

Gehman Fund Starts in '60

In honor of his parents, the prominent writer Richard Gehman, friend and benefactor of the MSTC English Department, will begin in 1960 a fund to help young writers, defray expenses of visiting lecturers in literature, and to advance the cause of English as an appointed committee sees fit. Dr. L. S. Lingenfelter, head of the MSTC English Department said last week.

"The committee is to be self-perpetuating, by its own rules," reads the MSTC Catalogue "and is to consist of Dr. L. S. Lingenfelter, one other member of the English department, the President of the College, and one outside friend of literature.

"Dr. Lingenfelter will be the first chairman. He is to pick the other member of the English department. The outside member this year will be the attorney, John Rengier."

"At first the amount of money used will be only the interest collected in the trust. Later, after the trust has exceeded \$10,000, the committee may draw out no more than \$1000 per year in addition to the interest."

Mr. Gehman will appear once again this coming summer at the MSTC Contemporary Literature Workshop.

Evaluation

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policy formation and decision making. Library Inadequate

"While the physical resources of the library are now inadequate, plans are underway to remedy this. It is obvious that the library is administered in the interest of the educational program to a degree that is exceptional.

"The student personnel services and student activities are completely adequate—across the board. The athletic program is in balance and in harmony with the institution's purpose and contributes to student welfare.

"The evaluators admired the educational experiment with closed-circuit television and commend the college in on this venture."

Weak Points

Also included in the list are four items that the evaluators believe Millersville should try to improve:

"The physical resources (buildings, labs) are definitely limiting the college's program in several areas, most noticeably in the library and in the laboratory sciences. The housing of students is obsolete and cannot be viewed with favor.

"The faculty is heavily loaded. Their teaching schedule is a maximum one, but they have heavy advisement loads which are not perfunctorily performed. The evaluators found no general grumbling about the situation, yet they could not help but conclude that a serious consequence to the institution was the absence of faculty commitment to research, individually or collectively, and a paucity of the visible evidence of scholarly activity.

"The organization, in two areas, (student personnel services and business affairs) could be improved. There are three co-equal persons responsible for reporting to the president on student services.

"In view of the fact that the college devotes itself wholly to teaching education . . . the evaluators believe the college could achieve a better integration of the faculties of the laboratory school and of the college."

YMCA DANCE

The Young Adults Club of the Lancaster YMCA will have a special Christmas dance featuring Jimmy Dunn and his orchestra at the YMCA Friday, Dec. 18, from 9 to 12 midnight. College Students are welcome, a YMCA spokesman said.

Student Teaching to Force 3 Changes in Paper Posts

Changes in SNAPPER'S top echelon will be necessary for second semester due to student teaching assignments Mr. Earle Hite said Monday. Replacements will be necessary for co-editor Ned Benner, sports editor Phil Itzoe and circulation manager Roberta Scott.

Announcement of the new editors will be made in the Jan. 13 issue of the paper, Mr. Hite said. Pat R. Fair will continue as co-editor the remainder of the year.

Senior reporters Barbara Yeager, Harriette Oren, and Carol Ressler will also be replaced as well as circulation staff assistants Deanna Moyer and Elaine Kozura, all of whom will be off campus next semester.

Dawn Sherman has been added to the copyreading staff and Jan Waugaman to the circulation staff. The



TWAS THE NIGHT—Well, not quite the night before Chris'mas, but near enough for three Millersville coeds to start thinking about the holiday season. The Yule tree is the one located in Old Main lounge.

January Grads to Receive Teacher Education Exams

The Teacher Education Examination program will be given to all January graduates on Jan. 14, 1960 in Room 220 at 9 a.m., Dean Breidenstine announced.

The Board of Presidents of the Pennsylvania State Teachers Colleges approved the program, commonly known as the TEEP, and Millersville was later given approval to give the tests by the Educational Testing Service in Princeton with the understanding that all seniors take the day-long examinations.

The examination is in two major parts. The first part covers general professional preparation and lasts for 185 minutes while the second part covers the major teaching field.

