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STUDY OF NAMES REQUESTED

Marshall University President John G. Barker has asked the university's Physical Facilities and Planning Committee to discuss and recommend appropriate names for new buildings planned for Marshall.

He also asked the committee to consider the possibility of re-naming several existing buildings.

The president presented his request to Prof. Joseph M. Lichtenstein, chairman of the Physical Facilities and Planning Committee.

Structures involved in their discussion included two planning academic buildings, currently designated as "A" and "B" by the university, and the proposed arena planned as part of the Huntington Civic Center.

Dr. Barker and Prof. Lichtenstein also discussed the possible re-naming of Twin Towers, West Hall, South Hall, the Science Hall and Fairfield Stadium.

Dr. Barker noted that the Physical Facilities and Planning Committee already has established "an excellent procedure for identifying needs and recommending names" for Marshall structures.

The West Virginia Board of Regents has final authority in the naming of buildings, acting upon the recommendation of the president with the concurrence of his advisory board.

Faculty members to retire

The retirements of four veteran faculty members at Marshall University have been announced by Dr. William K. Easley, vice president for academic affairs.

They are:
- Miss Florence A. Davis, assistant professor of education, a member of the Marshall faculty for 27 years.
- Mrs. Edith W. Milam, assistant professor of English, 18 years.
- Edward Clayton Glasgow, associate professor English, 14 years.
- Mrs. Hite Broh, assistant professor of speech, six years.

Mrs. Milam's retirement was effective Jan. 12. The others will retire at the end of the current term.

Announced earlier were the retirements of three department chairmen: Dr. Donald C. Martin, physics and physical science; Dr. C. L. Kingsbury, music; and Dr. Arthur S. Carpenter, art.

Miss Davis, a Huntington native, received her A.B. and M.A. degrees from Marshall. She began her teaching career in Lincoln County in 1934 and also taught 10 years in Cabell County schools before joining the Marshall faculty in 1946 as a teacher in the Laboratory School.

She is a member of a number of professional education organizations.


She is the mother of two daughters.

Glasgow, who came to Marshall in 1959, is the creator of the scale model of the Globe Theatre exhibited in the James E. Morrow Library's Shakespeare Room.

A native of North Carolina, Glasgow earned the A.A. degree at Mars Hill College, the A.B. from High Point College, and the M.A. from the University of North Carolina. He has done additional graduate work at Marshall and at West Virginia University.

He taught and served as a high school principal, was a member of the faculty at High Point College, worked at Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Co. during World War II, and was affiliated with an upholstery firm after the war. Prior to coming to Marshall he spent five years with International Nickel Co. and taught a year at Huntington's Beverly Hills Junior High School.

Glasgow has served as president of the West Virginia Association of College English Teachers and editor of its magazine. He is married to the former Frances Louise Davis and they are the parents of four children.

Mrs. Broh, a 1931 graduate of Marshall, joined the faculty in 1967 after 33 years as a teacher at Huntington High School. She received her M.A. degree in speech and drama from West Virginia University and served several years as a part-time instructor at Marshall prior to 1967. She has done additional graduate work at Marshall and the University of Iowa.

She is a great-granddaughter of John Laidley, one of the founders of Marshall Academy in 1837. Laidley Hall bears his name.

Mrs. Broh has been active in a number of Huntington organizations, including the Human Rights Commission, the League of Women Voters, the Junior League and Community Players.

She and her husband, Charles Broh, an insurance executive, plan to travel in Europe following her retirement.
Faculty Advisory Council approves resolutions

Dr. Sam Clagg, chairman of the University Council, reports the Council met April 12 and offered a resolution to be presented to the West Virginia Board of Regents. The resolution was adopted, with a minor revision, on April 13 by the Advisory Council of Faculty for transmission to the Board of Regents. The resolution is as follows:

RESOLVED, that the Advisory Council of Faculty recommends to the Board of Regents that it table or postpone any decision on the Revised Draft on "Academic Freedom and Responsibility, Appointment, Promotion, Tenure and Termination of Employment of Professional Personnel," of March 21, 1973, so as to allow adequate time for careful evaluation by faculty of all state colleges and universities.

Dr. Clagg said the Advisory Council of Faculty also adopted for the Board's consideration the following resolution:

RESOLVED, since the Advisory Council of Faculty is quite interested in its role regarding planning, it requests that the Board of Regents keep it informed about the progress of future planning for higher education and the adoption of future phases of the "Plan for Progress." The Advisory Council of Faculty specifically requests that the Board make available to it the data being gathered regarding off-campus education.

