MU alumni will be honored April 23

The Marshall University Alumni Association will honor a U.S. ambassador, two Huntington businessmen, and a retired Marshall administrator at its 51st annual Alumni Awards Banquet on Saturday, April 23. The banquet is set for 6:30 p.m. in the Huntington Civic Center, Suite B. Awards will be presented to Morris Dempson Busby, A. Michael Perry, Parker L. Ward Jr., and Dr. A. Mervin Tyson.

Busby, a 1960 Marshall graduate who was appointed in September by President Reagan as a "roving ambassador" to coordinate the Central American peace effort, will receive the Distinguished Alumnus award. Busby also is the principal deputy assistant secretary of state for inter-American affairs.

A Huntington native, Busby joined the Department of State in 1973. He was selected by Secretary of State George Schultz in January 1987 to establish and head a special office to oversee the program of assistance to the Nicaraguan resistance, a position he held until May 1987 when he was named principal deputy assistant secretary of state.

Busby was a naval officer for 15 years, rising to lieutenant commander. He is a decorated veteran of sea duty in Vietnam.

Busby and his wife, the former Judy Roberts, also a 1960 Marshall graduate, live in Springfield, Va. They have two sons.

Perry, a 1958 Marshall graduate, will receive the Alumnus Community Achievement award. He is president and chief executive officer of Key Centurion Bancshares, the state's largest bank holding company which includes The First Huntington National Bank, of which he is chairman of the board.

In December, Perry was named a Citizen of the Year by The Herald-Dispatch in recognition of his community leadership. He is chairman of Marshall’s Institutional Board of Advisors and of the Marshall Artists Series (Continued on page 2)

Baker, Tyson receive awards at convocation

Dr. Elaine Baker, professor of psychology, received the Marshall and Shirley Reynolds Outstanding Teacher Award from Marshall University during the university’s annual Honors Convocation held Thursday evening, April 7, in Smith Hall Auditorium.

Dr. Baker has been a member of the Marshall faculty since 1972 and has served on numerous university committees and organizations. In addition to full-time work at both the graduate and undergraduate levels, she has served on the University Board of Advisors and served as an adviser to Marshall’s Student Government Association.

She received her bachelor’s degree in 1967 from Heidelberg College, Tiffin, Ohio, and received her master’s degree in 1969 and her doctoral degree in 1972 from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.

Prior to accepting a position at Marshall, Dr. Baker taught psychology at Wilmington (Ohio) College and served as a graduate instructor and graduate fellow at Miami University.

In 1986, she was selected as one of three finalists for (Continued on page 3)

MU faculty meeting set

The last general faculty meeting of the year will be held Thursday, April 21, at 4 p.m. in Old Main Auditorium, according to Dr. Rainey Duke, president of the MU Faculty Senate.

The agenda will include: recognition of retiring faculty members, end of the year remarks by President Dale F. Nitzschke, reports by Buster Neel and Fran Hensley, nominations for the faculty representative to the MU Board of Advisors, and the election of Marshall’s faculty representative to the Advisory Council to the Board of Regents.

There will be a reception honoring the retiring faculty members in Marco’s after the meeting.

Broh to lecture here

Marshall University alumnus Dr. Charles Anthony Broh, a prominent political scientist and registrar at Princeton University, will make several presentations at Marshall on Friday, April 15, under the auspices of the Paul D. Stewart Distinguished Lecture Series.

Broh’s first presentation at 2:30 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154 will be based on his most recent book “A Horse of a Different Color: Television’s Treatment of Jesse Jackson’s 1984 Presidential Campaign.”

During his research for the book, Broh studied 2,189 television news reports from the 1984 presidential campaign and concluded that television helped Jackson because he was portrayed as a leader of a large bloc of people, but hurt him because he was never portrayed as a serious contender.

Broh will discuss this year’s presidential campaign during a banquet at 7 p.m. at the University Holiday Inn. Reservations for the banquet may be made by contacting the Marshall University Political Science Department, 696-6636.

