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Stewart Graduate School dean

Dr. Paul D. Stewart, a member of the Marshall University faculty since 1948, has been appointed dean of the university's Graduate School, Dr. William K. Easley, vice president for academic affairs, announced.

The appointment is effective immediately. Dr. Stewart has been serving as acting dean since last Aug. 26.

"Dr. Stewart has done an excellent job as the acting dean," Easley said, "and I am pleased that he has agreed to accept the appointment on a more permanent basis."

Stewart had been chairman of the Department of Political Science since 1960. He also served as acting dean of the Graduate School in 1968-69.

A native of St. Cloud, Fla., Stewart earned his A.B. degree at Hope College in Holland, Mich., and his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Duke University. He taught at the University of Nebraska from 1946 to 1948 and has served as a visiting professor at Duke, Emory and West Virginia universities.

A member of Phi Beta Kappa, he is co-author of a textbook, "Introduction to Political Science," was project director and co-author of "New Small Business in a Redevelopment Coal Area in West Virginia," and more recently has served as director of a phase of a federal urban water resources study for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

$18,000 granted for nursing home study

An $18,000 research grant has been awarded to three members of the Marshall University Department of Sociology and Anthropology for the evaluation of nursing and personal care homes in the six-county Region II area of West Virginia. The project was funded by Region II Health Planning Association, Inc., of Huntington.

The study was completed in January by Drs. Richard O. Comfort, Maurice Sill and Ram N. Singh, with the help of graduate assistants Vicki Scott, Gary Jarrett and Debra Martin, and other students.

The six Region II counties studied were Cabell, Wayne, Lincoln, Logan, Mason and Mingo.

Dr. Singh reported the main objectives of the study were to:

- Identify licensed and unlicensed nursing and personal care homes.
- To evaluate the homes in terms of standards set by the West Virginia Department of Welfare, the West Virginia Nursing Home Licensing Board and Region II Health Planning Association.
- To evaluate the attitudes and atmosphere associated with the homes.
- To determine the social and economic characteristics of the homes' residents as an aid in planning and development of new such facilities.
- To determine the level of knowledge of the homes' administrators in an effort to devise retraining seminars and refresher courses.

The 146-page study has been submitted to Region II Health Planning Association. The association reportedly has plans to make copies of the report available to all members of the West Virginia Legislature.

‘Gab-Session’ hour changed

The next Faculty Gab Session will be held Wednesday, March 5, at 3 p.m. in the Alumni Lounge in Memorial Student Center.

President Hayes said the Gab Sessions schedule has been changed because of poor attendance at the Tuesday morning sessions. Now they will be scheduled each Wednesday, alternating between 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. Attendance at the Wednesday afternoon sessions has been good, he noted.

The Gab Sessions are designed to permit the president and faculty members to have informal discussions, exchange information and raise questions.
Program opens way for more study abroad

Marshall University's College of Business and Applied Science has announced an International Studies Program which will give 40 MU students an opportunity to study in London, England, during the fall semester of 1975.

Purpose of the program is to give students first-hand study in international business through seminars and field trips abroad. While in London, they will take Marshall courses in business for semester-credit hours, just as if they were on the local campus, according to James Weidman, instructor in marketing, and Roger Hamood, instructor in accounting.

Two members of the MU faculty will be in charge of the program and will teach 21 semester hours (seven different courses) in business for the students while abroad.

Weidman said the College of Business and Applied Science has spent more than a year developing the program so it can be available at a reasonable cost. Other than reduced-rate air fares, the students' costs will be comparable to those of full time students living in dormitories at Marshall and eating three meals a day in a campus cafeteria.

The students and faculty will depart from Huntington on Sept. 1 and return Dec. 15.

Faculty and staff achievements, activities...

DR. DEWEY D. SANDERSON, assistant professor of geology, addressed the Engineers Club of Huntington on Feb. 22. His topic was "Geophysical Methods of Prospective for Oil and Natural Gas.

DR. ROBERT D. OLSON, professor of speech and director of the Marshall University Speech and Hearing Center, has accepted an invitation to serve on the Committee on Political and Social Responsibility of the American Speech and Hearing Association. The three-year appointment is effective March 1.

RUTH McQUADE, instructor in sociology and anthropology, attended a Southern Regional Education Board conference for new undergraduate faculty Feb. 19-22 in Atlanta, Ga.

