
Crew Docks  
Gill Coliseum  
MU 109  
MU Concourse  
MU Quad  
MU Concourse  
Tennis Courts  
MU Ballroom  
NE Corner Quad  
242 SW 5th  
St. Mary's School  
Gill Coliseum  
MU Ballroom  
Weatherford Roof  
Gill Coliseum  
MU

### SUNDAY, MAY 5

Attend church  
Flower Show  
Mass Media Workshop Quad Concert  
Moms Reception by Campus Crusade

Noon-5 p.m.  
1:30-5:30 p.m.  
2:30 p.m.

St. Mary's School  
MU Quad  
MU 109

Saturday Open Houses: 10 a.m. to noon--Home Economics, Gilbert Hall, Chemical Engineering, Oceanography, Rogers Hall, Computer Center, Craft Shop, Women's Studies Center; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.--Horner Museum, Navy ROTC; 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.--Air Force ROTC. Saturday Teach-Ins and Demonstrations: Folk Dancing Demonstration, MU Terrace during Renaissance Fair; Outdoor Program Presentation, 7 p.m., MU; Modern Dance Lecture and Demonstration, 12-12:30, Women's Bldg. 118; Ballet Lecture and Demonstration, 12:30-1:30, WB 118; Modern Dance, 1-1:30, WB 118; Folk and Ballroom Dancing program, 12:45-1:30 and 1:45-2:30, WB 116.



## Calendar of events

### Seminars

#### Friday, May 3

- Dr. David Coombs, Molecular Biology Institute, UCLA, "The Morphogenesis of Head-to-Toe Attachment in Phage T4," Weniger 149, 4 p.m. (biochemistry and biophysics seminar)
- Dr. Wilbert A. Scheffler, Affiliate Assoc. Prof., Joint Center for Graduate Study, Richland, Wash., "Deviations to the Linear Transport Laws and Corrections to the Onsager Relations," Covell 320, 3:30 p.m. (mech. and metal. engr. seminar)

#### Monday, May 6

- Jacob F. Lester, OSU general science, "Herbert Spencer and Early Evolutionary Theory in America," Weniger 285, 4 p.m. (Ph.D. seminar)
- Sr. Margaret J. Clarke, OSU general science, "Electron Theories of Chemical Valence Before G. N. Lewis," Weniger 285, 4:30 p.m. (Ph.D.)
- Dr. Peter Bruesch, Brown-Boveri Co., Ltd., Baden Switzerland, "One-Dimensional Conductors," Weniger 149, 8 p.m. (chemistry seminar)
- Hans Frauenfelder, physics, Univ. of Ill., "The Physics of Biomolecules," Weniger 153, 3:30 p.m. (physics and biochemistry seminar)
- Keith S. Yoder, Tree Fruits Pathologist, botany and plant pathology, Mich. State U., "Tolerance to Dodine as a Factor in the Control of Apple Scab," Cordley 2113, 4 p.m.
- Arthur F. Veinott, Jr., Dept. of Operations Research, Stanford, "Monotone Solutions of Extremal Problems on Lattices," Covell 319, 3 p.m. (statistics)
- Dr. Charles Lambert, Univ. of Wash., Friday Harbor Lab., and Calif. State Univ., Fullerton, "RNA Synthesis During Tunicate Development and Metamorphosis," Cordley 1045, 4 p.m.

#### Tuesday, May 7

- Dr. E. Wendell Hewson, OSU atmospheric sciences, "Recent Developments in Wind Power Utilization," Weniger 149, 3:30 p.m. (Energy Related Seminar)
- James Koziol, statistics, Univ. of Chicago, "Multivariate Rank Order Tests for Shift Alternatives," Kidder 276, 5 p.m. (statistics seminar)
- G. G. Goles, Univ. of Ore. chemistry, "Geochemistry of the Skaergaard Intrusion," Wilkinson Aud., 4:30 p.m.
- Dr. Wayne Wang, Lawrence Berkeley Lab., Univ. of Calif., Berkeley, "Pion-Nucleus Scattering," Weniger 377, 3:30 p.m.
- Dr. Helmut Groemer, Univ. of Ariz., "Function Spaces Associated with Convex Bodies," Kidder 364, 4 p.m.

#### Wednesday, May 8

- Chalmers Johnson, political science and former chairman of Chinese Studies, Univ. of Calif., Berkeley, on subject of his most recent work, "Autopsy on People's War," MU Board Room, 2:30 p.m.
- Dr. Gary Larson, OSU fisheries and wildlife, "Development of Coho Salmon Embryos and Alevins Exposed to Chloramine," Nash 204, 3:30 p.m.

#### Thursday, May 9

- Leon Coburn, Univ. of Nevada, Las Vegas, "The Eighteenth Century Novel," MU 206, 8 p.m. (English dept. conference and events)

### This Week

#### Friday, May 3 MOMS WEEKEND (See front page)

- Structural Engineers, Apperson (100)+
- No. Div. Golf Championships, Corvallis Country Club
- Concert: B. B. King, GC, 8 p.m.\*
- Faculty Women's Club lunch, Sheldon Meyer, "Preparation for Retirement," MU 109, 12:30 p.m.

#### Saturday, May 4 MOMS WEEKEND (See front page)

- "Steinbeck and the Sea," Marine Science Center Aud., Newport
- Sheep and Wool Day, Withycombe 101 (150)+
- IFC Sing, GC, 8 p.m.\*

#### Sunday, May 5

- "A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," Andy Burkner, OSU student, and Tilman Cantrell, OSU sociology, "Release and Parole," Westminster House, 5:30 p.m., supper; 6:30 p.m., forum.

#### Monday, May 7

- Fairbanks Art Exhibit, OSU Student Show, to June 8
- Baseball: OTI, 2 p.m.\*

#### Wednesday, May 8

- Women's Tennis: Univ. of Ore., 3:30 p.m.
- Tennis: Univ. of B.C., 3 p.m.
- Speaker: Dr. Chalmers Johnson, Univ. of Calif., political science, "Prospects for Japan and for Japanese-American Relations," Stewart Aud., Peavy, 8 p.m.

#### Thursday, May 9

- MU Senior Art Show, to May 29
- Speaker: Jim Redden, MU Lounge, noon
- Speaker: R. Barry Fisher, "Fisheries of Polynesia and Micronesia," Wilkinson Aud., 7 p.m.
- Concert: Klemi Hambourg and Ruth Million, HEA, 8 p.m.

#### Friday, May 10

- OSU Theatre: "Oliver," MPH, 8:15 p.m.\* Also May 11
- Annual American Soc. of Eng. Ed., Withycombe (150)+ Also May 11
- Student Recital, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.
- Baseball: Univ. of Oregon, 3 p.m.\*
- Faculty Women's Club luncheon, Edward Heath, "Dimensions in Leisure," slide-talk, MU 109, 12:30 p.m.

### Next Week

- Spring football game, May 11, 1:30 p.m.\*
- Baseball: Oregon, May 11, 1 p.m.\* (doubleheader)
- Concert in MU Quad, May 11, 6:30 p.m.
- Music at 3, May 12, Horner Museum
- Mortar Board Initiation, May 12, MU 109, 7 p.m.
- "A Multi-Disciplinary Look at Crime," May 12 5:30 p.m., supper; 6:30 p.m., forum, Westminster House
- Speaker: Samella Lewis, Scripps College Art Dept., May 13, Stewart Aud., Peavy, 8 p.m.
- Women's Tennis: OCE, May 14, 3:30 p.m.
- OSEA #29, May 14, Wiegand, 7:30 p.m.
- OSU Theatre: "Oliver," MPH, 8:15 p.m.\* May 15-18
- The American West, Myth and Reality, May 15-17

### Seminars (continued)

- Dr. John P. Mullooly, Kaiser Foundation Hospitals, Health Services Research Center, "Epidemiology, Health Care Characteristics and Economics of Allergic Diseases in the Kaiser Health Plan," Kidder 350, 1:30 p.m. (biometry seminar)
- Robert D. Jackman, Dept. of Environmental Quality, Portland, "The Septic Tank's Role in Land Use," Weniger 149, 1:30 p.m. (WRRI series)
- Dr. A. Huyer, OSU oceanography, "The Upwelling Regime Off Oregon: The MCS (Moore's, Collins and Smith) Picture and the Results of CUE-I," Oceanography II-176, 4 p.m.
- Richard Maine, OSU general science, "Management of Insect Vectors of Human Diseases," Cordley 1045, 3:30 p.m.
- Dr. George Pearson, OSU biophysics-biochemistry, Withycombe 209, 3:30 p.m. (genetics seminar)

## Administrative Information

### POLICIES OF ANIMAL CARE COMMITTEE (ACC) AND OFFICE OF LABORATORY ANIMAL RESOURCES (OLAR)

The Animal Care Committee recommends to the Vice President policies governing all aspects of laboratory animal procurement, care and welfare, and utilization with the university. The Animal Care Committee also advises the Office of Laboratory Animal Resources in its relations with university programs employing animals.

The Office of Laboratory Animal Resources serves the entire university. The Director is responsible to, and implements directives of, the Vice President relating to laboratory animal care and welfare and utilization.

The Director of Laboratory Animal Resources has the following professional and administrative responsibilities:

1. Serve as Executive Secretary of the Animal Care Committee.
2. Regularly inform the Vice President of the status of animal care programs associated with the university.
3. Acquaint the university and its staff with the implications and requirements of existing and new federal, state, and local laws or regulations applying to laboratory animals.
4. Take steps necessary to assure compliance with applicable laws.
5. Review budgets of appropriate research proposals and teaching programs to assure that funding requests are realistic to provide adequate care and humane use of animals.
6. Provide advisory assistance to university staff in laboratory animal utilization, including experimental design and use of special procedures or unusual animal species.
7. Maintain routine medical surveillance of all university animal facilities, and directs all necessary steps in combating any disease outbreak among laboratory animals, utilizing the diagnostic support services of the Department of Veterinary Medicine.
8. Develop and maintain the budgetary structure of OLAR.
9. On the advice of the Animal Care Committee, develop an administrative structure which will eventually supervise the maintenance and care of laboratory animals throughout the university. The objective of such a structure must combine overall efficiency of operation with capability for immediate access to animals by investigators.

### Next Week (continued)

- State Structural Building Code short course, May 16-17, Withycombe (150)+
- Film, "The Moontrap," May 16, Wilkinson Aud., 7 p.m.
- Student Recognition and Awards Banquet, May 16, MU Ballroom, 7:30 p.m.
- Women's Tennis, NCWSA, May 17-18
- Faculty Women's Club lunch, May 17, MU 109, 12:30 p.m.
- Student Recital, May 17, Benton 303, 12:30 p.m.
- GC---Gill Coliseum MPH---Mitchell Playhouse
- HEA---Home Ec Auditorium MU---Memorial Union
- \* Admission Charged + Estimated Attendance

### VENDING MACHINE POLICY STATEMENT (A REMINDER)

The following statement was adopted on June 2, 1971, by the Oregon State University Administrative Council which reads in part:

"All administrative procedure pertinent to the installation of vending machines, their management and maintenance at all locations other than the Residence Halls shall be the responsibility of the Director of the Memorial Union.....

"Vending Machines may be installed in strategic locations on campus at the request of Building Managers and with the approval of appropriate Deans and Directors to provide extended refreshment services to members of the University community. All installations shall be made in appropriate locations, which shall not obstruct traffic, disturb the normal activities of the area, detract from building appearance, nor present a safety hazard."

On July 12, 1971, the Council of Deans concurred in the above policy statement with the following conditions which means in part:

1. That the Dean or Building Manager can order a vending machine removed at any time.
2. That there be no cigarette vending machines installed in instructional buildings.

Therefore, it would be appreciated if Building Managers would contact the Memorial Union Food Service Manager, Paul Scoggin, x2285, if there are machines in buildings that are not covered currently under the above procedure. The current contract is with the Canteen Corporation.

It has come to the attention of the Memorial Union Food Service that there are a number of these machines on campus not included in the current Canteen Contract. Those Building Managers concerned please contact the Memorial Union Food Service as soon as possible for complete details.

### UNIVERSITY SEEKS EOP DIRECTOR

Oregon State University has launched a nationwide search for a person to direct the Educational Opportunities Program on campus.

The position will be available July 1 at a salary of not less than \$15,500 a year, according to Stuart Knapp, dean of undergraduate studies.

The OSU program is designed to assist students who do not meet university admissions requirements and those who are financially disadvantaged, or both. Other services include helping those students find housing in the university community and providing tutorial assistance and academic advising and counseling in any problem areas.

Qualified candidates must have prior administrative experience, preferably in minority programs, and have at least a master's degree, Knapp said.



## OSEA Student Employee of the Month Program

OSEA Chapter 29 has initiated a program to honor an outstanding employee each month. Selection is made on the basis of outstanding contributions to job and community and relationships with fellow employees. Each person selected is presented a certificate and a \$15 dinner for two at Nendels Inn.

### April: Wilbur Varah

"Employee of the Month" for April was Wilbur Varah, School of Forestry business manager. He has been with the School of Forestry since 1963 and has proven to be a most competent civil servant. As one of his supervisors stated: "He has a quiet, friendly way in dealing with individuals so that one is impressed by the feeling that one of his highest priorities is the assistance to others." Wilbur is described as

a "we'll work it out" man; he is never negative in his approach, a characteristic appreciated by all.

### May: Eileen Jeffries

"Employee of the Month" for May is Eileen Jeffries, Information Center. She has been with the University 15 years, the last nine in the Department of Information. "She really goes the second mile in providing answers and information to visitors, staff and students," it was noted. "She is friendly, courteous, patient and helpful far beyond the normal call of duty. Most of all, she is efficient and dedicated." The Department of Information has had scores of calls of commendation for her work and her ability to meet the public with such grace and effectiveness.

## Notices

### MINIMUM WAGE INCREASES

Amendments to the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act recently enacted by Congress contain provisions for a series of minimum wage increases. Oregon State University will be subject to the following minimum wage schedule:

Effective Date	Minimum Wage
May 1, 1974	\$1.90 per hour
January 1, 1975	\$2.00 per hour
January 1, 1976	\$2.20 per hour
January 1, 1977	\$2.30 per hour

All university employees, including students, are subject to these minimum wage rates. The new legislation provides, however, that full-time Oregon State University students who work no more than 20 hours per week may be paid an hourly rate equal to 85% of the current minimum. Part-time Oregon State University students and all students from other educational institutions must be paid at the full minimum wage rate.

A memorandum explaining the new minimum wage policy has been sent to deans, directors, department heads, and other administrative officers by the Dean of Administration. Additional information may be obtained from the Department of Budgets and Personnel Services.

### BABY SITTER COSTS AFFECTED BY AMENDED ACT

Parents who hire a person to come into their homes on a regular basis to care for their children are due for a financial shock.

Wednesday, May 1, was the day the amended Fair Labor Standards Act went into effect with provisions for minimum pay and overtime extended to domestics who work in private households. The minimum pay is \$1.90 per hour for the first 40 hours per week, and time and one-half for hours over that. The law covers those employed over 16 years of age.

The amended law does not apply when children are taken to someone else's home for day care.

Those concerned about their responsibilities, or rights, under the new regulations may telephone the Wage, Hour and Public Contracts Division listed under the U.S. Department of Labor.

### VETERANS VIEWS SOUGHT BY OFFICE

The National Student Lobby Office, located in the MU Student Activities Center, is sponsoring a survey to examine veterans' attitudes toward establishment of a permanent veterans organization on campus. Interested persons are asked to go to the office and fill out a survey. Once an adequate number of veterans show support, a meeting on the matter will be held. For answers to questions contact Carl Buskuhl at the office or call x 2101.

### ENERGY SAVINGS CONTINUE AT OSU

Oregon State University isn't letting up in its drive to conserve energy.

March figures released by Everett H. Lillig, Physical Plant director, showed a 26 per cent saving in electrical power and an 18 per cent reduction in steam heat output compared to March 1973.

For the nine months since the budget year began, electricity use is down 16 1/2 per cent; steam output, down 15 per cent.

### CLASSIFIED EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES LISTED

For applications and information, see the bulletin boards or Employment Office Staff, AdS B122.

Architectural Consultant 1  
Composing Room Foreman  
Computer Operator 1\*, 2\*  
Equipment Operator 1\*\*\*  
Experimental Biology Tech 2\*  
Farmer\*\*\*  
Lab Assistant 1\*  
Lab Technician 1  
Management Analyst 1\*  
Microbiologist 2  
Radiation Specialist 2  
Scientific Instrument Tech 1, 2\*  
Senior Programmer\*  
Software Specialist\*  
Systems Specialist  
Systems Supervisor  
\*Open Competitive Exam open  
\*\*\*Applications accepted

Clerk 2T\*, 3T\*  
Secretary 2T\*, 2S\*,  
3T\*, 3S\*, 4S\*

### ENGINEERING CHAIR ESTABLISHED

A special five-year professorship (chair) has been established in Oregon State University's Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering by Tektronix, Inc., of Beaverton, the state's largest industrial employer. "The Tektronix chair will enhance ties between the university and industry," Ronald R. Mohler, head of the OSU department, said. "It will help us to keep more fully abreast of industry progress and needs so that our programs are always up to date and our graduates properly prepared."

### ASTRO WINS ACE INTERNSHIP

Richard Astro, associate professor of English and assistant to the vice president for research and graduate studies, has been selected for a 1974-75 administrative internship by the American Council on Education. The program is designed to strengthen leadership in American higher education by identifying and training promising faculty and junior staff for responsible positions in academic administration.



Robertta Kathleen Parks  
Sackett Hall - room 325

5/6/74

CASE NO. A 1756  
Missing Person Report

SUPPLEMENTARY

July 3, 1974

On June 1, 1974, a county wide search for Kathy Parks was conducted under the supervision of Benton County Deputy Sheriff Howard Becker. The search consisted of 119 search air rescue (SAR) volunteers with 69 vehicles who combed most of Benton County by car, motorcycle, boat, and on foot. The search was conducted in six areas simultaneously and covered a total of 4,015 miles. No trace of Kathy was found. A copy of Deputy Becker's report is attached.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Daily contacts have been made at the Citizen's Bank at Corvallis where Kathy Parks still has a checking account with a balance of approximately \$40. There have been no checks written on her account since her disappearance on May 6, 1974. Kathy's parents have requested that this checking account remain open in the event that she does write a check on this account.

A confidential source of information through the Internal Revenue Service and Social Security indicates no record of employment on Kathy Parks since she has been reported missing. The last record of employment was when she was employed at a library while attending high school in Lafayette, California. The source of information at the IRS office will immediately notify us in the event they receive information of her employment.

The State Employment Offices, and Welfare Offices have been also checked for any information of Kathy with negative results.

The Department of Motor Vehicle Offices in Oregon, Washington, and California have been checked for any driving record on Kathy since her disappearance on May 6. None of these states have record of Kathy, however, she does hold California operator's license number [REDACTED] with a description of 5'4", 115 lbs., blond hair, blue eyes, DOB: 2/27/54.

Shortly after Kathy's disappearance, a search was conducted on campus of all brushy areas, tunnels and manholes. No trace of her was found.

On May 15, 1974, Campus Security Officer Loren Glass made a check of all establishments on Monroe street between 26th avenue and 14th avenue, at approximately 11 p.m., which was the approximate time that Kathy was last seen. There were only three places open at this time of night. They are Shakey's Pizza Pantry, House of Rounds, and Three Togos. Missing persons posters have been placed in these establishments and there has been no lead to Kathy from any of these yet.

On June 4, information was received from Benton County Sheriff John T. Dolan that indicated Kathy may have gone to one of several cities in Southern Washington. Further information was that she may have also been seen in the Redmond-Bend area. On June 6, Director of Security, Amos Shaw and the writer proceeded to Bend and Redmond traveling route 97, to Bigg's Junction located on the Columbia River. From that point the route took us across the Columbia River into Goldendale, Washington, where we traveled east on highway 14 and north on highway 21 into Prosser, Washington. Several leads were checked out in these areas with negative results.

PERSONS INTERVIEWED

PATRICIA McNEIL, receptionist for Dr. Donald B. Gwinner, dentist in Corvallis,  
phone 753-2664.

Kathy's father, Mr. Charles E. Parks, Jr., advised me that Kathy had made several dental appointments with Dr. Gwinner, however, she had cancelled her appointment for May 8th. Mrs. McNeil stated that she has never personally met Kathy, however, on May 6th, prior to 4 p.m., a young lady identifying herself as Kathy, telephoned her at the office to cancel her dental appointment scheduled for 4:30 p.m. on May 8th. The girl was very insistent about cancelling her May 8th appointment as she stated she was returning home to her regular dentist in Lafayette, California. Mrs. McNeil is uncertain, but she believes that Kathy also said she would not be in this area on May 8th. Mrs. McNeil was questioned at length about Kathy having made this statement as it would obviously indicate Kathy intended to leave this area prior to May 8th, but Mrs. McNeil could not be certain if Kathy did say this or if she only indicated she intended to leave Corvallis at the end of school term. Mr. Parks advised the writer that just several days before Kathy's disappearance he had instructed her to cancel her appointments with Dr. Donald Gwinner and see the family dentist when she returned home to Lafayette after school was out.

CAROL COCKBURN  
1882 Allen Avenue  
San Jose, California  
Phone (408) 269-6857

Miss Cockburn was contacted by telephone at her home address in San Jose, California. She was Kathy's belly dancing instructor in winter and spring term. She first met Kathy in November or December of 1973, when Kathy started her classes, which were once a week. Kathy was very quiet and declined a date with an acquaintance of Carol's. Kathy seemed very interested in belly dancing, and Carol told her to go to the "Bagdad Night Club" in San Francisco to see some belly dancing. To her knowledge, Kathy's boyfriend, Chirs McPhee, went with her shortly after Christmas, and Kathy came back with some belly dancing record albums. She last saw Kathy around the middle of April. She further stated that Kathy was a very quiet girl and she would have no idea where she is. Kathy did tell her that she did not want to date anyone else as her boyfriend, Chris, was going to be in town in a few weeks and she would be seeing him.

WENONA CHRISTIANSON  
Counseling Center  
Lafayette, California  
Phone (415) 283-8429

Mrs. Christianson's original statement is included in the writer's first report on page 4. Kathy was receiving counseling from Mrs. Christianson for emotional problems while she was attending high school in Lafayette, California. Mrs. Christianson further advised that Kathy has a very good friend who is now attending California State College at Hayward, California. This girlfriend is NORA HUMPHRY, area code (415) 283-8758 or (415) 537-9457.



Miss Humphry was contacted by telephone and stated that she knew Kathy Parks very well about four or five years ago when they were sophomores and juniors in high school. She last saw her about a year ago when they met on a street in Lafayette. They do not nor have they ever exchanged letters or other correspondence. She stated that Kathy is particularly good friends with JOANNE STEVENS, CAROLYN MCCANN, and NANCY ASHMEAD, while in high school. Joanne Stevens is currently a student at OSU and her statement was included in the writer's original report.

STEVE ANDERSON  
5740 S.W. Florida  
Portland, Oregon  
Phone 246-7686

Steve Anderson was contacted on May 15th, and stated that he met Kathy through Chris McPhee at his apartment in Portland last winter. Kathy and Chris had hitch-hiked up to see him from Corvallis. He and Chris McPhee are scuba diving buddies. He has not seen Kathy since last winter and knew her only casually.

JANE GOODWIN  
754-2502  
5:55 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

She knew Kathy Parks, and she is aware Kathy is missing. She last saw Kathy Sunday, April 21, 1974, when a group went scuba diving. She was riding in the same car with Kathy, who talked a lot about her boyfriend back in Louisiana or Kentucky; and about taking a year off after she finished this term to get her head together. This was unusual because Kathy was usually very quiet and didn't say much. She did not see or talk to Kathy on May 6th. About three days ago she heard from Elizabeth "Pixie" Robinson, 754-3239, that Kathy had a boyfriend on campus named Rob. She said this really surprised her because she had heard nothing of it before. (See attached page: ELIZABETH "PIXIE" ROBINSON)

JOHN GACHEL  
753-3035  
5:40 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

He does not know Kathy. He is not presently registered at OSU, nor is he in any scuba diving class.

JOHN KEENE  
753-3035  
5:40 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

He does not know Kathy Parks. He went on the last big dive the scuba diving class had last term. They had a party afterwards, and he and his roommate (John GACHEL) were invited. He only knew a couple of people there. He was not registered for the class, and thinks the list may have to do with the party.

NANCY NICHOLAS  
754-2013  
5:10 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

She knew Kathy Parks pretty well and knows she is missing. Nancy last saw Kathy on Sunday, April 21, 1974. She said Kathy talked about how unhappy she was with school and about the second thoughts she was having about going south to either live with or marry her boyfriend. Kathy told her she would probably go.

The whole time Nancy has known Kathy, Kathy did not strike her as the type who would just disappear; she was always very sensible and level headed. She was shocked at Kathy's disappearance and emphasized that Kathy "wasn't abnormal."

ROY FEINBERG  
754-1782  
8 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

He knew Kathy Parks in his scuba diving class, and is aware she is missing. He saw her about a week before she disappeared in the cafeteria line. They only spoke greetings when they met. He has never dated her. He did not see or talk to her on May 6th. He will contact the Campus Security Office if he recalls or hears anything that may help in locating Kathy Parks.

BRETT SCHNEIDER  
753-9035  
4:50 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

He knows Kathy Parks and that she has disappeared. He last saw her on the day of the last dive for the scuba diving class on Sunday about three weeks ago. She was riding in his car to and from the coast. He said she talked about having to make a decision about her fiance and her future in school. She also talked about a girlfriend who wanted her to come and stay with her this summer. He thought the girlfriend is in Louisiana. He does not know the friend's name, but believes she was registered for scuba diving during fall term and dropped out. He said that Midge Crammer might know her name. He has never dated Kathy; he did not see or talk to her on May 6th, and will contact Campus Security if he recalls or hears anything that might help locate her.

