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## Marshall, WVU plan 'Classic'

Marshall and WVU will resume major athletic competition in 1980 or 1981 with the initiation of an annual West Virginia Basketball Classic competition.

The announcement was made Monday by the presidents of the two institutions, James G. Harlow of WVU and Robert B. Hayes of Marshall.

Site and dates of the four-team tournament, with two out-of-state universities to be invited to participate, will be arranged by the athletic directors of the two schools.

Basketball games are scheduled on three-year cycles, which explains why the 1980 or 1981 dates have been selected for the first West Virginia Basketball Classic, Dr. Hayes and Dr. Harlow said.

"We believe that men's basketball competition between our

two institutions now can be resumed without damaging our primary educational missions," the two presidents explained in a joint statement.

"If fans also demonstrate the maturity we expect of them, we think the West Virginia Basketball Classic can become a unique tournament which will make West Virginians proud."

Marshall and WVU have competed in a number of men's and women's intercollegiate sports in recent years. Men's basketball competition between the two institutions will resume after a half-century lapse.

WVU leads the series 3-0. The three games were played in Morgantown in 1929 (44-21), 1930 (48-35), and 1931 (36-33).



### HOFFMAN ROOM COLLECTION INCREASES

Dr. Charles A. Hoffman, left, former AMA president and Huntington urologist, and Marshall Libraries Director Kenneth Slack examine a Russian medical book written by the USSR Minister of Health. The book is one of several donated by Hoffman to the Hoffman Room of the MU James E. Morrow Library. Hoffman plans to establish a Library of Medical Sciences with a collection of retrospective medical literature for future scholars. He has set up an endowed fund for the library, pledging \$100,000 of his own money. A drive to raise an additional \$150,000 is being conducted.

### 'Ace' Kellner at home

Dr. C.A. (Ace) Kellner, associate professor of speech, recently had surgery at St. Mary's Hospital and is now home recuperating. He reports that he is feeling better and would welcome visits from his friends.

### Board policy: 11 holidays

In response to 86 raised eyebrows, 12 injured expressions and one anonymous note following the announcement that non-teaching employees will work Good Friday and the Monday after Easter (April 8 and 11), although these two days will be holidays for students and faculty:

West Virginia Board of Regents policy permits the president of Marshall University to schedule as many as 11 paid holidays for full-time (12-month) members of the university staff. All 11 paid holidays have been scheduled at Marshall and the schedule does not include April 8 and 11.

The president does not have legal authority to grant additional holidays to 12-month employees unless they are taken without pay or as vacation time.

Keep a stiff upper lip. The Memorial Day holiday is just around the corner. . .

### Gen. Dayan to speak

Moshe Dayan, Israel's former Minister of Defense and Armed Forces General Staff Chief, will speak at Marshall University Sunday, Feb. 20, at 8 p.m. in Memorial Student Center.

Entry to the Student Center for this event will be from the north or campus entrance.

Now a member of the Israeli Parliament, Dayan will discuss "Middle East Perspective." Following his speech, Dayan will answer questions from the audience.

Live coverage of his talk will be provided by West Virginia's Public Broadcasting System stations, WMUL-TV, WSWP-TV and WWVU-TV.

The event, sponsored by the Marshall University Foundation, Inc., in cooperation with the Huntington Jewish community, will be open to the public without charge. Seats will be available on a first-come, first-served basis.

# ***MU scientists to study project's impact***

A team of Marshall University scientists has been granted \$39,340 to study the possible environmental impact of a proposed hydroelectric generating facility near the Gallipolis Locks on the Ohio River.

The American Electric Power Service Corporation is financing the study to be directed by Dr. Donald C. Tarter, professor of biological sciences at Marshall.

It will involve a creel survey of fish taken by anglers, a spawning study of fish eggs and larvae, and an analysis of terrestrial plants and vegetation in the area, Dr. Tarter said.

Dr. Dan K. Evans, assistant professor of biological sciences at Marshall, will supervise the team's study of plant life. Michael L. Little, an instructor in biological sciences at Marshall, and Randy Carpenter, a chemistry instructor at Southern West Virginia Community College in Logan, will assist Tarter and Evans.

