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News Letter

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EEO conference set Nov. 4-5

Marshall University, in cooperation with West Virginia University, will conduct an Equal Employment Opportunity Conference Nov. 4 and 5 in Marshall's Memorial Student Center.

Marvin E. Billups, Marshall affirmative action officer, said the purpose of the conference is to provide representatives from both the public and the private sectors with an understanding of laws relating to job discrimination. The conference is designed for persons responsible for employment practices and affirmative action plans of their respective firms or organizations.

Representatives of the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) and the U.S. Department of Labor will be among the speakers discussing legal, social and economic implications of Equal Employment Opportunity legis-

lation and implementation of the laws, regulations and guidelines.

Among the topics to be discussed are "EEO Concepts," "Affirmative Action Plans," "Operation of EEO Agencies," "EEO Investigations," "How to Conduct a Lawful Employment Interview," "EEO Awareness Program for Supervisors," "Equal Pay for Equal Work" and "Age Discrimination and Reverse Discrimination."

The 1½-day program will begin Thursday morning, Nov. 4, and end at noon the following day. The \$30 registration fee will include a luncheon and a dinner, Billups said.

Marshall faculty and professional staff members may attend at no cost other than meals, which are optional. University personnel who wish to attend should call Billups at 2301.

International artists highlight Convocations

An internal array of artists highlights the 1976-77 Convocation Series (morning programs) of the Marshall Artists Series.

The husband-and-wife duo-piano team of Yarbrough and Cowan will perform matched hamburg Steinway pianos October 7, at 11 a.m. in Smith Recital Hall at Marshall University. The team will present a workshop later in the afternoon.

Russian Jewish lyric tenor, Misha Alexandrovich, will sing

the morning of Oct. 25 and meet in an informal session with the audience following the concert. Alexandrovich holds the highest honors ever accorded a performing artist by the Soviet Union.

The Abreu Brothers, Sergio and Eduardo, duo-guitarists from Brazil will perform Nov. 12 with a workshop slated during the afternoon.

Spanish pianist Joaquin Achucarro will present a short recital Jan. 25 and conduct a piano workshop later in the day.

The six string players of "Music From Marlboro" (Marlboro Music Festival) will perform works by Hugo Wolf and Dvorak, Feb. 11. They are Felix Galimir and Yuuko Shiokawa, violins; Kim Kashkashian and Patricia McCarty, violas; Paul Tobias and Paul Cheifetz, cellos.

American violist and winner of the Young Concert Artists International Competition, Marcum Thompson, will perform in recital March 17. In addition to his career on the concert stage, Dr. Thompson serves as Professor of Humanities at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

The season ends on a light note with Kazoophony, March 24. This musical lampoon show features the Kaminsky International Kazoo Quartet and Fie-on Arts Ensemble. The program will include hits such as "Yankee Kazoodle Dandy" by George M. Kazoohan. A workshop on kazoo playing is unfortunately planned for later in the day.

All Convocation Series presentations are held at 11 a.m. in Smith Recital Hall at Marshall University and normally end before noon. Tickets are \$1 for adults and \$.50 for youth through the age of 18. Marshall University students are admitted upon presentation of I.D. cards.

Tickets for Convocation Series programs will be available at the Kenney Music Company and the Marshall University Music Department Office two weeks prior to performances. Tickets will also be available at the door an hour prior to curtain.

Funeral services today for Dr. Ralph Edeburn

Funeral services were held this morning in New Wilmington, Pa., for Dr. Ralph M. Edeburn of Mercer, Pa., professor emeritus of zoology. Burial was in Pennsylvania.

Dr. Edeburn, who died Monday at age 71, taught at Marshall for nearly 25 years, from September 1945 until his retirement January 31, 1970. He is survived by his wife, the former Marion Bott, and their son, Judson, of Raleigh, N.C.

Before coming to Marshall, he taught in the Pennsylvania school systems. He earned his B.S. degree from State Teachers College, Slippery Rock, Pa. in 1928, his M.S. degree in 1930 and his doctorate in 1938—both from Cornell University.

Dr. Edeburn served on several Marshall faculty committees as well as the Artists Series Board. He was active in the Artists Series program, serving as projectionist for the Forum series and head usher for the Artists Series.

He also served as adviser to Marshall's pre-med students. His specialty was ornithology and he was a member of the Huntington Bird Study Club.

He was a member of the Methodist Church and a 32nd degree Mason.

Faculty and staff achievements, activities...

DR. FRANK BINDER, assistant professor of biological sciences, is the author of an article, "Glycerol uptake by the haustorial mycoparasite *Tieghemiomyces parasiticus* in axenic culture," which appeared in a recent issue of the Canadian Journal of Botany.