The 1967 MU graduate also will make several present- (Continued on page 2)
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Advisory Board of Directors. He is a director and chairman of the Government and Legislation Committee of the West Virginia Bankers Association; director and vice president of the West Virginia Research League; treasurer of the West Virginia Roundtable; director and executive committee member of the West Virginia Chamber of Commerce.

He is a member of the board of trustees of the Huntington Museum of Art, Alderson-Broaddus College and the Huntington Chamber Orchestra. He is a director of the Huntington Chamber of Commerce, the Private Industry Council of West Virginia, Software Valley Corp., Huntington Industrial Corp., West Virginia Business Foundation, and West Virginia Education Fund.

Perry practiced law with the Huntington firm of Huddleston, Bolen, Beatty, Porter and Copen for 20 years prior to joining the bank in 1981. He and his wife, Henriella, have a son and two daughters.

Ward, president-elect of the Big Green Scholarship Foundation, will receive the Distinguished Service award. He attended Elon College in North Carolina but is a third-generation Marshall supporter. His father, Parker L. Ward Sr., was killed in the Marshall plane crash on Nov. 14, 1970. His grandfather, the late Hez Ward, was named an Honorary Alumnus of Marshall in 1977.

A sales representative for Coldwell Banker Pancake Realty in Huntington, Ward served two years as president of Marshall's Quarterback Club, during which time membership grew from 50 to 450 members. He is now working with alumni in the Charleston area to establish an athletic support group.

In 1985 Ward created the "Dream Game," bringing Marshall alumni basketball players back to campus. The Huntington resident also has been actively involved with the Marshall Memorial Invitational Tournament. He serves on the Big Green Scholarship Foundation's board of trustees, is chairman of its Activities Committee and a member of the Membership Committee and the Coaches Compensation Committee.

Ward is married to the former Amy Bright and they have a son.

Dr. Tyson, who has served in myriad roles at Marshall for nearly 30 years, will be named an Honorary Alumnus by the Alumni Association.

Tyson joined Marshall's faculty in January 1959 as professor and chairman of the Department of English. He served as dean of the former College of Arts and Sciences and director of writing and retired in 1977 as vice president for academic affairs.

His service to Marshall has continued since his retirement. He has been editor, writer and consultant for all official university documents and catalogs. He served as director of institutional self-study for the past four North Central Association's accreditation visits, including the 1986 visit when Marshall received the strongest accreditation in its history.

The faculty adviser to the West Virginia Theta Omicron chapter of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity since its installation on campus on April 1, 1978, Tyson was honored April 8 when the chapter named its recently acquired house "Tyson Hall."

Tyson's wife, the former Leona Kuhn, a former Cabell County English teacher, died in 1972. He has a daughter, Nancy Jane, who graduated from Marshall in 1971.

Tickets to the 51st annual Alumni Awards Banquet are available through the Marshall Alumni Office, 696-2523. Price is $15 per person. Reservations must be received in the Alumni Office by Wednesday, April 20.

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Broh has written numerous articles and books and has done extensive studies of voting behavior in major elections since 1972.

Dr. Troy M. Stewart, professor of political science at Marshall, said Broh is considered one of the nation's outstanding political scientists.

Originally from Huntington, Broh and his wife, who is a professor of politics and public policy at Princeton, reside in Belle Mead, N.J., with their young daughter.

The distinguished lecture series was named in honor of Dr. Paul D. Stewart, a former chairman of the Marshall University Political Science Department and a founder of the West Virginia Political Science Association.

To obtain further details about Broh's presentations contact Dr. Troy M. Stewart, Marshall University Political Science Department, 696-2766.

Divorce to be topic

The Marshall University Women's Center will sponsor a lunchbag seminar titled "Divorce and Women" on Wednesday, April 20, from noon to 1 p.m. in Prichard Hall Room 143.

