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October 2, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A teleconference titled "Federal Income Tax Avoidance Planning: Taxing Problems, Practical Insurance Solutions" will be held at Marshall University on Wednesday, Nov. 18, from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2E10.

The program is being sponsored by the Huntington chapter of the American Society of Chartered Life Underwriters and Chartered Financial Consultants (CLU & ChFC).

A national panel of specialists will explore long-range planning techniques that use practical insurance solutions to avoid unnecessary income taxation, according to Richard Hensley, director of continuing education at Marshall University's Community and Technical College.

Participants will earn continuing education units for attending the program.

To register or obtain further details contact Peggy A. Rowe, teleconference coordinator, 525-8073.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Three local authors will be featured when Marshall University's James E. Morrow Library presents "Local Authors' Night" on Thursday, Oct. 22, at 7 p.m. in the library's Hoffman Room.

Lisle Brown, library curator, said authors Rick Baumgartner, Jack Dickinson and Joe Geiger will be featured.

He said all three authors have published books pertaining to the American Civil War and all used the resources of Marshall's library in conducting their research, particularly the university's Blake Library of the History of the Confederacy.

Baumgartner, formerly graphics editor for the Huntington Herald-Dispatch, is the editor/publisher of Blue Acorn Press which specializes in Civil War titles, both new books and reprints of significant out-of-print books.

He co-edited "Echos of Battle: The Atlanta Campaign" and "Yankee Tigers" and published reprints of Benjamin McGee's "History of the 72 Indiana Volunteer Infantry of the (Wilder's) Lightning Brigade" and "History of the Fourth Ohio Volunteers, Army of the Potomac" and Joseph Sutton's "History of the Second Regiment, West Virginia Cavalry Volunteers."

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Dickinson works for IBM Corporation and serves on the board of directors of the Friends of the Library organization at Marshall.

His publications include "Jenkins of Greenbottom," "Records of the 16th Virginia Cavalry," "Confederate Soldiers of West Virginia," and two titles in the Virginia Regimental Series--"The 8th Virginia Cavalry" and "The 16th Virginia Cavalry."

Geiger is a Marshall graduate and currently is pursuing a master's degree at the university. Geiger, employed by the United Parcel Service, is the author of "Civil War in Cabell County, West Virginia, 1861-1865."

The program will include presentations by the authors and a question and answer session. The activities will be open to the public free of charge.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Department of Residence Services has established new operating hours in an effort to better serve the needs of Marshall students, according to Mary Beth Poma, director of residence services.

Effective immediately, the main office in Old Main Room 115 and the Meal Ticket Office, Old Main Room 213, will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Residence Services' Maintenance Office will observe operating hours from 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Poma said an electrician, plumber, building mechanic and receptionist will be available until 6:30 p.m. to handle work requests.

"As always we strive to meet our students' needs," Poma said. "We believe these longer and more flexible hours will not only better serve the students and staff who rely on our services, but will also increase the efficiency of our maintenance staff. We expect the number of completed work orders per man-hour to increase as a result of this change."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Maurice Harmon, occupying Marshall University's John Deaver and Elizabeth G. Drinko Distinguished Chair in Liberal Arts, will present a public lecture titled "English Words/Irish Voices" on Thursday, Oct. 15, at 7 p.m. at the Huntington Museum of Art.

Considered one of the world's leading scholars of Irish and Anglo-Irish literature, Harmon is emeritus professor of Anglo-Irish literature and drama at University College Dublin in Ireland.

His presentation and a reception afterward will be open to the public free of charge, according to Dr. Joan Mead, chairwoman of Marshall's English Department.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Women's Center will hold a candlelight ceremony to show respect and support for an assault victim's right to privacy on Thursday, Oct. 8, at 8 p.m. on the Memorial Student Center Plaza.

Dr. Donnalee Cockrille, coordinator of women's programs at Marshall, said the ceremony is a way of showing support for an assault victim's right to choose whether his/her name is used in any media report.

The ceremony will be open to the public. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Women's Center, 696-3112.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Donal Leace, co-chair of the Theatre Department at the Duke Ellington School of the Arts in Washington, D.C., will return to his birthplace to perform for Marshall University's observance of Black Awareness Week on Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 7 p.m. in Marco's in Memorial Student Center.

A guitarist who is proficient in a wide range of musical styles, Leace has toured extensively with artists such as Roberta Flack and Nancy Wilson and has appeared on "The Today Show" and the "David Frost Show." His latest recording, "Leace on Life," has just been released.

Although born in Huntington, Leace was raised in Philadelphia. He is a graduate of Howard University and received a master's degree in fine arts from George Washington University and a master's degree in history from Georgetown University.

Leace served as a judge for Helen Hayes awards from 1986 to 1988 and in 1991 was invited to Johannesburg, South Africa, to assess a non-government supported arts program.

Macel Braxton, coordinator of Marshall's African American Students' Program Office, said Leace also will present a lecture titled "Harlem Renaissance" for a university history class.

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Leace--Add 1

Leace's performance, sponsored by the African American Students' Program Office, will be open to the public free of charge. A reception in his honor will follow the performance.

Braxton said other activities are being planned for Black Awareness Week including a "Talent Night" for anyone who would like to perform on Wednesday, Oct. 14, at 9:15 p.m. in Marco's.

To obtain further details about the Black Awareness Week activities contact the Marshall University African American Students' Program Office, 696-6705.

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October 7, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Organization for Applied Sciences Information and Support (OASIS) will sponsor a seminar on "WordPerfect 5.1 for Windows" on Tuesday, Oct. 13, from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

Mark McLaughlin, WordPerfect regional representative, will be the program leader.

The seminar will be open to the public free of charge, according to Katherine Martin of OASIS. Refreshments and door prizes will be available.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Department of Biological Sciences will present a seminar titled "Lyme Disease: The spirochaete and its potential arthropod vectors in West Virginia" on Tuesday, Oct. 13, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Marshall University Science Hall Room 266.

Dr. James Joy, professor of biological sciences at Marshall, will serve as moderator of the seminar.

Dr. John Hall of the Department of Microbiology at the West Virginia University Health Sciences Center, which has become the state's clearinghouse for Lyme Disease information, will be the guest presenter. Hall serves as the state's contact with public health workers and Lyme Disease support groups.

Following Hall's presentation there will be a panel discussion featuring people who have done research on Lyme Disease and been involved with its identification and treatment.

The program will be open free of charge to anyone interested in learning more about Lyme Disease. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Department of Biological Sciences, 696-3148.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University will observe World Food Day on Friday, Oct. 16, with an international videoconference from noon to 3 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

The program will examine links between food needs, health and economic development, according to Richard Hensley, director of continuing education at Marshall's Community and Technical College.

Organized by the U.S. National Committee for World Food Day, the program will join participating sites throughout the Western Hemisphere by satellite using both English and Spanish languages.

General Edouard Saouma, director of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, will open the videoconference from Rome. James Grant, UNICEF executive director, will serve on a special expert panel to lead the program discussion.

Other panel members are Fernando Monckeberg of Chile, Wynante Patterson of Jamaica and Per Pinstруп-Anderson, a Danish-American recently named to head the International Food Policy Research Institute.

Program organizers estimate that more than 500 million people suffer severe and chronic undernutrition, meaning that

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Food Day--Add 1

they don't get enough food day after day to support a healthy life, and that hundreds of millions of people, more than one out of four of the world's population, suffer from some form of malnutrition.

Continuing education units will be available from several sources for participation in the videoconference which will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact the Continuing Education Office at Marshall University's Community and Technical College, 696-3113.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Randy Layne, public safety officer, has been selected as the Marshall University Employee of the Month for September, according to Bill Burdette, chairman of the selection committee.

Layne has worked for the university for approximately eight years.

Donald L. Salyers, director of the Public Safety Department, nominated Layne for the award.

Salyers said that thanks to Layne's mechanical ability and his willingness to volunteer his services on numerous occasions, the department was able to overcome budget cuts and operate within current expense allocations for fiscal year 1991-92.

"Randy literally saved the university hundreds of dollars in labor costs by replacing items of equipment and making several other repairs to our only cruiser during the past year," said Salyers. "Randy's volunteered labor made it possible for us to purchase much needed tires for the cruiser and the ambulance and to make additional purchases that we would not have been able to make otherwise.

"I feel that Randy is most deserving of being selected

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Layne--Add 1

employee of the month for his special contributions to the university," said Salyers.

Layne will receive a plaque and \$100 for being named Employee of the Month and will be eligible for the Employee of the Year Award.

Marshall University President J. Wade Gilley and his wife, Nanna, provided funds through a grant to establish the Employee of the Month and Employee of the Year program.

The program has been designed to recognize outstanding performance by classified and non-classified staff at the university. Awards will be made to MU employees who have exhibited exceptional levels of work performance and displayed high regard and loyalty toward the university and their job responsibilities.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Businesses in West Virginia and the Tri-State area will be the first in the nation to have access to a program developed by the United States Air Force to explain the new Government Acquisition Through Electronic Contracting (GATEC) system which will change the way the Air Force contracts for goods and services.

Guy Thompson, a GATEC team member from Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, will explain the new system during a free workshop sponsored by the Marshall University Procurement Technical Assistance Center on Thursday, Oct. 22, from 9 to 11 a.m. at Marshall's Research and Economic Development Center, 1050 Fourth Ave.

"This is a very important program for anyone who wants to do business with the Air Force," said Dr. Donald Williams, acting vice president for research and economic development at Marshall. "In the very near future the GATEC system will be the only means of conducting business with the Air Force and other Defense Department agencies."

Government Acquisition Through Electronic Contracting is an Air Force acquisition automation initiative selected as a

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GATEC--Add 1

Department of Defense pilot project to serve as a standard approach to Electronic Commerce/Electronic Data Interchange. In other words, GATEC is a paperless contracting process.

Small businesses wanting to deal in government contracts no longer will have to rely on paperwork. Instead, information will be transmitted via computer using Electronic Data Interchange, an automated exchange of standard electronic formats. Information will go from one computer to another computer with no stops in between for paperwork.

Thompson said GATEC will save paper, time and resources and make it simpler for small businesses to compete with large businesses.

Initially, GATEC will handle only contracts of less than \$25,000, which make up approximately 98 percent of the contracts awarded by the government.

Although the new system will begin at Wright-Patterson, plans already are under way to make it available to Air Force bases throughout the United States.

"This is going to be the way transactions are conducted in the future," Williams said. "This system could actually make West Virginia businesses more competitive in going after government contracts. Historically, geography has isolated small businesses in the region and caused them to miss opportunities to sell goods and services.

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GATEC--Add 2

"I know there are many businesses in the state that could successfully compete for government contracts if they would only actively pursue them. This workshop will be beneficial to businesses that currently seek government contracts and those that want to do business with the government in the future."

The workshop will be open to interested persons free of charge although registration is recommended. To register or obtain further details contact the Marshall University Procurement Technical Assistance Center, 696-6205.

Persons interested in more information about the GATEC system should contact Ben Patton at the GATEC Opportunity Center at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, (513) 258-2332.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Approximately 1,000 students from high schools in West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky are expected to take part in Marshall University's National Merit Semi-Finalist and Honor Graduate Day on Thursday, Oct. 29, according to Marshall Admissions Director James W. Harless.

Activities will begin with registration at 8:30 a.m. in Memorial Student Center. Marshall's Pep Band will perform during registration and refreshments will be provided.

Marshall Vice President for Academic Affairs Alan B. Gould will welcome the students to campus to begin the formal program at 9 a.m.

Participants will receive information on academic opportunities offered by Marshall, scholarships, financial aid, honors programs and other topics of interest to college-bound students.

Harless said this year's program will place more emphasis on honors programs and participation by current MU honors students. Participants also will have opportunities to talk to representatives from each of Marshall's academic schools and colleges and tour academic facilities and the university campus.

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Honor Day--Add 1

The program will end with a luncheon at noon in the W. Don Morris Room. Entertainment will be provided by the MU Jazz Combo.

Harless said the university started National Merit Semi-Finalist and Honor Graduate Day in 1972 to inform academically gifted students about special programs offered at Marshall.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Admissions Office, 696-3160.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A public forum titled "Beyond the Soundbites: Economic Issues in Campaign '92" will be presented at Marshall University on Tuesday, Oct. 27, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in Corbly Hall Room 105.

Dr. Harlan M. Smith II of Marshall's Department of Economics will serve as moderator for the event. He said the forum will focus on the economic issues dominating the current presidential campaign.

Panelists from Marshall's Economics Department will discuss the following topics:

--Dr. Gregg Davis, "Bush, Clinton and the Environment";

--Dr. Steven Shuklian, "Poverty and Inequality in America: What Plans do the Candidates Have?";

--Dr. Allen Wilkins, "Dealing with the Federal Budget Deficit";

--Dr. Roger Adkins, "America's International Competitiveness: Can the Candidates Help?"

Panelists will make their presentations and then the program will be opened for a question-and-answer discussion session.

The forum will be open to the public free of charge. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Department of Economics, 696-6492.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Approximately 140 outstanding high school band members from West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky will join Marshall University's Big Green Marching Machine for a halftime performance during Marshall's football game against the University of Tennessee-Chattanooga on Oct. 24, according to MU Band Director Ivory Brock.

