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To open new horizons of educational opportunity to all our young people, regardless of their economic station in life, I believe we must remove the burden of tuition and fees in the first two years of college training. -- Governor Hulett Smith of West Virginia, addressing the 53th legislature in joint session, January 12, 1967.

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 state tax support for annual operating expenses appropriated for fis-
 cal year 1966-67, in thousands of dollars

Institutions (1)	Sums appropriated (2)	Institutions (1)	Sums appropriated (2)
1 Alabama A&M College	\$1,988	20 Jackson St Coll (Miss)	\$1,636
2 Moorhead St Coll (Minn)	1,966	21 Adams St Coll (Colo)	1,615
3 West Virginia St Coll	1,940	22 Concord St Coll (W Va)	1,614
4 East Stroudsburg St C (Pa)	1,939	23 Lock Haven St Coll (Pa)	1,611
5 Bemidji St Coll (Minn)	1,924	24 New Mexico Highlands U	1,608
6 Northeastern St Coll (Okla)	1,881	25 Kentucky State College	1,600
7 Lincoln University (Mo)	1,826	26 Bridgewater St Coll (Mass)	1,579
8 Danbury St Coll (Conn)	1,822	27 Arkansas St Tchrs Coll	1,576
9 Northern St Coll (S Dak)	1,810	28 Fairmont State Coll (W Va)	1,571
10 Austin Peay St Coll (Tenn)	1,801	29 W Va Inst of Technology	1,570
11 San Bernardino St Coll (Cal)	1,799	30 Virginia Military Inst	1,561
12 Kearney St Coll (Nebr)	1,794	31 Madison College (Va)	1,555
13 Norfolk Div, Va St Coll	1,779	32 Alabama College	1,552
14 Salem St Coll (Mass)	1,770	33 Midwestern University (Tex)	1,548
15 U of NC at Charlotte	1,748	34 Winona St Coll (Minn)	1,539
16 Arkansas A&M Normal Coll	1,714	35 West Liberty St C (W Va)	1,538
17 Western State Coll (Cclo)	1,710	36 Southwestern St C (Okla)	1,530
18 Mansfield St Coll (Pa)	1,702	37 Stanislaus St Coll (Cal)	1,527
19 Miss State Coll for Women	1,661	38 West Georgia College	1,526

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THE NINTH BLOC: 49 STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES HAVING BETWEEN \$2 MILLION AND \$3 MILLION OF STATE TAX FUNDS FOR ANNUAL OPERATING EXPENSES, FISCAL YEAR 1966-67

Table 10. Forty-nine state colleges and universities in descending order of state tax support for annual operating expenses appropriated for fiscal year 1966-67, in thousands of dollars.

Institutions		Sums appropriated		Institutions		Sums appropriated	
(1)		(2)		(1)		(2)	
1	Arkansas State College */	\$2,914		26	Edinboro St Coll (Pa)	\$2,287	
2	Texas Coll Arts & Indus	2,904		27	Old Dominion Coll (Va)	2,280	
3	Slippery Rock St Coll (Pa)	2,876		28	NY Maritime Academy	2,269	
4	Va St Coll (Petersburg) **/	2,847		29	The Citadel (Mil Coll SC)	2,255	
5	Eastern New Mexico U	2,836		30	NY A&T Inst, Morrisville	2,239	
6	Millersville St Coll (Pa)	2,831		31	Bloomsburg St Coll (Pa)	2,208	
7	Wis St U, Platteville	2,808		32	NY St Veterinary Coll ***/	2,190	
8	Winthrop College (S Car)	2,720		33	Shippensburg St Coll (Pa)	2,180	
9	Appalachian S T C (N Car)	2,720		34	Southern Oregon College	2,160	
10	NY Coll of Home Econ ***/	2,717		35	Boston St Coll (Mass)	2,158	
11	Stout State U (Wis)	2,687		36	Grand Valley St Coll (Mich)	2,138	
12	F T Nicholls St Coll (La)	2,675		37	NY A&T Inst, Cobleskill	2,137	
13	Lowell Technol Inst (Mass)	2,628		38	South Carolina St Coll	2,121	
14	North Carolina A&T Coll	2,614		39	Central State Coll (Ohio)	2,114	
15	Northwest Missouri St Coll	2,585		40	Southeastern Mass Tech Inst	2,109	
16	Dental Branch of U of Texas	2,575		41	Western Carolina Coll (NC)	2,104	
17	Weber St Coll (Utah)	2,573		42	Cleveland State U (Ohio)	2,100	
18	West Texas State U	2,551		43	Wis St U, Superior	2,088	
19	Sonoma St Coll (Cal)	2,492		44	Frostburg St Coll (Md)	2,084	
20	Wis St U, River Falls	2,491		45	Kutztown St Coll (Pa)	2,078	
21	NJ Coll of Med and Dent +/-	2,489		46	Dayton Campus (Ohio) ++/	2,058	
22	Central St Coll (Okla)	2,454		47	Georgia Southern College	2,022	
23	Colorado School of Mines	2,420		48	NY Coll Ind&Labor Rels ***/	2,022	
24	Southern Colo St Coll	2,369		49	Alabama State College	2,009	
25	NC College at Durham	2,350					
*	Including branch at Beebe, Ark.			++	Operated jointly by Ohio State U and Miami U, and now intended to become a separate institution.		
**	Excluding branch at Norfolk.			***	Contract colleges at Cornell U.		
+	Acquired in 1964 from the private Seton Hall University.						

