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James G. Hollandsworth Sr. of Huntington presents a copy of "The Louisiana Native Guards" to Josephine Fidler, left, director of libraries at Marshall University, and Dr. Betty J. Cleckley, right, MU vice president for multicultural and international programs.

Father gives son's book to MU's Morrow Library

James G. Hollandsworth Sr. of Huntington, a retired school principal, has donated a book titled "The Louisiana Native Guards" to Marshall University's James E. Morrow Library.

The book about the black military experience during the Civil War was written by his son, James G. Hollandsworth Jr., professor of psychology and associate vice president for academic affairs at the University of Southern Mississippi.

Published by the Louisiana State University Press, the 176-page book contains several pictures and maps. A reviewer called the book a groundbreaking history of the Civil War's first officially sanctioned black fighting unit.

Dr. Betty J. Cleckley, vice president for multicultural and international programs at Marshall, said she was very pleased when Hollandsworth contacted her about the possibility of donating the book to the library.

"I was even more pleased when I saw a copy of the book," said Cleckley. "It is very well done and very interesting. I would recommend this book to anyone and especially to people interested in the Civil War."

Art program for children

"Pharaohs, Fauves, Fantasy and Fun" will be the theme this year for Marshall University's Art Opportunity program for students in kindergarten through eighth grade, according to Linda Anderson, Art Opportunity director.

The program will be held on Saturdays, April 13 through May 18, from 10 a.m. to noon on the sixth floor of Smith Hall.

"We have planned an exciting program that integrates art processes, both new and traditional, with current exhibitions in the country," said Anderson.

Tuition will be \$40 plus \$10 for materials. There will be a 10 percent discount for families enrolling more than one child. There will be a \$4 late registration fee for registration after April 10.

To register or obtain further details contact the Marshall University Art Department, 304-696-6760 or 304-696-6505.

Jackman receives grant to study immune system

Dr. Susan Jackman of the School of Medicine has received a \$479,000 federal grant to explore what triggers some immune cells to begin attacking the very bodies they are designed to protect.

"When we get the flu or a bacterial infection, our immune system identifies the harmful molecules and 'turns on' the specific immune cells designed to combat them," explained Jackman. "Once the harmful molecules are gone, the immune system turns off again."

"The system has elaborate safeguards, but sometimes things go awry and it begins attacking the body's own cells as if they were intruders," she said. The resulting diseases, called autoimmune diseases, often are devastating, she said. They range from debilitating problems such as rheumatoid arthritis and psoriasis to life-threatening diseases, including multiple sclerosis and insulin-dependent diabetes.

With this five-year grant from the National Institutes of Health, Jackman will look specifically at a class of chemical messengers important in the immune process. Known as cytokines, they help regulate the development, activation and intensity of an immune response. However, excessive production or activity of cytokines can result in tissue injury. Jackman will look specifically at the sequence of cytokine messages and actions that occur in the earliest stages of an autoimmune response.

"Scientists believe that disturbances in the balance of cytokines contribute to inappropriate immune responses, including autoimmunity," she said. "If we can better understand the role cytokines play, we might be able to control or alter these inappropriate responses."

Jackman is an associate professor in Marshall's Department of Microbiology, Immunology and Molecular Genetics.

Odyssey of Mind slated

More than 800 West Virginia students are expected to participate in the Odyssey of the Mind state tournament Saturday, March 30, at Marshall University.

Odyssey of the Mind is an educational program that fosters creative thinking and problem solving skills among students from kindergarten to college.

Opening ceremonies for the state competition will begin at 9 a.m. in Henderson Center. Throughout the day, students will present their long-term solutions to the assigned problems in Henderson Center, Memorial Student Center and Smith, Harris and Corbly halls. Participants will assemble in Henderson Center at 3 p.m. for closing ceremonies.

Odyssey of the Mind competitions are held on the local, state, national and international levels. Winners of the tournament at Marshall will go on to represent West Virginia at the world finals being held May 29-June 1 at the University of Iowa.

Karen Beckman, state director of Odyssey of the Mind, said some of West Virginia's finest creative student thinkers will attend the tournament. "Everyone at the tournament is a winner for making it to the state level," said Beckman.