"High School and Honor Band Day" at Marshall will give high school students the opportunity to perform with the Big Green Marching Machine, the Marshall University Choir and other high school musicians during a halftime performance that will celebrate America, said Brock.

The high school musicians were selected on the basis of outstanding musicianship and character.

In an effort to support High School and Honor Band Day and the Big Green Marching Machine the Stadium McDonald's Restaurant, 2106 Fifth Ave., will donate 10 cents to Marshall's band for every large soft drink sold at the restaurant Oct. 24.

"I would like to thank McDonald's for their support and would like to invite everyone to come out to the game," said Brock. "The halftime show will feature the Big Green Marching Machine, the high school musicians and the University Choir. It should be entertaining."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University will observe National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week Oct. 19-24, according to Sharla Hofmann Meade, substance abuse coordinator at Marshall.

Several activities have been planned throughout the week to promote alcohol awareness and responsible drinking choices.

The activities will begin Monday, Oct. 19, at noon with a mock drunk-driving accident staged in the field between Marshall's Memorial Student Center and the James E. Morrow Library.

It will involve the arrest of a drunk driver, rescues by the fire department, emergency treatment by paramedics and a transport to the hospital by the Health Net helicopter.

Agencies involved in the mock accident will include the Huntington Police and Fire departments, the Cabell County Office of Emergency Services, Cabell Huntington Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital, the Huntington Safe Traffic Operations Program and Marshall's BACCHUS and GAMMA student organizations.

In the event of an emergency involving these agencies or in the event of inclement weather the mock accident will be held Tuesday, Oct. 20, at noon.

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Alcohol Week--Add 1

Meade said the accident is being staged to make the public more aware of the severity of an alcohol related crash and the nearly 22,000 fatalities caused by drunk drivers each year.

To obtain further details about the mock accident or other activities planned in conjunction with National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week contact Marshall University's Substance Abuse Education Program Office, 696-3315.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"Basic Business Tax" will be the topic of a free business workshop on Thursday, Oct. 22, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Marshall University Research and Economic Development Center, 1050 Fourth Ave.

Elaine Hayslett, coordinator of Marshall's Small Business Development Center, said the introductory course will include a review of consumer sales and use tax, advantages and disadvantages of various forms of business organization from a tax standpoint and basic tax requirements for employers.

The program is being sponsored by the MU Small Business Development Center, the West Virginia Development Office and Somerville & Company.

To register or obtain further details contact Marshall University's Small Business Development Center, 696-6798. Special provisions for disabled persons may be made by contacting the center prior to the workshop.

The Marshall University Small Business Development Center is partially funded by the United States Small Business Administration. The support given through such funding does not constitute an express or implied endorsement of any of the co-sponsors or participant's products, opinions or services.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Robert L. Dingman, professor in Marshall University's Counseling and Rehabilitation Department, has been appointed associate editor-professional exchange for the Journal of Mental Health Counseling, according to Earl Ginter, editor of the journal.

Dingman has been a member of the Counseling and Rehabilitation Department at Marshall for 25 years and has been active in the American Mental Health Counselors Association almost from its inception. He has held leadership positions on the Licensure and Ethics committees and has been the district consultant for the Southern District of AMHCA.

"I am honored to receive this appointment and look forward to working with Dr. Ginter and the editorial board in continuing the excellent quality for which the Journal of Mental Health Counseling is noted," said Dingman.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Wayne Dodd, an award-winning poet, editor and scholar, will read and discuss his work during a program sponsored by Marshall University's Birke Visiting Writers Series on Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 8 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

A professor of English at Ohio University, Dodd has published six books of poetry and his latest work, "Toward the End of the Century: Essays into Poetry," a collection of essays on contemporary poetry and poetics, has just been published by the University of Iowa Press.

Art Stringer of Marshall University's English Department said Dodd's latest book and two of his poetry books, "Sometimes Music Rises" and "Echoes of the Unspoken," will be available at the Marshall University Bookstore and at the reading.

His book, "The Names You Gave It," was selected as one of the 10 best books of the year in 1980 by judges for the Lenore Marshall/Saturday Review Poetry Award.

Dodd is the editor of The Ohio Review, a highly respected journal of contemporary writing, and has received fellowships

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Dodd--Add 1

from the National Endowment for the Arts and the Ohio Arts Council.

His work has appeared in The American Scholar, The Iowa Review, The Nation, The Southern Review and many other journals.

Dodd's presentation will be open to the public free of charge.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Social Work Department will sponsor a "Teach-In on Welfare, Women and Children" on Tuesday, Oct. 27, from 4 to 6:15 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2W37.

The event will be part of a national effort involving approximately 200 schools in more than 40 states. The schools are participating in this effort by social workers to protest the attacks on welfare programs and clients and educate themselves and the nation concerning positive alternatives, according to Jody Gottlieb, chairwoman of Marshall's Social Work Department.

Gottlieb said Marshall's Social Work Department faculty, prompted by the drastic erosion of welfare benefit levels (30 percent during the past 15 years) and attacks on welfare programs and clients during the current political campaigns, will lead discussions concerning what we should do for the nation's poor.

"The public is frustrated with the persistence of poverty," said Gottlieb. "Poverty leads to malnutrition, illness and depression. Long term poverty leads to violence, hopelessness and disintegration of families and communities.

"Elements of current welfare programs need to be changed but

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Teach-In--Add 1

many of the reform proposals scapegoat poor families in order to placate a deficit-weary public. Seventy percent of AFDC (Aide to Families with Dependent Children) recipients are children. Of the adults, more than 90 percent are female. Social workers have a special responsibility to assure that politicians act responsibly and thoughtfully in enacting welfare programs."

The Teach-In will be open to the public free of charge. Continuing education credit toward social work licensure will be available through the program.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Social Work Department, 696-2792.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A forum titled "The Presidential and Gubernatorial Candidates' Agenda for West Virginia and African Americans" will be held at Marshall University on Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 7 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22.

Guest speakers will include Stephen Starks, publisher of the West Virginia Beacon Digest, and Tom Miller from the Huntington Herald-Dispatch.

They will address the agenda of each candidate and discuss how the candidates' views and policies on economics, education, health care and family values will affect West Virginians and African Americans.

The forum, which will be open to the public free of charge, is being sponsored by the Marshall University Black Administrator, Faculty and Staff Organization (BAFSO) in conjunction with the MU Student Government Association, Political Science Department and Black United Students.

To obtain further details contact George Arthur, BAFSO president, at Marshall University, 696-2876.

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For Immediate Release

HUNTINGTON -- Bill L. Neal of Decatur, Ala., was elected president of Marshall University's Society of Yeager Scholars board for 1992-93, according to Martha C. Woodward, executive director of Marshall's John R. Hall Center for Academic Excellence.

A 1957 Marshall graduate, Neal is past president and chief executive officer of Lee Brass Co. and Cullman Products Corp. He was elected to the Yeager board in 1990.

Other officers elected during the board's Oct. 10 meeting on campus were: first vice president, Verona Graham Cumberledge of Lexington, Ky., administrative assistant and press secretary at the Kentucky Health Care Access Foundation Inc., and second vice president, Emery King of Detroit, Mich., news reporter/anchor at WDIV-TV. Cumberledge is a 1980 Marshall graduate. Mebane M. Pritchett, president of the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation Inc. in Atlanta, is chairman of the Yeager board.

Other members of the board are: Nancy L. Francis, Joseph W. Hunnicutt III, Glenn J. Queen and James N. Skaff Jr., all of Huntington; Betty Chilton and Edward H. Maier, both of Charleston, W.Va.; Ralph D. Albertazzie of Martinsburg, W.Va.; John C. Fiedler of Los Angeles, Calif.; Richard Hatcher of Gary,

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Yeager Board

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Ind.; John R. Hall of Ashland, Ky.; Robert E. Fox of Lexington, Ky.; Frederick J. Gumm of Chatham, N.J.; Verna K. Gibson of Columbus, Ohio; Burl Osborne and Albin G. Wheeler, both of Dallas, Texas, and Ronald W. Drucker and Joan Massey, both of Richmond, Va.

A board meeting and the Society of Yeager Scholars Symposium sponsored by C & P Telephone are scheduled each October to commemorate the historic flight of Charles E. "Chuck" Yeager for whom the program is named. On Oct. 14, 1947, the Lincoln County, W.Va., native, now a retired U.S. Air Force general, became the first man to fly faster than the speed of sound.

The Society of Yeager Scholars was established in 1986 to recruit outstanding students for four years of rigorous academic preparation, enrichment opportunities and personal development experiences.

As honorary director of the board, General Yeager has returned each year to meet with the board and welcome the new class of students.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's 16th annual Nursing/Health Careers Fair will be held Monday, Nov. 9, from 1 to 4 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center, according to Patricia Gallagher, recruiting coordinator in Marshall's Placement Services Center.

"This annual event brings together representatives from local, state and national health facilities and provides an ideal setting for Marshall students and alumni to discuss employment opportunities with recruiters," said Gallagher.

More than 25 medical facilities and health agencies will participate in the fair, including employers such as American Hospital for Rehabilitation, the Lexington VA Medical Center, Prestera Mental Health Services and Southern Ohio Medical Center.

A complete list of participants is available in the MU Placement Services Center.

Pre-registration will not be required to attend the fair. To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Placement Services Center, 696-2371 or 696-2250.

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MARSHALL UNIVERSITY FACULTY AND STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

WILLIAM EDWARDS, interim director of Marshall University's Institute for Regional Development, was a special guest at the "Champions of Change" conferences hosted by the American Society for Training and Development Sept. 16-18 in Akron, Ohio. He discussed lessons learned through some of the organizational changes at Marshall for conference participants interested in the areas of training, human resource management, change management, quality, management development and organizational effectiveness. He was one of 20 representatives from companies and organizations in a three-state region who shared views and strategies for winning in the 1990s.

Dr. MICHAEL P. CASTELLANI, assistant professor in the Department of Chemistry, presented a paper titled "Synthesis and Characteristic of the $(C_5Ph_5)Cr(CO)_3$ Radical" at the national meeting of the American Chemical Society held Aug. 25. He also served as a session chair during the meeting. CASTELLANI presented a seminar on "Polyphenylated Cyclopentadienyl Complexes of Some Transition Metals" Sept. 18 at Western Kentucky University.

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Dr. AIMEE HOWLEY, associate professor of educational administration, co-authored an article titled "Pastoral Power and the Contemporary University: A Foundation Analysis" with Dr. Richard Hartnett of West Virginia University. The article was published in the summer 1992 issue of Educational Theory. HOWLEY and Hartnett also had a paper titled "Recalcitrance and the Canon Wars: A Foucauldian Genealogical Study" accepted for presentation at the annual meeting of the American Educational Studies Association which will be held Nov. 4-8 in Pittsburgh.

Dr. ALAN ALTANY, assistant professor of religious studies, has had an article titled "Mysticism: Madness or Holiness?" accepted for publication in a future issue of U.S. Catholic. The article discusses the nature, role and meaning of mysticism in the Catholic religious tradition as exemplified by Teresa of Avila, Meister Eckhart, Teilhard de Chardin and Thomas Merton.

An article titled "Theodore Thomas's 'March to the Sea'" by Dr. LESLIE PETTEYS, associate professor of music, was recently published in the summer 1992 issue of American Music. The article discusses the first transcontinental tour of the United States by conductor Theodore Thomas, his orchestra and a group of distinguished soloists in 1883.

Dr. LORENZO GONZALEZ-LAVIN, professor of surgery at the School of Medicine, was one of 11 surgeons leading a teleconference on heart valve banking and surgery Sept. 17-18 in

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Achievements--Add 2

Marseilles, France. The conference included televised demonstrations of graft implantation techniques, talks on valve banking and surgery, and a laboratory experience.

DEBRA COOK, program coordinator for Medical Records Technology, and SHIRLEY BANKS, associate professor of business technology, attended the Virginia Master Teacher's Conference held this summer at Hampden-Sydney College.

MARJORIE KEATLEY, associate professor of office technology, and GLENN SMITH, associate professor and chairman of Public Service/Allied Health Technology, attended the "Learning to Learn" conference held this summer at Potomac State College. The program was sponsored by the West Virginia Community College Association.

RHONDA SCRAGG, assistant professor of computer technology, and ANNE TODD, assistant professor of computer technology, attended the "Academic Computing Training Seminar" held this summer in Los Angeles. The program was sponsored by IBM.

MORTEZA SADAT-HOSSEINY, assistant professor of engineering technology, and MERLE THOMAS, assistant professor of engineering technology, attended the "IBM Training Seminar on CIM/CAM and MAPICS" held this summer in Los Angeles.

Dr. PAUL LUTZ, associate professor of social studies, presented his Chautauqua-style historical impersonation of "Devil

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Anse" Hatfield at Canaan Valley's Festival of Leaves held Sept. 26 in Davis.

Dr. JOHN L. HUBBARD, professor of chemistry, had a paper titled "Carbonylation of Lithium Triethylborohydride: Structure of the Initial Product" published in Heteroatom Chemistry (3: 223-225, 1992).

