The West Virginia Board of Regents, meeting Tuesday in Charleston, approved a $14.9 million budget allocation for Marshall University for 1975-76, an increase of 5.2 per cent over the current budget.

The board also approved an $11 million capital improvements program under Phase I of the university's Campus Facilities Plan. At the same time, Marshall was requested to submit specific plans next fall for an $8 million Phase II capital improvements program.

Phase I plans approved by the board include:
- Parking, including land purchase, $2,620,000.
- Construction of a College of Business building, $5,422,673.
- Baseball and recreation field, including land purchase, $810,000.
- Renovation of Old Main's west section, $1,663,341.
- Renovation of the Old Dining Hall for Community College use, $200,000.
- Demolition of several structures, $147,000.
- Improvements to campus lighting and walkways, $150,000.

The board did not act on a $3.6 million Phase I proposal for an addition to Gullickson Hall or a $450,000 Gullickson renovation. Chancellor Ben Morton was quoted later as saying, "Basically, the decision to delay action on the Gullickson Hall projects was made because if some other action regarding Marshall's physical education facilities is decided upon, that would alter the need for expansion and improvement of the existing building."

Possible construction of an arena is one of the alternatives listed in Phase II of the Campus Facilities Plan.

Of the Phase I elements approved, all but the Old Main renovation, demolition and sidewalk and lighting projects are scheduled to be underway by 1976 under the proposal submitted by the university.

The board also approved purchase of several parcels of land on Third Avenue for parking development at a total cost of $137,750. Also approved was employment of Don Leckie Realty Co. to appraise two properties on 5th Avenue.

Action was deferred on a program proposal to offer a Master of Science degree in Criminal Justice. It will be included in the board's new programs review.

The board also acted to increase student enrollment fees at the various schools in the system. At Marshall, undergraduate student enrollment fees this fall will be $165.50 for residents and $640.50 for non-residents, up $21.50 and $46.50, respectively, from current fees. Graduate student fees will be $180.50 for in-state students and $670.50 for out-of-state students, up $21.50 and $146.50, respectively.

The West Virginia Board of Regents has approved granting of tenure to 31 Marshall University faculty members, promotions of 14, and sabbatical leaves for five. The tenure and promotion actions will be effective Aug. 25, 1975.

Approved for tenure are:

Approved for promotion, and their new ranks, are:
- Earline Allen, assistant professor of art; Kathryn T. Parsons, associate professor of nursing; Richard B. Bonnett, associate professor of geology; Catherine Cummings, assistant professor of speech; Steven H. Hatfield, associate professor of mathematics; Wallin S. McCordell, assistant professor of journalism; Robert F. Maddox, associate professor of history; Stuart W. Thomas Jr., assistant professor of psychology; Robert P. Alexander, professor of management; Michael R. Carrol, assistant professor of management; Walter C. Felty, professor of education; Mack H. Gillenwater, associate professor of geography; Ralph H. Hall, associate professor of education, and Jimmy D. Rogers, assistant professor of geography.

Approved for sabbatical leave for the entire 1975-76 academic year were Michael T. Cornfeld, Arthur R. Lepley, Henry J. Sullivan and John Turko.

Approved for sabbatical leave for the fall semester of 1975 was Ann R. Lenning.

This is the final edition of the News Letter for the Spring, 1975 academic term. Publication will resume June 13 on a bi-weekly basis during the summer terms. However, special editions of the News Letter will be published as warranted by events.

Information for the News Letter should be submitted to the Office of Informational Services, Old Main 115, before noon Wednesday prior to publication on Friday. Lengthy material, or material requiring special treatment, should be submitted as much before the deadline as possible.
**Positions open at Marshall University...**

SPECIAL SECRETARY, Department of Counseling and Rehabilitation. Qualifications: Previous office experience, secretarial training and experience in dealing with the public. Successful applicant must be able to type with speed and accuracy, use dictating equipment and other office machines, and handle general reception, secretarial and clerical work. Must be able to accept responsibility and supervise office assistants and prepare course materials for six professors. Salary begins at $420 per month. Applications will be accepted through May 16 at the Personnel Office, Old Main 107.