The \$5 fee per exam will be paid by the college, not by the individual student, the Dean said.

Every senior due to be graduated in January has been asked to take the test for his own benefit. The Dean pointed out that it is in the student's best interest to get a good grade but that the score will not figure in the quality point average or effect graduation.

Plans to give the test on the first day of the regular examination period were approved insofar as other exams involving seniors will not be given then and that student and in-service teachers will also be present.

Seniors to Be Chosen For Who's Who Title

Letters for nominations of Who's Who in Millersville have been sent to the department heads, administrators, and Student Council members from the Office of Student Personnel.

Seniors who have been outstanding in scholarship, service, constructive participation in activities, and contribution to Student Government and college life will be nominated.

In 1855, Millersville boasted only 11 faculty members.

Walker's Article Appears in Issue

"A Study in Historical Controversy," an article written by Mr. Joseph Walker of the MSTC social studies department, is currently appearing in the November (1959) issue of The Social Studies magazine.

The article deals with the validity of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence, supposedly issued in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, on May 20, 1775, whereby the inhabitants of Mecklenburg County declared their independence from England a full year before Jefferson's Declaration of Independence was issued July 4, 1776.

Film for Faculty Scheduled Jan. 8

"Unique Contribution," a special film, will be shown Jan. 8 at 1 p.m. in Lyte Auditorium for the Millersville faculty.

The film, which is put out by Encyclopedia Britannica Films, was shown to the Annual Education Congress in Harrisburg.

"The Old-Order Amish," a motion picture documentary in 16 mm color and sound has recently been added to the Film Library.

It is a comprehensive study of the deeply religious Amish Folk of the Pennsylvania Dutch Country who turn their backs on the world and progress in order to practice the scriptural virtues of holiness, humility, and hard work.

Scoreboard Fund Gets \$20 Gift

Another \$20 pledge from the Men's Community Assn. has raised the scoreboard fund to \$554.97.

The campaign will be continued following the Christmas holidays with several projects under consideration, SNAPPER co-editor Ned Benner said.

TOTALS TO DATE

Basic Fund	\$344.97
TOUCHSTONE gift	20.00
SNAPPER pledge	20.00
English Club pledge	20.00
WDSA pledge	20.00
WCA	50.00
Xenophile	20.00
MDSA	20.00
ACEI	10.00
ABA	10.00
MCA	20.00
Totals	\$554.97

'Earn Money in Europe' Program Now Open to Millersville Students

The first annual 1960 edition of the American Student Information Service pamphlet "All About ASIS" has been presented an article this year concerning "How to Earn Money in Europe." The program is open to Millersville students.

Founded in 1957 as an experiment in student exchange, the American Student Information Service first limited its membership to a small number of students, placing them in summer positions in Europe, and availing their other facilities to them. This novel idea took hold and students all over America wanted to join its program.

Thus the American Student Information Service, or ASIS, as it is called today, was born. This year, ASIS has placed over 300 students in jobs throughout the countries of Western Europe and Scandinavia with most satisfying results from the students and the peoples of Europe who participated.

Summer Positions

The main function of ASIS is to locate gainful summer positions for American college students who want to be placed in Europe. After a student has been accepted for membership they search for the position that they feel the applicant is best qualified.

Giving primary consideration to the students' choice of country and type of placement desired, almost always results in the applicant being placed in a position and country of his choice.

In any case, they will notify all applicants of their exact summer position before they leave the United States. In addition to their placement service, the ASIS avails its educational and recreational activities to the United States student traveling in Europe.

In the hopes of aiding the potential ASIS member in deciding where he would like to be placed, and in what sort of position, they include in their pamphlet brief descriptions of some of the countries and placement opportunities.

In case any MSTC students may be interested in finding out more information about membership in the ASIS and wish to receive an application they may write to: American Student Information Service, c.v. Information Department, Jahnstrasse 56a, Frankfurt/Main, Germany.

Choir to Present Concert Tonight

Tonight the college choir, under the direction of James E. Zwally, will present its annual Christmas concert in Lyte Auditorium. This, the second performance for the choir this week, will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The traditional customs of candlelight and the use of the Moravian Star will be featured along with President Biemesderfer's reading of the Christmas message as recorded in St. Luke.