Dr. CRAIG MONROE, professor of communication studies, conducted a strategic planning session for Strictly Business Inc. of Huntington on Sept. 19.

Professors NEAL ADKINS, PATRICIA BROCE, ROBERT GODFREY, HAROLD GOEDDE, ROBERT DEUTSCH and BILL RADIG attended the one-day academic accounting conference held Oct. 2 at Marshall.

Dr. C. ROBERT BARNETT, professor in the Division of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, and Dr. Dana Brooks, dean of the School of Physical Education and Health Promotion at West Virginia University, presented a program at the West Virginia Black History Conference held recently at Marshall. Their paper, "The African-American Athletes in West Virginia Colleges," included an analysis of segregation and integration at West Virginia State College, Marshall and WVU.

LISA BARBER CALLIHAN, part-time instructor of communication studies, and Dr. LAWRENCE R. WHEELLESS, chairman and professor of communication studies, presented a paper titled "Perspective on the Means and Ends of Changing Times: Persons, Apostles and

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Imposters" at the 15th annual conference of the Organization for the Study of Communication, Language and Gender held Oct. 15-17 at Hofstra University.

Dr. CHRISTOPHER L. DOLMETSCH, professor of modern languages, has contributed a chapter titled "Early German Printing in America's Southeast: Possible Sites and Probable Causes" to The German-American Press, edited by Henry Geitz (Madison, Wis.: Max Kade Institute/University of Wisconsin, 1992), pages 1-9. Based on unpublished materials and obscure references, DOLMETSCH postulates the conditions necessary and the locations likely for early German-language printing in the southeastern region of this country. His findings were first presented at an international conference held at the University of Wisconsin-Madison in October 1987.

Dr. ROBERT L. DINGMAN, professor in Marshall University's Counseling and Rehabilitation Department, has been appointed associate editor-professional exchange for the Journal of Mental Health Counseling, according to Earl Ginter, editor of the journal. He has been a member of the Counseling and Rehabilitation Department at Marshall for 25 years and has been active in the American Mental Health Counselors Association almost from its inception. He has held leadership positions on the Licensure and Ethics committees and has been the district consultant for the Southern District of AMHCA.

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Achievements--Add 5

Dr. CRAIG A. HOLLINGSHEAD, associate professor of marketing, presented a paper titled "Airport Financial Management" at the 46th annual conference of the Southeastern Airport Managers' Association held Oct. 9 in Huntington. The paper focused on innovative ways that airports might generate revenue in addition to flight operations.

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October 21, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The West Virginia Association of Developmental Education will hold its 1992 state conference on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 30-31, at the Radisson Hotel in Huntington.

"Developmental Education: To and From the World of Work" will be the theme for this year's program which will feature a variety of seminars and workshops focusing on a wide range of educational topics and the connection between the workplace and the developmental classroom.

Dr. Carl Miles, dean of the Business/Public Service Division at Piedmont Technical College in Greenwood, S.C., will deliver the keynote address during the conference banquet Friday evening.

Dr. Robert L. Bliss, president of R. L. Bliss and Associates in Charleston, will open Saturday's activities with an address during breakfast.

The conference is being hosted by Dr. F. David Wilkin, dean of Marshall University's Community and Technical College.

"Developmental studies is one of the fastest growing areas in higher education today," said Wilkin, "and we are proud of the role Marshall's Community and Technical College plays in

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providing this essential service to students in this part of the state. We are very pleased to be hosting this year's conference."

The membership of the West Virginia Association of Developmental Education includes developmental faculty members from colleges and universities throughout the state.

To obtain further details about the association or its fifth annual state conference contact Carol Perry or Pattie Walker, conference co-chairs, at Marshall University's Community and Technical College, 696-3646.

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October 22, 1992

For Immediate Release

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The formal dedication of Marshall University's Wilbur E. Myers Hall, 520 18th St., Huntington, will begin at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24.

Marshall President J. Wade Gilley and Dr. Barbara P. Guyer, director of the university's H.E.L.P. (Higher Education for Learning Problems) program that is housed in Myers Hall, are among speakers to participate in the ceremony.

Myers Hall was built and furnished solely with private funds, Gilley said. Myers, a Willow Wood, Ohio, resident and 32-year employee of the federal government, contributed most of the funds needed for the construction.

Three courtyards surrounding Myers Hall also will be named in honor of donors: the Christopher B. Asplundh Jr. Courtyard, the Bingham Family Courtyard and The Marshall University Foundation Inc. Courtyard.

The H.E.L.P. program, which was established in 1981, has received national recognition for its success in helping students with learning disabilities, especially dyslexia.



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October 23, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"Activity-Based Costing: The Next Generation" will be the topic of an interactive videoconference at Marshall University on Thursday, Nov. 12, from 11:15 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Shawkey Room in Memorial Student Center.

Activity-based costing is a method of measuring the cost and performance of activities and cost objects. The workshop has been designed for accountants, college and university faculty, accounting students and others interested in accounting procedures and practices, according to Larry Kyle, director of Marshall's Center for Education and Research with Industry.

Nationally recognized panelists will discuss activity-based costing and explain why a change from conventional cost systems is needed and how activity-based costing and activity-based management can improve organizational performance. Participants will be able to ask questions and interact with the panelists.

Paul Solman, co-originator and executive editor of the PBS "Enterprise" series, will serve as moderator. Solman has received Emmy and Peabody awards for his role as business correspondent for the "MacNeil/Lehrer News Hour."

The program qualifies for three hours of professional

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Videoconference--Add 1

education credit for certified management accountants and certified public accountants.

Marshall's Education and Training Division, Small Business Development Center and Division of Continuing Education in the Community and Technical College are sponsoring the videoconference.

There will be a \$50 registration fee for the program which includes handouts and lunch.

To register or obtain further details contact the Education and Training Division at Marshall University's Research and Economic Development Center, 696-6797.

Special provisions for disabled persons may be made by contacting the center prior to the workshop.

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October 23, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Social Work Department has been awarded a \$100,000 Child Welfare Training Grant through a cooperative project with the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources and the Social Work Education Consortium.

Jody Gottlieb, chairwoman of Marshall's Social Work Department, said the grant will help meet the critical need for child welfare social workers in West Virginia.

Focusing on permanency planning, the grant will provide professional education and training for current and potential public social service workers.

Through the project, a number of stipends have been awarded for social work students in exchange for their commitment to work for the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources upon graduation.

Students who received the scholarships are: Barbara Ault, a sophomore from Chesapeake, Ohio; Kelly Chafin, a senior from Huntington; Miriam Gillispie, a senior from Hurricane; Janice Nelson, a junior from Proctorville, Ohio; Leo Rafail, a sophomore from Huntington; Lisa Schurman, a junior from West Hamlin, and Cynthia Snider, a sophomore from Williamson.

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"This will help ensure a pool of qualified social workers to help meet the employment demand," said Gottlieb. She expects more scholarships to be awarded over the next two years.

"Many families, for varying reasons, have difficulty providing a nurturing and healthy environment," Gottlieb said. "These families need help from a caring, responsible child welfare system. This program will help address that problem."

The West Virginia Social Work Education Consortium was established in cooperation with the Department of Health and Human Resources for the purpose of coordinating educational resources to enhance the professionalism and effectiveness of public social services. All accredited social work departments in West Virginia are participating in the consortium.

Persons interested in further details and students interested in public social service positions and available scholarships can contact Gottlieb at Marshall University's Social Work Department, 696-2792.

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Oct. 26, 1992

For Immediate Release

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- A number of Marshall University-affiliated organizations have planned special events in conjunction with the university's Homecoming, Nov. 5-8.

For those arriving early, the Library Associates will have a portrayal of famed West Virginia clan leader Devil Anse Hatfield at the group's meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 5, in the Alumni Lounge of Memorial Student Center. Dr. Paul F. Lutz, Marshall associate professor of social studies, will portray Hatfield. His appearance is courtesy of the West Virginia Humanities Council. The meeting is free and open to the public.

On Friday, Nov. 6, longtime Athletic Department administrator Ed Starling, former basketball star Karen Pelphrey and wrestler Bill Cyrus will be inducted into the Athletic Hall of Fame. The induction dinner will begin at 6 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room, Memorial Student Center. Cost of the dinner is \$15. For reservations, call Joe Feaganes, assistant athletic director, at 304-696-5401.

The Alumni Association's events get under way at 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 6, according to Linda S. Holmes, director of alumni affairs. An "Evening with Friends" reception will be held in the Erickson Alumni Center, 1731 5th Ave, until 11 p.m. Cost is \$5 per person, including hot and cold hors d'oeuvres. A cash bar will be available.

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Marshall Homecoming

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On Saturday, Nov. 7, the Alumni Association is sponsoring its annual Lunch-Under-the-Tent in "Tent City" at Marshall's Lefty Rollins Track. The lunch, which runs from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., features chili, subs, beer and soft drinks. Cost is \$5 per person. Music will be provided by WRVC-FM radio.

Kickoff for the Thundering Herd's game against Southern Conference opponent Appalachian State University is at 1 p.m. Saturday in the new Marshall Stadium. Game tickets are available through the MU Ticket Office, 1-800-THE-HERD or (304) 696-HERD.

Following the game, the Alumni Association is hosting a complimentary "Happy Hour" at the Erickson Alumni Center. Light snacks and a cash bar with Happy Hour prices will be available. Reservations for Alumni Association events may be made through the Office of Alumni Affairs 304-696-2523.

The MU Alumni Band has several events planned for the weekend, beginning with a reception at 8 p.m. Friday in Smith Music Hall. The band, led by Ivory D. Brock, will have its premier performance in the stadium Saturday during the pre-game show. For details, call Ben Miller, assistant director of bands, 304-696-2377.

A weekend package is available for the Alumni Baseball Team players for \$50. The team's first get-together will begin at 9 p.m. Friday at Casz's, 819 4th Ave. The team also will have a tailgate party at 11 a.m. Saturday at Tent City and will return to Tent City from 4 to 5 p.m.

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Marshall Homecoming

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On Sunday, Nov. 8, the Alumni Baseball Team will have a batting practice at 10 a.m. at St. Cloud Commons. The Alumni vs. Alumni game is set for noon Sunday, followed by the Best of Alumni Team vs. the MU Baseball Team at 3 p.m. For additional details, call head baseball coach Howard McCann at 304-696-5277.

The former Student Alumni Association (SAA) and the Student Organization for Alumni Relations (SOAR) will have a re-acquaintance continental breakfast on Saturday at 9:30 a.m. for all past and current members. The complimentary breakfast will be in the Erickson Alumni Center.

Beta Phi Chapter of Phi Mu sorority will celebrate its 25th anniversary on Marshall's campus with an open house at its new home, 1411 5th Ave., from 10 a.m. Saturday until game time. The sorority also will have a reception at the house at 6:30 p.m. Saturday.

The Journalism Alumni Association will have its annual awards banquet at 7 p.m. Saturday at the Radisson Hotel, 1001 3rd Ave. A reception will begin at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$15. For reservations and additional information, call James E. Casto at 304-526-2796. Deadline to order tickets is Nov. 2.

The final event of the weekend is a Huntington Chamber Orchestra concert, conducted by Michael J. McArtor, Marshall assistant professor of music and director of instrumental ensembles. The concert will begin at 3 p.m. Jean Carlo Stephenson Auditorium, Huntington City Hall. Admission at the door is \$15 for adults and \$5 for students.



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October 27, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"Confronting Sexual Harassment on Campus" will be the topic of a videoconference at Marshall University on Thursday, Nov. 12, from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

The program, which will be open to the public, is being presented by the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators. Local sponsors include Marshall University's Affirmative Action Office, the Division of Continuing Education in Marshall's Community and Technical College and Marshall's offices of Residence Services and Women's Programs.

Dr. Donnalee Cockrille, coordinator of women's programs at Marshall, said the videoconference will examine various forms of sexual harassment and discuss ways of dealing with and eliminating sexual harassment.

Participants will be able to interact with a panel of scholars and researchers from throughout the nation who will lead the program discussion. Carol Randolph, an attorney from Washington, D.C., and former talk-show host, will serve as moderator.

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Videoconference--Add 1

Cockrille said registration is recommended for the program which will be open free of charge to the public.

Continuing education credit will be available through Marshall's Continuing Education Office.

To obtain further details contact the Marshall University Women's Center, 696-3112.

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October 28, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"Basic Recordkeeping" will be the topic of a free business workshop on Tuesday, Nov. 10, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Marshall University Research and Economic Development Center, 1050 Fourth Ave.

Developed for owners and managers of new and existing small businesses, the workshop will provide hands-on training designed to give participants an understanding of basic accounting concepts and common business transactions, according to Elaine Hayslett, coordinator of Marshall's Small Business Development Center.

The program is being sponsored by the Small Business Development Center and the West Virginia Development Office.

To register or obtain further details contact Marshall University's Small Business Development Center, 696-6798. Special provisions for disabled persons may be made by contacting the center prior to the workshop.

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October 29, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Office of Student Health Education Programs will sponsor "Fresh Start," a smoking cessation class developed by the American Cancer Society, beginning Monday, Nov. 9, at 5 p.m. in Prichard Hall.

