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### On the cover: WMU Broncos in Action

The nationally ranked Broncos won their first undisputed MAC championship, made their first-ever NCAA regional tournament appearance, and set the WMU and MAC record for victories with 25 in one season and with 20 consecutive wins over two years. Cover photo by Timothy Ambrose, cover design by John Kemper. See story in Bronco Sports section.

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Dear Alumni and Friends of Western:

Many times you have heard me mention that the University's most pressing problem is to increase our share of state revenue. It is obvious to all that without improving our state appropriations, we cannot hope to maintain the measure of excellence which has characterized this institution through the years. With that as a preface, I should like to comment very briefly on a relatively new but vital component of the University — the Development Program.

Most development operations today, including our own, are engaged in an Annual Fund campaign, planned giving (estate planning, e.g., wills, trusts, life income contracts, etc.), and special capital fund campaigns conducted either as a major drive by the institution as a whole, or as a "mini-campaign" within an individual college. To witness the practical application of each of these functions on our campus, one needs only to study the Report to Investors appearing in this issue.

This year WMU Annual Fund contributions, thanks to approximately 8,000 donors, exceeded one million dollars for the first time since the program was officially started ten years ago. Deferred gifts totalled $213,363.00 in actual receipts with another $556,000.00 to be received in later years. The Art Department within the College of Fine Arts was successful in securing a Ford Foundation challenge grant of $50,000 and appears to be well on the way to meeting the challenge of $50,000 from alumni and friends of the University. These funds will be expended over a seven-year period. While the University is not presently engaged in a major capital campaign, the tools for such an undertaking are in readiness or being prepared for that eventuality.

It should come as no surprise that our Trustees have joined with us in looking increasingly toward the private sector for additional funds. While our efforts at Lansing are unceasing, it is obvious that we must now approach other sources for the financial support so desperately needed.

It is a well-known fact that while voluntary support for higher education has been increasing, prices of goods and services purchased by our institutions have risen even faster. Higher education costs rose about 76 per cent between 1963-64 and 1973-74 as compared with 49 per cent for the economy-wide cost of living index, according to a recent report of the Filer Commission on Private Philanthropy and Public Needs.

I cannot overemphasize the critical financial needs of your alma mater! Surely all who are concerned with higher education sincerely lament the need for additional support. Those of us in whom you place your trust would be remiss, however, were we to sit silently by in simple belief that providence and a benevolent legislature will see us through.

Please be assured that my colleagues and I do not shrink from the task which lies ahead of us. Our product is excellence in education. Such a product will continue to be in demand by the citizens of this great state. When we are able to offer, as we are, many outstanding and nationally recognized programs, we are confident that our needs will be recognized and responded to generously by the thousands of alumni and friends.

My sincere thanks to all of you who have contributed so generously to the University over the past year. Please join again in '76 through your gifts and loyalty to make this truly a memorable year for Western. We really do need your help!

Sincerely and cordially,

John T. Bernhard
President
LETTERS

To the Editor:

I just received a copy of the University Magazine and I'm very disappointed in not finding — for the second time — any mention of WMU Flying Bronco's "fetes"!

I've found mentioned the basketball squad, swimming, wrestling, gymnastics, women's reports — even the baseball and golf schedules, but not one mention of the Flying Bronco's winning the November 1st Air Meet. Evidently you will not follow their trip to Florida in April? And I see in your winning the November 1st Air Meet. 

To the Editor:

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Carol M. Roth 
L'Anse, Michigan

EDITOR'S NOTE: Thank goodness for alert readers! Unfortunately, we missed a good news story about the WMU Sky Broncos winning the regional National Intercollegiate flying Association (NIFA) air meet held at Western in November. However, since that oversight has been brought to our attention, we have learned that as we go to press the student flying team will be competing at the national NIFA air meet in Daytona Beach, Fla. We plan to include a complete report on the results of that meet in the July issue of the Magazine.

EDITOR'S NOTE: In response to a letter from Alumni Director Fred Hansen, Michael A. Crowe, B.A. '73, M.A '74, wrote the following supportive letter:

"In these times of spiraling costs, both Charlie (Brown) and WMU need help! Charlie to kick his football, and the Alumni Association to carry on its worthwhile programs. Accordingly, please find enclosed my check for annual membership dues, and the necessary enrollment card.

In closing, I would like to thank you for the fine job you are doing in what at times I'm sure, can be a very difficult and depressing job."

Michael A. Crowe 
Munster, Ind

P.S. How about that Western basketball team! I watch the Chicago Tribune for their scores, and have even taken to calling WZQO long-distance for the scores on the nights they are playing.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Larry D. Wells, BS '75, wrote the following gratifying letter to the Alumni Office:

"I am a December '75 graduate of WMU and now have a very nice job with McDonnell Douglas of St. Louis, Mo. My experiences at WMU prepared me well for my new job.

Larry D. Wells 
St. Ann, Mo.

MCSCP Director Reports On State Budget Prospects

Higher education will receive very high priority in Gov. William G. Milliken's 1977-78 budget. That was the message passed on to the presidents of the state colleges and universities recently by the governor's top budget officer, according to the director of the Michigan Council of State College Presidents.

"The director of the Michigan Department of Management and Budget, Dr. Gerald H. Miller, told the Michigan Council of State College Presidents recently that higher education is the area of greatest concern to Governor Milliken in this year's executive budget," reported Richard L. Miller, director of the Presidents Council.

"This concern arises from the fact that it is a budget which provides nothing to cope with inflationary cost increases or for substantial numbers of unfunded enrollments. The Governor's budget message acknowledges that the budget recommendations for colleges and universities will cause additional tuition increases and further cutbacks on the campuses," Richard Miller observed.

"Dr. Gerald Miller told the presidents, however, that higher education will have to 'tough it out' through 1976-77 and wait until 1977-78 for any relief in the form of improved state assistance.

"There is recognition now in the Governor's office that the persistent erosion of state support for public higher education in recent years has reached a critical point. The portion of the state's General Fund allocated in support of higher education has dropped steadily over the past decade, as higher education has been relegated to a much lower priority position among state services. Michigan's rank among the states on the basis of state support for higher education has fallen from a leadership position to average or below," Richard Miller continued.

"Dr. Gerald Miller told the presidents that 1976-77 is the turn-around year for Michigan and for higher education. The past eight years have been years of turmoil for state finances. We have had in that period four major tax increases, three major tax decreases and eight Executive Orders reducing appropriations. This year the state will get back on a steady upward course of revenue growth, according to the Governor's expectations, as the new Business Tax brings stability to the state tax structure. The revenue outlook for 1977-78 is encouraging at this point.

"Higher education will have very high priority next year in the Governor's Executive Budget," according to Dr. Miller. "The turn-around in state revenues will allow the state to begin restoring the levels of support that have been so drastically eroded in recent years. The message from the Governor's office now is that higher education will be a prime beneficiary of the anticipated growing fiscal strength of the state in 1977-78," Richard Miller concluded.

Moving?

Send Address changes to:
Alumni Relations Office
Western Michigan University
Kalamazoo, Michigan 49008

Please don't forget to inform the Alumni Association. You can help us keep track of you, and you will be assured of receiving each issue of the University Magazine.

And, if the person for whom this Magazine is intended has moved, will the reader please send us the new address?

Name
Maiden Name (If applicable)

Address
City State Zip Code

Year of Graduation
Date of Address Change

Any News?
Marie Stevens . . . More than Dean of Students
She's the Dean of People

By Millie Pritchard

Officially, she's known as "Dean of Students," but many students, parents, faculty and staff, who have an opportunity to experience her humanistic touch during both routine meetings and times of trouble, will probably agree with one student's family who calls her the "Dean of People!"

She is Marie L. Stevens. Her administrative responsibilities span a broad range of student concerns outside the classroom, including student government, housing (in dormitories, sorority and fraternity houses and apartment complexes), and many other non-academic aspects of the "Never-Never Land" of student life.

However, Dean Stevens' job description doesn't even dwell on the most critical element of her position—the extra personal touch she adds to all situations.

The sunny glow hasn't worn off this native Californian in the nearly 20 years she's been at Western, and students usually find an open door to her office and plenty of sunshine inside.

Dean Stevens thrives on many hours of student contact, to which she devotes approximately half of her working time. She enjoys and appreciates students, referring to them as "our most precious commodity," and she's always willing to talk—and listen—maintaining that she learns a lot through conversation.

And that attitude, coupled with her willingness to go far beyond the call of duty, has gained her the reputation of being an outstanding dean of students.

The parents of Elizabeth Drake readily attest to that fact.

Elizabeth, a freshman, was hospitalized with head injuries last November following a motorcycle-automobile accident in Goldsworth Valley. She has since recovered and is back on campus tackling the books. During her hospitalization she wasn't forgotten.

In a letter to WMU President John T. Bernhard, Beth's mother thanked him for "the things this University and its staff have done for our daughter, Beth." She expressed gratitude for the help of public safety officers, students and the dorm director, and she singled out Dean Stevens as "one person who has been like a guardian angel to Beth and our family."

"We have nicknamed her 'Dean of People'," Mrs. Drake wrote. "We can't begin to tell you what her help has done for us. From handling the accident and being with our daughter the entire first day, to coping with her professors and courses, to getting us unbelievable accommodations, she has been on top of everything. Her personal concern has been a great comfort."

Beth Drake is just one student who knows from experience that Dean Stevens will be there whenever she wants to talk. Marie Stevens has been talking to, and working with, students through years of change at Western. The physical growth of the campus has been tremendous during her tenure, and student life has undergone many changes as well.

For example, Dean Stevens notes that the long-honored concept of "in loco parentis," whereby the institution of higher education assumes the role of parent, is now out of vogue. All vestiges of that premise were abolished by Western in March, 1975, when the University's Board of Trustees voted out the parietal rule by eliminating the requirement that all freshmen and sophomores live in University-owned housing units, and allowing all students to live in housing of their choice.

As a result, Dean Stevens feels that rather than being mainly concerned with enforcing University rules and regulations, she can now relate to students on a person-to-person basis, rather than as parent-to-child. She views her role as a sounding board, and as a resource for students and their parents.

In an emergency situation involving a student, for example, a parent might need someone to stay in contact with at the University, someone to arrange temporary living accommodations for them, or even someone to cash their checks if they have arrived in too much of a hurry to be able to bother with such details. Dean Stevens is often that someone.

Her personal concern might also prompt her to do things like paying a visit, armed with a box of candy, to a student hospitalized on a holiday. When one is involved with human concerns as Dean Stevens is, she can't help but take those concerns home with her. But she says she does quite well at losing herself in her hobbies of cooking and entertaining friends, reading and traveling. She also participates in several community organizations and is currently on the board of directors for the YWCA and the Humane Society.

Marie Stevens graduated from Piedmont (Calif.) High School in 1944 and Mills College (Oakland, Calif.) in 1948 with a major in health, physical education and recreation. In 1955, she was awarded an M.A. in student personnel work in higher education at Syracuse (N.Y.) University, and she has done further graduate work at University of Southern California in Los Angeles and Florida State University, Tallahassee.

She was employed as teenage program director at the YWCA of Los Angeles and residence hall director and counselor at Northern Illinois University in DeKalb before coming to WMU in 1957 as assistant dean of women. In 1965, she was made assistant dean of students.

Being appointed Dean of Students was never a career goal for Marie Stevens, who was surprised at her promotion in 1968, since she had not applied for the position. And she remains casual about future career advancement: "I don't think about those things—I enjoy what I'm doing!"

Millie Pritchard is a graduate assistant in the Alumni Affairs and Development Office. She is working toward her master's degree in library science, and has contributed several articles to the University Magazine.

Dean Stevens relates on a person-to-person basis.

Marie Stevens — "Dean of People"
Dear Alumni and Friends:

THANKS A MILLION!

On behalf of the students, faculty and staff of Western Michigan University, we express sincere appreciation to all of you who have contributed time, effort and financial support to the University in 1975.

This was a banner year for the Annual Fund program — a year with the greatest dollar response in our ten year history of the fund. The grand total of private contributions to WMU was $1,171,650. Certainly, this achievement is a tribute to the graduates and friends of Western for it reflects their growing awareness of the importance of annual support to the University.

Your dollars and loyal support have greatly increased the quality of programs at Western. For example, in 1975, hundreds of students have received a college education as a result of alumni-funded scholarships; five of our most eminent faculty members have received teaching excellence awards; WMU's MAC conference championship basketball team was able to participate in a People to People basketball tour of Europe; Honors College students were enabled to take an educationally valuable trip to China; numerous other student and faculty projects have become a reality because of the dollars provided by alumni and other friends through the Annual Fund.

It is our hope that all readers of this special Annual Report to Investors issue of the UNIVERSITY MAGAZINE will want to take part in the 1976 Annual Fund program and help set a new record of support — both in dollars and numbers of donors. A gift may be designated to a fund or program according to the donor’s wishes or may be undesignated to be used where the need is greatest.

An investment in Western Michigan University is an investment in the future.

