McDowell Resigns for California Deanship

Richard L. McDowell, dean of the School of Management for the past 17 years, has been appointed dean of the School of Business at Chapman College, Orange Calif., effective July 1.

McDowell's decision to leave Suffolk for the West Coast post was announced at a special SOM faculty meeting in January at which President Sargent expressed his disappointment at McDowell's departure and praised the commitment he has made to the School of Management.

"He will long be remembered for his great contributions to the University over the past 17 years," Sargent noted. "During his tenure, the School of Management received accreditation from the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business and the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration. Suffolk University is the only school of management in New England to hold national accreditation for both public and business sector programs."

In a memorandum to the Suffolk community, Sargent said that McDowell's departure "represents a great personal loss for those who were privileged to know Dick and his wife, Sally, for they are two of the most delightful, caring and sensitive members of the Suffolk community."

McDowell joined Suffolk in 1973 as associate professor and director of the Center for State Management, initiating the master in public administration and the B.S. in Public Administration programs. A year later, he was named dean to succeed Robert C. Waehler. Prior to coming to Suffolk, Dean McDowell had served in educational capacities at Bentley, Tufts and M.I.T.

During his tenure at Suffolk, the school, in addition to achieving national accreditation in both business and public administration, developed programs in information systems, international education, executive education and health administration, and he established the Executive MBA Saturday program.

McDowell holds bachelor's and master's degrees from M.I.T. and has his Ph.D. from Tufts University. "I have enjoyed my relationship with Suffolk immensely and will certainly miss all of the very devoted and dedicated Suffolk family," McDowell said. "But the offer at Chapman represents a tremendous challenge for me as it is a leading private college in Orange County, known for its center for Economic Research, and it attracts some 900 business leaders each year."

McDowell has been active in community affairs in Boston and has served on the board of directors of the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business and the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration.

Sargent said a search committee will be formed shortly to select McDowell's successor.

Board Votes Scholarships for Gulf Service

The Board of Trustees voted at its Feb. 13 meeting to award a half scholarship to six Suffolk University students presently serving the country in the Persian Gulf.

Acting upon the recommendation of the Student Financial Aid and Enrollment Management Committee, the board approved the award of one tuition-free semester to each upon their re-entry into the University as matriculated students.

The students serving in the Gulf are Daniel J. Duchini of Pembroke, a junior majoring in political science, Thomas F. Kelly of Braintree, a sophomore biology major, Dennis P. Mawn of Norwood, a freshman in liberal arts, Matthew H. Malone of Newton, a sophomore history major, all in the Marine Corps, and Christopher A. Brown of Weymouth, a second year day law student, U.S. Army, and from staff, Susan J. Lynch of South Weymouth, a senior majoring in sociology. Lynch is a secretary in the Law School.
A Home Game — at Last — For S.U. Hoop Rams

After 45 years of basketball on the road and in rented facilities, Suffolk University finally played a home game Tuesday, February 5, as it opened its new gymnasium on Cambridge Street against UMass-Boston. The Rams lost 75-70.

Prior to the 7:30 p.m. tapoff, a ceremony was held on the new subterranean court as President David J. Sargent and Athletic Director Jim Nelson welcomed guests and past players.

A highlight of the 5 p.m. program was the presentation of a $2000 check from the University to the Red Auerbach Fund, which promotes youth development opportunities. Celtics General Manager Jan Volk accepted the donation from Vice President and Treasurer Francis X. Flannery. Also on hand was Celtic player Derrick Smith who was presented a Suffolk sweatshirt.

President Sargent called the evening a "joyful and truly significant milestone in the University's 85 year history." He praised his presidential predecessors Daniel H. Perlman and Thomas A. Fulham for working within the Beacon Hill community to make construction of the facility a reality after years of controversy.

"Their dedication and efforts helped make this possible and we also can't forget the perseverance of the late Athletic Director Charles Law and present A.D. Jim Nelson for the sacrifices they made over the years," Sargent noted. "And it is gratifying to see so many past players here."

Guests included Phyllis Law, widow of Charlie Law, founder of Suffolk's athletic program in 1946, Jay A. Lupica, president of the Beacon Hill Civic Association, a number of University trustees and many former University coaches.