One-hour classes will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays for two weeks, according to Carla Lapelle, coordinator of Student Health Education Programs.

The course will be open to the public free of charge, however enrollment will be limited.

To register or obtain further details contact the Office of Student Health Education Programs at Marshall University, 696-4800.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's SCORES (Search Committee on Recognizing Excellent Students) Department will hold its annual recognition luncheon on Thursday, Nov. 5, at 11:30 a.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center, according to Sherry Brooks, SCORES coordinator.

High school principals and counselors from a five-state area have been invited to attend the luncheon to help kick-off preparations and registration for Marshall's annual Academic Festival which will be held March 26, 1993.

Brooks said the luncheon also is being held to recognize and thank the many faculty members on and off Marshall's campus who have continued to support the unique Academic Festival.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's observance of Sexual Assault and Harassment Awareness Week, "Listen to Women: No Means No," will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 10-12, according to Dr. Donnalee Cockrille, coordinator of women's programs at Marshall.

Activities, sponsored by Marshall's Student Activities and Women's Programs offices, will include:

November 10

--"Silent Tribute to Survivors of Sexual Violence" at 10:45 a.m. on the Memorial Student Center Plaza. Contact Cindy Barker at Marshall University, 696-3338, if interested in participating.

--"Student Roundtable Discussion" at 11 a.m. in the Shawkey Room in Memorial Student Center. Participants will work in small groups to discuss how the university and community can respond to sexual assault and harassment. Participants will receive free T-shirts. Registration is encouraged. To register or obtain further details call 696-3338 or 696-3111.

--"Sexual Assault Awareness Contest" from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the Shawkey Room in Memorial Student Center. Free T-shirts and prizes will be awarded.

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--"Survivor Talk" at 2 p.m. in Prichard Hall Room 143. Victims of sexual violence will meet to discuss the survival mode. To obtain further details call 696-3338.

November 11

--"Self-Defense for Women and How to Prevent Victimization" at noon in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge. Cabell County Sheriff Ottie Adkins will discuss ways to prevent victimization. Participants will receive free T-shirts.

November 12

--"Date Rape," a discussion involving acquaintance and date rape, will be held at noon in Prichard Hall Room 143.

--"Confronting Sexual Harassment on Campus," a videoconference dealing with several sexual harassment issues, will be held from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge. To register call 696-3113 or 696-3338.

All of the activities will be open to the public free of charge. To obtain further details about Sexual Assault and Harassment Awareness Week contact Marshall University's Office of Women's Programs, 696-3112 or 696-3338.

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October 30, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Big Green Marching Machine will kick off a \$200,000 fund raising campaign with a band concert on Saturday, Nov. 14, at 7 p.m. in Henderson Center, according to band director Ivory Brock.

The band will perform selections from halftime shows it performed during this year's football season. Brock said the concert also will feature some comedy and dance routines by the band's majorettes and flag corps. WKEE radio personality Kevin Scott will serve as master of ceremonies for the evening.

"We hope everyone will attend the concert after the football game," said Brock. "The main purpose of the event is to show the community that we appreciate their support. We want the concert to be kind of like one big community pep rally."

Tickets for the concert will be \$2 and will be available at the door.

Proceeds from the concert will go to the band's new capital campaign, which Brock said will be the most ambitious fund raising campaign in the history of the university's Big Green Marching Machine.

The campaign's goal is to raise \$195,751 to purchase band instruments, uniforms and other needed equipment.

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Band--Add 1

Brock, in his first year as director of the Big Green Marching Machine, said the band's greatest needs are:

--Instruments.....	\$108,287
--Uniforms.....	\$75,964
--Rehearsal equipment.....	\$9,000
--Pep Band uniforms.....	\$2,500

He also noted the need for additional financial aid for members of the band.

"This is an ambitious undertaking for us simply because we have not previously done anything of this scope in the way of fund raising specifically for the band," Brock said. "I think this is a realistic goal because of the tremendous support Marshall receives from area citizens and alumni."

Brock said he has pledged to make the band one of the finest university bands in the country. "We are going to need help to do this and I hope the community, students and alumni will support us in this effort. Already, we have received some community support and I hope people feel as proud of the band as they do our athletic teams."

He pointed out that the band's uniforms are a decade old and the band's instruments are in desperate need of repair and replacement. "The band owns only three working trumpets and three alto saxophones and sousaphones have not been purchased

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Band--Add 2

since 1976," said Brock in an effort to emphasize the band's need to raise funds.

"People don't realize how much it costs to keep the band going," he said. "It costs \$2,000 to clean the uniforms twice a year and it costs \$14,000 for the band to travel to an away conference football game."

Brock said financial aid, ranging from \$125 to \$150, is given to only 25 percent of the band members.

"The kids put in a great deal of time, practice, and effort and make sacrifices in order to be in the band and represent the university. They entertain thousands of people each year and receive very little in return. They deserve a lot more," he said.

Huntington attorney Bill Redd is chairing a Band Advisory Committee that has been established to help the band reach its goal.

"I feel the Big Green Marching Machine is an important and integral part of Marshall University," said Redd. "People often take the band for granted but I know we all take pride in the band. I also know that Brock has been working extremely hard with the band this year and wants to make it something special. I'm going to do everything I can to support the Big Green Marching Machine and I hope others throughout the Tri-State will join me in this effort."

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Band--Add 3

To obtain further details about the concert or the band's fund raising campaign contact the Marshall University Band Office, 696-2317.

Contributions to the Big Green Marching Machine capital campaign can be sent to the Marshall University Foundation--Band Fund, 400 Hal Greer Blvd., Huntington, W.Va. 25755.

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October 30, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Denise Giardina, author of three novels, will read and discuss her work during a program sponsored by Marshall University's Birke Visiting Writers Series on Monday, Nov. 9, at 8 p.m. in the university's Birke Art Gallery.

The Washington Post said Giardina's most recent novel, "The Unquiet Earth," is "a work of great narrative force, full of anger, wisdom and redemption, rendered with skill and authority."

Her novel, "Storming Heaven," also is highly respected, according to Art Stringer of the Marshall University English Department.

Set in the West Virginia coalfields at the turn of the century, "Storming Heaven" was a Discovery selection of the Book-of-the-Month Club in 1987.

In addition to her novels, Giardina has published articles on Appalachian topics in The Washington Post, The Nation, Southern Exposure and the Village Voice. She has received several awards for her writing including a National Endowment for the Arts fellowship.

Giardina is currently on the faculty at West Virginia State College. She formerly taught at Hollins College in Virginia.

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Her presentation, which will be open to the public free of charge, is sponsored by the Birke Fine Arts Symposium, Marshall University's College of Liberal Arts, the MU English Department and the West Virginia Humanities Council.

Copies of Giardina's books will be available at the reading and the Marshall University Bookstore.

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October 30, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"Legal Concerns for Small Businesses" will be the topic of a free workshop on Tuesday, Nov. 17, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Marshall University Research and Economic Development Center, 1050 Fourth Ave.

Topics will include legal forms of business organization, contractual agreements and personnel law, according to Elaine Hayslett, coordinator of Marshall University's Small Business Development Center.

Huntington attorney Robert Levy will lead the workshop, which is sponsored by Marshall's SBDC and the West Virginia Development Office.

To register or obtain further details contact Marshall University's Small Business Development Center, 696-6798. Special provisions for disabled persons may be made by contacting the center prior to the workshop.

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November 3, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

MARSHALL UNIVERSITY FACULTY AND STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

JOSEPHINE FIDLER, director of libraries, was an invited participant in the second annual VTLS Director's Conference held Oct. 4-6 at Mountain Lake, Va. The theme for the conference was "Linking Multimedia Digital Libraries: The Changing Infrastructure."

Dr. ROBERT W. BEHRMAN, assistant professor of political science at Marshall University, was elected vice president of the West Virginia Political Science Association during the association's annual meeting held Oct. 9-10 at Harper's Ferry. He also will serve as program chairman for next year's annual meeting which will be held at Marshall. Under the association's constitution Behrman will accede to the presidency of the association in 1993-94. Also attending the meeting were Dr. CLAIR W. MATZ who was a commentator on three papers delivered during a panel titled "Domestic Sources of Foreign Policy" and Dr. TROY M. STEWART JR. who chaired a panel on "American National Politics." BEHRMAN was chair and discussant on a panel titled "Student Perspectives on the Judicial System." The West Virginia

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Political Science Association was founded in 1969. Dr. PAUL D. STEWART, graduate dean emeritus at Marshall, was a founder of the association. Five former Marshall faculty members have served as president of the WVPSA.

Dr. SAM DAMERON and Dr. KEY SUN of Marshall University's Criminal Justice Department were invited to make presentations about research they have completed at West Virginia's First Governor's Conference on Criminal Justice held Oct. 13-15 in Charleston. DAMERON's presentation was on "Criminal Justice Data Inventory." SUN's topic was "The West Virginia Victimization Survey."

Dr. AKHTAR LODGHER, assistant professor in the Computer Science/Software Development Department, attended a workshop on writing National Science Foundation Instrument and Lab Improvement grant proposals held Oct. 5 at the Georgetown Omni Hotel near Washington, D.C. Faculty members interested in writing a grant proposal for this program can contact LODGHER at 696-2695.

Dr. JOHN MCKERNAN, professor of English, recently read selections of his poetry at the Boarman Arts Center in Martinsburg. He recently has had poems accepted for publication in Virginia Quarterly Review, Hebron, Grab-a-Nickel, Untitled, Wind and Trillium Press.

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Achievements--Add 2

Dr. HAROLD GOEDDE of Marshall University's Department of Accounting has had an article titled "Planning for Maximizing the Child and Dependent Care Credit" accepted for publication in the November 1992 issue of Taxation For Accountants.

Dr. RICHARD BADENHAUSEN, assistant professor of English, had two book reviews in the summer issue of Modern Language Studies (Vol. XXII, No. 3). He discussed John Paul Riquelme's "Harmony of Dissonances: T.S. Eliot, Romanticism and Imagination" (Johns Hopkins, 1991) and Jack Stillinger's "Multiple Authorship and the Myth of Solitary Genius" (Oxford, 1991).

Dr. PAUL F. LUTZ, associate professor of social studies, presented a Chautauqua-style historical impersonation of "Devil Anse" Hatfield for the Cabell County Retired Employees Association Oct. 13 at the Huntington Woman's Club.

Dr. JOAN GILLILAND, professor of English, read a paper titled "Asian-American Encounters in the Classroom" at West Virginia University's 17th annual Colloquium on Literature and Film held Sept. 25. Her paper about teaching the work of Pearl Buck and Maxine Hong Kingston was part of a session on "Pearl S. Buck: Cross-Cultural Encounters."

Dr. VIOLETTE C. EASH, associate professor of counseling and rehabilitation, participated in a three-hour presentation on Personnel and Sensitivity Training for the 30th annual conference

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Achievements--Add 3

of the West Virginia Association of Housing Authorities held Oct. 21 in Huntington. Her presentation addressed the implications of the Americans With Disabilities Act and its implications for public housing.

Dr. CHONG W. KIM, professor and chairman of the Management Department, was a keynote speaker for Asian/Pacific Islander Cultural Awareness Day at the third annual Cultural Awareness Week sponsored by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District. His topic was "Influences of Korean Value Systems on Management Practices in Korea." KIM also conducted a workshop on "Team Building and Motivation" on Oct. 21.

Dr. NANCY LANG, assistant professor of English, presented a paper titled "A Native American Quincentennial 'Celebration': *The Crown of Columbus and Almanac of the Dead*" at the Western Literature Association's annual conference held Oct. 8-11 in Reno, Nev. She attended the National Peer Tutoring Conference at Indiana University of Pennsylvania Oct. 22-25 where she presented a workshop on helping freshmen solve emotionally-based writing problems such as writer's block and writing phobias.

Dr. JOAN MEAD, professor of English, has accepted an invitation to become a member of the committee which assembles the International Bibliography on Edgar Allan Poe which annually appears in Poe Studies.

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MARSHALL UNIVERSITY FACULTY AND STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

JOSEPHINE FIDLER, director of libraries, was an invited participant in the second annual VTLS Director's Conference held Oct. 4-6 at Mountain Lake, Va. The theme for the conference was "Linking Multimedia Digital Libraries: The Changing Infrastructure."

Dr. ROBERT W. BEHRMAN, assistant professor of political science at Marshall University, was elected vice president of the West Virginia Political Science Association during the association's annual meeting held Oct. 9-10 at Harper's Ferry. He also will serve as program chairman for next year's annual meeting which will be held at Marshall. Under the association's constitution Behrman will accede to the presidency of the association in 1993-94. Also attending the meeting were Dr. CLAIR W. MATZ who was a commentator on three papers delivered during a panel titled "Domestic Sources of Foreign Policy" and Dr. TROY M. STEWART JR. who chaired a panel on "American National Politics." BEHRMAN was chair and discussant on a panel titled "Student Perspectives on the Judicial System." The West Virginia

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Achievements--Add 1

Political Science Association was founded in 1969. Dr. PAUL D. STEWART, graduate dean emeritus at Marshall, was a founder of the association. Five former Marshall faculty members have served as president of the WVPSA.