Gratefully,

Helen J. Flaspohler
# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

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**1975 CAMPAIGN TOTAL**
- Interest Earned from Investments: $6,500
- Total: $1,178,150

**PLANNED GIVING**
- Received — Cash: $213,363
- Future — Deferred gifts through bequest, wills, trust, etc.: $556,000
- Sponsored Student Scholarships: $163,991

**TOTAL PRIVATE GIFT SUPPORT**: $2,111,504

**SOURCE OF PRIVATE GIFT SUPPORT**
- Merchants & Corporations: 30.70%
- Foundations: 42.10%
- University Friends: 11.90%
- Clubs & Organizations: 3.90%
- Alumni: 9.50%
- Faculty & Staff: 1.90%

**GIFT DISBURSEMENTS**
- Academic Department & Colleges: 83.30%
- Scholarships: 10.80%
- Loans: 1.09%
- Library: 0.80%
- Unrestricted: 4.10%

**$1,171,650**
DESIGNATION OF GIFTS

UNRESTRICTED
President's Unrestricted Fund
University Fund (Unrestricted)

SPECIAL PROJECTS
Alumni Awards for Teaching Excellence
Art Department, Ford Foundation Challenge Community Development Center
Kendall Memorial Windows
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Grant Fund
Lawson Arena Organ Fund
People to People Basketball Tour Fund
Physician's Assistance Program
Candace L. Roe Book Fund
W.M.U. Marching Band Fund

SCHOLARSHIP
Agriculture Alumni Scholarship
Alpha Beta Epsilon Scholarship
American Historians’ Association Fund
American Women’s University Women Scholarship
American Cancer Society Scholarship
American Natl. Bank Scholarship
American Society of Food & Manufacturers Engineers Scholarship
Athena Press Scholarship
Alvin M. Bentley Foundation Scholarship
George E. Bradley Physics Award Scholarship
Board of Trustees Scholarship
Homero L. J. Carter Fellowship Fund
Chapman Trust Fund Scholarship
Chemistry Department Scholarship
Crows, Chiomega & Company Scholarship
Duremattic Corporation Scholarship
Nancy Ellis Memorial Scholarship
First Federal Savings & Loan Association Scholarship
Foundry Educational Foundation Scholarship
General Motors Scholarship Award Fund
Leonard Garmetent Scholarship Fund
Albert Spencer Harman Scholarship
Lucia Harrison Geography Scholarship
Elizabeth Hebben Fine Arts Scholarship Fund
Heinz Foundation Scholarship
Fred Huff Industrial Arts Scholarship Fund
Kalamazoo Accountants Association Scholarship
Kalamazoo Valley Women’s Club Scholarship
Leonard C. Kercher Sociology Fund
Jean & Vincent Malstrom Scholarship
Dr. Arthur Manske Award Fund
Mathematics Department Scholarship
Harper Maybey Music Scholarship
Harold & Reulah McKee Scholarship
Lynn & Charlene Fogarty McKee Scholarship Fund
Michigan Shell Jobbers Association Scholarship
David & Priscilla McGall Scholarship
NFBA Foundation Scholarship
Lucille Abbott Nobbs Fund for Graduate Study
Presser Foundation Music Scholarship
Allred Pugno College of Business Scholarship
Paul Reed Scholarship
Paul V. Sangren Alumni Scholarship
Roseanne Schneider Business Teachers Scholarship
Neil L. Schoenhals Media Award Fund
1962 Senior Class Scholarship
1968 Senior Class Scholarship
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1971 Senior Class Scholarship
1972 Senior Class Scholarship
1973 Senior Class Scholarship
1974 Senior Class Scholarship
Laura V. Shaw Speech & Drama Scholarship
Russell Stieben Scholarship
Edna Burian Skelton Scholarship
Elton Smith Insurance Scholarship Fund
Sponsored Scholarship Account
Sponsored Student Accounts Scholarship
Mahalde Steelberg Scholarship Fund
Julius Stulberg Memorial Scholarship
Mabel A. Vallar Occupational Therapy Award
Waldo-Sangren Scholarship Fund
Charles J. Wilcox Memorial Scholarship
James M. Wilson, Sr. Memorial Scholarship Fund
Whitney M. Young, Jr. Scholars Program
Distribution Education Scholarship
Unrestricted University Scholarship

LOANS
Alpha Beta Epsilon — Xi Chapter Loan Fund
Alumni Short Term Student Loan Fund
American Business Club Short Term Loan Fund
Robert Anderson Memorial Loan Fund
Associated Women Student Loan Fund
William R. & Emmie Wales Brown Student Loan Fund
Ernest Burnham Rural Loan Fund
Delta Sigma Theta Loan Fund
Distributive Education Loan Fund
Gordon & Fern Ferriday Loan
LeRoy H. Harvey Memorial Loan Fund
Freida H. Home Economics Loan
Frederick W. James Loan Fund

Dr. Radford Kuykendall Memorial Loan Fund
Alice Louise Lefevere Memorial Loan Fund
Elizabeth Lichly Loan
Mathematics Education Memorial Loan Fund
Michalina Loan
Michigan Retired Teachers Association Loan Fund
Fred & Helen Miholich Special Education Student Loan
Omicron Delta Kappa Loan Fund
Archie Potter Memorial Loan
San Francisco Short Term Loan
Sophia Reed — Mary Moore Home Economics Short Term Loan Fund
Short Term Student Loan Fund
Sigma Tau Gamma Memorial Loan Fund
R. Franklin Smith Memorial
J. Towne Smith Loan Fund
Marion Spear Occupational Therapy Loan
Ron Strawser Special Education Memorial Loan Fund
Marion Tamin French Loan
Transportation Technology Short Term Loan Fund
Dr. Charles Van Riper Speech Pathology & Audiology Loan Fund
Mary Howe Watt Student Loan Fund
Walter Wedebo Loan Fund
W.U. Parents Association Student Loan Fund
W.U. Southern California Loan Fund
S. University Dames Loan Fund
W. Dean Womend Memorial Fund

ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS & COLLEGES
Accounting Department —
College of Business
Agriculture Department —
Alumni Association
Archives & Regional History Collection
Automotive Technology Department
Aviation Technology Department
Biology Department
Broadcasting Department
Business Education Department
Career Planning & Placement Office
Center for Continuing Education
Center for Career Education & Studies
Chemistry Department
College of Applied Sciences
College of Arts & Sciences
College of Business —
College of Business Library
College of Education
College of Fine Arts
College of General Studies
College of Graduate Studies
Computer Center
Counseling & Personnel
Communications Arts & Sciences
Dance Department
Department of Art
Department of Economics
Department of Educational Leadership

Department of Geography
Department of Geology
Department of Music Development
Department of Business
Distributive Education
Distributive Education for Food Distribution
Division of Continuing Education
Division of Instructional Communication
Educational Resources Center
Electrical Engineering Technology
Engineering & Technology Development
English Department
Foreign Student Affairs
Mike Gary Athletic Fund
General Business
History Department
Home Economics Department
Honor's College
Industrial Education Department
Institute of Blind Rehabilitation
Institute of International & Area Studies
Institute of Public Affairs
International Directed Teaching Program
Management Department
Marketing Department
Mathematics Department
Mechanical Engineering Technology
Medieval Institute
Minority Student Services
Language Department
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Paper Technology Foundation
Olin Calhoun Memorial
Petroleum Distribution
Philosophy Department
Physical Plant Development
Physics Department
Political Science Department
Psychology Department
Reading Center
Scott Knowles Memorial
School of Librarianship
School of Social Work
Sociology Department
Special Education Department
Speech & Hearing Clinic
Speech Pathology & Audiology
Student Services
Teacher Education
Transportation Technology
University Libraries
Dwight B. Waldo Library Fund
Women's Physical Education Department
Susan B. Anthony Center
Crystal Worner Memorial
WKBK Radio Station
WMUK Radio Station

TAX CREDIT — 50% OFF

Due to the passage of Michigan Public Act 315, individuals are allowed a credit against their Michigan state income tax equal to 50 percent of their gift to Western Michigan University during the year, not to exceed 20 percent of their tax liability.

New legislation, as of January 1, 1973, permits those filing a joint Michigan tax return to contribute a maximum of $400 to Western’s Annual Fund and take up to a maximum state tax credit of $200, if the taxpayer’s state tax liability is $1,000 or more.
The President's Club at Western Michigan University began in May, 1975. Among the clubs at Western, The President's Club is the most prestigious. The Club honors the four past Presidents of Western Michigan University: Dwight B. Waldo, Paul V. Sangren, James W. Miller and Myron L. Coulter.

Membership in the Club is selective. Persons selected for the Club become eligible in four separate ways. One way is by making a gift of $15,000 or more to Western Michigan University in cash, securities or other property. Eligibility is also possible by making a gift of $1,500 this year and indicating one's intention of continuing to make annual gifts of $1,500 per year for nine additional years. Third, eligibility can be established by making a combination gift of $1,000 or more per year for ten years, with additional arrangements for a planned gift of $15,000 through life insurance, a life-income gift, a bequest or some other suitable means. The donor's total gift in this instance would be $25,000. And, fourthly, a planned gift of $25,000 or more through a bequest, a life insurance policy or other planned giving instrument will qualify you for the Club. Further, individuals, foundations, corporations or other organizations may sponsor the membership of relatives, friends, officers, etc.

Because it provides the means for perpetual support, The President's Club maintains a permanent roll of members, including those who are deceased or in whose name others have made sponsoring memorial gifts.

Members of The President's Club (not all pictured)

The late Mrs. Alma F. Liddy, Grand Rapids
Dr. Margaret B. Macmillan, Kalamazoo
The late Mrs. Charlene F. McKeen, Birmingham
Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. McKee, Parchment
Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Miholich, South Bend, Ind.
Dr. and Mrs. James W. Miller, Lansing
Mrs. Alfred Pugno and the late Mr. Pugno, Fremont
Dr. and Mrs. Paul Rood, Richland
Mr. and Mrs. Arden Rowley, Coloma
Mr. and Mrs. Orville F. Schneider, Grand Rapids
Dr. and Mrs. Maurice F. Seay, Battle Creek
Dr. and Mrs. Russell H. Seibert, Kalamazoo
Miss Lydia E. Siedschlag, Kalamazoo
Miss Marion R. Thacker, Los Angeles, CA
Mr. and Mrs. William John Upjohn, Kalamazoo
Mrs. Bertha S. Harman, Chicago, IL
Miss Gwen Frostic, Benzonia
Mr. and Mrs. William John Upjohn, Kalamazoo
Mrs. Herbert J. Vogt and the late Dr. Vogt, Phoenix, AZ
Mr. and Mrs. Philip N. Wattersom, Ada

The purposes of The President's Club are intertwined with Western's future:
- TO ENCOURAGE a higher level of University support by alumni and friends;
- TO DEVELOP an active interest and participation in University affairs;
- TO PROVIDE a framework within which lasting gifts and bequests may be made;
- TO RECOGNIZE those men and women whose generosity will add much to the future excellence of Western;
- TO PROVIDE an interchange of ideas, plans and objectives between its members, the President and other University officials.
### ALUMNI DONORS

This is the honor roll of all alumni contributors to Western Michigan University. The listing is by (1) year of bachelor's degree from WMU, or (2) year of first degree received at WMU if it is other than a bachelor’s degree, or (3) last year of attendance at WMU if no degree was granted.

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- MacVean, Mrs. Ralph J.
- Newman, Mrs. Elma M. (Robinson)
- Nyland, Miss Esther D.
- Richards, Mrs. Ella M. (Banks)
- Sherwood, Mr. Marion J.
- Steele, Mrs. Theo B. (Lyle)
- Vande Velde, Mrs. Mathilde A. (Shufiner)
- Wheeler, Mrs. Edith S. (Senf)

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- Christian, Mr. Omer K.
- Clark, Miss Lois M.
- Clark, Miss Ruth M. (Curry)
- Dallymire, Mrs. Grace M. (Austin)
- Finland, Miss Anne
- Hancock, Mrs. Gertrude V. (Hooekma)
- Krause, Mrs. Annamarie E.
- Lumaree, Miss Phoebe
- Monteil, Mrs. Lucielle (Krum)
- Osborn, Mrs. Laura (Sorenson)
- Randall, Mr. Homer O.
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- Rowe, Mrs. Gladys (Hine)
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- Smith, Mrs. Bessie W. (Baker)
- Smith, Miss Elizabeth L.
- Staring, Mr. Charles R.

