GANNETT PLEDGES $50,000

A $50,000 pledge toward the establishment of a Marshall University medical school was announced last weekend by the Frank E. Gannett Newspapers Foundation, Inc.

Making the announcement was N.S. Hayden, president and publisher of the Huntington Publishing Co., a Gannett Newspaper subsidiary.

The grant is contingent upon passage by Congress of a bill authorizing medical schools for communities which have both a state university and a Veterans Administration hospital, and selection of Marshall and Huntington to receive federal funds for such a school.

Hayden said once the bill is passed and Marshall is selected as a site for a medical school, the $50,000 will be given to the university “with no strings attached.”

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Commenting on the pledge, Marshall President John G. Barker said, “I am delighted by the generous contribution offered by the Gannett company and I pledge that we will make the best possible use of it. I am equally pleased with the company’s demonstrated interest in helping the university to grow and to better serve the people of this region.”

HERD ON THE AIR

Marshall University sports fans can now see and hear various reports on the Herd via various radio and television programs.

WHTN-TV, Channel 13 in Huntington, carries “Marshall Football Highlights” each Saturday preceding the ABC-NCAA college football game of the week. Marshall head coach Jack Lengel is on hand, along with filmed highlights of the past week’s game and special guests.

“Marshall Sports,” hosted by Joe McMullen, director of athletics, may be viewed each Tuesday, 9:30 p.m. on WMUL-TV, Channel 33 in Huntington. The show features all Marshall sports with a different coach each week as guest.

The program is also being shown on WWVU-TV, Channel 24 in Morgantown, 10 p.m. each Thursday and on WSWP-TV, Channel 9 in Beckley, 8:30 p.m. each Friday. Sports fans may also watch Mountaineer Sports, featuring West Virginia University, 10 p.m. each Thursday on WMUL-TV.

On radio, all Marshall University football games are carried on the Marshall Sports Network with Bob Wagner, the “Voice of the Thundering Herd.” Besides originating station WKEE in Huntington, MU fans may also listen to the games on WVAF (Charleston), WCAW (Charleston), WBTH (Williamson), WLOG (Logan), WJLS (Beckley), WPAR (Parkersburg), WIRO (Ironton), and WXNT (Portsmouth).

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Journalism Department activities

The faculty of the Department of Journalism detailed through comment and slides its academic and extracurricular programs at a meeting Sept. 21 of the Ohio Valley-Kanawha Chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism society.

The news media representatives, many of whom are graduates of the Marshall journalism program, were informed of the addition this year of degree sequences in broadcast journalism and public relations as well as development of new courses in the three undergraduate and graduate sequences, according to George Arnold Jr., assistant professor of journalism.

Also guests at the early evening picnic at the Huntington Police Recreation Farm were Dr. William K. Easley, vice president for academic affairs, and Dr. George J. Harbold, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, and their wives. Dr. Harbold gave a progress report on the search for a Department of Journalism chairman.

Registrars to meet

Marshall University will be host for the annual meeting of the West Virginia Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers Oct. 4-6.

Robert H. Eddins, Marshall registrar and president of the association, said more than 40 representatives of all public and private colleges in West Virginia are expected to attend. All sessions of the convention will be held at the UpTowner Inn.
Marshall University football player Odell Graves, his wife Mary and one-year-old daughter Marcie were involved in a serious automobile accident on Aug. 27. Since that time, hospital bills amounting to more than $5,000 have accumulated.

The Huntington Civitan Club has organized a special "Civitan-Odell Graves Hospital Fund" to help defray these medical expenses. Persons wishing to contribute to this fund should mail their donations to:

CIVITAN - ODELL GRAVES HOSPITAL FUND
P.O. BOX 1262
HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

"We trust many of our athletic department friends will wish to contribute to this worthy cause," said Joe McMullen, Marshall's director of athletics.

Checks should be made payable to "Civitan - Odell Graves Hospital Fund."

News and notes around the campus...

IMPERI APPOINTED

Leo V. Imperi, associate professor of music, has been appointed chairman of the 1972-73 United Fund Drive on Marshall's campus, President Barker announced.

Professor Imperi said, "Our campus United Fund Drive is in the organizational stage. If you are asked to assist, please be cooperative. Dividing of the work involved means no strain for anyone. Many thanks!"

Support the Herd

Tickets for Marshall University's four remaining home football games are on sale at the Gullickson Hall Athletic Ticket Office. The office is open Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. On the four Saturday game-days, the Fairfield Stadium ticket office opens at 9 a.m.

