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News Letter

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Committee lobbying is unappropriate

The University Council met on Nov. 4th and conducted the following items of business:

1. The Council again considered standing committees of the faculty and any role they may have in the legislative lobbying process. The Council decided that committee sponsored lobbying efforts are not legitimate activities for standing committees. The decision was based upon the following considerations:

a. The committees are primarily concerned with educational policy which is subject to approval by the President and in conformance with the various policies of the Board of Regents.

b. Some of the Council members expressed serious reservations about attempting a return to political manipulation so apparent under the old Board of Education control.

c. Under the BOR system the legislature provides funds to the Board for distribution among the various institutions. The needs of Marshall are met by Board

allocations based upon appeals presented through President Hayes.

After a consideration of these points, the Council elected as a maximum effort to inform President Hayes of the willingness of the Council to contact any members of the legislature, local or otherwise, if so asked. This offer to assist was to be conveyed to the Chancellor.

The Council fully recognized the right and even responsibility of any citizen or group to make known their political desires. This option is always available. The Council simply believed that this sort of action could not be sponsored by an agency of the University. This precluded lobbying activity on the part of standing committees of the faculty.

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Faculty service committee action depends upon others

The Faculty Service Committee, a standing committee currently headed by Louise S. Bailey, assistant professor of English, provides a variety of services to members of the faculty and administration at special times, according to Ms. Bailey.

Among those services are: baby gifts; wedding gifts; flowers for funeral services of a faculty member or administrator or the immediate family; hospital flowers when a faculty member or administrator is hospitalized; get well cards to family members of faculty or administration members who are hospitalized; birthday cards to retired faculty members and sympathy cards to retired faculty members or administrators in the event of a death in the immediate family.

"In order to fulfill its function, the committee has to rely on a system of notification from other members of the campus community," she said.

"When you hear of an event in a faculty or administrative member's life that we should be aware of, I hope you will take time to call me at 3155, or at my home, 525-9403. Messages also may be left with the English Department Office," she added.

Subcommittee visit set Monday, Tuesday

The Legislative Subcommittee on Higher Education will make its annual visit to Marshall's campus on Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 23-24, and has requested meetings with the various campus components.

A schedule of the subcommittee's sessions appears below and faculty, support staff and students are urged to take advantage of the legislators' visit to voice their concerns about the legislative process in higher education.

Monday, Nov. 23	Memorial Student Center
9-10:15 a.m.	Orientation Meeting with Administration Special Dining Room
10:30-11:30	Campus Tours
11:45-12:45	Luncheon Meeting with Institutional Board of Advisors Presidents' Dining Room
1-2 p.m.	Meeting with Students Multi-Purpose Room
2:15-3:15	Meeting with Support Staff Multi-Purpose Room
3:30-4:30	Meeting with Faculty Multi-Purpose Room

Tuesday, Nov. 24	
9-10 a.m.	Medical School Administration Doctors' Memorial Building, Room 213A
10:15-10:45	Medical School Faculty Room 213A
11-11:30	Medical School Students Room 213A
11:45-12:15	Budget and Appropriations Committee Special Dining Room, Student Center
12:30	Luncheon and Wrap-up Presidents' Dining Room, Student Center

TURKEY TIME

Marshall University's Thanksgiving holiday will begin at noon Wednesday, Nov. 25, for students and faculty and at the close of the work day for staff members. Administrative offices will remain closed on Friday. The university will resume its normal schedule at 8 a.m. Monday, Nov. 30. The News Letter will not be published next week because of the holiday, but will reappear Thursday, Dec. 3. The deadline will be 10 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 1.

Hearings on MU yearbook set Tuesday, Dec. 1

An ad hoc committee considering the viability of continuing publication of the Chief Justice, Marshall University yearbook, will conduct hearings Tuesday, Dec. 1, beginning at 10 a.m. in the President's Conference Room in Old Main.

The ad hoc committee was appointed by the Public Relations and Publications Committee at the request of President Robert B. Hayes. Elizabeth Barker, assistant professor of nursing and chairman of the standing committee, also is serving as chairman of the ad hoc committee.

Several individuals have been invited to address the

committee during the Dec. 1 sessions, Prof. Barker said. In addition, any student, faculty or staff member, or alumnus who wishes to present views on the matter will be welcomed, she said.

Questions concerning the viability of the yearbook surfaced a year ago when the Public Relations and Publications Committee examined budget presentations for the book.

In addition to the hearings, the committee plans a survey of student opinion.

Hayes asked that the committee submit its findings by the end of the current semester.

Parliamentary code prohibits voting by proxy

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2. The matter of substitute representation on standing committees of the faculty was discussed. Apparently some substitutes are appearing to argue proposals of a personal or departmental nature. This practice, if continued, has the potential for serious consequences. Elected committee members represent a constituency no lower than that of a College. The Council believed this a guiding principle for representatives - substitute or

regular.