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- Wright, Mrs. Mary (McCuily)
- Yntema, Mrs. Cynthia O. (Stocking)

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- Davis, Mrs. Irene (Finis)
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- Lee, Dr. John J.
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- Gale, Mr. Carroll I.
- Kline, Mr. Rose (Avery)

**1935**
- Ayres, Miss Marian H.
- Clark, Mrs. Hildred (Adams)
- Hoadley, Mrs. Clara F. (Drach)
- Pumfrey, Mrs. Ray
- VanDenBoumen, Mrs. Doris A. (Gilbert)

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- Bennett, Mrs. Mildred (Guetchow)
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  - Ellison, Dr. Ruth
  - Frankowski, Mr. Richard F.
  - Franseth, Dr. Jane H.
  - Friess, Mrs. Agnes A. (Drapper)
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  - Goodrich, Mr. Lamed G.
  - Harris, Mr. Clarence M.
  - Jensen, Mr. Oliver H.
  - Keeling, Mrs. Nella G. (Derks)
  - Malisch, Mrs. Ethel M. (Bradford)
  - Pate, Mrs. Ethel (Bunt)
  - Pippel, Mrs. Dorothy K. (Tabberer)
  - Pate, Mrs. Eileen (Breary)
  - Keiser, Mrs. Gertrude G. (Prince)
  - Wolfe, Miss M. Altadena
- **1931**
  - Armstrong, Mrs. Evelyn (Logan)
  - Denton, Miss Blanche E.
  - Evans, Mr. Richard D.
  - Harrisen, Mr. Frederick
  - Hawkins, Mrs. Kenneth D.
  - Householder, Mr. Frank C.
  - Levandowski, Mr. Martin
  - Lyons, Mrs. Ivan E.
  - McDonald, Miss Henrietta (Miller)
  - Miller, Mrs. Alice I. (Cummings)
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  - Packer, Mrs. Winnifred E. (Bosford)
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  - Smith, Miss Birdie
  - Snyder, Mrs. Dorothy (Sage)
  - Swander, Mr. Robert
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  - Van Der, Mrs. Frank H.
  - Woods, Mr. Oliver R.
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  - Beach, Mrs. Delene B. (Cummings)
  - Beebe, Mrs. N. Lorraine (Bokeelo)
  - Bouma, Mrs. Nella G. (Derks)
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  - Johnson, Mr. Herbert M.
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Depending on the type of gift, deferred giving may provide income for life, e.g., a Charitable Remainder Annuity Trust, Charitable Remainder Unitrust, Life Income Agreement, Charitable Gift Annuity, etc. Deferred gifts reduce and often eliminate estate tax and provide major income tax deductions. In nearly all instances, however, the donor's prime motive is to provide for excellence in education.

In 1975, Planned Giving Services received a total of $213,363 in deferred gifts with another $556,000 to be received in the future. Planned giving consultation, a service of the Development Office, is available to all alumni and friends who are interested in maintaining excellence in education and the future growth and stature of the University.

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Alumni Affairs and Development
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*Borg-Warner Foundation Inc./Achterhoff Mortuary
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Allied Paper Inc.
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TO WMU IN 1975

An Easy Way to Double Your Investment

Your generous gift to Western Michigan University will be doubled if your employer is a participant in the extensive Matching Gift Program across the nation.

One of the nicest things about a matching gift—along with the good such a contribution does—is how easily you can arrange to have it sent. Once you have made your gift, just request the proper form from your employer, complete and send it to the WMU Annual Fund Office for verification.

Many companies are currently considering how they may best support or extend their present support of higher education. If this is true in your company’s case, you may help WMU by bringing the matching gifts concept to your company’s attention.

1975 Mike Gary Athletic Fund

Mike Gary Athletic Fund $ 42,001.56
People to People Program 20,560.32
Deferred Giving (Life Insurance) 40,500.00
Gift in Kind 126.00
Scholarships (Mr. & Mrs. Harold McKee) 17,000.00

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M. J. Gary Athletic Fund

The opportunity for the direct involvement, participation and support of alumni and friends of Western Michigan University is the purpose of the Mike Gary Athletic Fund. Named for M. J. Gary, former coach and athletic director whose dedication and perseverance nurtured the growth of Western athletics, the fund offers the broadest possible opportunities by providing funds needed for the total athletic program. Through financial aid to student athletes, athletic recruiting, travel and purchase of special equipment, it maintains educational and athletic excellence.

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Showing here are Kyle Rowekamp, Kalamazoo freshman baseball player, and Harold McKee, a former letterman at Western and a retired Kalamazoo area teacher and coach. Rowekamp was the 1975 recipient of the McKee baseball scholarship which is administered through the Mike Gary Athletic Fund.
Dear Bronco Fans:

The "Spirit of '76" has been greatly felt in WMU athletics. The fantastic basketball season of Coach Eldon Miller; the tremendous success of Coach Bill Neal's hockey team; and the much-talked-about second state basketball championship for the women's team coached by Fran Ebert.

All of you share in these accomplishments with us because of your willingness to help. More than 10% of the Gary Fund was contributed by 130 alumni "W" Club members. Three President's Club members are also on the honor roll of the Gary Fund. There are sixteen Sideliners and more than 200 Century Club members. We have increased in 1975 both in number of donors and amount of dollars.

We are grateful for the support we have received from our alumni and many friends of Western Michigan University. It takes people and participation to perpetuate a winning program of intercollegiate athletics.

Bill Doolittle
Director, Mike Gary Athletic Fund

In the summer of 1975, through a special project under the auspices of the Mike Gary Athletic Fund, the People to People Sports Committee raised funds to sponsor a three-week European trip for the WMU basketball team. The Broncos won all six games in three countries: Finland, San Marino and Italy.

Former head Basketball coach Eldon Miller stated that the team felt it a great honor to represent the United States in these countries. He stated that the trip was very educational and provided an opportunity to play against excellent competition. "Despite an exhausting amount of travel to meet game and clinic schedules," Miller said, "the trip was a great experience."
The University Club is a number of people like yourself who can and want to make gifts to the Annual Fund at the leadership level of $100 or more each year. This represents a significant base of giving for the many projects which distinguish your University. We urge you to renew your support with a qualifying gift in 1976.
Geronto Broncos Kick Up Their Heels

The Geronto Broncos, a senior citizens student organization at Western, are kicking up their heels and taking advantage of the University’s Project SCOPE (Senior Citizens’ Opportunity Program in Education).

“We kind of parallel the national Gray Panthers,” observed Carl A. “Cab” Nelson, 66, a co-founder, with Clarence W. Emery, 66, of the Geronto Broncos. They explained that their organization name comes from a form of the word “gerontology” and Western’s nickname for its intercollegiate athletic teams — the Broncos.

There are 25 senior citizens currently enrolled in WMU’s Project SCOPE. The program provides free admission for persons 62 years of age or older who desire “Senior Citizen” status; they are permitted to take as many courses as they want, but admission to each class is on a seats available basis.

WMU Registrar Dennis Boyle noted that this semester’s Project SCOPE participants are enrolled in courses in anthropology, French, Spanish, art, history, physics, mathematics, philosophy, geology, music, humanities, dance, religion, English, communication arts and sciences (speech), business, transportation, Latin and agriculture. He indicated that there are four participants this semester who are in their seventies.

“We’re an outgoing generation,” said Nelson. “We’re only going to get larger. We’re kicking up our heels.” He mentioned their political clout, citing that a higher ratio of their peer group votes than any other age group.

Emery likes to kick up his heels another way. His hobby is dancing. He serves as the emcee every Saturday night at the Kalamazoo Moose Club. Admitting that he has even tried the “bump,” Emery said, “I still like the waltz best because it’s kind of nice to hold a gal in your arms.”

A native of Kalamazoo, Emery is currently enrolled in two courses — government and oceanography. He said that he has always been interested in oceanography and now he has a grandson who shares that interest with him. He admits that he was a college dropout; “I was working 70 hours a week in early 1930’s and I was very dissatisfied with myself then because I couldn’t devote enough time to my studies,” Emery recalled. He retired on January 1, 1975, after working almost 28 years as a die-setter for Kalamazoo Stamping and Die Company. Emery is very active in the United Auto Workers’ community action program.

Both Nelson and Emery are also active on the Kalamazoo County Senior Citizens Board.

Nelson already has a bachelor’s degree from American University in Washington, D.C.; although he did most of his course work at the University of Michigan before entering the professional theatre. “I’ve sung anywhere from Park Avenue benches in New York City to theatre stages in Miami,” he boasts.

Emery and Nelson both cite their acceptance on campus. “Students treat us warmly,” said Nelson, “in fact, a little more warmly than my own current age group.” Emery added, “I have no complaints; I’ve been treated royally. Students are very easy to talk to; some students have remarked on the last day of class that they appreciated having me in their class with them. I guess I acted like a catalytic agent.

Faculty members also welcome these older students in their classes. “They are some of the most dedicated and conscientious students I’ve ever had,” remarked Dr. Jack Plano, professor of political science. “They’re excellent students; on average, they’ve been considerably above average in every case,” he added. “They’ve added a great deal to our class in terms of relating basic course materials to the real political world thanks to their real life experiences.”

“They’re a delight,” commented Dr. Ellen P. Robin, assistant professor of sociology. “They’ve been a joy; they’ve added a great deal to the nature of our class,” she continued. “These senior citizens often provide support and services for our younger students; they listen sympathetically to the younger students’ problems and offer advice and sometimes offer rides. They’re a valuable resource; they’re challenging; and they’ve made a major contribution.”

Dr. William B. Harrison, assistant professor of geology, said he has only had one senior citizen in his class, but observed, “He helped stimulate discussion; his attitude was very mature as is to be expected and it was a good influence on other people about him. People like him are very serious students; they’re here to learn; and they set a good example.”

Emery confessed that he has a little more experience than the average student. “I act like a catalytic agent.”

Both men are trying to encourage more of their peer group to take advantage of the free admission program at WMU. “They just have to overcome their reservations, reticence or shyness,” observed Nelson. “It’s a pleasure to be here; I go to class eagerly,” he continued.

“When I walk across the campus, the younger students don’t know if I’m a student or a professor,” added Emery. “I’m here for the fun; I enjoy going to school and the University has been fabulous to us older people; the red carpet has been pretty doggone thick.”

Senior citizens interested in Project SCOPE should contact the Admissions Office, WMU, Kalamazoo, Mich. 49008, or telephone 383-1950.
Western Honors B.F. Skinner, Ohio President, Local Physician

The founder of the behavior modification movement, a university president and a retired physician received honorary Doctor of Laws degrees at the University’s April 24th commencement.

They are: Dr. B. F. Skinner, Harvard University professor of psychology; Dr. Lionel Newsom, president, Central State University, Wilberforce, Ohio; and Dr. William Birch, M.D., retired Kalamazoo physician who was one of the persons most instrumental in establishing WMU’s physicians’ assistants program leading to a B.S. degree in medicine.

"Whether people agree with him or not, Dr. Skinner is the person who is most influential in psychology in this century," observed Dr. David O. Lyon, professor and acting chairman of WMU’s psychology department. "He started the whole behavior modification movement."

Skinner has received numerous awards and he has written extensively in his field; his books include: "Behavior of Organisms"; "Science and Human Behavior"; "Verbal Behavior"; "Schedules of Reinforcement" (with C. B. Ferster); "The Analysis of Behavior"; "Contingencies: A Theoretical Analysis"; "Beyond Freedom and Dignity"; "About Behaviorism"; and "Particulars of My Life." His honors include being the recipient of the Howard Crosby Warren Medal, the 1958 Distinguished Science Contribution Award, and the Hoyt Vandenberg Trophy.

Prior to assuming his present post, Newsom was president of Johnson C. Smith University in Charlotte, N.C., 1969-72; was associate director of the Higher Education Opportunity in the South Project for the Southern Regional Education Board, Atlanta, Ga., 1966-68; and was president of Barberscotia College in Concord, N.C., 1964-66. He received his B.A. degree in history cum laude from Lincoln University of Missouri, M.A. in sociology from the University of Michigan and Ph.D. in sociology and anthropology from Washington University in St. Louis. He visited the WMU campus last November as a visiting lecturer.

It was Birch who offered a resolution in 1968 to the Michigan State Medical Society (MSMS) House of Delegates to explore the possibilities of training a new kind of para-professional to assist physicians; he was president of the Kalamazoo Academy of Medicine at that time. The resolution was adopted and Birch became chairman of a task force on the physicians’ assistants program under the MSMS’s liaison committee for medical education.

In 1972, the MSMS House of Delegates presented its coveted "Certificate of Commendation" to Birch "In recognition of his pioneering efforts to train Type A Physicians’ Assistants at Western Michigan University and his leadership contributions to the South Central Michigan Health Planning Council and the Kalamazoo Academy of Medicine.

Receive Major Gift For Paper Technology

Announcement of a major Foundation gift for the proposed $600,000 paper fiber recycling unit to be installed in Western’s Department of paper science and engineering was made in March by Carlton H. "Scotty" Cameron, chairman of the special gifts committee for the WMU Paper Technology Foundation, Inc.

Gene Fischer, manager of the paper/nonwoven department, Sandoz Colors & Chemicals, East Hanover, N.J., gave Cameron a check for $15,000, which represented half of a $30,000 grant from the Sandoz Foundation.

In expressing his gratitude to the Sandoz Foundation for its gift, Cameron, who is the retired senior vice president of the Michigan Carton Company, Battle Creek, noted, "This generous grant represents a significant attempt on the part of the chemical colors industry to help the paper industry alleviate some of the environmental problems that have plagued us for so many years." Cameron indicated that the Sandoz grant has been specifically earmarked for the educational aspects of the WMU recycling unit project.

A key objective of the unit would be to produce paper science and engineering department graduates with the training to analyze, develop, control and administer programs related to energy, resource recovery and environmental matters.

Construction is expected to begin this spring; the unit will be located in the existing Louis Calder Research and Development Center in WMU’s McCracken Hall.

Dr. Raymond L. Janes, head of WMU’s paper science and engineering department, said that the recycling unit will play a vital role in an enlarged curriculum in his department, as well as enhance its research capabilities.

More than $100,000 in equipment gifts have already been pledged, reported Cameron.