Coach Nelson said, "This is a special evening for those athletes presently enrolled and for those former student athletes who never had the opportunity to play on a home court but are here to share in this exciting moment and remain loyal to their alma mater."

The gymnasium, located some 30 feet below ground, is a part of a recently completed $10 million, four-story building at 148 Cambridge St. in Boston's West End. The building also houses a University bookstore, student services and academic units.

Suffolk instituted an athletic program in 1946 under the late Charlie Law, a former Weston High School coach. He coached Suffolk basketball for 32 years, leading the Rams to two Division III NCAA post season tournaments and had a career record of 295 wins and 258 losses.

The 1990-91 Rams, ending a 12th straight losing season, posted their first victory on their new court over Colby-Sawyer College.

Meanwhile — How about Rams Hockey!

Somewhat overlooked with all the hubbub of the new Suffolk gymnasium has been the season the Suffolk University hockey team has enjoyed. As The SUN went to press, the Rams had posted an 20-4 record and are quickly developing a winning tradition.

The Rams have clinched a post season ECAC hockey tournament bid and their Co-Capt. and top star Brian Horan is on his way to his third straight ECAC Division III scoring championship. He has amassed some 272 points in less than four full seasons of play.

Giving him solid offensive support are teammates Brian Gruning and Sean O'Driscoll who rank second and third in ECAC North scoring behind Horan, who is the top scorer in the entire East.

The Rams have set a new record for most victories, topping their 19 wins in 1989.

Stay tuned.
Nomads No Longer

Roses for a lady - Mrs. Phyllis Law accepts from Jim Nelson

Wish Derrick Smith could play for Suffolk

Women's Coach Joe Walsh with 1000 point scorers Cheryl Scanlon and Kelly Harney

Administrative Logo Look
L. to r. - Lou Connelly, Francis X. Flannery, President Sargent and Jim Nelson

Suffolk support at opening night was offered by basketball player Maureen Brown, Athletic Office work-study student Amy Barringer and women's hoop captain Laura Long

Jan Volk expresses thanks from Celtics
Kindregan, Murphy New Associate Deans

Law School Professors Charles P. Kindregan and Russell G. Murphy have assumed their positions as associate law deans at the school.

The two succeed Herbert Lemelman and Malcolm M. Donahue, both of whom are returning to the classroom where they have long served the school, Dean Paul R. Sugarman has announced.

Kindregan, a noted authority on family law and author of six books, notably on that subject and legal malpractice, has been a member of the Law School faculty for 23 years and from 1982 to 1988 was director of Suffolk's Center for Professional Development.

Murphy, a member of the faculty since 1980 and former assistant dean at Boston College Law School, also served as director of first year research and writing at Gonzaga Law School in Spokane, Washington. He has been cited twice for outstanding faculty awards, served as director of the legal practice skills at Suffolk and has been advisor to the highly successful national moot court team at Suffolk and Boston College Law School. His most recent Law Review article was cited in an opinion by the Supreme Judicial Court.

Since 1974, Murphy has taught criminal law and procedure, civil procedure, federal courts and constitutional law.

"Charles Kindregan and Russell Murphy are highly respected teachers who have brought distinction to Suffolk University Law School through their classroom instruction and efforts on behalf of the legal profession, said Dean Sugarman. "The Law School is now proud to utilize the administrative abilities of these two scholars, who have served the school so well for a number of years."

"The Law School is grateful for the exemplary and dedicated service of Deans Donahue and Lemelman," Sugarman said. "Herb Lemelman has returned to full-time writing and teaching after 14 years as associate dean. His service paralleled years of great progress in the Law School.

"Associate Dean Malcolm Donahue will continue in his post until July when he will resume the position of professor of law.

"Dean Donahue has served on the faculty for 35 years, 17 as associate dean and his service on the faculty will be an on-going source of strength and inspiration to everyone at Suffolk."

Dean Kindregan is a native of Philadelphia and was graduated from LaSalle University with honors with a bachelor of arts degree and received a master of arts degree, also from that institution. He received his juris doctor degree from Chicago-Kent College of Law (Illinois Institute of Technology.) He also holds a master of laws degree from Northwestern University Law School.

