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Faculty members have been requested to announce to their classes that advance registration for the Fall 1979 semester will be under way from April 16 through 27. "Any student currently enrolled at Marshall who may register in this period," said Mrs. Patricia Gebhart, assistant registrar. Beginning April 30 and continuing until regular registration in August, anyone who has been admitted to Marshall may register for the fall term.

Also summer school registrations will be processed through regular registration for the summer terms. Schedules and registration information are available from the Registrar's Office.

## Four tapped for special awards

**DR. CHARLES GOULD**

Four very special Marshall alumni will be honored at the Alumni Awards Banquet Saturday, April 21, at 7 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room, Memorial Student Center.

They are Dr. Charles J. Gould Jr., who will receive the Distinguished Alumna Award; Dr. Charles H. Moffat, who will receive the Distinguished Alumni Award; Dr. Jabir A. Santrock Jr. and H. Russell Troutman, who each will receive an Alumni Community Service Award from the MU Alumni Association.

Reservations for the $7.50 per plate prime rib dinner may be made through Friday, April 20, by calling the Alumni Affairs Office, extension 3134.

**Dr. Jabir A. ABRAS, professor of political science, spoke to a study group at Trinity Episcopal Church on Sunday, March 25, at 6 p.m. Topics discussed included the principles, practices and institutions of Islam and its resurgence. Also discussed were the implications of the Iranian Revolution to the region, to U.S. policy and to oil.**

**DR. PATRICIA EISENMAN, assistant professor of health education, and recreation, presented a paper, co-authored with Dr. Robert Barnett of the Marshall Interprofessional faculty, at the annual meeting of the West Virginia Historical Association. The paper was entitled "Physical Fitness in the 1950's and 1960's. Why Did One Fall and the Other Boom?"**

**DR. C. ROBERT BARNETT, assistant professor of HPER, presented a paper, "The 1904 World's Fair Physical Culture Exhibit," at the national convention of the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, held recently in New Orleans.**

**DR. BRUCE ARDINGER, assistant professor of English, and director of writing, LOUISE BAILEY, assistant professor of English, and WALTER SAWANIEWSKI, associate professor of English, attended the spring conference of the West Virginia Council of Teachers of English at Marshall's Huntington Downtown Holiday Inn. Ardinger also appeared on the March 21 "Midsday Magazine" aired by WOWK-TV at noon to discuss "The Writing Problems of College Freshmen."**

**JOHN SANTROCK**

**RUSSELL TROUTMAN**

A plant pathologist who served for 36 years with the ornamental bulb and turf industries of the Pacific Northwest, Gould is a 1954 graduate of Marshall. A recipient of numerous awards for his work, Gould also was on the staff of the Western Washington Research and Extension Center of Washington State University.

One of the most respected teachers at Marshall, Moffatt retired in 1977, but is completing research for a history of the university. Joining the Marshall history faculty in 1946, Moffat served as department chairman from 1968 until his retirement. He also founded the Marshall Honors Program.

Santrock, the former Kanawha County School superintendent, and Troutman, president of the Florida Bar Association, are being honored for their leadership, not only in their professions, but also in their communities.

Santrock, who earned his B.A. degree in 1940 from Marshall and then returned to the campus to earn three master's degrees, retired last June after 33 years as a West Virginia educator/administrator.

A 1955 graduate, Troutman is an attorney with the firm of Troutman, Parrish and Weeks in Winter Park, Fla., and as state bar president presides over more than 30,000 lawyers. A former Winter Park special prosecutor, Troutman is known by his peers as a competitive trial lawyer who is willing to stand up for his convictions.

Prior to the banquet, there will be a reception at 6 p.m. in the Student Center Lobby. Faculty members also are encouraged to attend the Friday evening Warm-Up Party from 9 to 11:30 p.m. at the UpTowner Inn, where they will be the guests of the MU Alumni Association.

**Excused absences ...**

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans and director of writing, LOUISE BAILEY, assistant professor of English, and WALTER SAWANIEWSKI, associate professor of English, attended the spring conference of the West Virginia Council of Teachers of English at Marshall's Huntington Downtown Holiday Inn. Ardinger also appeared on the March 21 "Midsday Magazine" aired by WOWK-TV at noon to discuss "The Writing Problems of College Freshmen."
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Faculty and interested staff members also are invited to attend or any of the sessions, Thorn said.

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