Herald Appoints Editor, Manager

A new editor-in-chief and an advertising/business manager of the Western Herald, the student newspaper at Western, were appointed in March by the Western Herald Board of Directors, the governing body of the newspaper.

David D. Dempsey, a Lansing Junior, will assume the editor’s job April 25, and Glenn Paiva, a Niles graduate student, was reappointed as business manager, a position he has held for the past two years, and was also newly appointed as advertising manager. All terms in office will continue through winter semester, 1977.
WMU Establishes Legal Center

A Center for Continuing Legal Education has been established at Western, with at least two seminar programs — legal implications for the single business tax, and new probate laws — expected to be offered by July 1.

The new center's programs will probably follow a workshop format, according to Dr. Stephen R. Mitchell, vice president for academic affairs. A survey of the educational needs of practicing attorneys in Southwestern Michigan is currently being conducted.

The center is being administered by a steering committee chaired by Dr. Leo C. Stine, dean of the Division of Continuing Education and professor of political science. An advisory committee of area attorneys will also be named.

"State funds were specifically appropriated for the center this fiscal year and we felt that we could best serve area needs at this time by providing one means of assistance to keep the legal profession current," Mitchell said.

A report and review of the initial programs will be made in September.

Coulter Post To Remain Vacant

Citing the University's present fiscal plight, WMU President John T. Bernhard announced in February that he has decided not to fill the position of vice president for administration "for the indefinite future."

Dr. Bernhard indicated that, after Dr. Myron L. Coulter leaves Western July 1 to assume the presidency of Idaho State University, the various areas of responsibility under the vice president for administration will be divided between the Offices of the Academic Vice President and of the President.

"Later, in keeping with the forthcoming suggestions of the All-University Committee on Graduate and Professional Education and with future recommendations of the Faculty Senate, other adjustments may be made in the administrative structure," said Bernhard.

Officers Elected

Dr. Donald J. Brown, professor of chemistry, and Dr. Louise Forsleff, professor in the Counseling Center, are the new president and vice president, respectively, of Western's Faculty Senate for 1976-77. Forsleff received her master's degree from Western in 1962.

Faculty Composer Is Pulitzer Nominee

A composition by Curtis Curtis-Smith, assistant professor of music, has been nominated for a Pulitzer Prize by the New York office of Editions Salabert, a French music publishing company.

"Belle du jour," a concerto for piano and orchestra, won second place in the "Prix Francis Salabert," an international competition for orchestral works held earlier this year. On Jan. 29, it was given its first formal public performance by the Indianapolis Symphony at the Indiana State University Contemporary Music Festival, Terre Haute. It was premiered last May during an informal "reading concert" by the Detroit Symphony at Wayne State University.

Curtis-Smith has signed a contract with the Paris office of Editions Salabert for the publication of the composition, and with the New York office for publishing two others — "Rhapsodies" and "Five Sonorous Inventions."

Album Features Bronco Songs

Music direct to you from WMU can be yours if you purchase the new album "Western We Sing to You," recently recorded in the department of music.

Inspired by various alumni who made requests to the music department for a recording of school songs, the album was suggested by band director Carl Bjerringaard, BM '53, to alumni director Fred Hansen.

With endorsement and financial backing from the Office of Alumni Affairs, the recording was made in the 1975 fall semester by 130 music students enrolled in the University Symphonic Band and University Chorale.

The cover design and copy for the album were done by Carl W. Doubleday, BM '66, MA '68. Photography for the cover was provided by Timothy J. Ambrose, BS '72, MA '74.

Copies of the album may be ordered at $3.95 from the office of Alumni Affairs, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49008.

WIDR Wins National Award

WIDR, Western's student radio station, has been cited as the best new station in the country by "Broadcasting Management/Engineering," a national publication.

One of five finalists in the magazine's annual "Best Station Award Contest," WIDR represented the only college operation. The award honors new radio or television stations which are doing the best possible job with the available resources.

John McNeill, a graduate student in communications and the radio's FM program director, believes WIDR, Kalamazoo's only AM-FM station, won because it "offered the most comprehensive package of innovations offered by any station in the country."

WIDR operates on a frequency of 750 AM, and 89.1 FM.

Biostatistics Is New Master's Program

A new master's degree program to prepare students for careers in biostatistics, especially in the pharmaceutical-related industries and in medical or health-related research facilities, will be offered at Western beginning this summer.

The M.S. in biostatistics will be offered through Western's department of mathematics, with the cooperation of the WMU biology department.

Graduates of this program will be well-qualified to enter professional employment directly or they will be excellently prepared for further graduate work in biostatistics at some other university, said Dr. A. B. Clarke, professor and chairman of Western's mathematics department.
yellow. Carr feels that when a student chooses the colors and paints his or her own room, he or she is less apt to mis-treat it.

"The amazing thing is that only 64 rooms had to be redone because of failure to pass inspection and 75 per-cent of these were merely because of improper clean-up, which is easily cor-rected by the student," explained Carr.

Operating under a contract situation, the program follows fairly flexible rules and regulations. The student signs a contract with the dormitory manager agreeing to paint the room one of two basic colors with one wall a selected accent color. Paint jobs must pass in-spection by the dormitory manager and ultimately students must pay clean-up and repainting costs if required. De-signs, graphics and decorative painting are not allowed because of transiency.

One of the major gains, according to Carr, has been that University paint crews can now spend more time paint-in& public areas and work on special pamt projects. He also feels that the immediacy of having one's room painted is greatly beneficial to student morale.

"The net effect is better visual ap-pearance over the total campus and great student satisfaction," Carr noted.

Previously, student dorm rooms were painted about every five years on a rotation basis. When paint schedules were inevitably delayed, it might even have taken up to seven or eight years, Carr explained.

James T. Schaper, assistant manager of University Residence Halls and head of the Student Paint Program, feels that the program "allows students decorat-ing freedoms at the time when the room is in need of painting, not months or even years later."

"I've never heard any criticism from the students about the program," Schaper said.

He also noted that participation in the program has been steady. "The main requests come in the fall when students are preparing for the year, but requests come in almost every day," Schaper said. "Initially students painted their rooms because the rooms needed it — now they are still par-ticipating because they want their rooms to look nice."

Madison Heights sophomore Yvonne Begin states, "You're fixing up the room to live there, so you can paint it to your liking. It makes you feel more at home. Before we painted, it looked just like Howard Johnson's with blue walls and orange curtains — so, we de-cided to try the student paint pro-gram."

Summing up the derived benefits, Schaper said, "People function better in an environment that looks nicer."
ANN ARBOR/YPSILANTI — An “adult” picnic is planned for Saturday, June 26, at Dexter-Huron Metro Park from 3 to 8 p.m. (dinner at 6 p.m.). Those attending should bring a covered dish to pass and pay $2 per person. Reservations will be handled by Susan C. Johnson, 168, 2156 Glencoe Hills, Ann Arbor 48104.

KALAMAZOO — A chicken barbecue will be held July 24 near the lake in Goldsworth Valley on the WMU campus. The event will be from 3 to 8 p.m. with dinner at 6 p.m. General chairman is Jeffery D. Vortman, BBA ‘64, 10147 Pheasant Run, Kalamazoo 49002.

CHICAGO — The Chicago area alumni club met after the WMU-Loyola basketball game on February 4. The group was treated to a victory, which was number 17 for the Broncos. Approximately 100 alumni met coach Eldon Miller and the team at a post-game reception in the Loyola Student Center. The arrangements were made by Norbert F. Vandersteen, BS ‘53, and his wife, Jacqueline (Edwards), BA ‘53, 727 Spring Willow, Palatine, Ill. 60067.

FLORIDA WEST COAST — On Valentine’s Day, February 14, alumni from the Tampa/St. Petersburg area of Florida held a dinner meeting at Holiday Inn North. Chairman for the event was Sheridan L. Hageman, BBA ‘62, 13140 Kerr Trail, Dallas 75234. Robert S. Neill, BS ‘61, 13140 Kerr Trail, Dallas 75234, will be handling the arrangements.

GRAND RAPIDS — More than 130 area alumni packed the Rambledale Party House on March 26. Also enjoying the wine and cheese party were Fred and Nancy Hansen, Joseph Hoy, Elliot and Wendy Uzelac, Ron and Helen Flaspholer, annual fund director, and Bill Doolittle, director of the Mike Gary Athletic Fund. Coordinating the event were Jim and Monica (Munski) Kingma, BS ‘73, 1012 Westmoor Dr. NW., Grand Rapids 49504, Joan K. Gebauer, BA ‘71, 2377 Leffingwell NE, Grand Rapids 49505 and George A. Rabick BBA ‘67, MBA ‘68, and his wife Susan (King), BS ‘67, 2117 Daylor NE, Grand Rapids 49505.

PHOENIX — An alumni buffet dinner and outing was held February 22 at the En Canto Park Pavilion. In attendance were WMU President John T. Bernhard, Fred Hansen, Russell Gabier, and alumni board member Ron Carmichael. Coordinating the event was Nancy (Vogler) Edwards, 168, 2156 Glencoe Hills, Ann Arbor 48104.
Coach Eldon Miller's Broncos were one of the country's "Cinderella" basketball teams this winter as they attracted more national interest than any other athletic team in the University's history.

For the final seven weeks, WMU was ranked among the nation's top 20 quintets on balloting conducted by the Associated Press, including the highest final place (10th) ever attained by a Mid-American Conference school. The Broncos were 19th on the United Press International poll at year's end.

The 25-3 showing established new school and MAC marks for victories in a single season; a 15-1 conference standing led the WMU's first outright championship and subsequent initial NCAA tournament appearance; the same record represented the most wins in league competition and the second best percentage ever for a loop schedule.

Including a victory in the final 1974-75 contest, Western defeated 20 straight opponents, which also stands as new school and MAC marks for consecutive triumphs.

The accomplishments of the team were covered in such publications as Sports Illustrated, The Sporting News,
New York Times Wire Service and Basketball Weekly, plus featured on all three national major radio or television networks.

Locally, the 14-game home schedule in 9,500-seat Read Fieldhouse attracted an average of 7,852 spectators, still another Mid-American record.
The largest crowd ever at Read for a Bronco game (10,519) turned out in January to witness a 62-68 win over Miami, which gave WMU sole possession of the league lead for the following three weeks.
The only loss in MAC play came at Toledo, 88-80, as the Rockets ripped the nets for a .654 field goal percentage.

In early March at Notre Dame, forward Jeff Tyson sent the game into overtime with a dramatic 35-foot jumper with two seconds to go, an effort that warranted three instant play re-runs on the Irish national TV network. Notre Dame subsequently won, 95-88.

After a tough come-from-behind overtime triumph by a 77-67 margin over Virginia Tech on the same Notre Dame floor to open NCAA tournament play, the Broncos bowed in the second round to No. 2 Marquette, 62-57, in the Mid-East Regional at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge. Marquette's colorful coach Al McGuire perhaps summed up WMU's season the best in saying "their record is no fluke and they know it."

Finally, Miller was a near unanimous choice for Mid-American "Coach of the Year" honors and Tyson was picked as "Player of the Year," marking the first time WMU representatives had earned either award.

Tyson, along with fellow forward Paul Griffin of Shelby and Lafayette, Ind., center Tom Cutter, were first-team All-Conference selections. Guard Jimmie Harvey of Gary, Ind., received honorable mention; his backcourt runningmate, Jim Kurzen of Dalton, O., made the MAC's first team All-Academic squad. Cutter received additional honors by being selected for the first five all-star squad for the Mid-East Regional at LSU; he was joined by Indiana's All-Americans Scott May and Kent Benson, Marquette All-American Earl Tatum and Alabama's Anthony Murray.

The same five players started all 28 games for the Broncos this winter and their development as individuals and a team was the real story behind the present level of success.

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Griffin and Kurzen were regulars as freshmen, while Harvey was a late-season starter that year. Their 1972-73 club won just eight of 26. This trio started as sophomores and were joined by Tyson from Fostoria, O., and a transfer from Aquinas College. Cutter, then a freshman, was the sixth man as WMU improved its record to 13-13.

The present lineup comprised the regular quintet as juniors and ended with a 16-10 record, a school victory high since 1952. They missed winning the MAC title by two games with a .502 shooting percentage, well above the previous season record of .464 set the previous season.

The present group also made its presence felt in many career statistical categories.

Griffin set a career rebounding record (1,008), was runner-up in field goal percentage (.599) besides ninth in all-time scoring (1,078). He is the only Bronco cager to ever tally 1,000 points and clear 1,000 rebounds.

Tyson ended No. 5 among career scorers (1,206), third in field goals (513) and sixth in field goal accuracy (.469).

Cutter upped his career field goal percentage record to .645 showing this winter which ranked among the top performances in the nation and was good for both school and MAC seasonal standards.

Harvey ended eighth on the all-time field goal charts with 435, while Kurzen set a career record for assists (373) besides being runner-up for free throw percentage honors (.772).

Besides Murray and Cutter, other players who are expected to help next year include sophomore forward Dave Carnegie, Benton Harbor; Mike Reardon, a sophomore forward-guard from Fremont, O.; freshman guard Herman Randle of Muskegon Heights, and sophomore center Marc Throop, Romeo.

