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# News Letter, 12, 1976

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### Regents approve MU's College of Science

The West Virginia Board of Regents, meeting Tuesday in Charleston, approved Marshall's proposal to establish a College of Science.

The reorganizational work is to begin Jan. 1, 1977, and the new academic unit will become effective with the first semester of 1977-78.

The new college will be composed of departments of biological sciences, chemistry, geology, mathematics and physics and physical science.

Although under consideration for several years, the proposal is the result of recommendations by the University Council which has been studying the possibilities of academic reorganization at the request of President Hayes.

The College of Science becomes the fourth baccalaureate degree college and will be administered by a dean, who will

## United Way campaign exceeds halfway mark

Marshall University's United Way fund stands at \$7,642.00 or at 63.7 per cent of the \$12,000 goal at the end of the first two weeks of the campaign, Neal G. Adkins, MU United Way chairman, announced.

"I'm very encouraged that we will make our goal," Adkins said. "We seem to have a few less large contributors this year but if we can increase the number of people who give even a small amount we can make it."

Adkins pointed out that only 269 persons of the 1,373 identified as being part of the university community have responded. Last year, the MU community reached 84 per cent of its goal.

He reported that some division leaders now are completing their first rounds of personal contact with university personnel but that many of the leaders are on the second round of contacts.

The next report is due at the end of this month.

Contact your area team leader or send your donation or pledge directly to Neal G. Adkins, Accounting Department.

### Gab session topic: academic reorganization

Academic reorganization will be the main topic for the next Faculty Gab Session on Wednesday, Nov. 17, at 3 p.m. in the Presidents Room of Memorial Student Center.

President Hayes will be available to discuss and answer questions about the New College of Science and other items.

Coffee will be served.

report to the vice president of academic affairs and through him to the president.

The regents 1972 "Plan for Progress" called for Marshall to develop a concentration of undergraduate programs in the allied health technologies and sciences. This role has been given added impetus by the establishment of a School of Medicine and by a national interest by students in sciences.

The North Central evaluation team here last April also noted a need for coordination of planning and interaction with the basic science components of the School of Medicine.

The benefits of a separate academic unit for the sciences include:

-Bringing to departments and programs a degree of visibility and identy not now available.

--Providing a central unit for coordination of graduate and undergraduate programs with the School of Medicine and Community College.

-Increasing opportunities for interdisciplinary cooperation and thereby providing a stronger base for seeking support from funding agencies.

--Indicating to prospective students Marshall's commitment to broaden and strengthen its science programs.

--Reinforcing the efforts of graduates in seeking career employment.

-Centralizing science laboratory activities and minimizing duplication of equipment and supplies.

--Facilitating faculty recruitment and development of support staff.

Recruitment of the dean of the College of Science will be conducted in accordance with established university policies. A search committee will be selected soon.

Study is under way to provide recommendations for a new designation for the College of Arts and Sciences and other related matters.

### 10th annual MMI to be played Dec. 10-11

The 10th annual Marshall Memorial Invitational (MMI) Tournament will be held Friday and Saturday, Dec. 10-11, at Memorial Field House, according to Donald D. Ferguson, MU Alumni Association president.

"We hope Marshall employees will keep the MMI in mind as they plan their holiday activities and give us their support," Ferguson said.

Proceeds from the MMI, sponsored by the Alumni Association, are channeled back into the university through scholarships—not just for athletics, but music and academic excellence as well--publications, Artists Series and to support other campus activities.

"Over the past three years we've raised more than \$50,000 from the MMI," Ferguson said.

Schools playing in the MMI will include, in addition to Marshall, Columbia University, Idaho State University and Georgia Institute of Technology.

Reserved seats are \$5 a seat per night and can be obtained by calling the Alumni Office, 3134.

### Announcements...

Dr. Warren Farrell, author of "The Liberated Man," will speak at Marshall University on Thursday, Nov. 18, Jane Bilewicz, MU associate dean of students, announced today.

He will discuss "The Liberated Man" at 8 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center. The event, sponsored by the Marshall Women's Center, is open to the public without charge.

Farrel uses audience participation in his lectures which blend five years of research on masculinity and his own

personal experiences.

#### **AAUP MEETING**

The Marshall Chapter of the American Association of University Professors will meet Thursday, Nov. 18, at 2 p.m. in Room 2W37 of Memorial Student Center. Dr. Frank Aldred of the Board of Regents Faculty Advisory Council will speak and answer questions about the Council's activities and concerns. Coffee will be served.