Dr. SAM DAMERON and Dr. KEY SUN of Marshall University's Criminal Justice Department were invited to make presentations about research they have completed at West Virginia's First Governor's Conference on Criminal Justice held Oct. 13-15 in Charleston. DAMERON's presentation was on "Criminal Justice Data Inventory." SUN's topic was "The West Virginia Victimization Survey."

Dr. AKHTAR LODGHER, assistant professor in the Computer Science/Software Development Department, attended a workshop on writing National Science Foundation Instrument and Lab Improvement grant proposals held Oct. 5 at the Georgetown Omni Hotel near Washington, D.C. Faculty members interested in writing a grant proposal for this program can contact LODGHER at 696-2695.

Dr. JOHN MCKERNAN, professor of English, recently read selections of his poetry at the Boarman Arts Center in Martinsburg. He recently has had poems accepted for publication in Virginia Quarterly Review, Hebron, Grab-a-Nickel, Untitled, Wind and Trillium Press.

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Achievements--Add 2

Dr. HAROLD GOEDDE of Marshall University's Department of Accounting has had an article titled "Planning for Maximizing the Child and Dependent Care Credit" accepted for publication in the November 1992 issue of Taxation For Accountants.

Dr. RICHARD BADENHAUSEN, assistant professor of English, had two book reviews in the summer issue of Modern Language Studies (Vol. XXII, No. 3). He discussed John Paul Riquelme's "Harmony of Dissonances: T.S. Eliot, Romanticism and Imagination" (Johns Hopkins, 1991) and Jack Stillinger's "Multiple Authorship and the Myth of Solitary Genius" (Oxford, 1991).

Dr. PAUL F. LUTZ, associate professor of social studies, presented a Chautauqua-style historical impersonation of "Devil Anse" Hatfield for the Cabell County Retired Employees Association Oct. 13 at the Huntington Woman's Club.

Dr. JOAN GILLILAND, professor of English, read a paper titled "Asian-American Encounters in the Classroom" at West Virginia University's 17th annual Colloquium on Literature and Film held Sept. 25. Her paper about teaching the work of Pearl Buck and Maxine Hong Kingston was part of a session on "Pearl S. Buck: Cross-Cultural Encounters."

Dr. VIOLETTE C. EASH, associate professor of counseling and rehabilitation, participated in a three-hour presentation on Personnel and Sensitivity Training for the 30th annual conference

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Achievements--Add 3

of the West Virginia Association of Housing Authorities held Oct. 21 in Huntington. Her presentation addressed the implications of the Americans With Disabilities Act and its implications for public housing.

Dr. CHONG W. KIM, professor and chairman of the Management Department, was a keynote speaker for Asian/Pacific Islander Cultural Awareness Day at the third annual Cultural Awareness Week sponsored by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District. His topic was "Influences of Korean Value Systems on Management Practices in Korea." KIM also conducted a workshop on "Team Building and Motivation" on Oct. 21.

Dr. NANCY LANG, assistant professor of English, presented a paper titled "A Native American Quincentennial 'Celebration': *The Crown of Columbus and Almanac of the Dead*" at the Western Literature Association's annual conference held Oct. 8-11 in Reno, Nev. She attended the National Peer Tutoring Conference at Indiana University of Pennsylvania Oct. 22-25 where she presented a workshop on helping freshmen solve emotionally-based writing problems such as writer's block and writing phobias.

Dr. JOAN MEAD, professor of English, has accepted an invitation to become a member of the committee which assembles the International Bibliography on Edgar Allan Poe which annually appears in Poe Studies.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Mohammad Bani-Hani, a member of the Jordan delegation to the Middle East peace talks in Washington, D.C., will make a presentation titled "The Middle East Peace Process--After One Year" at Marshall University on Thursday, Nov. 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

A hydraulic engineer currently serving as the secretary-general of the Jordanian Ministry of Municipalities, Rural Affairs and Environment, Bani-Hani is an expert member of the Jordanian delegation to the peace talks because water rights to the Jordan River will be an agenda item during the talks.

Bani-Hani was born in Irbid, Jordan, and received his doctorate in hydraulic engineering from Belgrade University in Yugoslavia. He formerly served as secretary-general of the Jordan Valley Authority.

He also will make presentations in several Marshall classes on Friday and in various private venues on Friday and Saturday, according to Dr. Clair W. Matz, director of Marshall University's Center for International Studies, which is sponsoring Bani-Hani's trip to Huntington.

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Bani-Hani--Add 1

"We are especially privileged to have someone who is on the inside of the peace talks visit our community," said Matz. "This is an opportunity not available just anywhere. It is especially timely because there are reports that Israel and Jordan are on the verge of a breakthrough in their bilateral talks. We look forward to what Dr. Bani-Hani has to say."

Bani-Hani's presentation on Thursday will be open to the public free of charge.

To obtain further details contact Matz at Marshall University's Center for International Studies, 696-2763.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's public radio station, WMUL-FM, has been selected as finalist for a Marconi College Radio Award in the "Sports Achievement" category, according to Chuck Bailey, assistant professor of broadcasting and faculty manager of WMUL-FM.

Awards will be presented Saturday, Nov. 14, after a special dinner held in conjunction with the Loyola Radio Conference being held Nov. 12-14 in Chicago.

Gioia Marconi Braga, chair of the Marconi International Fellowship Council and daughter of radio pioneer Guglielmo Marconi, will be the guest speaker for the awards ceremony.

Brad Williamson of Glenville, student station manager; Chuck Miller of Weirton, student production director, and Cameron Smith of Scott Depot, student training coordinator, will accompany Bailey to the awards ceremony.

Radio stations from North Central College, Naperville, Ill., and Hobart and William Smith College, Geneva, N.Y., also have been nominated for the "Sports Achievement" award.

Bailey said the award winners will be invited to the Radio

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WMUL--Add 1

Hall of Fame induction ceremony on Nov. 15 at the Museum of Broadcast Communications. Radio pioneers and personalities such as Casey Kasem, Don Ameche, Leonard Goldensen and J.P. McCarthy will be inducted into the Hall of Fame.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marvel Ann Mathews, building service worker in Plant Operations, has been selected as the Marshall University Employee of the Month for October, according to Bill Burdette, chairman of the selection committee.

Mathews has worked for the university for 14 years.

Dr. Barbara P. Guyer, professor of special education and coordinator of the H.E.L.P. Program, nominated Mathews for the award.

Guyer said she made the nomination because of Mathews' dedication to her job and her relationship with students.

"She takes great pride in keeping her section of Jenkins Hall clean," said Guyer. "It is easy to tell when she is not here.

"Her relationship with students is unprecedented. They see her as a friend and when a few of them have serious problems, they go to Marvel because she is such a good listener. My graduate students never seem to forget her. When they call me, they often ask, 'and how is Marvel Mathews?' She's a terrific lady."

Guyer also praised Mathews for helping in Myers Hall which opened this semester.

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Mathews--Add 1

"She has voluntarily helped me clean the building," Guyer said, "often on her own time. Several times she has come to Myers Hall at night after her work in Jenkins is completed. She says she does this because it is too nice a building to be dirty.

"I don't know of anyone else who would voluntarily do this. She has offered to come in many times before she goes to work at 4:30 p.m. so that she can help us clean. Marvel Mathews is a special, caring person who is deserving of an award."

Mathews will receive a plaque and \$100 for being named Employee of the Month and will be eligible for the Employee of the Year Award.

Marshall University President J. Wade Gilley and his wife, Nanna, provided funds through a grant to establish the Employee of the Month and Employee of the Year program.

The program has been designed to recognize outstanding performance by classified and non-classified staff at the university. Awards will be made to MU employees who have exhibited exceptional levels of work performance and displayed high regard and loyalty toward the university and their job responsibilities.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University will hold its eighth annual Honors Weekend for outstanding black high school students on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 13-14.

The purpose of the event is to give recognition to outstanding black students from Tri-State area high schools, let them know Marshall is interested in them and encourage them to continue their educations, according to Kenneth E. Blue, associate dean for student affairs at Marshall.

Students, who were selected for recognition by their high school principals and counselors, will participate in a variety of programs which will include recreational activities and presentations on academics and campus life.

Activities also have been planned for the students' parents who will have the opportunity to meet with representatives from Marshall's schools and colleges.

Students will be honored and presented awards during a banquet Friday at 6:30 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center.

The activities will end Saturday afternoon when the students and parents will be Marshall's guests at the MU-Tennessee Tech football game.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Office of Returning Students' Programs will sponsor two "First Step" seminars for adults who are interested in enrolling at the university, according to Dr. Donnalee Cockrille, coordinator of Women's and Returning Students' Programs at Marshall.

The first program will be held Thursday, Nov. 19, at noon in Prichard Hall Room 143. The second program will be held Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 2 p.m. in Prichard Hall Room 143. Both sessions will be open to the public free of charge.

Marshall counselors will conduct the informal workshops and discuss admissions, orientation, selecting a major, registration, financial aid and personal goal setting.

"This program will be particularly helpful for those just exploring the idea of returning to school," said Cockrille.

To register for one of the sessions or obtain further details contact the Marshall University Office of Returning Students' Programs, 696-3338.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University will hold a special memorial service on Saturday, Nov. 14, on the Memorial Student Center Plaza immediately following the MU-Tennessee Tech football game to mark the 22nd anniversary of the 1970 airplane crash which took place near Tri-State Airport.

Seventy-five Marshall football players, coaches, administrators, students, friends from the community and flight crew members lost their lives in the crash.

The ceremony will begin with the presentation of the colors by cadets from the Marshall ROTC Department and an invocation by Rev. Bob Bondurant of the Campus Christian Center.

Marshall's Mass Choir will perform and a brief presentation will be made by Taclan Romey, president of the MU Student Government Association.

A wreath will be placed at Memorial Fountain. The fountain, created by the late internationally-known sculptor Harry Bertoia, then will be symbolically turned off for the winter.

Bertoia described the fountain, dedicated to those who died in the crash, as conveying "the living, rather than commemorating Death itself, in the waters of life, rising, renewing, reaching to express upward growth, immortality and eternity."

"Taps" will signal the end of the ceremony.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University and the Cabell County Vocational Technical Center have established a cooperative associate degree program in Automotive Technology.

Marshall University President J. Wade Gilley and Robert J. Brewster, superintendent of Cabell County Schools, both praised the cooperative, cost sharing nature of the program.

The National Automotive Technician Education Foundation through the Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) program has fully approved the Cabell Vo-Tech Center as a training site, according to David Groves, Cabell County director of vocational education. He said the Cabell County program is the first fully approved program of its kind in West Virginia.

Dr. David Wilkin, dean of Marshall's Community and Technical College, said the program is now available to students.

The automotive instruction and ASE testing will be held at the Vocational Technical Center. Mathematics, science and other support courses will be taught at Marshall.

Upon completion of the curriculum, students will receive the Associate of Applied Science degree in Automotive Technology from Marshall University.

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Auto Technology--Add 1

Wilkin said two factors made the program possible, the ability of the Vo-Tech Center to earn ASE certification which is the nationally recognized quality standard and the strong interest from local automobile dealers in an ASE-quality program.

Development of the program began in spring 1991 when administrators from Marshall's Community and Technical College and Cabell County's Vocational Technical Center successfully secured grant funding for program development from the West Virginia Joint Commission for Vocational Technical Occupation Education.

Wilkin said the Community and Technical College currently is working with vocational and technical facilities in Mingo, Wayne, Mason, Logan and Lincoln counties to develop similar programs.

To obtain further details about the Cabell County program contact Groves at the Cabell County Vocational Technical Center, 528-5120, or Wilkin at Marshall University's Community and Technical College, 696-3646.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--An interactive videoconference on juvenile and adult literacy titled "Assessment and Evaluation Procedures: Getting to Know Your Students and Their Needs" will be held at Marshall University on Thursday, Nov. 19, from noon to 2 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

The program has been designed for teachers and literacy volunteers at correctional facilities, juvenile detention centers and community literacy organizations, according to Richard Hensley, director of the Division of Continuing Education at Marshall's Community and Technical College.

Participants will learn the latest techniques for assessing students for individualized diagnosis and instruction and learn how to use assessment procedures in creating individualized educational plans for adult and juvenile students.

Topics will include computer-assisted instruction and functional literacy programs.

Marshall's Continuing Education Office and the Tri-State Literacy Council are sponsoring the program which was developed by the Correctional Education Association and the American Correctional Association.

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Literacy Program--Add 1

Literacy professionals from throughout the nation will serve on a panel which will lead the program discussion.

The program will be open to the public free of charge. Continuing education credit will be available to participants.

To register or obtain further details contact Marshall University's Continuing Education Office, 696-3113, or the Tri-State Literacy Council, 523-9451. Registration should be completed no later than Nov. 17.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University student active in campus print media has been selected to be an intern with the United States Olympic Committee next spring.

Anthony Hanshew, Meadow Bridge senior, will work mainly with the USA wrestling team, said Jan Schnittger, intern coordinator for the USOC.

Hanshew, a sports communications major, is athletic correspondent for The Parthenon, Marshall University's student newspaper, and covers Marshall football.