DOUG NICHOLSON  
753-8985  
6:05 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

He knew Kathy Parks in his scuba diving class and was aware of her disappearance. He last saw her in class last term. He has never dated her or ever really knew her well enough to talk with her. He will contact Campus Security if he recalls or hears anything that may help locate Kathy Parks.



GLEN PETERSON  
753-5625  
6:23 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

He knew Kathy Parks only as a member of his scuba diving class. He is aware that she is missing. He last saw her last term during class. He described their relationship as a "Hi" type. He has never dated her. He did not see or talk to her on May 6th. He will contact Campus Security if he recalls or hears anything that may help locate Kathy Parks.

MIKE WEEDMAN  
442-5587  
Wasco, Oregon  
8:50 a.m.  
May 20, 1974

He knew Kathy Parks only in the scuba diving class. He is aware that she is missing. He last saw her on April 21, 1974, on a dive the class went on. He has never dated her. He did not see or talk to her on May 6th. He said this term she seemed cold all the time, shivering alot, and that when she got into the water she would get cold real fast. She told him this had never happened to her before. Also, he knows her boyfriend is a professional diver somewhere. If he recalls or hears anything that might help locate Kathy Parks he will contact the Campus Security.

WARREN SHAUL  
754-1026  
4:42 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

He knew Kathy Parks in his scuba diving class, and is aware that she is missing from campus. He last saw her on the Saturday before finals week last term. He has never dated her. He did not see or talk to her on May 6th. If he either recalls or hears anything which will help in locating Kathy Parks he will contact the Campus Security Office.

ELIZABETH "PIXIE" ROBINSON  
7:15 p.m.  
May 20, 1974

When contacted about a boyfriend that Kathy Parks is supposed to have on campus, she emphatically stated Kathy did not have a boyfriend, only acquaintances. When asked specifically about "ROB" she stated that Kathy had been with him at Weatherford Hall during Mother's Weekend, and had introduced her to him. She further stated that the guys in Weatherford Hall called him Robo (pronounced Rowbow), and that he lives in room 141 Weatherford Hall.

It was learned that the person known as "Robo" is actually the below listed subject who the writer questioned and obtained the following statement in substance.

ROBERT MALLEN  
Room 141 Weatherford Hall

He met Kathy at a dance at Weatherford Hall during fall term. They saw each other occasionally on campus, and he never dated her. Kathy talked a lot about her boyfriend, Chris, and had a conflict within herself as what to do about her relationship with him. She decided she did not want to get married, but instead wanted to go to California and live with her sister, Sharon. He last saw Kathy in Weatherford Hall cafeteria on Sunday May 5th. On Saturday, May 4, Kathy called him and asked if he wanted to take a bike ride with her. He accepted the invitation and they rode down town, taking the bike trail through Avery Park and back to campus. Kathy's roommate "Bunny" Schmidt, took off for a weekend one time during this school year without telling anyone, and this upset Kathy. Kathy said she would never do this without telling someone where she was going. He has no idea where she would be.

CHRISTY MCPHEE  
1724 River Road  
Berwick, Louisiana  
Phone (504) 384-5211

Chris McPhee arrived in Corvallis on May 13, from Louisiana via Delta Air Lines and United Air Lines. The possibility was considered that he could have been in Corvallis on May 6, the day Kathy disappeared. However, he has given the writer receipts of his plane tickets which are dated May 13, 1974, from Delta Air Lines and United Air Lines from New Orleans to San Francisco and Eugene, Oregon, dated May 13. In addition, when Mrs. Parks heard of Kathy's disappearance on May 9, she telephoned Chris McPhee's residence in Berwick, Louisiana, as she felt that Kathy may have traveled to that location to see him. Mrs. Parks talked to Christy's roommate who answered the telephone and advised that Christy was not there at that time, but was working at the shop in Berwick, Louisiana. Mrs. Parks is satisfied in her own mind that Christy was not in Corvallis, Oregon, at the time of Kathy's disappearance. Since Chris arrived in Corvallis on May 13th, he has hitch-hiked throughout the states of Washington, Oregon, and Idaho, distributing missing persons bulletins and inquiring of Kathy's location. He is presently staying in Weatherford Hall on campus in a room furnished to him by the Department of Housing. It is his intention to stay in this area until such time that Kathy is located. During frequent conversations with Christy for the past three weeks, it was learned that Kathy has experimented with practically every type of narcotic and dangerous drug she could acquire. He believes, however, that most of her experimenting with drugs occurred prior to her enrollment at Oregon State University while she was living in California. It has been established through friends of hers that she has been using hashish and marijuana frequently within a week prior to her disappearance. Christy further advises that during the six months that they lived together in an apartment above the Oregon Museum in Corvallis, Kathy occasionally used amphetamines during mid-term exams to "pick her up."

The writer has recently received additional information that Kathy was possibly dating other students at OSU. That information is being pursued at this time.



On June 13, 1974, Director Of Security, Amos Shaw and the writer inventoried Kathy's personal belongings in her room, 325 Sackett Hall. (See attached inventory sheet).

Kathy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks, arrived in Corvallis via automobile on June 20th. The writer visited with them during most of the next day, and accompanied them to the Dean of Student's Office where they conferred with Assistant Dean of Students, Bill Brennan. At 4 p.m. on that date, they again conferred with President Robert MacVicar and the writer at the President's office. Prior to their departure back home that evening, they indicated that they were glad that they had made the trip to Corvallis and it is their belief that Kathy is alive and living elsewhere. They loaded a good deal of Kathy's property into their vehicle to return to their residence in Lafayette, California. The remainder of her property is presently stored at the Campus Security office in Gill Coliseum. The writer has advised Mr. Bob Hartman, Department of Housing, of this, and he will take the necessary action to have this property returned to Mr. and Mrs. Parks in the near future.

LEADS CLEARED

As indicated in the writer's original report, on May 17, Kathy's mother advised that Kathy might go to the World's Fair in Spokane as her younger sister, Susan, would be appearing there on May 25th as a member of a high school singing group known as "Acalanes." Detective Kaley of the Spokane Police Department was contacted by phone and requested to interview Susan Parks at the World's Fair on that date. On May 26th Detective Kaley telephoned the writer to advise that he had contacted Susan Parks the previous evening in the amphi-theatre and talked to her concerning Kathy's possible appearance at that location. Susan told him that she had looked through the crowd during and after her performance, but was unable to locate Kathy. Susan further told Detective Kaley that she believed that Kathy was living with a boy by the name of Chris McPhee. She further advised that her father had suffered a heart attack on May 6th, and this had affected Kathy, plus the fact that Kathy felt guilty about living with Chris. She further believes that Kathy is a very sensitive person. She has no idea where her sister might have gone.

DELL LEWIS  
2580 Chrystal Lake Drive  
Corvallis, Oregon  
Phone 752-2183

On May 19th, Mr. Lewis picked up a girl in Corvallis on the Philomath Highway near the bowling alley and took her to the Dairy Queen in Philomath. This girl stated she was going to the Harlan-Elk City area. Her hand was wrapped heavily in bandages, and she stated that she had burned it a week prior. Mr. Lewis dropped her off at the Dairy Queen and as he came back through town he saw her getting into another car. Benton County Deputy Sheriff Sergeant Joe Morgan advised that he saw this same person hitching a ride in Philomath at the Dairy Queen at approximately 9 p.m. on May 19th. He said this girl had short, above the shoulder, length hair, weighed approximately 150 lbs., round face and rough features. Deputy Morgan has seen pictures of Kathy Parks and is certain that this girl is not the same person.

MURNA GEBAROWSKI - Clerk at the First National Bank, Tigard, Oregon, phone 639-5424

Mrs. Gebarowski telephoned Campus Security Office on Monday, May 13, to advise that a young lady fitting Kathy's description opened a checking account in their bank on Friday, May 10. This girl gave the name of Tracey Ward from Berkley, California, and showed identification as proof. She also, while opening her checking account, gave a current address as 15384 S. Holcomba Blvd., Oregon City. Phone number 655-7740. The Tigard Police Department was subsequently contacted and they in turn contacted Miss Tracey Ward at her place of employment at Double Decker Bus Company, Oregon City. They determined that Miss Ward has been employed by this company since March 27, 1974, and is not Kathy Parks.

DENISE PRITCHARD - Store detective for Value-Mart, Yakima, Washington  
702½ North 6th Ave., Yakima, Washington, phone (509) 248-3344

On May 31, at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Pritchard telephoned the writer and supplied the following information. About 5 p.m. on Wednesday May 29th, she was approached in the store by a customer by the name of SANDRA WARD, 804 N. 20th Ave., Yakima, Washington, phone (509) 453-3046. Miss Ward pointed out another customer to Miss Pritchard whom she believed to be Kathy Parks. Both of these women approached this girl to get a closer look, however, they did not speak to her. They saw this girl leave this store and get into a 1966 Chrysler bearing Washington license number EDS [redacted] registered to [redacted] of 2 [redacted] Sycamore, Yakima, Washington. The writer immediately placed a telephone call to the Yakima, Washington, Police Department and talked to Sergeant Bremmer, phone (509) 248-2620. Upon the writer's request he contacted the residence of Alvin TATGE to determine who had possession of his vehicle on May 29th. At 2:30 p.m. on that date Sergeant Bremmer phoned back and advised that he contacted the aforementioned address and learned that the girl seen in the store that day was NANCY FOUTS. He talked to Miss FOUTS who stated that she was in fact in Value-Mart on the alleged date and time, and was driving the Chrysler. She established her identify and although she did resemble Kathy, it was determined that she was the wrong girl.

EDWIN CREE  
1925 N.E. Portland Boulevard,  
Portland, Oregon  
Phone 285-5009

Mr. Cree reported the following information to the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office who relayed the information to the Corvallis Police Department and subsequently to the writer. He stated he saw a female subject who lives in his [redacted] neighborhood whom he felt was Kathy Parks. He further stated this girl resides at 20 [redacted] N.E. Liberty in Portland. Further, he saw this female in a canary yellow and light tan vehicle with Oregon license number DHG [redacted]. This vehicle is registered to a 1969 Dodge 2/dr sedan in the name of [redacted] at that address. Upon request, a member of the Portland Police Department contacted Mr. Cree at his address. He is old and senile, and described the girl whom he believed to be Kathy as having shoulder length hair. The Portland Police Department also checked the residence of 20 [redacted] N.E. Liberty in Portland and found it to be occupied by two men who were questioned and claimed that they knew nothing of a Kathy Parks or a missing girl.



CARL NELSON  
961 Garfield  
Coos Bay, Oregon  
Phone 888-9485

Mr. Nelson claims to have seen a girl resembling Kathy Parks hitch-hiking south bound on highway 101 from Florence, Oregon, on May 26th, 1974. He described the girl as long blond hair carrying a back pack and wearing a blue outfit. Mr. Nelson reported this information to Deputy Rushmore, Benton County Sheriff's Office, at 6:30 p.m. on May 31, 1974. On Friday, June 14, the writer personally interviewed Mr. Nelson, and showed him photographs of Kathy Parks. After viewing several different photographs of Kathy, Mr. Nelson advised that he is unsure if the girl he saw was Kathy Parks.

MRS. EARL JONDAHL  
7000 Mt. View Drive  
Corvallis, Oregon  
Phone 745-5005

Mrs. Jondahl advised that at 12:20 p.m. on May 7, 1974, a girl came to her house and asked to be taken to the Greyhound Bus Depot in Corvallis. She describes this girl as about 5'5", 130 lbs., long brown hair very unkempt. She was carrying an old leather suitcase and a blue pea coat, wearing blue jeans, crepe blouse, and rather "grubby looking." The writer contacted Mrs. Jondahl, and after showing her photograph of Kathy she is certain that the girl she saw was not Kathy Parks.

On June 24th, a custodian turned in a letter to the Campus Security Office which was found near one of the academic buildings on campus the evening prior. The letter was written by Miss SUSAN BRYANT, room 303 Wilson Hall, letter dated June 22, 1974. The letter, which was not in an envelope, is addressed to a person known only as "Chugg." In the letter Miss BRYANT inquires of Chugg if he has "seen or heard of Kathy." She further indicates in this letter that "Kathy may be in Colorado again." At 1 p.m., June 26th, the writer interviewed SUSAN BRYANT in the Campus Security Office and learned that the person she was referring to in her letter was a friend of hers by the name of Kathy James who is presently residing in Arvada, Colorado. She described Miss James as being 5'6", medium build, short brown hair, wears glasses. Photographs of Kathy Parks were shown to Susan Bryant who advises that she has never known or even seen Kathy Parks before. Miss Bryant enrolled at Oregon State University on April 30th, 1974. She came to OSU from Tongue Point Job Corp Center in Astoria, Oregon. The writer is satisfied that the person that she refers to in her letter as Kathy is not Kathy Parks.

UNCLEARED LEADS

Mr. JAMES PARKS  
2520 S.E. Crystal Lake Drive  
Corvallis, Oregon  
Phone 752-4487

On May 24th, at 12:15 p.m. the following information was relayed to this office by the Corvallis Police Department: An unidentified man in California had telephoned Mr. James Parks asking if Mr. Parks was Kathy's father. Mr. Parks told this individual

that he was not Kathy's father, but that he could get that information from someone on campus as to where Kathy's father was. This unidentified caller stated that he had information or knew where Kathy might be, however, Mr. Parks did not get his name. Mr. Parks thought about this later and decided he had better report this information to the police.

JIM CALHOUN - Was staying at the Youth Hostel House in Eugene located at 4th & Jefferson.  
No permanent address

On May 18th at 4 p.m., Mr. Calhoun telephoned the Campus Security Office from the Hostel House in Eugene and reported the following information: He and a friend of his left Spokane at about 1:30 p.m. on Friday, May 17. They picked up a girl resembling Kathy Parks in Pasco, Washington, and dropped her off in Umatilla, Oregon, at about 5:30 p.m. that same day. This girl told them that she was headed for Hermiston, Oregon. Mr. Calhoun stated that he was "pretty sure" this girl was Kathy. He saw the missing persons poster in the switchboard room of the Youth Hostel House on May 18th. He further stated that the girl he picked up had long blond waist length hair and was wearing blue pants. He did not notice the rest of her clothing description, however, she had a lot of makeup on. She did not have any luggage, and was carrying only her purse. She acted like she had a lot on her mind and she did not want to talk. The Hermiston Police Department, phone 567-5519, was notified at approximately 3:50 p.m. and given Kathy's description and particulars of the case. They were also furnished with a photograph of Kathy Parks in the event that she was, in fact, in their city. They were requested to notify this department in the event they located Kathy.

LOIS CURRIER  
714 South 17th. Street  
Corvallis, Oregon  
Phone 753-4238

On May 14th, at 9:50 p.m. Miss Currier reported to the Campus Security office that she believed that she had seen Kathy Parks twice on May 13. The first time was between 10 and 11 a.m. and the second time was between noon and 1 p.m., on 17th street between "A" street and Western Blvd. Between noon and 1 p.m. she saw the girl turn east walking on "A" street. This girl was walking by herself and was walking slowly as if she had something on her mind. She has not seen this girl in this area before and she said she was sure it was the Parks girl. The girl was wearing a navy blue top, navy blue pants, but no jacket. She had long blond hair; she is not sure if the hair was waist length or not. She will call the Campus Security Office immediately if she sees this girl again.

KATHY ROSS - Owner of the Oregon Museum Tavern  
Corvallis, Oregon  
Business phone 753-8524  
Home phone 752-8875 after 2 p.m.

On June 8th at 3:50 p.m. Mrs. Ross reported the following information to the Campus Security Office: On May 12, she saw a girl, rather tall, with light colored hair on top of her head, come from the apartments above the Oregon Museum with a male subject. They had luggage with them and the girl was wearing cut-off jeans and sandals.



She described the male individual with this girl as a little shorter than this girl. He was wearing a light blue shirt, had dark brown hair, a little shorter than collar length, sideburns, no mustache, and no glasses. They drove off together in a blue cadet or opel type car. She did not say anything about this earlier because she did not feel this really pertained to Kathy Parks, however the girl did resemble her.

IVON KOROUGH - Owner and operator of Redmond Cab Company  
315 North 6th Street  
City Center Motel  
Redmond, Oregon  
Phone 548-8830

On Friday, May 24th, Mr. Koroush telephoned the Campus Security Office to report the following information: On May 20th or 21st, he was in his cab on the south end of Redmond when two girls flagged him down. They were hitch-hiking towards Bend on highway 97. One girl was described as fairly tall, fairly dark hair to her shoulders, and wearing slacks. He describes the second girl as only shorter than the first girl, and heavier. He did not see any luggage, and saw the girls only from across the highway when they flagged him down and asked him for a match to light a cigarette. Mr. Koroush saw a picture of Kathy Parks on television a day or two later and believed that the taller girl was Kathy Parks. After being shown a missing persons poster of Kathy Parks, Mr. Koroush still believed that the taller girl he saw on that date was possibly Kathy Parks. The writer sent missing persons posters to the Redmond Police Department as well as to Mr. Koroush, and asked them to be on the alert for Kathy Parks.

MRS. ASTRID HANCOCK - Department of Physical Education  
Room 106 Women's Building, OSU  
Phone 754-2391

On June 6th, Dean of Students, Robert Chick, contacted the writer and advised that Mrs. Hancock had received information which was possibly pertinent to Kathy Park's disappearance. Dean Chick referred the writer to Mrs. Hancock who was contacted on June 7. Mrs. Hancock gave the following statement in substance: She received the following information from her previous secretary CHRISTINE LONCH, telephone number 752-8670, address 630 Goodnight Street, Corvallis:

On Friday, May 31, Miss LONCH told her that Miss Lonch's cousin (name unknown) had mentioned that friend of his (name unknown) had given Kathy a ride in the Los Angeles area. Mrs. Hancock is uncertain if this person reportedly gave Kathy a ride to Los Angeles or gave her a ride in the Los Angeles area, or for that matter, if it was actually Kathy. On June 19, it was learned that Miss Lonch's cousin is a person by the name of BYRON BOUQUET who was hitch-hiking in the Corvallis area approximately a week after Kathy's disappearance. He was picked up by an unknown individual who gave him a ride. This person told him he had given Kathy a ride in the Los Angeles area. Byron Bouquet said this person who gave him this information was just passing through the Corvallis area, and his identity is not known to him.

DAN KATZ - Staff member of the Bridge Crisis Center  
242 West 8th. Street  
Chico, California  
Phone (916) 345-0092

On June 4th at 8:50 p.m. Mr. Katz telephoned the Campus Security Office to report the following information: A male individual known to him only by the name of JIM told him that he had talked to Kathy Parks in Bakersfield, California. However, he did not realize this until he saw the missing persons poster in the crisis center in Chico. Jim stated he was hitch-hiking in Bakersfield, and was in "J's" Coffee Shop on Union Avenue and 22nd street at about 2 a.m., Sunday morning June 2nd. He said that the girl resembling Kathy was at another table and after he was there awhile she came over to his table and began talking. He further stated that she remarked of having been in the San Francisco and Los Angeles area, but those places were too large and rough for her. She said she was working north trying to find a small town, maybe in a college area where she could get a job. She told him she was financially embarrassed, so he gave her 75 cents to get some coffee with as he only had a \$1.75 at that time. The waitress in the coffee shop told him that she had seen the same girl at that particular coffee shop about two nights before. He described the girl whom he believed was Kathy, as having long waist length hair, brown in color, but fading to a kind of blond color, very fair complexion, and looked like she was "run down." The girl talked very intelligently as though she had been to college. She was wearing a wine colored shirt blouse, white necklace, dark blue slacks and sandals. Jim said he talked to her about an hour and a half while he was in the coffee shop.

HELEN L. PULS  
1175 Territorial Rd.  
Junction City, Oregon  
No phone

On May 27th, Oregon State Police Captain Eugene Daugherty telephoned the writer to report that he had just received a letter from Mrs. Puls dated May 24, 1974. Captain Daugherty subsequently mailed the writer a copy of this letter. In this letter to Oregon State Police Headquarters, Salem, Mrs. Puls reported having seen Kathy Parks walking south on Territorial road on May 14, 1974, during the early afternoon hours. She observed this girl walking on the east side of the road, against the traffic, wearing construction type boots, flared leg jeans, a blue long sleeved shirt or blouse, and carrying a light blue jacket over her shoulder. This girl was not hitch-hiking, just walking towards Cheshire and the junction of highway 36, approximately 20 miles south of Corvallis. Mrs. Puls was contacted by Amos Shaw and the writer. She gave the following statement in substance after viewing photographs of Kathy Parks: Between 1 and 1:30 p.m. on May 14th, 1974, she saw a young female subject walking south on Territorial road on the east side of the highway. This girl was not carrying a purse, only a jacket over her left shoulder. Mrs. Puls lives in a trailer house approximately 50 feet off Territorial road, located 1.2 miles north of Cheshire. She further stated that the girl whom she believed to be Kathy was wearing leather laceup boots, brown in color, with light



colored soles, possibly crepe soles. She was also wearing flare leg blue jeans, well worn, and she was wearing no makeup. The girl she saw was also wearing a light blue colored blouse or shirt, possibly long sleeved. She was carrying a light blue jacket over her left shoulder and nothing in her right hand. She had waist length blond hair, very beautiful, cut even at the bottom. This girl was taking long strides, had her head up, keeping a steady pace and looking straight ahead as she was walking. Mrs. Puls did not report this incident to the Oregon State Police earlier as she did not realize that this was Kathy Parks until she saw the picture in the Eugene Register Guard several days later. Mrs. Puls is "absolutely positive" this was Kathy Parks after being shown photographs of the missing girl. She did not notice if this girl was wearing any jewelry or rings, but was just admiring her walk and her beautiful hair. This girl was very clean and neat appearing, and did not have the appearance of a hippy or transient. Mrs. Puls impressed Amos Shaw and the writer with her sincerity, and she appears to be a very level headed person. She had a clear unobstructed view of this girl within 50 feet, and she is quite certain that this was Kathy Parks that she saw. The route that this girl was taking would have taken her to the junction of Territorial road and highway 36. This highway would lead her into Cheshire and Eugene if she would have turned east, or to the coast highway through Mapleton and the Florence area if she would have turned west on highway 36. On Friday, June 14, the writer proceeded on this route to the coast as far south as Coos Bay, stopping every several miles to distribute posters and inquire at various locations such as restaurants, service stations, etc, for anyone that may have seen Kathy Parks.

On Friday, June 21, Director of Security, Amos Shaw and the writer proceeded to a commune located up Cherry Creek road, approximately 10 miles southwest of Monroe. The name of this commune is "EARTHS RISING." We contacted several individuals residing in a farm house in this commune, and showed them a missing persons poster of Kathy Parks. The individuals that we spoke to were aware of Kathy Parks being missing as they had seen the posters in the grocery store in Monroe. They were very cooperative and stated that they would contact the Security Department in the event they should happen to see Kathy Parks.

During the past six months four coeds have disappeared from three college campuses in Washington. Similarities in these missing girls are as follows:

1. All four females are white, between 18 and 21 years of age and considered attractive.
2. They were attending colleges located on or near an interstate highway.
3. They disappeared during evening hours, telling no one, and taking no luggage or other type personal belongings with them.

Although Kathy Parks is within this classification, there has been no evidence found, or information received, that her disappearance is in any way related to the four missing girls in Washington.

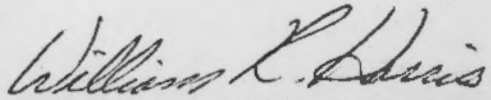
The missing girls are listed below by sequence of the dates they disappeared:

1. LYNDA ANN HEALY - DOB 7-30-52, missing from the University of Washington at Seattle since January 31, 1974.

2. DONNA GAIL MANSON - DOB 6-9-54, missing from Evergreen State College at Olympia since March 12, 1974.
3. SUSAN ELAINE RANCOURT - DOB 10-12-55, missing from Central Washington State College at Ellensburg since April 17, 1974.
4. ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS - DOB 2-27-54, missing from Oregon State University at Corvallis since May 6, 1974.
5. GEORGANN HAWKINS - 18 years, missing from the University of Washington at Seattle since June 11, 1974.

The writer has been in contact with the Campus Security Departments and Police Agencies investigating the disappearance of the four college coeds in Washington. Liaison is being maintained with these departments through an exchange of written reports, teletypes, and telephone conversations.

Investigation is continuing and additional leads will be checked out as they are received at this office.

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
DATE July 3, 1974

WRH:jl

cc: ✓ Dean Popovich  
✓ Dean Chick  
✓ Everett Lillig  
✓ Corvallis Police Department  
✓ Benton County Sheriff's Office  
✓ Oregon State Police, General Headquarters  
✓ Oregon State Police, Corvallis

Attachments



SUPPLEMENTARY

Sept. 2, 1974

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Missing Person

Since the writer's last report on July 3, 1974, the following action has been taken in this investigation:

DAVE ERWIN - Bartender at Thunderbird Lounge  
Country Kitchen Restaurant, Corvallis  
Phone - 752-4949  
Residence - Route 1, Box 351  
Shedd, Oregon  
Phone - 491-3959

On July 19, 1974 at 4:30 PM Mr. Erwin phoned the Campus Security Office regarding information concerning Kathy Parks, and gave the following statement to the writer when contacted several minutes later at his place of employment.

On July 18th, around 4:00 PM, he was tending bar when the following two girls came in and ordered drinks.

1. White female, about 25 years, 5'6", 125 pounds, dishwater blond hair to shoulders, wearing clean blue jeans and loose, pullover blouse with low neckline, reddish brown in color. Was referred to by #2 as "SUZY".
2. White female, early 20's, about 5'4", dark straight hair to center of back, round face, very small build. Wearing short, loose dress, light blue in color.