Julia Morgan, a social worker for Family Service Inc., will discuss the emotional traumas and transitions involved in divorce.

To obtain further details contact the Women's Center, 696-3112.
Dr. Baker named outstanding teacher
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the West Virginia Professor of the Year Award, which was sponsored by the West Virginia Faculty Merit Foundation.

Dr. Baker has written articles for various professional publications, and has been a member of Sigma Xi, the Animal Behavior Society and the Midwestern Psychological Association.

She also has been involved in various community organizations. She has served as a commissioner and chairwoman for the Huntington Human Relations Commission and served on the board of directors of the Branches Domestic Violence Shelter.

"The selection committee could not have chosen a better person for this award," said MU President Dale F. Nitzschke. "Dr. Baker's dedication to her profession, to Marshall University and more importantly, to her students has been exemplary and should serve as a model to others in our profession. She is the essence of an outstanding teacher."

Dr. Baker was the second recipient of the award, which was established in 1985 through a $30,000 endowment from Huntington business leader Marshall T. Reynolds and his wife, Shirley. The recipient of the honor receives a plaque and a $3,000 cash award.

Marshall University also awarded a Distinguished Service Award to Professor Emeritus Dr. A. Mervin Tyson during the Honors Convocation.

Tyson began his career at Marshall in 1959 as professor of English. He served the university in a variety of positions including chairman of the English Department, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, director of writing and vice president for academic affairs.

While at Marshall, Tyson helped establish various programs such as the Honors Program, the MU Council for International Education, Sigma Tau Delta English honorary, and the Theta Omega chapter of Alpha Tau Omega.

Although Tyson retired in 1977, he has continued to serve the university in a variety of capacities.

He recently served as coordinator for the university's North Central Association accreditation self-study report, which was a major factor in Marshall's accreditation through 1996.

Tyson also serves as consultant, writer and editor for a number of university publications, documents and reports.

He received his bachelor's degree from Gettysburg (Pa.) College, his master's from the University of Michigan and his doctorate from the University of Pennsylvania. He was awarded an honorary degree from Marshall in 1983.

"Dr. Tyson may have retired in 1977, but he does a tremendous amount of work for the university," said Nitzschke. "His contributions to Marshall are not always recognized by people not associated with the university, but the importance of the services he has given us cannot be overlooked. He was a major contributor to the effort that resulted in the university receiving its most successful accreditation report in history. His service to Marshall has been distinguished and I am delighted we were able to recognize and thank him with this award."

The Distinguished Service Award includes a $1,000 cash award and is presented to a person who has provided outstanding service to Marshall University for a number of years.

New policy approved on incomplete grades

Marshall University's academic deans, the MU Faculty Senate and President Dale F. Nitzschke have approved a new policy regarding the awarding of incomplete grades.

Effective with the current 1988 spring semester, it will be necessary for the Incomplete Documentation Form to be completed for each incomplete grade awarded. The forms are available in the offices of the academic deans.

The policy requires the faculty member to indicate the last date of attendance of the student being awarded the incomplete grade, the reason for the awarding of the incomplete grade, and the conditions required by the faculty member for the removal of the incomplete grade.

The form will be turned in with the faculty grade sheet to the Registrar's Office. It will then be sent in its entirety to the academic dean of the faculty member. At that point, the dean will distribute copies of the form with a copy of the form going to the department chairman and the student. The copy to the student will indicate what will be required to remove the incomplete.

The Office of the Registrar will be unable to accept a grade sheet containing incomplete grades if the completed form is not turned in with the grade sheet.

Questions concerning the use of the form or its adoption should be directed to the academic deans.

Consort concert set

The Waverly Consort, one of the country's premiere musical ensembles, will perform at Marshall University on Wednesday, April 20, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

Utilizing a repertoire of long-neglected music from the 12th through the 18th centuries, the Waverly Consort, six singers and four instrumentalists, employ more than 50 wind, string and percussion instruments of the medieval, Renaissance and baroque periods.

