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TUITION HIKE -- GVSC followed the lead of other state-supported colleges and universities in raising its tuition rate beginning with the fall term. Tuition and fees were increased by \$20 per term or \$60 per academic year, bringing total charges for tuition and fees to \$125 per term or \$375 per year for Michigan residents. Out-of-state students will now pay \$900 a year, \$150 more than last year's rate.

"The increase in tuition and fees is necessary to maintain the excellence of education at Grand Valley, in view of rising costs," president Zumberge stated. "With this added revenue we can assure our students that their education will continue at its present level of high quality."

A budget of \$2,570,000 has been adopted by the GVSC board of control for 1967-68, \$1,985,000 of which comes from state appropriations.

OTHER BOARD OF CONTROL ACTION -- On July 19, the GVSC board of control approved a collective bargaining one-year contract with the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO. The contract involves 26 custodial and maintenance employees.

FALL TERM HOUSING -- Students entering GVSC for the fall term, 1967 are encouraged to make their housing plans as soon as possible. Arrangements can be made through the director of housing at the college. Construction of the new resident hall, Robinson House, is progressing on schedule, with occupancy planned for September.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS -- Seven GVSC faculty members received promotions recently: Dr. Carl J. Bajema to Associate Professor of Biology; William B. Beidler to Associate Professor of Music; Helen L. Freeman to Associate Professor of Physical Education; Dr. Donald L. Herman to Associate Professor of Political Science; Dr. Sungjook Junn to Associate Professor of Political Science; Dr. William A. Peterson to Associate Professor of Economics; and Julianne VandenWyngaard to Instructor of Music. Dr. Bajema is on leave of absence at Harvard for the 1967-68 academic year.

Donald Hall has been appointed Acting Dean of Student Affairs at GVSC. Hall has been associated with Grand Valley since 1963 as associate professor of physics and has also served as assistant dean for academic affairs since 1966. He holds a B.S. degree and an M.S. degree, both in physics, from Michigan State University. Before joining the faculty at Grand Valley he was a member of the faculty at M.S.U., Ferris Institute, Northwestern Michigan College and Delta College. While at Delta, he was director of the Delta Planetarium.

Dr. D.F. Waterman, Grand Rapids pediatrician has been appointed parttime lecturer in psychology for the fall term, 1967. He will teach a course in mental hygiene as part of the new special education program to prepare teachers of the mentally handicapped. The course will be offered fall and spring terms and will meet two nights a week.

James B. Allen will join the staff at Grand Valley on Sept. 1 as college relations officer. He is presently manager of the Grand Rapids office of Fahnestock & Co., and holds an A.B. in English from the U.of M.

Miss Sally I. Everett, instructor in art at M.S.U., was appointed lecturer in art history for the second five weeks of the 1967 summer term. Miss Everett will return to Michigan State in the fall.

GVSC CATALOG -- The new 1967-68-69 Grand Valley State College catalog has arrived from the printers. Copies may be obtained from the Admissions Office at the college.

NEW VISTAS -- George K. Hundley, former GVSC associate professor of sociology, has been appointed director of the Inter-American University at Barran Quitas in Puerto Rico. This branch of the University is located in the central highlands of the island. Mr. Hundley left this month to take up his new duties.

ANGUS RE-LAUNCHED -- On July 21 Gelock Heavy Movers, Grand Rapids transported GVSC's research vessel ANGUS from Allendale to Barrett's Marina in Spring Lake. The ship, which was donated to the college by the late D. J. Angus of Spring Lake and Indianapolis, had been refitted as an oceanographic laboratory through the winter by Grand Valley staff members headed by R. Donald Lautenbach, superintendent of buildings and grounds and master of the ANGUS. Electronic equipment, including ship-to-shore radio, fathometer, radar, radio direction finder, and diesel generating equipment, has been installed. A hydraulic winch, capable of handling a 1,500 cable for depth recording and bottom sampling instruments, has been fitted to the stern.

Dr. Ronald Ward, assistant professor of biology, stated the ship will be used for biological and aquatic ecology work about one mile off-shore, in about 100 to 150 feet of water.

Shake-down cruises have been taken on Lake Michigan and classes have begun on board. The vessel is beethed at the Government docks in Grand Haven.