These two girls were the only customers in the lounge at the time as it opens at 4:00 PM. He struck up a conversation with them and referred to the photograph of Kathy Parks which was displayed on the shelf behind the bar, in plain view of the customers. The girl known as Susy, #1 told him that she knew this girl, although she never referred to her by name. She further stated that the girl "left because of an argument she had with her father". The girl also told her that she would contact her parents "as soon as I get my head together".

Mr. Erwin removed the photograph from the shelf and read the reverse side to these two girls, indicating Kathy's name description, the fact that she has been missing from O.S.U. since May 6, 1974 and the \$1500 reward being offered by her parents, and to contact OSU Security if she is located.

Suzy told Mr. Erwin that this girl is "living down on the coast with a bunch of people". She also said that she knew where the girl was but would not reveal her present location because it is not any of her business and she is not interested in the \$1500 reward. Suzy did not mention anything to Mr. Erwin about this missing girl having troubles with a boyfriend, only that she couldn't get along with her father whom she recently had an argument with. Suzy also indicated that this girl told her she got along fine with her mother.

Suzy further stated that she thought the \$1500 reward was a bad idea as someone might forcefully take the girl into custody, and harm her in the process. Suzy did not refer to Kathy by name, stating only that she knew her and had talked to her.

In her conversation with Mr. Erwin, Suzy said she "used to live in Corvallis a couple of years ago, and moved back in town about a month ago". She also said she had been doing some "strange, weird things" since she's been back.

Mr. Erwin believes that Suzy is a user of speed as she talked very fast and because of her other characteristics. He used to live in a commune and is familiar with drug users. Suzy also mention being in the San Jose, California area. In the course of their conversation, she also mentioned that her dog, "Tony" was outside, and her boyfriend has a "chopped" Harley Davidson motorcycle.

Mr. Erwin decided to report this incident as Suzy had told him to contact the people looking for the girl and tell them they could stop looking for her as she was "living with a bunch of people down on the coast and would contact her parents when she got her head together".

The two girls talked to him for about 45 minutes, during which time they each drank two mixed drinks. That is the first time he has seen either of them, and does not know their last names nor how to locate them. He does not know if they had a vehicle or were on foot. He agreed to notify the writer if he should see either girl again. In his opinion, neither girl was intoxicated or under the influence of drugs at the time he talked to them.

The fact that Suzy quoted this girl as saying she would contact her parents "when I get my head together" and that she got along fine with her mother but not her father, indicates that this girl could be Kathy Parks.

As indicated in previous reports, Kathy told Lorraine Fargo, the last person to have seen her on campus, that she "just felt like walking and trying to straighten things out in my mind". It is also a fact that Kathy at times did not get along well with her father, but was close to her mother.

Attempts are being made at this time to identify and locate "Suzy" to determine if she actually has knowledge of Kathy's location, or if she was merely fabricating this story.

On July 22, 1974, the writer contacted a confidential source of information who believes she knows the girl referred to as "Suzy" in Mr. Erwin's statement. The informant advised that the below listed girl fits the description of the girl described by Mr. Erwin:

SUSAN LONEY - about 20 year old  
Residence - Monroe, Oregon  
Employed at Tenbrooks Jewelers, Albany, Oregon  
Phone - 9289684



She owns a dog named "Obey" or "Tony" and has a boyfriend who drives a Harley Davidson motorcylce, chopped.

On July 23rd the informant contacted Susan Loney and arranged for a meeting with the writer at 6:00 PM that evening. Miss Loney was very cooperative and denied being the same girl who talked to Mr. Erwin at the Thunderbird Lounge on July 18th. She also stated she has never met Kathy Parks and has no knowledge as to Kathy's location. At the writer's request, she agreed to have her photograph taken which was shown to Mr. Erwin later that evening. Mr. Erwin is positive that Susan Loney is not the same girl he talked to who claimed to have knowledge of Kathy's present location. Susan Loney is 19 years old, has natural platinum blond hair below her shoulders and is heavier set than the girl described by Mr. Erwin. Mr. Erwin again stated that the girl he talked to was around 25 years old, had shoulder length dishwater blond hair, and a "hardened appearance."

The investigation is continuing in an attempt to locate this girl.

The informant advises that she is preparing to make a state wide health survey of all the communes in Oregon. She has agreed to make personal inquiries at each of these communes regarding Kathy Parks, and was supplied with 50 missing persons posters of Kathy. In the event that she locates Kathy or develops a lead, she will immediately contact the writer by telephone. She was assured that our only concern is determining if Kathy is alive and well. Once this has been accomplished and her parents are notified, no further action will be taken as Kathy is free to go where she wishes.

During the week of July 22 to 26, Director of Security Amos Shaw assigned his youngest officer, Phil Mayfield, to undercover special assignment for the purpose of checking as many of the communes as possible on the Oregon coast. Officer Mayfield hitch hiked up and down the coast between Newport and Coos Bay, staying overnight in several of the communes, and checking numerous others. He was able to establish several possible leads, however Kathy was not located. (see attached copy of his report)

JASER MOHD SHOBAKI  
DOB: 10/25/38 Citizen of Jordan  
Teaching Assistant, Physics Department, Room 373  
Residence - 642 NW 11th, Corvallis  
752-7003

Mr. Shobaki was interviewed on July 11, 1974, and gave the following statement in substance:

He met Kathy Parks at the Memorial Union Commons during Fall Term. She was constantly biting her fingernails, a very nervous person, and refused to confide in him as to her personal problems. She did mention, however, that she was seeing a psychiatrist. He talked to her on two or three occasions at the M.U., but did not pressure her into discussing her problems.

His father has been a policeman in Jordan for the past thirty years, and he is aware of the present problems in law enforcement. He talked to Kathy about the problems the authorities are faced with in drug smuggling into this country, and expressed his opposition to their use. Kathy stated that "everyone is entitled to their own opinion" and made no further comment.

Kathy was always alone when he talked to her at the M.U. and he has never met any of her friends. Their conversation normally involved the crisis in Jordan at the time, and human behavior. Kathy did not consider herself attractive as she thought she was overweight. He also recalls that she used a lot of makeup. He last saw her just prior to Christmas, 1973. It is his opinion that if Kathy did leave on her own free will, she would probably go to a commune rather than a large city. She was "reaching out for help and had no confidence in herself". She never appeared to be depressed when he saw her, however she never confided in him to any extent her personal problems. He has been a student at OSU since 1968.

On July 15, 1974, Oregon State Police Captain Eugene Daugherty entered Kathy's name into N.C.I.C. (National Crime Information Center) by teletype # W106367123. In the event that any police agency within the United States encounters Kathy for any reason and makes inquiry through N.C.I.C, they will be immediately alerted that she is a missing person and given the information as to who to contact.

It was learned that on the night of May 3, 1974, Kathy attended the "B.B.King Concert" at Gill Coliseum, and was accompanied by the below listed person who was a student at OSU at the time. School had terminated when this was learned, and he gave the following written statement on July 22 in reply to the writer's letter:

NEIL HUNDT  
19 Sheldon Street  
Ardsley, New York 10502

"I didn't get to know Kathy until the beginning of Spring Term this past year, mainly because she was very reserved and spent alot of her time with her boyfriend, or fiance, in the beginning of the year. I got to know her by way of a class I was in for one day; we both knew each other by sight from living in the same dorm.

As far as my relationship was with her, it was purely platonic. I talked to her occasionally, usually at night for a good period of time. During the course of these conversations, she talked about the problems she was having, mainly that she would not want to immediately settle down with her fiance in Louisiana. It just seemed that something was bugging her that she couldn't face up to, but this was only my observation and conclusion about the matter; I could be wrong. At one point we talked about the joy of traveling, and she said she always wanted to work on an ocean liner and travel around the world. Therefore I would not be surprised if she ran away from her "problems" and wanted to start anew. But then again it is strange that she would be so cruel to people by running away, and odd that she did not pack any belongings or take any money.



In reference to the B.B. King concert I took her to, we walked there from Sackett Hall and went back to my room after the show. Although Kathy is a very attractive girl, I did not notice anything suspicious of others that night in the Coliseum.

I believe I have told you everything I recall about Kathy. If you have any additional questions I would appreciate it if you would call me at (914) 693-2889 during the evenings or having me call you collect.

I hope I have been some help to your investigation of Kathy's whereabouts.

Sincerely,

Neal Hundt"

Children's Aid Society  
1675 West 10th Avenue  
Vancouver, B.C. V6J 2A3

On July 23, 1974, the Security Office received from the OSU Registrar's Office a self return-addressed envelope bearing the above named organization containing the following typewritten message:

"KATHY PARKS SEEN ON 8th AVE., MALL. CALGARY

ON JULY 12th, 1974 BY [REDACTED]

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY SECURITY."

The envelope was addressed to: Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon, U.S.A. The note was unsigned and not dated. The Registrar's Office received it on July 22nd.

The writer placed a phone call to this organization, (604) 733-8111, and talked to a MR. COWEN, supervisor of intake workers. He advised that they have no patients or employees by the name of [REDACTED] and had no idea who would have sent the letter. He further stated that it would not be difficult for someone to acquire one of their self-return addressed envelopes. Due to the fact that Kathy expressed interest in working with handicapped children, Mr. Cowen suggested that we alert the City of Calgary Social Services, P.O. Box 2100, Admin. Bldg. 333 7th Ave. SE. Calgary, Alberta, where she may have applied for employment.

Letters containing missing persons posters of Kathy were subsequently mailed to both of these organizations and to this date no reply has been made.

There is no record of a [REDACTED] at OSU.

On July 25, 1974 the remainder of Kathy Parks' belongings were shipped to her parents via REA express. It consisted of seven cartons with a total weight of 250 pounds, and the cost was credited to the OSU President's Office. At the request of Mr. and Mrs. Parks, Kathy's bicycle is stored at the Security Office until further notice from them.

On August 2, 1974 the below listed person contacted the Security Office and reported the following information.

THOMAS BERDOT  
2545 SW 49th  
Corvallis, phone 752-3259  
(operator of Flapper Alley Tavern)  
phone 929-5046 (Philomath)

An unknown person came into his tavern for a beer and, after looking at the poster bearing Kathy's picture, told Mr. Berdot he had seen this girl on a fishing boat in Charleston, Oregon. This person said he did not know the name of the boat or who owns it.

This information was relayed to the State Police Office in Coquille, and another source of information who has a fishing boat in Charleston. There have been no further developments in this lead since that time.

On August 5, 1974 the Security Office received information from the King County Washington Sheriff's Office, Detective Robert Keppel, phone (206) 344-7556, that an unidentified female body had been found near Kamloops, British Columbia.

The writer placed a phone call to the below listed person and received the following information:

INSPECTOR WEISGERBER  
Kamloops City Detachment  
No. 6 West Seymour Street  
Kamloops, British Columbia  
(604) 374-0111

On June 24, 1974, a decomposed female body was found in the brush near Kamloops, B.C. The body was similar to Kathy's physical description, and identification could be made only through dental records. The cause of death was a blow to the head, and the girl had been dead approximately two months. The writer obtained x-rays of Kathy's teeth from her dentist in Corvallis, and forwarded them to Inspector Weisgerber for comparison. On August 14th the writer was advised by Constable Murray Garneau, R.C.M.P. Penticton, B.C. that the comparison had been made and the body in question is not Kathy Parks.



Police agencies in the state of Washington are presently investigating the disappearance of seven girls, including four college coeds, since January 1974. They are of similar age and description of Kathy Parks, and none has been found. Two of the coeds are missing from the University of Washington at Seattle, one from Evergreen State College at Olympia, and one from Central Washington State College at Ellensburg. Two other girls disappeared from Sammamish State Park near Seattle on July 14, 1974, and the third was last seen near a tavern in Seattle on June 1, 1974.

The Washington authorities recently developed a possible suspect whose composite drawing appears in the attached news clipping. The suspect, using the name "Ted" wears a cast on one arm to gain sympathy and assistance from his victims. He also operates a yellow or gold colored Volkswagen sedan, license unknown.

The writer has conferred at length with Thurston County Sheriff Don Redmond and Captain Herb Swindler of the Seattle Police Department. They are coordinating their investigations with other law enforcement agencies, and the recent development of the aforementioned suspect is the only positive lead they have at this time. They have no evidence to indicate that the disappearance of the girls in Washington is in any way connected to Kathy Parks.

On August 15, 1974 Captain Eugene Daugherty, Oregon State Police, relayed the following information to the writer:

JUDY SCHNEIGERMAN of 6820 51st NE Seattle, had been spending the weekend of August 10th at Seaside, Oregon. She had seen the composite drawing of the suspect known as "Ted" in the Washington newspapers, and believed she saw the same person in Seaside on August 10th. She reported this incident to Corporal Jim Shepherd of the State Police Office in Astoria, and this person was later identified by Cpl. Shepherd as:

██████████, DOB: ██████████, 5'10", 170 pounds, light brown reddish curly hair collar length. His residence address is Box ██████████ 9th Blvd, North, Long Beach, Washington. Subject had his left arm in a cast. He was operating a two tone brown 1974 Ford Maverick, Washington license VAR ██████████. The license has been recently issued and is not yet of record at the Washington Department of Motor Vehicles. Lovell stated that he is an unemployed laborer, sets up mobile homes. He has been in the Seattle area on several occasions during the past year.

On August 11, 1974, the Oregonian published the composite drawing of the suspect, and Cpl. Shepherd believes that ██████████ does resemble the suspect.

On August 15th Thurston County Sheriff Don Redmond contacted the writer in person at the Security Office, and was given this information. Captain Daugherty also relayed this information to Captain Herb Swindler of the Seattle Police Department.

Considering the possibility that Kathy may not be alive, and other departments may be investigating unidentified female bodies, a nationwide All Points Teletype was broadcasted on August 21, 1974. (copy attached)

On August 22, 1974 the below listed subject walked into the Corvallis Police Department and inquired as to why the F.B.I. and other police agencies were following him around with the suspicion that he was responsible for the disappearance of Kathy Parks.

DOB: 6'1", 160 pounds, Oregon driver's license  
#  
SE Lilly # Corvallis, Oregon  
Phone 753-  
Parents: Mr. & Mrs. 29 River Road, Hillsboro, Oregon,  
Phone 648-

was questioned at the Security Office by Sergeant Montgomery of the Corvallis Police Department and the writer. It was learned that he has been a student at OSU in the past, but he claims he has never seen nor met Kathy Parks. He has no criminal record in Oregon, but has received counseling at the OSU Mental Health Department. Dr. Raymond Sanders of that department advises that has a paranoid personality, however there is nothing in his records to indicate he is dangerous.

During the interview with, he talked continuously about numerous college girls he has seduced. He produced a sheet of notebook paper bearing the names of approximately thirty females, their addresses and phone numbers. He bragged about how each of these girls had approached him and practically raped him.

The writer was able to locate about half of these girls, and it was learned that none of them ever had sexual intercourse with. had met most of them at the Memorial Union on campus, introducing himself at various times in the cafeteria. The general opinion of the girls interviewed was that is an extremely lonely person and quite harmless. Several of the girls accepted dates with him, but declined later dates as they were not attracted to him. They believe he is "a little different", however he was polite and never attempted to be forceful in his advances.

The writer questioned again on August 23rd and confronted him with this information. He admitted he was lying about his relationship with these girls, and stated he was 25 years of age before he experienced sexual intercourse. He explained that he was worried the police suspected him of being responsible for Kathy Parks' disappearance because he had been bothering so many other girls who he thought may have reported him. He was still convinced that the police are watching him and following him around town.

There has been no evidence found to indicate that is dangerous or that he has ever seen Kathy Parks.



August 27, 1974 Eugene City Police Detectives Virginia Hunt and Wayne L. Irvin contacted the writer and reported the following information:

On August 8, 1974 they arrested: [REDACTED] for First Degree Kidnapping and Sexual Assault. He reportedly enticed a young lady into his apartment in Eugene where he tied her up, removed her clothing and whipped her. After being held captive for about twelve hours, she managed to escape and contact the police. The subsequent arrest and search of [REDACTED]'s room revealed a missing persons poster of Kathy Parks and two sleeves from a woman's blouse. [REDACTED] has since acquired an attorney and refuses to talk to the police. Someone had written the words "Joined SLA" over Kathy's picture on the poster. [REDACTED] has not been questioned as to why he had the poster in his room.

The two detectives viewed a photograph of Kathy Parks and believe that the sleeves of the blouse they recovered in [REDACTED]'s room are of a similar pattern and design as the blouse Kathy was wearing. JoAnne Stevens, Cherell Smith and Sarah Dugan were contacted by phone. They saw Kathy around 9:00 PM on the night she disappeared and recall that she was wearing a solid navy blue colored, short sleeved knit blouse, rather than the one shown in the photograph of Kathy. Lorraine Fargo, however, saw Kathy in front of the Memorial Union at 11:00 PM on that evening, and believes that she was wearing a "light colored blouse with blue background, possibly of flowered design". She also described it as a long sleeved blouse with no cuffs, possibly of polyester material.

The writer also contacted Mrs. Parks and it was determined that she has in her possession the blouse worn by Kathy in the photograph which was shown to the Eugene detectives. Although it appears at this time that the sleeves found in [REDACTED]'s room do not belong to Kathy, the Eugene Police Department will provide photographs of these sleeves which will be sent to Mr. and Mrs. Parks for identification. In addition, Lorraine Fargo has arranged to be in Eugene on Tuesday, September 3, 1974 to look at the sleeves found in [REDACTED]'s room. She will contact the writer after this has been completed.

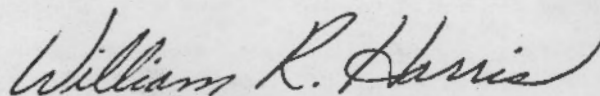
On August 31, 1974 Kathy's former roommate MARIAN SCHMIDT, contacted Detective Irvin at the Eugene Police Department and inspected the sleeves found in [REDACTED]'s apartment. Miss Schmidt did not recognize these sleeves and was unable to say if they belonged to Kathy. She stated that she saw Kathy just prior to 11:00 PM on May 6, 1974. Kathy was at that time preparing to walk to the Memorial Union from her dormitory room, and was wearing a dark blue, short sleeved cotton jersey which tied in the back. She further stated that Kathy was definitely not wearing a blouse of similar design as to the sleeves in question when she saw her last.

The writer will attempt to question [REDACTED] as to why he had the Missing Persons poster of Kathy Parks in his room.

Parks, Kathy  
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Investigation is continuing and additional information will be forwarded by supplemental report.



William R. Harris, Investigator  
September 2, 1974

WRH:dlp

cc: Dean Popovich  
Dean Chick  
Everett Lillig  
Corvallis Police Department  
Benton County Sheriff's Office  
Oregon State Police, General Headquarters  
Oregon State Police, Corvallis



SUPPLEMENT

Parks, Roberta Kathleen  
Sackett Hall

A 1756  
Missing Person

By Officer Phillip Mayfield (special assignment)

Monday July 22, 1974 I patrolman Mayfield went to special duty in search of Kathy Parks. I left Corvallis, Oregon in my personal vehicle around 3:30 PM 7/22/74.

My first objective before starting my journey cross country was to contact State Police Officer Mel GIBSON at the Newport Oregon State Police Office. And to also contact Deputy Chief (Lincoln County Sheriff's Office, Newport) Ronald SUTTON. This was in regards to assistance in locating "communes" in the area and advise the offices of the purpose of my journey.

Officer Mel Gibson informed me of some locations of communes in the area. Monday evening I gave Newport a thorough search trying to locate Kathy Parks. Monday night I stayed in Newport. After leaving Corvallis enroute to Newport I took a side trip to Summit, Oregon, approximately 12 miles west of Corvallis, off State Highway 20. I gathered information of a girl fitting Kathy Parks description who had teamed up with a male subject. They tour the coast and return to the Summit commune one or two times per week. This couple was not at the commune at that time. At a later date I eliminated this female as being Kathy upon personal observation of her.

Tuesday, July 23, 1974 during the morning I started my travels by hitch-hiking to some lower beach area locations south along Highway 101. My first stop was Beaver Creek. (I had received information of a large commune up east of Beaver Creek.) Once in Beaver Creek I started asking people within the neighborhood if a young lady had passed through. While talking I described Kathy by verbal description.

The first home I approached and verbally described Kathy to, the elderly woman said that a young lady who fits the description had passed going south on the Beaver Creek Road with two female companions. I asked the woman if she could see a photo of the girl, would she recognize her? The woman said that yes she could because of her long blonde hair, down to the waist. After showing her the photo of Kathy she stated it looked like the same girl she had seen. This was approximately one month prior to my arrival.

After leaving the woman's house I went up Beaver Creek Road to see if Kathy may have stayed with anyone living further up Beaver Creek Road. But by travelling and asking some of the families within the area I had no luck. So I then I proceeded back to Newport to see Officer Mel Gibson and called my office. I spent that night in Waldport, Oregon.

July 24, 1974 Wednesday morning, I reported in to the Forence State and City Police departments. Once I arrived I received information about the area and how many communes are located around the area. Wednesday evening after receiving the information I proceeded to hitch hike east bound on Highway 36 to check out one of the larger communes where Kathy possibly would be living. The officer I talked to described the commune to be heavily guarded and a hard area to penetrate. After gaining entry into the area I found no leads nor information of Kathy being within that area. I stayed over night in the commune.

July 25, 1974, Thursday morning, I proceeded to hitch hike to Florence and pick up my vehicle and drove back to Newport. After reaching Newport I decided to stay over night.

July 26, 1974, Friday morning, I arrived at State Police Officer Mel Gibson's office and we proceeded to check out the Welfare Office and Welfare Food Stamp Office. While in that office I received information from the lady in charge that a female that fit Kathys description had been in the Food Stamp Office. about two months prior and had tried to obtain food stamps. After showing her a picture of Kathy she was sure that this was the same girl. She stated she would check past records and keep an eye for Kathys return and advise the University if she can positively identify Kathys appearance.

We also checked local Newport hospitals and some residential buildings that had been taken over by transients with no luck.

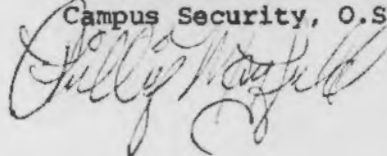
I then proceeded to travel south bound on Highway 101 to check out some of the communes located around the Coos Bay area. While on my way to the Coos Bay area I stopped off to check a commune around Big Creek, with no results. After reaching Coos Bay and thoroughly searching the town I came up with no leads.

I then proceeded up to the Five Rivers commune located about 6 or 7 miles south of Highway 36 near mile post 21. I stayed within the commune from 3 to 5 hours developing no leads to Kathy Parks.

I then proceeded back to Corvallis, Oregon and home.

Respectfully submitted,

Phillip Mayfield # 23/dlp  
Campus Security, O.S.U.





CAMPUS SECURITY

August 5, 1974

Officer Mel Gibson  
Oregon State Police  
Newport, Oregon 98365

Mel;

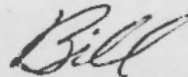
Enclosed are posters and a photo of ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS, who has been missing from Oregon State University since 11:00 P.M. on May 6, 1974.

There has been no evidence found to indicate foul play in her disappearance, and the investigation of her background indicated she may have intentionally left this area and does not want to be found. As you know, we recently received information that she may be living in a commune on or near the coast in your area.

Thanks for assisting Campus Security Officer Phil Mayfield when he was in your area. If you should develop or receive a lead as to her possible location, please call me or teletype OSP at Corvallis.

I have also enclosed posters of two of the four missing coeds in Washington. If I can ever be of assistance to you in this area, don't hesitate to give me a call.

Sincerely,



William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University

WRH:aw

CC: Dean Popovich, Administration

CAMPUS SECURITY

August 5, 1974

Inspector Weisgerber  
Kamloops City Detachment  
No. 6 West Seymour Street  
Kamloops, British Columbia

Inspector Weisgerber:

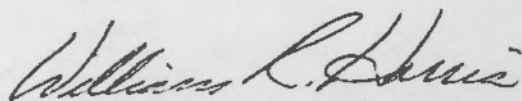
Regarding our telephone conversation today in reference to your investigation of the unidentified female body found on June 24, 1974, I have enclosed an X-ray of the teeth of Roberta Kathleen Parks who has been missing from this university since May 6, 1974.

We have no evidence to indicate foul play in her disappearance, however there is no reasonable explanation as to why she would leave on her own without notifying someone. The investigation of her background, however, indicates she may have intentionally left this area and does not want to be found.

She did spend several days at Lake Cowichan, located on Vancouver Island, last December, and was at least familiar with that part of Canada.

Please let me know when the comparison with this X-ray has been completed, and you may keep this copy for your records. Thank you very much for your cooperation, and I wish you luck in your investigation.

Sincerely,



William R. Harris, Investigator  
Oregon State University  
(503) 754-1473

WRH:as

CC: Dean Popovich



CAMPUS SECURITY

August 7, 1974

Mr. Cowen  
Children's Aid Society  
1675 West 10th Avenue  
Vancouver, B.C. V6J2A3

Dear Sir:

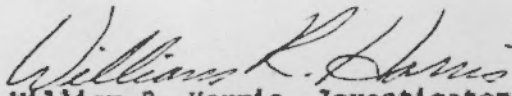
In reference to our telephone conversation on July 23, 1974, I have enclosed copies of the envelope and type written message from the anonymous sender who claims to have knowledge of the missing coed from this campus, Roberta Kathleen Parks.

I realize the difficulty in attempting to locate the subject mentioned in this note, [REDACTED] and any assistance you can offer will be appreciated. It would be interesting to know how the sender acquired one of your return-addressed envelopes.

The enclosed photograph and missing person poster is for your information. Kathy Parks did spend several days at Lake Cowichan on Vancouver Island last December, and there is a possibility that she may have been in your area. She has indicated to friends her desire to obtain employment as a counselor with handicapped children.

Thank you for your assistance and cooperation.