The tournament activities, being sponsored by Marshall University's John R. Hall Center for Academic Excellence, are open to the public.

To obtain further details contact Dr. Nell C. Bailey, special assistant to the dean of adult and extended education at Marshall University, 304-696-4723.

'Celebration of Academics' planned April 3-4

Some of the country's most acclaimed geographers will participate in Marshall University's two-day "Celebration of Academics" Wednesday and Thursday, April 3-4, according to Dr. Alan B. Gould, executive director of Marshall's John Deaver Drinko Academy for American Political Institutions and Civic Culture.

Geography will be the primary focus of this year's event that begins April 3 with the university's third annual Drinko Symposium.

Castleberry will receive Reynolds teaching award

Dr. David Castleberry, associate professor of music at Marshall University, has been selected as the 1996 recipient of the university's Marshall and Shirley Reynolds Outstanding Teacher Award, according to Dr. Sarah Denman, vice president for academic affairs.



Castleberry

Castleberry will be recognized and presented the prestigious award, which includes a \$3,000 stipend, at the university's Elizabeth Gibson Drinko Honors Convocation on Thursday, April 4, at 11 a.m. in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse in Marshall's Fine and Performing Arts Center.

Director of choral activities at Marshall, Castleberry is an accomplished conductor, tenor and clinician. He works with Marshall's Choral Union, University Chorus and Chamber Singers as well as other musical groups.

He received his bachelor's degree in church music from Furman University and his master's and doctoral degrees in conducting from the University of Texas at Austin.

Prior to joining the Marshall faculty in 1990, Castleberry was director of choral and vocal activities at Wagner College in New York, was a visiting assistant professor at Knox College in Illinois and served as an instructor at the University of Texas at Austin. He also served as chorus master and assistant conductor for Il Piccolo Teatro dell'Opera in Brooklyn, N.Y., and directed the Riverside Choral Society of the Riverside Church in Manhattan, N.Y.

Castleberry has served as an instructor at the Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp in Michigan and been a guest conductor and adjunct faculty member at the University of Charleston.

He has received grants from the West Virginia Arts and Humanities councils and fellowships from the Aspen Choral Institute and the Saranac Lake Conductors Workshop.

As director of Marshall's 1994-95 Birke Fine Arts Symposium, Castleberry examined ways in which factors such as race, gender, social-political forces, national identity, or the presence of texts shape the composition, performance and reception of music.

Castleberry has performed in and conducted numerous mu (Continued on page 5)

sium at 2 p.m. and concludes with the Elizabeth Gibson Drinko Honors Convocation April 4 at 11 a.m.

Both events, open to the public free of charge, will be held in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse in Marshall's Fine and Performing Arts Center.

The symposium will open with a special ceremony recognizing Dr. Sam E. Clagg, retired MU professor of geography. Marshall President J. Wade Gilley will present the university's first John Deaver Drinko Distinguished Scholar Award to Clagg.

Dr. Harm J. de Blij, one of the nation's foremost geographers, will participate in the symposium.

De Blij, a professor of geography at the University of South Florida-St. Petersburg, previously served as a Drinko Professor at Marshall. He is a frequent guest on ABC's "Good Morning America" and has written, co-authored or edited more than 30 books and more than 80 articles for professional publications and journals. He holds a professional appointment with the National Geographic Society and edits "National Geographic Research: A Scientific Journal."

Dr. Mack H. Gillenwater, professor of geography at Marshall and the university's second Drinko Fellow, will be the featured speaker for the afternoon session of the symposium. He will

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Dingman to be honored for outstanding service

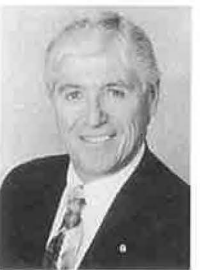
Dr. Robert L. Dingman, a professor in Marshall University's Department of Counseling and Rehabilitation, has been selected to receive the university's Distinguished Service Award this year, according to Dr. Sarah Denman, vice president for academic affairs at Marshall.