After working as Parthenon sports editor from January to May, 1992, he won The Ernie Salvatore Award for Outstanding Sports Writing.

Hanshew is a part-time sports writer for the Charleston Gazette, covering high school football and girls' basketball. He worked for The Wheeling News Register last summer, covering activities ranging from gold to motorcross.

Hanshew began writing for his hometown newspaper, The Meadow River Post, when he was in the sixth grade.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Army ROTC departments at more than 100 colleges and university's in a 12-state region which includes the Tri-State area will be "thinking about higher education" thanks to Marshall University President J. Wade Gilley.

Gilley's book, "Thinking About Higher Education," has been distributed to every college and university professor of military science in the region and will be maintained in the professional libraries of all of the ROTC departments by order of Brigadier General Joe N. Frazar, regional commander for the second ROTC region headquartered at Fort Knox, Ky.

Lieutenant Colonel John F. Smith, chairman of Marshall's Military Science Department, gave a copy of Gilley's book to Frazar when the general visited the Marshall campus.

"I read the book and made a report on it for a class in the MU-WVU doctoral program in educational administration," said Smith. "I think it is an outstanding, visionary book that actually presents a roadmap for higher education.

"Brig. Gen. Frazar is an investigative and inquisitive type of commander who seeks out knowledge. When he visits a campus, he always inquires about the college or university president's

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Book--Add 1

views and style of management. I suggested that he might want to read Dr. Gilley's book."

Frazar obviously agreed with Smith's opinion of the book. Copies of "Thinking About Higher Education" were distributed at the recent annual conference of Professors of Military Science/ROTC.

Smith said Frazar believes that since ROTC departments are located at colleges and universities, military science professors and ROTC personnel should be involved in higher education and understand the financial and managerial theories that go into the administration of institutions of higher education.

"I think the general was impressed by Dr. Gilley's ideas and theories about higher education," said Smith, who has read all three of Gilley's books on higher education.

Gilley said any royalties from the ROTC sales will be contributed to the ROTC program.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's College of Business has awarded its Cynthia Lynn Curry Memorial Scholarship to Amy Elizabeth McHenry of Vienna and its Walter C. Treanor Memorial Scholarship to Matthew E. Wear of Wheeling, according to Dr. Robert B. Hayes, interim dean of the College of Business.

McHenry, daughter of Bob and Paula McHenry of Vienna, is a junior marketing major at Marshall. She is vice president of the university's Panhellenic Council and member of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, the Phi Eta Sigma scholastic honorary, Gamma Beta Phi scholastic honorary and the Order of Omega Greek honorary. She graduated from Parkersburg High School.

The scholarship was established by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Curry and family of Parkersburg in memory of their daughter, a 1984 Marshall graduate, who died shortly after graduation when she was struck by a car in Myrtle Beach, S.C.

The scholarship was presented to McHenry on the basis of her outstanding academic record and leadership qualities and was used to pay a portion of her educational expenses.

Hayes said the Cynthia Lynn Curry Memorial Scholarship is presented annually to a Parkersburg area student who is enrolled in the Marshall University College of Business.

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Scholarships--Add 1

Wear is a senior accounting major at Marshall. He serves as president of the Interfraternity Council and was one of the founding members of Zeta Pi chapter of Pi Kappa Phi. He is a member of the Omega Greek honorary and was selected as a distinguished military student in the Marshall ROTC Department.

The Walter C. Treanor Memorial Scholarship was established by Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Treanor of St. Albans in memory of their son, a 1971 graduate of Marshall's College of Business, who died in 1975.

The scholarship is awarded to a junior or senior in the College of Business based on academic pursuits and financial need.

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For immediate release

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- The North Central Association of Colleges and Schools has approved Marshall University's doctoral program in biomedical sciences, enabling the university to award its first Ph.D. degrees.

Marshall President J. Wade Gilley today announced that North Central has revised Marshall's accreditation statement to include the doctoral program. The change is effective immediately.

Up to three students could receive Marshall Ph.D. degrees as early as December, Gilley said. Because the students began their work when the program was offered jointly with West Virginia University, they may elect to get their degrees from either university.

"The biomedical sciences graduate program unquestionably is one of Marshall University's centers of excellence," Gilley said. "In actuality, our faculty have provided all of the teaching and directed the students' research from the beginning. Our graduates are attaining distinction in their fields, and there is no better endorsement of a program's strength."

He praised the efforts of Dr. Leonard Deutsch, dean of the Graduate School; Dr. Carl Gruetter, director of graduate studies for the School of Medicine, and others who helped advance the program to stand-alone status.

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School of Medicine Dean Charles H. McKown Jr. said the change benefits not just Marshall but the region as well.

"This is a bold, bold step for Marshall and a reflection of the evolution of the university," he said. "Over the last 15 years, we have expanded our reputation as a regionally renowned liberal arts school with a special interest in training educators to include strong programs in health, business and science as well. This further reinforces Marshall and Huntington as a regional biomedical and health center.

"This decision is a phenomenal tribute to the faculty members who teach both our medical students and graduate students," he added. "It recognizes their ability, the success of their scientific inquiry, and the strength of the program they have taught from its inception."

The North Central evaluation team that performed the site visit praised the cooperative working relationships among faculty members, the aggressive efforts to obtain grant funding, and the high-quality computer resources available.

"...[T]here is a spirit of cooperativity and interaction among the faculty that really makes this an interdisciplinary program," the team's report says. "Frequently, grants are written across interdisciplinary lines and people told engaging stories of how their research activities have changed given what they have found their colleagues doing."

In addition to having the necessary academic background to successfully provide the program, the report says, "The faculty ... are serving as excellent role models, both personally and as researchers, for the students they train and come in contact with on a daily basis."

The report said that granting stand-alone status also will trigger changes in the curriculum, make Marshall more competitive for grants, and set the stage for more collaborative research projects between the basic medical sciences faculty and members of Marshall's natural sciences, math and psychology faculties.

Deutsch said the approval "simply verifies our view of long standing that this is a very high-level research program" and said he was gratified by the favorable site visit report.

"We could not have had a more flattering report if we had written it ourselves," he said.

Gruetter said the effort to reclassify the program dates back to 1988. Changes in the higher education system caused the proposal to be delayed until 1991. In January 1992, the University System Board of Trustees approved the change provided Marshall met certain conditions. Acceptance by the North Central Association was the final hurdle to be crossed.

He said the effort will strengthen student recruiting and help Marshall attract and retain high-quality faculty members.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- A 1928 Marshall graduate has donated \$50,000 to The Marshall University Foundation Inc. to kick off an endowment campaign for the Erickson Alumni Center at 1731 5th Ave. in Huntington.

Dr. Edward G. "Ned" Boehm Jr., Marshall vice president for institutional advancement, said John A. Goodno of Bal Harbour, Fla., challenged other alumni and friends to match his gift. Boehm announced the gift during an Alumni Association Homecoming reception at the Erickson Center on Nov. 7.

Louis A. Peake, president of the Marshall University Alumni Association, said the group is seeking a \$250,000 endowment to maintain and enhance the alumni center.

"John Goodno and his wife, Reba, have been steadfast supporters of Marshall throughout the years," Boehm said. "They have assisted numerous university programs and now have the ball rolling to secure this endowment."

Goodno managed Huntington's former Palace Theatre for owner Lemotto Smith for many years prior to retiring to Florida in 1966. The men's friendship and business ventures resulted in Smith's donating Van Dorn Co. stock to Marshall in 1971 in recognition of their friendship. Smith continued to make annual contributions of stock until his death 12 years later.

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Erickson Alumni Center endowment

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The Goodnos continued the practice of contributing Van Dorn stock to Marshall. Mrs. Goodno, the former Reba Light, earned her A.B. degree from Marshall in 1928 and her M.A. degree in 1946.

Marshall honored the Goodnos in 1991 by presenting them Distinguished Service Awards during the university's annual Honors Convocation.

Goodno's challenge is already having an impact, Boehm said. The Foundation received a \$10,000 gift from Timothy L. Haymaker, a 1969 Marshall graduate, and his wife, the former Sandy Hill, who attended Marshall. They are residents of Lexington, Ky.

Earlier, Huntington residents Robert F. and Agnes McCaskey donated \$10,000 for immediate improvements to the Erickson Alumni Center. McCaskey is a 1940 Marshall alumnus. Mrs. McCaskey, the former Agnes Givens, graduated from Marshall in 1941.

"We have gifts of all sizes starting to come in," Boehm said. "Our alumni obviously enjoy having a place they can call 'home' at Marshall and they want that home to be a showplace. The endowment can ensure there will always be a home for the Marshall family."



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A free business workshop titled "Basic Year-End Tax Planning" will be held at Marshall University on Tuesday, Dec. 1, from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Research and Economic Development Center, 1050 Fourth Ave.

The program will include an overview of basic business taxes, year-end planning ideas, various business deductions and how business owners can minimize their tax liability, according to Elaine Hayslett, coordinator of Marshall University's Small Business Development Center.

Workshop sponsors are the MU SBDC, the West Virginia Development Office and Somerville and Company.

To register or obtain further details contact Marshall University's Small Business Development Center, 696-6798. Special provisions for disabled persons may be made by contacting the center prior to the workshop.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Army ROTC Program has been awarded the Bold Leader Achievement Award and been recognized as one of the top Army ROTC programs in the country in the areas of resource and cadet management, according to Lt. Col. John F. Smith, professor and chairman of Marshall's Military Science Department.

The Bold Leader Achievement Award is presented annually to the Army ROTC program that excels in various training and administrative areas.

Brig. Gen. Joe N. Frazar III, commanding general of the U.S. Army Second ROTC Region, presented the award during the 1992 Battalion Commanders' Conference held recently at Fort Knox, Ky.

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HUNTINGTON, W.VA.--Marshall University President J. Wade Gilley today announced "Operation Streamline" to alter the university's organizational structure and trim operational costs by a projected \$900,000 during the next fiscal year (1992-93).

"Operation Streamline" has four objectives, Gilley said:

- Better span of control through a reduction in the number of administrators reporting directly to the president;
- Better use of existing management talent;
- Greater cost effectiveness;
- Increased ability to address important issues facing the university.

The new organization eliminates one top administrative position, vice president for student affairs; reassigns the university provost as vice president for academic affairs; strengthens the positions of vice president for multicultural affairs and graduate dean, and alters the alignment of several administrative positions.

It creates an enrollment management unit under the vice president for academic affairs to focus on recruitment and retention of students. An Office of Budget, Institutional Research and Planning will be established by moving the Office of Institutional Research from the Academic Affairs area to the vice

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president for finance and coordinating it with the current Budget Office.

Also, the director of athletics will report to the vice president for administration rather than directly to the president, as will the dean of students. The position of director of affirmative action and human resources will be divided with the affirmative action officer reporting to the vice president for multicultural affairs and the director of human resources reporting to the university's general counsel rather than to the president.

Gilley noted that while the dean of students and the directors of athletics and human resources will be reporting to other administrators, all three will continue to have direct access to the president and will remain members of the President's Cabinet.

"Although the student affairs unit will be administered by a dean rather than a vice president, it remains obviously one of the most important elements of the administration," Gilley said. "We are committed to maintaining the same high level of student services that Marshall currently offers."

Gilley noted the reorganization does not create any new positions at any level.

He said the position of dean of the Graduate School will be expanded to provide greater focus on adult, non-traditional students, a growing population on campuses across the country.

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In another significant change, an International Affairs Council will be established early next year to develop a plan bringing internal coherence to several programs involving international exchanges and studies. The council will be coordinated by the vice president for multicultural affairs who also will be assigned responsibility for student research activities.

Gilley indicated the probability of additional organizational changes in the future and said he will work with Faculty Senate and others to establish in early 1992 a "Marshall -- 21st Century Commission" to examine and make recommendations on, among other matters, the organization of academic units -- colleges, schools and departments -- to better focus on needs and opportunities for the 21st Century. He said the committee will be asked to submit its findings by January, 1993.

He said Vice President for Academic Affairs Alan B. Gould will direct development of the enrollment management unit to bring coherence to Marshall's recruitment, registration, academic advising and placement of students. He said he expects the enrollment management unit to improve marketing efforts, enhance the enrollment process and reduce the university's dropout rate.

"Research indicates only two of every five students entering as full-time freshmen graduate in five years," Gilley said. "The

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university's general goal will be to raise that to three out of five -- or 60 percent -- as quickly as possible."

The issue of faculty release time, in which faculty members handling administrative and other non-classroom tasks are relieved of some of their teaching responsibilities, will be addressed in the budget process, Gilley said. Noting that release time has gone from the equivalent of 22 full-time faculty members in 1984 to 38 in 1991, he said he believes a significant reduction in release time can be realized by next fall, providing additional classes to meet student needs.

In addressing the university's organization, Gilley said he had drawn from reports prepared by Emeritus Professor Sam Clagg and Professor W. Donald Williams, a reorganization proposal submitted by Classified Staff Council and several other reports, group letters and individual contacts.