Sincerely,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator  
Phone (503) 754-1473

WRH:aw

CC: Dean Popovich  
City of Calgary Social Services

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APB OREGON  
REQUEST NATIONWIDE BROADCAST

MISSING PERSON

MISSING FROM OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY AT CORVALLIS, OREGON SINCE  
MAY 6, 1974, ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS, DOB 02-27-54, WFA, 5-07,  
120 LBS., WAIST LENGTH BLOND HAIR, BLUE-GREEN EYES. LAST SEEN  
WEARING NAVY BLUE CORD SLACKS, BLUE BLOUSE, LIGHT GREEN CORD JACKET.  
LEFT HER DORMATORY AT 11 PM ON MAY 6, 1974 AND HAS NOT BEEN HEARD  
FROM SINCE

FOR ANY DEPARTMENT INVESTIGATING AN UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE BODY OF  
THIS DESCRIPTION, DENTAL X-RAYS AND PHOTOS ARE AVAILABLE

REFER:  
DAUGHERTY, CAPTAIN  
OREGON STATE POLICE GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SALEM, OREGON MLE

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APB OREGON, OREGON  
NLETS COMM CENTER (NL0000000)



1117 Rahara Drive  
Lafayette, California 94549  
July 17, 1974

Mr. William R. Harris  
Chief Investigator, Campus Security  
Oregon State University  
Corvallis, Oregon 97331

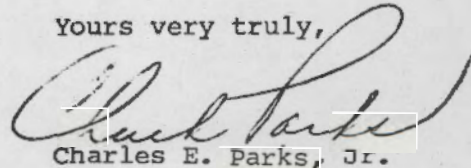
Dear Bill:

This is to acknowledge and thank you for your most recent report. Nothing has occurred here in any way to give any indication that Kathie might have called.

While I know that in your opinion there is little connection between Kathie's disappearance and the four girls in other Washington and Oregon universities in the first five months of this year, I am beginning to think that there might be some connection. Along with other similarities, one more can be added, and that is that none has been solved.

In any event, I would appreciate any knowledge or information that comes to your attention regarding the other disappearances as well as any involving Kathie, and again, I want to thank you for your dedication.

Yours very truly,



Charles E. Parks, Jr.

Campus Security

August 16, 1974

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks  
1117 Rahard Drive  
Lafayette, California 94549

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Parks:

Enclosed are two news clippings from the Barometer school newspaper and the Corvallis Gazette Times regarding the missing coeds in Washington, including Kathy.

Thurston County Sheriff, Don Redmond, contacted me in person yesterday for an exchange of information regarding the investigations. The Washington authorities are still at a loss for leads in their investigations. They recently, however, developed a possible suspect whose composite drawing appears in the enclosed news clipping.

Mr. Jim Erickson, of the Tacoma News Tribune, recently compiled a four page newspaper spread on all of the missing girls. I phoned him today and requested that he send you a copy of the story which is included in the July 28, edition, as I felt it would be of interest to you. In the event that he forgets to do so, you can write to him at: The Tacoma News Tribune, 1950 South State Street, P.O. Box 11000, Tacoma, Washington 98411.

I have conferred at length with Sheriff Redmond and Captain Herb Swindler of the Seattle Police Department. They are coordinating these investigations, and are faced with the same lack of evidence and leads as we are.

As you recall, I previously informed you that we had received a lead from an unidentified female in the Country Kitchen restaurant in Corvallis who saw the photo of Kathy, and claimed that she was presently living "down on the coast with a bunch of people." Further, this girl told the proprietor that Kathy (did not refer to her by name) "would contact her parents when she got her head together." Unfortunately, we still have not been able to identify the girl who made this statement to ascertain if she actually has knowledge of Kathy's location, or if she was merely fabricating the story. Regardless, during the week of July 22 to 26, Director of Security, Amos Shaw, assigned our youngest officer on undercover special assignment to check as many of the communes as possible on the Oregon coast. During that week, the officer hitch-hiked up and down the coast, and actually stayed overnight in several of these communes, and checked numerous others. He was able to establish several possible leads to girls who at least resembled Kathy, but no concrete evidence was formed.



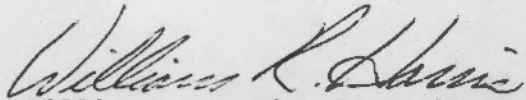
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks  
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On August 5, 1974 we received information from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Kamloops British Columbia that they had recovered an unidentified female body whose physical characteristics were similar to those of Kathy. I obtained copies of Kathy's dental x-rays which I forwarded to their department, and was notified on August 14th, that the body they found is not Kathy. I did not inform you of this investigation until Kathy was eliminated, for obvious reasons.

We continue to receive a few reports of possible leads, and I will keep you informed of any new developments.

Until we receive information to the contrary, I remain optimistic that she is alive.

Sincerely yours,

  
William R. Harris, Investigator

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Enclosures  
cc: -Dean Popovich  
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Campus Security

August 29, 1974

Mr and Mrs Charles Parks  
1117 Rahard Drive  
LaFayette CA 94549

Dear Mr and Mrs Parks

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of August 28, enclosed are two photographs of Kathy wearing the blouse in question. Also enclosed is a police photograph of [REDACTED] who was arrested by the Eugene City Police on August 7, 1974, on charges of Kidnapping and Sexual Abuse. He reportedly enticed a young lady into his apartment, where he whipped her and held her captive for approximately twelve hours, until she was able to escape. When he was arrested a short time later, the police found a Missing Persons poster of Kathy in his room. He naturally could have acquired the poster at numerous locations, as we have distributed them throughout the state. Someone had written "Joined SLA" in red felt pen on top of the poster.

A subsequent search of this subject's room revealed two sleeves which had been cut off a long-sleeved blouse. Although I have not yet seen these sleeves, the two detectives who contacted me believe they are of similar pattern as the blouse Kathy was wearing in these photographs. The two sleeves which they have in their possession are described as from a cotton knit blouse, long sleeves cut off at about the elbow, 2" or 3" cuffs with one or two buttons, light blue swirl pattern. They also recovered a well-worn light green brassiere with lace around the cups, approximate size 34. The ownership of the sleeves and brassiere is unknown at this time.

[REDACTED] is unwilling to discuss these matters with the police, and is now represented by an attorney. I have been able to contact JoAnne Stevens, Cherell Smith, and Sarah Dugan by phone. They saw Kathy around 9:00 p.m. on the night she disappeared and recall that she was wearing a solid navy blue colored, short-sleeved knit blouse, rather than the one shown in this photograph. Lorraine Fargo, however, saw Kathy in front of the Memorial Union at 11:00 p.m. on that evening, and believes she was wearing "a light colored blouse with blue background, possibly of flowered design. She also described it as a long-sleeved blouse with no cuffs, possibly of polyester material. She believes that Kathy may have been wearing another blouse under that one, as she often did this when taking evening walks.

I have made arrangements with the two Eugene detectives to deliver the sleeves of the blouse they recovered to my office on Tuesday, September 3. Lorraine Fargo has told me she will also be at my office at the same time to inspect the sleeves of the blouse.



I will appreciate it if you will contact JoAnne Stevens (Phone: 934-7489), and have her view the photographs to determine if Kathy was wearing the same blouse shown in the photographs as when she was last seen. You might also contact Lorraine Fargo in Novato, California (Phone: 883-4309) for the same purpose. In addition, search through Kathy's belongings for the blouse she was wearing in these photographs. JoAnne Stevens has advised me that Kathy's sister, Sharon, gave her this blouse, and she could assist you in searching for it.

If at all possible, I will mail one of the sleeves to you for identification purposes when they are delivered to my office next Tuesday.

The Eugene Police Department has asked me for samples of Kathy's hair for comparison with that which they recovered in [REDACTED]'s room. Therefore, please go through her belongings and send me her hair brush or comb, which may contain strands of her hair. It would be preferable to enclose these items in separate plastic bags for mailing.

In the event you do find the blouse Kathy was wearing in these photographs, please let me know without delay, so I can advise the Eugene Police Department. Also, I will need the colored photograph of Kathy and the mug shot of [REDACTED] back as soon as possible. You may keep the large black and white photograph of Kathy if you wish.

In all probability, the sleeves found in [REDACTED]'s room do not belong to Kathy, but it is a possible lead that we must clear. I intend to make every effort to question him as to why he had the Missing Persons poster of Kathy in his room.

Sincerely

William R. Harris

cc: Dean Milosh Popovich  
Everett Lillig

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REPLY TO 30 HOTALING PLACE, JACKSON SQUARE, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 94111



September 4, 1974

Mr. William R. Harris  
Security Department  
Oregon State University  
Corvallis, Oregon 97331

Dear Mr. Harris:

Mrs. Parks has already answered and sent back the needed material in response to your August 29 letter.

I just want to add, first of all, my thanks for your previous letter with the BAROMETER article, and also to tell you to let us know at any time if you feel that either or both of us might be needed for identification purposes in Corvallis.

Both Mrs. Parks and I are fully geared mentally to the probability now of foul play.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Charles E. Parks, Jr.'.

Charles E. Parks, Jr.



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
VITAL STATISTICS SECTION

## CERTIFIED COPY OF DEATH CERTIFICATE

71) WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
LOCAL FILE NUMBER **9968** CERTIFICATE OF DEATH STATE FILE NUMBER

DECEASED—NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST SEX DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)

1. **ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS** Female **Unknown**  
LSA 5-6-1974.

RACE WHITE, NEGRO, AMERICAN INDIAN, ETC. (SPECIFY) AGE—LAST BIRTHDAY (YEARS) MONTHS DATES UNDER 1 YEAR UNDER 1 DAY DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) COUNTY OF DEATH

**White** **20** **2/27/1954** **King**

CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DEATH HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION—NAME (IF NOT IN EITHER, GIVE STREET AND NUMBER)

**Unknown. Bones recovered here.** **No** **14 miles South of I 90 on Highway 18?**

STATE OF BIRTH (IF NOT IN U.S.A., NAME AND COUNTRY) CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY) SURVIVING SPOUSE (IF WIFE, GIVE MAIDEN NAME)

**Ohio** **USA** **Never Married**

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER USUAL OCCUPATION—GIVE KIND OF WORK DONE DURING MOST OF WORKING LIFE, EVEN IF RETIRED KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY

**[REDACTED]** **Student**

RESIDENCE—STATE COUNTY CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) STREET AND NUMBER

**California** **Contra Costa** **Lafayette** **Yes** **1117 Rahara Drive**

FATHER—NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST MOTHER—MAIDEN NAME FIRST MIDDLE LAST

**Charles Parks**

INFORMANT—NAME MAILING ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP)

**KING CO. MEDICAL EXAMINER CASE #10868** **108 Crockett Street, Seattle, Wash. 98109**

PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY (ENTER ONLY ONE CAUSE PER LINE FOR (a), (b), AND (c)) APPROXIMATE INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH

18. **7969** IMMEDIATE CAUSE

(a) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF

(b) DUE TO, OR AS A CONSEQUENCE OF

(c) **Bones recovered 3-3-75, identified 3-7-75.**

PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO CAUSE GIVEN IN PART I (a) AUTOPSY (YES OR NO) IF YES WERE FINDINGS CONSIDERED IN DETERMINING CAUSE OF DEATH

**7969** **19a** **19b**

ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, HOMICIDE, OR UNDETERMINED (SPECIFY) DATE OF INJURY (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) HOUR HOW INJURY OCCURRED (ENTER NATURE OF INJURY IN PART I OR PART II, ITEM 18)

**20a** **20b** **20c** **20d**

INJURY AT WORK (SPECIFY YES OR NO) PLACE OF INJURY AT HOME, FARM, STREET, FACTORY, OFFICE BLDG., ETC. (SPECIFY) LOCATION (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE)

**20a** **20b** **20c**

CERTIFICATION—PHYSICIAN: I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM MONTH DAY YEAR TO MONTH DAY YEAR AND LAST SAW HIM/HER ALIVE ON MONTH DAY YEAR I DID/DID NOT VIEW THE BODY AFTER DEATH DEATH OCCURRED AT THE PLACE, ON THE DATE, AND, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, DUE TO THE CAUSE(S) STATED.

**21a** **21b** **21c** **21d** **21e**

CERTIFICATION—CORONER: ON THE BASIS OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE BODY AND/OR THE INVESTIGATION, IN MY OPINION, DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE AND DUE TO THE CAUSE(S) STATED.

**22a** **22b** **22c** **22d** **22e**

CERTIFIER—NAME (TYPE) **DONALD T. REAY, M.D.** SIGNATURE **[Signature]** DATE SIGNED (MONTH, DAY, YEAR)

**23a** **23b** **23c** **23d** **23e**

MAILING ADDRESS—CERTIFIER **1600 West 1st, Seattle, Wash. 98109** STREET OR R.F.D. NO. CITY OR TOWN STATE ZIP

BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (SPECIFY) CEMETERY OR CREMATORY—NAME LOCATION CITY OR TOWN STATE

**24a** **24b** **24c**

DATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) FUNERAL HOME—NAME AND ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY OR TOWN, STATE, ZIP)

**24d** **24e**

FUNERAL DIRECTOR—SIGNATURE REGISTRAR—SIGNATURE DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR

**25a** **25b** **25c** **25d** **25e** **25f** **25g** **25h** **25i** **25j** **25k** **25l** **25m** **25n** **25o** **25p** **25q** **25r** **25s** **25t** **25u** **25v** **25w** **25x** **25y** **25z**

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is a true, full and correct copy of the original Certificate of Death on file in this office.

Lawrence Bergner, M.D. Director of Public Health

By **[Signature]**

Seattle, Wash.

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NOT A CERTIFIED COPY UNLESS RAISED SEAL OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND ORIGINAL COUNTERSIGNATURE APPEAR HEREON

# MISSING

\$500.00  
REWARD

FOR INFO.  
LEADING TO  
A PERSONAL  
CONTACT WITH  
KATHY.



KATHY PARKS

5'7" TALL 120 LBS.

20 YRS OLD W/ WAIST LENGTH HAIR  
MISSING SINCE 5/6/74

LAST SEEN WALKING

NORTH ON THE O.S.U.

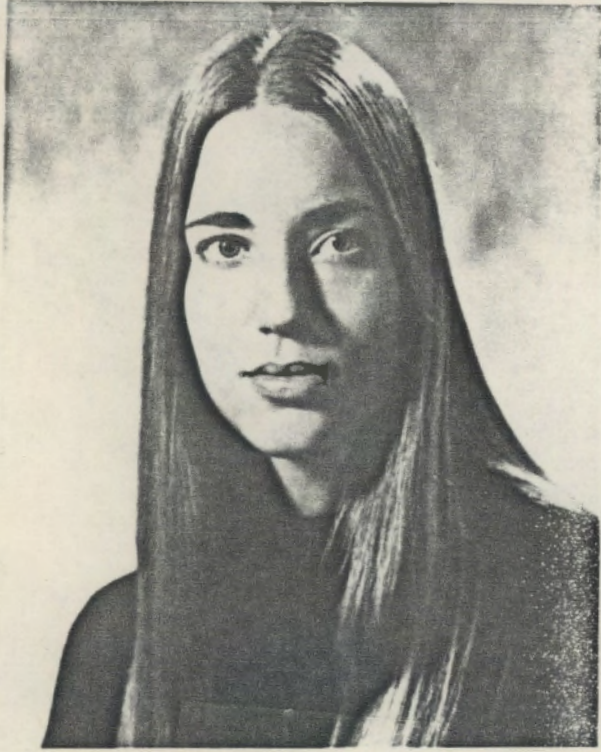
CAMPUS WEARING A WHITE  
CORDUROY COAT, BLUE PANTS  
AND SANDALS.

ANY ONE WHO HAS SEEN OR  
DOES SEE HER CONTACT:

O.S.U. SECURITY. 503-754-1473



# MISSING



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SECURITY

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CORVALLIS, OREGON

REWARD FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO A PERSONAL CONTACT  
WITH KATHY.



OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY  
SECURITY DEPARTMENT

CASE NO. A 1756

OFFICER'S REPORT

SPECIFIC INCIDENT MISSING PERSONS REPORT LOCATION Sackett Hall

VICTIM ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS FACULTY STAFF STUDENT XX OTHER

ADDRESS Sacket Hall - room 325 PHONE X 1100

DATE COMMITTED 6 May 1974 LAST SEEN  TIME 11:00 PM

REPORTED BY Ray Hoyt DATE 8 May 1974 TIME 11:00 PM

ADDRESS Apt. B. Sackett Hall (Head Resident PHONE X 2572

DISCOVERED BY  DATE  TIME

ADDRESS  PHONE

WITNESS  ADDRESS  PHONE

WITNESS  ADDRESS  PHONE

WITNESS  ADDRESS  PHONE

SUSPECT(S)  FACUTLY  STAFF  STUDENT  OTHER

ADDRESS  DESCRIPTION   
(List additional suspects below)

WAS VEHICLE INVOLVED?  YEAR  MAKE  LICENSE NO. & STATE

SUMMARY

MISSING PERSONS REPORT

SUBJECT: ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS, age 20, DOB: 27 Feb. '54

Address: 1117 Rahara Drive SSN: 559-06-6344

LaFayette, California 94549

Phone: (415) 284-5461

Father: Same address - Charles Parks

Simmons Co. 415-391-0550

DESCRIPTION: Long blond waist length hair, fair complexion, blue/green eyes, 5'7", 125 lbs.  
wearing navy blue cord slacks - navy blue top, light green cord jacket, platform sandals

CIRCUMSTANCES: Last seen at 11 p.m. Monday 5/6/74. Received information from sister earlier in the day about her father having a heart attack which upset her. Sister is Sharon KAEHLER, 51 Oak Street, Blackpoint, Calif. 94947 (phone (415) 892-2323) Mother is visiting relatives in Alabama. No phone contact has been established at either parents or sister's residence. Kathy is known to hitchhike to various places, but she usually lets people know where she is going and for how long. Kathy had cashed a \$50 check in early afternoon Monday 5/6/74. Any information contact Ray Hoyt, 754-2572, Sackett HR or Bunny Schmidt #325, phone 754-1100. PUT OUT "A.P.B." ORE.-CAL. by C.P.D.

CC:

DISPOSITION

H. R. Benson  
H. R. Benson/

SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER

DATE 5/9/74 TIME 12:20 AM



SUPPLEMENTARY

ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS  
325 Sackett Hall

5/6/74

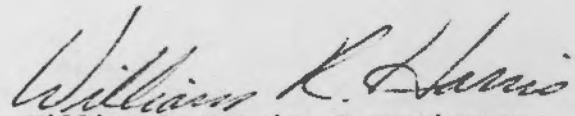
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On May 9th at 2:30 P.M., the writer phoned Roberta Parks residence in LaFayette, California. Her younger sister, Susan Parks, advised that she has not arrived home yet. The family is aware that she is missing from campus. The missing girl received a telephone call from another sister, Sharon Kaehler, Blackpoint, California, that her father had a heart attack. Roberta did not indicate that she intended to come home, however, they believe that she is probably on her way as she is quite excitable. Further information from her girl friend at OSU, JOANNE STEVENS, 329 West Hall, X-2066, is that Roberta withdrew money from her savings account but did not indicate she was going home.

Miss Stevens is also from LaFayette, California. She will be contacted for any additional information she may have regarding the location of Roberta Parks.

Susan Parks said she would phone the OSU Security Office if and when Roberta arrives. She believes that Roberta has probably taken a bus home.

Miss Lydia White, Asst. Director of Residence Programs, has contacted Joanne Stevens. She learned that Roberta is a very independent girl who frequently travels on week-ends. Miss Stevens believes that the girl may have gone to the World's Fair or possibly home after learning of her father's illness. Miss White further advised that the girl's mother has now returned home from Alabama, and Lydia White will telephone her this evening for any new developments.

  
William R. Harris, Investigator

WRH:aw

CC: Dean of Students  
Miss Lydia White  
Corvallis Police Dept.

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At approximately 8:22 PM 10 May 1974, an interview was held in the Head Resident's quarters at Sackett Hall and was attended by the following named persons:

1. Mr. Ray HOYT - Head Resident, Sackett Hall
2. Renee FERGISON - Student, West Hall room 323 ( has Food Class with Roberta Parks)
3. Edward Warren SUMIDA - Student, Sackett Hall room 233, X3070 (friend of Roberta Parks)
4. Mirian Joan SCHMIDT - Student, Sackett Hall (friend and roommate of Roberta Parks)

Missing from the interview but are very close friends of Roberta Parks:

1. Joanne (Joey) STEVENS - Student, West Hall room 329
2. Sarah DUGAN - Student, West Hall room 313

The following information was received from Miss Schmidt, Miss Ferguson, and Mr. Sumida. All agree Miss Parks had only a few friends with which she talked or went out with and then only around campus. For instance trips to the Library Building were very few as most of Miss Parks studying was done in her room. She (Parks) would go to the Memorial Union seldom and then not unless it was with one of the mentioned subjects in this report.

All agreed she was little moody at times and in many instances would stay by herself.

(X 3222) Miss Parks does take classes in Scuba Diving, conducted at the Men's Gym by Mr. Kramer. It was learned she has some of the equipment in her room but rents tanks and wet suits from the Divers Den, 2744 SW 3rd Street, City, (telephone number 753-2377). This class (a hobby) she is most interested in and has taken at least three (3) trips to the coast with the class.

At times Miss Parks would ride her bike on campus and also the bike paths at Avery Park. A check was made of her bike and it was found to be in the regular place with the chain and lock (lock is broken). Check of her room by roommate Miss Schmidt indicated the leg light which she used was still in her room, indicating this was not used on the night in question.

When asked if Miss Parks would hitch a ride to go any place away from campus, all indicated she would never hitch hike, but would ask Edward Sumida to take her. For instance if she wanted to pick up a wet suit or tanks for her diving class he would take her. On one occasion Mr. Sumida did take Miss Parks to Portland to go shopping and they returned early in the evening.

Miss Schmidt stated that on the night in question both she and Miss Parks intended to go to another room (334) in Sackett Hall to visit, this was around 10:55 PM to 11:00 PM. When departing their room Parks said "Go ahead and I'll be over in a while." Miss Schmidt went to room 334 in Sackett and about fifteen (15) minutes later she went back to see why Miss Parks was not coming over, this was when Miss Schmidt found her roommate missing.

Each of those interviewed stated they could not understand why or what has happened and also why none has been called by Miss Parks as each considered they all are best of friends.

The interview closed at approximately 10:15 PM 10 May 1974.

L. Glass #5/mg  
SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER  
DATE 5/10/74 TIME



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Roberta Park's mother telephoned the Campus Security Office at 9:50 AM and requested that the area hospitals be checked to see if her daughter had been admitted. She seems to think it possible something may have happened to Roberta. Mrs. Parks also had Roberta's room checked to see if her makeup box was still there, as Roberta never goes anyplace without it. The makeup box was still in her room.

At 11:50 AM Mrs. Sharon KAEHLER (Roberta's sister) of Blackpoint, Nevada, telephoned, stating that her sister may have gone to the Spokane Fair. Roberta did mention that she planned on going sometime, but Mrs. Kaehler does not believe she was going this soon. An APB was also sent to Washington, attention the Spokane area by Sgt. B.J. Miller of the Corvallis Police Department as a result of this information.

Rachelle Brown, in the MU Catering Service was contacted at approximately 1:30 PM and stated that a Margaret Hill (a friend of Roberta's) had worked for them when they had the Football Training Table. Ray Hoyt or Lydia White have contacted Miss Hill, who now lives in Portland. She has not seen Miss Parks, nor does she have any idea where she might be.

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An interview with Miss SCHMIDT (roommate) indicated Roberta PARKS did in fact have a problem as she (Parks) had been going to the Mental Health Clinic (OSU Student Health Center) for quite sometime. One of her problems was that she and her father did not get along and then she was recently notified her father had just been hospitalized with a slight heart attack. She did state she believed he (her father) would be in good hands.

Miss Schmidt stated lately Miss Parks had been reading the World Bible but did not think she had gone overboard with religion. When asked about habits (good or bad), Miss Schmidt replied no drinking, only that she smoked. When asked about drugs, Miss Schmidt was reluctant to answer and finally said Miss Parks was a frequent smoker of pot but used pot only while in Sackett Hall.

One other problem was a boyfriend living in Louisiana, who she had planned on living with this summer, but had changed her mind and had called him about her change of plans. Instead Miss Parks mentioned a trip to visit her sister (who lives out of state) sometime during the summer months.

Whether the information about her father, religion, pot, boyfriend, and the fact her Mental Health sessions were not helping may have brought a new low to Miss Parks could not be determined. But it should be considered a factor in her disappearance.

Miss Schmidt stated to this officer she could not understand why the two (2) friends of Miss Parks had gone to Portland when her roommate was missing. She was referring to a Joey STEVENS (west Hall) and Sarah DUGAN (west Hall). Both are Oregon State University students. She believed both of these persons were holding information back as neither wanted to talk to the police about this incident until Sarah Dugan talked to her father who is a FBI agent in Portland. Both parties are in Portland this weekend and will be back Monday, 13 May 1974.

An interview with Edward SUMIDA showed he was at a complete loss as to the disappearance of Miss Parks and could give no reason for her leaving.

When questioned regarding pot and how often Miss Parks used it he was afraid to answer until this Officer indicated this was for information of Miss Parks only. At this time Sumida stated he would give her a joint or two whenever she asked. When questioned if it was possible she (Parks) went off campus to obtain pot Sumida stated he did not think so. When asked about any other drugs, a negative reply was given.

Mr. Sumida stated he had taken Miss Parks to rent wet suits and tanks as he is the only one who has transportation (vehicle) that Miss Parks is friendly with.