The prestigious award and \$1,000 stipend will be presented to Dingman during Marshall's Elizabeth G. Drinko Honors Convocation Thursday, April 4, at 11 a.m. in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse in Marshall's Fine and Performing Arts Center.

Dingman received his bachelor's degree in education from Central Michigan University and his master's and doctoral degrees in counseling from Wayne State University.

Prior to joining the Marshall faculty in 1968, Dingman served as a counselor, chair of the counseling department and director of research for Livonia (Mich.) Public Schools, and served as a counselor, teacher and coach for Hazel Park (Mich.) Public Schools. He also is a veteran of the United States Army.

He previously served as therapist and adjunct staff member at Presteria Mental Health Services in Huntington and served as an adjunct faculty member at Loyola University. A licensed professional counselor, he has had a private counseling and con (Continued on page 5)



Dingman

Administrators will serve Marshall/WVGC

Dr. Larry G. Froehlich, vice president for academic affairs at West Virginia Graduate College, also will serve as a vice president of Marshall University. Announcement of the dual appointment was made March 22 by Marshall President J. Wade Gilley and West Virginia Graduate College President Dennis P. Prisk.

At Marshall, Froehlich will carry the title, interim vice president for graduate studies and information technology.

The two presidents also announced that WVGC Director of

Library bonds go fast

Bonds totaling \$15 million to help finance construction of the new Marshall University Library/Information Center went on the market Thursday, March 21. Approximately \$13 million worth had been sold by 2 p.m. that day and the remaining bonds were quickly purchased by investors.

The issuance, approved by the University System Board of Trustees during a noon conference call, attracted an average interest rate of 5.62 percent. The tax-free bonds carried a prized AAA rating from Standard & Poore, according to Marshall President J. Wade Gilley.

The \$15 million issue was underwritten by Ferris Baker Watts, Inc. of Charleston as senior managing underwriter and Banc One Securities Corp. as co-managing underwriter. The final maturity date for the series of bonds is 2016.

"We're very pleased our bonds attracted such a favorable interest rate, and that the demand for them was so great," Gilley said. "This means we're on course to begin construction of the new library this summer."

Marshall will invest more than \$22 million in the new facility, expected to be one of the most technologically sophisticated university libraries in the country.

Gilley said his wife, Nanna, had purchased \$10,000 worth of the bonds. "She simply wanted to express her confidence in Marshall's future and demonstrate her support for this project," he explained. Earlier, Gilley and his wife had pledged \$40,000 to a campaign by the Marshall Foundation to raise \$7 million in private contributions to help build and equip the Library/Information Center.

Fund raising dinner set for Imperi scholarship

A spaghetti dinner will be held Sunday, March 31, from noon to 6 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 1429 Sixth Ave., to benefit the Leo V. Imperi Music Scholarship Fund at Marshall University.

The scholarship fund recently was established at Marshall in memory of Professor Emeritus Leo V. Imperi who died Friday, March 1.

Imperi retired from the Marshall Music Department in 1984 after teaching for 32 years.

He performed in many community recitals and West Virginia Opera productions and was well-known for singing "The Star-Spangled Banner" at football and basketball games and singing the Marshall alma mater at commencement services.

Admission to the dinner will be \$6 for adults and \$4 for children under 12 years old.

To obtain further details contact Angie Rose in Marshall University's College of Liberal Arts, 304-696-2350.

Libraries Celene Seymour has been appointed assistant director of libraries at Marshall.

The appointments are effective immediately. Froehlich and Seymour will divide their time between the WVGC headquarters in South Charleston and the Marshall campus in Huntington.

"These dual assignments are a natural outgrowth of the coordinate affiliation we recently established to bring our two institutions closer together," Prisk said. "Ultimately, a significant number of faculty and administrators will have joint appointments at Marshall and West Virginia Graduate College as the new relationship evolves."

Under the new affiliation, approved by the Legislature earlier this month, Marshall and WVGC will develop a master plan for graduate education in southern West Virginia, offer joint degree programs, have a shared library system and a shared electronic admission/registration system.

The agreement also provides for joint appointments of faculty members and administrators.