ILLINOIS. If the recommendation of the State Board of Higher Education is adopted by the legislature, a change in the structure for the governance of public higher education will occur, with the creation of a new Board of Regents to govern Northern Illinois University at DeKalb and Illinois State University at Normal, taking them out of the jurisdiction of the Board of Governors of State Colleges and Universities (the recently re-named former Normal School Board).

The Board of Governors will continue to govern Eastern Illinois University at Charleston, Western Illinois University at Macomb, Illinois State College at Chicago (formerly Chicago Teachers College), and any new institutions to be created, at least for the time being.

The new Board of Regents would be solely concerned with the two large regional universities which have outstripped the others in size and apparent growth potential, and which already have vigorous doctoral programs in a few departments. (Southern Illinois University, with its own Board of Trustees and its near-miraculous development, is no longer a "regional university" in Illinois--it is one of the great universities of the nation and the world).

Under the new plan the two "Regency universities" would be encouraged to develop rapidly doctoral programs in the arts and sciences, and, in addition to their historic roles in the education of teachers and school administrators, would be known as "liberal arts universities". One of the purposes of this proposed development is to provide suitable education for future college teachers, already in short supply and expected to be in greater prospective demand.

This portion of the "Phase II of the Master Plan", recently made public, seems wholly commendable because it seems to promise really significant upward growth in the scope and quality of public higher education in great and populous Illinois.

Some of the other recommendations will be commented upon in future issues of GRAPEVINE.

WEST VIRGINIA. Having reported in the issue for January 1967 (page 614) the intention of Governor Hulett Smith to recommend free tuition in public higher education, GRAPEVINE is now happy to circulate a direct quotation from the governor's address to a joint session of the West Virginia legislature January 12, 1967:

"To open new horizons of educational opportunity to all our young people, regardless of their economic station in life, I believe we must remove the burden of tuition and fees in the first two years of college training."

"I recommend that this program go into effect next fall for freshmen and sophomores who are qualified residents of this state enrolled in our colleges and universities."

GRAPEVINE is no political sheet, but hails a governor who understands the needs of his state and correctly anticipates what must be done. This is leadership of a high order.

The same may be said for the Pennsylvania legislature of 1966 (and Governor Scranton) for their enactment of "tuition supplement appropriations" aggregating nearly \$22 million, to enable the three big "Commonwealth universities" (Pennsylvania State, Temple, and Pittsburgh) to reduce their student fees.

GRAPEVINE deplores the fact that these events have received relatively little national notice, while seemingly the nationwide news services, the networks, and the newsmagazines have hugely overplayed the shoot-from-the-hip proposal to add \$400 a year tuition fees to the existing \$275 incidental fees at the University of California, and to add \$200 tuition fees at the state colleges, by neophyte Governor Ronald Reagan, from which he will probably have to retreat.

The policy of a century of tuition-free higher education in the West will not easily be overturned at a time when that policy is more than ever essential.

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THE ELEVENTH BLOC: 52 PUBLIC COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES HAVING BETWEEN
\$1 MILLION AND \$1½ MILLION OF STATE TAX FUNDS FOR ANNUAL OPERATING EXPENSES,
FISCAL YEAR 1966-67

Table 12. Fifty-two state colleges and universities in descending order of state tax support for annual operating expenses appropriated for fiscal year 1966-67, in thousands of dollars.