The program is being sponsored by the Forum Series of the Marshall Artists Series with funding from the Mid-Atlantic Arts Foundation in cooperation with the Arts and Humanities Division of the West Virginia Department of Culture and History and the National Endowment for the Arts.

General admission tickets will be $5 for adults and $2.50 for youth 17 and younger. To obtain further details contact the Marshall Artists Series Office, 696-6656.

Emeritus Club to meet

The Marshall University Emeritus Club will hold its regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, April 20, at 12:15 p.m. in the Shawkey Dining Room in Memorial Student Center.

Dr. Robert B. Walker, chairman of the Department of Family and Community Health at the MU School of Medicine, will make a presentation titled "The Small-Town Doctor."

All persons holding emeritus status or retired from Marshall, as well as spouses and guests, are invited to attend the meeting.

The cost of the luncheon will be $5.75. Reservations may be made by contacting Marguerite Spears, 886-6644.
Hatfield scholarship is established

The daughter of one of West Virginia's most famous physicians has established a Marshall University School of Medicine Scholarship in his name, according to MU President Dale F. Nitzschke.

The Dr. Henry Drury Hatfield Scholarship in Medicine is being initiated with a $10,000 cash gift from his daughter, Mrs. Hazel Hatfield Fairless of Hanalei, Kauai, Hawaii, Nitzschke said.

Dr. Keith L. Scott, Marshall vice president for institutional advancement, said the gift will be invested and annual proceeds will be used to assist one or more students in the MU School of Medicine. Scott said the contribution automatically qualifies Mrs. Fairless as a member of the Marshall Foundation's prestigious John Marshall Society.

While the $10,000 is being used to establish the endowed scholarship fund, Scott said he expects the

Lonise Bias will make presentation on campus

Lonise Bias, mother of the late University of Maryland basketball star Len Bias, will bring her anti-drug crusade to Marshall University on Wednesday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center.

Since Len Bias died of a drug overdose on June 19, 1986, Mrs. Bias has been on a mission to, as she puts it, "rescue the youth of this country." She has appeared at schools, meetings and conferences throughout the country, preaching about drugs, sex, temptation and how easily young people can go astray.

Her son Len had just been selected as the second pick of the National Basketball Association draft by the Boston Celtics and had signed a $1 million contract with a shoe manufacturing company, when he died from cocaine intoxication after an early-morning celebration in his dormitory room at the University of Maryland.

His parents, two brothers and sister were left to deal with the media, inquiries, accusations and rumors, plus funeral expenses and more than $11,000 in debts the young athlete left behind.

Mrs. Bias' campaign began the day after her son was buried when she spoke to the crowd of people who attended a memorial service at the University of Maryland. She has crisscrossed the country since then, quitting her job as assistant manager of a bank to devote more time to spreading her anti-drug message.

Her presentation, sponsored by several Marshall University organizations, the Huntington Herald-Dispatch and the Gannett Foundation will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Office of Minority Students' Programs, 696-6705.

Secretaries will meet

The Tri-State chapter of Professional Secretaries International will hold its annual kick-off luncheon on Monday, April 25, at 11:30 a.m. at the University Area Holiday Inn.

To make reservations or obtain further details contact Sandra Martin, 736-5230.
MU staff members receive arts grant

Marshall University faculty, staff and students received a grant from the Inter-Arts Program of the National Endowment for the Arts and the Rockefeller Foundation to produce and present a multi-media performance art project.

The grant will be used to fund a multi-media performance art project titled "R.E.M." (Relentless Electronic Monomania), which will be presented at Marshall in Smith Hall Room 154 on Saturday, April 23, at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, April 24, at 2 p.m.

Virginia Bicknell, assistant director of the medical instructional television unit at Marshall and executive producer of the project, said the proposal was chosen from more than 100 entries nationwide and was the only grant recipient in West Virginia. More than $24,000 was awarded to 12 grant recipients this year.