"We're very pleased to have Dr. Froehlich working from the Marshall campus again and we're looking forward to Ms. Seymour coordinating with Marshall's director of libraries, Josephine Fidler, to develop a shared library system," Gilley said. "Although it's only a few weeks old, the coordinate affiliation is yielding results in terms of cost savings and cooperation."

Froehlich served several years as an associate professor and associate dean in Marshall's College of Education before joining the West Virginia Graduate College administration. Earlier, he was director of the Curriculum Technology Resource Center for the West Virginia Department of Education.

In his new role at Marshall, he will have oversight of graduate programs and informational technology development.

Pianist to give concert and teach master class

Richard Morris, a concert pianist and chairman of piano at the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music, will be in residence at Marshall University Wednesday and Thursday, April 3-4.

He will perform a solo concert April 3 at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall. The recital will include works by Haydn, Debussy and Chopin.

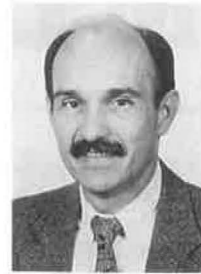
Morris will conduct a master class on April 4 at 10 a.m. in Smith Recital Hall. During the class, he will coach four Marshall piano majors in the performance of their repertoire.

The recital and master class will be open to the public free of charge.

Morris has been featured as a solo performer, clinician, adjudicator and conductor of master classes throughout the United States and Europe. He has performed 30 different concertos with a number of orchestras.

Dr. James Taggart, professor of music at Marshall, said Morris' work has been highly acclaimed by music critics. "Critics agree that Mr. Morris has a masterful command of the keyboard and all the qualities of a sensitive artist," said Taggart.

To obtain further details contact Taggart, 304-696-2345.



Froehlich

'Celebration of Academics' planned April 3-4

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discuss "Geographic Perspectives of the Underground Railroad in the Mid-Ohio Valley."

A reception in honor of Clagg and Gillenwater will be held in the Fine and Performing Arts Center following Gillenwater's presentation.

Dr. Risa I. Palm, dean of the University of Oregon College of Arts and Sciences, will be the featured speaker for the Honors Convocation Thursday at 11 a.m. Palm will make a presentation titled "Earthquake Hazards in California and Japan: A Geographer's View."

Palm has written several books and monographs dealing with

Dingman will be honored

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sulting practice since 1970.

Dingman has been active in the American Red Cross and has completed several disaster mental health services and psychiatric rehabilitation training courses.

He has worked in various capacities during disasters throughout the country. Most recently, he worked over Christmas break for the American Red Cross in Oklahoma City, Okla. His work included mental health planning for the problems related to the first anniversary of the bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building.

Nationally, Dingman has assisted in the development of mental health training materials and provided services in more than 40 disasters including hurricanes, floods, tornadoes and snow storms. He also has taught disaster mental health services courses in many states.

Dingman is a member of several professional organizations and is past president of the American Association of State Counseling Boards. He currently serves as chair of the American Counseling Association Public Awareness and Support Committee.

He has served on numerous committees and written many articles for professional publications. He serves as an associate editor for the Journal of Mental Health Counseling.

In 1994 he was the recipient of the "Gilbert and Kathleen Wrenn Award for a Humanitarian and Caring Person" presented by the American Counseling Association (ACA). The award is presented to a person who gives to others without fanfare or expectation of reward.

Dingman has received many honors for his work and was named "Counselor of the Year" by the West Virginia Association for counseling and Development for 1991-92. He was honored as a Kentucky Colonel by Governor Brereton Jones in 1992.

He has made numerous presentations at colleges and professional meetings throughout the country and has published articles in many journals.

Dingman recently was named the American Mental Health Counselor Association 1996 Researcher of the Year. He was named Counselor of the Year by the AMHCA in 1985.

"Dr. Dingman is very deserving of this Distinguished Service Award," said Denman. "He has served Marshall University in various ways during his long tenure on the faculty but more importantly has served people throughout the nation in their times of need. He brings comfort and aid to many people and serves as an ambassador of good will as a representative of Marshall University."

various aspects of earthquakes and natural hazards and has written many papers and reports for professional publications and conferences.