Tyson ended with a 17.9 average followed by Cutter at 12.9; Harvey, 12.7; Griffin, 10.8; sixth man Marty Murray, 8.9; and Kurzen, 7.1.

Another statistic worth noting was a .502 shooting percentage, well above the previous season record of .464 set the previous season.

"Indiana wins with muscle, Western wins with brains." — Coach Don Devoe, Virginia Tech

"They're (Western Michigan) an extremely well-coached team, ... they made us look bad. They had us in the panic stages several times. Material-wise, we have the edge at every position, but we were not keeping our heads up on layups and eyes open on rebounds. Of course, they had something to do with this and they should be real proud." — Coach Al McGuire, Marquette.

"Western is as good as any team we've played all season." — Coach Digger Phelps, Notre Dame.

"Notre Dame's 95-88 overtime victory over the visiting Broncos was a gem — one of the finest, most exciting, most thrilling games ever for Notre Dame." — Forrest Miller, Sports Editor, South Bend Tribune, 3-2-76.

"Last night, Western Michigan proved without a doubt that it could more than handle its own against the big boys of college basketball." — John Plemans, Sports Editor, Niles Daily Star, 3-2-76.

"The Kids from Kalamazoo don't get the press clippings of an Al McGuire-coached team, ... but they persevere even when they're down, as they were against Virginia Tech." — Jimmy "the Greek" Snyder, national syndicated columnist, 3-31-76.

"We hope that these outstanding young athletes and their coaches (WMU varsity men's and women's basketball squads and the Bronco hockey team) are successful in the days ahead. They deserve the community's appreciation for the pleasure and satisfaction they have provided. Win or lose, they're the greatest." — Editorial, Kalamazoo Gazette, 3-1-76.

"Without a bonafide superstar to save the day, Western Michigan had to do the next best thing — let everybody take a turn ... And the arrangement worked out quite nicely ..." — Curt Sylvester, Detroit Free Press, 3-14-76.

Gov. Milliken Salutes Broncos

Following the Bronco varsity men's basketball victory over Bowling Green, 71-58 on March 6, a win which clinched the Mid-American Conference championship for Western, Coach Eldon Miller received the following telegram:

DEAR COACH MILLER CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES ON THE TREMENDOUS RECORD YOU HAVE ACHIEVED THIS SEASON. BEST WISHES FOR A VICTORY OVER BOWLING GREEN — TO OBTAIN THE UNDISPUTED CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE. ALL OF MICHIGAN IS BEHIND YOU NOT ONLY IN TODAY'S GAME BUT THE NCAA PLAYOFFS. KIND PERSONAL REGARDS SINCERELY WILLIAM G. MILLIKEN GOVERNOR STATE OF MICHIGAN
New head Bronco basketball coach Dick Shilts, his wife Carol, and their three children.

Shilts Guides Bronco Cagers

Dick Shilts, a key assistant in Western's varsity men's basketball program for the past six years, has been named as the Bronco's new head cage coach. Shilts, 32, inherits the post held by Eldon Miller, who has accepted the head coaching reins at Ohio State University. Miller's 1975-76 Broncos established school and Mid-American Conference records for victories with a 25-3 record, earned the school's first outright league title and NCAA post-season tournament bid, and ranked No. 10 nationally on the final Associated Press poll and No. 19 nationally on the final United Press International balloting.

"Eldon is the most outstanding coach I've worked with in terms of organization, understanding administrative problems and contributing toward our entire athletic program," praised Dr. Joseph T. Hoy, WMU athletic director. "I wish him the utmost success at Ohio State."

Hoy further stated he was delighted to have "a highly-qualified person like Dick Shilts already on our staff at this time so as to provide continuity for our successful program."

Shilts coordinated WMU's defense this past year that allowed opponents under 68 points per game and earlier in his tenure as Miller's assistant, had worked with both freshmen and junior varsity teams.

Shilts is a 1965 graduate of Wittenberg University in Springfield, O., where he played under Miller. After graduation, he coached at Wadsworth (O.) High School winning one league championship and sharing another after he inherited a team that won just four of 38 previous games.

The New Paris, O., native then moved to Akron University where he directed the junior varsity team for two years before coming to WMU in 1970.

"Dick has contributed greatly to our present level of success both from a coaching and recruiting standpoint," said Hoy in reviewing the fact that Miller and his staff had taken over a team that finished with a 6-17 record in 1969-70.

"He possesses all of the qualities you look for in a young coach at the Division I level, such as recruiting ability, sensitivity for players and their problems and having a great deal of sincerity," continued Hoy.

"We regret that Eldon Miller has decided to leave Western, but we wish him and his fine family best wishes for continued success," said WMU President John T. Bernhard. "We are very pleased to have someone the caliber of Dick Shilts to take over the leadership of our Bronco basketball program. He is superbly qualified to carry on our winning tradition."

State Legislators Tip Their Hats

The Michigan legislators took their hats off to WMU's men's and women's basketball teams following their victorious seasons.

In March, the Senate adopted a resolution of congratulations that had already cleared the House, referring to the Broncos as the "greatest basketball team in Western Michigan University history." The resolution compared the 1975-76 season with the one in the "undefeated 1929-30 season coached by the legendary Buck Read."

The resolution indicated that by the end of the season, the Broncos were ranked as high as 10th in the nation by the Associated Press.

The women's team received a resolution of congratulations for winning its second consecutive state championship, while "demonstrating exemplary sportsmanship and athletic ability."

Newsweek Cites Western Fans

Western's Broncos weren't the only folks from Kalamazoo making the news at the NCAA Midwest Regional playoffs in Baton Rouge.

In the March 29 edition of Newsweek magazine, Pete Axthelm gave Bronco fans a pat on the back, of sorts, for the enthusiasm they exhibited.

"First there was Western Michigan, a faceless underdog so eager for recognition that its hometown fans flew in with buttons proclaiming, 'Yes, there really is a Kalamazoo... brilliantly coached by little-known Eldon Miller, the Broncos gave mighty Marquette a furious battle before losing. They shared equal billing with their hardy fans, who were so exhilarated by just being there that they won the week's unofficial partying competition in a startling upset of the perennially favored half-raisers from Marquette."

Determined Alum Follows Broncos

Speaking of fans, Greg Greenland, a 1970 WMU graduate now living in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., earned himself an A for effort, in our book.

The WMU-Marquette NCAA tournament game wasn't televised in Fort Lauderdale, and Greenland was not able to go to Baton Rouge, but was desperate to listen to the game.

So, he called his father, Gale Greenland, a Kalamazoo realtor, and stayed on the line while he was on another extension, listening to the broadcast going into one receiver detail for his son.

But they shared equal billing with their hardy fans, who were so exhilarated by just being there that they won the week’s unofficial partying competition in a startling upset of the perennially favored half-raisers from Marquette."

Determined Alum Follows Broncos
Women Cagers Dominate State Scene

State dominance of the intercollegiate basketball scene is "old hat" for Western's women cagers, coached by Fran Ebert.

Western won its second consecutive state championship this year and its third title in the five years that Michigan has contested a women's basketball tournament; the Bronco gals placed second both in 1973 and 1974. Ebert's squad dropped the 1973 state championship by just two points in overtime to Calvin College.

This year's WMU team posted an impressive 20-3 record. In the state tourney at Western, the Broncos whopped Calvin, 79-68; Grand Valley, 66-56; and Central Michigan, 70-57 in the title game.

In the Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women regional tournament at Central Michigan, WMU averaged an early season road loss to Indiana University (64-61) by trampling the Hoosiers, 75-62. However, Western was eliminated from regional play in the second round by the eventual champions — Wisconsin State University-LaCrosse — by a 79-72 margin. That defeat at the hands of the tall (shortest started was 5-10) LaCrosse squad was especially bitter for Ebert because the Wisconsin school is her alma mater. She earned her master's degree at Indiana U.

Ebert credits invaluable assistance from the Bronco men's basketball coaches — Eldon Miller and assistants Dick Shilts and Rich Walker — as a major reason for her squad's recent success. "They have really helped us with our player-to-player (man-to-man) defense," she explained. "I really think that it has made us stronger; it has only been the last two years that we've really been able to effectively play the player-to-player defense. Now, we use it 90 percent of the time."

The defensive statistics for her team this season certainly support her belief. Western averaged 75 points per game, while holding its opponents to a mere 58 point average for 23 contests.

Individually, Western was led by Phyllis Cupp, a 5-11½ senior from Mendon, who averaged 19 points per game. A four-year regular for the Broncos, she has averaged 19 points for 77 games during that period. She was a member of the United States team in the 1973 summer World Univer-

Women's Varsity Basketball Results

WMU (20-3) Opponent

84 Wayne State 55
84 Western Illinois 37
82 Illinois State 60
61 Indiana Univ. 64
71 Indiana State 73
81 Goshen College 43
50 Ohio State 46
75 Eastern Michigan 54
70 Calvin College 44
72 Univ. of Mich. 61
91 Ball State 77
89 Michigan State 65
71 Marshall Univ. 44
80 Marshall Univ. 55
66 Grand Valley State 53
89 Central Michigan 76
75 Calvin College 70
78 Central Michigan 56

State Tournament
79 Calvin College 68
66 Grand Valley State 56
70 Central Michigan 57*

Regional Tournament
75 Indiana U. 62
72 LaCrosse 79
* championship

1975-76 WMU Varsity Basketball Results

1975-76 Women's Varsity Basketball Team.

of five years ago," Ebert stated. "The Kalamazoo area has been ahead of the rest of the state in girl's sports at the high school level for many years."

She noted that it helps to have the girls' high school basketball season in the fall; that enabled her to get out to see about 75 different girls play last fall. The AIAW does not permit travel expenses for recruiting. Ebert pointed out that many top prospects are leaving Michigan because they are receiving scholarships to go to places like New Mexico and Arizona. She added that Michigan community colleges are giving grants-in-aid to women athletes.

Ebert's assistant coach is Pat Ashby, a WMU alumna who volunteered her services. She teaches at Comstock High School, where Ebert helps with the girls' junior varsity basketball team and the varsity girls' softball team. Mary Ann Zickler is the athletic trainer to Western's girls' squad.
Indoor Track Success Spurs Optimism for MAC Honors

Coach Jack Shaw's Western Michigan track team appears ready to post a serious challenge for Mid-American Conference championship honors this spring after a productive indoor campaign which saw the Broncos extend their unbeaten dual meet string to 51, and produce the team's first All-American since 1972.

Western, unbeaten in dual meet competition since 1965, boasts a veteran squad, including several MAC pointwinners from a team which finished fourth a year ago.

Senior weightman Mike Schomer, last year's league javelin champ, stole the show indoors, copping second place honors in the 35-pound weight throw at the NCAA in Detroit and finishing seventh nationally in the shot put. The Grosse Pointe native posted new school records with marks of 62-5% in the 35-pound event and 60-0 in the shot put, and also became the first athlete to ever hit the 60-0 mark in both events in the same meet.

Junior Dan Landman established a new school record in the mile run with a clocking of 4:03.7 at the Wolverine Invitational in Ann Arbor and was the squad's other representative to the NCAA championships.

Bob Cornwell, runner-up in the intermediate hurdles a year ago, took top honors in the 600-yard event in the MAC Invitational with a time of 1:12.3. Hastings' Tom Duits turned in a mile time of 4:07.1 to win the MAC Invitational, narrowly missing the NCAA qualifying standard, while Lansing's Ted Farmer became only the fourth performer in school history to break the 14-minute mark in the three-mile with a time of 13:58.4.

Juniors Chuck DeWildt, who finished third in the MAC meet last year, and Dave Richardson both enjoyed outstanding indoor seasons, with DeWildt hitting the 16-0 mark in the pole vault and Richardson posting a 1:12.5 for the 600. The latter individual also was a member of the Broncos' mile relay team which owned a 3:17.6 effort. Others on that team were Mark DeMeritt, Cornwell and Bill Yeo.

Another top field event man this winter was 6-10 sophomore high jumper Darrell Williams.

Gymnasts Win Lake Erie Title

Western Michigan's varsity men's gymnastics team, which leaves April 23rd for a European tour, rounded out a fantastic winter for school athletics with its second Lake Erie League championship in the past three years.

Coach Fred Orlofsky's Broncos, who owned a 4-3 record in dual-meet competition, boasted three individual champions in the meet and took top honors in each of the six events.

Leading the way for the Brown and Gold were all-arounders Mark O'Malley and Rich Heil, who finished one-two in the six-event competition with respective scores of 50.95 and 48.05.

O'Malley, a native of Taylor, also took top honors in the pommel horse, the parallel bars and the horizontal bar to become the first individual to win four league titles in a single year. On the season, the former high-school All-American owned highs of 9.15 (out of a possible 10.0) in floor exercise, 8.70 on side horse, 8.60 on rings, 9.15 in vaulting, 9.25 on parallel bars and 9.10 on high bar.

Heil, who hails from Martin's Ferry, O., was a double winner in vaulting and on still rings, while sophomore Mike King of Pontiac copped league honors in the floor exercise. The other placewinner for Western was junior Dave Zimmerman of Kalamazoo, who finished fifth on the p-bars.

In posting their fine campaign, the Broncos managed to establish an all-time team score of 191.95 in a win over Eastern Michigan and also set new event marks of 27.95 on side horse, 35.40 in vaulting, and 34.30 for high bar.