His most recent book, *Family Law*, co-authored with Atty. Monroe L. Inker, was published by West Publishing Co. in 1990 as four volumes in the *Massachusetts Practice Series*.

Murphy has been active in the Council on Legal Education Opportunity, teaching at the 1979 conference at Rutgers University Law School and at the 1978 and 1980 conferences at Boston College. This past fall, he served as a visiting scholar at Harvard Law School.

A graduate of the University of Massachusetts with a bachelor of arts degree, he received his juris doctor degree from Suffolk Law School in 1973 graduating cum laude and second in his class.

Soviet Businessmen Conclude Suffolk Visit

Thirty Soviet businessmen from the Leningrad area concluded a month long visit Feb. 6 with the presentation of graduation certificates, an exchange of gifts, and a talk from the Vice Mayor of Leningrad, Alexander Tikhonov.

In his speech, Tikhonov declared the most effective investment is people and that sometimes the Soviets feel that as Americans we may have difficulty understanding their problems, but that we need each other as friends to make the education of the visiting students work in Leningrad.

The Russian business executives took part in a four-week program in business management jointly sponsored by School of Management's Center for Management Development and the American Business Center, a division of the US/USSR Joint Venture Moscow Project Management.

Soviets visit Polaroid

The contingent attended various morning classes, then went on field trips to area companies to see business principles applied.

Among companies that hosted the Soviet group were Gillette, Polaroid, Digital, Wang, Polyken, Liberty Mutual and the Boston Stock Exchange. The students were also able to do some sightseeing as well; they went on a trolley tour of Boston, went to Super Stop & Shop in Dedham, and toured the courthouse in Boston.

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Personnel

Writing Programs For Support Staff

Late winter staff development programs include two workshops for managers and supervisors: "Creating an Intercultural Workplace: Taking the Next Step" on Tuesday, February 26 from 9:30-1:00 in A-110 and "Managing Conflict at Work" on Thursday, March 28 from 9:30-1:00 in the Vice President's Conference Room, One Beacon. (Note the room change!)

The workshops on the 26th explore the numerous challenges which arise in managing a changing work force. How do we acknowledge cultural differences without creating deeper divisions? How do we have a productive dialogue without either stepping on toes or watering down the issues? The focus of the workshop on managing conflict is on learning to identify and clarify issues and on empowering the parties to listen and respond to one another in ways that minimize a right/wrong situation.

Two financial planning programs "Financing a New Home or Condominium" and "How to Save at Suffolk" are scheduled for Wednesday, February 27 from noon-1:00 in A-110 and for Wednesday, March 7 from noon-1:00 in the Vice President's Conference Room, One Beacon.

To register for any of these programs, send a note or call Human Resources at Ext. 8415.

Credit Union Moves to New Home

The University Credit Union has moved to more spacious quarters at 846 Commonwealth Ave. at the Boston University-West stop on the MBTA Green Line, Boston College branch.

Incidentally, the Credit Union is making a University Credit Union MasterCard available to members. The annual interest rate is 14.990% with an annual fee of only 10%. Those interested may call (617) 353-2393.

Hamann Will Bike Across America

Sawyer Librarian Ted Hamann, a bicycling enthusiast for nearly a decade, will soon take his longest bike ride - 3300 miles to be exact - from Los Angeles to Boston.

The 57-year old Hamann will be one of about 125 cyclists who will participate in the Pedal for Power Across America ride beginning on May 12. Proceeds of the ride will go to Oxfam America and the Bicyclists Educational and Legal Foundation, a non-profit League of American Wheelmen organization committed to improving safety and to protect the rights of bicyclists.

"I see this as the experience of a lifetime and the ultimate bicycling experience challenge," says Hamann. "And it is a marvelous opportunity to help Oxfam America."

Oxfam is an international agency that funds self-help development projects and disaster relief in poor countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean. It is a non-profit non-sectarian agency.

"I chose to ride for Oxfam because I believe that this organization can, with modest amounts of money, enable those less fortunate than ourselves to improve their lives."

Hamann urged those wishing to make a contribution to send their tax-deductible contribution, made payable to PDP/Oxfam America, to him.

Hamann will pedal his 18-speed Japanese made bike with its drop handlebars each day and is expected to arrive in Boston on June 27, some seven weeks after the journey begins.