She has received 11 grants from the National Science Foundation and received a fellowship through the National Defense Education Act. A past president of the Association of American Geographers, Palm received an Honors Award from the association and served as a visiting professor at King's College at the University London. She has presented lectures throughout the United States and in England, Puerto Rico and Japan.

The Honors Convocation program, sponsored by Marshall's John R. Hall Center for Academic Excellence, will include the presentation of academic awards to students, the presentation of the Marshall and Shirley Reynolds Outstanding Teacher Award and the presentation of the university's Distinguished Service Award.

Marshall will present Pickens-Queen awards for the first time this year. The awards were established to honor faculty members in their early years of teaching on the collegiate level by Ethel K. Pickens of Gallipolis, Ohio, and her nephew, retired Tradewell Supermarkets chairman Glenn J. Queen and his wife, the former Carol Booth.

Three MU faculty members will receive Pickens-Queen awards and stipends of \$1,000 during the Honors Convocation.

To obtain further details about the Honors Convocation or Drinko Symposium contact Marshall University's John Deaver Drinko Academy for American Political Institutions and Civic Culture, 304-696-3183.

Castleberry to get award

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sical programs at Marshall and directed choral concert tours of national and international scope including performances throughout the United States, Germany, Austria, Italy and Great Britain. He has served as a guest conductor for All-County and Honor choirs throughout West Virginia and in Illinois, Kentucky, New York, Ohio and Rhode Island.

He recently conducted a performance of the Marshall University Chamber Choir for WPBY public television station. Titled "Choral Fusion," the performance will be broadcast throughout West Virginia Sunday, April 7, at 7 p.m. and will be made available to other PBS stations in the United States.

Castleberry is affiliated with a number of professional organizations and has had papers published in several journals.

His credits include concerts at Lincoln Center, the Brooklyn Academy of Music and the Riverside Church, guest appearances with the West Village Chorale and collaborations with conductors Lukas Foss and John Rutter. He was chosen as choir director for the first World Scholar-Athlete Games which were held in 1993 in Providence, R.I.

Castleberry has received notice of his promotion to full professor with tenure at Marshall effective July 1.

Dr. Donald A. Williams, chair of Marshall's Department of Music, said "David Castleberry is an outstanding teacher whose work in our department can best be observed in his daily meetings with our various choral ensembles. David is an excellent conductor, with directing skills that would put him at the top of anyone's list of choral leaders but it is his daily work with our students that mark him as a truly outstanding teacher."

Denman, Fox appointed to key Marshall posts

Two veteran Marshall University employees have been appointed to key administrative positions, according to MU President J. Wade Gilley.

• Dr. Sarah N. Denman has been named vice president for academic affairs. Previously, she was associate vice president for academic affairs.

• Jan I. Fox, chair of the Department of Academic Computing and associate professor in the School of Medicine, has been selected for a newly created position, assistant vice president for information technology. In that role, she will be responsible for planning and coordinating the development of information technology at Marshall, including the new library and information center.

Clagg to receive honor

Dr. Sam E. Clagg, retired professor of geography, will be presented Marshall University's first John Deaver Drinko Distinguished Scholar Award during the university's Drinko Symposium Wednesday, April 3, at 2 p.m. in the Joan C. Edwards Playhouse in the Fine and Performing Arts Center.

A native of Huntington, Clagg has been associated with Marshall University since 1939 when he arrived on campus as a freshman football player.

He received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Marshall and his doctoral degree from the University of Kentucky.

Clagg first served Marshall as an assistant football coach in 1946. After a year of teaching and coaching at Morris Harvey College (the University of Charleston), he rejoined the Marshall faculty in 1948 as instructor of geography, assistant football coach and wrestling coach. In 1957 he gave up his coaching duties and concentrated on teaching full-time.

He was involved in many activities and committees on the Marshall campus and served as chairman of the MU Geography Department from 1961 until his retirement in 1986. He served as acting university president from 1983 to 1984.

After his retirement, Clagg continued working on special projects for the university and continues to work on behalf of Marshall.