Barker committee chairman

Marshall University President John G. Barker has accepted an invitation to serve as chairman of a visitation committee to review and evaluate the School of Education at The College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Va.

Dr. Barker was asked to head the committee by Dr. Woodrow W. Wilkerson, Virginia's state superintendent of public instruction. The committee will evaluate the college's teacher preparation programs during the May 7-9 visit and later will submit a formal report to the Virginia Department of Education.

Dr. Barker has had extensive experience in accreditation of institutions of higher education as a former associate executive secretary of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

Ex-Indian Affairs official to lecture

A former U.S. Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Dr. Phileo Nash, will be on Marshall University's campus Tuesday and Wednesday April 24 and 25.

Dr. Nash, presently adjunct professor of anthropology at the American University in Washington, D.C., will speak on "The American Indian in Today's World" at a public lecture Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Science Hall Auditorium.

Dr. Nash's visit is being sponsored by the American Anthropological Association and the Department of Sociology and Anthropology according to Dr. O. Norman Simpkins, department chairman.

Dr. Nash has served as past president of the Society for Applied Anthropology and has been a member of the faculties of the University of Wisconsin and the University of Toronto.

He also served as administrative assistant to President Eisenhower for one year and as special assistant to the White House from 1945 to 1952.

Nash received his A.B. degree in anthropology from the University of Wisconsin and his Ph.D. in anthropology from the University of Chicago.

Early English volumes

Marshall University's James E. Morrow Library has acquired an Early English book collection to rival the excellence of its Shakespeare exhibit, Director of Libraries Kenneth T. Slack announced.

A visiting library consultant several months ago remarked that Marshall had a distinguished exhibit in its Shakespeare Room, featuring a scale model of the Globe Theatre created by Edward C. Glasgow and a painting of Shakespeare's London by Dr. Eugene Q. Hoak. However, he indicated, the Shakespeare book collection was not correspondingly excellent.

"This is no longer true," Dr. Slack reported. "Following a recommendation of the faculty Library Advisory Committee, two Early English book collections in microform were purchased and are now available for use. They not only include Shakespeare materials, but they document the world in which Shakespeare lived—and much, much more."

The two collections, reproduced on microfilm, include 28,605 titles. They cover the periods from 1475 to 1640 and 1641-1700.

"Prior to the availability of these two collections, scholars wishing to do intensive research into these Early English periods had to visit the British Museum, the Bodleian Library, the Cambridge University Library and the Henry E. Huntington Library in California. These four great libraries would have provided the means of using most of the titles now available to us," Dr. Slack said.

ANNUAL ALUMNI BANQUET

The 36th annual Marshall University Alumni Banquet will be held Saturday, April 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Memorial Student Center. Members of the faculty and staff are invited to attend.

Guests of honor will be Dr. J. Ben Robinson, '08, a nationally recognized leader in the field of dentistry, Marvin L. Stone, '47, recently appointed executive editor of U.S. News & World Report; and Dr. Albert C. Esposito and Dr. Winfield C. John, local leaders in the effort to establish a medical school at Marshall University.

Members of the faculty and staff are invited to attend. Reservations may be made by contacting the Alumni Office at 3134 prior to Thursday, April 26. Reservations are $4.50 per person.

Faculty meeting set

A faculty meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, April 26, at 4 p.m. in Old Main Auditorium.

Dr. Sam Clagg, chairman of the University Council, said the meeting will deal with the Board of Regents' revised draft proposal regarding Academic Freedom and Responsibility, Appointment, Promotion, Tenure and Termination of Employment of Professional Personnel.

A.A.U.P. Meeting

"The Mounting Attack on Tenure" and "Wrap-up on the Current Salary Picture, with Special Focus on Women's Salaries" will be the two main topics for discussion at the final meeting of A.A.U.P. for the year.

The meeting will be held in the Memorial Student Center, Room 2W22, at 3:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 24. All faculty are urged to attend.
Visiting lecturer here Monday

Dr. Maynard Thompson, associate professor of mathematics at Indiana University, will present a public lecture at Marshall on Monday, April 23. The talk will be directed toward non-mathematicians as well as those persons in the field.

Thompson's topic will be "Mathematical Models of Biological Systems." His talk on population dynamics will be an excellent example of mathematical modelling, which is finding widespread use in the areas of behavioral science, physical science, and business.

The public lecture is scheduled for 1 p.m. Monday in Smith Hall Room 530.