"The visual extravaganza employs video, film, slides, actors, dancers and performance art, using visuals projected on stage to open creative possibilities that are not available in traditional productions," said Ms. Bicknell.

Tim Miller, director of the MU medical instructional television unit, will coordinate the audio portion of the program. He said, "The show is not only geared toward visual art, it also heavily emphasizes the creative use of sound. There is original music and audio effects that use a variety of familiar sounds in a most unique way."

During the performance, actors will be interacting with the video, and dancers will interact with the lighting.

"The highly visual appeal of 'R.E.M.' stems from innovative use of video and slides to create imaginative stage environments," said Ms. Bicknell. "Performance art is an emerging art form and should appeal to those who appreciate photography, video/electronic art, synthesized music and traditional theater."

Other Marshall University personnel involved in the production include faculty members Evelyn Jackson and Drema Redd, MU student Woody Baisden, and former MU student Joel Three.

The presentations will be open to the public. To obtain further details contact Virginia Bicknell, Marshall University Office of Instructional Television, 696-3150.

University Academic Committee has meeting

(The following summaries on the March 28 and April 4 meetings of the Marshall University Academic Planning Committee were submitted by Josephine Fidler.)

Dr. William Coffey, assistant vice president for academic affairs, was a guest speaker at the March 28 meeting.

He discussed the development of a faculty planning and information system and a proposal to establish an instructional research development service at Marshall.

In other business, Carolyn Karr, chairwoman of the Mission Statement Subcommittee, distributed a revised draft of the Marshall University Mission Statement. The May 2 meeting of the APC will be devoted to discussion of the statement.

On April 4, Dr. Carol Smith, vice president for academic affairs, gave a presentation titled "A Strategic Planning System for Colleges and Universities."

Dr. Dale F. Nitzschke will be the guest speaker at the next meeting on April 18 at 3 p.m.
Cabinet discusses controversial items

(The following report on the April 7 meeting of the Marshall University Cabinet was submitted by Rainey Duke, faculty representative.)

Sexual Harassment Policy:
Queen Foreman, affirmative action officer, distributed and explained the university’s sexual harassment policy, noting such things as the employer’s liability, reasons why cases are often not reported or followed up, the need for specific guidelines for the grievance committees that will be hearing the cases, and the need for training those serving on the panels.

In the discussion that followed, it was suggested that procedures, whether formal or informal, begin in a central location, probably the Affirmative Action Office, thus assuring that people know where to go and assuring that there can be a clearer tracking of multiple offenses.

Condom Machines:
President Dale F. Nitzschke noted that Resolution #9 from the Student Senate was unanimously endorsed by the Student Conduct and Welfare Committee and will be coming before the Faculty Senate at the April meeting. The Cabinet, looking at the question mainly as a health issue, also endorsed the idea of installing the machines.

It was suggested, however, that perhaps at orientation some sort of education, especially considering the need of protection from AIDS, be provided to the students.

Legislative Visitation Policy:
Nitzschke passed out a copy of the Board of Regents’ newest visitation policy. Copies of the policy are available in the Faculty Senate Office.

Professor of the Year:
The Faculty Merit Foundation of West Virginia is beginning its selection process for the fourth annual Professor of the Year Award.

Applications, which are available in the office of the vice president president for academic affairs, must be submitted to the foundation by July 1, 1988.

Grad Committee meets

(The following summary of the March 10 meeting of the Marshall University Graduate Committee was submitted by Dewey Sanderson, secretary.)

The Graduate Committee forwarded recommendations of 14 faculty members for graduate faculty status.

Applications of some faculty members for clinical graduate status have been delayed because of a request to waive the one course per year teaching limitation. Non-tenure track faculty are not eligible for full status, but may receive associate status.

The committee discussed actions that might be imposed on departments permitting non-graduate faculty to teach graduate courses. The suggested actions included the removal of a department’s ability to use clinical graduate faculty, letters to department heads, letters to the president, and the reduction or loss of a department’s assistantships. No action was taken.