Clagg also had a distinguished military career. He was sworn into the United States Marines on the Marshall campus in 1942 as a private. He served in the Pacific and China theatres during World War II, earning several decorations, and was discharged in 1970 at the rank of lieutenant colonel after 28 years of regular and reserve service.

A prolific writer, Clagg is the author of more than a dozen books including his latest, "The Marine Way."

"I can think of no better person to receive our first John Deaver Drinko Distinguished Scholar Award," said Dr. Alan B. Gould, executive director of the Drinko Academy. "Sam Clagg epitomizes the ideals and goals of the Drinko Academy. His life has been dedicated to educating young people and instilling in them a sense of values."

Established in 1994, the Drinko Academy is committed to fostering undergraduate education in American institutions, values and culture. Its mission is to address problems arising from the fragmentation of American society and the loss of a shared sense of common national purpose.



Clagg

In line with that objective, the university's Computer Center will be housed in the \$22 million, high tech library to be constructed on the MU campus, beginning later this year.

Denman assumes responsibility for overseeing Marshall's academic operations from Dr. Lyle C. Wilcox, who was granted a 16-month leave of absence to serve in the West Virginia higher education central office as vice chancellor for instructional technology.

"Both Sarah Denman and Jan Fox have demonstrated outstanding skills in their respective fields and I am gratified they have agreed to undertake challenging new assignments," Gilley said. "They represent the hard-working, innovative and dedicated types of administrators we need to move Marshall forward into the 21st Century."

Denman joined Marshall's Community and Technical College staff in 1975 as coordinator of communication and associate professor. She also served as assistant dean and associate dean of that college before becoming the university's assistant provost and then associate vice president for academic affairs. A Ceredo-Kenova High School graduate, she earned bachelor's and master's degrees from Marshall and her doctorate in higher education administration from West Virginia University.

Fox earned her bachelor's degree in biology and botany, magna cum laude, and her master's degree in biology from Marshall and is nearing completion of a doctoral degree in education administration under a cooperative program between Marshall and West Virginia University.

She joined the Marshall staff in 1984 as a biomedical instructional technologist and became director of academic computing and assistant professor in the School of Medicine in 1986. She was named chair of the Department of Academic Computing in 1989 and was promoted to associate professor in 1993. Prior to her work in the School of Medicine, she was employed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Huntington VA Medical Center.

Institute may get new machines

Marshall University's Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing is exploring the purchase of new shop machinery and equipment to be used for shared manufacturing purposes, according to Rick Martin, applications engineer for the institute.

Martin and Karl L. Lindsey, manufacturing specialist at the Byrd Institute, attended an Advanced Productivity Exposition (APEX) held recently in Charlotte, N.C., to investigate state-of-the-market processes and prospective machine vendors.

The Byrd Institute is considering investing in several shop machines including a tool presetter, a machining center, a turning center and an engine lathe type machine.

"These state-of-the-market processes will increase the Byrd Institute's manufacturing capabilities for local industries," said Lindsey.

Martin said the purchases are expected to be made within 60 days.



Denman



Fox

Marshall faculty and staff achievements

Dr. KEITH E. BARENKLAU, professor and director of the Safety Technology Program, attended the fourth annual West Virginia Construction Safety Conference held March 5-7 at Flatwoods. He served as an expert witness for the defense at a moot trial that involved a judge, bailiff and attorneys. He was accompanied by JESSE SCOTT III, an undergraduate in the Safety Technology Program. In addition to attending seminars, BARENKLAU and SCOTT manned a booth that featured Marshall's SED Division. The conference, sponsored by West Virginia University's Safety and Health Extension, was attended by construction safety professionals from several companies.

Dr. BARBARA P. GUYER, director of the H.E.L.P. Program, presented a paper titled "Gifted, Dyslexic and a Physician?" at the International Conference of the Learning Disabilities Association of America held March 6-10 in Dallas, Texas. She was assisted by WILLIAM GARDNER, a graduate student. RENE CLARK and JUDY ROWE of the H.E.L.P. Program also attended the conference.