He's combining past and future vacation time from his library post and is paying his own air fare to the West Coast for the bike ride, which will probably average about 70 miles a day over the 47-day jaunt.

Hamann has done 50 to 70 miles in a day in the past notably in the Vermont Bicycling Tournament and often bikes to Suffolk from his Newton home.

Staying at motels throughout the trek, Hamann looks forward to seeing Southern California, the desert of Arizona, the Rockies, the plains of Kansas and the rural and bucolic New England countryside.

Hamann quit smoking a year ago and this has increased his stamina for the lengthy ride. And he is delighted that he can ride for Oxfam. "I'm sure that my efforts and the support from my sponsors will make a difference," he points out.

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Faculty members who participated in teaching classes were Prof. O'Hara, Coward, Wheeler, Pinson, Tomczyk, Khaksari, Castellano, Millen, Grover, Mazen, Ornstein, Landau, Aydin and Eonass

Subjects covered included marketing, accounting and international business. Four interpreters also took part in the sessions.

Jan Lequesne, director of Suffolk's Center for Management Development, and Rita Cuker, director of the American Business Center and president of All World Travel, initiated the partnership to assist business people in the Leningrad area with the business education needed to compete in the new market economy evolving in the Soviet Union.
Newsmakers

Laurent Rapin, a consul general of France, congratulates Weitz on her award.

MARGARET WEITZ of Humanities and Modern Languages was awarded the Academic Palms, the second oldest decoration awarded by the French Government, at a reception at the Parkman House on Feb. 7.

Laurent Rapin, consul general of France in New England, made the presentation. Among the speakers were President Sargent, Dean Ronayne, Rose Marie Sansone, director of the City's Office of Cultural Affairs, Mdm. Noelle de Chambrun, French cultural and scientific attache. Weitz, chair of the Humanities and Modern Languages department since 1984, was recognized for distinction in the teaching and promotion of French culture. The order was instituted in 1808 by Napoleon to honor French academics who had rendered outstanding service to education and was later opened to foreigners.

Weitz chaired and organized the Bicentennial Symposium on Human Rights in Boston in 1989 and is vice president of the Boston/Strasbourg Twin city committee on education. She has published a number of books and articles on French literature and civilization and was professor in residence for the Council of Europe, Strasbourg in the summer of 1988.

MARGUERITE J. DENNIS, Enrollment and Retention Management. Recently featured in an article in the Czechoslovakian News Weekly, she has been asked by the International Herald-Tribune to write a series of articles on financing a college education in the United States.

MORRIS McINNES of Accounting. He was an invited lecturer to India a month ago, and addressed business leaders in New Delhi, Madra, Bangalore and Bombay on the political and economic forces shaping the 1990's and kinds of business and financial strategies necessary. The visit was sponsored by the UB group, a large Indian company, and organized by Strat Mag Foundations of India.

ANN HUGHES of English. She presented a paper on "Jewish Utopian Visions from the Canonical Books, the Apocrypha and the Pseudepigrapha" at the November conference of the Society of Utopian Studies held in Lexington, Ky.

GAIL COFFLER of English. She chaired the Melville Society program at the annual meeting of the Modern Language Association in Chicago in December.

MYRA LERMAN of the School of Management. She is president of the Northeast Region Association of Academic Affairs Administrators which will hold its 26th annual conference Nov. 6-8 at the Omni Parker House with Suffolk the host institution.

JOHN C. BERG of Government. His article "Beyond the Party-Group Continuum; Interest Groups in Massachusetts" will be published in the New England Journal of Public Policy next fall. In addition, an article he wrote on redistricting the Massachusetts legislature will be included in a book being published by the Rose Institute at Claremont College, Redistricting the 50 States.

SHAHRUZ MOHTADI of Economics. He chaired two sessions at the annual meeting of the North American Economic and Finance Association and the International Trade and Finance Association in Washington, D.C. on Dec. 29 and 30.

ANTHONY M. CARILLI - Economics. His paper "Where Has All the Savings Gone?" was presented at the second annual Conference of the Congress of Political Economists International at the Park Plaza where he also chaired a conference session.

ELLIO T GABRIEL of the Dean of Students Office. He will be conference coordinator for the Partnership Workshop, sponsored by the Plan for Social Excellence Feb. 5 and 6 in Mt. Kisco, N.Y. This group supports partnership efforts between higher ed and public education.