The committee passed a motion that letter quality printers can be used for thesis manuscripts (avoiding fancy fonts). The print pitch should be 10 or 12 characters per inch. A sample of the type should be approved by the graduate dean prior to the preparation of the final manuscript.

Subcommittees of the Graduate Committee are going to be re-structured, however no action will be taken until the 1988-89 academic year.

The current two subcommittees will be expanded to three subcommittees: Credentials Subcommittee, Curriculum Subcommittee, and Policy and Regulations Subcommittee. The subcommittee will be expanded in size to include a member from each college, in addition to members of the Graduate Committee.

Excused absences...

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans for the following:

MARCH 25-27—Golf Team.
MARCH 31-Lori Caldwell, Jeff Newberg, Brett Thompson, Doug Tiller, Dowm Messinger, Monica Lucas, Larry Perry, Karen Doyle, Melissa Asbury, Kim Comb, Pat Reynolds.
APRIL 1-8—Kimberly Carte.

Furniture contract set

The Office of Purchasing and Materials Management has renewed the university’s furniture contract for another year, according to William J. Shondel, director of purchasing and materials management.

The renewal was effective April 1. However, there has been a major change to the contract. The Steelcase line has been replaced with the All-Steel line because Stationers cannot handle the Steelcase line since its acquisition by Chapman Printing.

All of the All-Steel line (Bush computer furniture, Indiana Desk wood furniture and Anderson-Hickey metal furniture) has been included in the contract, as well as two new lines of traditional wood furniture.

When ordering furniture, please check with your department’s purchasing assistant for current pricing. At this time the Purchasing Office only has one complete contract book.

Sam Stout of Stationers currently is putting together books of catalogs with price sheets for each dean’s office and each vice president’s office. The catalogs will be shared with the various departments.

To obtain further details contact the Office of Purchasing and Materials Management, 696-3157.
MU Faculty Senate approves motions

(The following report on the March 29 meeting of the Marshall University Faculty Senate was submitted by Elma Chapman, secretary of the Faculty Senate.)

The Faculty Senate met March 29, 1988, at 4 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 105. Forty members and three guests were present. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as distributed.

Queen Foreman, affirmative action officer, spoke to the senate about racism on the Marshall campus. She said Marshall now is operating under a Consent Decree, which is serious because federal funds could be withdrawn from the university if conditions do not improve. She also is the person to contact concerning age or sex discrimination and sexual harassment.

Motions and recommendations from the standing committees were approved as follows:

Four motions from the Academic Standards and Curricular Review Committee meeting of Feb. 19 were approved. The first two motions dealt with course changes, additions and deletions.

The third motion recommended that academic deans may use discretion in applying the Academic Forgiveness Policy to individual students enrolled in the university prior to the fall of 1987.

The fourth motion dealt with the recommendation for stating the residency requirements to include the stipulation that students transferring to Marshall University must take at least 12 hours of 300/400 level course work in the college of residence, and at least 15 hours in the major field at Marshall, that students in the College of Education must meet the college residency requirements and the prevailing requirements for their particular field, and that all students are to refer to individual colleges for any additional residency requirements.

A motion from the Faculty Personnel Committee recommending approval of the Modest Proposal for Summer School was approved.

The motion gave specific suggestions for class cuts if funding were decreased this summer. Attached to it was a proposal to operate the summer school, the results to be submitted to the vice president for academic affairs and the Ad Hoc Committee on Summer School by Jan. 20, 1989, for their review and recommendations. The Council of Chairs, after studying the proposal, suggested that at least two chairs be on the Summer School Committee after the report of January was submitted. (This motion was not approved by the president.)

A motion from the Faculty Personnel Committee recommending the adoption of Institutional Hearing Committee procedures on an interim basis was approved.

The Graduate Committee recommended the approval of the following graduate courses: ENG 503, CL 527 and ANA 620. At the previous meeting Physics 512 was approved, but Physics 412 had not been approved by the Academic Standards and Curricular Review Committee, so the 512 approval was not valid.