Several individual meet, season and career records were also set by this year's team. King tied the top individual meet mark in floor exercise at 9.20, O'Malley owns the second best meet scores ever in vaulting at 9.15 and on high bar at 9.10, and is the career leader in floor exercise.

Heil's top mark of 9.20 on rings ranks as the third best single score and his career means of 8.74 in vaulting and 8.67 on still rings rank first and second, respectively.
'Cardiac Kid' Icemen Romp to Second

"Western Michigan's "cardiac kid" icemen enjoyed their finest season in three years of varsity existence in 1975-76, posting an 18-14-2 mark and recording a second place finish in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association playoff finals in this their first year of Division I competition. Their regular season CCHA mark was 6-10.

Coach Bill Neal's Broncos posted first-ever wins against league powerhouses St. Louis and Lake-Superior; took three of four games from Ohio State; split a pair of decisions from respected independent Air Force; and eliminated regular season champion Bowling Green from the playoffs with a thrilling 3-2 overtime win on the road in their semifinal match-up.

Neal commented, "I am very pleased with our effort this season. It was our first year in Division I; we were playing a much tougher schedule than ever before; and we managed to go further than anyone had expected us to. It boiled down to the last two periods of the season, when we just didn't have enough. We came so close to winning the whole thing."

Western will lose only three players from this year's squad, most notably leftwing Bob Hodge and goaltender Steve Roth. If Neal can find suitable replacements for these two performers, 1977 could very well produce an even finer season.

Hodge, closed out an outstanding career with a team-leading 30 goals and 54 points, and became the all-time team scorer with 79 goals and 144 points in his three seasons of play. The aggressive 6-0, 180-pounder from Detroit also owns the career mark for three-goal hat tricks with eight and winning goals with seven, and now hopes to continue his pursuit of hockey in the professional ranks.

Roth overcame a mid-season case of the "blues" to post a sensational 5-1-1 mark in his final seven games, including three playoff encounters, and also managed to put together a scoreless string of 99:58 to eclipse the old mark of 93:24 set by him in November of 1974. The other graduate is wing Jacques Guske.

Juniors Jeff Lindsay, Phil Eve, Al Hamernick and Dave Woonton all enjoyed strong seasons in 1976 and three of the four also managed to get his name in the school's record books. Lindsay, who finished second in scoring with 46 points, became the all-time team scorer with 79 goals and 144 points in his three seasons of play. The aggressive 6-0, 180-pounder from Detroit also owns the career mark for three-goal hat tricks with eight and winning goals with seven, and now hopes to continue his pursuit of hockey in the professional ranks.

Hamernick, a three-year regular on defense, upped his career-leading totals in goals for a rearguard with 28 and points with 75, while Woonton established the record for most consecutive games played at 64.

Most of last year's top scorers, owned 22 goals and 38 points, while Steve placed third with 39 points, including 18 markers. Neil became the career-leader in assists for defenseman with 60.

Second-year regulars Bob Gardiner, Murray Pickel and Skip Howey all made valuable contributions to the Broncos' cause, while freshmen Kipp Acton, Bernie Saunders, Mark Beach, Joe McMahon and Bob Holmsten all made believers out of coaches, players and fans alike.

Back-up goalie Dan May, a transfer from Lake Superior, proved a valuable asset between the pipes and appears as the heir to the regular job next year.

Western's average home attendance for the second winter in Lawson Arena was 3,925 as all of the tickets allotted on a season basis were sold weeks before the opening game.

Blanchard Tops Freshmen Dominate Swimming Statistics

Western's varsity men's swimming coach, Dave Diget, counted heavily on freshmen this winter while compiling a 4-5 dual meet record and a ninth place finish in the Mid-American Conference championships. No doubt Diget will count heavily on these same freshmen for the next three years.

Mark Blanchard, a freshman from Garden City, topped the team in five events. Blanchard's 4:51.88 time in the 500-yard freestyle, his 10:12.30 effort in the 1650 freestyle are WMU varsity records. He was ninth in the latter event at the MAC meet and an-
Bowlers ‘Knock-over’ League

Coach Linda Law’s team took championship honors in the Michigan Intercollegiate Bowling League with a record of 69% - 10%.

Sue Winters had the top average, 161, while Patty Langs and Mary Rizzardi were right behind at 159. Next in line were Kam Mason, 152; Jan Hoffsten, 151; Judy Edmondson, 150; Julia Clary, 148; Sherry Holmes, 143; JoAnn Davis, 140; and Lynn Paulin, 136.

Young Swimmers Break Varsity Records

Coach Norma Stafford’s team was comprised mostly of freshmen and sophomores but still finished its season with an 8-7 won-loss record, and broke many varsity records in the process.

Freshman Andrea Coyle of Livonia accounted for standard in the 50-yard free-style (26.2), 100 free (58.2) and 200 free (2:09.9), while sophomore Gail Gnade, Crete, Ill., turned in records for the 500 free (5:44.3) and 200 butterfly (2:26.5).

Livonia’s Lyn Olthouse, another first-year swimmer, also established three varsity marks, those coming for the 100 individual medley (1:07.5), 100 fly (1:05.9) and 200 backstroke (2:37.7).

The other individual marks were set by Karen Jore with a 29.8 century butterfly and a 200 breaststroke clocking of 2:57.2 turned in by Linda Simpson.

Also established were new records in the 200 free relay (1:47.8) by Pam Joachimi, Coyle, Olthouse and Jore and 400 free relay (4:06.8) by Coyle, Gnade, Olthouse and Jore.

Wrestlers Post 4-6 Season Mark

Western Michigan University’s 1975-76 wrestling team captured victories in their last four dual meets to close their season with a 4-6 overall record.

Coach George Hobbs’ grapplers also competed in five tournaments. The Broncos tied for fourth place at the Ohio Open in Dayton, and placed eighth in the Mid-American Conference championship in Oxford, Ohio.

Gary Martin, a two-time MAC 150-pound champion, was the only Bronco performer to place in the conference meet. Martin, a senior from Flint with a career Bronco record of 52-23-2, copped runner-up honors in the 150-pound division losing to the meet’s “most valuable” wrestler, Gus Malivite of Ohio University, in the finals.

Graduating with Martin is Mark Sands, who ended his career at Western with a 23-19 record. Sands only competed once this year due to an injury that sidelined the 158-pounder for the season.

Jeff Krause, a 177-pound junior from Farmington, boasted a 20-6 record for the season, while classmates Bob Read, 19-11 in the 134-pound class, and Tom Dobberteen, 16-10-2 competing in the 190 weight division, were also successful matmen.

Women’s Track Runs to Second

The women’s track team coached by Jean Friedel, made its best showing with a second place finish among eight competing squads at an invitational meet hosted by Western Michigan.

Karyl Kraushaar took third places in the 220 and 440-yard dashes and Karen Smith was also third in the high jump.

Western made its best showing in the shot put with second and third place awards going to Marcia Karwass and Kim Gallo. The 800 relay team was runner-up for meet honors and the mile quartet, third.

Gymnasts Return For Next Season

Coach Dennis Spencer’s women’s gymnastics team won two of six dual engagements but will return intact for 1977 competition.

All-around standouts were Kalamazoo junior Augusta Lipsey, sophomore Kathy Snider of Rochester and Detroit junior Dina Daloisia.

Also gaining valuable experience were freshmen Kathy Frisbie, Nancy Hecker, Jenny Riley and Elizabeth Buttermore.

The team’s top score was 85 points in a dual meet loss against Kent State, while the two victories were recorded over Michigan and St. Mary’s College of Indiana.
1910's

IRENE (LANE) DeLANO, TC '11, 1315 Greenwood #20, Kalamazoo 49007, has informed us that her grandson is now a sophomore at WMU and that both of his parents are alumni. "I'm so antique and the 1976 world so different from the world of 1911 . . . ." commented the former piano teacher.

C. LOUISE (STRUBLE) WIXSON, TC'18, BS '47, has been retired from teaching since 1956. She writes that she played trombone as the only woman member of Western's first band in 1917. She was also in the orchestra and glee club, which was directed by Harper Maybee, after whom the music building is named.

1920's

RUTH (HOUSLER) JONES, TC '24, 903 Arnold Dr., Davis, Calif. 95616, the author of For Speech Sake!, has been given a recognition award for outstanding and exceptional services to exceptional children by the California State Federation Council for Exceptional Children.

BLANCHE (FRINK) CAARLS, TC '28, 4011 E. Whittier, Tucson, Ariz. 85711, retired from the Tucson public schools in 1975 after teaching there for 23 years. At present she is writing educational books for a publishing company and has just finished a standardized test for a correctional institution in Virginia.

JEAN L. TAYLOR, TC'28, 4917 Rockbluff Dr., Rolling Hills Estates, Calif. 90274, who retired from Compton (Calif.) College as director of publications and photography in 1967, is still active in numerous activities, including Kiwanis, United Crusade and a local school bond campaign. He is a genealogist, free lance writer and columnist who writes for the Phi Beta KAPPAN national magazine. A widower, in 1974 he remarried. The bride, a former childhood sweetheart, and groom were both aged 73.

1930's

ORVILLE G. HURFORD, BA '31, Uly 48475, has retired from the Thumb Electric Cooperative after 38 years with the company, 34 of which he served as manager.

THOMAS F. BRISCOE, BS '37, 2433 Atkinson, Detroit 48206, retired in January from Detroit Public Schools after 40 years of service. On January 31 he was named "Man of the Year by the 'W' Club. He is also a former Alumni Association board member and a 1975 Distinguished Alumnus Award winner.

1940's

JOHN G. HALMOND, BA '40, 223 Ruddiman Dr., North Muskegon 49444, was featured in a recent issue of Michigan Counties Today. He is in his fourth term on the Muskegon County Board of Supervisors and has been a teacher for 30 years, currently teaching political science and economics at North Muskegon High School.

MEYER WARSHAWSKY, BA '43, R#5, South Haven 49090, has been named Van Buren County circuit judge.

LOIS VANDENBERG, BS '44, 1339 Lakeway, Kalamazoo 49001, has retired from her position of assistant professor of directed teaching at WMU.

SIDNEY V. DEBOER, BS '48, 939 Gliccroft, Battle Creek 49015, is an instructor of biological sciences at Kellogg Community College, a position he has held since the college opened in 1956.

1950's

WILLIAM L. DUDAS, BS '50, MA '60, 3837 Grete, Grandville 49418, has retired after 25 years as track coach at Grandville High School. He is continuing to teach Industrial Arts in the junior high.

FLORENCE (CLEMENTZ) MANNING, BS '50, 4868 Orchard Lane, Owosso 48867, is a public health nurse in Shiawassee County.

MARY L. TAYLOR, BA '50, MSL '64, 1406 N. Rose, Kalamazoo 49006, associate professor, WMU library, has spearheaded the installation of the Automated Circulation System (ACS) in the university's libraries.

NORMAN E. DEITERS, BS '51, 949 Young Ave., Muskegon 49441, is varsity basketball coach at Holton High School.

LAWRENCE J. BEAUDOUIN JR., BS '53, MA '61, 8918 Newhouse, Portage 49081 on March 1 became vocational-technical specialist in career education for the Allegan County schools.

KATHLEEN (PIKET) BURGESS, BA '54, 3750 Tyler St., Gary, Ind. 46408, teaches children's literature at Indiana University, Northwest, along with her duties as librarian.

F. HAROLD CREAL, BBA '54, 964 Union City, R#2, Coldwater 49036, director of the Carriage Inn Convalescent Center in Coldwater and the Bronson Home for the Aging, has been elected a director-at-large of the Health Care Association of Michigan.

MARGARET PERRY, BA '54, 287 Melrose St., Rochester, N.Y. 14619, head of the education library and assistant professor in the college of education and department of English at the University of Rochester, published another book in 1975, Silence to the Drums . . .

LESTER R. BEEMAN, BS '55, 108 N. Center St., Hartford 49057, has been promoted to the post of technical director of Watervliet Paper Company, Incorporated.

DOUGLAS G. ANDREWS, BA '56, has been named business manager for Countryside Enterprises, the book publishing division of Farm Journal in Philadelphia.

JAMES E. HYAMES, BBA '56, 1815 Skyler Dr., Kalamazoo 49008, has been elected vice president and personnel officer of the First National Bank and Trust Company of Michigan.

WILLIAM R. LAJOIE, BS '56, 35865 Barkley, Livonia 48154, is director of player procurement for the Detroit Tigers baseball team.
JAMES S. CASEY, BA '57, 1123 Bronson Circle, Kalamazoo 49008, former associate professor of general business at WMU, has been appointed Kalamazoo County probate judge. He was sworn in March 10.

JAMES W. FASTENRATH, BS '57, 1903 New Hampshire NW, Washington, D.C. 20036, is a program analyst with the Civil Preparedness Agency of the Defense Department.

DONNA (BAHR) WILLETT, MA '57, R#3, 1444 E. Coon Lake, Howell 48843, is a music teacher in the Howell schools.

RICHARD YINGLING, AB '57, 2746 N. 10th St., Kalamazoo 49008, former associate professor of humanities at WMU, served as a consultant-participant in an Interdisciplinary Teaching Workshop at Clemson (S.C.) University. He was also the main speaker at the meeting of the Art Education Association of Indiana in March at Indiana University in Bloomington.

