

It's Here --- MEN'S SWIMMING POOL

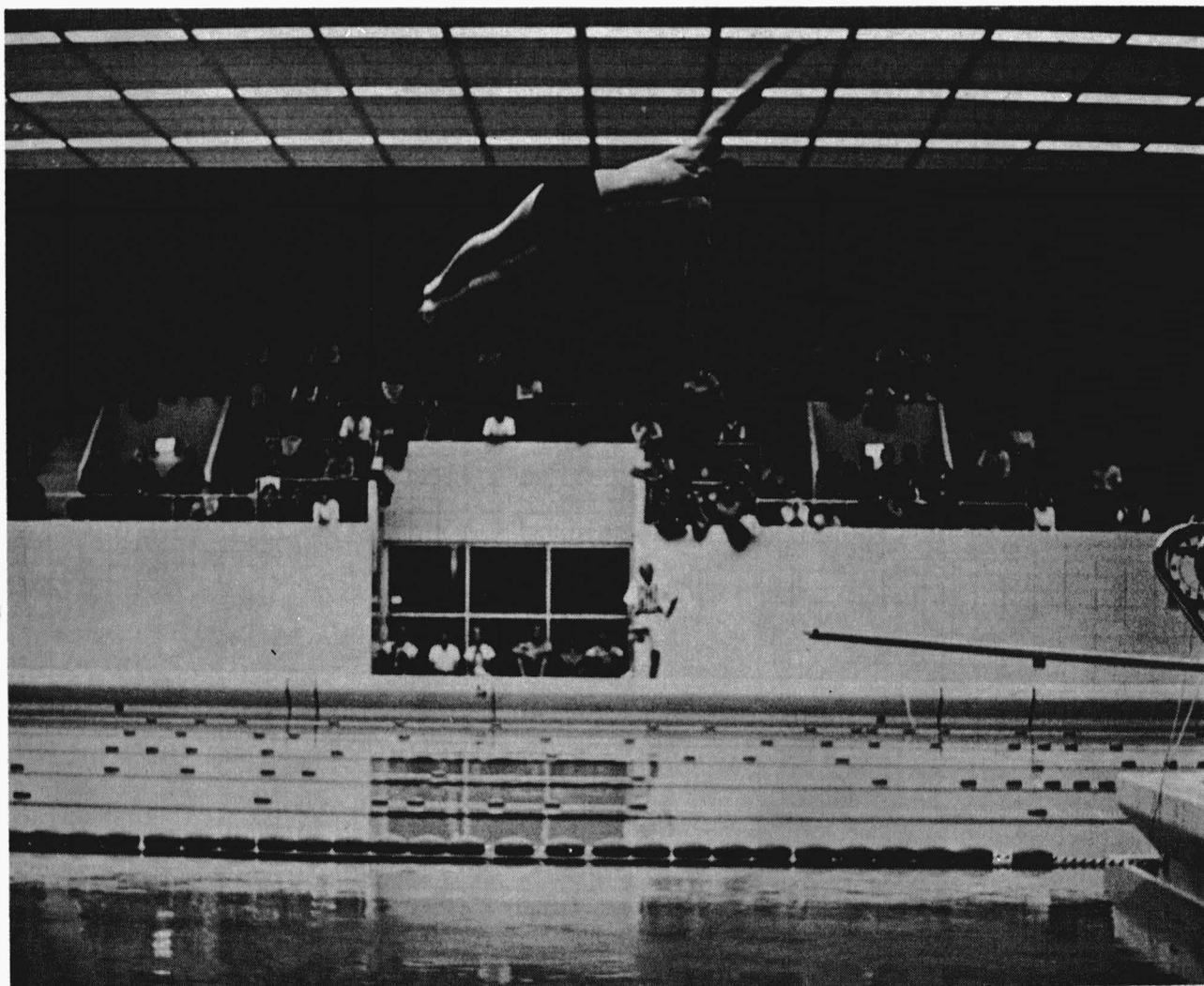
It's been a long time coming, but it's here at last—a swimming pool for men students and faculty members. It was probably worth waiting for. Actually, there's an indoor pool and an outdoor pool. They are part of the new facilities recently completed on Rollins Street near Maryland. Both pools have been filled with water to permit the installing engineers and University authorities to thoroughly test all mechanical equipment and controls for proper health and safety operations. The indoor pool got its "baptism" right away—when Missouri swimmers met the William Jewell team and chalked up a victory.

