Huntington Alloys, Inc. gives Marshall $6,000

Huntington Alloys, Inc., has presented Marshall University a check for $6,000 to finance the annual Huntington Alloys Scholarships in science and engineering. An identical award was made by the firm last year.

Making the presentation was Gary Wilson, Huntington Alloys personnel development coordinator. President Robert B. Hayes accepted on behalf of Marshall.

The scholarships, administered by the Marshall Financial Aid Office, are earmarked for students from Cabell, Lincoln, Mason, Putnam and Wayne counties in West Virginia and Boyd and Lawrence counties in Kentucky.

Huntington Alloys assists the university in several other endeavors, President Hayes noted.

Jane Bilewicz appointed assistant dean of students

Jane Bilewicz, director of fraternity affairs at Kent State University, has been appointed assistant dean of students at Marshall University.

Dr. Richard G. Fisher, dean of students, said Ms. Bilewicz will assume the Marshall position Sept. 1. She will be responsible to the dean for work with student organizations, Greek affairs and women's programs.

Ms. Bilewicz, 26, received her A.B. degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1971 and her Master of Education degree from Kent State in 1972.

Dr. Walker, former VP, dies in Calif. at age 60

Dr. Harold E. Walker of Fresno, Calif., vice president for academic affairs at Marshall University from 1962-65, died Aug. 17 in Fresno. He was 60.

He was born in Canada and earned his undergraduate degree from Whittier (Calif.) College. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. Before coming to Marshall, he was pastor of the Friends Church in Whittier for several years.

At the time of his death he was a professor of psychology at Fresno City College. He had served previously on the Fresno City faculty from 1968 to 1971, and from 1971 to 1974 was executive director of a consortium for several Midwestern universities.

Survivors include his wife, Sylvia Miller Walker, a daughter, Ann Marie Walker, and a son, Harold E. Walker Jr., both at home.

Dr. Sara Chapman named acting head of planning at MU

Dr. Sara S. Chapman, a member of the Marshall University faculty since 1967, has been appointed acting director of planning for the university.

President Robert B. Hayes said Dr. Chapman's assumption of planning duties represents a reassignment and is not the result of the creating of a new staff position. She will continue to hold part-time professorial responsibility in the English Department.

Hayes said her new assignment includes working with faculty committees and with students and members of the administration to develop both short- and long-range plans for the future growth and direction of the university.

He said the assignment was based on a recommendation from the ad hoc Commission on Planning. The commission was established in September, 1973, to follow up on recommendations made earlier that year by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. It submitted its final report last spring.

Dr. Chapman was on leave of absence from Marshall during the 1974-75 academic year after being named a Fellow for the Academic Affairs Conference of Midwestern Universities. Funded by the Rockefeller Foundation, the fellowships provided opportunities for members of the academic community to research areas of interest on five campuses. She spent most of the year doing research at Ball State University in Indiana.

A native of Kanawha County, Dr. Chapman was graduated with honors from Morris Harvey College in 1962. She earned her M.A. degree from Marshall and her Ph.D. from Ohio University. Before joining the Marshall faculty, she taught four years in the Kanawha County school system and one year at Morris Harvey.

"We are very pleased that Dr. Chapman has agreed to accept this new and challenging assignment," Hayes said. "Organized and well-researched planning are vital to the orderly growth and progress of Marshall University. Dr. Chapman will play a key role in this process."

Hayes said the appointment was made on an "acting" basis because future plans are to combine the planning position and another part-time position, director of institutional research, into one full-time position. The position will be advertised and candidates for the combined position will be screened during the current academic year, he added.