L. Glass #5/mg  
SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER  
DATE 5/10/74 TIME



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Corvallis Police Department  
MISSING/FOUND PERSON REPORT

File No. 74-1441

DATE 5-8-74 TIME 11:55 PM

NAME ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS

ADDRESS 325 Sackett Hall OSU, home-1117 Rahara Dr,  
Lafayette, CA, 284-5461

OCCUPATION OSU student

EMPLOYED

LAST SEEN AT Sackett Hall

DATE 5-6-74

TIME 11 PM

PROBABLE DESTINATION poss. hitchhiking home CAUSE OF ABSENCE father Charles had heart attack

MENTAL CONDITION upset

PHOTOGRAPH RECEIVED no

## DESCRIPTION

Date of Birth 2-27-54

Hair blonde waist length Eyes blu/grn Height 5-7 Weight 125 Age 20

Sex F Build slender Race CAU

Nose Chin Complexion fair

Teeth (known dental work)

Marks - Scars - Amputations and Tattoo Marks

Scar on Both eyebrows  
Uses Thumb nails to a point that they are no longer there

Money and Property cashed \$50 check early 5-6-74 PM

Married

Single X

Divorced

Spouse Dead

Coat grn cord jacket

Trousers navy cord

Overcoat

Hat Shirt Vest

Dress Necktie Collar

Blouse navy Stockings Gloves

Skirt Shoes platform sandals Cap

REPORTED BY Sgt. Ross

ADDRESS OSU Campus Security

PHONE NO. RELATIONSHIP

PUBLICITY DESIRED APB CA and OR - 5-11-74 request APB, WA, CA, OR. & entry leds  
& NCIC

REMARKS (Additional Info.—Vehicles Used, Etc.)

reported by: RAY HOYT, HEAD RESIDENT SACKETT HALL, & BONNIE SCHMIDT, roommate, 754-1100  
contact them if subject foundSubject told by sister SHARON KAEHLER, 51 Oak, Black Pt., CA, about father's attack. Above  
unable to contact either sister or home by phone. Subject known to hitchhike, but has always

(TT INFORMATION ONLY) (FILL IN IF TT IS SENT)

REPORTED: Date 5-11-74 Time 11:20 PM  
5-9-74 Time 3:30 AM

CLEARED: Date Time

TT No. 23 & 23 By: KHIV per Sgt. Ross OSU  
KHIV per Bill Harris

TT No. By:

REPORT CLEARED: (Attempt to get full details-use other side if necessary)

Date Time By

OFFICER

Kay Neal

5-9-74 5:15PM

Writer recieved telephone call from Parks sister, SHARON KAEHLER (Phone 415-892-2323) who voiced her concern regarding Roberta's absence. Sister stated that she had talked to Roberta at 2:00PM on 5-6-74 and Roberta was not so upset. Sister's husband talked with Roberta at 9:00PM on 5-6-74 and described her frame of mind as good. Sister also advised that Roberta has been known to become very depressed. Further stated that Roberta and her father have not gotten along in the past and feels that Roberta may be feeling badly about this.

Sister feels that if Roberta was hitch-hiking she would have called had she ran into difficulty.

Nothing further at this time.

5-11-74 11:04 PM

Phone call received from Bill Harris, OSU Security. Brother-in-law of missing girl is town. She has still not been located. Wishes another APB sent OR, WA, CA. Foul play suspected. Also advised Mr. Harris we would enter into LEBs and NCIC as person of interest. Relatives very concerned.

Nothing further at this time. *AM*

5-11-74 11:15 PM

Brother in law Paul Kaehler came to station to affirm that he suspects foul play and will be staying in Sackett Hall (he is from CA) for a few days to see if he can locate her. Her roommate is not sure at this time if Roberta even left Corvallis. He would like everything possible done to locate her. He will be using other media.

Nothing further at this time. *KM*

5-12-74 9:40 AM

Entered in Leds Missing Person file. Copy with report. *gll gll*



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NAM/PARKS,ROBERTA KATHLEEN LNU/W040061097

Roberta Kathleen Parks

SUPPLEMENTARY  
May 6, 1974

A 1756  
Missing Persons Report

ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS, AGE 20, DOB: 27 Feb. '54  
Sackett Hall rm 325, Corvallis, Oregon  
Home address: 1117 Rahard Drive  
Lafayette, California

Phone Area 415-284-5461

Description: Long blond waist length hair, fair complexion, blue/green eyes  
5'7", 125 lbs. - wearing navy blue cord slacks - navy blue top,  
light green cord jacket, platform sandals.

Since May 11, 1974, the following contact\$have been made in an attempt to  
locate the missing girl.

PAUL KAEHLER - 51 Oak Street, Blackpoint, California, Phone Area 415 -  
892-2323

Mr. Kaehler arrived in Corvallis on May 11, and offered his assistance  
locating his sister-in-law. He advised that on May 6, Kathy's father suffered  
a heart attack, and was taken to the hospital in California. His wife, Sharon  
KAEHLER, telephoned Kathy to advise her of her father's condition. At 8:20 p.m.,  
on that date he also telephoned Kathy to inform her of her father's present  
condition, which was fair. He further advised that Kathy did not become excited  
because of her father's condition and he assured her that she was in good hands  
and that it was not necessary for her to return home. She gave no indication at  
that time that she was intending to return home for any reason. Paul Kaehler  
further advised that Kathy was under a great deal of pressure from her boy  
friend, CHRISTY MCPHEE, who she was at that time attempting to break up with.  
Christy McPhee was at that time employed as a scuba diver in Louisiana. He has  
corresponded with Kathy regularly in an attempt to convince her that their  
relationship continue. When Kathy enrolled at Oregon State University in the  
fall term of 1973, Christy McPhee came out to Oregon and they lived together in  
an apartment above the Oregon Museum Tavern in Corvallis. She continued to  
maintain her room in Sackett Hall during the time that the two of them lived  
together in October of '73 until around Christmas. Just prior to Christmas,  
vacation, Kathy began experiencing pain in her abdomen, and was taken to Good  
Samaritan Hospital by ambulance. After several days she was released from the  
hospital and she and Christy hitchhiked to Canada over Christmas vacation. They  
stayed in Canada several days and then hitchhiked back to Corvallis where they  
lived together at the afore mentioned residence until early March 1974, when  
Christy hitchhiked back to Louisiana. Mr. Kaehler believes that Kathy was a  
very independant and sensitive girl and would not have run off on her own. He  
also believes that she would not have been easily picked up by a passing motor-  
ist.

A search of Kathy's room revealed that nearly all her clothing, luggage,  
cosmetics, toilet articles, etc., were still in her room. Numerous letters



found in her desk drawer from her boyfriend, Christy McPhee, indicate that Kathy was attempting to break off their relationship, that she wanted to be on her own and maintain her independence rather than being burdened with a marriage and a permanent responsibility. Information from Kathy's closest friends indicate that she was in a very depressed condition due to the fact she could not make a decision as to if she should break off her relationship with Christy or return to Louisiana after spring term and attempt to explain her feelings to him.

The following two girls were close friends of Kathys and gave the following statements.

*at Clear Lake, Calif. until 5-29-74 (707) 279-4617*

#1. JOANNE STEVENS - 329 West Hall

Home address: Lafayette, California } 304 Summit Rd. Robert E.  
862 S.W. Adams Apts 752-8855 (Corvallis) (415) 934-7489  
APT. B.

Joanne attended Junior High School and high school with Kathy. She knows that Kathy was very close to Christy, who lived with her during fall and winter term. Kathy and Christy hitchhiked to Canada during the winter term just prior to Christmas. She also knows that Kathy has been seeing a psychiatrist while she has been a student at Oregon State University as well as a high school student in Lafayette, California. Kathy took frequent walks in the evening from her room in Sackett Hall to the Memorial Union Commons to get refreshments. This was usually between 9:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. in the evenings. Kathy recently told her that she had received a \$50 check from her mother which she had deposited in her checking account at Citizen's bank in Corvallis. When Kathy failed to return to her room on the evening of May 6, she did not report her missing for the first two days because she did not want to alarm anyone and thought that Kathy probably just wanted to be alone and get away for a day or two as she was quite upset over her relationship with Christy.

#2. SARAH ANN DUGAN - 313 West Hall *Portland 223-1812*

She met Kathy through Joanne Stevens. They last saw Kathy when the three of them were playing basketball outside of Sackett Hall around 8 p.m. Monday, May 6. Kathy had already been notified of her father's heart attack by her sister Sharon, earlier that afternoon. Kathy was in a good mood, indicating that she probably should have been there when her father was in the hospital but that her sister had told her that her father was all right and that she was not to worry about it. Kathy told her that she takes walks in the evenings and has invited her to go with her, however, she never has.

MIRIAN JOAN SCHMIDT - roommate of Kathy - Sackett Hall rm 325  
*Dundee, OR, 538-4583*

She has been Kathy's roommate since fall term of last year. Kathy receives letters from Christy on a regular basis, and to her knowledge, she has dated only one person during the time that she has known her. She knows this person only by [redacted] and believes him to be wierd and Kathy complained that he was bothersome to her. It was learned that this subject's name is:

[redacted], DOB: [redacted]  
present address: 3 [redacted] N.W. 12th, Corvallis

Subject was arrested by Corvallis Police Department at 7:30 a.m. 5/11/74, for the following charges:

1. Possession of burglary tools



2. Possession of dangerous drugs
3. Possession of stolen credit cards

This subject was operating a green Ford Mustang, license CHU [REDACTED], at the time of his arrest. The vehicle is registered to a [REDACTED] same address, phone number 752-[REDACTED]. This subject was contacted at the Benton County jail and questioned in regards to his relationship with Kathy. He gave the following statement in substance.

He met Kathy early in the fall term at the Memorial Union and made a date with her. He took her to Nendls for dinner on that evening. Shortly after that Kathy's boyfriend from Louisiana arrived and he did not date her again. He saw her two or three times after that and went to her apartment but did not take her out again. Kathy told him she was in love with her boyfriend, Christy, and he made no further attempts to date her. He saw Kathy with Christy one time at the MU Commons, but did not talk to her. Kathy told him she did not know if she wanted to go to New Orleans to see Christy or home to San Francisco. She also told him that Christy was a scuba diver and was presently living in New Orleans. He resides at 3 [REDACTED] N.W. 12th Street with [REDACTED]. Michael has a brother attending OSU by the name of [REDACTED]. Both of them are from Lafayette, California, however, neither of the [REDACTED] boys knew Kathy until they enrolled at OSU. [REDACTED] resides at room [REDACTED] Bloss Hall, telephone number 754-[REDACTED]. [REDACTED] was also questioned as to his location and activities on the night that Kathy disappeared. He claimed that around noon on May 6, he was with a subject by the name of BRUCE FRANZEN from Portland. They went to Eugene and visited Franzen's friends on the University of Oregon campus, and then returned to the residence of DAN MCCRAW, telephone number 777-7631. Bruce Franzen was with him when they were at the McCraw's residence. They left his house around 12:30 a.m. on May 7, and arrived back in Corvallis around 2 or 2:30 a.m. on that date. He did not see Kathy or telephone her on that night. He last heard from Kathy two weeks ago when she called him to "Shoot the bull". He went over to see her a couple of times at her apartment at Sackett Hall, but her roommate said that she was asleep and he did not get to see her. He does not know anyone that Kathy has dated or associated with during the time that he knew her as Kathy talked extensively about being in love with her boyfriend from Louisiana.

[REDACTED] - [REDACTED] N.W. 12th, Corvallis, Phone 752-[REDACTED]

He stated that he last saw Kathy about a month ago when he invited her to a party at his apartment. Kathy said she would make it if she could, however, she did not arrive. He met her at the MU Commons during the winter term. He attended high school at Lafayette, California, however, he was a senior when she was a sophomore, and he does not remember ever having seen her. His brother, [REDACTED], also went to school with Kathy but he doesn't believe that [REDACTED] knew her either.

THOMAS LEROY HAYDEN - Black/Male, DOB: 4/26/51, Student, OSU

He met Kathy during Winter term at the MU Commons. He spoke to her on several occasions, and their conversation consisted mainly of general topics. She frequently spoke of her boyfriend, Chris, who was somewhere back south. She indicated she was going to either go back there and see him or live with her sister in California after school was out. He never saw her any place other than at the MU, and never dated her or went over to her apartment. He believes she may have gone back south to see Chris as she told him several times that she was in love with this person.



GEORGINE THOMPSON, OSU Mental Health Center, psychiatric social worker

Mrs. Thompson advised that she has counseled Kathy on several occasions during the past year. She believes Kathy to be very unpredictable and capable of running off by herself and possibly having suicidal tendencies. She also stated that Kathy has been treated by Dr. Peter Winters, 310 N.W. 5th Street, Corvallis, phone 753-7365, or 753-4401. Dr. Winters was contacted and advised that Kathy has been receiving extensive psychiatric tests. She has been hesitant to accept therapy and that he talked to her on three or four occasions. He believes her to be rebellious and very emotional. She had a poor family-social life, was highly rebellious, and a very nervous person to the extent that she bit her fingernails until they were bleeding. She was a very angry and depressed person. He attempted hypnosis to quell her problems, however, this was unsuccessful. She was very reluctant to accept therapy, very touchy person, rather restless, destructive type personality, very unpredictable, and did have possible suicidal tendencies. She was not close to her father, and was seeking someone whom she could confide in. Dr. Winters last saw Kathy on March 8, and he never did prescribe any medication for her, nor did she request it. She talked at length of her problems with her boyfriend Christy whom she was living with at the time he was treating her.

Dr. ROBERT WILSON, M.D., Corvallis Clinic, 530 N.W. 27th, Corvallis  
Phone 752-4252

Dr. Wilson first saw Kathy last December when she entered the hospital with severe abdominal pains. He found no physical abnormality of Kathy, however, he was successful in getting her to confide with him and found that she did have a definite conflict with her parents. He communicated with Kathy's mother by telephone until Mrs. Parks came up from California and took Kathy home. During his visits with Kathy she stated that she did not want to confide in her family in regards to her sex life and her relationship with Christy. Christy was not accepted by her family, and this bothered her a great deal. He believed her to be a very erratic girl and he could perceive her running off or possibly committing suicide. She is very confused and depressed, however, very close to her sister, Sharon Kaehler. She was not happy at OSU, and he last saw her in January of 1974. He discussed her condition with Kathy's mother, who came to Corvallis to visit her before taking her home.

KENNETH NAFFZIGER, OSU Mental Health Center

Mr. Naffziger stated that Kathy talked with him about "getting away", taking a boat to see the world. She was not interested in her studies, her career, future, or OSU. She disliked her mother, was very lonesome, and just was trying to find herself. Dr. Naffziger's diagnosis was basically the same as Dr. Winters.

WENONA CHRISTENSON, Counseling Center, Lafayette, California, 415-283-8429

Kathy first came to her about three years ago for emotional instability. She was experiencing family problems, unable to communicate with her parents, particularly with her father, and a great deal of insecurity as to her future, and what she wanted to do with herself. Mrs. Christenson stated that she had not seen Kathy in approximately two years and believes that unless she has improved a great deal from when she last saw her, Kathy would be capable of "excluding herself from society, her friends, family, and any one else that she

ties with." She believes Kathy was very unpredictable, very insecure, and possibly capable of suicide.

The following is an account as to Katy's activities during the evening of May 6, 1974.

EDWARD SUMIDA - 233 Sackett B

He has known Kathy since Winter term this year. He also met her boyfriend, Christy, when he was living with Kathy during that time. Around 9:00 or 9:30 p.m. on May 6th, Kathy came to his room to talk. She was carrying a World Bible with her at the time. She mentioned that her brother-in-law, Paul, had called her earlier that evening and told her that her father had suffered a heart attack and was in the hospital. His condition was not critical, however, and she did not appear to be upset or depressed about it. Kathy left his room around 10:15 p.m. and he has not seen her since. For the past month, she has been telling him about her indecision as what to do about her relationship with Christy. She said she had told Christy of her decision to be on her own and did not want to go to Louisiana and live with him. She further told him that Christy had reluctantly accepted this decision. Kathy occasionally smokes marijuana and hashish, however she appeared perfectly normal when he saw her on the evening of May 6th, and did not act depressed about anything.

CHERELL SMITH - 327 Sackett Hall

*Mother - Ellen Doyle Ellis  
Parents: 2797 Lower River Rd. Grants Pass Phone 476-4688*

She is a very shy girl and befriended Kathy during the last several months. On the evening that Kathy disappeared around 10:30 p.m. she and Kathy were doing physical exercises in the hallway outside of their room. They did their exercises for about one-half hour until they both returned to their rooms. She saw Kathy go into her room. Kathy's roommate, Bunny Schmidt, had told Kathy to come over to room 324 and see her when she finished her exercises. At about 11 p.m. Cherell came out of her room to see Kathy leaving her room walking down the hallway carrying her purse and wearing her coat. She spoke to Kathy who told her that she was going to the MU to get something to eat. Kathy appeared to act normal at the time and nothing was unusual about her. She did not seem depressed. Kathy asked her what time it was and she told her it was 11 o'clock. Kathy replied that she still had a half-hour before the MU closed. (The MU Commons closes at 11 p.m. on weekdays). She believes that Kathy was a very sensitive and quiet person and it was her desire to get to know her better. She has not seen Kathy since that time.

LORRAINE FARGO - 227 Sackett B, X 1196

*NEVADA, CALIF. Robert F. Fargo (father) (415) 583-4309*

She and Kathy had a mutual relationship in that both of them had the same problem with their boyfriends. Lorraine had resolved her problem by breaking up with her boyfriend, and Kathy had been confiding in her regarding her problems with Christy. Shortly after 11 p.m. on May 6, she was returning to Sackett Hall from the library when seeing Kathy walking east on Jefferson at the intersection of College Drive and Jefferson Street, at the southwest corner of Memorial Union Hall. Kathy was wearing her corduroy jacket, and carrying her purse at the time. She had no luggage with her, and appeared to be "very low" at the time. They stopped and talked for approximately 5 minutes at this location. She appeared to be dazed and in a dream. Kathy told her in a very casual manner of her father's heart attack. She appeared to be completely unmoved by this. Kathy said she had told Christy of her feelings, that she wanted to be on her own, that she did not want any obligations, and did not want to continue their relationship on a permanent basis. Kathy also said that she had not been to class in a week and that she had been drinking heavily. She was also a heavy cigarette smoker.



Lorraine could see that Kathy was obviously very depressed and she suggested that they return to her room and discuss the matter. Kathy replied that she felt like being alone and just walking, and trying to straighten things out in her mind. She last saw Kathy turn the corner walking north up College Drive, toward Monroe Street, and she has not seen her since. During the past two weeks, Kathy has come to her room and discussed her problems, particularly her relationship with Christy. Kathy would become very emotional and begin crying until she was able to calm her. Kathy was somewhat of a loner and introvert, quiet and reserved. She was very particular about her health and appearance. She does not believe that Kathy would intentionally leave without notifying someone. If Kathy did leave on her own, she would have taken luggage with her unless she was intending on staying only overnight. She has no idea where Kathy would have gone. It was a very warm evening on May 6, 1974.

RICHARD P. CRAMER, Kathy's instructor in scuba diving during Winter term

Mr. Cramer took Kathy to the Newport Beach twice during Winter term to practice diving in the ocean. They went to Whale Cove which is approximately seven to eight miles north of Newport, however, the water was too rough and they returned to Newport where they practiced scuba diving under the Newport bridge. Kathy wanted to qualify for diving as her boyfriend, Christy, was a qualified diver. She did not adapt to the water well, and appeared to be afraid of the water. Several days prior to her disappearance, she came into his office and told him that she had broken up with her boyfriend, Christy. She was very depressed and stated that she needed to get ahold of herself, and wanted someone to confide in. She gave him no indication that she intended to leave the area or to possibly go to the Newport beach area for solitude.

DANIEL R. ANNETT - 980 S.E. Denman, Corvallis 752-3158

He is a student at OSU and met Kathy at the MU Commons during winter term. He stated that the only time that he ever talked with her was at the MU Commons area, with the exception of one occasion that he took her to a movie and to a party afterwards during the same night. This was about the second or third week-end in April. He believed her to be a very intense personality. They would talk at times about subjects other than superficial ones even though he did not know her very well. She seemed to want very badly to open up to others but then realized that she didn't know how to go about it. She would then become very frustrated and abandon the idea. He believes that the topics of conversation that they had which would be revelent in any respect to her disappearance is the fact that she had mentioned frequently that as soon as this term was over (Spring term) she would be going to New Orleans to be with her boyfriend, Chris. He also got the impression from things that she said that her parents did not approve of Chris. He believes that she may have gone to New Orleans without notifying her parents because of this. He last saw her about two weeks ago at the MU. She was talking to some people he did not know; he greeted her and continued on his way. She spent alot of time at the MU Commons, generally by herself. She was somewhat of a loner. He feels that she might be capable of erratic behaviour that might prompt her to just take off based on his own observation of the intenseness of her attitude if something was not just right in her world. She gave him the impression she genuinely loved Christy and that is where she would have gone.

Dr. NICHOLAS YONKER, Dept. Religious Studies, OSU, X 2921

Dr. Nicholas had Kathy in his class of Introduction to World Religions. She was scheduled to take an exam on April 23, however she did not show up. She contacted him two or three days later and asked if she could make up the exam, which he allowed her to do. When he talked to her on that day, her eyes were glazed and teary. He received the impression that she appeared to be under the influence of drugs, however she was perfectly coherent. She was obviously depressed and said she had personal problems. She appeared to be dazed and rather confused about something. He has not seen her since then.

CARL HOFFMAN, Grad Student on Sabbatical leave. Residing at rm 105 College Inn 752-7127

Mr. Hoffman called and stated he has talked to Kathy Parks several times while they were in the MU Commons. The last time was about three weeks ago prior to her disappearance.

He stated she was a very mixed up girl, and seemed to be searching for a friend she could confide in. Mr. Hoffman is in his 50's and they seemed to have a good rapport. She wanted to know if she could talk further with him at some later time. He advised her to call him at the College Inn and he would be glad to talk to her about her problems. Kathy would always wave to Mr. Hoffman when they met, and seemed on friendly terms. He assured me that any calls or contacts she may initiate, he would immediately notify this office. He has not seen nor heard from her since he talked to her at the MU Commons about three weeks prior to her disappearance. He met Kathy's boyfriend, Chris, when he saw them at the MU.

*See Doc 10-6-51*

CHRISTY J. MCPHEE, 1724 Riverroad, Berwick, Louisiana, phone 504-384-5241

Zip Code 70342

*Mother - Joyce McPhee 3268 S. Lucile Lane Lafayette, Calif. (415) 283-2764*

Christy arrived in Corvallis from Louisiana on May 12, after learning that Kathy was missing from OSU. He gave the following statement.

"From the best of my knowledge I last talked to Kathy on Thursday, May 2. I believe she called me collect in Louisiana. She just wanted to talk. There was nothing striking about her conversation. She just seemed relieved that I wasn't giving her a bad time about wanting to be on her own for a while. She seemed to think that would be best and nothing but good could come of it. The last letter that I received from her was on Friday, May 10. It was dated May 6 and post marked May 7. In the letter she sounded depressed over her father's heart attack and other things not specified. She seemed to have had a bad day that day and just said that she wanted to go out and walk around. That was the last I have heard from her. From what I have heard of her actions immediately prior to her disappearance, just doesn't sound like her. (Tearing the picture off the wall I drew for her, throwing away one of my letters) Everything is so unusual it's just not like her to take off like that. I just don't know where she could be".

Following is a copy of the letter Kathy wrote to Christy dated May 6, 1974, postmarked May 7, 1974.



Dear Christy,

I got your letter today I often wonder what you think of me, being so far away. I had a usual day today, somewhat. Ma reports my Aunt Mary opened her eyes a few days ago, and actually looked human again for the first time since she got sick. That's a relief. Sharon called from my folk's house this morning (Ma is still in Alabama). Dad had a heart attack last night around midnight. Evidently he was conscious enough to call the doctor; get Sue out of bed to take him to the hospital. He's in the intensive care section for cardiac patients now. Sharon says he's O.K. now. I'm shook up about it, and I know dad must be, also. I hope he changes his lifestyle after this. I'm feeling down right now, due to a combination of things, I suppose. To tell you the truth, I don't even feel like finishing this letter. I think I'll go walk around outside a while. I'm sorry this is such a bum letter - I really am. But, after all, everyone has their ups and downs. This day has especially had its share of bad news. Well - I'm looking forward to seeing you - very much. When you come, please put your arms around me and make me feel like everything's O.K. I really miss you. I'm needing the comfort of your presence now. I love you,

Kathy

Following is a transcribed letter from Kathy to Christy McPhee, postmarked May 6, 1974. The letter is not dated.

Christy, it was wonderful speaking with you - you lifted my cloud of loneliness for you. Bless Ma Bell - even though she's damned. I've just completed my 1/2 hour of overall exercises. Yes - this is my "May month of Physical Fitness Program," 2nd night of 1/2 hour exercises. I always feel so relaxed and limber afterwards - going to keep at it for a least a month, this time around. I'm also playing a lot of basketball and riding my bike lately, so it's not as if I don't get enough exercise as it is. Right now I think I must feel the same way a kitten does asleep before a fire. I'm content after talking with you, relaxed from doing those exercises, sleepy because I'm stoned, and drifting on a wave of classical music. Today I heard "Nutcracker Suite" for the first time in years, it seems. It sounded beautiful to me. I love certain classical pieces very much, and too often I miss hearing them. What they have got on the radio now is O.K., but I especially like old familiar favorites I grew up with.

I love you - I feel I always will. You've lightened my heart tonight. I'm happy you were there - it was nice to hear your voice. Well - I'm very sleepy now - so, I think I'll go to bed - Remember - I care for you

Friday night

I saw B.B. King tonight - God - he is really something else. I'll never forget him as long as I live. He radiates warmth and good feelings like no other performer I've ever seen or heard. He puts his heart into his music. A wonderful, wonderful man and musician. I wanted to shake his hand, just touch him to let him know how much he touched me - he moved me very deeply. Sort of the feeling I have for Ray Charles. B.B. King truly is the "King of Blues" dedicated to the core. Tony Joe White also played (Poke Salad Annie) He was O.K. in my opinion, in an A.M. radio style. B.B. King had the whole show, though I wish you could have heard him with me.

