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Lawsuit too time consuming -- Queen

By Rose Hutchinson

Student Government Association will not be involved in a class action lawsuit two state senators told Marshall University representatives Monday to initiate about the wording of the Higher Education Resource Funds State Statute according to Student Senator Michael L. Queen, Clarksburg sophomore. The bill would be too costly and time consuming, Queen said.

Although Senate President Warren R. McGraw, D-Wyoming, and Sen. Robert R. Nelson, D-Cabell, said to push the suit, plans for the suit by MU lobbyists involving the HERF Funds are still controversial, according to Bettie M. Grisafi, St. Albans graduate student.

Grisafi, a spokesperson for the Society of Physics Students said there were pros and cons to taking

action with a lawsuit.

If the suit were pursued, it may have to be directed at President Robert B. Hayes, Grisafi said. This could cause an alienation between students and faculty, which the lobbyists do not want because, she said, working together would gain better results.

The suit would deal with interpretation of a segment of the HERF State Statute stating "and for the improvements and scope of student services," Grisafi said.

Queen said he had obtained the opinion of several lawyers, all who contended the statute was up for interpretation.

Pursuing the lawsuit could result in an official interpretation of the Statute, Queen said.

Faculty and students have differing opinions

about how the HERF money should be spent, Queen said. Administration has proposed the use of the money for utility costs in the James E. Morrow Library, which some students do not consider a student service.

The money could be used instead for laboratory classes and the purchases of chemicals, Queen said.

"The major intent is to get an interpretation," Queen said. But, he said, getting an amendment to the statute is also planned.

He said an amendment is needed stating precisely how the HERF money could be spent.

"Until an official interpretation is made, there will continue to be controversy between administration and students," Queen said.

Food tax said possible answer for budget woes

By Edgar Simpson

Returning West Virginia to solid economic footing is the major goal of a bill to reinstate a tax on food, according to Sen. Homer Heck D-Cabell, sponsor of the proposal.

The legislation would place a 5 cent tax on food and raise an excess of \$100 million in general revenue, Heck said.

Since Gov. John D. Rockefeller IV pushed the gradual food tax repeal through the Legislature in March 1979, Heck said, the state has steadily descended the economic ladder.

"I'm sure the governor wants to do what is right," he said. "but he has not provided the leadership we need in this economic depression. This program I'm introducing should have been his position." He should have asked the Legislature for enough money to keep West Virginia solvent, Heck said.

Many of the state's economic woes stem from the governor's conservative attitude toward West Virginia's economic future, Heck said.

"The governor did not set high enough goals for West Virginia," he said. the depression can't last much longer". We have reached a low ebb in business. We should plan for the future now, Heck said.

Although Heck said he was not a member of the Legislature when the original food tax was removed he recalled being against the action. Installation of the tax would generate enough money to provide a 3 percent pay raise for state employees, Heck said.