The Thundering Herd hosts Northern Illinois Sept. 30, followed by the tough Miami Redskins on Oct. 7. Coach Jack Lengyel and his charges entertain Western Michigan, Oct. 21 for Homecoming and wrap-up the 1972 home season with Kent State on Nov. 4.

Tickets for adults are $4 per game and youth (high school age and under) $2. Special $1.00 youth general-admission, end-zone tickets are available the day of each game, beginning at 9 a.m. at the Fairfield Stadium ticket office.

Human Rights Forum

The members of the Marshall University community are invited to attend a meeting sponsored by the Huntington Critical Issues Committee on Wednesday, Oct. 4, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held by the Junior League Community Center, 617 Ninth Avenue in Huntington, according to Dr. Richard O. Comfort, professor of sociology.

The purposes of the Human Rights Forum are:
- Presentation of a summary of the proposed Human Rights Ordinance;
- Statements in support of a Human Rights Ordinance by community organizations and institutions;
- Discussion of possible methods of support for a Human Rights Ordinance.

Would you indicate your position concerning the proposal?
☐ For  ☐ Against

Return to Dr. Comfort, Sociology Department.

Koontz is co-director

David E. Koontz, associate professor of curriculum and instruction, and Joseph Flaherty, West Virginia Department of Education, are co-directors for a national teachers' clinic to be held in Charleston Oct. 1-4. The topic of the clinic is "Emerging Roles and Responsibilities in Teacher Education Centers" and is sponsored jointly by the National Association of Teacher Educators and the West Virginia Association of Teacher Educators.

Clinic participants will be taking a close look at the West Virginia Teacher Education Center, hearing from three of the nation's leading educators, observing preliminary efforts at adopting modern technology to teacher education, and learning about efforts to research the effectiveness of the collaborative efforts between colleges and public schools by talking with researchers who have worked in this field.

Rotary Speaker

RONALD E. GAIN, assistant professor of biological sciences, was the guest speaker at the Man Rotary Club on Sept. 21. The topic presented was "The Hazards of Sewage-Contaminated Drinking Water."

FACULTY-STAFF GOLF

Yes, I want to play golf. Count me in!!

☐ Friday, Oct. 6 2:45 - 3:00 p.m.
Glenbrier Country Club (9 holes)

☐ Saturday, Oct. 14 8:30 - 9:00 a.m.
Glenbrier Country Club (18 holes)

☐ Sunday, Oct. 22 8:42 - 9:07 a.m.
Riviera Country Club (18 holes)

Average score ___ 70's ___ 80's
___ 90's ___ 100's

Prizes — $.50 entry and green fees.
Pairing will be random and sent in advance to participants.

...and more campus news and notes

Magic Theater agenda

Sept. 29   Johnny Got His Gun
Oct. 7    Hello Dolly (replaces previously-scheduled Patton)

All movies will be shown at 7:30 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Memorial Student Center. Students, faculty and staff will be admitted free upon presentation of ID Cards, according to Rich Dunfee, assistant coordinator of student activities and cultural events.

A limited number of guest passes are also available each week prior to movie or at the door on a first-come-first-serve basis. To obtain guest passes contact Sharon Blades, student coordinator of Magic Theater, at 6770 or 6771.

Attention Big Green

All Big Green Club members are reminded of the Stag Club meetings, held each Thursday, 8 p.m. in the Owens-Illinois Clubhouse, 8th Avenue and 5th Street West. Stag Club President Joe Dial welcomes all members of the Big Green Club to these weekly get-togethers.

Going to Syracuse U.

Any faculty member or graduate student interested in visiting Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York, Friday, Oct. 13, contact Charles Gruber, assistant professor of social studies, extension 6610.

Librarians Attend Meeting

The following professional staff members of the James E. Morrow Library attended the annual meeting of the West Virginia Library Association held this year in Clarksburg, Sept. 21-23: Dr. Kenneth T. Slack, Miss Gloria Brewer, Miss Jane Brugger, Miss Elizabeth Hill, Mrs. Kathleen Larson, Mrs. Margaret Bobbitt and Miss Josephine Fidler.

Mrs. Larson is chairman of the college and university section of the West Virginia Library Association, and Mrs. Bobbitt is ALA membership chairman for the association.

At the close of the three-day meeting Miss Fidler, acquisitions librarian, received the presidential gavel and will assume the duties of that office for 1972-73.

Order now!


Students Excused

The following students were excused from classes on Friday, Sept. 22, to participate in an intercollegiate golf tournament at Eastern Kentucky University:

Paul Bailey, John Duty, Dave Henderson, Jim Justice, Carl Linkous, and Tom Rowe.