Three recommendations from the Physical Facilities and Planning Committee were approved. The first supported the moving of six tennis courts, which would be closed by construction of the Marshall Commons, to the south side of Gullickson Hall.

The second allowed the English Department to change the designation of Corbly Hall Room 353 from general classroom use to special purpose use to house the Writing Center and change the designation of CH 407 from Writing Center back to seminar/conference room.

The third motion made that the requirement that cars parked on campus display an appropriate university parking lot sticker be enforced only during the time period of 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Two motions from the Executive Committee meeting of March 8 were passed.

The first motion stated that a section of the Greenbook shall be identified for Senate Policy Statements. Any motions coming through the Faculty Senate that fall in this category shall be placed in this section of the Greenbook.

The second stated that in order to foster consistency among all divisions of the university, a university-wide policy should be developed by the academic vice president to resolve inequities in scheduling, especially in regard to 400/500 level courses (counting as one or two courses), classes with one or two students enrolled (counting as one class taught or as an overload), and any other inequities that are found.

From the Faculty Senate the motion was approved to form a special senate committee of not less than three nor more than five senators to conduct an inquiry concerning questions pertaining to the status and disposition of the Social Work Program at Marshall.

The members of this committee shall be appointed by the president of the senate and said committee shall report its findings to the Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate, followed by a report to the senate for review and possible action.

A general faculty meeting will be held April 21, with a reception following. The next meeting of the MU Faculty Senate will be April 26.

Irene C. Evans dies

Mrs. Irene C. Evans, 84, retired professor of business administration at Marshall, died Friday, April 1, at her Huntington residence.

She was born April 8, 1903, a daughter of the late William A. and Lina Meehling Clark. She was a member of the MU faculty for 35 years and was a past president of Kappa Delta Pi and was the founder of Pi Omega Pi.

Mrs. Evans was a member of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, the Dorcas Sunday School Class, A.B.W. Circle number three, the Retired Teachers Association and the Order of the Eastern Star. She also was a past president of Dynamic Adults.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Argie F. Evans in 1987.

Survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, James W. "Bill" and Grace Evans of Proctorville, Ohio, two sisters, Evelyn Williams of Kenston, N.C., and Laveta Reichart of Herron, Ill., one brother, Homer F. Clark of Spanish Fort, Ala., five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Anders visits campus

Dr. Marion Anders, an acknowledged authority on environmental toxicology, was a Wellcome visiting professor at Marshall University last Monday through Wednesday.

Anders, chairman of pharmacology and professor of toxicology at the University of Rochester, participated in a series of formal and informal meetings with students and faculty. Included were a biomedical sciences seminar at the School of Medicine on nephrotoxicity and a blackboard discussion in the departments of Biological Sciences and Chemistry on water pollutant toxicity.

In addition, he presented the Wellcome Lecture Tuesday evening to Marshall audiences and the public on why chemicals are toxic.

Wellcome Visiting Professorships were awarded last fall to Marshall and 20 other institutions by the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology. Only three of these professorships were awarded in the field of pharmacology.

The programs are sponsored by the Burroughs Wellcome Fund to stimulate interest in the basic sciences and to enhance communication with scientists in those fields.

Riddle gets doctorate

Maria Carmen Riddle, assistant professor of modern languages, was awarded her Ph. D. in Romance Languages and Literatures by Ohio State University on March 18.

Her dissertation was titled "La escritura femenina en la postguerra espanola: Analisis de novelas escogidas de Carmen Martin Gaite, Ana Maria Matute y Elena Quiroga."
Employee achievements

Dr. ROBERT BICKEL of the Educational Foundations faculty presented two papers at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association held April 5-9 in New Orleans. The papers were titled “Post-High School Prospects and High School Completion Rates” and “Student Acceleration and College Enrollment.”