## **Retired educator dies in Tennessee**

Services were held in Winchester, Tenn., Feb. 5, for former Marshall Laboratory School Principal Taylor V. Cremeans who died Feb. 3.

Cremeans served as principal of the lab school from 1958 to 1970. He came to Marshall with 30 years of experience as a teacher, coach, principal, assistant superintendent and superintendent in West Virginia schools in Lincoln, Jackson, Mercer and Upshur counties.

The 65-year old former educator earned his A.B. degree from Morris Harvey College and his M.A. from Marshall. He did additional graduate work at Marshall and Michigan State University.

When he resigned to become Pochanontas County School superintendent, Cremeans held the rank of associate professor of education.

Survivors include his wife, Zena Jaynes Cremeans, five children, four brothers and two sisters.

## ***Maj. Corder appointed departmental chairman***

The U.S. Department of Army has appointed Major Joseph W. Corder Jr. as chairman of the Marshall University Military Science Department.

Corder, a Charleston native and Charleston High School graduate, succeeds Lt. Col. Marion F. White, who retired from the Army last month, as departmental chairman. The appointment became effective Jan. 29.

A Perryville, Ky., native, White was assigned to Marshall in 1973 and had been departmental chairman since 1974. White now is taking classes at Morehead (Ky.) State University to be certified to teach in Kentucky public schools.

Corder, who also received the faculty rank of full professor with his new appointment, joined the military science staff at Marshall in 1975.

## **Program review reset**

A review of Marshall University's teacher education program scheduled for Feb. 6-9 by the West Virginia Department of Education has been postponed, MU College of Education Dean Bernard Queen announced today.

The on-site review—conducted periodically by state education officials for certification purposes—has been rescheduled for April 3-6.

Marshall biological science student assistants involved include Sherry Epperly, St. Albans; Diana Ashley, Clendenin; and David Hall, Bill Cremeans, and Tom Rhone, all of Huntington.

The students will receive financial compensation and academic credit for their work.

The program has been approved by the West Virginia Board of Regents.

Gary Crawford, an AEP system biologist, will serve as liaison with the Marshall team.

## **MU to hold conference on research, planning**

The first annual Conference on Institutional Research and Planning sponsored by Marshall University and West Virginia University, will be held Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 21-22, in Marshall's Memorial Student Center.

The conference is expected to draw about 40 participants from the planning and research offices of West Virginia's public and private colleges and universities, according to Dr. Jim Nichols, MU director of institutional planning and research.

Nichols and Dr. Ed Smith, WVU associate provost for planning and institutional research director, are co-chairmen of the conference.

The conference is designed to provide participants with an opportunity to exchange information related to planning techniques used within the state; to learn about practices in other states which might be adapted to West Virginia, and to establish closer working relationships between the state's institutional researchers and planners.

## ***Seminar on business women is scheduled for Tuesday***

Marshall University's College of Business and Applied Science will sponsor a seminar on "Women in Business" at Memorial Student Center from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 22, Dr. L. Aubrey Drewry Jr., dean of the college, announced.

The registration deadline is Feb. 18 and there will be a \$5 registration charge for the noon luncheon.

The seminar, according to Carol Hartley, coordinator, is designed to create an awareness of women's abilities among both men and women and to assist women in furthering their careers.

The program will feature women who have achieved successful careers in business as speakers during the morning session and as resource people in an afternoon panel discussion.

### **NEWCOMERS**

New to the campus are:

EVELYN J. HENDON, assistant librarian, School of Medicine; DEBORAH A. SOMMERVILLE, secretary, Special Services/Upward Bound; BONNIE J. FRYE, secretary, associate dean of students; MARY JANE TWEEL, secretary, School of Medicine; MARGARET ELOISE OURS, secretary, Anatomy Department, and DUANE A. HINKLE, ID clerk, Registrar's Office.

Welcome to Marshall!