I sat out in the sun for 2 hours with Joanne today. Love to feel the sun's warmth on my body.

Kathy Tornow is getting married tomorrow, today now - April 4th, (believe she meant May 4th). I've been thinking about her alot off and on today. I smoked some hash with Ed awhile ago. I'll finish this tomorrow - I'm very, very sleepy - so sleepy I can barely think. Goodnight - I love you.

Saturday evening

Christy - it was beautiful heretoday! The weather is great. I sat out with Joanne again in the sun a long while. This is "Moms" weekend. Mothers abounding everywhere. Everyone seems to be enjoying themselves - with this sun - how could they not? I just got back from riding my bike out in the country - the setting sun threw a goldish hue over everything. I also did my exercises for 1/2 hour, and there was a fair up in the M.U. Quad this morning. All the usual arts and crafts (the one where I got you your ring had better craftsmanship, I thought). Still, it was fun. I bought a long, full, dark green skirt - very light material and the blouse that went with it. It cost \$11. I got a good deal. It's sewn pretty good, and the cost of material (a very full skirt) and labor would come to that, anyway, if not a little more. Seems like it would, but then they would be selling at a loss, right? Kathy Tornow is married now - wish I could have been at her wedding. I'm stoned again, so I think I must be letting myself ramble on pretty much in my writing. That's been my day, quite a bit of it, anyway, I want you to know I've been thinking of you. When I was riding my bicycle in the light of the evening sun, I thought of you and I was wishing you could have been with me, the world looked so beautiful. The air is sweet and smells a little like hay. Summer feels like she's on her way good and strong. Oh, Christy, please don't ever worry about losing me, don't ever give it a thought. You are in my heart, and I think of you often, no matter whom I'm with, or what I'm doing. Nothing you could ever do would ever make me love you less. I accept you completely. If I loved you any less because of the way you are and live, I would not really love you. But I do, so I can say I love you, and I will, all my life. I know I'll never find another you. You are a vital person, and have a hell of a lot to offer this world. I care for you, I want you to be happy, give yourself a good time and feel absolutely free in doing so, knowing that I'll love you, simply because you are you. I miss you, Christy, and I love you very much. Guess I'd better get this off to you.

I love you, (signed)  
Kathy

The following is a transcribed copy of a letter which was written by Kathy, and found in her room. The letter bears no date or salutation and appears to be a recording of her thoughts at the time. It's unknown when Kathy wrote this letter which was never mailed. It was found in the waste basket in her room.

I have been thinking seriously about this coming summer and my future. I want to live and work in California for awhile. I do not want to live and work in Louisiana, the only reason I'd want to be there is because you are there. I've asked myself if I honestly feel ready to settle down and live with a man. Living together and being married have no difference, in my mind. In both situations, emotional bondage and dependency are present, as are other binding factors. To be completely honest with myself, which is not an easy thing to be sometimes, I have decided I am not ready to settle down. It is only fair to be honest to you, in turn, and tell you of my thoughts. I think it a better thing to be honest now, rather than sorry later.



There is something I feel I must do in becoming completely happy and at ease with myself inside, before I settle down. I must have the certain knowledge inside of me of realizing I can go it alone in this world. At this point, I know I am insecure and more than a little unsure of my own ability to cope with the world by myself. I want to have that feeling inside of me, and I want to build up my self confidence and faith in myself. After this is done, then I can think of settling down, knowing I am a better person for it.

This decision is nothing against you, you are a good man, and a loving one. I love you as much as ever. My feelings toward you have not changed in the least. My plans for my own future have, though.

It hasn't been easy for me to ask myself what I truly want for myself, but, I did, and I know, I just know I need more time to become my own person. I need time to grow, and feel worthy of myself. If I come to live with you now, I will never know complete personal independence. I feel I must know this before I can give completely without any reservations ever blocking my love.

I also think any ties of commitment should not be binding if they are decidedly going to interfere with one's personal happiness and well being. If I promise to jump off a cliff, I think it's only fair for me to be able to change my mind, if I think it would be an unwise thing for me to go through with that commitment. I'm not equating living with you as being as throwing myself off a cliff, but, in a way, it is. I think after a year or so I would become discontent, simply because I have never had the chance of being on my own. I want to give myself that chance. I think it's best for me.

I feel as though I've just changed the course of my life before the future has even arrived. "Set me adrift in a sea of hope - I'll set my sail to a new horizon" Keep the faith in me, Christy. I love you, more than ever. Trust in me, I've got to have more time. I've got to know when I'm ready to settle down. You've got to accept that I have to know that if you love me like you tell me you do, you've got to give and take. We both do. Don't turn your love away from me, just give me time. I need time to grow and let my love grow. Please try to understand my feelings.

That letter is unsigned.

The following is a similar transcribed copy which is undated and unaddressed, written by Kathy and found in her room.

This is something I wrote a while back. There ain't anything like the "real thing", Christy, if what we feel for each other is the real thing. I think very strongly it can only grow stronger and stronger, and higher and higher.

There is someone you never forget, no matter who you may be with. There is always someone in the back of your mind. I think you are the one I will never forget.

My mother waited for her man five years, not "waited", actually, more, always had him in the back of her head, and he always had her in the back of his mind. They had an understanding between them. They were to go their separate ways, each was to go out with anyone they wanted. My father insisted that my mother go out and not sit at home. Both of them did just that. When my mom felt ready to settle down, she had her self-respect, confidence, and an honest liking for herself. She was sure my



dad was the right one for her, just as dad thought she was the right girl for him, Now, neither one of them asked the other to wait, it would be fair to neither of them. More than likely they would end up hating each other if they had promised to wait for each other, fingers crossed. My ma came to dad when she knew in her heart she was ready to settle down. Their love for each other was true, and they were ready for each other.

Following is a transcribed copy of a letter written to Kathy from Christy dated April 23, 1974.

Dear Kathy:

I'm laying here in my bunk on the barge. I'm afraid Kathy, I'm afraid that we may be drifting apart. I don't want that to happen, Kathy, I love you, I love you more than I could love anyone else, and I'm pretty sure that you love me. I don't really understand why you made such a turnabout in plans I thought we had made. You said something about wanting to be independent and not have to be dependent on me. But then you say you're going to be living at your sisters. It seems to me you're just transferring it from me to them. I want you to be dependent on me to a certain extent. You really mean something to me, Kathy, you're the most important thing in my life. You make it seem like there's some meaning to my life when I have you, but without you there just doesn't seem to be very much. You give me something to work for, certain goals to achieve. Without you those dreams are unachievable. Sure, I could find something else to work for, but the life with you is the happy one. I don't want to be away from you for so long. I'm afraid you'll drift away from me and I might never see you again. When I think of not having you I get this really empty feeling or something in my gut. It happens all the time now because, since you dropped the bombshell last night, I think about it all the time. Tonight while eating dinner I thought about it and I couldn't eat. When I looked out the window at the ocean and thought of what it would be like without you I felt really sick, and all I wanted to do was go lie in my bunk. Writing this now makes me feel that way. I'm confused, Kathy. I love you. I never want to be without you. Please stay with me. I'm very weary Kathy, I must sleep.

April 24, 1974

Kathy, I got the word this morning I'm going home, the job is over. I'll be talking to you tonight but I'm sending this anyway. I really wonder why it is you changed your mind. I love you Kathy, I don't want to lose you.

Love Ya Always  
Chris

The following is a transcribed copy of a letter to Kathy from Chris dated May 1, 1974.

To my dearest Kathy:

I hope you've been alright lately. I've only gotten the one letter from you so far. I hope you've written me more than that. You know when I said James and I were going to Baton Rouge to look at cars? Well, we never made it. Jeff still hasn't come back with the truck we're going to drive there in. But we'll probably go whenever Jeff comes back. I sure do miss you sweetheart. I wonder what you think of me when I'm so far away. I wish I was with you Kathy. I want so bad to be able to hold you in my arms. I love you so much Kathy. I'd be very happy just to wait for you. If I knew you'd be waiting for me also. I want you Kathy. I can't see myself with anyone else. You're the girl I want. I only hope I will be able to keep you as



"my girl." Well hon, I've got to go now. I've got some things to do. I love you. I'll write or talk to you soon.

Write me often

Love Ya Always  
Chris

Since Kathy's disappearance all points teletype bulletins have been sent to all police agencies in Oregon, California and Washington, notifying them of her disappearance, her description, and several possible destinations. She has indicated to friends in the past that she would like to get away from Oregon State University and possibly go to the World's Fair, or return to her sister's residence in Blackpoint, California. On another occasion she has mentioned that she would just like to leave campus and go to Portland and walk the streets. It is extremely doubtful at this time that she intended to return home because of her father's heart attack, as she has not arrived, after being missing for over a week. We have made inquiries of the main hospitals in the Portland, Corvallis Albany areas with negative results. Each of these hospitals have been requested to contact the Campus Security Office immediately if they receive information as to her location.

The Corvallis Police Department, Benton County Sheriff's office, Oregon State Police, FBI have been alerted as to her disappearance, and are coordinating their efforts with the Campus Security department to locate her.

Her boyfriend, Christy McPhee, and her brother-in-law, Paul Kaehler, believe that Kathy may have gone to the Newport beach area to seek solitude. We have placed telephone calls to various police agencies in the Newport, Florence, and Lincoln City areas, notifying them of her disappearance, and have also sent photographs to each of these departments and requested that they be on the look-out for her. We have also received cooperation from the local and main channels of the news media which have broadcasted Kathy's description, listing her as a missing person, and asking anyone that may have seen her to notify the Campus Security Department. This information has been channled through the OSU Department of Information.

The local Greyhound bus depot has been checked for possible leads to the location of Kathy. It was learned, however, that the ticket office closes at 9 p.m. on weekdays and that individual drivers would have to be located in order to possibly identify her. At this time attempts are being made to locate drivers of Greyhound buses who were in Corvallis on the night of May 6th or early morning hours of May 7th, 1974.

One positive lead which has been developed is Kathy's checking account at Citizen's Bank, downtown branch, Corvallis. On May 6th, she received a \$50 check from her mother, of which she deposited \$35 into her checking account. An interview of several friends of Kathy's at Sackett Hall revealed that she repaid approximately \$10 in debts on this date prior to her disappearance. This would indicate that she had less than \$10 on her person at the time she disappeared. A check with the employees of Citizen's Bank revealed that Kathy's bank balance is presently \$40.50. They have agreed to immediately notify the Campus Security department in the event that they receive any checks written on her account at that bank.

The OSU Department of Information has supplied the Campus Security with copies of photographs of Kathy which have been sent out to police departments in areas which it is believed that Kathy may have gone.

Christy McPhee and Paul Kaehler have also contacted the Corvallis Gazette Times and had missing persons bulletins printed (800) which they are distributing in the area in an attempt to locate her. Information from Paul Kaehler is that Kathy's grandfather has offered \$500 reward for information leading to her location.

Kathy's oldest sister, Sharon Kaehler, has stated that Kathy may have gone to the World's Fair in Spokane, Washington. Kathy did tell her about wanting to go to the fair, however, Sharon does not think she would go until she was out of school this term. Information was recently received from Mr. Paul Kaehler, (Kathy's brother-in-law) that her father is now aware of her disappearance.

Christy McPhee indicated that over Christmas vacation last year, he and Kathy had hitchhiked to his aunt's residence in Canada, and that she had become very fond of this area. His aunt, MARY MCPHEE, area code 604-~~77~~-3438, was contacted, and she advised that she has not seen Kathy, but will call the Campus Security Office if Kathy arrives at her residence. *LAKE Cowichan on Vancouver Island.*

A telephone call was also placed to the Spokane Police Department and a photograph of Kathy sent to them. They will furnish this information to the Security Department at the World's Fair in Spokane, and notify us of any information they receive.

A telephone call was also placed to Berwick, Louisiana where Christy McPhee resides. They were alerted to the information of the disappearance of Kathy and a photograph and description sent to them. They will notify us immediately if she arrives in their city, looking for her boyfriend, Christy McPhee.

Kathy indicated to Christy that she would like to get a job dancing in a night club or "Go Go" club if she decided to live with him in Louisiana. Considering the possibility that she might go to Portland and seek work, the following contact was made.

EDDIE HEISLER THEATRICAL AGENCY  
13606 S.E. McLoughlin Blvd.  
Portland, Oregon  
Phone 659-3545

Mr. Heisler was contacted by telephone and advised of the missing girl and the reward offered. He stated that all female entertainers in Portland must go through his agency for employment, regardless if it is a private club or not. Photos are taken of each girl and employment records kept. He has no record of Roberta Kathleen Parks, or Kathy Parks, but will contact the OSU Security office in the event she applies for employment. A missing persons bulletin was mailed to Mr. Heisler for his information.

JAMES WARREN, Investigator  
Department of Justice  
Eugene, Oregon

Mr. Warren has entered Kathy's name, date of birth, and social security number into the computer with I.R.S. and Social Security for the purpose of determining a record of her present employment, if any. Mr. Warren advises, however, that Social Security releases this information on a quarterly basis, and it may take several months for this information to be available. He has made this a high priority emergency request, and will contact the OSU Security Office if and when the information is received.

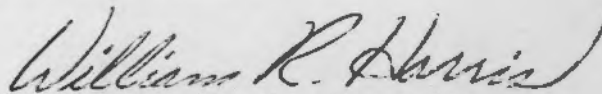


MR. & MRS. CHARLES PARKS - Kathy's parents  
1117 Rahard Drive  
Lafayette, California  
Phone (415) 284-5461

On May 17, 1974, Mr. Parks telephoned the writer from the hospital in Lafayette to inquire about his daughter. He will be in this hospital for the next two weeks, and can be reached at phone (415) 939-3000, room 408. He was advised of the action being taken in an attempt to locate his daughter, and he will be kept advised daily of any progress made. Mrs. Parks was with him at the hospital at the time he called. She advises that Kathy might go to the World's Fair in Spokane as her younger sister, Susan, will be appearing there on May 25th as a member of a high school singing group known as "Acalanes." Susan plays the piano and sings. Kathy was aware of her appearance at the World's Fair at that time, and indicated she would like to be there and see her perform. The Spokane, Washington Police Department has been alerted of this, and will attempt to locate Susan when she appears at the fair. They have been notified of Kathy's disappearance and a photo and missing person bulletin has been mailed to them.

An incident involving a screaming girl being forced into a vehicle on campus on or about the same evening that Kathy disappeared was investigated and cleared after it was determined that it was nothing more than a prank and not related to this investigation. Sergeant Wayne Ross's report is attached.

Investigation is continuing and another report will follow.

  
William R. Harris, Investigator

cc: ✓ Dean Popovich  
✓ Dean Chick  
✓ Everett Lillig  
✓ Corvallis Police Department  
✓ Benton County Sheriff's Office  
✓ Oregon State Police, General Headquarters  
✓ Oregon State Police, Corvallis

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Bill Harris received a report from Brad PETERSON of an incident that happened on the north side of McNary Hall involving a screaming girl being put into a black Volvo, then driving back onto campus. He asked that we try to trace it down.

At 6:42 PM I went to McNary Hall to start interviewing people on the north half of the building. I talked to the clerk at the main desk first to see if she had any ideas or had heard anything, she said she had not heard a thing. As we were talking, a resident of McNary walked up and I asked him where he lived in the building and if he had seen or heard of any of the incident I described to him. He stated he did, along with his friend who was visiting him. His name is: Robert MARLOWE his friend is: Doug PARKINSON  
428 McNary Hall Avery Lodge  
X-2656 X-3269

They each gave a statement of what they saw.

After meeting Officer Glass on a lower floor and finding he had not results we went back to the main desk relating what we had and saying it looked like someone may have been taken for a dip in the fountain. At this time Mrs. Wright, the desk clerk said they had had several of those lately and someone said there could have been a girl from McNary involved. At this I had her call the girl RA's from 2nd and 3rd floors to talk to them. Barbara CHAPMAN, room 201, X-1258, RA on 2nd said she had a girl who had been thrown in several times. Her names is: Mary HARKINS  
236 McNary Hall  
X-2247

At 10:15 PM I contacted her and [REDACTED] McNary Hall, X-[REDACTED] one of the people involved in the incident. He gave me all the names of the rest:

car owner

284-[REDACTED]

51 [REDACTED] NE Mason

Portland, Oregon

(Portland State student, visitor)

[REDACTED] Callahan Hall

X-[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] McNary Hall

X-[REDACTED]

This incident as told to me by the participants involved was purely a case of horse play ending up getting a girl dunked in the fountain for things she had started earlier.

This report clears the report from Brad Peterson of 5/14/74, 3:30 PM.

Sgt. W. Ross # 1/dlp  
May 16, 1974 12:30 AM



Transcribed copy of written statement of BBrad Peterson

I received a phone call on Monday night at around 10:00 PM, I got off the phone at about 11:00 PM. After I got off the phone I was headed for McNary Hall. I was going to visit Dan Woodward and Larry Niemela. On my way over to McNary I was walking by the bike racks when I heard a girl yell HELP. I stopped and saw these people pushing this girl into the back seat of a car. The car was shaped like a Volvo. It was a dark colored car. Either a black or dark blue or dark green/ I would say that there was five people in the car, not counting the girl they put in the back seat. There were three people in the back seat and two people in the front seat. The girl was laying on the laps of the three people. I would say that at least one of the five people involved was a girl.

The reason I say that it was Monday, May 6th, is because I knew that what I had seen was around Mom's Weekend. Then I remembered that I had a phone call On Monday, which was May 6th. That is why I'm pretty sure that what I saw was on May 6th.

The car was out front of McNary Hall in front of the bike racks facing east. As soon as the girl in the back seat of the car, the car made a U-turn and went west on Jefferson Street.


The people involved appeared to be of college age. They could have been just playing around.

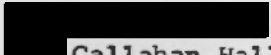
I would say that this happened a little past 11:00 PM. Probably 11:05 PM.

/s/ Brad Peterson

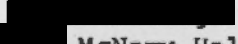
The following is a transcribed copy of a written statement of Robert Mercer:

Approximately 11:00 Saturday night, May 4th, three boys and one girl carried another girl into a Volvo parked in McNary front area. They drove her to the Library fountain and were going to throw her in, but the fountain was empty. So they took her and dumped her into the fountain at the Corvallis Gazette Times and ditched her there. Then they met her back at the dorm about twenty minutes later.


  
Portland, Oregon

  
Callahan Hall

X- 

  
McNary Hall

X- 

  
McNary Hall

X- 

/s/ Robert Mercer  
McNary Hall, room 621  
754-2887



Transcribed copy of written statement of Mary Harkins:

On Saturday night, May 4, 1974, at 11:00 PM I was taken from my room in McNary ( [redacted] ) by [redacted], [redacted], [redacted] and [redacted] [redacted] outside, through the bikerack and taken into a black Volvo. I was screaming and yelling my head off because I knew what would be at the end of our ride. We drove to the Library fountain, which was empty. We then went to the fountain in front of the Corvallis Gazette Times and I was thrown in the water. I walked back to my room at McNary and my "friends" were already there.

/s/ Mary Harkins

Transcribed copy of written statement of Robert Marlowe:

As close as I can remember, I saw two people putting a girl with long hair, wearing blue jeans, into a dark colored (dark blue or black) small foreign car (I remember thinking it was a VW). There was a person in the back seat of the car and also one in the drivers seat besides the two who put the girl in the car.

The girl made it clear she did not want to go with them. I distinctly remember that at one point she said, "They're kidanpping me."

After they loaded her in the car, the car made a U-turn and headed back up to the signal light. The car proceeded up campus towards the Library pool (the people who loaded the girl into the car had said they were going to throw her into the pool).

At t;his time aI quit paying attention because it did appear that they were going to throw her into the pool.

I saw all this take place from my window in 428 McNary. As I remember it, it happened on May 6th around 11:00 PM.

/s/ Robert Marlowe



Transcribed copy of written statement of Doug Parkison:

In regards to the incident out in front of McNary at 11:00 PM or thereabouts on May 5 or May 6, I heard this girl yelling and screaming something like "no, don't". This arrested my interest since it was a real quiet night. I stood up to look out my window to see what was going on. I heard something like "let's take her up to the library and dunk her". She protested quite vehemently. I assumed she was one of the boys girlfriends. They slid her into the backseat of the small car. It could have been a volkswagon or a Volvo type. I felt it was a VW at first sight, but being poor at car identification it might have been a Volvo. But I say it was a VW that I say. It seemed at first recollection that black was its color, but the impression came that it was red. Now, I can not be sure of the color. Rob and I distinctly talked over the possibility of strange occurrences and criminal actions. But we became intrigued in license plate. I am unable to remember it. I was interested in seeing if they went up straight past the library which they did. This convinced me their intentions were honourable.

At least two boys helped put the girl bodily into the back seat where someone was in the backseat the whole time of the loading operation.

Then one got in the backseat, the other got in the car to where I'm not sure. But all took off together and made an U-turn in the street below our window at room 428.

The girl had long hair a little longer than shoulder length, a blondish brown color of hair. It was hard to tell her height, she was in the horizontal position. She had blue jeans on that was my distinct impression. Her height was around 5'4" is my impression though.

OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY  
SECURITY DEPARTMENT

CASE NO. A 1756

505  
754-1473

SPECIFIC INCIDENT MISSING PERSON REPORT LOCATION Sackett Hall

VICTIM ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS FACULTY STAFF STUDENT XX OTHER   

ADDRESS Sackett Hall - room 325 PHONE X 1100

DATE COMMITTED LAST SEEN 6 May 1974 TIME 11:00 p.m.

REPORTED BY Ray Hoyt DATE 8 May 1974 TIME 11:00 p.m.

ADDRESS Apt. B Sackett Hall (Head Resident) PHONE X 2572

DISCOVERED BY    DATE    TIME   

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WITNESS    ADDRESS    PHONE   

SUSPECT(S)    FACULTY    STAFF    STUDENT    OTHER   

ADDRESS    DESCRIPTION     
(List additional suspects below)

WAS VEHICLE INVOLVED?    YEAR    MAKE    LICENSE NO. & STATE   

SUMMARY

MISSING PERSON REPORT

SUBJECT: ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS, age 20, DOB: 27 Feb '54, SSN: 559-06-6344  
Address: 1117 Rahard Drive 74549  
LaFayette, California  
Phone: (415) 284-5461  
Father: Same address - Charles Parks

DESCRIPTION: Long blond waist length hair, fair complexion, blue/green eyes, 5'7", 125 lbs.  
wearing navy blue cord slacks - navy blue top, light green cord jacket, platform sandals

CIRCUMSTANCES: Last seen at 11 p.m. Monday 5/6/74. Received information from sister earlier in the day about her father having a heart attack which upset her. Sister is Sharon KAEHLER, 51 Oak Street, Blackpoint, Calif. 94947 (phone (415) 892-2323).

Mother is visiting relatives in Alabama.

No phone contact has been established at either parents or sister's residence.

CC: Kathy is known to hitchhike to various places, but she usually lets people know where she is going and for how long. Kathy had cashed a \$50 check in early afternoon Monday 5/6/74. Any information contact Ray Hoyt, 754-2572, Sackett HR or Bunny SCHMIDT #325, phone 754-1100. PUT OUT "A.P.B." ORE.-CAL. by C.P.D.

DISPOSITION   

H.R. Benson #4/mg  
SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER  
DATE 5/9/74 TIME 12:20 a.m.

WROTE  
DEPOSITED



SUPPLEMENTARY

ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS  
325 Sackett Hall

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On May 9th at 2:30 P.M., the writer phoned Roberta Parks residence in LaFayette, California. Her younger sister, Susan Parks, advised that she has not arrived home yet. The family is aware that she is missing from campus. The missing girl received a telephone call from another sister, Sharon Kaehler, Blackpoint, California, that her father had a heart attack. Roberta did not indicate that she intended to come home, however, they believe that she is probably on her way as she is quite excitable. Further information from her girl friend at OSU, JOANNE STEVENS, 329 West Hall, X-2066, is that Roberta withdrew money from her savings account but did not indicate she was going home.

Miss Stevens is also from LaFayette, California. She will be contacted for any additional information she may have regarding the location of Roberta Parks.

Susan Parks said she would phone the OSU Security Office if and when Roberta arrives. She believes that Roberta has probably taken a bus home.

Miss Lydia White, Asst. Director of Residence Programs, has contacted Joanne Stevens. She learned that Roberta is a very independent girl who frequently travels on week-ends. Miss Stevens believes that the girl may have gone to the World's Fair or possibly home after learning of her father's illness. Miss White further advised that the girl's mother has now returned home from Alabama, and Lydia White will telephone her this evening for any new developments.

*William R. Harris*  
William R. Harris, Investigator

WRH:aw

CC: Dean of Students  
Miss Lydia White  
Corvallis Police Dept.

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At approximately 8:22 PM 10 May 1974, an interview was held in the Head Resident's quarters at Sackett Hall and was attended by the following named persons:

1. Mr. Ray HOYT - Head Resident, Sackett Hall
2. Renee FERGISON - Student, West Hall room 323 ( has Food Class with Roberta Parks)
3. Edward Warren SUMIDA - Student, Sackett Hall room 233, X3070 (friend of Roberta Parks)
4. Mirian Joan SCHMIDT - Student, Sackett Hall (friend and roommate of Roberta Parks)

Missing from the interview but are very close friends of Roberta Parks:

1. Joanne (Joey) STEVENS - Student, West Hall room 329
2. Sarah DUGAN - Student, West Hall room 313

The following information was received from Miss Schmidt, Miss Ferguson, and Mr. Sumida. All agree Miss Parks had only a few friends with which she talked or went out with and then only around campus. For instance trips to the Library Building were very few as most of Miss Parks studying was done in her room. She (Parks) would go to the Memorial Union seldom and then not unless it was with one of the mentioned subjects in this report.