ROY E. KEECH, BBA '58, 2442 Sharon Ave. SW, Grand Rapids 49509, is vice president of finance and administration of Herman Miller, Incorporated, a Zeeland-based firm.

JOAN McCARN, BS '58, MOT '69, 6352 Chapman Ave., Garden Grove, Calif. 92641, is supervisor of the spinal cord injury unit at Veterans Administration Hospital in Long Beach, Calif.

DR. PHILIP D. ADAMS, BA '59, 7617 Sandy Ridge, Kalamazoo 49002, chairman of the humanities area of the college of general studies at WMU, served as a consultant-participant in an Interdisciplinary Teaching Workshop at Clemson (S.C.) University. He was also the main speaker at the meeting of the Art Education Association of Indiana in March at Indiana University in Bloomington.

R. DEAN AMOS, BM '59, 1614 Morningside Ave., Duluth, Minn. 55803, is manager of the Duluth-Superior Symphony Association.

M. SGT. DARRIS T. DEAL, BM '59, 42 Hilltop Lane, Augusta 49072, is a Michigan Air National Guard recruiter at Kellogg Regional Airport and a civilian employee of the Battle Creek Veterans Administration Hospital.

TIMOTHY G. LEWIS, BS '59, 184 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn, N.Y. 11217, a designer and illustrator, was featured in an exhibit of graphic art work at WMU's Gallery II in Sangren Hall in March.

WILLIAM J. NICHOLSON, BBA '59, 2691 Sylvan Shores, Pontiac 48054, has been appointed director of agencies for the Southeast Michigan region of Philadelphia Life Insurance Company.

JERRY E. DALMAN, BM '60, MA '65, 1220 Monroe Blvd., South Haven 49090, has been named assistant junior-senior high school principal by the Hamilton board of education.

R. MICHAEL DERRY, BBA '60, is assistant to the president of Blount, Incorporated, in Montgomery, Ala.

MARLENE (LESSARD) CASZATT, BS '60, Calm Lake Rd., Bellaire 49615, extension home economist for Antrim and Kalkaska counties, received the Michigan Association of Extension Home Economists' Distinguished Service Award at its annual conference.

DR. THOMAS D. DOWN, BS '60, is a professor in the school of public health at the University of Texas, Houston.

HENRY A. SWIFTNEY, BBA '60, 4610 Fairway Ridge, West Bloomfield 48033, is the new general manager of the Plymouth and Detroit divisions of Packaging Corporation of America.

DONNA (LOVE) COLE, BS '61, 18 Wendell St., Battle Creek 49016, has been elected chairperson of the board of directors of Battle Creek Day Care, Incorporated. She is employed by the Calhoun Area Vocational Center.

CAROLYN A. KRILL, BM '61, MA '75, 9592 W. Michigan Ave., Kalamazoo 49009 has been named residence program director of the Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA) in Kalamazoo.

JACK C. WIDAS, BBA '61, and his wife, the former JANET SABROSKY, BS '62, 3241 Ave. F, Billings, Mont. 59103, have purchased a restaurant and lounge in Fort Rockvale, Mont.

GAYLORD E. BALCH, BS '62, 855 N. Sturgis Rd., Mendon 49072, is an industrial engineer at the Kirsch Company in Sturgis.

JEROME R. FULTON, BBA '62, 820 Drape St., Vicksburg 49097, has purchased the real estate firm of W. C. Heehler.

MAX L. CRANDALL, BS '63, 1111 E. Michigan #66, Battle Creek 49016, has been promoted to scheduling supervisor at the Kellogg Company.

DR. ELIZABETH A. GOODRICH, BA '63, has joined the staff of the business education department at Central Michigan University.

DAVID M. SARKOZY, BA '63, 36119 Sherwood, Livonia 48154, has been appointed manager of employee relations for Sperry Vickers' North American Group.

DR. THEODORE G. VANISTENDAL, BBA '63, 2075 Lyde Place, Scotch Plains, N.J. 07076, is assistant professor of business and economics at Marist College in Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

SHERWOOD B. WINSLOW JR., BBA '63, 6511 Westshire, Portage 49081, has been appointed trust officer of the First National Bank and Trust Company of Michigan.
KENNETH A. McLARTY, BBA '65, MBA '66, 45040 Deer Run Rd., Plymouth 48170, has been promoted to general operations supervisor of Michigan Bell Telephone Company's repair and facilities department in Detroit.

DR. DONALD A. BALL, BBA '66, MA '72, 800 N. Main St., Plainwell 49080, has begun practicing optometry in Plainwell, specializing in contact lenses and children's vision. His wife, Kathleen (Haag), BS '69, teaches in Delton.

EDWIN J. DICE, BS '66, 23202 E. Hillsridge Rd., Pueblo, Colo. 81006, is a high school English teacher.

WAYNE J. HARRISON, BBA '66, 2301 Grand View Dr., Greeley, Colo. 80631, is the new general manager of the packing division of Monfort of Colorado, Incorporated.

JOHN K. HICKS, BBA '66, 2842 Pease Dr., Apt. 2085, Rocky River, Ohio 44116, is general manager of the Tinnermann division of Eaton Corporation in Cleveland.

JAMES V. KATZ, BS '66, 5400 E. 85th Ave., New Carrollton, Md. 20784, is a trial attorney with the Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, in Washington, D.C.

JAMES D. PRESTON, BBA '66, 1380 Devonshire, Grosse Pointe Park 48230, has been promoted to vice president at Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit.

G. MICHAEL YAVREK, BS '66, 171 Chinoak Dr., Syracuse, N.Y. 13210, is a doctoral student of higher education at Syracuse University.

JAMES R. VOSBURGH, BBA '66, Star Route, Shingleton 49884, is district soil conservationist for Lapeer County.

ROBERT L. WILLET, JR., M.A. '66, R.3 #, 1444 E. Coon Lake, Howell 48843, has been named executive vice president and North American representative of Creditreform, Incorporated, an international firm headquartered in Augsburg, Germany.

NANCY L. BOURDAS, BS '67, MA '69, 16500 Bell Creek Lane, Livonia 48154, has been named coordinator for the Portage Community Outreach Center.

RICHARD J. BUSCH, BBA '67, 1846 McKinley St., Bay City 48706, is the Bay City personnel director.

JOHN M. CRANDLE, BBA '67, has been appointed manager of the data processing department of Starr Commonwealth for Boys in Albion.

F. PATRICK DAILY, BBA '67, 1869 Sanilac Rd., Bay City 48706, has been honored by his company, the Duro-Test Corporation of North Bergen, N.J., for having sold more light bulbs than any other member of the sales staff during each of his first three consecutive years on the job, an unprecedented sales achievement.

FRANK R. GARVER, BS '67, 2454 Oakhollow Dr. SW, Jenison 49428 recently was promoted to manager of industrial engineering at Leigh Products, Incorporated, in Coopersville.

JOHN E. GROSZKOPF, BBA '67, 965 Prairie Lawn, Glenview, Ill. 60025, is assistant administrator of Resurrection Hospital in Chicago.

DR. LOU ANN KEATING, BA '67, a counselor at the counseling and student development center at Northern Illinois University in Dekalb, was awarded a Ph.D. degree at the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley.

JIMMY L. LECLAIR, BS '67, 9663 Cardwell, Livonia 48150, is a teacher in Southfield Public Schools.

PATSY L. LLEWELLYN, BA '67, 1018 Greenway, Kalamazoo 49001, has been named assistant trust officer at the American National Bank and Trust Company of Michigan.

ALBERT A. MALIN, BS '67, 600 Sibley Lane, Marshall 49068, has been named assistant vice president of Security National Bank.

CAPT. DAVID P. ROGERS, BBA '67, chief of the officer career advancement branch in the U.S. Air Force at Scott AFB (III.), has been named Outstanding Junior Manager of the Year for Headquarters, Military Airlift Command.

MICHAEL J. WISINSKI, BS '67, 603 Morton, St. Johns 48879, has been named vice president of Clinton National Bank in St. Johns.

DR. FRANCIS A. BERNIER, MA '68, 2107 Riverwood Dr., Okemos 48864, is director of admissions for the College of Osteopathic Medicine at Michigan State University.

JOHN C. CASKEY, BS '68, is a new salesman for Compugraphic Corporation in Wilmington, Mass. Compugraphic produces phototypesetting equipment and supplies.

DONALD R. CULP, MA '68, 846 34th Ave. N, St. Cloud, Minn. 56301, is regional manager (for northern Minnesota and North Dakota) of the hospital division of Servicemaster Industries.

CAPT. DANNY L. PRINS, BS '68, 5646 Marine Pkwy., Mentor, Ohio 44060, is area commander in the U.S. Army for the Mentor zone.

MICHAEL R. SOBOL, BBA '68, MBA '71, 5170 Centreville, Grand Blanc 48439, has opened an office for the practice of podiatric medicine and foot surgery in Kalamazoo.

ALFRED S. TERRY, MBA '68, 14323 Duneswood Rd., Grand Haven 49417, has been named materials manager for the Neway Division of Lear Siegler, Incorporated, in Muskegon.

DR. LAWRENCE E. WOODHAMS, BA '68, has opened an office for the practice of podiatric medicine and foot surgery in Kalamazoo.

MARJORIE L. BUCK, BS '69, 6650 E. Arizona, Denver, Colo. 80222, is a teacher in the Jefferson County school district.

DR. SHARON K. FERRETT, MA '69, assistant dean of instruction at Delta College, has been awarded a Ph.D. in higher education administration from Michigan State University.
Former Margaret Conroy, BS ’68, of the University of Tulsa. Her wife is the assistant professor of organization behavior at 88th St., #504, Tulsa, Okla. 74136, is assistant vice president of First Federal Savings and Loan Association.

Wayne G. Schaeffer, BBA ’69, 862 Caravelle, Saginaw 48604, has been appointed controller of Peoples Banking Corporation. His wife is the former Margaret Conroy, BS ’68.

William W. Murray, BS ’69, 30 Preston Dr., Somerville, N.J. 08876, has been transferred to American Telephone and Telegraph, general departments, in New York, N.Y.

Wayne G. Schaeffer, BBA ’69, 862 Caravelle, Saginaw 48604, has been appointed controller of Peoples Banking Corporation.

John A. Schirmer, BS ’69, is doing special investigations for the homicide division of the Detroit police department.

Margaret M. Gordon, BS ’71, 2380 Geddes #C, Littleton, Colo. 80122, is a counselor in a new juvenile project of the Arapahoe County District Attorney’s office.

Meribah (Gelsier) Howarth, BS ’71, MSL ’72, 1546 Elmwood Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43212, is a reference/adult services librarian in the Upper Arlington Public Library in Columbus. Her husband, David A. Howarth, MA ’72, is a doctoral student in geography at Ohio State University.

Todd W. Laidlaw, BBA ’71, 24525 Bashian Dr., Novi 48090, is a special agent for the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland. His wife Donna (Hagener), BA ’71, is secretary to the director of personnel at Guardian Industries Corporation.

Dr. Robert D. Mendelsohn, MA ’71, PhD ’73, has been appointed assistant professor of rural sociology at South Dakota State University in Brookings.

Rev. Phyllis (Baker) Rawlings, BA ’71, 20053 Keating, Detroit 48203, is presently substitute preaching throughout Michigan. She received a bachelor of divinity degree from the Lutheran Theological Seminary in 1975 at Capital University in Columbus, Ohio.

Michael J. Schmidt, MSW ’71, 115 Maple Dr., Columbus, Ohio 43228, is employed with the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

Robert J. Sedrowski, BBA ’71, Hickory, Detroit 48205, has been appointed branch officer and named manager of the Ada office of the Old Kent Bank and Trust Company.

Lynn L. Sommefeld, BBA ’71, 34 Clymer St., #8, Pentwater 49449, has been named the new administrator of the Oceana County Medical Care Facility at Hart.

Paul J. Klapproth, BS ’69, 22923 Wellington, Dearborn 48124, has recently accepted a position as manager of public relations and communications for the Engineering Society of Detroit.

Dr. Larry E. Mainstone, BS ’69, 2525 E. 88th St., #504, Tulsa, Okla. 74136, is assistant professor of organization behavior at the University of Tulsa. His wife is the former Janet Hagenberg, BA ’71, is a librarian at the Gilmore Advertising Incorporated.

Michael R. Keller, MA ’72, 126 Tommins, San Antonio, Tex. 78214, is now working with Volunteers for Educational and Social Services (VESS) among Mexican-American students.

Steven W. Minor, BS ’72, MA ’74, 1940 Howard St., Kalamazoo 49008, has been named human services director at the John R. Jenkins Vocational Rehabilitation Center of Goodwill Industries of Southwestern Michigan.

Donald L. Seybert, BS ’72, PO Box 223, Kuwait, Kuwait, is in the Middle East for two to three years as a distributor of General Motors products.

Barrig Park, BA ’72, is senior correspondent on the news reporting staff of WWZM-TV in Grand Rapids. He appears daily on Eyewitness News.

Thomas G. Turner, BS ’71, 2617 Macomber, Flint 48503, is the new director of the Flint-Genesee County Community Coordinated Child Care Association.