DR. DONALD TARTER, professor of biological sciences, and MICHAEL LITTLE, instructor, are co-authors along with Dr. Charles Nelson of the University of Tennessee of an article accepted for publication in "Entomological News." The article is titled "Description of the Adult Male of *Allonarcys comstocki* (Plecoptera: Pteronarcidae)."

DR. MICHAEL J. GALGANO, Appalachian Oral History

Program director, attended the Canadian Oral History Association meeting Sept. 8, and participated in the 11th Oral History Association Workshop and Colloquium Sept. 8-12, in Ottawa.

DR. BRUCE ARDINGER, assistant professor of English and director of writing, and CAROL VALENTINE, assistant professor of English, attended a seminar on Technical Writing, sponsored by the Association of Teachers of Technical Writing at Morehead State University on May 22. DR. ARDINGER also delivered a paper before the 1976 National Annual Conference of the Science Fiction Research Association, held June 18-20 at the University of Montana. The paper was titled "Science Fiction and the American Ideal."

DR. ROBERT P. RAUS, associate professor of health, physical education and recreation, was elected to a two-year term on the Board of Directors of the West Virginia Recreation and Parks Association at its annual conference held Sept. 7-9 at Oglebay Park. DONNA L. LAWSON and LARRY K. BELKNAP, assistant professors, also attended.

DR. RAUS conducted a workshop on "Providing Recreation Services to Nursing Home Patients" for the West Virginia Nursing Home Association at its fall conference, held in Huntington Sept. 17.

Five members of the Journalism Department faculty conducted a day-long journalism workshop Saturday, Sept. 18, at Nitro High School for student newspaper and yearbook staffs. Marshall participants included: DR. DERYL R. LEAMING, departmental chairman; GEORGE ARNOLD JR., associate professor and United High School Press Association director; RALPH J. TURNER and WALLIN S. McCARDELL, assistant professors, and REBECCA J. JOHNSON, instructor.

ROBERT D. OLSON, professor of speech, will serve as faculty development coordinator at the Patient Care Audit Workshop to be held Oct. 1-3 at Marymount College of Virginia, Arlington. This workshop, funded by the Region III Professional Standards Review Organization, is one of a continuing series of workshops sponsored by the American Speech and Hearing Association for which OLSON has been a faculty member.

Recommendations reported by Council

The Graduate Council on Sept. 14 recommended to the President the inclusion of 11 members of the basic medical science faculty as graduate faculty. If approved, this will be the basis for this division of the University to elect one of their number as a member of the Graduate Council. Announcement was made of initial planning to develop a Ph.D. program in basic medical sciences through West Virginia University. An M.S. program in the same field would be prepared for Regents presentation by Marshall.

A number of persons were given Associate Graduate Faculty status. The following courses were added in Counseling & Rehabilitation:

CR 545, Manual Communications, 3 hrs.

CR 535, Group Process and Analysis, 3 hrs.

CR 540, Group Theories and Techniques, 3 hrs.

Paul D. Stewart, Dean
Graduate School

Personnel personals

Myron Pecora and his wife, Linda, became parents of a 10 lb. 8½ oz. daughter, Angela Renee, on Sept. 11. He is a graduate assistant in the English Department.

William E. Kingsbury and his wife, Nancy, became parents of an 11 lb. 6 oz. daughter, Heather Jane, on Sept. 12. The delivery at Cabell-Huntington Hospital was by husband-coached natural childbirth. Kingsbury is an assistant professor of Modern Languages.

Have a new addition to the family? Moving? Getting married. Proud of an achievement by your spouse or children? There's space in the News Letter for such personal items about you, your friends and your family. We'll publish the information, if you'll drop a note to Judith Casto in the Office of Informational Services.

Need a good dictionary?

Copies of Webster's New 20th Century Dictionary, Unabridged, 2nd Edition, - regularly \$59.95 - are on sale at the Marshall Bookstore for \$21.95, plus tax.

Marshall employees can buy the 2,354-page volume for even less than that, by using their University ID for a 10 per cent discount, Joseph L. Vance, Bookstore director, noted.

Vance said that the Bookstore will special order copies at the special price, if the current supply runs out.

The dictionary contains 320,000 entries, and several supplemental items, such as biographies, gazeteer, foreign words and phrases and mythological personages.

Musical Masterworks

Enjoy classical music?

Then tune in WMUL-FM at 88.1 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday to hear "Musical masterworks," featuring two hours of uninterrupted classical music.

Weekdays from 11 a.m. to midnight, WMUL-FM offers a variety of programming designed to meet all tastes and interests, according to Thomas J. Zalaski, station director.

Membership coffee

The Huntington Branch of the American Association of University Women will hold a membership coffee at the home of Mrs. E.S. (Harriet) Hanrahan, 522 North Boulevard, on Saturday, Oct. 2 at 10:30 a.m.

