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Today

The first regional conference of the **Canadian Society for Asian Studies** will be held at Saint Mary's University Thursday, January 13 and Friday, January 14.

Minister of State for Multiculturalism, The Honourable Norman Cafik, will address the conference Thursday morning.

One of the key purposes of the conference is an attempt to bring together the two most important elements of Asia in Atlantic Canada—namely those in the educational field and members of the ethnic communities at large.

Mrs. Clarence Gosse will officially open a special Asian cultural performance at 7:30 Friday evening in the Theatre Auditorium. The public is invited to attend this program which will present Korean Singers, Philippine Dancers, the Indo-Canadian Society, Chinese theatrical costumes and a Japanese demonstration. Admission will be \$1.00 for the general public, 50c for students. There will be no charge for children attending with their parents.

Educational and cultural materials will be on display in the Theatre Auditorium throughout Friday and Saturday. Slides and film will be shown both days in Room 215 of the Loyola Building.

Everyone interested in contemporary Southern Africa is invited to a Southern Africa Information Group meeting tonight at 7:30, room 410, Dalhousie SUB. A slide tape show on "resistance to apartheid in 76" will be shown.

Eye Level Gallery is exhibiting the art of HARRY HAMM, LEON KEIL, PETER LEVERMAN, BRIAN MACNEVIN, JOHN NEVILLE, RICHARD ROBERTSON and TED ROSS in a group show from January 12 to Feb. 4, 1978, at 1672 Barrington Street, phone 425-6412. Gallery closed Mondays.

"Songs of the Lumberwoods" and "Songs of Cape Breton" are the titles of two illustrated lectures to be presented at Saint Mary's University on Thursday, January 12, Room 300 in the Student Centre. Time: 8:00 p.m.

Dartmouth Regional Library will sponsor a program on **Cross Country Skiing**, Thursday, January 12 at 8:00 p.m. in the Library Auditorium at 100 Wyse Road.

Friday

The 1953 film classic, **War of the Worlds**, will be shown at 7:00 and 9:00 p.m. on Friday, January 13, in the Life Sciences Building (Room 2815). Admission is \$1.50 (\$1.00 for children). Tickets available at the door.

On **Friday, 13 January at 8 p.m. in Studio 1, Admission Free**, Dalhousie Arts Centre presents **PLAYING WITH FIRE** by August Strindberg, directed by Sandy Crockett, 4th year Honours theatre student.

The School of Library Service at Dalhousie University presents a lecture Friday morning, Jan. 13, at 10:45 a.m. entitled "**Recent Developments at CIS-TI**". The Speaker is Mr. T.W. West of the Canada Institute for Scientific and Technical Information, Ottawa. Location: Room 2616, Killam Library.

"**Atlantic Conquest**", an exhibit about flight and transatlantic aviation, will be shown at the Nova Scotia Museum from January 14 - February 26, 1978. Visiting hours: 9:00 - 5:00 daily, 9:00 - 9:00 on Wednesdays.

Friday, 13 January, 3:30 p.m., Studio II, Admission Free. Dalhousie Arts Centre will present **HRANT ALIANAK**—From Playwrights Co-Op in the Canadian Playwrights' Lecture Series.

Hrant Alinak is the third in a series of Canadian playwrights to visit the Theatre Department at Dalhousie as part of a national tour coordinated by **PLAYWRIGHTS CO-OP** with support from Canada Council. The public is invited to come listen and speak with Mr. Alinak on Friday, 13 January.

Monday

Interested in learning about **life in modern China**? Plan on visiting the Anglican Diocesan Centre, Monday, January 16 at 8:00 p.m. to hear a talk by Jean Sibley sponsored by the Canada China Friendship Association.

Sibley has recently returned, after spending two years studying and working in China, and will present a lecture entitled "Living and Working in China."

For further information, please contact Pam Forsythe, 422-9427.

An illustrated lecture on "**Canada's Largest Public Library: An Opening Day View**" is presented by the School of Library Service of Dalhousie University, Monday evening, January 16 at 7:30 p.m. Speaker: Mr. John T. Parkhill, Director, Metropolitan Toronto Library Board. Location: Life Sciences Building, Room 2830, Dalhousie University.

Tuesday

The Dalhousie University School of Nursing is sponsoring a series of Health Presentations in the Dalhousie SUB. **Nutrition** will be discussed on January 19 in the SUB lobby at 12:30. The speaker is Elizabeth Lambie.

Next Week

Know Your World: Focus on Scotland will be presented at the Burke Education Centre, Saint Mary's University, Halifax, Nova Scotia on **Thursday, January 26, 1978** at 8:00 p.m. followed by a lecture on Scotland.