For 1992-93, Gilley projected savings of \$160,000 in the President's Office budget; \$200,000 from the vice presidents' operations; \$100,000 from consolidation of certain housing programs; \$200,000 from streamlining and shifting costs of the Society of Yeager Scholars administration; \$80,000 from the first year of a five-year program to make the Department of Athletics self-sustaining; \$80,000 through reduction of administrative out-of-state travel, and \$80,000 from realignment and consolidation of copiers and facsimile machines.

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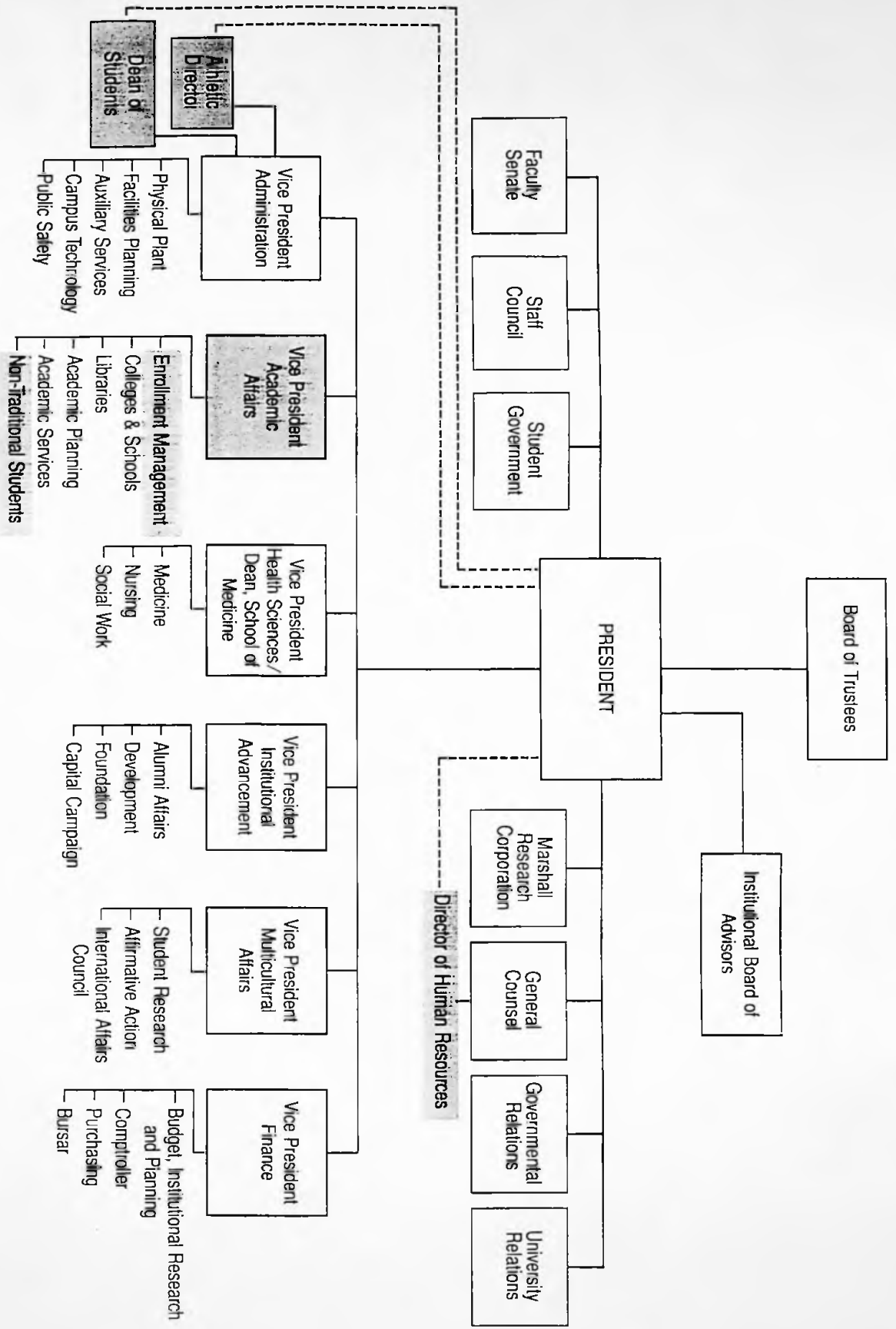
"We should emphasize that this is part of the long-range financial and organizational planning for the university," Gilley said. "While most of the savings we have projected will occur during the 1992-93 fiscal year, the university still faces a significant deficit for that year and the actions we've initiated won't close the gap.

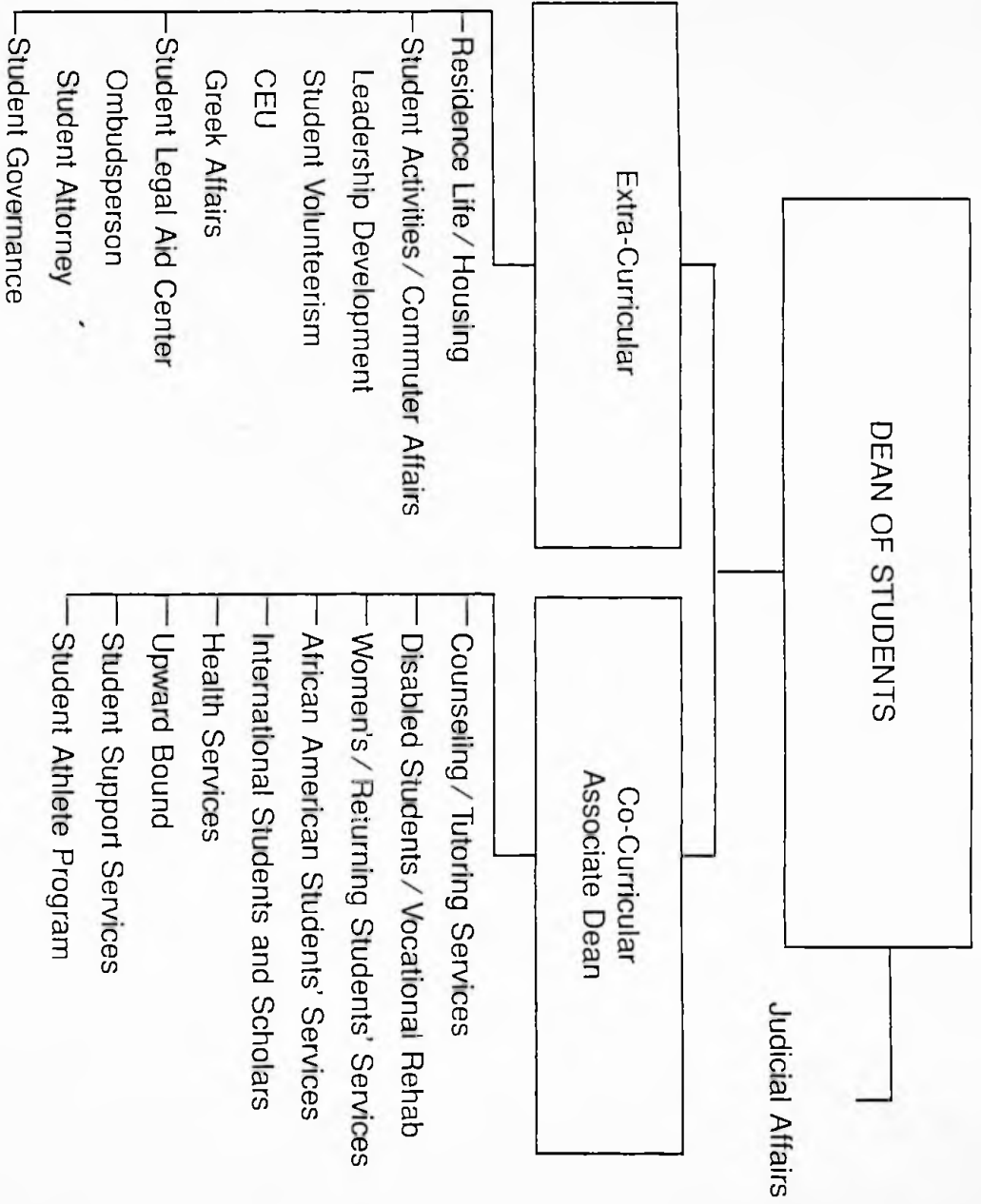
"The vice presidents and deans will continue to work on budget strategies to make the university more efficient and cost effective," Gilley added. "However, the possibility of further cuts has to be balanced against increased student fees and increased appropriations from the Legislature."

Gilley said he was establishing a special "resources enhancement committee" to monitor the budget situation and recommend ways of increasing university resources to help balance the 1992-93 budget.

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MARSHALL UNIVERSITY ORGANIZATIONAL CHART





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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University has produced and distributed a motivational videotape designed to show students the importance of studying math and science, according to Dr. Virginia Plumley, professor of instructional technology at Marshall.

"Outstanding West Virginians in Math and Science" was produced and directed by Plumley with financial assistance from a Dwight D. Eisenhower Math and Science in Education Grant.

Students in several middle schools were surveyed and asked to submit questions they would pose if given the opportunity to interview outstanding West Virginians in the fields of math and science.

Plumley developed the script and narration from the questions submitted by the students. Eight West Virginians who majored in math or science and represent a variety of professions and backgrounds participated in the program.

Featured in the tape are: Wren Wilson, a civil engineer for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Drs. Thomasena and Bruce Redd, professors of biology at Alderson-Broadus College; Dr. Libby Frye, professor of math at Fairmont State College; Diane Furman,

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math and science coordinator for the Marion County Board of Education; Lloyd Smith, account marketing representative for IBM; Denise Baisden, flight surgeon for NASA in Houston, Texas, and music producer Jay Edwards.

Topics of discussion range from how math and science are used in music production to the importance of keeping the environment clean.

"The primary purpose for the tape is to motivate students to study math and science," said Plumley. "Ordinarily students' attitudes toward math and science are formed during middle school years. That's why we focused on fifth- through eighth-grade students.

"The basic premise behind the production was to get the students' attention early enough to show them that many people have had difficulty with these subjects," Plumley explained. "Younger students also will benefit from viewing the tape and although ninth- and 10th-grade students may have missed out on some of the basics of math and science, it is not too late for them to take more of an active interest."

Copies of the 20-minute tape, along with an instructor's guide and profile of those featured in the program, were sent to each West Virginia county board of education, the eight state Regional Education Services Agencies (RESA) and several colleges and universities.

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Plumley said public schools interested in using the tape can contact their county board of education office. Colleges that did not receive a tape but would like to have a free copy for use by education majors and student teachers can write to Plumley at Marshall University, 400 Hal Greer Blvd., Huntington, W.Va. 25755 or call (304) 696-2904.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Neil Arneson, associate professor of social studies education and director of Marshall University's Center for Economic Education, has been elected president of the West Virginia Council for the Social Studies.

He was elected president during the council's annual conference held recently in Parkersburg.

Arneson received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Georgia and his doctorate from the University of Virginia.

He serves as executive director of the West Virginia Council on Economic Education and previously served on the State Education Committee and the Publications Committee of the National Association of Economic Educators. He has made numerous presentations for community and professional organizations and developed several professional courses and seminars.

Prior to accepting a position at Marshall in 1986, Arneson served as assistant director of the Center for Economic Education at the University of Virginia, served as a margin analyst for E.F. Hutton Company in Atlanta and taught in private and public schools in Georgia.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The West Virginia Council for Economic Education has received a grant to provide materials and training to establish the Stock Market Game in schools throughout West Virginia, according to Neil Arneson of Marshall University's Center for Economic Education.

Arneson said the Stock Market Game is a program that teaches middle school and high school students about concepts and functions of the United States economy.

The \$5,000 grant was provided by the Securities Industry Foundation for Economic Education with support from First Wheat Securities of Charleston and the brokerage firms of Merrill Lynch, Shearson Lehman and Smith Barney in Huntington.

The game, played one day a week for 10 weeks, will begin Feb. 12.

Each group of students participating in the game receives a mythical \$100,000 to invest in the stock market. Each week their performance will be measured against the performances of their peers in West Virginia and throughout the United States. Arneson said the number of West Virginia students participating in the game this fall was relatively small, although approximately 3 million students took part nationwide.

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He said the purpose of the grant is to provide the necessary materials and to get more West Virginia teachers involved in the game. He said it would be ideal for business, civics, social studies and math classes or high school clubs related to these fields.

The grant will provide in-service training for the teachers and provide materials and USA Today newspapers which are needed so students can keep up with the stock market. The game also can be played via computer.

On Fridays, USA Today publishes a list of the top 100 teams in the nation participating in the Stock Market Game. Arneson said a seventh-grade class at Our Lady of Fatima School in Huntington was 26th on the list one week during the past game session.

"Teachers will be trained to provide guidance and help students find stock information and representatives from brokerage houses also will help the students," said Arneson. "We want the teachers to help the students realize how current events, such as the recent election, affect economics and the stock market.

"This is an excellent program because it is fun for the students and gives them basic ideas about economic principles and the real-world economy."

Arneson said he hopes teachers throughout the state will be

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interested in participating in the game. He also wants to get brokerage firms, banks and other businesses in West Virginia involved in providing support for the game and economic education throughout the state.