Thomas A. Carlsson, BA ’72, a recent graduate of the University of Detroit’s law school, is assistant prosecuting attorney for Tuscola County in Caro.

John R. Edwards, Jr., BBA ’72, 4421 Granada Blvd., Apt. 329, Warrenville Heights, Ohio 44128, is a sales representative for the Scott Paper Company.

Susan (Greening) Fitzpatrick, BS ’72, 5995 Golfside Dr., Alma 48801, is district manager for the Coppercraft Guild Division of Dart Industries of Taunton, Mass.

Bonnine (Penz) Goodwin, BS ’72, 2315 14 Mile Rd., Apt. 207, Sterling Heights 48077, is a social worker at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac.

Karen (Biggar) Huddas, BS ’72, 30745 W. Canwood St., Agoura, Calif. 91301, is a teacher for the educationally handicapped in the Pasadena Unified School District.

Michael R. Keller, MA ’72, 2017 Elkeston #306, Kalamazoo 49001, is a copywriter for Gilmore Advertising Incorporated.

Mary (Baird) Kiebach, BA ’72, 3448 148th St., Toledo, Ohio 43611, teaches seventh grade English in the Syvlania, Ohio, school system.

Harold A. Lewis, BBA ’72, has been named merchandiser of men’s apparel and accessories for the JCPenny store in the Fairlane Town Center in Dearborn.

William McNeill, BA ’72, 126 Tommins, San Antonio, Tex. 78214, is now working with Volunteers for Educational and Social Services (VESS) among Mexican-American students.

C. William McNeill, BA ’72, 126 Tommins, San Antonio, Tex. 78214, is now working with Volunteers for Educational and Social Services (VESS) among Mexican-American students.

Steven W. Minor, BS ’72, MA ’74, 1940 Howard St., Kalamazoo 49008, has been named human services director at the John R. Jenkins Vocational Rehabilitation Center of Goodwill Industries of Southwestern Michigan.

Donald L. Seybert, BS ’72, PO Box 223, Kuwait, Kuwait, is in the Middle East for two to three years as a distributor of General Motors products.

Barrig Park, BA ’72, is senior correspondent on the news reporting staff of WWZM-TV in Grand Rapids. He appears daily on Eyewitness News.
BRADLEY F. SMITH, BA ’72, MA ’74, Delta College J-112, University Center 48710, has joined the faculty of Delta College as an instructor in political science.

WILLIAM R. STEVENS, BS ’72, 423 N. Gordon, Marshall 49068, is a process engineer with Rockwell International Off-Highway Division.

DIANE R. TAYLOR, BA ’72, 505 Edgewood Blvd., Apt. 320, Lansing 48910 is assistant service manager at Meijer Thrifty Acres in Lansing.

KATHLEEN (KELLY) TOTH, BS ’72, 3818 E. Montecito, Phoenix, Ariz. 85018, is an agriculture inspector for the state of Arizona Commission of Agriculture and Horticulture.

DUANE S. WEEP, BS ‘72, 22056 Pillette, Romulus 48174, a graduate of the Wayne State University school of law, has been admitted to the Michigan bar and has joined the Detroit law firm of Metry and Commission of Agriculture and Horticulture.

BRADLEY F. SMITH, BA ’72, MA ’74, Delta College J-112, University Center 48710, has joined the faculty of Delta College as an instructor in political science.

JOHN L. KEMLER, BS ’73, 112 Allen Ave., Green Bay, Wis. 54302, is a member of the graphic arts staff of the University of Wisconsin — Green Bay educational communications office. He recently won an award for a program title from the National Association of Educational Broadcasters (NAEB).

CHRISTINE (DUNOSKY) LOVAS, BM ’73, 11600 Burlinton, Apt. 482, Southgate 48195, is elementary band director for the Southgate school system.

MARIE A. OPYRCHAL, BBA ’73, 3950 Lake Shore Drive #324, Chicago, Ill. 60613, is a market research analyst at NPD Research in Schaumburg, Ill.

MARY (ANGELI) ROUSSEL, BA ’73, 2511 Sonora, Kalamazoo 49004, is the first female officer in Company C, 156th Signal Battalion, of the Michigan National Guard. Her husband is WAINÉ ROUSSEL, BBA ’75.

STEVEN M. SPALSBURY, BA ’73, 130 Park Dr., Parchment 49050, an advertising officer with American National Bank and Trust, is co-chairman of the 1976 summer campaign for jobs for disadvantaged youths. The sponsor is Kalamazoo Metro of the National Alliance for Businessmen.

TERRI L. THURMAN, BS ’73, 416 Lansdowne, Portage 49081, is Portage’s first female patrol officer.

BARBARA R. VAN VLIELT, BS ’73, 2126 Highlander SE, Kentwood 49508, has been appointed branch officer and manager of the Plainfield-East Beltline office of Old Kent Bank and Trust Company.

STEVEN R. CANNON, BS ’74, a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force, was awarded silver wings following graduation from navigator training at Mather AFB, Calif. He is now at Dyess AFB, Tex., for flying duty with a unit of the Military Airlift Command.

GLENN T. HECKER, BS ’73, 133 S. Arlington, Kalamazoo 49007, is a supervisor at the Brown Company.

WILLIAM B. CONNOR, BA ’74, 1139 Leaky Rd., Monterey, Calif. 93940, is a second lieutenant in the U.S. Army at Fort Ord, Calif.

SUSAN J. FORD, BA ’74, 608 N. 35th St., Apt. 2D, Galesburg 49053, is the supervisor of communications services for the Brown Company in Kalamazoo.

STEPHEN M. HAYES, MSL ’74, 602½ Ironwood, South Bend, Ind. 46615, is documents librarian at Notre Dame University. He assisted in preparing a recently published bibliography of environmental concerns in government publications co-authored by two WMU librarians.

JANE E. HARMON, BS ’74, 3336 Roosevelt Rd., Apt. 2-1, Muskegon 49441, is the newly appointed director of occupational therapy at Mercy Hospital, Muskegon.

CARL J. KITCHIN, MSL ’74, 414 E. Cedar, Apt. 5, Olathe, Kan. 66061, is a reference librarian at Mid-America Nazarene College.

MICHAEJ. LAPINSKI, BBA ’74, 2845 Powers Ferry Rd., Apt. 406-B, Marietta, Ga. 30062, has been transferred to the Atlanta, Ga., sales office of Dow Chemical, where he is Co-Polymer Product Specialist.

Renee (Willett) LINVILLE, BA ’74, 1236 N. Eagle Lake Dr., Kalamazoo 49009, a graduate student in WMU’s School of Librarianship, has received the annual award of the WMU chapter of Beta Phi Mu, national librarianship honor society, on the basis that she shows more professional promise than any other student in the school.

GENE E. MOON, BBA ’74, 8210 Heritage Dr., Kalamazoo 49009, is the new owner of an auto dealership in Paw Paw: Gene Moon Buick-Pontiac, Incorporated.

JUDY L. NANTAU, MA ’74, is program director of the North Central Multi-District Special Services, which provides services to exceptional children in seven school districts in South Dakota.

MICHAEL A. NASTLE, BS ’74, 1421 N. Irish Rd., Davison 48423, has been named acting city assessor of Fenton.

MARY K. POLAN, BS ’74, Madison Heights, is a Peace Corps volunteer in Kelang, Malaysia, teaching biology and physical education.

DENISE (Carter) RUDZEWICZ, BS ’74, 19565 McKinnon, Roseville 48066, is a substitute teacher in East Detroit. Her husband, ALAN C. RUDZEWICZ, BBA ’73, is a senior at the Detroit College of Law.

SUSANNE W. WISNEY, BS ’74, 39635 Highview, New Baltimore 48047, is recreation director for the city of New Baltimore.

CRAIG R. ETHERIDGE, BBA ’73, 6730 Indianwood Trail, Birmingham 48010, has been named a career representative of the Detroit/Kanter general agency of National Life Insurance Company of Vermont.

MARY J. FAIR, BA ’75, Lakecrest Towers #20, 222 North Shore Dr., South Haven 49090, has been named Area Living Editor for the South Haven Daily Tribune.
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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA - University President John T. Bernhard, along with Fred Hansen and Russell Gabier, greeted alumni, spouses and friends of WMU now living in the San Francisco area at a dinner at Rick's Swiss Chalet in Palo Alto on February 21. About 30 grads attended. The arrangements for the meeting were made by Hugh E. Conners II, BA '59, and Gretchen (Schoeder) Conners, BA '58, 892 Pyrus Way, Sunnyvale, Calif. 94087.

SOUTHERN FLORIDA - WMU alumni from the Miami-Fort Lauderdale area met on Monday, February 16, at Pier 66 for a dinner program. The speaker was Dr. Myron Coulter. Edward E. Kurt, BBA '70, 550 NE 20th St., Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. 33305, is club chairman.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA - Area graduates met with Fred Hansen and Russell Gabier for a dinner at Sir Michaels in Los Angeles on February 20. Coordinator for the event was Peter Van Dyken, BA '56, 13829 Biola Ave., La Mirada, Calif. 90638. Approximately 50 people attended, and the club officers announced that $100 was raised to be added to the Southern California Alumni Short Term Loan Fund for WMU students.

MICHIANA - About 250 people gathered after the Notre Dame basketball game on March 1 in South Bend. Patricia (Falvey) Calhoun, BS '65, 1210 Fair Oaks, Niles 49120, an officer of the Michiana club, presented coach Eldon Miller with a framed picture of the basketball team. Dr. Bernhard also attended the party.

Raft Trip May 24-29

A Grand Canyon raft trip for WMU alumni and friends is scheduled for May 24-29. It is being co-sponsored by the Geology Department and Alumni Development Office. Participants will travel 200 miles of the Colorado River. Trip leader will be Dr. Lloyd J. Schmaltz, chairperson of the geology department, who has conducted several student raft trips.

Alumni Sorority Holds Annual Convention

The 32nd annual spring convention of Alpha Beta Epsilon, an alumnae sorority, was held on the WMU campus Saturday, April 10.

Speaker for the convention luncheon was Thomas E. Coyne, vice president for student services. Other invited guests were Mrs. Bernhard, Alumni Development Director Russell Gabier, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hansen, and Mrs. Lucile Sayles.

The sorority has 16 chapters and more than 600 active members around the state. President of the Inter Chapter Council is Esther Frappier, St. Joseph.
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We erred in the January University Magazine list of New Life Members of the WMU Alumni Association. The maiden name of Mrs. Miriam Howard is Roeder. The correct information follows:


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First President’s Widow Dies

Mrs. Lilian T. Waldo, the widow of Dr. Dwight B. Waldo, first president of Western, died Feb. 26 in Kalamazoo at the age of 92.

Memorial services were held at Western’s Kanley Chapel, with Dr. Lewis A. Briner and Rev. Charles Kinsey officiating.

Dr. Waldo, who died in 1939, founded Western, then called Western State Normal School, in Kalamazoo in 1903. Waldo served as president until his retirement in 1936.

The flag in front of the WMU administration building was flown at half-staff the day of Mrs. Waldo’s funeral services.

“On behalf of the faculty, staff and alumni of Western Michigan University,” said Dr. John T. Bernhard, WMU president, “I want to express our deepest sympathy to the Waldo family for the loss of Mrs. Dwight B. Waldo.”

Bernhard said “her devotion, interest and support, and enthusiasm for WMU are models for all of us who are associated with this great institution of higher education to emulate. She was truly Western’s first lady.”

Memorial contributions may be made to Waldo Library at Western, or to the WMU Scholarship Fund.

ALUMNI

Nina (Daniels) Detwiler '06, East Aurora, N.Y., February 21
Margaret E. Murray '12, Grand Rapids, January 25.
Arch Flannery '16, Nashville, Tenn., October 15
Kittie (French) Bole '17, Battle Creek, March 1.
Lucille (Conrad) Collins '17, '31, Ann Arbor, January 11.
Beatrice O. Bixby '22, Kalamazoo, February 25.
Aloise (Gossinger) Fortenbacher '29, Spring Lake, January 30.
Margaret J. Rafferty '32, '45, Grand Rapids, January 6.
Elizabeth Buck '33, Kalamazoo, January 18.
Frances (Boer) Novak '35, Charlevoix, February 6.
Kenneth F. Massey '36, Big Rapids, December 25.
Millard Engle '44, Caledonia, December 24.
Jack W. Lees '47, St. Clair Shores, February 10.
Mary (Parker) Gebhard '51, '55, Marcellus, January 31.
Patricia (Doppel) Meier '54, Southfield, February 13.
Irene P. Miles '55, Winter Park, Fla., February 2.
Katherine (Vinnedge) Johnston '59, Saugatuck, January 16.
James J. Sawtell '60, Bethany, W. Va., March 1.
Robert D. Kielczynski '69, Troy, Ohio, February 19.
Dorothy A. Hackett '70, Kalamazoo, February 5.
Patricia D. Grant '72, Lathrup Village, January 31.
Thomas D. Schrauben '75, Grand Rapids, January 19.

Faculty

Esther Swanson, a former WMU special education supervisor in the Paw Paw Training School in the early 1940's, died Jan. 22 in Topeka, Kansas following a lengthy illness.
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