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$23,000 NSF grant awarded MU psychologist

Dr. William A. McDowell, Marshall University associate professor of counseling/rehabilitation, was notified that his proposal for a grant to increase research by state scientists in the basic sciences has been awarded $23,000 by the National Science Foundation (NSF) to increase research by state scientists in the basic sciences.

McDowell, who joined the Marshall faculty in 1971, earned his bachelor's degree cum laude from David Lipscomb College, Nashville, Tenn. He received his master's and doctorate degrees from Kent (Ohio) State University.

He is a member of several national organizations, including the American Psychological Association and the National Rehabilitation Association. Active locally, he is a founding member and former officer of the Family Resource Center and a member of the Citizens Advisory Council for the West Virginia Welfare Department. He also has served on the Professional Committee Coordinating Task Force for the West Virginia End-Stage Renal Disease Program.

Task force appointed to review ESP

Seven faculty members and four students have accepted appointment to serve on a task force to review Marshall University's Educational Support Program (ESP), President Robert B. Hayes has announced.

Faculty members participating on the task force are Dr. Franklin L. Binder, associate professor of biological sciences; Dr. Sallie H. Plymate, assistant professor of curriculum and foundations; Dr. Thomas S. Bishop, professor of marketing; Dr. Jacqueline M. Guttman, assistant professor of modern languages; Dr. Mahlon C. Brown, professor of social studies; Clyde C. Perry Jr., assistant professor of sociology and anthropology; and Sandra K. Lowe, communications instructor, Community College.

B.S.N.
National League of Nursing accredits Marshall's program

The Marshall University School of Nursing has just been notified that its Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree program has been accredited by the National League of Nursing, according to Dr. Phyllis F. Higley, dean of the school.

A letter, dated Dec. 5, from Dr. Irene Boscoe, secretary of the League's Board of Review for the Baccalaureates and Higher Education Degree Programs, notes that the Review Board voted that day to grant accreditation to the Marshall's Baccalaureate nursing program and states: "National League for Nursing initial accreditation of a nursing program is effective as of the date it is granted by the Board of Review and is retroactive to the 8-month period prior to the Board's decision."

"Under the retroactive clause, our B.S.N. program graduates last May will be able to say they received their degrees from a League accredited program," Dr. Higley explained.

"The accreditation, which is the stamp of professional approval by others in the field, is due to a great deal of hard work which preceded my arrival at Marshall this summer," Dr. Higley said, praising Mrs. Ruth Pearson, B.S.N. program director, and the faculty.

Marshall's program, the first upper division B.S.N. degree program for registered nurses to be established in West Virginia, is one of very few such programs in the nation to be approved by the League, which accredits all nursing education programs, according to Mrs. Pearson.

"The League really takes a long, hard look at these non-traditional upper division programs, so the accreditation means we have received official recognition as a quality nursing program," Mrs. Pearson said.

"This official recognition will help our students gain admission into graduate programs elsewhere and will aid us in recruiting faculty and students," she continued. "It also will enhance (continued on page 3)
Dr. Chandor pathology

Dr. Stebbins B. Chandor, formerly with the State University of New York at Stony Brook, has assumed the position of Professor of Pathology at SUNY-Stony Brook, also has taught at Cornell University Medical College and the University of Southern California Medical School.

At USC he held a variety of committee posts with the California Society of Pathologists and within the university. His other responsibilities at SUNY included serving the Northport veterans Administration Hospital and teaching. He is known for his extensive knowledge in the field of Clinical Pathology, a new associate director of the Electron Microscopy Service and as pathology representative to the Eastern Cooperators Organization.

The Boston native earned his B.A. degree in biology from Princeton University and his M.D. degree from Cornell University. He took residency in medicine and pathology at New York's Bellevue Hospital, Seton Hall Medical Center in Jersey City, N.J., and Stanford Medical Center, Palo Alto (Calif.) VA Medical Center. He served from 1966 to 1969 in the U.S. Army and received the Army Commendation Medal.

Daniel O'Hanlon appointed Huntington municipal judge

Daniel P. O'Hanlon, Legal Assistant Program coordinator for the Community College, was named municipal judge by Huntington City Manager Daisie Stockton Monday.

He will fill the unexpired term of Judge Lawrence Lewis, who announced his resignation effective Dec. 31. The term expires June 20.

O'Hanlon recently served as a special municipal judge after Lewis resigned last October. He has been in the police department used a 12-year-old girl to purchase beer from Huntington club.

"O'Hanlon will take over the $9,964-a-year job on Jan. 5. He will retain his position at the Community College.

Miss Louise McDonough dies Saturday in Illinois

Miss Louise McDonough, who retired in 1969 after 40 years as a member of the Marshall University faculty, died Saturday, Dec. 13, at her home in Macomb, Ill. She was 77.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Dec. 16, at the John W. theatre. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Dec. 16, at the John A. Memorial Student Center, and the service was conducted Saturday, Dec. 13, at her home in Macomb, Ill. She was 77.

Miss McDonough joined the Marshall faculty as a physical education instructor in 1929. She had attained full professor rank before her 1969 retirement.

Born Oct. 31, 1903, in Macomb, she earned her Bachelor of Education degree from Western Illinois State Teachers College there in 1923 and her M.A. degree in physical education from Teachers College of Columbia University in 1929. She took additional courses in Columbia, the University of Wisconsin and the University of Iowa. She was a high school teacher in school before entering to Marshall.

In Huntington, she was active in the Presbyterian Church, the American Association of University Women, the Women's City Council, the American Red Cross. She was a member of the association in Multicultural Education and Appalachian program.

Her friends who wish to do so may make memorial contributions to the First Presbyterian Church of Macomb or to Wesley Village, a retirement home in Macomb.

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Dr. VIOLET C. EASH, assistant professor of counseling and rehabilitation, conducted a workshop on burn-out for Big Four.

LEO IMPERI, associate professor of music, was guest bass soloist with the II-Instrumental and Vocal Ensemble of the Harper McNesly Auditorium at Davis and Ellis College. He was one of four guest soloists joining the Community Chorus, the Marshall University Singers, the West Virginia University Symphony, the Creative Arts Council's orchestra, conducted by Richard Kedel, DAE Music Department chairman and choir director. The concert was funded by the Arts and Humanities Division of the West Virginia Department of Cultural Affairs.

Several Art Department faculty members have participated in exhibits and shows this fall. Exhibiting their work at the Charleston Museum and the Huntington Art Gallery was Dr. CHARLIE ALLEN, assistant professor, was also displayed at the Parkersburg Art Mrs. K. MATERAL, also was represented in the Allied Artists Show at Huntington. Also displayed were the Paintings and Sculpture Show at the Mint Museum, Charlotte, N.C. In addition, the department chairman presented papers making workshops at West Virginia University for the state Art Education Association and at Parkersburg High School for Wood County teacher inservice training.

DR. KATHRYN WRIGHT, associate professor of curriculums and foundations, and MARGARET VASS, assistant professor of curriculums and foundations, displayed student handcrafts made in Multicultural Education and Appalachian Literature classes in Jenkins Hall on Dec. 2. Articles include quills and Christmas tree ornaments.

MU's one of few programs with league accreditation

A new organization to promote scholarship, service and character is formed on the Marshall University campus. The organization is the Gamma Beta Phi Society, according to Mary-Ann Thomas, associate dean for student life and advisor pro tempore.

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