All women graduates who hold a baccalaureate degree from an accredited university or college in the United States or from a foreign institution recognized by IFUW are invited to attend. For membership information contact Mrs. Hanrahan or Josephine Fidler (696-2320)

Internship program draws 6 from MU

Six Marshall University students are among 21 students participating in the Public Service Internship Program this fall, according to Dr. Troy M. Stewart, campus liaison officer for the program and assistant professor of political science.

The students and their assignments are: Robert Bruno, Lake Ronkonkoma, N.Y., senior and management major,

Employment Security; Robert Fleener, Hominy Falls, W.Va., senior and sociology major, Mental Health Department, assigned to Huntington State Hospital; Neva Lusk, Parkersburg, W.Va., junior and political science major, Attorney General's Office.

Sabra Stapleton, Huntington junior and sociology major, Crime, Delinquency and Correction; Terry Watson, Parkersburg senior and accounting major, Treasury, and Teresa Wylie, White Sulphur Springs, W.Va., senior and recreation major, Natural Resources, Parks and Recreation.

Now in its second year, the program was established by the West Virginia Board of Regents to provide junior and senior students an opportunity for full-time work with the executive departments. The program offers 12 credit hours and includes seminars and directed studies, in addition to time spent in the internship.

Rhodes Scholarship forms available from Dr. Hanrahan

Faculty members should encourage students interested in applying for Rhodes Scholarships for the 1977-78 academic year to contact Dr. E.S. Hanrahan for application forms and detailed information. The deadline for applying is Oct. 31.

Dr. Hanrahan's office is in Science Hall 317. His extension is 2430.

The scholarship, considered one of the most prestigious, provides for two-year graduate study at Oxford University, England. A stipend of approximately \$7,300 is provided for tuition and living expenses. Travel costs also are provided.

Thirty-two scholarships are awarded each year. The conditions of eligibility are: (1) U.S. citizen for five years and unmarried; (2) be between the ages of 18 and 24 on Oct. 1, 1976; (3) complete the undergraduate degree requirements before October, 1977.

Criteria for selection include (1) literary and scholastic ability; (2) leadership ability and; (3) "physical vigor as shown by fondness for and success in sports".

Artists Series pianist to appear on Today show

Soviet pianist Lazar Berman, who will be performing in Huntington next month, will be the first major Soviet artist to appear on NBC-TV's "Today" program since poet Yevgeny Yevtushenko's appearance in 1972.

Berman will be featured in the 8:30 to 9 a.m. segment, Monday. WSAZ-TV, channel 3, will carry the telecast.

Following his American debut last January, Berman has gained wide acclaim in the United States.

His Huntington concert, Oct. 19, is sponsored by the Baxter Series of the Marshall Artists Series, and will be held at the Keith-Albee Theater. Baxter Series season memberships and tickets for the Berman concert are still available in the balcony of the theater.

Works by Shumann, Rachmaninoff, and Liszt are included in his Huntington performance.

MCIE meets Thursday

There will be a general meeting of members of MCIE (Marshall Council for International Education) on Thursday, Sept. 30, at 3:30 p.m., in the Memorial Student Center, Room 2W37.

Reports of the various activities of the individual members, offices, and departments related to international education and international students will be presented. New faculty and staff members and others interested in international education are urged to attend and to present ideas or proposals for discussion and consideration.

Excused absences . . .

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans for the following students:

SEPT. 15—Regina Elaine Skeens and Sandra K. Winters.

SEPT. 15-17—Roberta J. Chenoweth, Jalana Duncan, Ann M. Evans, Lisa Jayne Gergley, Susan Marie Goodrick, Cathie Sue Heck, Terri Colleen Miller and Lynda Ann Nutter.

SEPT. 24-25—Karla Amburgey, Karen Bosia, Cindy Dudley and Kelly McDonie.

SEPT. 23—Mike Beckner, Cathy Clark, Donna Legg, Nancy Lemon, Ruth Maynard, Paul Page, Chuck Spencer, Judie Taylor, Jackie Weaver and Allan Williams.

SEPT. 17—Members of the football team.

NEWCOMERS

Newcomers to the campus include:

CAROL ANN SKAGGS, secretary, Receiving Department; CAROLYN SUE CASTLE, clerk typist, Library, and GLORIA JOYCE RINGOOT, secretary, School of Medicine.

Counseling, Rehab. Dept. receives \$30,000 HEW grant

A federal grant totaling \$30,000 has been awarded to Marshall University's Counseling and Rehabilitation Department as the first appropriation in a five-year grant renewal.

The grant continues long-time support for the university's current training project in Undergraduate Education in Rehabilitation Services, according to Steven A. Meadows, project coordinator.

The funds were allocated by the Rehabilitation Services Administration through the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare's Office of Human Development, added Meadows, an assistant professor in counseling and rehabilitation.

The project is designed to provide a solid educational program for rehabilitation and other helping services personnel, Meadows said. Over the past 10 years, HEW has provided approximately \$300,000 in support funds for the program, he added.