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Dr. Gould named Liberal Arts dean

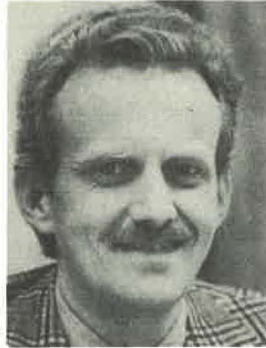
Dr. Alan B. Gould, a Marshall University alumnus and a 10-year member of the Marshall faculty, has been selected to become dean of the university's College of Liberal Arts.

Announcement of the appointment, which will become effective July 1, was made by MU Provost Olen E. Jones Jr.

Gould, a professor of history, has been chairman of the History Department since the spring of 1977. He also has served since 1976 as coordinator of the highly successful Regents Bachelor of Arts Degree program for older students.

Jones said Gould was selected from more than 80 applicants for the position. Five applicants were interviewed by various groups, including the search committee, chairmen of the social sciences and humanities divisions of the College of Liberal Arts, and the Council of Deans.

"Throughout the process, Dr. Gould emerged as the leading candidate and I am very pleased that he has agreed to accept the position," Jones said. "He brings to the dean's office a strong liberal arts background along with successful teaching and administrative experience. He knows Marshall University



Dr. Gould

from the perspective of a student, an alumnus, a faculty member and an administrator. He has turned in an excellent performance in every assignment he has been given at Marshall and I am looking forward to working with him as dean of the College of Liberal Arts," Jones added.

Gould will succeed Dr. George J. Harbold, dean since 1971, who announced in September that he planned to retire this June 30.

Gould 41, earned his A.B. degree in history with honors in 1961 and his M.A. in history in 1962, both from Marshall. He received his Ph.D. in history from West Virginia University in 1969 and joined the Marshall faculty that fall.

A Huntington native, Gould has taught at West Virginia University, at the District of Columbia Teachers College and Northern Virginia Community College, where he served as History Department chairman.

Prior to being named chairman of Marshall's History Department in 1977, Gould served a year as assistant to the university's vice president for academic affairs. He has been Marshall's representative on Humanities Studies at the West Virginia College of Graduate Studies and helped in establishing a new humanities degree program there. He also has served as chairman of SCORES, a faculty organization which recruits academically outstanding students to attend Marshall.

Gould is a member of several professional and honor societies and has served as secretary, vice president and
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Campus to host College Bowl national finals

College Bowl is coming to Huntington.

Richard Reid, president of the organization which conducts the popular intercollegiate "sport of the mind" competition, announced last week that the national radio finals of this year's College Bowl will be held at Marshall University.

Involving 16 teams from across the nation, the event will be staged in Marshall's Old Main Auditorium Feb. 29 and March 1-3. The 15 games will be broadcast nationally by the CBS radio network, with the first game to be aired Sunday, March 9. More than 200 stations will carry the program, Reid said.

Reid flew to Huntington from New York to sign the contract for Marshall to host the event. Marshall Foundation Executive Director Bernard Queen signed the contract in behalf of the foundation.

Marshall Provost Olen E. Jones Jr. paid tribute to Ashland Oil, Inc., the Frank E. Gannett Newspaper Foundation and the Monsanto Co., which joined with the Marshall Foundation to underwrite some of the costs involved in housing the 16 teams here. At least 140 visitors will be accommodated.

Jones also commended the Huntington Convention and Visitors Bureau, which played a major role in helping the university organize the effort.

"We are very pleased that Marshall has been selected to be host for the College Bowl finals," Jones said. "It will provide

national exposure for the university, and we are looking forward to having a large number of the nation's most alert, most outstanding students visit the Marshall campus."

Jones noted that Dr. Robert J. Mutchnick, coach of Marshall's College Bowl team and an assistant professor of criminal justice, had been responsible for arranging to have the College Bowl finals at Marshall. He also is serving as the university's coordinator for the event.

Reid said four of the teams which will appear in the finals already have been identified. They are: Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Emory University of Atlanta, Ga., the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and Iowa State University.

"We have high hopes that the Marshall team also will be among the finalists," Mutchnick said. Marshall tied for fifth place in the nation in College Bowl competition in Miami Beach, Fla., last year.

Art Fleming, nationally known as host of the television game show "Jeopardy," is moderator of the College Bowl contests.

