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RAs claim beer policy enforcement relaxed

By TOM GALVIN Reporter

Beer-drinking restrictions in campus residence halls already are lax - even without a proposed policy on the non-intoxicating beverage, according to several Marshall residence hall advisers.

The Student Conduct and Welfare Committee Wednesday unanimously passed a policy permitting beer in residence halls and has submitted the proposal to President Robert B. Hayes for approval.

"It is illegal to drink beer in the residence halls, but it's done anyway," said a residence adviser who refused to be identified. He said most residence advisers do not make a special effort to "crack down" on students

A Twin Towers East residence adviser, who also refused to be identified, said he backs the university rule, but he does not consider himself a "policeman." He said if a student makes it (beer-drinking) obvious, then he has no alternative but to turn that person in to the residence hall director.

Tammy Fawler, a residence adviser in Twin Towers West, said, "As long as the students are in their rooms and not causing any problems, there's nothing I can do about it. If they are out in the hall and causing a disturbance, it is my job to write them up. The girls on my floor know the rules."

Another residence adviser in TTE, who refused to be identified, said he hopes the new policy passes so residence advisers and students "would not have to play this silly game anymore.'

Although some residence advisers admitted leniency in enforcing beer-drinking regulations, other said they are not so lax.

Most residence advisers said they favor the proposed beer policy because "it will make my job a lot easier," as one adviser, who refused to be identified, said.

But there are those who oppose the proposal, saying it will cause problems.

Melissa Miller, an adviser in Laidley Hall, said she favors the proposal with restrictions.

Dr. Richard G. Fisher, vice president/dean of student affairs, said "Drinking in the residence halls is not a surprise to me but I cannot condone it."

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Fisher said if a residence adviser was relaxed in practicing the current residence hall rules, that adviser would be contacted and it would be brought to his attention.

He said he does not believe it is the role of the residence adviser to "snoop" around students' doors. Fisher added that he does expect residence advisers to take action if he/she is aware of beer-drinking. He said "Because everyone is doing it, that does not make it right."

Hayes said he does not expect residence advisers to be policemen.

Hayes added that if he receives a recommendation for a new beer policy, he would "take a good deal of

time" to decide whether to approve.

A decision on a new policy would take a lot of time. thought and input, he explained. The whole college community would affected by the proposal, he added.

Hayes said his next decision on the beer policy will be "a long-term decision." He said the decision will be in the university's "best interest."

Hayes said he would personally ask for some student input on the proposed beer policy.

Dr. Joseph M. Stone, SCWC chairman, said "residence advisers are forced to be lenient" with the current policy. He added that he hopes the proposal will alleviate this situation.

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Drug company awards \$310,500 to med school

One of the nation's largest drug companies has given Marshall's medical school a \$310,500 research grant for the study of the firm's respiratory syncytial (RS) vaccine.

Merck, Sharp and Dohme, a division of Merck and Co., Inc., awarded the funds to the department of medicine for a two-year efficacy study of the drug, according to Dr. Robert W. Coon, dean of the medical school.

Coon described the grant as being "one of the most significant research grants currently held by the Marshall School of Medicine."

The study could result in the elimination by immunization of one of the major childhood respiratory viruses.

Dr. Maurice A. Mufson, chairman of the department of medicine and project director, said the RS virus is a distant relative of the measles and mumps virus, and is the single most important virus causing upper and lower respiratory infections in infants and young children.

"Illnesses attributed to the RS virus range from the common cold to more serious infections resulting in pneumonia and bronchitis," he said.

Mufson said the infection is characterized by sneezing, runny nose and red watery eyes; "and often the child is listless, fretful and lacks appetite, making both mother and child miserable."

"Merck's vaccine, which has been used in other localities, may provide children immunity from the RS virus infections, " he said.

The vaccine study will be conducted in cooperation with the department of pediatrics, headed by Dr. Ruth Harris, and Huntington area pediatricians.

Also participating in the project are Dr. Robert. B. Belshe, associate professor of medicine; Dr. Lee Van Voris, assistant professor of medicine, and Dr. Richard L. Curry, assistant profesor of pediatrics.

The department is seeking 1,200 children between the ages of six months and three years, 11 months, for the study of the vaccine's effects on the RS virus.

Children in the age range of six months to 18 months are the most susceptible to RS virus infectons. The RS virus vaccine is believed to work much the same as the measles and mmp vaccine.

Belshe said, "A small amount of the vaccine is introduced into the child's system and the child's own disease-fighting cells will produce an immunity to help prevent him from getting the RS virus."

Van Yoris added, "Of all the children

vaccinated with this virus, the only side effects have been a few children with a slight temperature elevation and a mild redness at the site of the injection."

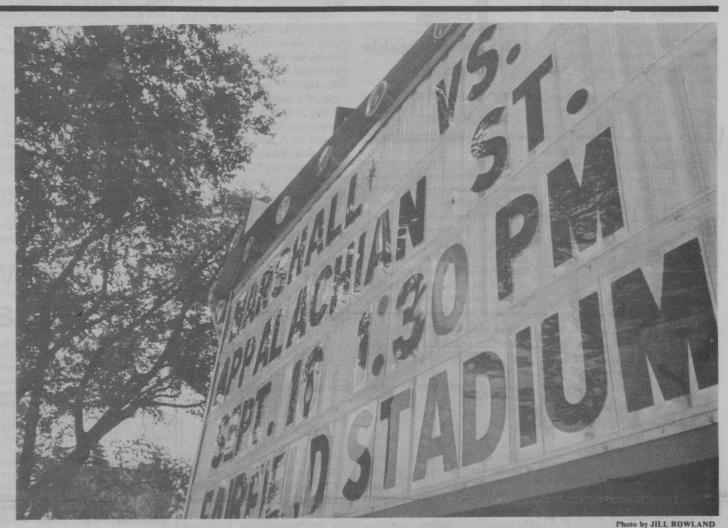
Mufson said a few of the children participating will receive a salt-water injection. The salt water, called normal saline, is consistent with normal body fluids. "This is necessary to provide our study with a control group," he said.