RECEIVING CLERK, Marshall University. Qualifications: High School diploma or equivalent with three years of experience. Preference will be given to those with knowledge of West Virginia Inventory Control procedures. Successful applicant will receive and inventory deliveries, file, ship orders for supplies to university departments, and maintain adequate inventory of supplies in the university's central stockroom. Position open July 1. Salary $7,300 to $7,800 annually. Applications will be accepted through May 15 at the Personnel Office, Old Main 107.

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE is recruiting DEPARTMENTAL CHAIRMAN for the following departments: Biochemistry/Cell Biology; Immunology/Infectious Disease; Physiology/Pharmacology; Medicine; Obstetrics/Gynecology; Pathology; Behavioral Medicine and Psychiatry, and Surgery and Anesthesiology. Successful candidates must be acceptable to both the administration of the Medical School and affiliated hospitals. Duties are consistent with those usually understood to be the responsibilities of these types of positions. Minimal experience includes a terminal degree, Ph.D. or M.D., an outstanding record of past performance in a professional capacity, and understanding and endorsement of concepts inherent in a community-based medical school program. Salaries are to be negotiated on the basis of education and experience. Positions will be filled on or before September. Resumes, including current salary information, are being accepted by Dr. Robert C. Parlett, vice president/dean, Marshall University School of Medicine and Associated Health Professions.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, Department of Sociology and Anthropology. Ph.D. to teach graduate and undergraduate courses in sociology, especially criminology, theory and methodology. Position open in August. Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Credentials, including resume, three recent letters of recommendation and transcripts, will be received until June 15 by Dr. O. Norman Simpkins, chairman, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Smith Hall 769.

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**First year a success for MU Emeritus Club**

The Emeritus Club of Marshall has ended its first year on a note of success, according to Dr. Donald N. Martin, club president. Martin said the club has continued to grow with each meeting, citing that the final meeting of the academic year, held April 16, attracted 39 people. That meeting also saw the reelection of Martin as president and Bernice Dorsey as vice president. Charles Runyon was elected treasurer for the coming year.

Martin said the next meeting will be held in September at a date and place to be announced.

**REVIEW BOOKS AVAILABLE TO FACULTY**

New books from major publishers are available for review by faculty in the Office of Informational Services, Old Main 115. The books, supplied by The Huntington Publishing Co., may be kept by the reviewer if he or she submits written evaluations to the company for publication.
FACULTY WINS TROPHY-The Marshall University faculty donated 70 pints of blood during the academic year to gain possession of the campus blood donor trophy. The trophy, which moves to the winning campus unit each year, was won by residents of Twin Towers dormitories last year. The Marshall Office of Volunteer Experiences (MOVE), a branch of Student Government, coordinated the four blood drives this year. Shown at the trophy presentation are, from left, President Robert B. Hayes; James Accord of Huntington, representing second-place Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity (42 pints); Karen Hall of Milton, student blood drive chairman; Dr. Sam Clagg, chairman of the University Council, who accepted the trophy on behalf of the faculty, and Jeff Pollitt of Vienna, W.Va., representing Sigma Phi Epsilon, winner of the third campus drive.

Faculty and staff achievements, activities...

**DR. MARVIN D. MILLS**, professor of occupational, adult and safety education, assumed the presidency of the national College and University Safety Educators' Association on May 1. The association is headquartered in Chicago.

**DR. JAMES E. DOUGLASS**, professor of chemistry, attended the E. C. Briteon Symposium on Industrial Chemistry at Midland, Mich., April 16-18. The symposium was sponsored by Dow Chemical Co.

**DR. LEONARD J. DEUTSCH**, assistant professor of English, attended the first annual symposium on "The function of Black Criticism at the Present Time" at the University of Pennsylvania, April 9-11.

**DR. JOAN F. ADKINS**, associate professor of English, attended the annual conference of University Centers for Rational Alternatives held at Rockefeller University, New York City, April 25-26. Topic of the conference was "The Ethics of Teaching and Research."

**DR. RAM N. SINGH**, associate professor of sociology and anthropology, attended the annual meeting of the Southern Sociological Society in Washington, D.C., April 9-12. He served at the meeting as the West Virginia chairman of the society's Membership Committee.

**DR. JOSEPH La CASCIA**, professor of economics; **GEORGE B. CORRIE**, associate professor of economics; and **DR. CHANDRA P. PATHAK** and **NICHOLAS C. KONTOS**, assistant professors of economics, attended the 3rd annual meeting of the Mountain State Economics Association in Charleston, April 18-19. La Cascia was a participant on a panel dealing with industrial development in West Virginia.