DR. JOSEPH S. La CASCIA, chairman of the Department of Economics, appeared on the early morning show of Channel 4 on Feb. 25, and discussed "The United States Economy Today" with show host Dick Husted.

DR. DAVID FIELDS, assistant professor of mathematics, spoke at Mu Alpha Theta Mathematics Club at Milton High School on Feb. 19. His topic was "The Cardiac Computer."

DR. STEVEN HATFIELD, assistant professor of mathematics, spoke at Huntington High School on Feb. 20 on "Derivation of Some Fundamental Trigonometric Relations by Using Complex Numbers." On Feb. 25, he spoke at Huntington East High School on "Careers in Mathematics."

DR. H. PAUL GREENOUGH, assistant professor of mathematics, spoke Jan. 29 and Feb. 5 at the Department of Mathematics' Inter-Departmental Seminar. His topics were "Mathematical Models of Real World Processes" and "Elements of Combinatorics."

DR. JOHN L. MARTIN, professor of modern languages, had a review of "Let's Take a Walk with Jesus through the Bible" by Milton H. Jones, published in the Feb. 26 edition of the Presbyterian Journal.

Absences excused...

Excused absences have been approved by the respective colleges and/or the Graduate School for the following students on the dates listed:

Feb. 18-Donna Basham, Brenda Dennis, Kathy Haas, Sammie Lambert, Judy Lantz, Terri Miller, Barbara Spitzy, Jan C. Tardy, Robin Vealy and Agnes Wheeler.

Feb. 20-21-Karla Amburgey, Sammie Lambert, Donna Basham, Brenda Dennis, Kathy Haas, Judy Lantz, Terri Miller, Barbara Specie, Jan C. Tardy, Robin Vealy and Agnes Wheeler.

March 3, 4 and 5-Members of the Marshall University Symphonic Wind Ensemble.
ANNOUNCEMENTS...

Symphonic Wind Ensemble concert Sunday

The 65-member Marshall University Symphonic Wind Ensemble will present its Winter Concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 2 in Smith Recital Hall on the Marshall campus.

The concert is open to the public. There is no admission charge.

The performance will be the formal debut of the ensemble and a varied program of music in scheduled, according to Kenneth W. Large, Marshall director of bands and conductor of the group.

The program will include "Shield of Freedom" march by Azzolina, "Drammatico" by W. F. McBeth, "Invocation of Alberich" by Wagner, "The Tsar's Bride" overture by Rimsky-Korsakov, "Music for Winds and Percussion" by Del Borgo, and "Finale from Symphony No. 1" by Kalinnikov.

Large said the ensemble is "special and very professional" because membership in the organization is by audition. "Only our very best people gain membership," he said. He added that the professional atmosphere of the performance would be enhanced by the formal attire of the ensemble's members and by the use of a narrator.

Following the concert here Sunday, the ensemble will go on tour for three days, performing in Fayette, Mercer and Raleigh counties in West Virginia.

LECTURE-FILM PRESENTATION DUE MONDAY

Russ Potter, noted traveler and film director, will present his lecture-film "The Kingdom of The Netherlands" at 8 p.m. Monday, March 3 in Old Main Auditorium as part of the Marshall Artists Series, Forum Series.

Admission is by season membership or student activity card.

'OH, COWARD!' SCHEDULED FOR BAXTER SERIES

Patricia Morison, Christian Grey and Dalton Cathey will be featured in Sir Noel Coward's musical revue, "Oh, Coward!", at 8 p.m. Thursday, March 6 at the Keith-Albee Theater.

The production is being presented by the Marshall Artists Series, Baxter Series (season subscription). Tickets for persons not holding season memberships will be sold at the theater box office the day of the performance from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and for an hour before curtain. Marshall students may obtain free reserved seat tickets during the sale period by presenting valid activity cards.

ORPHEUS TRIO TO PRESENT CONCERT

The Orpheus Trio, one of the most unusual ensembles in the nation, will present a program of music for flute, viola and harp at 11 a.m. Friday, March 7 in Smith Recital Hall, as part of the Marshall Artists Series, Convocation Series.

The concert is open to the public. Admission is free.

CAP AND GOWN RENTAL AVAILABLE

Persons needing to order a rental cap and gown for the May commencement should do so immediately at the Marshall University Bookstore, according to Joseph L. Vance, bookstore manager.