The test results of the control group are compared with those of the group receiving the vaccine to ensure it is the vaccine and not other factors influencing the virus.

Three registered nurses will be available to talk with parents and answer any questions about the vaccine or the diseases it may ward

off. The vaccine will be available through the General Pediatrics Clinic at Family Care Outpatient Clinic, located on the first floor of Doctor's Memorial Building at 18th Street and Sixth Avenue. Beginning Monday, parents may bring their youngsters into FCOC for the vaccine shots on Mondays and Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

Parents may request their child's pediatrician to make arrangements for participation in the study or contact the department of medicine directly by calling 696-3617.



Sign of the times

This sign at the corner of 18th Street and Third Avenue makes one statement-Thundering Herd football is back in town. See details, page three.

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. tour intramural ectives relects

By BELINDA ANDERSON

and **CINDY MARTIN** Staff Writers

The Intramural Council agreed with only one of Student Body President Ed Hamrick's five directives concerning campus intramural sports at its first meeting Thursday.

The directives, which had been recommended to the council by Student Senate, were discussed by the six members of the 10-person committee present at the meeting. Intramural Director Thomas A. Lovins chairs the committee.

Hamrick's five directives included establishing a set

schedule for intramural events and making it readily available to all students, conducting training workshops for intramural officials and emphasizing the women's intramural program.

He also called for the return of touch football. which was abandoned last year for a form of flag football, and the establishment of a three-person committee made up of council members which would deal with discipline problems.

A handbook explaining Marshall's intramurals program has been printed and arrived at the Intramural Office Thursday, according to Lovins. The handbook explains eligiblity rules, lists last year's events and winners, and gives a schedule for this year's events.

Lovins explained that the handbooks and schedule posters were given to the university office of publications June 15, but while the posters were received and placed on campus before classes started, the handbooks were not received until Thursday.

Lovins referred to a statement made by Hamrick in his "state of the university" address, which contained the directives, regarding the selection of intramurals officials. Hamrick commented that "no longer is it feasible or possible to pick up a student off the

sidewalk, give him a striped shirt and a whistle, and call him an official".

"We've never done that," Lovins said. He said the Intramural Office has a supervisor to insure that officials are competently trained, but that finding officials is a hard task. "We're grateful for the eight or 10 people who are willing to take the abuse and intimidation intramural officials receive."

Regarding the formation of a three-person committee to handle discipline problms, Lovins said he currently handles all disciplinary action himself. Council members didn't see a need for such action, and no members volunteered to be on the committee. Lovins agreed that "women's intramurals need more emphasis. We also need mor e cooperation and participation from the players themselves. We can't get sororities involved-they're in Greek functions only. Last year we had only two sorority teams involved. We would like them to come out and get more involved."

There will be no return to touch football, according to the council. "Officials are threatened with touch football," Lovins explained. He added that getting officials for contact football is a real problem because of abuse from players.

"The first week I was here, there was a team brawl over touch football. Intramurals are supposed to be fun. I won't tolerate knock-down, drag-out fights," he said

Two officers assaulted

Thursday as they attempted to arrest an "unidentified male" reported on a Twin Towers West floor, according to David H. Scites, assistant director of security.

"At 2:42 a.m., we received a call from Twin Towers West that there was an unidentified male on a floor," Scites explained. "An officer responded to the call with a backup officer on the way."

Before the officer arrived on the floor, the assailant had fled down an outside fire escape, Scites said. The officer, Douglas Shaulis, followed and stopped the man, who was estimated to be 20-25 years old, west of the dormitory between Fifth and College Avenues.

The backup officer arrived, and the two

Two security officers were assaulted early were in the process of arresting the man for trespassing when "another unidentified male came up and assaulted the second officer by physically restraining him."

The first assailant "somehow got loose and assaulted the first officer," Scites said. "The officer was knocked to the ground and punched several times around the head, ribs, etc." The two men then fled on foot.

The officer, who was in "a stuperous state," was transported to Cabell-Huntington Hospital, Scites said. "He has some bruises and sore ribs, but other than that. he's fine." The second officer suffered no injuries.

Although no arrests have been made, Scites said security "has good information pending further investigation."



Wet weekend

The weekend is starting out wet.

Showers and thundershowers are predicted for today and tonight by the National Weather Service. Today's high temperature will be near 80, with tonight's low reaching 65.

The skies for Saturday's football game will be partly cloudy, with a high temperature in the upper 70s. Probability of precipitation is 60 per cent today and 20 per cent tonight.

<u>Cause unknown—dean</u> Liberal arts enrollment drops

The College of Liberal Arts has 944 fewer students this year than it had at the same time last year, according to Dean George J. Harbold, but the reason for the enrollment decline is unknown.

Harbold said the decline was disturbing and was something that should not be ignored, but he estimated that enrollment is still approximately 3,000 students, and "we are up in freshman enrollment."

Harbold said the college would "certainly recruit to get the enrollment back up. We

we are proud of. We will make prospective students aware of what we have."

"We must, however, pay more attention to the students we have here and concentrate on retaining them," he added.

