

KWAX expansion planned

The University's Division of Broadcast Services and Televised Instruction has received a \$35,045 grant from the Educational Broadcasting Facilities Program of the U.S. Office of Education for the expansion of KWAX.

The grant, with matching funds of \$11,682 from the University, will provide \$46,727 for conversion of the station to full stereo capacity and raise the power to 20,000 watts. KWAX is currently operating on 400 watts.

The increase in power, according to John Shepherd, director of the division, means that KWAX will reach the mid-Willamette Valley as far as Salem and up the McKenzie River Valley.

Under the expansion, the Division will move strongly to provide sophisticated

services to students, faculty, and the broader public. The change represents a new phase in broadcasting for the University, Shepherd said. Some of the programming will now be directed to appeal to the larger audience. For instance, broadcasting of opera will be possible and it may be that broadcasting of Metropolitan Opera productions can be arranged.

KWAX will continue to be operated as a professional station. Students will be hired to operate all board shifts, except for one that will be utilized as a training shift for students in the Division's instructional-training program. The new set-up will provide over 30 students with the kinds of training they want, Shepherd said.

On Campus

Expert to discuss politics in the media

Jorgen H. Westerstahl, professor at the University of Goteborg, will speak at the university today and tomorrow. Dr. Westerstahl, who is currently doing research at the Center for Advanced Study in Behavioral Sciences in Palo Alto, Cal., is a well-known expert on the political impact of mass-media and on comparative political communication.

At 3:30 p.m. today, Dr. Westerstahl will speak on "Political Objectivity and the Mass Media" in the EMU (room to be posted). At 2:30 p.m. tomorrow, he will hold an informal colloquium in the reading room, Allen Hall.

Dr. Westerstahl's visit is co-sponsored by the department of political science and the School of Journalism.

Internationally known activist to speak

New University Conference will present Ronald J. Young, internationally known activist for peace in Indochina, speaking on "Where is the Next Vietnam?" at 7:30 tonight in 231 Commonwealth.

Young is the newly appointed secretary of the Peace Education Division of the American Friends Service Committee for national-international relations. He has formerly served with the Fellowship of Reconciliation, Nyack, N.Y., as national director of youth work, and with the Southern Christian Leadership Conference in Selma, Alabama. Young was also co-founder of The Resistance. He attended Wesleyan University of Middletown, Conn., and worked for two years as a student assistant minister at an all-black Methodist church in Memphis, Tenn. While at Wesleyan, he was also an assistant minister for two years at the United Church of Christ.

Chicanas to talk on Farah boycott

Ms. Rosa Ortega and Florinda Valverde will be the guests of the Migrant Labor Project and the MEChA today from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the EMU. The room will be posted.

These young Chicanas are from Texas, and will speak on the Farah Slacks strike and boycott. They are presently on strike against the Farah Co. which has plants in Texas and New Mexico and employs better than 90 per cent Chicana women as clothing workers. They are here in Eugene on behalf of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America.

African teacher to speak on religion, military

Ali Mazrui, professor of political science at Makerere University (Uganda), and this year a Fellow of the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (Stanford, Cal.), will speak on "Religion and the Military in Recent African History" at the EMU this afternoon at 3:30 p.m., under the auspices of the department of history.

Professor Mazrui is the author of a number of books, including "Cultural Engineering and Nation Building in East Africa," "Violence and Thought" and the forthcoming "Political Sociology of the English Language: an African Perspective." He is co-author and co-editor of "Protest and Power in Black Africa." Recently he published his first novel called "The Trial of Christopher Okigbo."

University Feminists to hold panel on rape

The University Feminists will have a panel discussion on rape at 8 tonight in the EMU. Both males and females are invited. The room will be posted.

Library announces book round-up

The UO Library requires the return of all books due before May 10 by that date, from doctoral students and faculty members. This is the second year that all books on long loans have been called back for accounting at the Main Circulation Desk of the General Library. Borrowers who are neither doctoral students nor faculty members may ignore the "roundup".

Persons planning to graduate in June or to leave Eugene even for a few days should arrange to return borrowed materials or to have someone receive any message from the library calling back books. Charges mount fast on books returned late or billed.

Kathy Smith to sing

Kathy Smith will return for another performance as featured artist of the Fishbowl Follies this week. She will perform in the Erb Memorial Union Fishbowl at 8:30 tonight and Thursday.

No admission is charged and all events are open to the campus community.

Constitution Committee plans hearing

The Constitution Committee's hearing on the appointment of Jeff Jefferson to the Incidental Fee Committee in place of Andy Holcomb will be held Wednesday at 4:30 in the EMU. The room will be posted.

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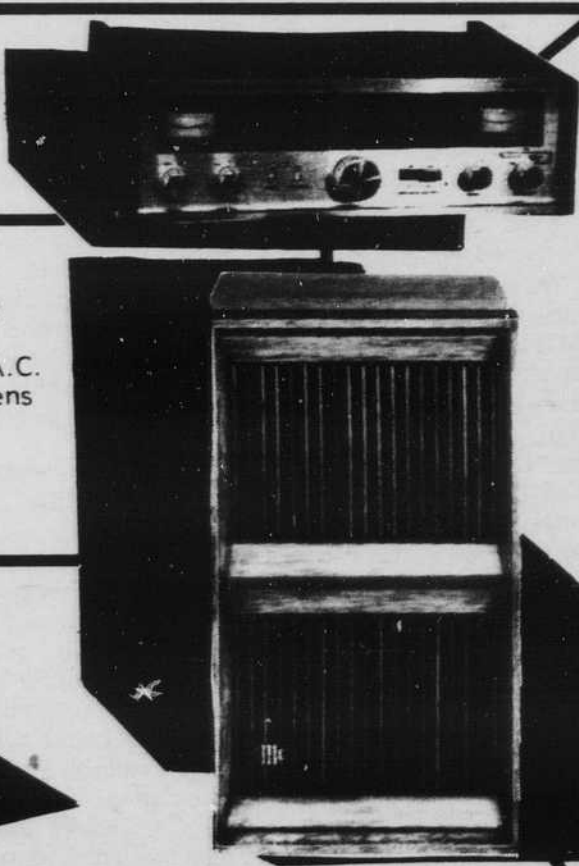
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