University closed Labor Day

Monday, Sept. 1, is Labor Day and will be observed as a holiday for Marshall University employees.
Revisions made in Student Conduct Code

Dr. Richard G. Fisher, dean of students, has submitted the following statement concerning revision of the Marshall University Student Code of Conduct:

President Hayes has approved a recommendation of the Student Conduct and Welfare Committee to change the philosophy of the University’s Student Code of Conduct. This philosophy is embodied in the following section taken from the approved Student Code of Conduct: “When a student has been apprehended for the violation of a law of the community, state, or nation, the University will not request or agree to special consideration for that individual because of his/her status as a student. The University will cooperate fully, however, with law enforcement agencies and with other agencies and any program for the rehabilitation of the student. The University reserves the right for educational purposes to review any action taken by the civil authorities regarding students. Although ordinarily the University will not impose further sanctions after law enforcement agencies have disposed of a case, it does have the obligation to introduce counseling and/or disciplinary action if a student’s conduct has interfered with the University’s exercise of its educational objectives or its responsibilities to its members; any disciplinary action taken on this basis shall conform to the terms of this code, including appeal.”

Under this new policy, all violations of community, state, or national criminal or civil codes which occur on campus will be referred to the court system for prosecution. The University will continue to handle policies and regulations unique to the state universities and colleges as established by the Board of Regents. Violations of the law, such as theft, assault, breaking and entering, disorderly conduct, public intoxication, possession and use of illegal substances, trespass, and other community laws, will result in arrest and arraignment. In the majority of cases, the University will not become involved in taking concurrent or further action with regard to the violation.

This policy has evolved for numerous reasons, some of which include 18-year-old majority rights, weaknesses in the previous system, and the desire to establish a uniform policy for students on campus with those who are arrested off campus. As indicated in the above, the University will continue to work with those situations of special need that warrant counseling and/or disciplinary action.

In addition to this basic change in the Code of Conduct, there have been additional changes in the structure, authority, and operation of the University Judicial Board to ensure the protection of the rights of the individual student and his opportunity for a fair and impartial hearing.

Inquiries on this policy and/or the structure of the Judicial Board should be directed to the Office of the Dean of Students.

Cabell assessors to assist employees September 3-4

Cabell County deputy assessors will be on the Marshall University campus Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 3-4, to assist Marshall employees in the assessment of their properties, according to Joseph S. Soto, director of plant operations.

Soto said the assessors will be located in the basement hall of Old Main near the faculty mail room. Both personal (including automobiles) and real property will be assessed, he said.

1975-76 Forum Series schedule announced


The 10 events scheduled for the season also include five travel-adventure films, a concert by the Johann Strauss Ensemble and a performance of ragtime and classic popular music by singer Joan Morris and composer William Bolcom.

The schedule:
Sept. 30—Erma Bombeck.
Oct. 3—“The Magic of Venice” film.
Nov. 5—“A Taste of Israel” film.
Nov. 10—Alexander Scourby, “American Legends and Tall Tales.”
Nov. 18—Adm. Elmo R. Zumwalt Jr., “Russia’s Challenge.”
Jan. 16—“Greek Islands Odyssey” film.
Feb. 2—“Scotland Afore Ye” film.
March 19—Joan Morris and William Bolcom, “Ragtime and the Classic Popular Song.”
April 1—“Trails of the Mountain West” film.
April 5—Johann Strauss Ensemble of the Vienna Symphony Orchestra.
All programs will be held at 8 p.m. in Old Main Auditorium or in Smith Recital Hall.

Season memberships cost $10 each and may be obtained from Mrs. E. Norval Carter, 533 - 13th Ave., Huntington, W. Va. 25701. There are no tickets to individual events. However, season memberships will be available at the door prior to each performance. Additional information may be obtained by calling 523-8391.

Tickets for rock concert cost MU community less

The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band, the Yellow Rose Express, and Colours will perform in concert at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 3, in Memorial Field House.

Tickets for the concert, the first in a series of events keyed to student interests, are available at the Memorial Student Center ticket booth at a reduced cost to MU students, faculty and staff, according to Mrs. Nancy Hindsley, coordinator of student activities.

Ticket sales for the events are being permitted on campus under an arrangement that calls for either special reduced ticket prices or a donation of 10 per cent of the net proceeds to the MU Student Activities Fund (to be determined for each event). The events are being promoted by MU grad and former editor-publisher Lou Sahadi and Radio Station WKEE.