REQUISITION DEADLINE

The deadline for submitting requisitions for calculators is Feb. 18. This is in accordance with Standard Specification No. 7420-030-6.

WMUL-TV to air 'M.U. Report' Saturdays

"M.U. Report," a weekly television news program produced by students in the Marshall University School of Journalism, will return to the air at 6 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, on WMUL-TV (Channel 33).

Story ideas are generated, videotaped and presented by students enrolled in Broadcast News II (Journalism 351) in cooperation with WMUL-TV, according to C. Bosworth Johnson, MU associate professor of journalism, who teaches the class.

"This is not a campus news program, but a Marshall news program for the community," Johnson said. "The students will be reporting news on or about the Marshall campus of interest to the community," he added.

Topics to be discussed on the first of 11 shows scheduled will be:

- Delinquent student government loans.
 - Problems encountered by students in transferring to Marshall from another school.
 - The impact on off-campus businesses of MU students who decline to eat in the dorm cafeterias.
 - Marshall as seen through the eyes of commuter students.
 - Campus educators' views on mainstreaming in public school education.
- The format for this weekly student-produced news magazine includes coverage of five main stories, plus summaries of other events, Johnson said.

Community College students to help with income tax forms

Students from a taxation class at the Community College of Marshall University will spend February and March helping low-income, elderly and handicapped persons prepare their federal and state income tax forms. This service is free of charge.

The students will work under the Internal Revenue Service's Volunteer Income Tax Assistant (VITA) program.

"This project is a combined effort by the Community College, the IRS, the state income tax department, and Post 1064 of the VFW, which will provide transportation and refreshments for the students," said Betty Jarrell, coordinator for the Community College. "It will help those who cannot pay for income tax assistance in preparing their tax forms."

Those needing help should bring the tax booklets mailed to them, along with W-2 forms from employers and bank statements to any of the locations listed below. Students will be able to prepare both 1040 and 1040A forms, and will have extra forms if needed.

For information on the VITA program, call the Community College, extension 3646.

Suzanne Bloss appointed to career services/placement post

Suzanne Bloss, a native of Huntington, has been appointed assistant director of Marshall University's Career Services and Placement Office, MU Placement Director Reginald Spencer has announced.

Ms. Bloss' duties will include counseling students about employment possibilities, working with companies desiring to recruit on campus, and assisting with student placement in general, Spencer said. "A significant portion of her responsibilities will be in the area of programming for female students and alumna," he added.

A former counselor supervisor for the Lawrence County Community Alcoholism Program in South Point, Ohio, Ms. Bloss earned both her B.A. and M.A. degrees from Marshall.

Her employment experience also includes work as a career counselor for the Career Development Center at the College of the Ozarks, Clarksville, Ark.

She has been a member of the American Personnel and Guidance Association and the Arkansas College Personnel Association.

MU Provost Jones praises Dr. Harbold for 'consideration'

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president of the West Virginia Historical Association. He has conducted a number of historical research projects, results of which have been published in professional journals.

"I am gratified to have come through the screening process with this vote of confidence," Gould said. "With the support of the college's excellent faculty, I believe that together we can maintain and build upon the outstanding reputation of the College of Liberal Arts at Marshall University. I am looking forward to that challenge."

Jones praised Dean Harbold "for his consideration in giving us early notice of his plans to retire. This has enabled the university to act expeditiously in identifying his successor. Dr. Gould will work closely with Dr. Harbold during the remainder of this semester and we will be able to have an orderly transition this summer," Jones added.

Reds radio voices to be here

Tri-State Area fans of the Cincinnati Reds will have an opportunity to talk baseball with Marty Brennaman and Joe Nuxhall, the team's radio voices, who will be at Marshall University on Tuesday, Feb. 12.

The pair will field questions from the audience and show films of the Reds in action at 1:30 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room, Memorial Student Center, according to Kamal Samar, assistant director of the center.

The program, which is free and open to the public, has attracted audiences of nearly 700 people in the past, Samar said. Also accompanying Brennaman and Nuxhall will be the Reds broadcasting director, James A. Winters.

Senior recital scheduled tonight

Kimberly Vineyard, a Marshall University music major from Spencer, will present her senior recital tonight, (Feb. 8) at 8 o'clock in Smith Recital Hall. The event is free and open to the public.