For more information regarding **Focus on Scotland** please contact Helga Malloy at 429-7304 or Jonie Billard at 422-7361 local 254.

Friday, January 20—The Alliance Française will be presenting two French films entitled "**La femme en bleu**" and "**Paris jamais vu**" on Friday, January 20 at 8 p.m. at the MacMechan Auditorium, Killam Library. \$1.00 for non-members.

On **Saturday, January 28, 1978** from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. Heritage of Scotland will be presented at the Burke Education Centre, Saint Mary's University, Halifax, Nova Scotia. It will include bagpipe making, fiddle making, kilt making, scottish country dancing, highland dancing, music, films, traditional afternoon tea and a raffle.

The Marx Brothers film classic, **A Day at the Races**, will be shown at 7:00 and 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 14, in the Life Sciences Building (Room 2815). Admission is \$1.50 (\$1.00 for children). Tickets available at the door.

Art classes for children five to seven years old will be held at Mount Saint Vincent University on Saturdays, January 28 through March 18, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. The sessions, taught by Jean Doig, cost \$25, including materials. Adult oil painting will be conducted by Felicity Redgrave, Tuesdays, 7 to 9 p.m., January 31 to March 21 at a cost of \$20, materials are extra. Register by January 15, call 443-4450.

On Sunday, January 22, 1978, at 2:00 p.m., the closing of the **Annual Atlantic Regional Newman Conference** will be held.

A special invitation is being extended to all former Newman Club members to attend the Liturgy at the Renewal Centre, Mount Saint Vincent Complex, Rockingham, N.S.

Archbishop James M. Hayes will celebrate the Liturgy which will close a weekend of prayer, reflection and discussion on Christian Motivation by the approximately 60 students and chaplains.

Once again, all interested former Newman Club members are invited to attend this special Mass on January 22 at 2:00 p.m.

General Notices

Students planning overseas travel this summer should start their **immunizations** now. These can be given by appointment with Dr. G.F. Service at Dalhousie Health Service, 424-2171.

The International Meditation Society will present a free Introductory Lecture on the **Transcendental Meditation Program** as developed by Maharishi Mahesh Yogi on Thursday, January 19, at 8:00 p.m. in Theatre A, of the Burke Education Building at St. Mary's University. For further information phone the Halifax TM Centre at 422-5905. Also, Maharishi Mahesh Yogi will be the featured guest on the Merv Griffin Show on Wednesday, January 18, at 5:30 p.m. on channel 7 (cable).

Anglican Confirmation Classes - The Anglican Chaplain at Dalhousie and King's will be holding confirmation classes January through March 1978. All persons interested in being confirmed this spring should contact Dr. Bridge in the Chaplain's Office, S.U.B., at their earliest convenience. (Tel. 424-2287 or 425-3852).

The Oxfam Shop requires volunteer staff for Tuesday and Thursday mornings. Also there is a special discount sale on all stock, except sweaters, until February 25, 1978.

All amateur and professional photographers living in Canada are invited to submit their work to "**Canadians**," a juried show of black and white photographs being organized at the Mount Saint Vincent University Art Gallery, Halifax, Nova Scotia. All entries must be received by April 8; the show opens in Halifax, July 1 and will tour Canada until 1980. Each photograph should contain one or more people and should make a statement about their relationship to each other and / or to their environment.

"Canadians" is funded by National Museums of Canada and the Samuel and Saidye Bronfman Family Federation. Entry forms are available from: "Canadians", The Art Gallery, Mount Saint Vincent University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, B3M 2J6.

To Whom It May Concern:

Marijuana—It's Time To Change The Law!!!!!! The Alberta Legalization of Cannabis Committee is willing to send you a starter kit free to help get a chapter going in your community. Just write A.L.C.C., Box 115, Students' Union Building, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta T6G 2J7.

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Computer Data Bases are now available for on-line searching in the fields of education, business, economics, history, library and information science, sociology, etc. If you are writing a thesis or dissertation, preparing a comprehensive bibliography, or doing prolonged research phone 424-3612 for an appointment. Come and discuss your subject and the results of your manual search strategy. Bring a sample article relevant to your topic (where possible). You can get a computer print-out listing relevant articles from the data base(s) searched, including full bibliographic information plus keywords and abstract (where available). An interview can usually be scheduled at your convenience. The interview should last approximately 30 minutes. The search will be formulated and performed within 3 days. The print-out should arrive within 10 days.

Nursery School on campus has morning and afternoon openings for children three to five years old. Contact Anna Keefe, Centre for Child Studies, Rm. 1736 Psychology Dept. (424-6426).