Dr. Thompson is currently a member of the Mathematical Association of America Committee on the Undergraduate Program in Mathematics, and he is chairman of the Panel on Applied Mathematics. Thompson is a frequent publisher of research papers in mathematics and is co-author of the book Mathematical Models and Applications. Dr. Thompson has served as the assistant chairman of graduate affairs in the department of mathematics at Indiana University.

In addition to his public lecture, he will spend the morning discussing mathematical modelling with interested students and faculty.

For further information contact Dr. David Cusick or Dr. John Lancaster, extension 6482.

Faculty recital

William R. Davidson, associate professor of music, will present a piano recital Wednesday, April 25, at 8 p.m. in Smith Music Hall Auditorium.

His program includes sonatas of Mozart and Scriabin and works of Chopin and Liszt.

Faculty and staff are invited to attend.

Students excused

The following students were excused from classes Friday, April 13, to attend the Region IV Sigma Delta Chi journalism convention in Pittsburgh:


The following students were excused from classes Friday, April 13, to tour the Regional Mental Health Center in Institute:

Marie Baldyga, Gregory Banks, Shirley Bennett, Claire Cipolaro, Denise Digerlando, Elizabeth Erwin, Deborah Frante, Deborah Freeman, Lee Hampton, Lynn Hartsog, Chuck Jackson, Mark Marshall, Kenneth McCoy and Suzan Morgan;


ATTENTION FACULTY: NEW FINE POLICY

A matter which will be of concern to about 3 percent of the faculty is the new faculty fine policy, which will take effect at the end of the Spring term, May 11, 1973, according to Dr. Kenneth Slack, director of libraries.

This new policy was developed by the Faculty Library Advisory Committee as it deliberated the problem of overdue materials. It will be the same fine policy levied against students who are delinquent in bringing back materials charged from the library. However, the length of loan (one semester) to faculty remains the same.

"Fines will not be levied against outstanding materials charged out under the old indefinite loan policy. These materials should have been returned a year ago," said Slack.

There are a few faculty members who still have materials out under this old policy. Since they are so long outstanding, it is assumed that these materials are lost and cannot be accounted for. The actual cost of these materials must be paid. Billing was accomplished last spring. "Those faculty affected should pay for these lost books on or before June 1," said Slack.

This policy, as are all other policies in the library, is calculated to improve the services of the library to students and faculty, Slack emphasized.

Run-off election now under way

None of the three alternatives presented by the Ad Hoc Committee for the Study of a Merit System won a simple majority of the votes cast by Marshall University faculty members in voting which ended April 12, Registrar Robert H. Eddins announced Tuesday. Therefore, a run-off election is being conducted between the two alternatives which received the greater numbers of votes.

Here are the results of the original balloting: Plan A, 79 votes; Plan B, 55 votes; neither, 127 votes.

Eddins, secretary of faculty, said the run-off election only the top two options: Plan A or "neither."

New ballots have been distributed to faculty. The ballots must be returned by the individual faculty members in person to the Office of Academic Affairs, Old Main 110, no later than 4 p.m. Thursday, April 26.

MU Artists Series

A projectionist is needed for the 1973-74 season of the Marshall Artists Series, Forum Series. Lecture-film programs are scheduled for September 18, November 16, March 13, and April 5. Please contact Jim Martin at 6656.

The faculty and staff may purchase season memberships to the Marshall Artists Series, Forum Series, at a special price of $5 each. Ten outstanding programs are scheduled for the 1973-74 season. Please contact Mrs. E. Norval Carter, 533 13th Ave., Huntington, W. Va. 25701. Brochures are available in the faculty mailroom.

Caps and gowns here

Faculty are requested to pick up their caps and gowns for graduation ceremonies as soon as possible, according to Percy Galloway, director of the Bookstore.
Faculty and staff achievements, activities...

DR. DONALD C. TARTER, associate professor of biological sciences, and DR. THOMAS E. WEAKS, assistant professor of biological sciences, attended the 48th annual meeting of the West Virginia Academy of Science at Fairmont State College on April 6.

Dr. Tarter presented a paper entitled “First Record on the Alderfly ‘Sialis joppa’ Ross in West Virginia.”

Dr. Weaks presented a paper entitled “A Versatile Vial System for the Cultivation of Isolated Roots.”

DR. DAVID CUSICK, assistant professor of mathematics, spoke to mathematics students at Man Junior High School and Man Senior High School on April 10. His topic at the junior high was “Mind Reading and the Binary Numbers.” His topic at Man Senior High was “Three Guys and a File of Shoeboxes.”