The opening of the swimming pools climaxes many years of effort on the part of students, alumni, and University administrators. They sought adequate fa-

ilities to introduce a full schedule of aquatic instructions in the physical education program and to provide training facilities for inter-collegiate competition in swimming and diving.

M.U. has been one of the few major universities in the country that did not have facilities for an aquatic program for men students. The Women's Gymnasium contains a swimming pool, but it is too small to meet standards for competitive swimming. In fact it is barely adequate to meet the needs in the women's physical education program.

The new building is considered an addition to the men's gymnasium facilities of the University. The construction was financed by an appropriation of \$400,000 from the Missouri General Assembly and



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Seats along north wall of building accommodate 500 spectators.



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the sale of general revenue bonds of \$375,000 to be retired from student activity fees.

The indoor pool meets all the standards of both the Amateur Athletic Union and the National Collegiate Association. It is the standard 25 yards in length and 15 yards wide, with a 30x30 foot diving well extending from the south side. Standard one-meter and three-meter diving boards are provided. The main part of the pool has six swimming lanes. The diving well of the pool is 12 feet deep, and the swimming lanes graduate to a depth of four feet at the east and west ends. The pool is provided with underwater lights; it has underwater observation windows so that swimming instructors can observe

stroke techniques in class instruction and team training. There are special steps for physically handicapped students to gain access to the pool.

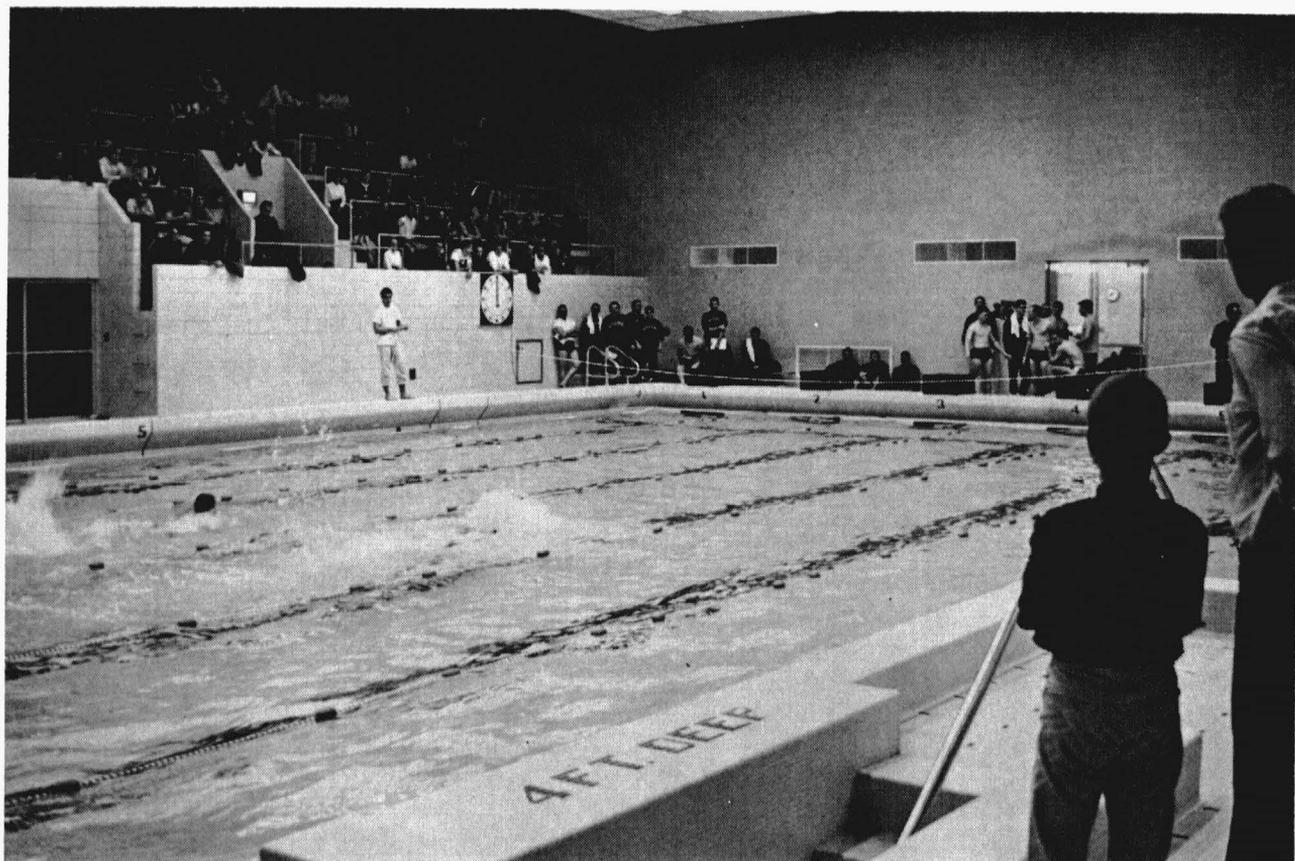
Seats for approximately 500 spectators are provided along the north wall of the building overlooking the pool. The elevated seating is above a row of offices for the director and swimming instructors.