JAMES E. NELSON of Athletics. He is serving on both the NCAA Division III New England regional basketball tournament selection committee and the ECAC Division III Basketball selection committee. He also will take part in the NCAA Youth Education through Sports (YES) scheduled for Wittenberg Univ. in Springfield, Ohio March 16. Co-Capt. Chris Delillo will accompany Nelson.


STEVEN FERREY of the Law School. Prof. Ferrey has authored a chapter in the Venture Capital Manual published in the fall of 1990. He also spoke at a symposium sponsored by the Massachusetts Continuing Education in December.

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More than 75 colleges and institutions from 20 countries were represented at the second annual convention of the Congress of Political Economists (COPE) hosted by Suffolk University at the Boston Park Plaza Jan. 9-12 and Economics’ Saroj Sawhney won rave notices for the efficiency of the conference which she coordinated. Despite some inclement weather, things ran smoothly, notably a dinner at the Kennedy Library, and sessions, which featured in one instance, George Priest, the John M. Olin Professor of Economics at Yale; Victor S. Denilenko, a member of the USSR Chamber of People’s Deputies and professor of economics at the Moscow Institute of International Relations, D.K. Bhatia, chief economist of the Central Bank of India, and Zhang Zhongli, of the Chinese Chamber of People’s Deputies, and president of the Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences. The conference drew high praise from Joseph Horton, dean of the School of Management at the University of Scranton, in a letter to President Sargent...

COPE co-founders Dr. Ts Saini of Bloomsburg University and Suffolk University’s Saroj Sawhney

We’ll surely miss the cheer and friendly manner of Physical Plant’s Gaither H. Brown, who passed away on Dec. 14. He was a well-liked man, who grew up in North Carolina, served in the Navy in World War II, came to Boston and raised his family here. He joined Suffolk’s staff in May of 1975 and during loyal service helped a lot of people with his skills, particularly Law School staffers... Our sympathies to his wife, Ethel, and family... Sympathies are also extended this month to Karen Maney of Health Services on the death of her brother, Michael, 22, in an auto accident...

Congratulations to Andrea McEachern of Data Processing and husband, Brian, on the birth of their second son, Corey John...

Pat Brown, associate law librarian, has announced her retirement after nearly 40 years services to the institution. Pat will be leaving at the end of January, 1992. She’s been a mainstay and invaluable resource all these years, and still takes considerable pride in starting the first women’s basketball team back in the fifties...

Pat Walsh of Institutional Advancement had an article “Communicating Under Occupation” (about how West Bank Palestinians disseminate information and communicate with each other under Israeli occupation) published in the Nov. 29 issue of the Boston Journal...

Reminder from Wendy Sanford of the Campus Ministry. The ministry is offering a weekly opportunity for meditation and silent prayer. Call her at Ext. 8325 for details...

Joe Vaccaro will be acting chair of the Marketing Department while Dave Wheeler is on sabbatical...

Associate Comptroller Maureen Dooley has memoed staffers about the 10th annual staff basketball game scheduled for March 1 at 6 p.m. in our new gymnasium. Sounds almost good enough for me to come out of hoop retirement. There will be a pizza party to follow the game...

Jim Lyman of the Printing & Copy Center informs us that the center on campus is now carrying 100% recycled paper, available upon request...

The 1990-91 edition of Who’s Who in America is out and contains the names of President Sargent, Dean Michael Ronayne and emeriti professors Art West and Ed Hartmann. Ed Hartmann’s been listed for the past 22 years...

The Rev. Cheryl Townsend Gilkes, associate minister at Union Baptist Church, Cambridge, was the key speaker at Suffolk’s observance of Civil Rights leader Martin Luther King’s birthday. She’s also an associate professor of sociology at Colby College...
Television continues to attract our faculty for interviews. Dwight Golann of the Law School was interviewed on ABC-TV’s Good Morning America on the wave of recent bank failures and the FDIC insurance fund. And Law Profs. Michael Rustad and Donald Polk were interviewed on Channel 5’s news on activities in the Persian Gulf...