The faculty parliamentary code (Sturgis) prohibits proxy voting with the statement that proxies are "never permissible unless specifically authorized by the bylaws, charters, or statutes." The Faculty Constitution makes no such provision.

The role of the substitute is interpreted as one of being primarily concerned with the conveying of information to the missing member. The Council has no desire to muzzle the substitute member, but wishes to make clear that their role is limited.

WPBY-TV to televise some games on delayed basis

WPBY-TV will televise coverage of a select series of Marshall University basketball games this season. All games in the series will be broadcast on a tape delay basis. Air time for all telecasts will be 10 p.m., with the exception of the Marshall Memorial Invitational finals. Broadcast time for the MMI finals will be announced at a later date.

To reduce the need for substitute attendance, every effort should be made to schedule meetings when all members are free of class obligations. If this is not possible, the meeting times should be altered so that no member is absent on a regular basis. If under this condition, absences consistently continue, or substitutes consistently continue, the matter should be brought to the attention of the University Council.

3. The Council considered the duplication and increased circulation of the minutes of certain standing committees. As a matter of guidance, minutes relative to personnel considerations should not be generally distributed. The minutes of the Faculty Personnel Committee and the Commencement and Honorary Degrees Committees should be limited to the routine circulation.

The Council has no objection to increased communication, but items of a sensitive nature are to stay within normal channels.

Marshall home games being televised on Channel 33 include:

Nov. 27	Marshall vs. Army	10 p.m.
Dec. 12	MMI Finals	Time to be announced
Dec. 15	Marshall vs. Furman	10 p.m.
Jan. 16	Marshall vs. Citadel	10 p.m.
Jan. 23	Marshall vs. Davidson	10 p.m.
Feb. 6	Marshall vs. UT Chattanooga	10 p.m.
Feb. 15	Marshall vs. Appalachian St.	10 p.m.

Submitted by

Sam Clagg, Chairman

Campus Job Openings . . .

The Personnel Office has announced the following campus job openings:

Secretary II, Modern Languages Department, Pay Grade 4, closes Nov. 23.

Secretary III, College of Business, Pay Grade 5, closes Nov. 23.

Building Engineer, Building Maintenance, Pay Grade 8, closes Nov. 23.

Advertising Manager, The Parthenon, Pay Grade 8, closes Nov. 23.

For additional information or to apply call the Personnel Office at 6455 or stop by the office, located in Old Main 207.

Brass quintet program Dec. 2

The Annapolis Brass Quintet will present "The Spirit of Christmas Brassed" at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 2, in Smith Recital Hall as part of the Marshall Artists Series Student Division.

The program will feature a variety of traditional carols and religious works associated with Christmas as well as a number of other works from the Renaissance age.

Tickets for faculty and staff will be \$2 each. MU students with ID and Activity cards will be admitted free. MU students with ID Cards only may purchase tickets at half the general admission price of \$4. The half-price ticket also is available to youth age 17 and under.

MU faculty and staff achievements, activities . . .

DAN O'HANLON, legal assisting program coordinator, taught a class on "Legal Rights of the Elderly" at the Cabell County Senior Citizens Multipurpose Center on Oct. 26. Earlier that day he also appeared on WGNT Radio's "Cross Talk" call-in show, discussing problems of the West Virginia Criminal Justice System.

Eight members of the English Department attended the South Atlantic Modern Language Association conference held in Louisville, Ky., Nov. 5-7. DR. LEONARD DEUTSCH, associate professor, presided at the business meeting of the Society for the Study of Multi-Ethnic Literature of the United States (MELUS). DR. WARREN W. WOODEN, professor, was elected secretary of the Special Topics Section for 1982. DR. JOAN F. GILLILAND, assistant professor, presented a paper, "Milton as Fantasy Writer," in the Science Fiction and Fantasy Discussion Circle. She also is on the Special Topics Section nominating committee.

Also attending were: DR. WILLIAM SULLIVAN, department chairman; DR. JOHN McKERNAN, professor; LOUISE BAILEY, BETTY McCLELLAN and DIANA WALDRON, assistant professors.

DR. ROBERTA RICE, clinical associate professor of surgery, and DR. RUTH C. HARRIS, emeritus professor of pediatrics, were in China and Korea last month, touring various hospitals and speaking to medical groups. Dr. Harris visited the Beijing Children's Hospital in China and spoke on "Laboratory Signs of Liver Dysfunction in Infants and Hepatitis" on Oct. 20 before the Pediatrics Department of Younsei University Medical School at China's Severance Hospital. Dr. Rice visited Korea's Ewha University School of Medicine, Yonsei University in Seoul and its new branch in Wonju. She consulted with Dr. B.Y. Kim, Yonsei University's Cancer Center

Personnel personals . . .