The building includes a well-equipped classroom, locker rooms, dressing rooms, and shower rooms for both men and women. The outdoor pool is also 25 yards long and suitable for competitive swimming. It is 35 feet wide and has two diving boards.

Below the ground level of the building is a huge

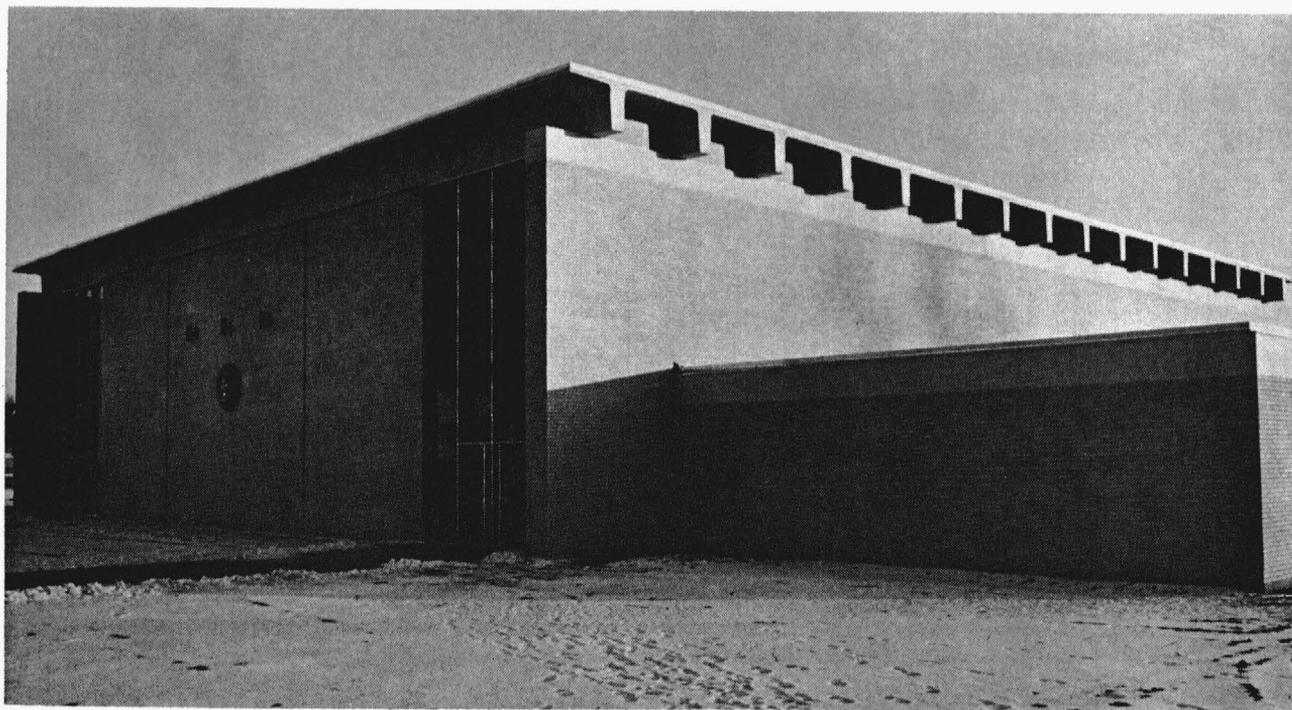
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The six-lane indoor pool holds approximately 240,000 gallons of water.