# Report from faculty advisory council

At its January meeting the Faculty Advisory Council of the West Virginia Board of Regents considered the following items of business:

1. In his report to the Council the Chancellor touched on the following matters:
  - (1) Budget hearings were scheduled to begin the following week. Governor Rockefeller had indicated that he would attend.
  - (2) The Council of Public College Presidents recently voted to recommend to the Board that it limit out-of-state tuition waivers to 25% at any institution.
  - (3) As a possible solution to future heating crises, the Chancellor suggested "blocking out" the period between Christmas and the end of January on academic calendars. Such a solution would be by local option.

- (4) The Board office is being removed from its present location in the Charleston National Bank Building to 950 Kanawha Boulevard East. The new location will provide more space than the old and at lower cost per square foot.
2. Dr. Douglas Call of the Chancellor's staff distributed copies of a document entitled "Comparative Analysis of Faculty Salaries and Fringe Benefits by Academic Rank." In March he will present a comparative analysis of faculty salaries in West Virginia with those of contiguous states.

Agenda items for February and March include the following:

  - 1) tuition waivers, 2) quality of evening and off-campus instruction, 3) grading and quality point systems, and 4) comparison of average FTE salaries with those of bordering states. As a part of item No. 3, an effort will be made to discover whether grades in West Virginia are following the nationwide inflationary trend. Your comments or questions on these or other matters will be welcomed.

Frank Aldred  
Representative  
Advisory Council of Faculty

## Leningrad Symphony to perform Monday

Rimsky-Korsakoff's "Scheherazade" and Tchaikovsky's fourth symphony will be featured in a concert Monday, Feb. 21 by the Leningrad Symphony Orchestra.

Neemi Jarvi will conduct the performance at 8 p.m. at the Keith-Albee Theater. The concert is the final event of the season on the Baxter Series of the Marshall Artists Series.

Admission is by Baxter Series season membership or balcony ticket. Tickets are available in advance from the Kenney Music Company (Huntington and Ashland) or the music department office at Marshall University. Marshall students may obtain free tickets upon presentation of second semester activity cards.

## Dates set for Taft seminar

The Robert A. Taft Institute of Government and the Marshall University Political Science Department will again co-sponsor a Seminar in Practical Politics at Marshall June 13-July 1, Marshall President Robert B. Hayes announced.

This will be the ninth annual practical politics seminar to be conducted for West Virginia secondary school teachers, elementary school teachers, librarians and school administrators.

Professor William R. Ross of the West Virginia University political science faculty will continue to serve as director of the seminar. Dr. Troy M. Stewart, Jr., assistant professor of political science at Marshall, will serve as seminar coordinator.

## Job interviews scheduled

Recruitment Schedule—Career Planning & Placement Office:

Feb. 21, 1977 - Feb. 24, 1977

### Feb. 22, Tuesday

C & P Telephone Co.  
Charleston, WV

Interviewing: Math, Accounting, and Engineering  
(A.S. with Bachelor's completed)

U.S. Navy

Interviewing: Math, Science, Accounting, Engineering  
(Bachelors), Finance Economics

### Feb. 23, Wednesday

Republic Steel Corp.  
Cleveland, OH

Interviewing: Engineering (Assoc.), Industrial Suprv.  
& Management

### Feb. 24, Thursday

U.S. Corps of Engineers  
Huntington, WV

Interviewing: Biological Science, Recreation, Geology

Ernest & Ernest  
Charleston, WV

Interviewing: Accounting

## Cerveris named coordinator

Dr. Michael E. Cerveris, associate professor of music, has been selected to coordinate Marshall University's programs at the West Virginia Science and Cultural Center in Charleston this spring.

Norman L. Fagan, Center director, has invited colleges and universities around the state to share the many artistic endeavors of their students, using the Center as a showcase.

Cerveris will be responsible for developing programming for Marshall's showcase, scheduled for April 15-20.

## Statistics lab open

The statistics laboratory, located in Jenkins Hall Room 114, will be open again this semester for student and staff use Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p.m.

Assistance will be available during these hours. All students regardless of college or major are encouraged to use the lab. Further information may be obtained by calling extension 3647 or 3188.