ELIZABETH CZOMPO, assistant professor of mathematics, spoke to students at Logan Junior High School on April 10. Her topic was “Careers in Mathematics.”

DR. JOHN W. HOGAN, chairman of the mathematics department, DR. THOMAS BAUSERMAN, professor of mathematics, DR. DAVID CUSICK, assistant professor of mathematics, DR. W. C. SISARCICK, assistant professor of mathematics, and DR. W. THURMON WHITLEY, assistant professor of mathematics attended the 48th annual meeting of the West Virginia Academy of Science at Fairmont State College on April 6.

Drs. Cusick presented a paper entitled “Torsion submodule, Injective Hull, and Ration Extension.”

Dr. Sisarcick presented “Linear Functionals on the Space of Entire Functions.”

Dr. Whitley presented a paper entitled “A Note on f-ideals in Rings of Continuous Functions.”

DR. E. S. HANRAHAN, chairman of the chemistry department, appeared on the WHTN-TV Noon News Show Monday, April 16. His topic for the interview was “Energy Crisis: Energy Resources and Needs.”

ROBERT F. MADDOX, assistant professor of history, STEVEN W. BROWN and GEORGE W. MANNON, JR., graduate students in the history department, attended the West Virginia regional meeting of Phi Alpha Theta, history honorary, at Salem College on April 17.

Brown presented a paper entitled “Great Britain and the Rhineland Crisis of 1936.”

Mannon presented a paper entitled “Theodore Roosevelt and the South, 1901-1912.”

DR. PETER K. FEI, associate professor of English, will be attending the 9th annual meeting of the Southeastern Conference on Linguistics” at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville on April 20 and 21.

Dr. Fei will present a paper entitled “The Semantic Representation of the Syntactic Properties of Place-Adverbials: A Contrastive Study Between English and Chinese.”

DR. DONALD C. TARTER, associate professor of biological sciences, has co-authored a paper with WILLIAM D. WATKINS, a graduate student of biological sciences, entitled “Acute Toxicity of Rotenone on the Naiadal Stage of the Dragonfly, ‘Basiaeschna janata’ Say, under Laboratory Conditions.”

DR. MELVYN W. MOSHER, assistant professor of chemistry, and HOWARD C. PRICE, assistant professor of chemistry, attended the 48th annual meeting of the West Virginia Academy of Science at Fairmont State College on April 6.

Dr. Mosher presented a paper entitled “Chlorination by Trichloromelamine: A N-Chloroamine.” The paper was co-authored by Dr. Mosher and Ronald L. Neal, a Marshall senior.

Another article presented at the meeting was entitled “Isolation and Inhibition Studies of Lectins: A Preliminary Report.” This paper was co-authored by Mosher and Price in cooperation with Linda Sue Adkins, Gary R. Beasley, Diana G. Childers, Jean Hixon, and Mary Jane Hutchinson McDaniel, all Marshall undergraduates.

DR. WALTER E. REGULA, associate professor of education, DR. DAVID E. FIELDS, assistant professor of mathematics, MRS. THELMA SMITH, assistant professor of education, and STEVEN H. HATFIELD, assistant professor of mathematics, attended the annual spring meeting of the West Virginia Council of Teachers of Mathematics at Wheeling College on April 13 and 14.

Over two hundred elementary, junior high school, senior high school and college teachers were in attendance. Dr. Richard Copeland, professor of education, Florida Atlantic University; Mrs. Alice Hart, professor of mathematics, University of Illinois (Chicago); and Dr. Seaton Smith, associate professor of education, West Florida University and former mathematics specialist of West Virginia, were the featured speakers at the meeting.

Dr. Regula also attended a Leadership Conference sponsored by the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics at Wheeling College on Thursday evening, April 12. Dr. Regula served as president of the West Virginia Council of Teachers of Mathematics during the past year and will continue in office as president for one more year. Plans are being made for next year’s meeting which will be held at Concord College.

Annual Strawberry Breakfast

Alpha Xi Delta, Marshall social sorority, will hold its annual strawberry breakfast Thursday, April 26, from 7 to 11 a.m. at the Alpha Xi House at 1645 Fifth Avenue, according to Holley Blankenship.

This annual breakfast has been a tradition for more than 50 years. Faculty and staff are invited to attend. To obtain tickets contact the Alpha Xi House at 525-6886 or ask any sorority member. The price of a ticket is $1.25.