#### POSITIONS ABROAD

Information is available in the College of Arts and Sciences for any interested faculty member on opportunities abroad for teachers, 1977-78, including information on grants for

## Memorial services are scheduled Sunday

The Marshall Catholic Community and the staff of the Campus Christian Center will have a Memorial Mass and service on Sunday at 5:30 in the Chapel of the Campus Christian Center for the students and staff who died in the airplane crash six years ago that day.

Participating will be the Rev. Mark Angelo, celebrant and homilist; Rev. Hugh Springer, Presbyterian Campus Pastor and the Rev. Frank Horton, United Methodist Campus Pastor as lectors; The Black Mass Choir and the Catholic Community Musicians and singers providing the liturgical music.

All faculty, staff and students are invited to attend this memorial service.

## Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity to sponsor banquet, dance

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity is sponsoring a "Basketball Season Kick-Off Banquet and Dance" Friday, Nov. 19, in the Kanawha-Ohio Ballroom of the Holiday Inn Downtown. The banquet will run from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., followed by the dance until 1 a.m.

Enrique Thurman, chairman for the event, said Marshall faculty and staff members are invited to attend. Cost will be \$10 per person. Arrangements for purchase of tickets may be made by telephoning the office of the associate dean of students, 696-6705.

Thurman said Coach Bob Daniels and members of the Thundering Herd basketball team will be present and will be honored at the banquet.

The main course at the banquet will be roast turkey and trimmings, Thurman said. A musical group from Charleston is being engaged to provide music for the dance.

teaching positions abroad and grants for 1977 seminars abroad.

#### THANKS EXTENDED

The dean of students and the Marshall Council for International Education (MCIE) extend sincere thanks to all the Marshall University people and Tri-State community people who provided and prepared food and assisted in planning the highly successful covered dish international dinner at which the MU international students were guests.

Jabir A. Abbas Chairman, MCIE

#### JAZZ ENSEMBLE

The MU Jazz Ensemble, directed by J.D. Folsom, assistant professor of music, will present a concert Monday at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

The event is open to the public without charge.

Appearing with the Jazz Ensemble will be a jazz quintet, "Spice," composed of current and former members of the ensemble.

#### **DOCTORATES EARNED**

Doctorates have been earned by James W. Harless, admissions director, and Jerry Huang, instructor in journalism, according to Dr. A.M. Tyson, vice president for academic affairs.

Harless received the Doctorate of Education degree from Nova University Oct. 29. His dissertation is entitled "A Study of the Concept of the Community College Component on the University Campus.

Huang was awarded a Ph.D. degree in mass communications by the University of Minnesota on Nov. 1. His dissertation is entitled "Mass Media Use and the Image of The People's Republic of China Among Chinese Students."

#### **NEWCOMERS**

LOIS A. LESTER, secretary to chairman of Radiology Department, School of Medicine; LINDA SAVILLE, secretary to assistant athletic director; MARY EVELYN PARR, refund clerk, Finance Office, and JACKIE L. SHAFER, offset press operator, Graphics Department.

Welcome to Marshall!

## Personnel Office lists new positions

Marshall's Personnel Office has announced openings for the following positions:

Clerk-Office of Admissions, closes Nov. 17.

**Departmental Clerk**—College of Business and Applied Science, closes Nov. 17.

Stenographic Clerk—Business Affairs Office, closes Nov. 17. For further details or to apply for any of the above positions contact the Personnel Office, Old Main Room 207.

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

Several members of the English Department attended the Fall Conference of the West Virginia Association of College English Teachers held at Jackson's Mill Oct. 29-30. They were DR. JACK BROWN, professor emeritus; DR. WILLIAM SULLIVAN, professor; DR. PHILIP M. PITTMAN, DR. WARREN W. WOODEN, and ERIC P. THORN, associate professors; DR. BARBARA BROWN, JOHN TEEL and DIANA WALDRON, associate professors, and JAMES IDDINGS, graduate assistant. DR. PITTMAN was elected president of the association for 1977. He also presented a paper entitled "The Real Language of Men: On Wordsworth and R.S. Thomas." DR. WOODEN delivered a paper entitled "Michael Drayton's 'Nymphidia' as a Children's Poem."

DR. MAURICE A. MUFSON, chairman of the Department of Medicine, School of Medicine, addressed the October meeting of the Cabell County Medical Society on the topic

### MU Bookstore offers 40% discount on Yule items

The Marshall Bookstore will again offer a 40% discount on Christmas merchandise beginning Nov. 16 to Marshall University employees.