Commenting on the problem of grade inflation, Harbold said the College of Liberal Arts is concerned with the problem. "Everyone, students and faculty alike,

should be concerned about grade inflation because it affects them all," he said. "By its very definition there should not be

a whole lot of As because an A means outstanding, and there are not a whole lot of outstanding students," Harbold added. "It is especially unfair to the truly outstanding student who really deserves the A."

Harbold suggested that the solution to the problem might be to "raise a consciousness" and call attention to it, and in time it possibly could correct itself.

Harbold elaborated on another topic discussed at a Tuesday liberal arts faculty meeting- academic advising problems.

Harbold acknowledged that the advising has had a poor reputation in the past, but with "the addition of Assistant Dean Warren G. Lutz and some dedicated students, it has come a long way. We aren't quite there yet, though."

Marshall graduate fathers own magazine

By BELINDA ANDERSON Staff Writer

David Williamson, Diane Hagenbuch and John Maher brought their baby into the world Wednesday.

Conceived in March, this infant came into existence through 16-hour working days by the parents.

The infant's name? River Cities Monthly, a monthly magazine for the Huntington-Ashland-Ironton area.

"Modern-Day Cabin Fever," "Bos and Dotty: Agreeing to Disagree,""Friday Night Glory/Saturday Morning Pain" and "Executives Under Stress," are articles included in the magazine's first issue.

"Our first issue has a distinct Marshall flavor," commented Williamson, publisher

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and editor. There is a teature on Bos Johnson, associate professor of journalism and former broadcaster, and his wife Dorothy Johnson, professor and chairman of speech.

Marshall activities are also listed and discussed in the magazine. "We're looking for the best and brightest in the region," Williamson explained, "and Marshall has a lot of that."

Williamson is a 1975 MU graduate and a former editor of The Parthenon. He was formerly a writer for The (Huntington) Herald-Dispatch, and prior to his work on River Cities Monthly he headed a public relations and marketing firm.

Hagenbuch, managing editor, is a graduate of the University of Illinois and was

also a writer for The Herald-Dispatch before coming to the magazine.

Maher, design director, is a journalism graduate student at MU.

The magazine is geared primarily toward professionals and managers and their families. Williamson said this is only 5 to 10 percent of their potential readership, but this is the group they are aiming for.

"It's the well-read audience," Hagenbuch elaborated.

The magazine's October issue will be at newsstands, including the Marshall University Bookstore, next week. Copies sell for \$1.25 an issue or may by purchased for \$1 at the magazines's booth at the Huntington "Parade of Progress." The magazine is also sold by subscription.

Regular items for the monthly are Currents (area news briefs), Port of Call (photo or written essay), Course of Events (listing area happening), and columns for the arts, sports, health, business, travel, and homes and gardens.

Each issue will also average four articles concerning current issues, personalities or features, according to Hagenbuch.

"I predict great success for the magazine," Williamson said. "The survival rate for magazines generally is two out of 10, while eight out of 10 city magazines succeed. We're in a pretty healthy environment.

Ironton area in front of us and we know it well," he said. However, success is not guaranteed, he added. "We've been extremely conservative about estimating our proceeds and liberal in materials we need to publish a quality magazine. Finances are always a problem in starting any business."

In discussing the amount of work required of Williamson, Hagenbuch and Maher (freelancers, including MU graduate student Barbara Boyer, compose the rest of the staff), Hagenbuch said, "All three of us never thought we could work so hard for so long.

"It's quite exciting, however, and we're proud that we've finally brought our baby into the world," she added, saying they are and help bring the region together."

Response to the magazine has been "from favorable to ecstatic," Hagenbuch said. "People are saying it looks to be a first-class magazine."



David Williamson River Cities Monthly editor

enjoying the challenge to "do something new

"We have the Huntington-Ashland-

have a lot to offer and a lot of programs that

Reporter

By BRUCE HASH

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A space for opinions

Air or crud?

Lungs, not wallets may be final victims

Interchange

Air vs. industry.

The seemingly ceaseless conflict between monolithic monopolies and atmospheric advocates continued this week when the Environmental Protection Agency proposed a \$10 billion plan that would require new electric power plants to remove impurities from smokestack exhausts.

And the pernicious power plant pollutant, the EPA, is battling is sulfur dioxide-the lung-rotting by-product of West Virginia coal.

This new environmental proposal would force utilities to install air scrubbers on new power plants built by 1990. The United States is expected to use 1.5 billion tons of coal by that year, up almost 900 million tons from 1975. And with that increased coal usage is an increase in toxic sulfur dioxide fumes.

Ot course, the increased demand for coal has sent orgasmic spasms throughout the echelons of West Virginia's top industry...and major industrial rapist. Despite the ravages of strip mine operations and the noxious pollution of high-sulfur. coal, the mining industry remains

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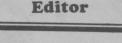
Stu's camp

Now that the air has cleared a bit, is appears that Stu Aberdeen Basketball Camp affair has yielded some benefits to all of us in higher education. For the faculty and staff it revealed the Board of Regents stance on the use of university facilities for private gain. Never mind the magnitude of that gain; it's okay as long as





The indefatigable journalist by Ken Smith,



diarrhea, its coal profits spurting outside interests. But the proposed environmen-

the power of the coal con- of health. glomerates in West Virginia. Similar to problems encountered has established a three-region recently in Ohio, local utilities task force to plan strategies may be forced to seek low-sulfur

coal from western sources. other fuel suppliers linked to the its jurisdiction. the economic backbone of a state expense of pollution-control

parents, would label me an

opportunist, a profiteer or worse,

if it were disclosed that I earned

the work connected with the

camp. The trouble is that in the

framework of higher education,

Strip mining said less harmful to land

WASHINGTON - A report by two government geologists says strip mining of coal, followed by careful land restoration, may cause less environmental damage in the long run than underground mining

The report, issued Thursday by the U.S. Geological Survey, was prepared by C. Richard Dunrud and Frank W. Osterwald, geologists in the agency's Denver office.