All agreed she was little moody at times and in many instances would stay by herself.

(X 3222) Miss Parks does take classes in Scuba Diving, conducted at the Men's Gym by Mr. Cramer. It was learned she has some of the equipment in her room but rents tanks and wet suits from the Divers Den, 2744 SW 3rd Street, City, (telephone number 753-2377). This class (a hobby) she is most interested in and has taken at least three (3) trips to the coast with the class.

At times Miss Parks would ride her bike on campus and also the bike paths at Avery Park. A check was made of her bike and it was found to be in the regular place with the chain and lock (lock is broken). Check of her room by roommate Miss Schmidt indicated the leg light which she used was still in her room, indicating this was not used on the night in question.

When asked if Miss Parks would hitch a ride to go any place away from campus, all indicated she would never hitch hike, but would ask Edward Sumida to take her. For instance if she wanted to pick up a wet suit or tanks for her diving class he would take her. On one occasion Mr. Sumida did take Miss Parks to Portland to go shopping and they returned early in the evening.

Miss Schmidt stated that on the night in question both she and Miss Parks intended to go to another room (334) in Sackett Hall to visit, this was around 10:55 PM to 11:00 PM. When departing their room Parks said "Go ahead and I'll be over in a while." Miss Schmidt went to room 334 in Sackett and about fifteen (15) minutes later she went back to see why Miss Parks was not coming over, this was when Miss Schmidt found her roommate missing.

Each of those interviewed stated they could not understand why or what has happened and also why none has been called by Miss Parks as each considered they all are best of friends.

The interview closed at approximately 10:15 PM 10 May 1974.

L. Glass #5/mg  
SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER  
DATE 5/10/74 TIME



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Roberta Park's mother telephoned the Campus Security Office at 9:50 AM and requested that the area hospitals be checked to see if her daughter had been admitted. She seems to think it possible something may have happened to Roberta. Mrs. Parks also had Roberta's room checked to see if her makeup box was still there, as Roberta never goes anyplace without it. The makeup box was still in her room.

At 11:50 AM Mrs. Sharon KAEHLER (Roberta's sister) of Blackpoint, Nevada, telephoned, stating that her sister may have gone to the Spokane Fair. Roberta did mention that she planned on going sometime, but Mrs. Kaehler does not believe she was going this soon. An APB was also sent to Washington, attention the Spokane area by Sgt. B.J. Miller of the Corvallis Police Department as a result of this information.

Rachelle Brown, in the MU Catering Service was contacted at approximately 1:30 PM and stated that a Margaret Hill (a friend of Roberta's) had worked for them when they had the Football Training Table. Ray Hoyt or Lydia White have contacted Miss Hill, who now lives in Portland. She has not seen Miss Parks, nor does she have any idea where she might be.

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10 May 1974

An interview with Miss SCHMIDT (roommate) indicated [Roberta PARKS did in fact have a problem as she (Parks) had been going to the Mental Health Clinic (OSU Student Health Center) for quite sometime]. One of her problems was that she and her father did not get along and then she was recently notified her father had just been hospitalized with a slight heart attack. She did state she believed he (her father) would be in good hands.]

Miss Schmidt stated lately Miss Parks had been reading the World Bible but did not think she had gone overboard with religion. When asked about habits (good or bad), [Miss Schmidt replied no drinking, only that she smoked. When asked about drugs, Miss Schmidt was reluctant to answer and finally said Miss Parks was a frequent smoker of pot but used pot only while in Sackett Hall.

[One other problem was a boyfriend living in Louisiana, who she had planned on living with this summer, but had changed her mind and had called him about her change of plans.] Instead Miss Parks mentioned a trip to visit her sister (who lives out of state) sometime during the summer months.

Whether the information about her father, religion, pot, boyfriend, and the fact her Mental Health sessions were not helping may have brought a new low to Miss Parks could not be determined. But it should be considered a factor in her disappearance.

[Miss Schmidt stated to this officer she could not understand why the two (2) friends of Miss Parks had gone to Portland when her roommate was missing. She was referring to a Joey STEVENS (west Hall) and Sarah DUGAN (west Hall). Both are Oregon State University students. She believed both of these persons were holding information back as neither wanted to talk to the police about this incident until Sarah Dugan talked to her father who is a FBI agent in Portland. Both parties are in Portland this weekend and will be back Monday, 13 May 1974.

An interview with Edward SUMIDA showed he was at a complete loss as to the disappearance of Miss Parks and could give no reason for her leaving.

When questioned regarding pot and how often Miss Parks used it he was afraid to answer until this Officer indicated this was for information of Miss Parks only. [At this time Sumida stated he would give her a joint or two whenever she asked.] When questioned if it was possible she (Parks) went off campus to obtain pot Sumida stated he did not think so. When asked about any other drugs, a negative reply was given.

Mr. Sumida stated he had taken Miss Parks to rent wet suits and tanks as he is the only one who has transportation (vehicle) that Miss Parks is friendly with.

L. Glass #5/mg

SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER

DATE 5/10/74 TIME

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# Corvallis Police Department

## MISSING/FOUND PERSON REPORT

File No. 74-1441

DATE 5-8-74 TIME 11:55 PM

NAME ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS

ADDRESS 325 Sackett Hall OSU, home-1117 Rahara Dr Lafayette, CA, 284-5461

OCCUPATION OSU student

EMPLOYED

LAST SEEN AT Sackett Hall

DATE 5-6-74

TIME 11 PM

PROBABLE DESTINATION poss. hitchhiking home CAUSE OF ABSENCE father Charles had heart attack

MENTAL CONDITION upset

PHOTOGRAPH RECEIVED no

## DESCRIPTION

Date of Birth 2-27-54

Hair blonde waist length

Eyes blu/grn

Height 5-7

Weight 125

Age 20

Sex F

Build slender

Race CAU

Nose

Chin

Complexion fair

Teeth (known dental work)

Marks - Scars - Amputations and Tattoo Marks

Scar on both eyebrows

Upas Thumb Nails to a point that they are no longer there

Money and Property cashed \$50 check early 5-6-74 PM

Married

Single ☒

Divorced

Spouse Dead

Coat grn cord jacket

Trousers navy cord

Overcoat

Hat

Shirt

Vest

Dress

Necktie

Collar

Blouse navy

Stockings

Gloves

Skirt

Shoes platform sandals

Cap

REPORTED BY Sgt. Ross

ADDRESS OSU Campus Security

PHONE NO.

RELATIONSHIP

PUBLICITY DESIRED APB CA and OR

5-11-74 request APB, W/A, CA, OR. &amp; entry Leds &amp; NCIC

REMARKS (Additional Info--Vehicles Used, Etc.)

reported by: RAY HOYT, HEAD RESIDENT SACKETT HALL, &amp; BONNIE SCHMIDT, roommate, 754-1100 contact them if subject found

Subject told by sister SHARON KAEHLER, 51 Oak, Black Pt., CA, about father's attack. Above unable to contact either sister or home by phone. Subject known to hitchhike, but has always told whereabouts and destination.

(TT INFORMATION ONLY) (FILL IN IF TT IS SENT)

REPORTED: Date 5-9-74 Time 3:30 AM  
 APB CA, WA, OR

CLEARED: Date Time

TT No. 20 & 23 By: KHA per Sgt. Ross OSU  
 KHA per Bill Harris

TT No. By:

REPORT CLEARED: (Attempt to get full details-use other side if necessary)

Date Time

By

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OFFICER

Ray Neal

5-9-74 5:15 PM

Writer received telephone call from Parks sister, SWANEE PARKER (Phone 115-892-2323) who voiced her concern regarding whether or not. Sister stated that she had talked to Roberta at 3:00 PM on 5-8-74 and clearly not so upset. Sister stated that she was still in the hospital on 5-8-74 and advised her from all good as good. Sister also stated that Roberta has been known to become very depressed. Further stated that Roberta and her father have not gotten along in the past and feels that Roberta may be feeling badly about this.

Sister feels that if Roberta was hitch-hiking she would have called had she run into difficulty.

Nothing further at this time.

5-11-74 11:04 PM

Phone call received from Bill Harris, OSU Security. Brother-in-law of missing girl is town. She has still not been located. Wishes another APB sent OR, WA, CA. Foul play suspected. Also advised Mr. Harris we would enter into LEADS and NCIC as person of interest. Relatives very concerned.

Nothing further at this time. *AN*

5-11-74 11:15 PM

Brother in law Paul Kashier came to station to affirm that he suspects foul play and will be staying in Sackett Hall (he is from CA) for a few days to see if he can locate her. Her roommate is not sure at this time if Roberta even left Corvallis. He would like everything possible done to locate her. He will be using other media.

Nothing further at this time. *AM*

5-12-74 2:40 AM

Entered in Leads Missing Person file. Copy with report. *gll rlb*



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Roberta Kathleen Parks

SUPPLEMENTARY

May 6, 1974

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Missing Persons Report

ROBERTA KATHLEEN PARKS, AGE 20, DOB: 27 Feb. '54

Sackett Hall rm 325, Corvallis, Oregon

Home address: 1117 Rahard Drive  
Lafayette, California

Phone Area 415-284-5461

Description: Long blond waist length hair, fair complexion, blue/green eyes 5'7", 125 lbs. - wearing navy blue cord slacks - navy blue top, light green cord jacket, platform sandals.

Since May 11, 1974, the following contact have been made in an attempt to locate the missing girl.

PAUL KAEHLER - 51 Oak Street, Blackpoint, California, Phone Area 415 -  
892-2323

Mr. Kaehler arrived in Corvallis on May 11, and offered his assistance locating his sister-in-law. He advised that on May 6, Kathy's father suffered a heart attack, and was taken to the hospital in California. His wife, Sharon KAEHLER, telephoned Kathy to advise her of her father's condition. At 8:20 p.m., on that date he also telephoned Kathy to inform her of her father's present condition, which was fair. [He further advised that Kathy did not become excited because of her father's condition and he assured her that she was in good hands and that it was not necessary for her to return home.] She gave no indication at that time that she was intending to return home for any reason. Paul Kaehler further advised that Kathy was under a great deal of pressure from her boy friend, [CHRISTY MCPHEE, who she was at that time attempting to break up with. Christy McPhee was at that time employed as a scuba diver in Louisiana.] He has corresponded with Kathy regularly in an attempt to convince her that their relationship continue. When Kathy enrolled at Oregon State University in the fall term of 1973, Christy McPhee came out to Oregon and they lived together in an apartment above the Oregon Museum Tavern in Corvallis. She continued to maintain her room in Sackett Hall during the time that the two of them lived together in October of '73 until around Christmas. Just prior to Christmas, vacation, Kathy began experiencing pain in her abdomen, and was taken to Good Samaritan Hospital by ambulance. [After several days she was released from the hospital and she and Christy hitchhiked to Canada over Christmas vacation. They stayed in Canada several days and then hitchhiked back to Corvallis where they lived together at the afore mentioned residence until early March 1974, when Christy hitchhiked back to Louisiana.] Mr. Kaehler believes that Kathy was a very independant and sensitive girl and would not have run off on her own. He also believes that she would not have been easily picked up by a passing motorist.

A search of Kathy's room revealed that nearly all her clothing, luggage, cosmetics, toilet articles, etc., were still in her room. Numerous letters

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found in her desk drawer from her boyfriend, [Christy McPhee, indicate that Kathy was attempting to break off their relationship, that she wanted to be on her own and maintain her independence rather than being burdened with a marriage and a permanent responsibility.] Information from Kathy's closest friends indicate that she was in a very depressed condition due to the fact she could not make a decision as to if she should break off her relationship with Christy or return to Louisiana after spring term and attempt to explain her feelings to him.

The following two girls were close friends of Kathys and gave the following statements.

- #1. [JOANNE STEVENS] - 329 West Hall  
Home address: Lafayette, California

\* Joanne attended Junior High School and high school with Kathy. She knows that Kathy was very close to Christy, who lived with her during fall and winter term. Kathy and Christy hitchhiked to Canada during the winter term just prior to Christmas. She also knows that Kathy has been seeing a psychiatrist while she has been a student at Oregon State University as well as a high school student in Lafayette, California. [Kathy took frequent walks in the evening from her room in Sackett Hall to the Memorial Union Commons to get refreshments. This was usually between 9:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. in the evenings.] Kathy recently told her that she had received a \$50 check from her mother which she had deposited in her checking account at Citizen's bank in Corvallis. [When Kathy failed to return to her room on the evening of May 6, she did not report her missing for the first two days because she did not want to alarm anyone and thought that Kathy probably just wanted to be alone and get away for a day or two as she was quite upset over her relationship with Christy.]

- #2. [SARAH ANN DUGAN] - 313 West Hall

She met Kathy through Joanne Stevens. [They last saw Kathy when the three of them were playing basketball outside of Sackett Hall around 8 p.m. Monday, May 6.] Kathy had already been notified of her father's heart attack by her sister Sharon, earlier that afternoon. Kathy was in a good mood, indicating that she probably should have been there when her father was in the hospital but that her sister had told her that her father was all right and that she was not to worry about it. Kathy told her that she takes walks in the evenings and has invited her to go with her, however, she never has.

MIRIAN JOAN SCHMIDT - roommate of Kathy - Sackett Hall rm 325

She has been Kathy's roommate since fall term of last year. Kathy receives letters from Christy on a regular basis, and to her knowledge, she has dated only one person during the time that she has known her. She knows this person only by [redacted], and believes him to be wierd and Kathy complained that he was bothersome to her. It was learned that this subject's name is:

[redacted], DOB: [redacted]  
present address: 3 [redacted] N.W. 12th, Corvallis

Subject was arrested by Corvallis Police Department at 7:30 a.m. 5/11/74, for the following charges:

1. Possession of burglary tools



2. Possession of dangerous drugs
3. Possession of stolen credit cards

This subject was operating a green Ford Mustang, license CHU [redacted], at the time of his arrest. The vehicle is registered to a [redacted] same address, phone number 752-[redacted]. This subject was contacted at the Benton County jail and questioned in regards to his relationship with Kathy. He gave the following statement in substance.

He met Kathy early in the fall term at the Memorial Union and made a date with her. He took her to Nendls for dinner on that evening. Shortly after that Kathy's boyfriend from Louisiana arrived and he did not date her again. He saw her two or three times after that and went to her apartment but did not take her out again. Kathy told him she was in love with her boyfriend, Christy, and he made no further attempts to date her. He saw Kathy with Christy one time at the MU Commons, but did not talk to her. Kathy told him she did not know if she wanted to go to New Orleans to see Christy or home to San Francisco. She also told him that Christy was a scuba diver and was presently living in New Orleans. He resides at 3 [redacted] N.W. 12th Street with [redacted]. [redacted] has a brother attending OSU by the name of [redacted]. Both of them are from Lafayette, California, however, neither of the [redacted] boys knew Kathy until they enrolled at OSU. [redacted] resides at room [redacted] Bloss Hall, telephone number 754-[redacted].

[redacted] was also questioned as to his location and activities on the night that Kathy disappeared. He claimed that around noon on May 6, he was with a subject by the name of BRUCE FRANZEN from Portland. They went to Eugene and visited Franzen's friends on the University of Oregon campus, and then returned to the residence of DAN MCCRAW, telephone number 777-7631. Bruce Franzen was with him when they were at the McCraw's residence. They left his house around 12:30 a.m. on May 7, and arrived back in Corvallis around 2 or 2:30 a.m. on that date. He did not see Kathy or telephone her on that night. [He last heard from Kathy two weeks ago when she called him to "Shoot the bull".] He went over to see her a couple of times at her apartment at Sackett Hall, but her roommate said that she was asleep and he did not get to see her. He does not know anyone that Kathy has dated or associated with during the time that he knew her as Kathy talked extensively about being in love with her boyfriend from Louisiana.

[redacted] - 3 [redacted] N.W. 12th, Corvallis, Phone 752-[redacted]

He stated that he last saw Kathy about a month ago when he invited her to a party at his apartment. Kathy said she would make it if she could, however, she did not arrive. He met her at the MU Commons during the winter term. He attended high school at Lafayette, California, however, he was a senior when she was a sophomore, and he does not remember ever having seen her. His brother, [redacted] also went to school with Kathy but he doesn't believe that [redacted] knew her either.

[THOMAS LEROY HAYDEN] - Black/Male, DOB: 4/26/51, Student, OSU

He met Kathy during Winter term at the MU Commons. He spoke to her on several occasions, and their conversation consisted mainly of general topics. She frequently spoke of her boyfriend, Chris, who was somewhere back south. She indicated she was going to either go back there and see him or live with her sister in California after school was out. He never saw her any place other than at the MU, and never dated her or went over to her apartment. [He believes she may have gone back south to see Chris as she told him several times that she was in love with this person.]



[GEORGINE THOMPSON, OSU Mental Health Center, psychiatric social worker]

Mrs. Thompson advised that she has counseled Kathy on several occasions during the past year. [She believes Kathy to be very unpredictable and capable of running off by herself and possibly having suicidal tendencies.] She also stated that Kathy has been treated by Dr. Peter Winters, 310 N.W. 5th Street, Corvallis, phone 753-7365, or 753-4401. Dr. Winters was contacted and advised that Kathy has been receiving extensive psychiatric tests. She has been hesitant to accept therapy and that he talked to her on three or four occasions. He believes her to be rebellious and very emotional. She had a poor family-social life, was highly rebellious, and a [very nervous person to the extent that she bit her fingernails until they were bleeding.] She was a very angry and depressed person. He attempted hypnosis to quell her problems, however, this was unsuccessful. She was very reluctant to accept therapy, very touchy person, rather restless, destructive type personality, very unpredictable, and did have possible suicidal tendencies. She was not close to her father, and was seeking someone whom she could confide in. Dr. Winters last saw Kathy on March 8, and he never did prescribe any medication for her, nor did she request it. She talked at length of her problems with her boyfriend Christy whom she was living with at the time he was treating her.

Dr. ROBERT WILSON, M.D., Corvallis Clinic, 530 N.W. 27th, Corvallis  
Phone 752-4252

Dr. Wilson first saw Kathy last December when she entered the hospital with severe abdominal pains. He found no physical abnormality of Kathy, however, he was successful in getting her to confide with him and found that she did have a definite conflict with her parents. He communicated with Kathy's mother by telephone until Mrs. Parks came up from California and took Kathy home. During his visits with Kathy she stated that she did not want to confide in her family in regards to her sex life and her relationship with Christy. Christy was not accepted by her family, and this bothered her a great deal. [He believed her to be a very erratic girl and he could perceive her running off or possibly committing suicide.] She is very confused and depressed, however, very close to her sister, Sharon Kaehler. She was not happy at OSU, and he last saw her in January of 1974. He discussed her condition with Kathy's mother, who came to Corvallis to visit her before taking her home.

[KENNETH NAFFZIGER, OSU Mental Health Center]

Mr. Naffziger stated that Kathy talked with him about "getting away", taking a boat to see the world. She was not interested in her studies, her career, future, or OSU. [She disliked her mother, was very lonesome, and just was trying to find herself.] Dr. Naffziger's diagnosis was basically the same as Dr. Winters.

WENONA CHRISTENSON, Counseling Center, Lafayette, California, 415-283-8429

Kathy first came to her about three years ago for emotional instability. She was experiencing family problems, unable to communicate with her parents, particularly with her father, and a great deal of insecurity as to her future, and what she wanted to do with herself. [Mrs. Christenson stated that she had not seen Kathy in approximately two years and believes that unless she has improved a great deal from when she last saw her, Kathy would be capable of "excluding herself from society, her friends, family, and any one else that she"]

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ties with." She believed Kathy was very unpredictable, very insecure, and possibly capable of suicide.

The following is an account as to Katy's activities during the evening of May 6, 1974.

EDWARD SUMIDA - 233 Sackett B

He has known Kathy since Winter term this year. He also met her boyfriend, Christy, when he was living with Kathy during that time. [Around 9:00 or 9:30 p.m. on May 6th, Kathy came to his room to talk. She was carrying a World Bible with her at the time.] She mentioned that her brother-in-law, Paul, had called her earlier that evening and told her that her father had suffered a heart attack and was in the hospital. His condition was not critical, however, and she did not appear to be upset or depressed about it. [Kathy left his room around 10:15 p.m. and he has not seen her since.] For the past month, she has been telling him about her indecision as what to do about her relationship with Christy. She said she had told Christy of her decision to be on her own and did not want to go to Louisiana and live with him. She further told him that Christy had reluctantly accepted this decision. Kathy occasionally smokes marijuana and hashish, however she appeared perfectly normal when he saw her on the evening of May 6th, and did not act depressed about anything.

CHERELL SMITH - 327 Sackett Hall

She is a very shy girl and befriended Kathy during the last several months. [On the evening that Kathy disappeared around 10:30 p.m. she and Kathy were doing physical exercises in the hallway outside of their room. They did their exercises for about one-half hour until they both returned to their rooms. She saw Kathy go into her room. Kathy's roommate, Bunny Schmidt, had told Kathy to come over to room 324 and see her when she finished her exercises. At about 11 p.m. Cherell came out of her room to see Kathy leaving her room walking down the hallway carrying her purse and wearing her coat. She spoke to Kathy who told her that she was going to the MU to get something to eat.] Kathy appeared to act normal at the time and nothing was unusual about her. She did not seem depressed. Kathy asked her what time it was and she told her it was 11 o'clock. [Kathy replied that she still had a half-hour before the MU closed.] (The MU Commons closes at 11 p.m. on weekdays). She believes that Kathy was a very sensitive and quiet person and it was her desire to get to know her better. She has not seen Kathy since that time.

LORRAINE FARGO - 227 Sackett B, X 1196

She and Kathy had a mutual relationship in that both of them had the same problem with their boyfriends. Lorraine had resolved her problem by breaking up with her boyfriend, and Kathy had been confiding in her regarding her problems with Christy. [Shortly after 11 p.m. on May 6, she was returning to Sackett Hall from the library when seeing Kathy walking east on Jefferson at the intersection of College Drive and Jefferson Street, at the southwest corner of Memorial Union Hall. Kathy was wearing her corduroy jacket, and carrying her purse at the time. She had no luggage with her, and appeared to be "very low" at the time. They stopped and talked for approximately 5 minutes at this location. She appeared to be dazed and in a dream. Kathy told her in a very casual manner of her father's heart attack. She appeared to be completely unmoved by this. Kathy said she had told Christy of her feelings, that she wanted to be on her own, that she did not want any obligations, and did not want to continue their relationship on a permanent basis. Kathy also said that she had not been to class in a week and that she had been drinking heavily. She was also a heavy cigarette smoker.]

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[Lorraine could see that Kathy was obviously very depressed and she suggested that they return to her room and discuss the matter. Kathy replied that she felt like being alone and just walking, and trying to straighten things out in her mind. She last saw Kathy turn the corner walking north up College Drive, toward Monroe Street, and she has not seen her since. During the past two weeks, Kathy has come to her room and discussed her problems, particularly her relationship with Christy. Kathy would become very emotional and begin crying until she was able to calm her. Kathy was somewhat of a loner and introvert, quiet and reserved. She was very particular about her health and appearance. She does not believe that Kathy would intentionally leave without notifying someone. If Kathy did leave on her own, she would have taken luggage with her unless she was intending on staying only overnight. She has no idea where Kathy would have gone. [It was a very warm evening on May 6, 1974.]

RICHARD P. CRAMER, Kathy's instructor in scuba diving during Winter term

[Mr. Cramer took Kathy to the Newport Beach twice during Winter term to practice diving in the ocean. They went to Whale Cove which is approximately seven to eight miles north of Newport, however, the water was too rough and they returned to Newport where they practiced scuba diving under the Newport bridge.] Kathy wanted to qualify for diving as her boyfriend, Christy, was a qualified diver. She did not adapt to the water well, and appeared to be afraid of the water. Several days prior to her disappearance, she came into his office and told him that she had broken up with her boyfriend, Christy. She was very depressed and stated that she needed to get ahold of herself, and wanted someone to confide in. She gave him no indication that she intended to leave the area or to possibly go to the Newport beach area for solitude.

DANIEL R. ANNETT - 980 S.E. Denman, Corvallis 752-3158

He is a student at OSU and met Kathy at the MU Commons during winter term. He stated that the only time that he ever talked with her was at the MU Commons area, with the exception of one occasion that he took her to a movie and to a party afterwards during the same night. This was about the second or third weekend in April. He believed her to be a very intense personality. They would talk at times about subjects other than superficial ones even though he did not know her very well. She seemed to want very badly to open up to others but then realized that she didn't know how to go about it. She would then become very frustrated and abandon the idea. He believes that the topics of conversation that they had which would be revelent in any respect to her disappearance is the fact that she had mentioned frequently that as soon as this term was over (Spring term) she would be going to New Orleans to be with her boyfriend, Chris. He also got the impression from things that she said that her parents did not approve of Chris. [He believes that she may have gone to New Orleans without notifying her parents because of this.] He last saw her about two weeks ago at the MU. She was talking to some people he did not know; he greeted her and continued on his way. She spent alot of time at the MU Commons, generally by herself. She was somewhat of a loner. He feels that she might be capable of erratic behaviour that might prompt her to just take off based on his own observation of the intenseness of her attitude if something was not just right in her world. She gave him the impression she genuinely loved Christy and that is where she would have gone.

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Dr. NICHOLAS YONKER, Dept. Religious Studies, OSU, X 2921

Dr. Nicholas had Kathy in his class of Introduction to World Religions. She was scheduled to take an exam on April 23, however she did not show up. She contacted him two or three days later and asked if she could make up the exam, which he allowed her to do. When he talked to her on that day, her eyes were glazed and teary. He received the impression that she appeared to be under the influence of drugs, however she was perfectly coherent. She was obviously depressed and said she had personal problems. She appeared to be dazed and rather confused about something. He has not seen her since then.

