The Marshall University Foundation has received nearly $65,000 from the estate of a prominent Cabell County jurist, who died more than a decade ago. Foundation Executive Director Bernard Queen announced.

The unrestricted gift will be used to endow the Judge Ernest E. Winters Scholarship Fund in memory of the late Common Pleas Court judge, Dr. Queen said. Upon complete settlement of the estate, additional funds will be added to this initial amount, he added. The interest from the fund will provide tuition and registration fees for students wishing to attend Marshall, according to Queen.

"We at Marshall are most appreciative of the late judge's consideration and countless future MU students will have reason to be grateful to him for his assistance," Queen said.

Winters, who died July 19, 1971, at the age of 76, had a legal career which spanned a half-century. A graduate of Marshall, he earned his law degree from West Virginia University in 1920 and began practice here that year as a member of the law firm of Peyton, Winters and Hereford.

Winters was Cabell County prosecuting attorney from 1932 to 1940, County Democratic chairman for part of 1946, city attorney beginning in 1946 and Common Pleas judge from 1958 until his retirement in 1970.

A pacemaker in the judicial field, Winters inaugurated the practice of seeing that no defendant in his court was tried or arraigned without benefit of counsel, a step later made mandatory by the U.S. Supreme Court.

He also began a bail-bond project which insured qualified defendants the right to be released on bond regardless of their financial means. His court also was the first in the state to keep a continuing grand jury in session with recesses during the entire time of the court.

An active civic leader, Winters served as exalted ruler of Huntington Lodge 313, BPO Elks, commander of Huntington Post 16 of the American Legion, a trustee of the Stella Fuller Settlement and member of the Huntington Area Chamber of Commerce. He was a member of Trinity Episcopal Church and the Guyan Golf and Country Club.

Christmas gift suggestions with Marshall U flair

Up the proverbial tree for Christmas gift idea for a hard-to-buy-for family member or friend who bleed green? The Marshall University Alumni Association and the Athletic Department may help you solve your problem with special gifts that have a Marshall flavor.

A copy of "Marshall University: An Institution Comes of Age" by Dr. Charles H. Moffat history professor emeritus, is an ideal present for a history buff or any Marshall person.

Available from the Alumni Association, it comes in a limited edition, numbered, autographed and emblazoned with a gold university seal at $50 a copy or in a first edition copy at $20. For orders by mail, add $2 for shipping and handling per book.

For the MU sports follower, a copy of "The Cam Henderson Story" by Dr. Sam Clagg, Geography Department chairman, is just the answer.

Available from the MU Athletic Office, it comes in a deluxe edition at $26.20 or in a regular edition at $15.70. Prices include tax. For mail orders there is a $1.50 shipping fee. Visa and Master Card are accepted.

For those who enjoy sitting around the fireplace on a cold winter's night or like to sit on the porch and watch the world go by in warmer weather, the gift of a Boston rocker at $102 or a colonial arm chair at $110 could make you this year's most popular Santa Claus. The black enamel chairs are adored with the university seal. (Prices do not include shipping.)

Recreate memories of the campus with an 11½ by 15-inch color print of Old Main in winter. Signed and numbered limited edition prints by MU graduate Joan Pennington are $15, while unsigned prints are available at $5. (For mail orders add $1 handling charge.)

Looking for something a little different in the Christmas card line to send this year? The Alumni Association again may be able to solve your problem. A box of 12 cards, three each of four campus winter scenes in color by Joan Pennington, is available for $3, plus $1 handling charge per order.

For additional information on how to make it a "Marshall Christmas," call the MU Alumni Office at (304) 696-3134 or for the Henderson Story, the MU Athletic Office at (304) 696-5409.
MU faculty and staff achievements, activities... 

DAN O' Hanlon, Criminal Justice Department acting chairman, spoke on "Legal Rights of the Elderly" to a senior citizens group at Fairfield West Community Center on Nov. 9. He also was dinner speaker on Nov. 16 for the Business Women's Association "Bosses Night." On Nov. 19 he discussed "Juvenile Law" before Highlawn Elementary School students.

DR. MICHAEL J. GALGANO, University Honors director, and DR. CLAIRE F. HORTON, SCORES Program director, met with the Cabell County Association for the Talented and Gifted on Nov. 15 to discuss the SCORES requirement, the Academic Festival and University Honors options.