The report noted that although strip mining disturbs the entire surface area of a mine, it recovers a higher proportion of the coal than underground mining, which must leave pillars to support the overlying earth.

It said strip-mined land usually can be restored to approximately its original quality or to another useful condition, after which it has little tendency to develop delayed environmental problems due to the past mining

Underground mining, it said, disturbs less of the surface during the mining operation. But once abandoned, the underground shafts and tunnels tend to collapse, causing the surface above them to subside, and the coal remaining in them often catches fire spontaneously and may burn for many years.

Such underground fires, hard to combat, further undermine the area while releasing smoke and other pollutants into the atmosphere.

Alunni thought to be Red Brigade mastermind

MILAN, Italy — Anti-terror specialists, feeling closer than ever to cracking the Aldo Moro case, are analyzing documents and other material found in the apartment of a captured fugitive suspected of being the master-mind of the Red Brigades, police sources said Thursday.

there must be no compromise in Authorities considered the arrest of 30-year-old Corrado Air is a commodity necessary Alunni a major breakthrough for life. Filled with the vile after months of groping by excrements of industry, it is investigators trying to track down the Red Brigade terrorists who kidnaped and murdered the former Italian premier last spr-

fhe police sources here said experts were digging into "relevant" documents found in Alunni's apartment, looking for clues to the ultimate strategy of the and his five bodyguards.

Red Brigades and possible past and future plans for terrorist attacks. Police were tight-lipped on whether Alunni, in his arms-and explosives-filled apartment, might have been preparing a major action by the Brigades, CHARLESTON, AP -

Italy's most feared terrorist Logan Countian who was 10 years old when the Buffalo Creek group But one officer said that with material found by the raiders "we flood killed his mother, brother ascertained close links between and infant sister has been awardthe Red Brigades and other ed a \$25,000 trust fund to be used extremist organizations, such as for his education and treatment Front Line, which are ready to of any mental or physical treatment stemming from the disaster.

support and continue Red Brigades attacks." A master at disguise, Alunni Copenhaver approved Wedneshad been sought by authorities day the settlement reached since 1976. He was wanted in between the Pittston Co. and connection with 12 murders, lawyers for Clarence Davis of including the killings of Moro Man.

Off-Campus briefs

Peace plan eludes leaders

CAMP DAVID, Md. -A ty came in a formal statement approved by all three delegations. the Mideast summit Thursday dup seemed to fade.

Spokesman Jody Powell said "more progress and more flex-ibility are essential" if President Responding to Carter's unprecedented conference with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat and Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin is to succeed.

to be in its "final stages," Powell. the White House press secretary, told reporters "a framework for reaching peace" was still beyond grasp.

"How long the final stages will last is a matter of some conjec-ture," Powell said, speaking for all three governments at Camp David. "The final stage could be the longest stage." Powell's call for more flexibili-

U.S. District Judge John

Still considered an infant-

Buffalo Creek victim awarded trust fund

The statement claimed conand prospects for an early win- tinuing progress-without providing specifics—and said "the intense efforts of the past few

> questions Powell insisted that the summit was not "at a stalemate."

One of the key issues on the table is how the document will deal with the future of the 1.1 At a briefing only 24 hours million Palestinian Arabs now after he had declared the summit living under Israeli military con-

Jordan River and in the Gaza district of the Sinai desert. Before the summit, Israel indicated its willingness to take

trol on the West Bank of the

up the question after a five-year period of civil self-rule proposed by Begin last December but rejected by Sadat as inadequate. A compromise was understood to be under discussion. Israel would commit itself to a decision at the end of five years-but not promise any particular course of

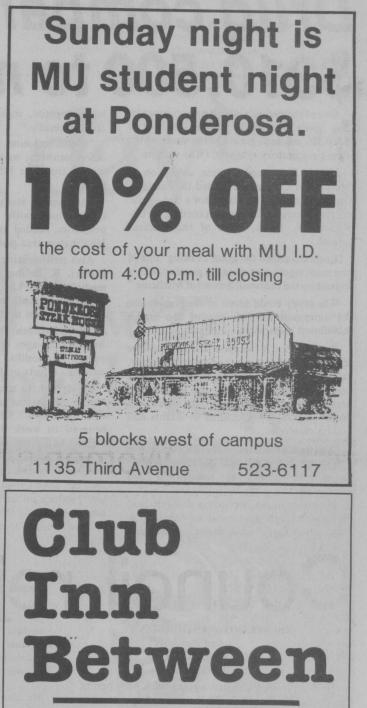
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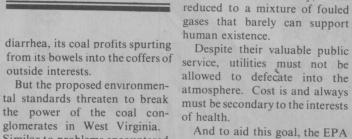
Two prisoners seized; cohorts hold hostages

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. - Two of four prisoners who engineered a daring escape in Tennessee and ditched a hijacked airplane in Arkansas were seized Thursday trying to smash through a roadblock. Their cohorts eluded capture and fled with two hostages. Three other hostages who had been taken by the fugitives at various points along their trail were released unharmed.

Roadblocks were established on flood-drenched highways to Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma in an attempt to capture fugitives Larry Chism, 33, and Ronald Lyons, 30, who reportedly held an elderly couple hostage.