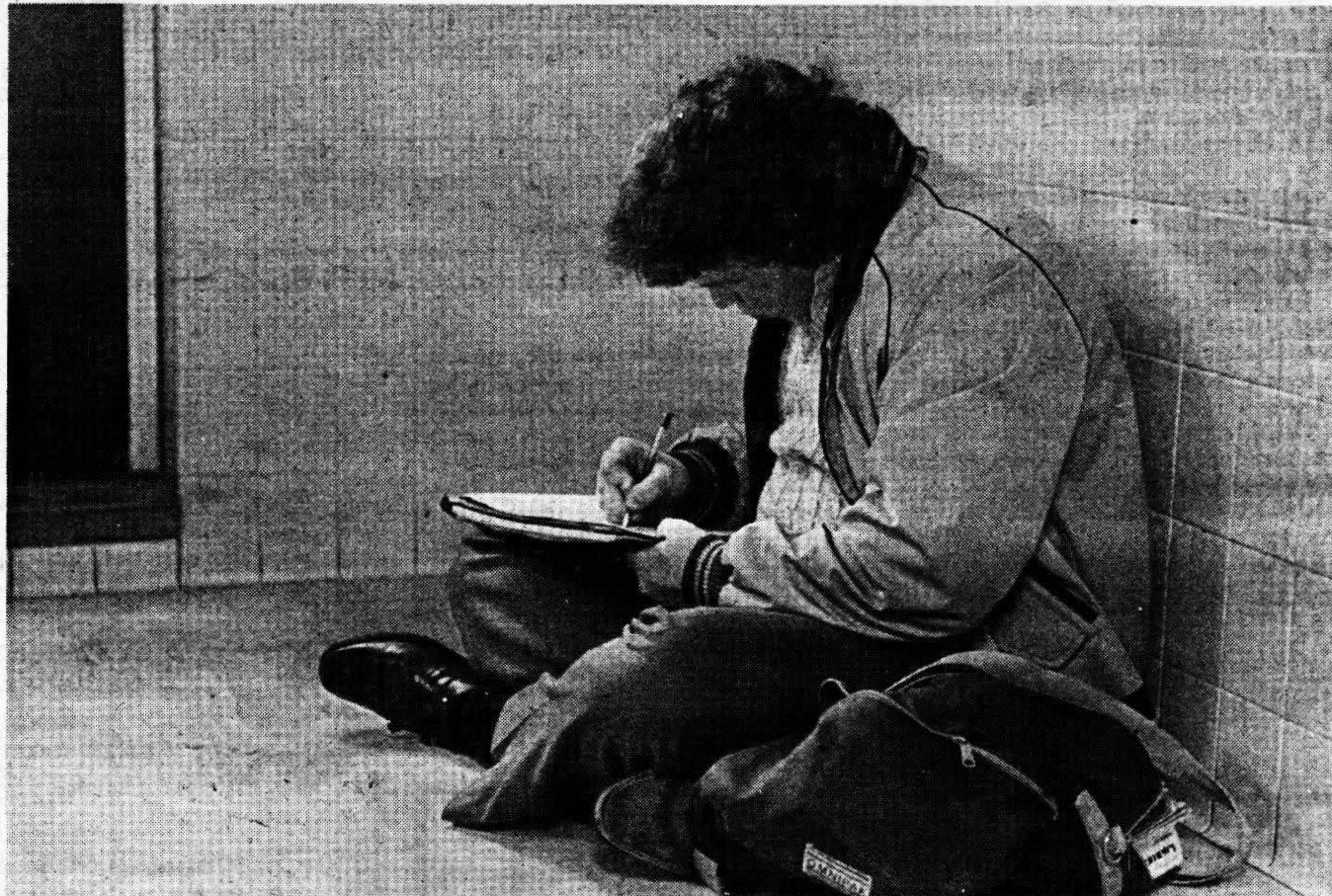
"We still have the lowest per capita income for state employees in the nation," he said.

Not only would the tax give the state payroll a boost, but it could potentially save jobs, Heck said.

"It would put the state in strong financial position so we would not have to fire or lay-off people," he said.

Heck said he believes West Virginia citizens would back a proposal reinstating the tax.

"Many people in West Virginia would not mind paying a few pennies to insure their job or their neighbors' job," he said.



Study, anytime anywhere

A chair is not needed to make study conditions comfortable for John Ball, Milton freshman, as he

takes advantage of time between classes in Smith Hall. Photo by Marilyn Enslow.

New student senators sworn in

By Maria D. Jones

The Student Senate swore in two new senators, accepted a resignation from another, and passed two resolutions in its meeting Tuesday.

Tamara L. Wysong, Princeton sophomore, was sworn in Tuesday as the new Residence Hall senator, and Sue E. Hubbs, Moundsville junior, was sworn in as Off-campus senator.

Another Off-campus seat is now vacant as the result of a resignation Tuesday by Alma M. Wooley, Bishop, Va., senior. Wooley resigned from her seat because she moved out of her constituency, according to Kyle "Kookie"

Adams, Summersville senior.

The seat is a spring seat, which means that whoever fills the seat must run for re-election again this spring. The senate also agreed to extend the deadline indefinitely on the empty University Heights seat.