The building is located on Rollins Street near Maryland Avenue.

Two University alumni named to presidential post

Two University graduates have recently been chosen for high educational posts, one of them succeeding the other.

Dr. Arthur L. Mallory, dean of the evening division of the University of Missouri at St. Louis, was appointed president of Southwest Missouri State College at Springfield. He succeeds Dr. Leland E. Traywick, who was named president of the Municipal University of Omaha and is to take office February 1.

Dr. Mallory was graduated from Southwest Missouri State in 1955 before entering the University for graduate work. Here he earned the M.Ed. in 1957 and the Ed.D. in 1959. His parents also attended Southwest and did graduate study at the University. His father is Dillard Mallory, M.Ed. 1947; he is superintendent of schools in Buffalo, Mo. His mother is a teacher; she is the former Ferrell Claxton, who received her M.Ed. degree here at the time her son received his doctorate.

The new president of Southwest Missouri State was assistant superintendent of the Parkway School district in St. Louis County from 1959 until last July, when he went to the University of Missouri at St. Louis as evening division dean. He expects to take

over his new position before the end of the current school year. Dr. Mallory is married and has four children.

Dr. Traywick resigned at Springfield in a controversy with the college's board of regents. He had served as president of the college since 1961. He received his A.B. and A.M. degrees from the University in 1936 and 1939 respectively. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Illinois in 1942. After serving in World War II he joined the faculty of Western Reserve University as assistant professor of economics for a year. In 1947 he became Assistant Dean of the College of Business and Public Service, Michigan State University, continuing in that position until 1960. In the next year he was associate director of the Committee for Economic Development in New York.

In Missouri Dr. Traywick served on several state educational committees: Advisory Council, Missouri Commission on Higher Education; Council on Higher Education, Governor of Missouri; Missouri Educational Conference. He was president-elect of the Missouri State College Presidents Association. In 1963 he was appointed to the College Housing Advisory Committee.

Estep, Hickok share award

Preston Estep, chairman of the executive committee of the St. Louis Civic Center Redevelopment Corporation, and James P. Hickok, corporation president, received the 1963-64 St. Louis Award for Outstanding Service recently. The joint award was in recognition of their leadership in obtaining financial support for the downtown sports stadium and civic center now under construction. Identical citations presented to each said the award signified "their effective achievement in contributing to the revitalization of downtown St. Louis and creating prestige for St. Louis throughout the country." In addition to certificates, the award included a \$1,000 prize. Hickok donated his half of the prize to the Downtown branch of the YMCA; Estep gave his share to the St. Louis Area Council, Boy Scouts of America. J. Wesley McAfee, LL.B. '26, LL.D. '63, a member of the St. Louis Award Committee, made the presentation. Hickok, who lives at 42 Fair Oaks Drive, Ladue, is board chairman of the First National Bank in St. Louis. Born in Farmington, Missouri, he received an A.B. degree at the University in 1926. He was president of Manufacturers Bank & Trust Company from 1943 to 1950, and has led many offices in state and national banking organizations, including the presidency of the Missouri Bankers Association in 1945. Estep, 4 Upper Ladue Road, Ladue, is board chairman of the Bank of St. Louis and president of Transit Casualty Company. Born near Branson, Missouri, he obtained his LL.B. degree from M.U. in 1938. He practiced law and was assistant to the

president of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress from 1938 to 1941. Estep served as chief counsel for the Missouri division of Insurance from 1942 to 1945, when he moved to St. Louis to help organize Transit Casualty.

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arrangement of the latest equipment available for control and treatment of the water. The pumping and purifying equipment is capable of a complete overturn of the water in both pools every six hours.

William M. Busch, assistant professor of physical education, is director of the aquatic program. In explaining use of the new pools, he said the department of physical education had advised arrangement of a three-part program. Priority is to be given to instructional classes. Second consideration is to be given to recreational swimming programs, and third consideration to varsity swimming programs.

The instructional program will include classes in beginning swimming, intermediate swimming, life saving, SCUBA diving, advanced swimming techniques, and theory of coaching swimming. Provision is made for faculty recreational swimming from 12:40 until 1:30 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays; for synchronized swimming for women one hour daily Monday through Friday; varsity team swimming two hours daily; and all student recreational swimming from 6:40 to 9:30 p.m. at least two evenings a week. Time will also be allotted to a Naval ROTC swimming program.