Officers said the two recaptured prisoners told them that Chism and Lyons talked about heading for Texas.





against air and water pollution in the Ohio valley. The commission And now the plot thickens. will help regulate air pollution With the possibility of finding permits for new facilities within

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and possibly defeat-any measure

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Although the monetary pinch

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tion of any environmental plan,

Electricity customers have

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this case.

After all, our noses shouldn't shuddering from financial devices, the costs may be passed have to function as toilet paper.

Thursday for a break in the drizzly weather so inaccessible areas could be explored. The National Weather Service offered little encouragement, however. A flash flood watch students, and probably their necessary, but we in West was issued and the weather Virginia are not in that league, service said another inch of rain

would cause more "serious I can assure you that I will not flooding. The deaths were recorded more than a reasonable salary for ask Marshall University to rent Wednesday-eight in the Rock me the facilities for a "James Creek area of Little Rock and Taggart Music Camp," not two in nearby Benton. Most of because I fear the censure of the victims were swept down we in the academic and artistic colleagues, or the financial failure streets that had become raging rivers when fed by up to 12 inches pursuits are not an acknowledged of the undertaking, but because

of rain in a four-hour period. Property damage was assessed

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — With in the millions of dollars. t least 10 people known dead National Guard members at least 10 people known dead

from torrential rains in central patrolling some ravaged areas Arkansas, searchers were hoping reported no looting. One body was found Thursday and four persons were reported missing

"We hope we don't find any more bodies, but we're afraid we'll find a few more," said Lt. Ed Ethridge of the Little Rock police

About 1,000 Little Rock residents were forced to flee their homes when floodwaters roared down swollen creeks, overturning cars and washing away some living near the Arkansas River in east Little Rock were evacuated

as tributaries began rising.



under law, Davis' settlement with the firm had to be approved by the court. Approximately 1,170 victims of the 1972 disaster settled with the company last year in a \$4.8

million settlement. Copenhaver ordered a separate settlement for Davis in June, when he approved a settlement for 600 other children.

Corrections

Errors in The Parthenon may be reported by calling 696-6696 between 9 a.m. and noon.

In Thursday's Parthenon it was incorrectly stated that the women's track team will begin a

conditioning program next week. The women's team will begin houses early Wednesday. By practice in mid-January. Any nightfall, the worst of the conditioning the women do is on flooding was over, but persons their own. Next week's meeting is just to familiarize the women as

to what is involved in intercollegiate track.

pay the rent

Like athletic camps, music camps of all sorts are highly successful all over the country, especially at prestigious universities which employ prestigious musicians. Of course, these is the resulting reminder to all of camps are usually held for purely us-faculty, students and adcademic and artistic purposes. administrators—that college I've never heard of one held for athletics are after all big the large personal gain of a business-business to which faculty member residing at the higher education has been comschool, though guest musicians of mitted for decades. We need to national fame are often paid high be reminded of this so we won't fees to appear at music camps. labor under the naive and mis-Any profits are usually placed in taken idea that athletics a camp account to perpetuate and somehow don't belong. strengthen its operation. The whole thing is usually run by the ed that athletics is the reason university, or a foundation ac- Marshall receives continuing count connected with it.

public attention from day to day. My point about the music Athletic supporters (no pun camp business is that, if I decided, intended) all over the country contrary to national practices, to believe that alumni and other hold a "James Taggart Music doners give the largest amounts Camp" at Marshall, with all of money to Universities where profits going to me, it could not there are "good athletics." State be denied me, lest I scream legislators who vote for (or veto/) "unequal treatment" to the Board higher education funds are often no longer than 300 words. of Regents. Of course, since I do most indulgent to those state not have the wide prestige that schools generating the most right to reject letters an Stu has, my camp wouldn't be as successful and largest athletic large. I'd have to work at that, as programs. If we cannot live with Stu has done, and I might bring in this, we need to rebuild the entire welcome. some big names in music to structure of athletics. Are we attract the crowds for a bigger ready for such a revolution, and mailed to the Inte profit. It could be done, but you do we have the power to effect it? editor, The Parthenon can be sure that all of my (I am aware that in schools such Hall Room 311, Mars colleagues, both locally and as MIT and the University of iversity, Huntington, nationally, and most of the Chicago no revolution is 25701.

Profiteering by us would shock committed my life to higher education some twenty years ago, most people, whereas n athletics, people are shocked when it is I knew I wasn't launching a lucrative business affair. I only criticized.

expected fair remuneration for And so it follows that a second what I do, and I've since learned benefit of the Stu Aberdeen affair that, or at least to reasses it.

that the most important remuneration has nothing to do with money. My conclusion is that all of us need to have a sensible perspective about athletics. Stu Aberdeen has helped us to achieve

big business as are athletics. of a sense of values. When I

are we?)

James Taggart Professor of Music

Do you have a question, an Our own President has observanswer, a problem, a solution, a complaint, some praise or just something to say?

Write a letter to the editor. The Parthenon welcomes letters concerning Marshall University's community. All letters must be signed and include the address and telephone number of the writer. Letters should be typed and

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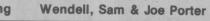
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Kickoff MU to host Appalachian State

BY MIKE RUBEN Sports Bureau Chief

season and Marshall's first home Southern Conference football game game is "incentive enough", said Fairfield Stadium.

on the Mountaineers the day following its 17-0 win at Toledo in the season opener. Much attention has been given to defending Appalachian's wishbone offense, according to Ellwood.

ford 35-14 in its season opener. Sophomore quarterback Steve for 202 yards to lead ASU.