THOMAS A. LOVINS, director of recreational sports and fitness activities, gave the opening address at the Tennessee Intramural Recreational Sports Association state meeting held Jan. 25-27 at Middle Tennessee State University. LOVINS, NIRSA Region II vice president, also chaired a session titled "Fitness

Harmon-Schamberger will be awareness day guest

A "DisAbility Awareness Day" is being sponsored by the Office of Disabled Student Services at Marshall University Tuesday, April 2, beginning at 10 a.m. in the Shawkey Dining Room in Memorial Student Center.

Activities have been designed to provide a forum for students, faculty, staff, administrators, community agencies and residents to discuss and share disability issues, according to Sandra Clements, coordinator of educational support programs at Marshall.

The program will open with a "Student Concerns Forum" facilitated by Susie Marincil, a graduate student in Marshall's Counseling and Rehabilitation Department. Topics will include "Accessible Off-Campus Housing," "Employment," "Relationships," "Recreation," "Transportation" and "Service Needs of Students."

Dr. Barbara Harmon-Schamberger, West Virginia secretary of education, will be the keynote speaker for the event. She will make a presentation at 2 p.m. in the Shawkey Dining Room. An informal reception will be held following Harmon-Schamberger's presentation.

Informational tables and displays will be set up on the Memorial Student Center Plaza by various businesses and associations from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Coordinators of the event include Jerry Meadows, rehabilitation services liaison; Peggy Wilmlink, program coordinator in Marshall's Community and Technical College; Lynn Weston, assistant director of the H.E.L.P. (Higher Education for Learning Problems) Program, and Clements.

All of the activities will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Disabled Student Services Office, 304-696-2271.

and Wellness Programs Which Make a Difference." Participants from four states attended the conference.

Dr. W. BLAKER BOLLING, professor of management, and Dr. CRAIG A. HOLLINGSHEAD, associate professor of marketing, presented a case study on the Kellogg Corporation at the fourth annual meeting of the Southeast Case Research Association held Feb. 22-24 in Charleston, S.C. BOLLING has served as membership chair. HOLLINGSHEAD was elected to that position for the coming year. BOLLING was elected to serve as track chair. The association deals with case studies in various areas including business, education and public administration. Faculty interested in the case method for instruction and/or developing cases may contact BOLLING or HOLLINGSHEAD.

Dr. MAJED KHADER, government documents librarian, was selected to participate in the John A. Maxwell Scholar Diplomat Program on the Middle East held March 20-22 in Washington, D.C. KHADER also received an invitation from the executive director of the American Library Association to serve on the ALA Education Committee. The charges of the committee are to maintain communication and rapport nationally and internationally with other organizations concerned with library information studies and to represent the ALA to organizations and agencies outside the field of library and information studies that are concerned with professional education and staff preparation.

Dr. MICHAEL R. MOORE, professor of biochemistry and molecular biology, presented an invited seminar March 12 for the Department of Biochemistry at the Medical College of Wisconsin in Milwaukee. The seminar title was "Progestins, c-myc, and breast cancer growth."

WYLMMA C. SKEAN, assistant professor of business and office technology, has been nominated for membership in the National Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi at Ohio State University. This prestigious society rewards academic excellence among students by inviting only the top 10 percent of graduate students to membership.

Safety conference set

"Effective Safety—Doing the Right Things Right" will be the theme of the 14th annual Marshall University Safety Conference being held Thursday and Friday, April 4-5, at the Radisson Hotel in Huntington.

The conference will feature presentations by several internationally known safety experts and Tri-State area safety professionals, according to Dr. Keith E. Barenklau, director of Marshall's Safety Technology Program.

Featured guest speakers will include Dr. Al Mims of the University of Wisconsin and Jack Wehman, project executive for BASF Corporation. Barenklau said both speakers have distinguished records in the safety field and have worked in multinational settings.

Marshall's Safety Technology Program, which sponsors the conference, recently received accreditation from the American Society of Safety Engineers. The program provides both graduate and undergraduate degree opportunities. Students enrolled in the program participate in the development of the Safety Conference.

To obtain further details contact the Safety Technology Program Office at Marshall University, 304-696-4664.