The senators passed a resolution to conduct an open forum February 24 at 9:15 p.m. in the Twin Towers West glassed in lounge. The senate hopes that the forum will help the senators find out the opinions of students on issues facing the Marshall community.

The senate also passed a resolution concerning the traditional green and white colors of Marshall. They urged

the Athletic Department to break away from the yellow which is on some of the recent uniforms purchased by the Athletic department. The senate also opposed blue and brown signs which may be contracted by the Physical Facilities and Planning committee.

The senators voted to form an informal committee to reconsider the senate's stand on the drinking age bill. The group will consider the different bills and decide on the one which will be of the most benefit to Marshall students. The committee will present their decisions at next weeks senate meeting.

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Opinion

Parking bill passage would benefit Marshall

At a time when money is scarce throughout the state, Marshall University officials continue to search for ways to bring in extra funds.

One path they have proposed taking is to begin collecting fines for campus parking violations.

We applaud the common sense behind this bill, which has been reintroduced in the state Legislature this year.

We see no reason why Marshall should not be allowed to gain at least a portion of revenue brought in by parking fines.

The current university policy has security officers issuing two warning tickets before an illegally parked vehicle is towed. Owners then must turn around and pay a local wrecker service \$25 to retrieve their cars.

Why should security spend its hours patrolling campus parking lots for the benefit of local businesses outside Marshall? We cannot think of a logical reason for such action.

Many students may not like the idea of having to pay for their parking violations, but we think it makes much more sense for the stu-

dents' money to go back into the university.

If a stiffer policy is not instituted, then we believe security's limited manpower could be used more effectively elsewhere, such as beefing up patrols around residence halls and Memorial Student Center.

However, we hope this is not necessary.

Marshall University needs a financial boost, even a slight one, and we believe the proposed parking bill will help.

Therefore, we urge the Legislature to change its way of thinking and vote to pass the parking bill during its annual session.

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Our Readers Speak

Happy Herd fan tells 'Z' to 'go for it'

To the editor:

I think that a great big cheer and hurrah should go out to Coach Zuffelato and the Marshall Thundering Herd Basketball Team for its outstanding performance in the Southern Conference this season.

This is a time when faculty and students have had nothing to cheer about with budget cuts changing everyone's plans and attitudes. It was wonderful to see the student body being so supportive of the team

even though academically doors are being slammed everywhere they look. Thanks to Coach "Z" and the Thundering Herd Basketball Team Marshall has something to be proud of in times like these.

You've made us all happy to be in Herd Heaven, so... GO FOR IT!

Happy Herd Fan,
Joy Griffith
Alum Creek Senior

Zuffelato resignation 'mind-boggling'

To the editor:

Would somebody kindly offer me a hint as to why Coach "Z" is expected to resign his position as the head basketball coach at Marshall University. I have heard and read a lot of stuff about this impending resignation scheduled to materialize at the end of the current basketball season, but not one article or rumor has pin-pointed one plausible reason for this move.

It is easy to understand when a coach with a losing record indicates his intention to resign because he is not living up to the understood part of his contract, but even the most gullible person would have his

doubts about the reported Coach Z's decision to resign.

He is a fine coach. You don't have to believe me, but his record at Marshall bears testimony to my assertion. Look it up if you wish. He is a coach with a pleasant personality; his boys - the players - like and admire him. He relates to them in the same manner a father would his children.

Why is Coach "Z" resigning? Is he doing this entirely on his volition or is he being pressured? Whose idea is it? Don't bother to give me any names. The idea is dumb and mind-boggling.

Tony Akubue
Huntington resident

Correction

An article in Wednesday's issue of The Parthenon incorrectly stated that the reason the 1983 graduation commencement was moved from the Huntington Civic Center was to save money.

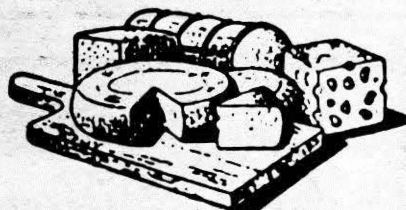
Correction: Commencement will not take place in

the Huntington Civic Center because of the change in the second semester schedule brought about by state cuts, according to Registrar Robert H. Eddins. Under the revised schedule, graduation has been rescheduled for April 30.