DR. ROBERT M. BABB, Computer and Information Science Department chairman, was the luncheon speaker Nov. 16 for a meeting of the West Virginia Chapter of Public Relations at the Marriott Hotel in Charleston. His topic was "Office Automation."

DR. PAUL W. WHEAR, professor of music, conducted the premiere performance of a new composition, "Sounds of Celebration," at the Northern Plains Music Festival on Nov. 7 at Dickinson (N.D.) College. The work for chorus and wind instruments was commissioned for the Festival's 25th anniversary.

DR. STEVEN MEWALDT, associate professor of psychology, attended the 23rd national meeting of the Psychonomic Society in Minneapolis Nov. 10-13, where he presented a paper, "Diazepam and Retention: Distinguishing Between Short- and Long-Term Memory." He also was co-author of a presentation on "Retrograde Enhancement of Recall with Diazepam."

DR. WILLIAM A. McDOWELL, Counseling/Rehabilitation Department chairman, spoke to the staff of Southwestern Community Services on "Thinking Positive for Positive Results" on Nov. 2. He also addressed the Head Start Workers State Conference Nov. 5 at Cedar Lakes on "The Power of the Positive" and presented a workshop on "Coping with Death and Dying" on Nov. 10 at Pleasant Valley Hospital, Point Pleasant, for nursing and health professionals.

CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS...

Faculty and staff members are invited to attend the following special programs sponsored by the Minority Students Office:

Seminar on Female-to-Female Relationships, 7 p.m., today (Dec. 2), Memorial Student Center 2W22.

Seminar on Male-to-Male Relationships, 7 p.m., today (Dec. 2), Don Morris Room, MSC, with Associate Dean Ken Blue, Phil Carter, assistant professor of sociology, and DeWayne Lyles, minority students program coordinator. (Joint seminar with above group to follow).

Christmas Reception, 3 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 9, Alumni Lounge, MSC.

ART EXHIBIT

"Center Ring: A Show of Fibers," an exhibit of weaving, felting, handmade paper and xerography by Huntington graduate student Una Jones will open at the Birke Art Gallery Friday, Dec. 3.

The show will continue through Dec. 15. A free, public reception will be held Friday from 6:30 to 9 p.m. The gallery is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m., and Monday evening from 7 to 9 p.m.

Personnel personals...

Ernestine Osburn, Family and Community Health Department secretary, became a grandmother Oct. 27 with the birth of Eric Hans Gearhart, 6 lbs. 13 oz., to Pamela and Robert Gearhart.

Dr. Carolyn Karr, professor of social studies, was a Special Merit Award winner in the Kodak International Snapshot Awards contest. A winner in the local weekly contest and a finalist, she received $100 for a black-and-white photograph of hands.

Proud of a family member's accomplishment? Is there a new baby at your house? Is there something else you'd like to share with your colleagues? "Personnel personals..." is just the place. Send your information to Judith Casto, University Relations, Old Main 102.

UNIVERSITY SINGERS

The University Singers, the MU Music Department's chorale ensemble which specializes in "top 40" tunes, will present a free, public concert on Wednesday, Dec. 8, in Smith Recital Hall at 8 p.m.

The group, under the direction of Dr. Wendell Kulumien, professor of music, will sing and dance to the music of Earth, Wind and Fire, Melissa Manchester, Olivia Newton-John, Stevie Wonder and other recording artists.

HOLIDAY TEA

Faculty and staff members are invited to attend a "Holiday Tea," sponsored by the International Students Office and International Club, from 2 to 4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 3, in the Alumni Lounge, Memorial Student Center.

LECTURE FRIDAY

An eyewitness account of the political unrest in El Salvador will be presented by a union activist, Alejandro Molina Lara, at 1 p.m. Friday, Dec. 3, in Marshall University's Harris Hall 134.

The free, public lecture is sponsored by the Contemporary Issues Committee of the MU Student Activities Office.

Excused absences...

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

NOV. 9-Lisa Melton, Suzanne Castle, Tammy Greenwood, Marcia Davidson, Myra Taylor, Chris Sienkiewicz, Mary Hale, Beth Bradley, Allison Henry, Tammy Toler, Cynthia Runyon, Larianna Demler, Stephanie Mutoyan, Sandy Wilson and Joyce Hamrick.

NOV. 18-20-Women's Intercollegiate Volleyball Team.

NOV. 19-Varsity Football Team.