Senior right halfback Scott McConnell was the game's when he dove in from the one leading rusher with 76 yards and yard line, capping an 80-yard two touchdowns on 14 carries.

Fullback Eddie Estes, a junior, ran the ball 10 times for 71 yards. Defensively, senior linebackers commanding 28-7 lead.

Pat Murphy and David Bowman

are two-year starters.

Being the first home game this Danny Wright were offensive score 28-20 as the Herd's comleaders for MU in the Toledo

football coach Frank Ellwood as had 79 yards on 16 carries. rushing in the '77 contest. the Herd winds down Geiger, East Bank senior, had 73 preparations for the Appalachian yards on 18 totes. Wright, State kickoff at 1:30 p.m. in Greenup, Ky., sophomore, ran carries. for 56 yards on 27 carries and The team began concentrating completed three of eight passes Saturday in better physical confor 43 yards.

Ellwood noted after the Toledo game he was not satisfied with MU's passing yardage.

Appalachian State came out on top of a 28-20 score last year over Marshall. It was the first Appalachian defeated Wof- meeting between the schools.

Ray Crisp fumbled the opening kickoff, the Mountaineers Brown completed 13 of 16 passes, recovered and scored just two plays later.

Geiger tied the score at seven drive.

Appalachian then scored three unanswered TD's to take a

Geiger scored from three yards anchor the Mountaineers, both out and Bud Nelson hit Todd winner," Ellwood concluded.

Ellwood with a 15-yard Dave Crisp, C.W. Geiger and touchdown pass to make the eback efforts were in vain. The 'Mountaineers' wishbone Crisp, Lima, Ohio, sophomore offense rolled up 414 yards

Geiger was the Herd's offensive leader with 129 yards on 31 Marshall enters the game

dition than they were in for the Toledo game, according to Ellwood.

Running back Mike Bailey, Coalwood senior, sat out the Toledo game with an ankle sprain. Bailey will probably see action against Appalachian, but Ellwood said he will not be in the starting lineup.

Defensive end Kevin Jackson, Canton, Ohio, sophomore, also returns to action this week.

Freshman running back Darnell Richardson will sit out at least one more game: he is recovering from a knee injury.

"The key to the game will be just plain hitting, whoever hits the longest and hardest will be the

student John Welch has competed internationally for the United States military pentathlon team. Welch tried out for the 1976 United States Olympic team, but did not make it.

Six teams compete in MU Invitational

will be competing eighth annual Marshall Invitational, according to Coach Rod O'Donnell.

The field includes the University of Kentucky, Eastern Kentucky University, Applachian State, Morehead State, Rio Grande and Marshall. The race. begins at 10 a.m. at the Riviera Country Club.

"Kentucky is the team to beat," O'Donnell said. Last year Kentucky finished third in the National Collegiate Athletic Association District III meet, and 17th in the nation. District III is the same one Marshall participates in.

"This is an important earlyseason meet for us because we plays Kentucky State will be running Kentucky, a tough team from our region," O'Donnell said. By competing against Kentucky early in the year, Marshall can see if it has a travels to Kentucky State today of winning. We split with Kengood chance in the NCAA

ever assembled Women n over Western Carolina Dave Henry.

his heel. O'Donnell said he would be fithsville, is a former West the number-one and number-five the mile and two-mile runs.

for this meet. Carolina meet, Brian Jonard, 39.

top five from last Satur- Damon Clark, Tim Koon and

Joined by Parkersburg Jim Buell of Kentucky and junior Kim Nutter. Nutter will be Doug Bonk of Eastern Kentucky competing for the first time for should be two of the best in-Marshall after coming to MU dividuals, according to from the army. Last week, Nutter O'Donnell. Another top runner didn't run because of bursitis in is Dave Bowman of Morehead. Bowman, who is from Grif-

looking for the time split between Virginia state track champion in runner to decrease since Marshall In last year's invitational, has another top runner (Nutter) Bowman finished third behind Mel Boyd and Dave McDonald

Other Herd runners expected of the University of Pittsburgh. to do well include John Dotson, Pitt won last year's meet, last week's winner in the Western defeating runner-up Marshall 31-

season opener there and later

losing to them in Gullickson. We

also beat Bellarmine last year."

school with a very good coach

and Kentucky State has a lot of

potential for a good team; accor-

Holmes said she expects a good showing from Carol Federko,

Miller Place, N.Y., junior, who

Holmes said made two key spikes

that gave Marshall the second game of the Eastern Kentucky

Federko is a 5-feet-11 transfer

student from Suffolk Communi-

ty-College in New York.

Bellarmine is a small Catholic

Holmes said.

ding to Holmes.

match.

Women's volleyball

Students enter through gates E, F Saturday

Stadium this Saturday at 1:30 p.m. when Marshall hosts the Mountaineers of Applachian State University.

MU students attending the game should enter through either gate E or F on the east side of the stadium. A validated student I.D. and a first semester activity card are needed for admission.

Guest tickets may be picked up at the Marshall ticket office located at Gullickson Hall Room 115 weekdays between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. for \$3.

According to MU ticket manager Joe Wortham, 3,582 of 17,000 seats are reserved for students. He noted more seats are available for students if needed

Gates will be opened at noon with the first 5,000 spectators to receive a free team photo calendar.

"Due to university and state regulations, alcoholic beverages will. not be permitted in the stadium. Those with alcoholic beverages will be refused admission," Wortham added.

Pentathlete trains for ancient sport

By MIKE CHERRY Sports Bureau Chief

Marshall graduate student pentathlete on campus.