Soloists for this evening include one junior and two sophomores. Inez Parker will sing "O Holy Night"; Jane Warner will sing "No Candle Was There"; and Dorothy Angle will sing "Some Children See Him."

Christmas recess will begin this Saturday at 12:30 p.m. January 4, at 8 a.m. classes will resume.

The next edition of SNAPPER will come out January 13.

Johns Loved Paris Living

BY BONNIE ALWINE

"Vive l'Amerique! Vive la France!"

This expression portrays the sentiment of Ben Johns, an MSTC student who studied for 13 months at the University of Paris, also known as the Sorbonne.

At the time of Johns' departure from the United States his ambition was to attend a six-weeks summer session at the University. However, he became so engrossed in the French culture and customs that he remained abroad for 20 months.

Johns was enrolled in the "Cours de Civilization Francaise" at the Sorbonne. This course was limited to foreign students and was composed of two areas of study, namely a grammar course and the student's choice of French culture. Johns selected French art and 17th and 18th century French literature as his fields of interest.

According to Johns the classes in grammar were conducted in much the same manner as those on our campus, but the lectures on French culture were presented in an amphitheater. After the lectures there were opportunities for questions to be asked.

Paris—Great Visual Aid

"Paris is a wonderful visual aid when studying the culture of France," Johns enthusiastically commented. "We went to see such places as Le Louvre and Notre Dame immediately after learning about them in class. Also we attended La Comedie-Francaise when we studied 17th century comedy."

During his sojourn in Paris Johns tutored two French children in English.

De Gaulle and the "Brawl"

Excitement mingled with fear penetrated the city throughout the period when De Gaulle was being put into power. Uprisings in the street called "manifestations" in French were frequently quelled by armed policemen.

Because it was not unusual for the students to initiate these demonstrations, the policemen often surrounded the Sorbonne.

On Christmas Eve in 1958 Johns visited the shrine at Lourdes, France, while on Christmas Day he was venturing through Spain. The tourist terminated the Yuletide by celebrating New Year's Eve in Barcelona. St. Patrick's Day found him among the Irish in London. Easter in the USA climaxed the festive round of holidays.

Now, he's a student again and looking forward to a teaching career.

ZWALLY NAMED TO POST

Mr. James E. Zwally, professor of music, was named representative to the collegiate festival group of the Pennsylvania Music Educators' Assn., during a recent session in Harrisburg.

College to Add Three Faculty Members for 2nd Semester

One full-time and two part-time additions have been made to the college faculty beginning mid-semester. One other full-time professor is yet to be named, Dean Breidenstine announced yesterday.

Among those already named are Mr. Henry Bucher, English department; Mrs. Juliet G. Stephan, public school nursing; and Mr. Joseph W. Glass, geography.

Mr. Bucher has been named full-time associate professor in the English department. He will teach English composition and assist in the counseling of English students.

A 1953 graduate of MSTC and the recipient of an M.Ed. and M.S. degree from the Pennsylvania State University in 1954 and 1955, Mr. Bucher is continuing his graduate work at Penn State.

A native of Lancaster, he has spent the past four years at Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where he has been active as dean of students, asst. prof. of education and English, placement director, testing bureau director, and dean of men.

Mrs. Stephan, Lancaster, will be a

part-time instructor teaching PSN 31 for the second semester. Mrs. Stephan received her RN degree from the Lancaster General Hospital in 1942, a BS in Education degree from Millersville in 1958, and has attended Lebanon Valley College.

Mr. Joseph M. Glass of Lancaster has been named a part-time assistant professor in geography. He will teach Geography 11 and 12. A 1953 Millersville graduate, Mr. Glass received his MS from the Pennsylvania State University this year.

One other professor has not yet been named. Final arrangements have been made, however, to fill this position in the department of education and psychology. The new faculty member will take the place of Dr. Wilmer Berg during his second semester leave and will continue as a regular full-time staff member, the Dean said.