Three Marshall faculty members recently presented slide lectures during a festival sponsored by the students of Spanish at South Point High School. Dr. HAROLD T. MURPHY, professor and chairman of modern languages, made a presentation on the “Argentine Gauchos.” Dr. MARIA CARMEN RIDDEL, assistant professor of modern languages, lectured on “Castles in Spain,” and Dr. MICHAEL CORNFELD, professor and chairman of art, made a presentation titled “Caricatures of Gauchos by the Argentine Artist Florencio Molina Campos.”

Dr. CARL A. GRUETTER, associate professor of pharmacology, recently had published in the European Journal of Pharmacology an article titled “Endothelium-dependent Modulation of Angiotensin II-induced Contraction in Blood Vessels.” Marshall staffers contributing as co-authors were laboratory/medical technicians SALLY M. LEMKE, DIANNE A. BAILLY AND M. KATHLEEN FOX. The journal also published a short communication from GRUETTER titled “Endothelium Enhances Tachyphylaxis to Angiotensins II and III in Rat Aorta.”

Twelve faculty members and students from the Department of Biological Sciences attended the 63rd annual meeting of the West Virginia Academy of Science held April 2 at Salem College. The following students presented papers or posters: LAURA MILLER, GREG MCKAY, KIM MATTHEWS, ROB NORMAN, JIM GLOVER and JANET FLETCHER. Professors DAN EVANS, WAYNE ELMORE, DONALD TARTER, and RALPH TAYLOR presented papers or posters. Dr. THOMAS PAULEY, chairman of the Zoology Department, and Dr. MARY ETTA HIGHT, associate professor of biological sciences, participated in the meeting. DR. TARTER was elected president-elect of the West Virginia Academy of Sciences.

Faculty and staff from the departments of Pharmacology and Anatomy had an article titled “Effect of Microsomal Enzyme Activity Modulation on N-(3,5-Dichlorophenyl)succinimide-induced nephrotoxicity” published in a recent issue of Toxicology. The authors were Dr. GARY O. RANKIN, chairman of pharmacology, Dr. D.J. YANG, former postgraduate fellow; C.D. RICHMOND, graduate student; V.J. TEETS, laboratory/medical technician; Dr. RUU-TANG WANG, associate professor of anatomy, and Dr. PATRICK I. BROWN, interim professor of anatomy.

Dr. ELAINE A. NOVAK, acting chairman of the Department of Theatre and Dance, has had her second book, “Performing in Musicals,” published by Schirmer Books, a division of Macmillan Inc. Copies of the book are available in the MU Bookstore.

KELLY KRIETSCH, assistant professor of psychology, recently had a paper titled “Development, Cross-Validation, and Assessment of Reliability of the Christensen Dietary Distress Index” accepted for publication in the Canadian Journal of Behavioral Science.

Students are chosen to lead orientation

Marshall University’s Orientation Selection Committee has selected five students to serve as orientation assistants to coordinate and lead this summer’s New Student Orientation Program, according to Dr. Don E. Robertson, assistant dean of student life.

The students are: Gregory Bolyard, a junior speech communications major from Scott Depot; Bob Christopher, a senior mathematics major from Parkersburg; Kristine Ehret, a sophomore elementary education major from Parkersburg; Thanh Huong Kamka, a sophomore counseling and rehabilitation major from Looneyville, and Nora Loomis (student coordinator), a senior special education major from Point Pleasant.

Upward Bound Program receives federal funds

The Upward Bound Program at Marshall University has been awarded $170,103 for fiscal year 1988-89, according to Jackie Hersman, program director.

The federally funded program prepares and motivates 60 high school students to pursue a post secondary education.

Students are selected from Cabell, Wayne and Mingo counties.

They spend six weeks on the Marshall campus during the summer and receive academic, vocational and personal counseling. They also attend classes, travel and learn study skills that will help them in college.

To obtain further details about the Upward Bound Program contact Ms. Hersman, 696-6456 or 696-3336.