**KENNETH W. LARGE**, assistant professor of music and director of bands, is to serve as guest conductor for the Lawrence County (Ohio) Ban Festival in Chesapeake on May 17, and as guest conductor and adjudicator for the Kanawha County (W.Va.) Band Festival in Charleston, May 23-25.

**DRS. RICHARD ROSSWURM, CLAIR MATZ and TROY STEWART** (on leave), assistant professors of political science, attended the annual meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association in Chicago, May 1-3. Rosswurm was a participant on a panel discussing "Topics in the History of Political Ideas."

**DR. DAVID R. WOODWARD**, professor of history, participated in a panel discussion on "Generals Face Revolution: The Allied Generals and Russia, 1917-1919" at the Western Social Science Association meeting in Denver, Colo., May 1-3. He also read a paper, "The British Military and the Attempt to Revive the Eastern Front, 1917-1918."

**DR. OFFA LOU JENKINS**, professor of education, chaired a session of the 53rd annual International Convention of the Council for Exceptional Children in Los Angeles, April 20-25. Topic of her session was "Education Planning for the Multi-Handicapped." She also is West Virginia's representative to the council's Board of Governors.

**THOMAS W. OLSON**, assistant professor of engineering, attended a seminar on the "Measurement of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) in Water and Wastewater" held in Charleston on May 6.
Actions of Regents advisory unit reported

The Advisory Council of Faculty of the West Virginia Board of Regents met April 18, 1975, and conducted the following items of business:

1. The Council will conduct a system-wide survey in the early fall to learn of group insurance needs of the faculty and staff.
2. The Council asked the Chancellor to provide information on sabbatical leaves to college and university faculty since 1970. An appropriate course of action will be determined after examining the data and pertinent information.
3. The AAUP request to consider changes in Policy Bulletin 36 was put aside until such time as application of the policy reveals a need for revision. A discussion relative to this decision generated the following observations:
   a. There is a growing tendency to consider faculty as simply employees rather than as members of a profession.
   b. The Regents have a responsibility to uphold the interests of the faculty and the profession as well as to represent the public. In essence, there is a dual responsibility.
   c. Some concern was expressed about the legalistic language skill we hope to be able to pull a card and quickly find assistance,

Graduate Council’s meeting is summarized

Following is a summary of the Graduate Council meeting held April 30, 1975:

1. The Certificate Program for Special Education with Emphasis in Gifted was approved as an additional option in the Special Education Program.
2. Associate Graduate Faculty status was granted to:
   - Michele A. Plutro, Home Economics
   - Susan T. Adkins, Curriculum & Foundations
   - Kenneth W. Large, Music
3. The following Music Department courses were approved:
   - Additions:
     - MUS 621, Introduction to Graduate Studies in Music
     - MUS 651, Music of the Renaissance
     - MUS 652, Music of the Baroque Era
     - MUS 653, Music in the Classical Era
   - Changes:
     - MUS 603a, Beethoven and the Romantic Movement to MUS 654, Music in the Romantic Era
     - MUS 603b, Contemporary Music to MUS 655, Contemporary Music
   - Deletions:
     - MUS 602a, 602b, 605, 676

MU faculty, students form ‘language bank’

A “language bank,” designed primarily to aid foreign visitors to West Virginia and the Tri-State Area, has been formed by several Marshall University students and faculty members.

The language bank is a free translation service which utilizes volunteers in the community who speak a second language, according to Dr. Corazon Almalel, chairperson of the Marshall Council for International Education (MCIE).

“We are establishing a card file on the volunteers and their languages so that when a request comes in for a certain language skill we hope to be able to pull a card and quickly find assistance,” said Ms. Almalel, who also is a professor of modern languages.

While the bank may not be able to meet every request, it has surprised Ms. Almalel to learn how many different languages are represented on the Marshall campus and in the Huntington area.

“We’re still working on our files so I don’t know the exact number, but I’m sure we will be able to use every bi-lingual volunteer available,” she said.

Persons in need of the language bank’s services or who might want to volunteer their language skills may contact Ms. Almalel at 696-6730, or Dr. C. W. Matz Jr., assistant professor of political science, at 696-6636.