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Sports '83

7-0 SC record on line against Bucs

Zuffelato looks for fast-paced match up

By Leskie Pinson

With another challenge before his team of playing three games within five days, Head Coach Bob Zuffelato said he knows what to expect tonight against East Tennessee State.

"It'll be a track meet," he said. "They like to run and we don't mind to ourselves."

East Tennessee State is the only Southern Conference team Marshall has not played on the way to a 7-0 conference record. The Buccaneers are 5-4 in the conference and 11-6 overall. East Tennessee's 79-64 loss to The Citadel Monday left the team in fourth

place in the conference.

"They have fine athletes all down the line," Zuffelato said. "It should be a fans' game with so many fine match ups."

The Bucs are lead by 6-foot Troy Lee Mikell, who scores at a 17.9 point average. He is joined in the forecourt by 6-1 Mark Quesenberry with 8.6 points a game.

The back line features 6-7 Sonny Vinson and 6-6 Andre Motley, who average 8.1 and 12.2 points respectively. Motley is second on the team in rebounding at 6.1.

The leading rebounder is 6-10 Winfred King. He

pulls 9.5 rebounds a game to go along with 13.8 points.

"It should be a classic match up between King and Charles Jones," Zuffelato said. "Mikell and LaVerne Evans will be another great one."

Evans continues to lead Marshall in scoring with a 15.3 average. He has had 48 points in the last two games. Jones leads the team off the boards with a 9.4 average.

Following the East Tennessee game, the Herd takes to the road for rematches with University of Tennessee-Chattanooga Saturday and Western Carolina Monday.

Southard hopes winning spirit continues

By Randy Vealey

Although the women's basketball team has a 1-9 record, Coach Judy Southard says the team displayed a winning attitude in its last game and she said she hopes it continues tonight against Kentucky State.

The women's team lost that last game 78-72 to the University of Charleston, Southard said she was

proud of their playing ability under some very adverse conditions.

"If we had only played near the way we played against Charleston, our win-loss record wouldn't look anything like it does," the coach said.

She said she is still optimistic things will get better. "I approach every game from the standpoint we're going to turn the corner and go on a winning streak." Tonight's opponent does not have that impressive

of a record at four wins and 10 losses, but the MU coach said they have had a difficult schedule.

"Kentucky is a very quick, powerful and experienced team despite it's record," Southard said.

The coach said the two leading scorers for KSU are Darlene Brown who averages 16.6 points a game and Pamela King who averages 15.9 points a game.

The women's team plays KSU at 5:15 p.m. today in the Henderson Center.

Committee to study cuts in non-revenue sports

By Carla Hall

Possible budget cuts in non-revenue sports is the topic for the Athletic Committee meeting today at 2 p.m. in the Big Green Room of the Henderson Center.

The meeting follows reports in the news media that such reductions are being considered by the Athletic Department.

Contacted Monday, several Athletic Committee members said they had not been informed of the cuts, but would know more after the meeting. Other members said they had no comment.

"I would want a proportional reduction across all sports,"

Dr. Carole A. Vickers, professor of Home Economics, said.

Other members had a different point of view concerning athletic activities.

"We should do our best to encourage all sports, after all, soccer is just as important as football," Dr. Nell C. Bailey, dean of student affairs, said.

Dr. Harry E. Sowards, professor of education, said the cuts are going to be reflective not only on the non-revenue sports, but with football and basketball as well.

Also on the agenda for the meeting is selection of members for the budget, eligibility and personnel committees according to Dr. Steven Hatfield, professor of mathematics and chairman of the Athletic Committee.

Sportsline

Today-Men's basketball-MU vs. East Tennessee State, 7:30 p.m., Henderson Center.

Women's basketball-Her...d vs. Kentucky State, 5:30 p.m., Henderson Center.

Friday-Indoor track-MU vs. West Virginia State and Rio Grande, 6 p.m., Henderson Center.

Swimming- Marshall at Youngstown State with Akron, 7 p.m., Youngstown, Ohio.

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