It is also safe to say John Welch is the worst, because he is the only one

Being a pentathlete does not mean one lives on the top floor of an apartment building or sub- tathletes here," John said. For scribes to a pornographic example, only 39 athletes were in magazine. It means you par- competition for the three Olymticipate in the over 2000-year-old sport of pentathlon.

The pentathlon has its roots in the pentathlon with another Greece and was a sport in the Olympic sport, the decathlon. ancient Olympics. After centuries of dormancy, it was revived events, but all of them are in track in the 1912 Olympics and has and field," John said. "If (Olymbeen in every Olympic since.

Two forms of pentathlon exist. The Olympic version, known as the modern pentathlon, is held over five days and consists of five events: horse riding and jumping, fencing, pistol shooting, swimming and a 4,000-meter crosscountry run.

The other form is the military pentathlon. It consists of 20 rounds of rifle shooting, a 500meter obstacle course, a 50-meter obstacle swim, hand grenade to use the facilities," he admitted. throwing (distance and accuracy) and an 8,000 meter cross-country run. International military pentathlon championships are con-

ducted every year. All of which brings us back to the six-foot, 170-pound John Welch. Although John has only been "pentathloning."since 1976, he has competed internationally for the United States military pentathlon team for the last three ummers

"My best finish was a fourth place in the 1976 cross-country run," John said. "At the time, I was in really good shape and the

time of 25:49 was an American John was a school teacher in record."

The U.S. squad has had limited John Welch is the best male success in military pentathlon. John said the team did finish sixth in 1977 but "did awful" this summer. "We can't keep up with the

other nations who train all year. and it caught my interest. We also have very few penpic spots in 1976.

John said many people confuse "Th decathlon consists of 10 pic champion Bruce) Jenner is the world's best athlete, then the pentathlete is the world's most versatile

"The problem is," John continued, "in the whole United States, there is only one training facility (Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex.)."

John now is a first lieutenant in the reserves and is stationed at San Antonio every summer. "Actually, I'm in the service just 'I have no duties and can devote all my time to my training." Before entering the military,

Kanawha County. That is when he first became familiar with the pentathlon.

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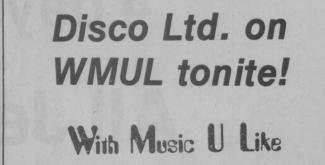
"I was a substitute one day and the regular teacher left a film strip for the class to view," John said. "It was on the modern pentathlon

Although he had been training just a few months, John went to the U.S. Olympic Trials and competed for a spot on the team. "I did not do well because my riding and fencing were weak," he said. "But it did whet my appetite to try the military version because felt it would build my endurance."

The physical education major is at Marshall to receive his Masters degrees, which he should achieve by December. He hopes to land a track coach position at the college level, but he said he does not want to abandon the pentathlon.

The 30-year-old Welch said he just started too late. "Most international competitors start when they're 18 or so, I started at 26. I just wish I had six or seven less years on me.

"You need endurance, agility, some degree of strength, speed and certain skills," he added.







Student

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The 50th year of football action gets underway at Fairfield.

district meet, he said.

O'Donnell expects the Herd to O'Donnell doesn't know when to Concord College. expect Kline back.

for a tri-match with Bellarmine tucky State last year, winning our College and Kentucky State

Coach Linda Holmes said she be in good shape for the in- expects the team to return with a vitational with only Dave Kline 4-0 record. The team won its first injured. The St. Albans senior is two matches Monday against out with a sciatic nerve problem. Eastern Kentucky University and

netters play doubleheader

Marshall's women's tennis team return home this weekend, hoping to win its first match of the season.

The team plays West Liberty Sabie, 7-5, 6-4. today and West Virginia Wesleyan Saturday. Coach Joan Brisbin expects two victories this weekend, despite being without number-two singles player, Susan Goodrick.

"We did not play West Liberty last year, but Wesleyan may be tough because they did finish third in the state last year," said Brisbin: "However, I am looking forward to two victories even without Susan."

Goodrick has been bothered by an eye infection, which also caused her to miss Wednesday's opening match against Morehead State.

The women lost to Morehead 6-3. Brisbin said the women "gave a great effort" despite having to shuffle her lineup due to Goodrick's absence.

"Morehead had a strong team but the girls made a super effort and lost several very close matches," Brisbin said. "Some of the new girls had jitters but I was proud of the way they played."

Marshall won only one of the six singles matches. The victory was scored by number-two player Lynda Nutter, 6-4, 7-6 over Miriam Hard. Brisbin said she was pleased with Nutter's progress because the highest she played last year was fifth.

The Marshall netters did win two of the three doubles matches. The first doubles team of Carol Klosterman and Lisa Gergely defeated Morehead's Hard and

Jeannie Circle, 7-6, 0-6, 7-5 and the third team of Debbie Poveromo and Babbs Barnard beat Kelli Muterspaw and Sheta

Holmes said she also expected a strong game from Parkersburg Today's match begins at 3 p.m. senior, Lanita Wentzel, the and Saturday's starts at 11 a.m. team's number one setter.



B'NAI SHOLM CONGREGATION now meeting at the Temple at 10th Ave. & 10th St. Rabbi Fred Wenger, 522 2980: Services: Friday night at 7:45 and Saturday norning at 9:00.

BAPTIST TEMPLE Ninth Avenue at 21st St., Syl G. Adkins, Minister. 525-5353. Services: Sunday School-9:30, Morning Worship-10:40, Church Training-5:30, Evening Worship-7:00, Wednesday Prayer meeting & ion Groups-7:00

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Blood Red Cross donations fall short

By TAMMY BAKER Reporter

Marshall University is not producing as much blood for the Red Cross as it should, said Dr. Richard G. Fisher, vice president/dean forstudent affairs.