The 21st High School Journalism Contest, sponsored by the Communications and Journalism department, will climax with a dinner at the School March 7 with special guest speaker, columnist Margery Egan of the Boston Herald...

A nice touch by Fran Burke and her graduate public administration classes. They sent a greeting card to our troops in the Persian Gulf and it brought a grateful response from one James Cook, who said in part, “Sitting here on the cutting edge of the blade it is sometimes easy to forget the small things in life that make it worth while. Your card will always be a reminder…”

Suffolk’s phonathon has soared over its goal of $290,000 for the year, with more than $296,000 pledged from more than 5000 alumni. And congratulations to Gail Mansfield, director of the annual fund, who has just completed the requirements for her B.S. in business education. She headed up the Evening Division Student Association during her academic career... And kudos to Toni Tinberg of Human Resources who has passed the July bar examination following her completion of Suffolk Law School...

Bob Johnson, B.S. B.A. 1963 and M.B.A. 1968, is the new alumni trustee on S.U.’s Board of Trustees representing School of Management graduates. Johnson is founder and president of Yankee Marketers, Inc.; a Middleboro food service brokerage firm. He was elected earlier this month. Bob and his wife, Sandra, live in Topsfield with their two sons, Jeffrey and Brad... Another alumni trustee, Richard J. Leon, a partner in the Washington office of the law firm of Baker & Hostetler, has been appointed a member of President Bush’s Commission on White House Fellowships. Leon received his law degree from Suffolk in 1974...

Elizabeth Haase is the new safety officer for the University. She has worked on safety issues for CLAS for several years and her responsibilities will include convening the University Lab Safety Committee, organizing and maintaining a hazardous waste disposal program and preparing a safety manual... Madeline Wright of the Law Library has been promoted to Palloff Librarian, and will be responsible for overall operation of that library, which houses the Law Library’s government documents, microfilms and audiovisual collection...

The Zakia Cox scholarship award, which came about after Dean Marguerite J. Dennis was moved by the homeless girl’s story in the Globe, has created national attention. People Magazine is planning a story as is ABC’s Prime Time, which stars Diane Sawyer and Sam Donaldson...

Congratulations to Institutional Advancement’s Beth Nocera and husband, Lou, who welcomed their first child, Louis Michael, weighing in at 7 lbs. 7 oz., on February 16 at Malden Hospital...

We missed welcoming new Communications instructor Sarah Carroll in our fall issue that profiles new faculty. Sarah’s the debate coach and hails from Ohio...

BALSA will top off Black History Month here with its 9th annual awards banquet at the World Trade Center with Judge Marie Jackson Thompson of Cambridge District Court as the speaker. Earlier programs included talks by Rainbow Coalition Founder Mel King and Channel 56’s Natalie Christian. The month long celebration will conclude with a March 5 panel discussion featuring Suffolk Black Alumni...

Heading towards the end of winter, we’ll see you at the Iditarod trail sled dog race next month...  

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KATHY BARBER of Law Placement. She’s serving a term as treasurer for the Massachusetts Law School Con sortium.

DON LEVITAN of Public Management. He prepared and presented a business plan for the proposed Educational Center for the Center for the Study of the Galilee at Hana ton in Jerusalem. He also has an article on user fees in the Nov/Dec issue of Investment Exchange, a periodical for public finance professionals.

LAURA BENNETT PETERSON of the Law School is a member of the executive board of the American Bar Association Citizenship Education Committee as a project coordinator for its law-related educational for immigrants project. She recently completed a detailed proposal and outline for an ABA publication on the legal rights and responsibilities of immigrants to this country. She credits her law school research assistant, Leslie M. Leslie, director of the first year moot court competition, for playing a major part in the project.

ROBERT J. HOWE of Biology. He and Colin Cahill, a biology major, senior and president of Tri Beta Chapter, attended the Beta Beta Beta Biological Society Bicentennial Convention in Charleston, S.C. where Colin presented a paper on his ecology studies at the Cobbscook Bay Fredman Field Station.

MICHAEL RUSTAD of the Law School. He took part in a panel discussion of competing models of causality in a program at the Harvard School of Public Health. He discussed “The Legal Status of Epidemiological Evidence” in the Jan. 28 program for visiting scholars which considered scientific controversy over the establishment of occupational safety and health hazards.