A voice student of Jane Shepherd, MU professor of music, Miss Vineyard will perform Scarlatti's "Su le sponde del tebro," a cantata for soprano and chamber ensemble.

Miss Vineyard, a 1979 district winner in the Metropolitan Opera Auditions, also will sing several English, French and German art songs and arias, including "The Jewel Song" from Gounod's "Faust."

MU faculty and staff achievements, activities...

DR. WOODEN W. WOODEN, associate professor of English, has been notified that his article, "Utopia and Dystopia," has been accepted for publication by The Southern Humanities Review.

DR. DANNY FULKS, professor of education, has had an article accepted for publication by Barnell Loft, Ltd., Baldwin, N.Y. The title of the article is, "Using Hand Calculators for Language Arts Activities."

DR. DONALD C. TARTER, professor of biological sciences, is the co-author of the following paper accepted for publication in the April issue of Entomological News: "An Annotated List of the Stoneflies (Plecoptera) of West Virginia." The paper's co-author is Ralph Kirchner, a former student in MU's Biological Science Department.



FACULTY HONORS COLLEAGUE

Marshall University Accounting Department faculty members recently contributed \$200 to a scholarship fund named for a department member who retired in 1974 after 28 years of teaching at Marshall. Established by her College of Business colleagues and former students, the Eva Louise Miller Scholarship is to be awarded annually to an outstanding upper division student in accounting. The endowment currently totals more than \$6,000. The first scholarship was awarded last spring to Cindy Samosky, a Huntington senior. Presenting the checks from department members to MU Foundation Executive Director Bernard Queen, left, is Dr. Roland Madison. Looking on are from left, William J. Radig, Donna Dingus, Kyle G. McMullen, Neal Adkins and Dr. Robert F. Godfrey, department chairman. Absent when the photo was made were C. Edman Pauley and William J. Seiber. (Marshall University photo by Rick Hays)

MCIE meets Thursday

The first Spring general meeting of the Marshall Council for International Education will be held on Thursday, Feb. 14, at 3:15 p.m. in Room 2W37 of the Marshall Student Center. Members and interested faculty/staff are urged to attend.

DR. ROBERT D. OLSON, professor of speech, has received a one-year appointment to the West Virginia Medical Institute's Advisory Group. Newly-formed, the group is designed to provide input from nonphysician health care practitioners, hospital representatives and agents of other health care facilities in the Professional Standards Review (PSRO) program.

DR. RALPH W. TAYLOR, associate professor of biological sciences, is the author of a paper, "Mussels of Floyd's Fork, a small northcentral Kentucky stream," which appeared in the January issue of The Nautilus, Vol. 94 (1): 13-15.

DR. FRANK BINDER, associate professor of biological sciences, was invited to present a seminar entitled "Amino Acid Transport Mechanisms in the Haustorial Mycoparasites" to the faculty and graduate students in the Plant Pathology and Bacteriology Department at West Virginia University on Feb. 1.

Excused absences...

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

JAN. 24--Diana Sole.

JAN. 25--Joyce Schoolcraft, Tina Hardman, Jane Stafford, Susan Goodrick, Carol Lilly, Diana Sole, Tammy Tupis, Tom Stepp, Regina Gore, Debra Sparks, Brian Howard, Tammy Cox, Jean Hill, Alayne Merenstein, Alan D. Williams, Linda Lively, Georgia Mathis and Tina Aluise.

JAN. 31-FEB. 1--Roy Akers, Sandy Akers, Jeffrey Bell, Leigh Ann Bishop, Donna Bivins, Robin Bocook, Bill Bott, Denise Bowen, John Brunetti, Lydia Chesne, Melissa Crouch, Ken Dodson, Lisa Hanshaw, Jim Holley, Amy Houck, Cody Jarrell, Claude Jarrell, Kathy Johnson, Tenny Jones, Shadrouz Kianouri, Timothy Kincaid, Beth King, Jamison Kuhn, Mike Legg, Martin Meador, Dani Penvose, Mickey Porter, Pam Preston, Margaret Roebuck, Daniel Shreve, Robert Simpson, Richard Smith, Neil Stowasser, Jean Thompson, Chris Trigg, Darryl Vance, Geoffrey Ward, Pat Ward, Cindy White, Alan Williams and Myra Williams.

FEB 1-4--Varsity basketball team.

FEB. 1-2--Varsity track team.