"We have never met our full potential. Yet many students have benefited from the Red Cross blood program," Fisher said.

Nancy Kingsbury, chairman of Marshall's blood program said the university has never reached the goal of 200 units per day during campus blood drives. "There is a bigger turnout at Huntington High School where the students have to have parental permission than there is here," said Kingsbury.

According to Mary Kenney of the Red Cross, Marshall students donated 66 units of blood to the Red Cross when the bloodmobile was on

campus Wednesday. "There seems to be a lot of apathy," Kenney said. "College students are usually the ones to come through."

While there is no immediate danger of a blood shortage in the Huntington area, Kentucky said the shortage usually come in the winter and summer. "When people see the word emergency, then they're willing to give," she said.

Fisher suggested forming a committee of students to work on the problem of insufficient blood donations. "I have no doubt about the need. I think we should make this a real human service project as an institution," said Fisher.

The Red Cross gives blood to those who need it without charge_or obligation to replace it. Therefore the Red Cross must rely on volunteer donors. "They're really relying on people to care about others," Kingsbury said.



Rate reduction to benefit MU

Marshall University will benefit slightly from a reduction in rates by Appalachian Power Company following a lowering of state business and occupation taxes for power companies, according to Karl J. Egnatoff, vice president for administration.

The state legislature reduced the tax rate on electrical power sales from 5.72 percent on domestic and commercial lighting and 4.29 percent on industrial and other sales to 4 percent on all sales. The action became effective April 1.

Appalachian Power reduced its rates to customers to reflect the lower business and occupation tax.

Marshall University was paying 4.29 percent on all electrical bills, but the decrease to 4 percent will not be a substantial savings, Egnatoff said.

However, Marshall already receives a cut in its electric bill, "a 20 percent school tariff, which all of the state schools receive, Egnatoff added.

Marshall's electric power bill for the 1977-78 fiscal year was approximately \$750,000. The university reduced its electric consumption by 6 percent last year, but because of rate increases the university paid more for electricity than in 1976-77, Egnatoff said.

If Marshall had not reduced its electrical use last winter an additional \$30,000 would have been spent, he said.

Marshall University is the biggest consumer in the Huntington area of heat and light, Egnatoff said. Marshall can expect to spent \$1 million this fiscal year for all utilities, he added.

Almanac is published daily as a cal upcoming events and happenings of interest to the Marshall community. Items should be submitted to The Parthenon office, Smith Hall Room 311 prior to 10 a.m. on the day before public

Meetings

The Science Fiction Club will hold an officers meeting Tuesday in Harris Hall Room 444 at 3 p.m.

A meeting for all women interested in track and field will be held Monday in Gullickson Hall Room 123 at 3:30 p.m. If you can't attend call Arlene Stooke at 736-8474.

The Professional Business fraternity, Alpha Kappa Psi, will meet at 9 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22.

Miscellaneous

Icthus will feature slapstick comedy today at 8 p.m. in the Campus Christian Center Coffee House

The Mr. Marshall contest, sion is free. sponsored by Alpha Chi Omega, will be Monday from 9 a.m. to 3 Lobby.

"Wizards" will be shown in p.m. in Memorial Student Center Memorial Student Center Multipurpose Room today at 7:30 p.m.

The Newman Association will

sponsor a bluegrass concert and a picnic Sunday at 6:30 p.m. at the

Catholic House. Everyone is

Meet the team today at 8 p.m.

in Twin Towers cafeteria.

Everyone is invited to be in-

troduced to the team and hear

Frank Ellwood, Ray Crisp and

The MU art gallery will be

open on Wednesday, from 7 to 10

p.m. for a special showing of the

art exhibit Tribal Arts, 7 to 9 p.m.

There will be a guided tour at 8

The Ohio Valley Astronomical

Society will host a public Star

Gaze in the Donald C. Martin

Observatory Saturday at 9 p.m.

Everyone is welcome and admis-

invited to the free event.

Mike Sprouse speak.

MU not in Parade of Progress

p.m

Marshall University will not be in the Parade of Progress at the Huntington Civic Center this year, according to C.T. Mitchell, Director of University Relations.

The university tried to rent three booth spaces but could not because the function was sold out for that many booths. Mitchell said. Three spaces were needed because last year Marshall had only one and was overlooked for the larger booths, he said.

Student average age increases statistics from spring, 1978, Wayne or Kanawha counties,

enrollment, the average age of an

undergraduate student is almost

office. This increase in age is

23 and the average age of a

By JOSEPH PLATANIA Reporter

If the student seated next to you or the one you pass in the hall graduate student is 31, according looks older to you this year than to statistics compiled by Nichols' last year, he probably is.

According to Dr. Jim Nichols, attributable, said Nichols, to a carrying a 2.5 grade point director of the Office of In- larger number of older part-time stitutional Research and Plan- students. ning, there has been a one year MU student from the spring of 1976 to spring 1978.

Using the latest available

increase in the average age of the average MU student is that she is a woman (by a margin of 53 percent to 47 percent), from West or six hours and has a 3.5 grade Virginia, probably from Cabell, point average.

The average graduate student, The statistical profile of the according to Nichols, is also a woman enrolled part-time who lives in West Virginia, carries five

from a high school graduating

class of 200 or more, according to

Nichols. She graduated from her

high school with a 2.9 average

and is now enrolled as a full time

freshman, sophomore or junior

average, Nichols said.



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