Institutions		Sums appropriated		Institutions		Sums appropriated	
(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)
1	Eastern Montana College	\$1,498		27	Black Hills St C (S Dak)	\$1,183	
2	Gorham St Tchrs Coll (Me)	1,497		28	Mississippi R&D Ctr	*** / 1,181	
3	U of West Florida	1,497		29	South Texas Med Sch	+ / 1,171	
4	Richmond Prof Inst (Va)	1,484		30	Tarleton St Coll (Texas)	1,141	
5	Cheyney St Coll (Pa)	1,479		31	Minot State Coll (N Dak)	1,138	
6	So Dak Sch Mines & Technol	1,468		32	Salisbury St Coll (Md)	1,135	
7	Henderson St Tchrs C (Ark)	1,448		33	Radford College (Va)	1,132	
8	NY St C Ceramics (Alfred)	1,430		34	Savannah St Coll (Ga)	1,122	
9	Metropolitan St Coll (Colo)	1,415		35	Southern St Coll (Ark)	1,108	
10	University of Cincinnati	* / 1,390		36	Farmington St T C (Me)	1,106	
11	Pan American College (Tex)	1,383		37	Longwood College (Va)	1,090	
12	N Mex Inst Mining & Technol	1,381		38	Winston-Salem St C (N C)	1,058	
13	Alcorn A&M Coll (Miss)	1,327		39	Southeastern St C (Okla)	1,055	
14	Delta State Coll (Miss)	1,326		40	Wayne St Coll (Nebr)	1,055	
15	Fort Valley St Coll (Ga)	1,322		41	Albany St Coll (Ga)	1,037	
16	Dominguez Hills St C (Cal)	1,309		42	Fitchburg St Coll (Mass)	1,037	
17	Miss Valley St Coll (Miss)	1,284		43	Women's Coll of Georgia	1,033	
18	Willimantic St Coll (Conn)	1,277		44	Coppin St Coll (Md)	1,019	
19	Angelo St Coll (Texas)	1,274		45	Fort Lewis College (Colo)	1,016	
20	Med Sch, U of Miami (Fla)	** / 1,274		46	Valdosta St Coll (Ga)	1,006	
21	Western New Mexico U	1,257		47	Bowie State Coll (Md)	1,004	
22	Arkansas Polytechnic Coll	1,256		48	Univ of Louisville	++ / 1,000	
23	East Central St Coll (Okla)	1,207		49	+++ (Figures not available for		
24	Huntsville Br, U of Ala	1,200		50	+++ Florence, Jacksonville, Living-		
25	Rhode Island Junior College	1,200		51	+++ ston and Troy st colls in Ala,		
26	Sul Ross State Coll (Texas)	1,200		52	+++ but probably within this range)		
*	A municipal university, subsidized by the state to the extent indicated.			***	Not degree-granting, but with program intimately related to those of the university graduate schools.		
**	A private university medical college subsidized by the state \$4,500 a year for each Florida student enrolled.			+	In University of Texas system.		
				++	Municipal university, subsidized for its medical and dental schools.		

THE TWELFTH BLOC: 54 PUBLIC COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES HAVING BETWEEN
 \$½ MILLION AND \$1 MILLION OF STATE TAX FUNDS FOR ANNUAL OPERATING EXPENSES,
 FISCAL YEAR 1966-67

Table 13. Fifty-four public colleges and universities in descending order of state tax support for annual operating expenses appropriated for fiscal year 1966-67, in thousands of dollars.

Institutions		Sums appropriated		Institutions		Sums appropriated	
(1)		(2)		(1)		(2)	
1	Glenville St Coll (W Va)	\$999		28	Women's Medical Coll (Pa)	±/\$736	
2	Shepherd St Coll (W Va)	977		29	North Georgia College	731	
3	Arkansas A&M Coll	959		30	Southern Tech Inst (Ga)	*** / 729	
4	Delaware State College	950		31	East Central Florida U.	723	
5	Sault Ste Marie Br (Mich)	* / 946		32	Langston University (Okla)	717	
6	Ctr of Internat Studies (NYSU)	935		33	Genl Beadle St Coll (S D)	713	
7	Northern Montana College	926		34	Armstrong St Coll (Ga)	707	
8	Mary Washington College	** / 920		35	Middle Georgia College	692	
9	Northwestern St Coll (Okla)	911		36	Potomac St Coll (W Va)	@ / 686	
10	Wahpeton St Sch of Sci (ND)	895		37	Cameron St Ag Coll (Okla)	682	
11	College of Southern Utah	888		38	University of Akron	++ / 678	
12	Northern Va Technical Coll	876		39	Panhandle A&M Coll (Okla)	675	
13	Pembroke St Coll (N C)	875		40	Kennesaw Junior College (Ga)	673	
14	Elizabeth City St Coll (NC)	862		41	Tuskegee Institute (Ala)	+ / 670	
15	Fayetteville St Coll (NC)	860		42	Valley City St Coll (N D)	642	
16	Chadron St Coll (Nebr)	859		43	Northeastern Okla A&M Coll	631	
17	Philadelphia Coll Osteopath	+ / 852		44	Hastings College of Law (Cal)	630	
18	Augusta College (Ga)	837		45	Peru State College (Nebr)	624	
19	University of Toledo	++ / 832		46	Dickinson St Coll (N D)	617	
20	Mass Bay Comm Coll (Mass)	+++ / 814		47	Salt Lake Tech Trade (Utah)	604	
21	Wilmington College (N C)	804		48	Western Montana College	577	
22	Southern St Coll (S D)	791		49	California Maritime Acad	562	
23	Georgia Southwestern Coll	775		50	Columbus College (Ga)	554	
24	Grad Sch of Pub Affairs (NYSU)	769		51	Lincoln University (Pa)	+ / 534	
25	Asheville-Biltmore Coll (N C)	768		52	Aroostook St Tchrs C (Me)	531	
26	A Baldwin Ag Coll (Ga)	757		53	Central Utah Voc School	528	
27	Bluefield St Coll (W Va)	757		54	St Mary's Coll of Maryland	509	

* Branch of Michigan Technological Univ, probably to become separate.
 ** Branch of Univ of Virginia.
 + Private institution, subsidized.
 ++ Municipal university, subsidized.

+++ The largest of 12 regional community colleges in Massachusetts.
 *** Branch of Georgia Institute of Technology.
 @ Branch of West Virginia Univ.

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