Meredith Lynn Lutz, daughter of **Dr. Paul F. Lutz**, assistant director of development, was named to both the academic and citizenship honor rolls for the first nine weeks period at Cammack Junior School where she is a seventh grader.

Frances Bailey, daughter of **Louise S. Bailey**, assistant professor of English, has been elected secretary of the Marshall University Alpha Chi Omega pledge class and "Pledge of the Week" for her work during October. Her mother was selected as the sorority's faculty advisor for this year.

Dr. Roy Thomas, Research Coordinating Unit director, was the winner of WSAZ-TV's P.M. Magazine "Silver Spoon Award" for his cost-cutting recipe for Italian Zucchini. The cook-off was held Nov. 14 at Corbly Hall and will be aired during P.M. Magazine at 7 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 23.

Two youngsters appearing in the MU production of "Sound of Music" are children of members of the campus community. Erica Snyder, daughter of **Dr. Lynn Snyder**, athletic director, was cast as Marta von Trapp, while David Evans, son of **Dr. Dan E. Evans**, associate professor of biological sciences, is appearing as Kurt von Trapp.

Proud of a family member's achievement? Is there a new baby at your house? Is there something else you would like to share with your colleagues? "Personnel personals" is just the place. Send your information to Judith Casto, University Relations, Old Main 102.

director, concerning a computerized National Tumor Registry for statistical study of cancer in Korea and a reception was held in her honor at Severance Hospital.

DAVE GILLMORE, general manager of Instructional Television Services, addressed a session of the annual conference of the National Association of Educational Broadcasters, held Nov. 1-4 in New Orleans, La. Gillmore discussed the cost and flexibility advantages available to college computer systems by using existing closed-circuit television distribution systems instead of conventional computer lines. Gillmore was also named to a committee that will investigate a new organizational framework for the 400 members of the NAEM's Instruction Council.

DR. THOMAS MANAKKIL, professor of physics, participated in the conference/workshop on Low-Level Radioactive Waste held Sept. 30-Oct. 2 at North Carolina State University. Manakkil, university radiation safety officer, was among more than 120 academic, research institution and hospital representatives, as well as EPA and NRC officials, attending the sessions.

Seven members of the Community College faculty attended the State Community College Association Conference held Oct. 23-24 at Parkersburg Community College. They were DR. PAUL D. HINES, dean; CAROLYN B. HUNTER, assistant professor of reading; DIANE FORNARI, reading instructor; DONALD WILKES, retailing and small business management instructor; NEDRA LOWE, communications instructor; SARAH DENMAN, assistant professor of communications, and SUE CONLEY, secretarial studies instructor. Hines spoke at the conference on "The Relationship of the Component to the Parent Institution." Ms. Hunter was elected president-elect for the coming year and Marshall will host the 1982 state conference.

DR. ROBERT P. ALEXANDER, professor of management and department chairman, spoke at the regional conference of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity held at Memorial Student Center Nov. 7. More than 70 representatives of chapters from a three-state area were present to hear him talk on "You Are the Gold in the Garnet and Gold."

DR. LEONARD J. DEUTSCH, associate professor of English, attended the Middle-Atlantic Writers Association Conference in Baltimore, Md., on Nov. 6, where he read a paper, "The Black Literary Tradition in West Virginia."

DR. RICHARD O. COMFORT, professor of sociology/anthropology, attended a conference at Jackson's Mill Nov. 9-10 for the West Virginia delegates to the White House Conference on Aging to be held in Washington, D.C. Nov. 29-Dec. 3. Comfort, who was appointed as a delegate by U.S. Congressman Nick Rahall, chaired the public hearing on issues and recommendations to be submitted at the national meeting. The hearing drew 75 people.

DR. WALTER FELTY, professor of educational media and department chairman, DR. VIRGINIA PLUMLEY, associate professor, and ELEANOR TERRY, assistant professor, attended the annual conference of the West Virginia Educational Media Association (WVEMA) held in Beckley Oct. 23-24. Dr. Plumley is co-editor of the 1981 WVEMA Yearbook and Ms. Terry is on the executive committee.

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Parking plan outlined for home basketball games

Free parking for as many as 1,300 automobiles will be available on Marshall University-owned parking lots during 10 of the 15 basketball games in the new Henderson Center this season, MU Parking Coordinator Bonnie J. Lytle said today.

Free public parking in Marshall lots also will be available for the other five home games, but will be more limited because of the fact university classes will be in session on those nights, Ms. Lytle said.