Student conduct unit summarizes actions

Following is a summary of actions taken by the Student Conduct and Welfare Committee at its rescheduled Jan. 20, 1975, meeting:

The Committee by consensus discussion directed the Secretary to forward the Committee's responses to questions raised by the Planning Commission. The Committee voted to invite Dr. William Coffey, Secretary of the Planning Commission, to address the Committee on the work of the Commission in order to foster better communication and understanding as to the role of the Commission.

The Sub-committee on the Code of Conduct made an initial report. It was agreed to expand the student membership of the Sub-committee in order to encourage greater input into developing a revised Student Code of Conduct.

The Committee amended and then accepted a report of the Title IX Sub-committee and voted to communicate with both the Athletic Committee and the Physical Facilities Committee to encourage active program, facility and financial assistance to women athletes.

A report on disposition of disciplinary records by Chairperson Wolf was made. After consultation with the University attorney regarding the present state of flux of legislation and regulation adoption regarding freedom of access to records, the Chairperson recommended to the Committee that the University postpone consideration of the disposition of disciplinary records until such time that the necessary regulations are developed by HEW.

The Committee directed Dr. Mund to discuss with the Chairperson of the Physical Facilities Committee regarding the need for that Committee to act upon the recently proposed policy in posting and distribution of literature which was endorsed by the Student Conduct and Welfare Committee.

Following the announcement of resignation, the Committee directed the Secretary to communicate in writing the Committee's appreciation of Dr. Dorothy Hicks' service to the Committee.

The Committee voted an in-house procedural regulation of discontinuing designated sub-committees at year's end. Sub-committees will officially be reconstituted at the beginning of each year; sub-committees created during the year will be terminated at completion of their assignment or reconstituted at the beginning of the following year.

Submitted by:
Elizabeth Wolf, chairperson
Charles R. Quillin, secretary

Mid-east business seminar

"An Introduction to the Middle East," a seminar for business people in the Tri-State Area, will be held four evenings, March 10-14, in Smith Hall Room 154 on campus.

Open to the public without admission charge or registration fees, the seminar is sponsored by the university's College of Business and Applied Science and the MU Office of Community Relations, in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Commerce, Second National Bank of Ashland, Ky., First Huntington National Bank and Huntington Trust and Savings Bank.

Experts invited to speak include L. Carl Brown, director of Near Eastern Studies at Princeton University; Burton Thurston, chairman of the Department of Middle East Studies at Bethany College, and John Anthony, professor of Advanced International Studies at Johns Hopkins University.

The programs for each evening of the seminar will include lectures by the guest experts, question-and-answer sessions and documentary films appropriate to the subject.

Further information is available from Gary L. Whaley, instructor in management, at 696-2312.
Positions open at Marshall University...

MANAGEMENT, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (or higher). Requirements: Ph.D. in business administration or D.B.A. Primary emphasis will be on behavioral management, however, some quantitative background will be helpful. Applications will be accepted through April 15 by Dr. Robert P. Alexander, chairman of the Department of Management, College of Business and Applied Science, Prichard Hall 419.

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RECREATION SUPERVISOR, Memorial Student Center. Requirements: Knowledge of billiard and bowling equipment. Job demands an ability to organize, schedule and supervise tournaments, leagues and classes. Successful applicant will be responsible for the supervision and maintenance of the recreation facilities, staff and programs of Memorial Student Center. Applications may be obtained in Room 2W6, Memorial Student Center.

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ASSISTANT or ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF MANAGEMENT. Requirements: Doctorate with graduate course work in mathematics or will consider A.B.D. if assurance of program completion can be given. Experience in public school teaching necessary and college teaching background desirable. Successful applicant will teach graduate and undergraduate courses in mathematics education for elementary and secondary teacher education, supervise mathematics laboratory, assist in departmental research and be active in program development and improvement. Applications will be accepted until April 1 by Dr. Danny G. Fulks, director of Elementary Early Childhood Education, College of Education, Jenkins Hall 113B.

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CLERK, Office of the Registrar. Requirements: high school diploma, typing and filing ability. Previous office experience and ability to interact with general public desirable. Applications will be accepted through Friday, March 7 at 4:30 p.m. by Robert H. Eddins, registrar, Old Main 105.

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Credit Union sets meeting

The Marshall University Credit Union is to announce a 4 per cent dividend at its annual meeting at 4 p.m. Wednesday, March 12 in Smith Hall Room 154, according to Louise S. Bailey, publicity chairman.

A general business session, of interest to all credit union members, also will be held, she said.