## Catalog available

A copy of the NEA International Institute Catalog for 1977 is available in the College of Arts & Sciences. Anyone interested may stop by the office.

# *Faculty and staff achievements, activities...*

JOSEPHINE FIDLER, acquisitions librarian, has been appointed to the Special Collections Compendium Committee of the Southeastern Library Association. The committee's 1977-78 major project is the compilation of "A Descriptive List of the Special Collections in Southeastern Libraries."

Three members of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation have articles appearing in the Fall-Winter 1976 issue of "Research and Review." They are: MRS. ELLA SMITH, assistant professor, "An Alternative in Class Evaluations;" DR. W. DON WILLIAMS, associate professor, "Rationale for the Curriculum," and DR. WILLIAMS and DR. ROBERT CASE, departmental chairmen, "Practical Application of Administrative Theory."

DR. BRUCE ARDINGER, director of writing and assistant professor of English, attended the annual convention of the Modern Language Association in New York City, Dec. 26-29.

DR. DONALD C. TARTER, professor of biological sciences, is the co-author of the following paper accepted for publica-

tion in the September-October issue (1977) of *Entomological News*: "A Taxonomic Study of the Larval Caddisflies in the Genus *Rhyacophila* in West Virginia (Trichoptera: Rhyacophilidae)." The senior author is Jim Applin, former MU graduate student in biological sciences.

DR. WARREN W. WOODEN, associate professor of English, and DR. MICHAEL J. GALGANO, associate professor of history, attended the West Virginia University Renaissance Lecture Series in Morgantown on Feb. 14-15. The guest speaker for the series was the distinguished critic and editor J. Max Patrick of the University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee.

DR. CORAZON ALMALEL-NAVARRO, professor of modern languages, has an article, "Un intelectual en el franquismo," in the December issue of Madrid's literary magazine, *OZONO*, Madrid Spain, pp. 40-44. DR. ALMALEL is currently on a leave of absence.

A media presentation on Marshall's alternate master's degree in elementary education, developed by DR. DANNY FULKS, associate professor, DR. HAROLD LEWIS, assistant professor, and DR. DAVID KOONTZ, associate professor, was presented at the National Association of Teacher Educators' annual conference in Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 2-4.

Three members of the MU library staff presented papers at a management techniques working conference, sponsored by the College and University Section of the West Virginia Library Association, on Feb. 10 at West Virginia Institute of Technology. Presenting papers were: DR. KENNETH SLACK, libraries director; ELIZABETH HILL, reference librarian, and DIANE BRICELAND, assistant reference librarian. Other members of the library staff attending were JANE BRUGGER, JOSEPHINE FIDLER, HELEN JENKINS, ISABEL PAUL, SHERRY PAYNE, MARY FAITH PUSEY, SARA STAATS and KAY WILDMAN.

## *'Chief Justice' concerts set Sunday in Charleston*

Two performances by the Marshall Music Department of the musical epic, "The Chief Justice: John Marshall," will be given Sunday, Feb. 20, at the West Virginia Science and Culture Center in Charleston.

Performances are scheduled for 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Tickets are free and may be obtained in advance or at the door.

State residents may reservice tickets by calling the toll free number: 1-800-642-8249. Tickets will be held until 30 minutes prior to the performance times. Those not claimed will be distributed to the general public.

## **Guest recital Thursday**

The Music Department will sponsor a guest recital Thursday, Feb. 24, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall, featuring Allen Whear, cellist and son of Dr. Paul W. Whear, MU composer-in-residence.

Whear will play works by Beethoven, Shostakovich and Williams. He is a student at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston and has received a number of awards.

The recital is free and open to the public.

## *Excused absences...*

Absences have been excused by the respective college heads for the following:

JAN. 26-28--Don Whitmer, Robert Mesite, Kenneth Dunn, Andrew Counts, Clifford Riley, Vernon Varnum and Emmett Cooper.

JAN. 28-FEB. 4--Varsity basketball team.

JAN. 27-28--Dawn Ray, Ted Workman, Margaret Wilson and Don Wilson.

FEB. 16-18--Neal Alhadeff and Linda Betteridge.