Her remarks were made in conjunction with today's announcement of the parking plan developed for home games at Henderson Center, the first of which is scheduled Friday, Nov. 27. Major points of the plan include:

-Public parking will be permitted at no charge on university lots on the north side of Third Avenue west of

18th Street (Lots F, S and A) and on the numerous smaller lots located south of Fifth Avenue between Elm and 19th streets. However, on the five game nights when classes are in session, public parking will not be available on these lots until after 6:45 p.m.

The five game dates on which evening classes will be conducted are Nov. 30, Dec. 15, Jan. 18 and Feb. 8 and 15.

-Vehicular traffic will not be permitted on the main campus (bounded by Hal Greer Boulevard, 20th Street, Third Avenue and Fifth Avenue) during home games. This includes 18th Street, between Third and Fifth avenues. Access to parking lots on the main campus will be limited to regular university parking permit holders and entrances will be blocked to limit access.

-During all home games, Parking Area G on the northeast corner of Third Avenue and 18th Street and all other lots on Third Avenue from 18th to 20th streets will be designated as "Special Parking" and regulated by Athletic Department personnel.

-Limited parking for registered handicapped persons will be available immediately east of Henderson Center at Third Avenue and relocated 19th Street.

All traffic and parking control plans will be implemented through a cooperative agreement between Marshall's Department of Public Safety and the Huntington Police Department and its Reserve Unit, Ms. Lytle said.

Music faculty chamber recital scheduled for Monday, Dec. 30

The Marshall University Music Department will present a Faculty Chamber Recital at 8 p.m. Monday, Nov. 30, in Smith Recital Hall. The event is free and open to the public.

The program will include three arias from Bach concertos with baritone solo, harpsichord and violin and flute obligatos, Schubert's "Sonata in A Major for Violin and Piano," Faure's "Fantasie for Flute and Piano," and Dvorak's "Trio in E Minor, Opus 90, for Violin, Cello and Piano."

Recital performers will be Patricia Green, associate professor, on violin; James McWhorter, instructor, on cello; Dr. James Taggart, professor, on piano; Kay Wildman, music librarian, on harpsichord; Deborah Egekqvist, instructor, on flute, and Dr. Paul Balshaw, department chairman, baritone.

Library sets hours for holidays

The schedule of hours to be observed by the Library during the Thanksgiving Holiday weekend will be as follows:

Wednesday, Nov. 25	7:45 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 26 (Thanksgiving)	Closed
Friday, Nov. 27	1 p.m.-5 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 28	Closed

Resume regular schedule:

Sunday, Nov. 29	1 p.m.-10 p.m.
Monday through Thursday	7:45 a.m.-11 p.m.
Friday	7:45 a.m.-5 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Excused absences. . .

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

NOV. 9-10--Mark Miller, Rick Crowley, Dick Hardin, Frank Barnett, Panda Boster, David Neff, Keith Meadows, Senna Kerr, David Keenan, Paula Flinn, Steve Slater, Cary Collins, Kathy Mitchell, Haydn Lloyd, Ann Johnson, Ron Short, Kenny Johnson, Scott Milam and Terry Davis.
 SEPT. 17-20, OCT. 2-4, 6-8, 9-11, 15-17, 29-31--Varsity football team.
 NOV. 11-13--Tammy Baker, David Kosar, Sandra Conrad, Kelly Messinger, Vaughn Rhudy, Elizabeth Blevins, Kushleen Conaty, Steve Hauser, Alan Hinkle, Debbie Jackson, Lee Smith and Kathy Young.
 NOV. 9-12--Alan D. Williams, Linda Lively and Mona Walters.

QUESTION BOX

Do you have a question about a Marshall Policy or procedure? Or a question related to anything on the campus? Submit it--signed or unsigned--to the Question Box, in care of University Relations, Old Main 102, and we'll try to find the answer and publish it.

More achievements, activities . . .

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HENRIETTA FOARD, assistant professor of educational media, attended the West Virginia Library Association (WVLA) meeting held at The Greenbrier Nov. 12-14. She was appointed to the WVLA's legislative committee.

ED MILLER, student financial aid director, presented a series of workshops on student financial aid in five West Virginia communities as part of the observance of Student Financial Aid Awareness Week, Nov. 15-21.

DR. BILLY RAY DUNN, associate professor of occupational, adult and safety education, and DR. DONNA DUNN, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations, recently were appointed to Huntington's Child and Family Health Services Advisory Committee.

Lunch bag seminar set

A seminar on "Black Male/Female Relationships" will be held at noon Thursday, Dec. 3, in the Hodges Hall Lounge with the Rev. Wilbert Goatley, First Baptist Church of Huntington pastor, as group leader.

The "lunch bag" seminar is sponsored by the Minority Students Program Office. All faculty and staff members are encouraged to attend.