The discount applies to gift wrap, bows & ribbons, boxed cards and party needs. The discount does not apply to individual cards.

This merchandise will be available in the textbook department (downstairs) and employees should show their I.D. cards to the cashier at time of purchase. All merchandise sold on first-come basis.

#### Excused absences...

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

OCT. 29-Kathy Wells, Dave Lucas, Susan Smith, Mary Ellen Stewart, Sandra Batchelor, Brenda Powell, Debra Zimarowski, Becky Turner, Tina Henck, Carla Davis and Jerry Taylor.

NOV. 5--Karla Amburgey, Cindy Dudley and Kelly McDonie.

NOV. 11-13-Karla Amburgey, Karen Bosia, Linda Dempsey, Leslie Eastment, Sandy Fisher, Kelly McDonie, Janet Omohundro, Donna Uhl, Linita Wentzel and Anne Wallace.

NOV. 9-12-Symphonic Choir members.

### Honor students, counselors to explore campus Tuesday

Nearly 400 high school honor students and their counselors are expected to attend Marshall University's fourth annual National Merit Semi-Finalist and Honor Graduate Day on Tuesday, Nov. 16, MU Admissions Director James Harless annuanced.

Invitations were sent to all of the state's National Merit semi-finalists and those from adjoining areas of Ohio and Kentucky, Harless said. Also invited were National Honor Society members and their counselors from 100 West Virginia and neighboring states schools, he added.

The event, sponsored by the MU Alumni Association, is designed to inform participants about the many programs, scholarships—including special ones for merit scholars—and other services offered by Marshall, Harless said.

"A Tale of Two Pneumonias: Efficacy of Pneumococcal Vaccines and Etiology of Atypical Pneumonia."

Three members of the Art Department faculty have works currently on exhibit at the Huntington Galleries as part of the Exhibition 280. They are JUNE KILGORE, departmental chairman, two etchings and one triptych drawing; ROBERT HUTTON, assistant professor, a lithograph, and MARILYN DAVIDSON, part-time instructor, a drawing.

C. BOSWORTH JOIINSON, associate professor of journalism, served as moderator for "Your Candidates Speak" a public television program aired by all the state's public stations on Oct. 31 and Nov. 1.

DR. SARA E. ANDERSON, associate dean of the College of Business and Applied Science, has a guest editorial in the October issue of "The Balance Sheet," a magazine on business and economic education. The editorial concerns quality education in business. As president of the Southern Business Education Association, DR. ANDERSON will preside at the association's annual convention Nov. 24-27 in Miami Beach, Fla.

DR. WESLEY SHANHOLTZER, associate professor of physics and physical science, served on a national panel in Washington, D.C., Oct. 27-30 to evaluate proposals to the National Science Foundation under the Undergraduate Research Participation program.

JOSEPHINE FIDLER, acquisitions librarian, was elected secretary of the Resources and Technical Services Librarians Section of the Southeastern Library Association at the biennial conference Nov. 3-6 in Knoxville, Tenn. Also attending were DR. KENNETH T. SLACK, director of libraries, JANE BRUGGER, catalog librarian, MARY FAITH PUSEY, assistant catalog librarian, and SARA STAATS, assistant reference librarian.

DR. ROBERT RAUS, head of the recreation division of the Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department, presented the topic "The Church and Leisure, Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow" at the National Recreation and Parks Congress in Boston, Mass., Oct. 23.

DR. TROY M. STEWART, assistant professor of political science, has been selected to attend an AAAS-NSF Short Course for College Teachers entitled "Social Impact Analysis," to be conducted by Dr. C. P. Wolf, associate professor of environmental psychology at City University of New York.

DR. JAMES E. MORELAND, chairman of the School of Medicine's Anatomy Department, is an associate editor of Stedman's Medical Dictionary's 23rd edition. MORELAND, who previously has served on the dictionary's editorial staff, was responsible for items relating to medical history and biography.

### Swedish system study proposed for students

A meeting for students interested in studying criminal justice procedures in Sweden next summer will be held Thursday, Nov. 18 at 2:30 p.m. in Room 2E10 at the Memorial Student Center.

Dr. E.H. Adkins Jr., associate professor of criminal justice, will discuss the Comparative Criminal Justice Program to be conducted on the graduate and undergraduate levels June 13 through July 8, 1977, at National Police Headquarters in Stockholm.

The program will not be limited to criminal justice majors. "Crime and police matters are social and political problems involving society as a whole and majors in sociology, psychology, geography, international relations and political science also would benefit." he said.