CARL HOFFMAN, Grad Student on Sabbatical leave. Residing at rm 105  
College Inn 752-7127

Mr. Hoffman called and stated he has talked to Kathy Parks several times while they were in the MU Commons. The last time was about three weeks ago prior to her disappearance.

He stated she was a very mixed up girl, and seemed to be searching for a friend she could confide in. Mr. Hoffman is in his 50's and they seemed to have a good rapport. She wanted to know if she could talk further with him at some later time. He advised her to call him at the College Inn and he would be glad to talk to her about her problems. Kathy would always wave to Mr. Hoffman when they met, and seemed on friendly terms. He assured me that any calls or contacts she may initiate, he would immediately notify this office. He has not seen nor heard from her since he talked to her at the MU Commons about three weeks prior to her disappearance. He met Kathy's boyfriend, Chris, when he saw them at the MU.

CHRISTY J. MCPHEE, 1724 Riverroad, Berwick, Louisiana, phone 504-384-5241  
Zip Code 70342

Christy arrived in Corvallis from Louisiana on May 12, after learning that Kathy was missing from OSU. He gave the following statement.

"From the best of my knowledge I last talked to Kathy on Thursday, May 2. I believe she called me collect in Louisiana. She just wanted to talk. There was nothing striking about her conversation. She just seemed relieved that I wasn't giving her a bad time about wanting to be on her own for a while. She seemed to think that would be best and nothing but good could come of it. The last letter that I received from her was on Friday, May 10. It was dated May 6 and post marked May 7. In the letter she sounded depressed over her father's heart attack and other things not specified. She seemed to have had a bad day that day and just said that she wanted to go out and walk around. That was the last I have heard from her. From what I have heard of her actions immediately prior to her disappearance, just doesn't sound like her. (Tearing the picture off the wall I drew for her, throwing away one of my letters) Everything is so unusual it's just not like her to take off like that. I just don't know where she could be".

Following is a copy of the letter Kathy wrote to Christy dated May 6, 1974, postmarked May 7, 1974.

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Dear Christy,

I got your letter today I often wonder what you think of me, being so far away. I had a usual day today, somewhat. Ma reports my Aunt Mary opened her eyes a few days ago, and actually looked human again for the first time since she got sick. That's a relief. Sharon called from my folk's house this morning (Ma is still in Alabama). Dad had a heart attack last night around midnight. Evidently he was conscious enough to call the doctor; get Sue out of bed to take him to the hospital. He's in the intensive care section for cardiac patients now. Sharon says he's O.K. now. I'm shook up about it, and I know dad must be, also. I hope he changes his lifestyle after this. I'm feeling down right now, due to a combination of things, I suppose. To tell you the truth, I don't even feel like finishing this letter. I think I'll go walk around outside a while. I'm sorry this is such a bum letter - I really am. But, after all, everyone has their ups and downs. This day has especially had its share of bad news. Well - I'm looking forward to seeing you - very much. When you come, please put your arms around me and make me feel like everything's O.K. I really miss you. I'm needing the comfort of your presence now. I love you,

Kathy

Following is a transcribed letter from Kathy to Christy McPhee, postmarked May 6, 1974. The letter is not dated.

Christy, it was wonderful speaking with you - you lifted my cloud of loneliness for you. Bless Ma Bell - even though she's damned. I've just completed my 4 hour of overall exercises. Yes - this is my "May month of Physical Fitness Program," 2nd night of 4 hour exercises. I always feel so relaxed and limber afterwards - going to keep at it for a least a month, this time around. I'm also playing a lot of basketball and riding my bike lately, so it's not as if I don't get enough exercise as it is. Right now I think I must feel the same way a kitten does asleep before a fire. I'm content after talking with you, relaxed from doing those exercises, sleepy because I'm stoned, and drifting on a wave of classical music. Today I heard "Nutcracker Suite" for the first time in years, it seems. It sounded beautiful to me. I love certain classical pieces very much, and too often I miss hearing them. What they have got on the radio now is O.K., but I especially like old familiar favorites I grew up with.

I love you - I feel I always will. You've lightened my heart tonight. I'm happy you were there - it was nice to hear your voice. Well - I'm very sleepy now - so, I think I'll go to bed - Remember - I care for you

Friday night

I saw B.B. King tonight - God - he is really something else. I'll never forget him as long as I live. He radiates warmth and good feelings like no other performer I've ever seen or heard. He puts his heart into his music. A wonderful, wonderful man and musician. I wanted to shake his hand, just touch him to let him know how much he touched me - he moved me very deeply. Sort of the feeling I have for Ray Charles. B.B. King truly is the "King of Blues" dedicated to the core. Tony Joe White also played (Poke Salad Annie) He was O.K. in my opinion, in an A.M. radio style. B.B. King had the whole show, though I wish you could have heard him with me.

I sat out in the sun for 2 hours with Joanne today. Love to feel the sun's warmth on my body.

Kathy Tornow is getting married tomorrow, today now - April 4th, (believe she meant May 4th). I've been thinking about her alot off and on today. I smoked some hash with Ed awhile ago. I'll finish this tomorrow - I'm very, very sleepy - so sleepy I can barely think. Goodnight - I love you.

Saturday evening

Christy - it was beautiful her today! The weather is great. I sat out with Joanne again in the sun a long while. This is "Moms" weekend. Mothers abounding everywhere. Everyone seems to be enjoying themselves - with this sun - how could they not? I just got back from riding my bike out in the country - the setting sun threw a goldish hue over everything. I also did my exercises for 1/2 hour, and there was a fair up in the M.U. Quad this morning. All the usual arts and crafts (the one where I got you your ring had better craftsmanship, I thought). Still, it was fun. I bought a long, full, dark green skirt - very light material and the blouse that went with it. It cost \$11. I got a good deal. It's sewn pretty good, and the cost of material (a very full skirt) and labor would come to that, anyway, if not a little more. Seems like it would, but then they would be selling at a loss, right? Kathy Tornow is married now - wish I could have been at her wedding. I'm stoned again, so I think I must be letting myself ramble on pretty much in my writing. That's been my day, quite a bit of it, anyway, I want you to know I've been thinking of you. When I was riding my bicycle in the light of the evening sun, I thought of you, and I was wishing you could have been with me, the world looked so beautiful. The air is sweet and smells a little like hay. Summer feels like she's on her way good and strong. Oh, Christy, please don't ever worry about losing me, don't ever give it a thought. You are in my heart, and I think of you often, no matter whom I'm with, or what I'm doing. Nothing you could ever do would ever make me love you less. I accept you completely. If I loved you any less because of the way you are and live, I would not really love you. But I do, so I can say I love you, and I will, all my life. I know I'll never find another you. You are a vital person, and have a hell of a lot to offer this world. I care for you, I want you to be happy, give yourself a good time and feel absolutely free in doing so, knowing that I'll love you, simply because you are you. I miss you, Christy, and I love you very much. Guess I'd better get this off to you.

I love you, (signed)  
Kathy

The following is a transcribed copy of a letter which was written by Kathy, and found in her room. The letter bears no date or salutation and appears to be a recording of her thoughts at the time. It's unknown when Kathy wrote this letter which was never mailed. It was found in the waste basket in her room.

I have been thinking seriously about this coming summer and my future. I want to live and work in California for awhile. I do not want to live and work in Louisiana, the only reason I'd want to be there is because you are there. I've asked myself if I honestly feel ready to settle down and live with a man. Living together and being married have no difference, in my mind. In both situations, emotional bondage and dependency are present, as are other binding factors. To be completely honest with myself, which is not an easy thing to be sometimes, I have decided I am not ready to settle down. It is only fair to be honest to you, in turn, and tell you of my thoughts. I think it a better thing to be honest now, rather than sorry later.



There is something I feel I must do in becoming completely happy and at ease with myself inside, before I settle down. I must have the certain knowledge inside of me of realizing I can go it alone in this world. At this point, I know I am insecure and more than a little unsure of my own ability to cope with the world by myself. I want to have that feeling inside of me, and I want to build up my self confidence and faith in myself. After this is done, then I can think of settling down, knowing I am a better person for it.

This decision is nothing against you, you are a good man, and a loving one. I love you as much as ever. My feelings toward you have not changed in the least. My plans for my own future have, though.

It hasn't been easy for me to ask myself what I truly want for myself, but, I did, and I know, I just know I need more time to become my own person. I need time to grow, and feel worthy of myself. If I come to live with you now, I will never know complete personal independence. I feel I must know this before I can give completely without any reservations ever blocking my love.

I also think any ties of commitment should not be binding if they are decidedly going to interfere with one's personal happiness and well being. [If I promise to jump off a cliff, I think it's only fair for me to be able to change my mind, if I think it would be an unwise thing for me to go through with that commitment.] I'm not equating living with you as being as throwing myself off a cliff, but, in a way, it is. I think after a year or so I would become discontent, simply because I have never had the chance of being on my own. I want to give myself that chance. I think it's best for me.

I feel as though I've just changed the course of my life before the future has even arrived. [Set me adrift in a sea of hope - I'll set my sail to a new horizon] Keep the faith in me, Christy. I love you, more than ever. Trust in me, I've got to have more time. I've got to know when I'm ready to settle down. You've got to accept that I have to know that if you love me like you tell me you do, you've got to give and take. We both do. Don't turn your love away from me, just give me time. I need time to grow and let my love grow. Please try to understand my feelings.

That letter is unsigned.

The following is a similar transcribed copy which is undated and unaddressed, written by Kathy and found in her room.

This is something I wrote a while back. There ain't anything like the "real thing", Christy, if what we feel for each other is the real thing. I think very strongly it can only grow stronger and stronger, and higher and higher.

There is someone you never forget, no matter who you may be with. There is always someone in the back of your mind. I think you are the one I will never forget.

My mother waited for her man five years, not "waited", actually, more, always had him in the back of her head, and he always had her in the back of his mind. They had an understanding between them. They were to go their separate ways, each was to go out with anyone they wanted. My father insisted that my mother go out and not sit at home. Both of them did just that. When my mom felt ready to settle down, she had her self-respect, confidence, and an honest liking for herself. She was sure my

dad was the right one for her, just as dad thought she was the right girl for him, Now, neither one of them asked the other to wait, it would be fair to neither of them. More than likely they would end up hating each other if they had promised to wait for each other, fingers crossed. My ma came to dad when she knew in her heart she was ready to settle down. Their love for each other was true, and they were ready for each other.

Following is a transcribed copy of a letter written to Kathy from Christy dated April 23, 1974.

Dear Kathy:

I'm laying here in my bunk on the barge. I'm afraid Kathy, I'm afraid that we may be drifting apart. I don't want that to happen, Kathy, I love you, I love you more than I could love anyone else, and I'm pretty sure that you love me. I don't really understand why you made such a turnabout in plans I thought we had made. You said something about wanting to be independent and not have to be dependent on me. But then you say you're going to be living at your sisters. It seems to me you're just transferring it from me to them. I want you to be dependent on me to a certain extent. You really mean something to me, Kathy, you're the most important thing in my life. You make it seem like there's some meaning to my life when I have you, but without you there just doesn't seem to be very much. You give me something to work for, certain goals to achieve. Without you those dreams are unachievable. Sure, I could find something else to work for, but the life with you is the happy one. I don't want to be away from you for so long. I'm afraid you'll drift away from me and I might never see you again. When I think of not having you I get this really empty feeling or something in my gut. It happens all the time now because, since you dropped the bombshell last night, I think about it all the time. Tonight while eating dinner I thought about it and I couldn't eat. When I looked out the window at the ocean and thought of what it would be like without you I felt really sick, and all I wanted to do was go lie in my bunk. Writing this now makes me feel that way. I'm confused, Kathy. I love you. I never want to be without you. Please stay with me. I'm very weary Kathy, I must sleep.

April 24, 1974

Kathy, I got the word this morning I'm going home, the job is over. I'll be talking to you tonight but I'm sending this anyway. I really wonder why it is you changed your mind. I love you Kathy, I don't want to lose you.

Love Ya Always  
Chris

The following is a transcribed copy of a letter to Kathy from Chris dated May 1, 1974.

To my dearest Kathy:

I hope you've been alright lately. I've only gotten the one letter from you so far. I hope you've written me more than that. You know when I said James and I were going to Baton Rouge to look at cars? Well, we never made it. Jeff still hasn't come back with the truck we're going to drive there in. But we'll probably go whenever Jeff comes back. I sure do miss you sweetheart. I wonder what you think of me when I'm so far away. I wish I was with you Kathy. I want so bad to be able to hold you in my arms. I love you so much Kathy. I'd be very happy just to wait for you. If I knew you'd be waiting for me also. I want you Kathy. I can't see myself with anyone else. You're the girl I want. I only hope I will be able to keep you as



"my girl." Well hon, I've got to go now. I've got some things to do. I love you. I'll write or talk to you soon.

Write me often

Love Ya Always  
Chris

Since Kathy's disappearance all points teletype bulletins have been sent to all police agencies in Oregon, California and Washington, notifying them of her disappearance, her description, and several possible destinations. She has indicated to friends in the past that she would like to get away from Oregon State University and possibly go to the World's Fair, or return to her sister's residence in Blackpoint, California. On another occasion she has mentioned that she would just like to leave campus and go to Portland and walk the streets. It is extremely doubtful at this time that she intended to return home because of her father's heart attack, as she has not arrived, after being missing for over a week. We have made inquiries of the main hospitals in the Portland, Corvallis Albany areas with negative results. Each of these hospitals have been requested to contact the Campus Security Office immediately if they receive information as to her location.

The Corvallis Police Department, Benton County Sheriff's office, Oregon State Police, FBI have been alerted as to her disappearance; and are coordinating their efforts with the Campus Security department to locate her.

[Her boyfriend, Christy McPhee, and her brother-in-law, Paul Kaehler, believe that Kathy may have gone to the Newport beach area to seek solitude. We have placed telephone calls to various police agencies in the Newport, Florence, and Lincoln City areas, notifying them of her disappearance, and have also sent photographs to each of these departments and requested that they be on the look-out for her. We have also received cooperation from the local and main channels of the news media which have broadcasted Kathy's description, listing her as a missing person, and asking anyone that may have seen her to notify the Campus Security Department. This information has been channled through the OSU Department of Information.

The local Greyhound bus depot has been checked for possible leads to the location of Kathy. It was learned, however, that the ticket office closes at 9 p.m. on weekdays and that individual drivers would have to be located in order to possibly identify her. At this time attempts are being made to locate drivers of Greyhound buses who were in Corvallis on the night of May 6th or early morning hours of May 7th, 1974.

One positive lead which has been developed is Kathy's checking account at Citizen's Bank, downtown branch, Corvallis. [On May 6th, she received a \$50 check from her mother, of which she deposited \$35 into her checking account. An interview of several friends of Kathy's at Sackett Hall revealed that she repaid approximately \$10 in debts on this date prior to her disappearance. This would indicate that she had less than \$10 on her person at the time she disappeared.] A check with the employees of Citizen's Bank revealed that Kathy's bank balance is presently \$40.50. They have agreed to immediately notify the Campus Security department in the event that they receive any checks written on her account at that bank.

The OSU Department of Information has supplied the Campus Security with copies of photographs of Kathy which have been sent out to police departments in areas which it is believed that Kathy may have gone.

Christy McPhee and Paul Kaehler have also contacted the Corvallis Gazette Times and had missing persons bulletins printed (800) which they are distributing in the area in an attempt to locate her. Information from Paul Kaehler is that Kathy's grandfather has offered \$500 reward for information leading to her location.

Kathy's oldest sister, Sharon Kaehler, has stated that Kathy may have gone to the World's Fair in Spokane, Washington. Kathy did tell her about wanting to go to the fair, however, Sharon does not think she would go until she was out of school this term. Information was recently received from Mr. Paul Kaehler, (Kathy's brother-in-law) that her father is now aware of her disappearance.

Christy McPhee indicated that over Christmas vacation last year, he and Kathy had hitchhiked to his aunt's residence in Canada, and that she had become very fond of this area. [His aunt, MARY MCPHEE, area code 604-729-3438, was contacted, and she advised that she has not seen Kathy, but will call the Campus Security Office if Kathy arrives at her residence.]

A telephone call was also placed to the Spokane Police Department and a photograph of Kathy sent to them. They will furnish this information to the Security Department at the World's Fair in Spokane, and notify us of any information they receive.

A telephone call was also placed to Berwick, Louisiana where Christy McPhee resides. They were alerted to the information of the disappearance of Kathy and a photograph and description sent to them. They will notify us immediately if she arrives in their city, looking for her boyfriend, Christy McPhee.

Kathy indicated to Christy that she would like to get a job dancing in a night club or "Go Go" club if she decided to live with him in Louisiana. Considering the possibility that she might go to Portland and seek work, the following contact was made.

EDDIE HEISLER THEATRICAL AGENCY  
13606 S.E. McLoughlin Blvd.  
Portland, Oregon  
Phone 659-3545

Mr. Heisler was contacted by telephone and advised of the missing girl and the reward offered. He stated that all female entertainers in Portland must go through his agency for employment, regardless if it is a private club or not. Photos are taken of each girl and employment records kept. He has no record of Roberta Kathleen Parks, or Kathy Parks, but will contact the OSU Security office in the event she applies for employment. A missing persons bulletin was mailed to Mr. Heisler for his information.

JAMES WARREN, Investigator  
Department of Justice  
Eugene, Oregon

Mr. Warren has entered Kathy's name, date of birth, and social security number into the computer with I.R.S. and Social Security for the purpose of determining a record of her present employment, if any. Mr. Warren advises, however, that Social Security releases this information on a quarterly basis, and it may take several months for this information to be available. He has made this a high priority emergency request, and will contact the OSU Security Office if and when the information is received.



MR. & MRS. CHARLES PARKS - Kathy's parents  
1117 Rahard Drive  
Lafayette, California  
Phone (415) 284-5461

On May 17, 1974, Mr. Parks telephoned the writer from the hospital in Lafayette to inquire about his daughter. He will be in this hospital for the next two weeks, and can be reached at phone (415) 939-3000, room 408. He was advised of the action being taken in an attempt to locate his daughter, and he will be kept advised daily of any progress made. Mrs. Parks was with him at the hospital at the time he called. She advises that Kathy might go to the World's Fair in Spokane as her younger sister, [Susan, will be appearing there on May 25th] as a member of a high school singing group known as "Acalanes." Susan plays the piano and sings. [Kathy was aware of her appearance at the World's Fair at that time, and indicated she would like to be there and see her perform.] The Spokane, Washington Police Department has been alerted of this, and will attempt to locate Susan when she appears at the fair. They have been notified of Kathy's disappearance and a photo and missing person bulletin has been mailed to them.

An incident involving a screaming girl being forced into a vehicle on campus on or about the same evening that Kathy disappeared was investigated and cleared after it was determined that it was nothing more than a prank and not related to this investigation. Sergeant Wayne Ross's report is attached.

Investigation is continuing and another report will follow.

*William R. Harris*  
William R. Harris, Investigator

cc: ✓ Dean Popovich  
✓ Dean Chick  
✓ Everett Lillig  
✓ Corvallis Police Department  
✓ Benton County Sheriff's Office  
✓ Oregon State Police, General Headquarters  
✓ Oregon State Police, Corvallis

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SUPPLEMENTARY

Parks, Roberta Kathleen  
235 Sackett Hall  
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5/9/74

A 1756  
Missing Person

Bill Harris received a report from Brad PETERSON of an incident that happened on the north side of McNary Hall involving a screaming girl being put into a black Volvo, then driving back onto campus. He asked that we try to trace it down.

At 6:42 PM I went to McNary Hall to start interviewing people on the north half of the building. I talked to the clerk at the main desk first to see if she had any ideas or had heard anything, she said she had not heard a thing. As we were talking, a resident of McNary walked up and I asked him where he lived in the building and if he had seen or heard of any of the incident I described to him. He stated he did, along with his friend who was visiting him. His name is: Robert MARLOWE his friend is: Doug PARKINSON  
428 McNary Hall Avery Lodge  
X-2656 X-3269

They each gave a statement of what they saw.

After meeting Officer Glass on a lower floor and finding he had not results we went back to the main desk relating what we had and saying it looked like someone may have been taken for a dip in the fountain. At this time Mrs. Wright, the desk clerk said they had had several of those lately and someone said there could have been a girl from McNary involved. At this I had her call the girl RA's from 2nd and 3rd floors to talk to them. Barbara CHAPMAN, room 201, X-1258, RA on 2nd said she had a girl who had been thrown in several times. Her names is: Mary HARKINS  
236 McNary Hall  
X-2247

At 10:15 PM I contacted her and [REDACTED] McNary Hall, X- [REDACTED] one of the people involved in the incident. He gave me all the names of the rest:

car owner

284-

51 NE Mason

Portland, Oregon

(Portland State student, visitor)

[REDACTED] Callahan Hall

X-

[REDACTED] McNary Hall

X-

This incident as told to me by the participants involved was purely a case of horse play ending up getting a girl dunked in the fountain for things she had started earlier.

This report clears the report from Brad Peterson of 5/14/74, 3:30 PM.

Sgt. W. Ross # 1/dlp  
May 16, 1974 12:30 AM



Transcribed copy of written statement of Brad Peterson

I received a phone call on Monday night at around 10:00 PM, I got off the phone at about 11:00 PM. After I got off the phone I was headed for McNary Hall. I was going to visit Dan Woodward and Larry Niemela. On my way over to McNary I was walking by the bike racks when I heard a girl yell HELP. I stopped and saw these people pushing this girl into the back seat of a car. The car was shaped like a Volvo. It was a dark colored car. Either a black or dark blue or dark green/ I would say that there was five people in the car, not counting the girl they put in the back seat. There were three people in the back seat and two people in the front seat. The girl was laying on the laps of the three people. I would say that at least one of the five people involved was a girl.

The reason I say that it was Monday, May 6th, is because I knew that what I had seen was around Mom's Weekend. Then I remembered that I had a phone call On Monday, which was May 6th. That is why I'm pretty sure that what I saw was on May 6th.

The car was out front of McNary Hall in front of the bike racks facing east. As soon as the girl in the back seat of the car, the car made a U-turn and went west on Jefferson Street.


The people involved appeared to be of college age. They could have been just playing around.

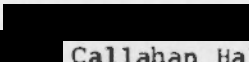
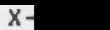
I would say that this happened a little past 11:00 PM. Probably 11:05 PM.

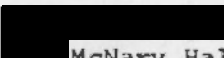

/s/ Brad Peterson



The following is a transcribed copy of a written statement of Robert Mercer:

Approximately 11:00 Saturday night, May 4th, three boys and one girl carried another girl into a Volvo parked in McNary front area. They drove her to the Library fountain and were going to throw her in, but the fountain was empty. So they took her and dumped her into the fountain at the Corvallis Gazette Times and ditched her there. Then they met her back at the dorm about twenty minutes later.

-owner  
Portland, Oregon

  
Callahan Hall  
X-

  
McNary Hall  
X-

  
McNary Hall  
X-

/s/ Robert Mercer  
McNary Hall, room 621  
754-2887



Transcribed copy of written statement of Mary Harkins:

On Saturday night, May 4, 1974, at 11:00 PM I was taken from my room in McNary [REDACTED] by [REDACTED], [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] [REDACTED] outside, through the bikerack and taken into a black Volvo. I was screaming and yelling my head off because I knew what would be at the end of our ride. We drove to the Library fountain, which was empty. We then went to the fountain in front of the Corvallis Gazette Times and I was thrown in the water. I walked back to my room at McNary and my "friends" were already there.

/s/ Mary Harkins

Transcribed copy of written statement of Robert Marlowe:

As close as I can remember, I saw two people putting a girl with long hair, wearing blue jeans, into a dark colored (dark blue or black) small foreign car (I remember thinking it was a VW). There was a person in the back seat of the car and also one in the drivers seat besides the two who put the girl in the car.

The girl made it clear she did not want to go with them. I distinctly remember that at one point she said, "They're kidnapping me."

After they loaded her in the car, the car made a U-turn and headed back up to the signal light. The car proceeded up campus towards the Library pool (the people who loaded the girl into the car had said they were going to throw her into the pool).

At this time I quit paying attention because it did appear that they were going to throw her into the pool.

I saw all this take place from my window in 428 McNary. As I remember it, it happened on May 6th around 11:00 PM.

/s/ Robert Marlowe



Transcribed copy of written statement of Doug Parkison:

In regards to the incident out in front of McNary at 11:00 PM or thereabouts on [May 5 or May 6, I heard this girl yelling and screaming something like "no, don't"]. This arrested my interest since it was a real quiet night. I stood up to look out my window to see what was going on. [I heard something like "let's take her up to the library and dunk her". She protested quite vehemently. I assumed she was one of the boys girlfriends. They slid her into the backseat of the small car. It could have been a volkswagon or a Volvo type. I felt it was a VW at first sight, but being poor at car identification it might have been a Volvo. But I say it was a VW that I say. It seemed at first recollection that black was its color, but the impression came that it was red.] Now, I can not be sure of the color. Rob and I distinctly talked over the possibility of strange occurrences and criminal actions. But we became intrigued in license plate. I am unable to remember it. I was interested in seeing if they went up straight past the library which they did. This convinced me their intentions were honourable.

At least two boys helped put the girl bodily into the back seat where someone was in the backseat the whole time of the loading operation.

Then one got in the backseat, the other got in the car to where I'm not sure. But all took off together and made an U-turn in the street below our window at room 428.

The girl had long hair a little longer than shoulder length, a blondish brown color of hair. It was hard to tell her height, she was in the horizontal position. She had blue jeans on that was my distinct impression. Her height was around 5'4" is my impression though.

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