Teachers interested in the Stock Market Game for classes this spring should contact Arneson at Marshall University's Center for Economic Education, 696-2958. Arneson said interested teachers should register by January in order to schedule the in-service training program.

Arneson said Marshall's Center for Economic Education, Harris Hall Room 125, has a large amount of material that is available to teachers or anyone interested in economic education.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A workshop on eating disorders and nutrition will be held at Marshall University on Saturday, Dec. 5, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Community and Technical College Building, Room 135.

Topics will include eating disorders, anorexia, bulimia, obesity and food and nutrition. Patty Dickey, who has taught classes at St. Mary's Hospital and Marshall, will lead the workshop which also will feature several guest speakers.

Richard Hensley, director of continuing education at Marshall's Community and Technical College, said the program will explain what eating disorders are and discuss the consequences of improper eating habits.

There will be a \$55 registration fee for the workshop which includes lunch and workshop materials. Continuing education credit will be available through the workshop.

To register or obtain further details contact the Marshall University Continuing Education Office, 696-3113.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Executive Housekeepers Certification Program developed by the National Executive Housekeepers Association will be offered at Marshall University beginning in January.

The extensive 330-hour program is being sponsored by the Division of Continuing Education in Marshall's Community and Technical College and the Mountaineer Chapter of the NEHA.

Founded in 1930, the NEHA is for persons responsible for administering the housekeeping programs in commercial, institutional, medical, industrial or educational facilities.

Participants seeking certification will have to complete 270 hours in required courses and 60 hours in designated electives, according to Richard Hensley, director of continuing education at Marshall.

Classes will be held on Friday evenings and Saturdays. Each course will offer 15 hours of instruction. Instructors will be affiliated with Marshall University or be qualified through association with NEHA educational programs.

Required subjects include courses under the general headings of "Personnel Management," "Communications," "Housekeeping Techniques," "Environmental Controls," "Behavioral Science,"

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"Introduction to Business," "Management" and "Business."

Electives include several courses in design and courses on topics such as maintenance and security and safety.

"This is a very extensive program that will continue through October 1994," said Hensley. "But it is a very important program for anyone interested in a career as an executive housekeeper or anyone wanting to manage commercial, institutional, medical, educational or industrial facilities."

Hensley said representatives from the state NEHA chapter contacted Marshall about offering the program because it is not offered anywhere in West Virginia.

Pre-registration will be required. Classes will have a maximum enrollment of 20 students. There will be an \$80 registration fee for each course.

Through the NEHA Education Foundation, the National Executive Housekeepers Association has some funds available for scholarship assistance for association members. Scholarship information can be obtained by contacting the NEHA education specialist in Westerville, Ohio, (614) 895-7166. Applications for scholarships must be submitted prior to Dec. 31.

To obtain further details about the Executive Housekeepers Certification Program contact the Division of Continuing Education at Marshall University's Community and Technical College, 696-3113.

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November 30, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's public radio station, WMUL-FM (88.1 MHz), has received a first place award in The Interep Radio Store College Radio Awards competition, according to Chuck G. Bailey, WMUL-FM faculty manager.

The Interep Radio Store is the nation's largest full-service sales and marketing company for radio advertising. More than 200 college and university radio stations enter the prestigious national competition sponsored by Interep.

WMUL-FM received a first place award in the "Public Affairs/Magazine Show" category for a documentary program titled "The Mystery of the Mothman (Revisited)" by Brent Anglin, a recent graduate from Huntington, and Charles D. Bissell, a junior from Ashland, Ky.

The documentary was a retrospective view of news items that appeared 25 years ago. The producers said the goal of the program was to portray West Virginia's unique cultural heritage.

"We were in direct competition with the radio stations from some of the nation's largest and most prestigious colleges and universities," said Bailey. "The Interep competition is one of

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the toughest in the field and a first place award is a great achievement for our students and faculty."

Stations from Asbury College, Syracuse University, Hofstra University and the University of Florida were in competition with Marshall for the "Public Affairs/Magazine Show" award.

The award was presented at the fifth annual conference of the National Association of College Broadcasters held Nov. 19-22 in Providence, R.I.

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December 1, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Upward Bound Program at Marshall University has accepted 11 new students from Cabell, Wayne and Mingo counties, according to Jackie Hersman, program director.

Upward Bound is a federally funded program designed to prepare and motivate students from low-income families and students whose parents do not have college degrees to pursue post-secondary education.

Hersman said Upward Bound provides participants free career, personal and academic counseling, tutoring and cultural enrichment activities. Upward Bound students get a glimpse of what college life is like by actually living on the Marshall campus for six weeks during the summer.

The Upward Bound Program at Marshall provides services to 70 area high school students.

New students from Cabell County selected to participate in the program are: Amber Gue from Barboursville High School; Andrea Anderson, Christi Belville, April Chaffin and Tara Workman from Huntington East High School, and Tonya Whitfield from Huntington High School.

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New students from Mingo County selected to participate in the program are: Joanna Colegrove, Joni Nichols and Eric Taylor from Tug Valley High School.

New students from Wayne County selected to participate in the program are: April Clark and Kim Maxey from Wayne High School.

To obtain further details about the Upward Bound Program contact Hersman or Tori Wucher at Marshall University, 696-6456.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Samantha Lusher of Barboursville, a sophomore management technology major in Marshall University's Community and Technical College, has been awarded the National Association of Purchasing Management Scholarship by the Tri-State NAPM chapter.

Employed by the West Virginia Department of Public Safety, Lusher plans to use the \$750 scholarship to help pay tuition and purchase computer equipment.

Dr. F. David Wilkin, dean of the Community and Technical College, said NAPM hopes to foster expansion of professionalism in the purchasing field through the scholarship, while the Community and Technical College seeks to build stronger ties with the business community.

Jerry Casey, an employee of Ashland Petroleum and an NAPM spokesman, said the association has a desire to forge new relationships that will be mutually beneficial. He said the association hopes to award the scholarship on an annual basis.

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December 2, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Regular registration for Marshall University's spring semester will be held Monday through Friday, Jan. 4-8, in the Registrar's Office, Old Main Room 1-B, according to Registrar Robert H. Eddins.

Students may register and make schedule adjustments at the following designated times or anytime thereafter:

Graduate Students and Seniors--Monday, Jan. 4, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Part-time Evening Students (all levels)--Monday, Jan. 4, from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Juniors--Tuesday, Jan. 5, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Sophomores--Wednesday, Jan. 6, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Freshmen--Thursday, Jan. 7, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Open Registration--Friday, Jan. 8, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Classes will begin Monday, Jan. 11, at 8 a.m.

Late registration and schedule adjustment will take place Monday, Jan. 11, from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 12-14, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Friday, Jan. 15, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Tuesday, Jan. 19, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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All fees must be paid at the time of registration. There will be a \$20 late fee assessed for registration after Friday, Jan. 8.

Course schedules, which contain specific registration details, are available in the Office of the Registrar, Old Main Room 106. Persons not admitted to the university may start the admission process at the Office of Admissions, Old Main Room 125.

To obtain further details about registration contact the Registration Division of the Marshall University Registrar's Office, 696-6413.

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Dec. 3, 1992
For immediate release

HUNTINGTON, W.Va. -- Marshall University professor William Palmer, an authority on the historical interplay of England and Ireland, has been chosen to receive Marshall's top research award, the Meet-the-Scholars Award.

MU President J. Wade Gilley will present the award to Dr. Palmer at a dinner with community leaders Wednesday, Dec. 9.

"Faculty members in the Department of History concur with me that few scholars can match the depth and breadth of Dr. Palmer's research, which spans five centuries and two continents," Dr. Gilley said. "His work has been widely published in prestigious historical journals, and his recently released book on Oliver St. John is the first book-length treatise on this pivotal figure of the English Revolution."

Dr. Kenneth Guyer, chairman of the Meet-the-Scholars selection committee, said Palmer's numerous publications, his thorough book, and his recent research on 16th century Irish history led to his selection.

Palmer is the author of "The Political Career of Oliver St. John, 1637-1649," released this fall by the University of Delaware Press. St. John played a key role in advancing the power of representative government during the English Revolution of 1640 to 1660, both through his political leadership and his appointment of Oliver Cromwell to head the parliamentary army.

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In addition, Palmer recently completed a book manuscript entitled "The Problem of Ireland in Tudor Foreign Policy, 1485-1603."

He has had 15 articles published in major scholarly journals including Renaissance Quarterly, the Journal of British Studies, Albion, and The Sixteenth Century Journal. He also has been active at scholarly conferences.

Palmer joined the Marshall University faculty in 1984, after teaching at the University of Maine and the University of Maine, Augusta. He was educated at Iowa State University, Ohio University, and the University of Maine, where he received his Ph.D. in 1981.

He and his wife, Gretchen, have one son, Aaron.

The Meet-the-Scholars Award carries with it a plaque and a \$1,000 honorarium.

The program seeks to strengthen the link between Marshall and the community of which it is a part, Guyer said. Award recipients must have an outstanding record of achievement, significant research or other scholarly activity conducted while at Marshall, and an academic reputation above reproach.



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December 3, 1992

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Alumni Association and the Huntington Rotary Club will sponsor a pre-game tailgate party prior to the NCAA Division 1-AA championship football game on Saturday, Dec. 19, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Lefty Rollins Track.

The cost will be \$5 per person. To obtain further details contact Shirley Henson in the Marshall University Alumni Affairs Office, 696-2523.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Larry Artrip, coordinator of guidance services for the Marshall University Community and Technical College, has been selected as the Marshall University Employee of the Month for November, according to Bill Burdette, chairman of the selection committee.

Artrip has worked for the university for 17 years.

Elma Chapman, acting associate dean, and other members of the Community and Technical College staff nominated Artrip for the award.

"Larry has excellent rapport with students," Chapman noted on the nomination. "He really cares about them and takes extra time to help them work out their problems.

"He does recruiting not only for the Community and Technical College but for the university as a whole, so he is often the first Marshall employee new students meet. They continue to come to him for help throughout their college lives."

Chapman said Artrip has been a stabilizing influence in the Community and Technical College.

"He is supportive of the secretarial staff, appreciates their efforts, and goes out of his way to help them," said

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Chapman. "Because of his willingness to go the extra mile to help students, staff and faculty, we feel Larry Artrip should be named Employee of the Month."

Artrip will receive a plaque and \$100 for being named Employee of the Month and will be eligible for the Employee of the Year Award.

Marshall University President J. Wade Gilley and his wife, Nanna, provided funds through a grant to establish the Employee of the Month and Employee of the Year program.

The program has been designed to recognize outstanding performance by classified and non-classified staff at the university. Awards will be made to MU employees who have exhibited exceptional levels of work performance and displayed high regard and loyalty toward the university and their job responsibilities.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Raymond E. Janssen and O. Norman Simpkins Collection, containing archaeological materials and artifacts collected and preserved by the two former Marshall University professors, is on permanent display at the university in the lobby of Smith Hall.

The late Dr. Janssen, former chairman of the Geology Department who retired in 1969, received archaeological materials from colleagues, students and members of the community during his tenure at Marshall. These artifacts were used as teaching aids by Janssen and incorporated into the university's Geology Museum (presently the James Wall Geology Museum housed in James E. Morrow Library).

After Janssen's retirement, many of the original artifacts were packed away in cartons.

Simpkins, former chairman of the Sociology and Anthropology Department who retired in 1986, retrieved the boxes in the mid-1970s and safeguarded them until 1989 when he relinquished them to the department for study and exhibition.

Between 1990 and 1992, Darin McFarland, an anthropology graduate student, re-cataloged and analyzed the collection under the supervision of Dr. Nicholas Freidin, associate professor of anthropology.

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"The collection offers glimpses of life in prehistoric times in regions stretching from our neighborhood in the middle Ohio River valley to distant, exotic places in Mesoamerica (Mexico and Nicaragua) and the southwestern Pacific (New Caledonia)," said Freidin. "It reflects the skills of prehistoric peoples and their relationship to the environment as they sought food, shelter and sources of aesthetic pleasure."

Freidin said artifacts on display represent the major phases of prehistoric occupation in our area.

Also on display are objects of unquestionable prehistoric origin from Teotihuacan ("the dwelling of the gods" in Nahuatl, the language of the later Aztecs), located northeast of Mexico City, and a scraper probably made by the Lapita people who settled in New Caledonia approximately 1500 B.C. and remained culturally distinct there until about A.D. 200.

"The collection is named in honor of the two professors whose foresight and dedication are responsible for preserving these products of antiquity for us to learn and wonder," explained Freidin.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Autism Training Center at Marshall University, located in Old Main Room 316, will hold an open house on Friday, Dec. 11, from noon to 5:30 p.m.

In conjunction with National Autism Awareness Week being observed Dec. 7-13, the center will show a variety of videotapes dealing with autism throughout the afternoon, according to Dr. Barbara Becker, director of the center.

An awards ceremony will be held at 4 p.m. Appreciation awards will be presented to Cabell County Delegate Steve Williams and Kanawha County Delegate Sharon Spencer.

Dr. Ruth Sullivan, director of the Autism Services Center in Huntington, will make a presentation titled "Autism: How We Got Where We Are" at 4:15 p.m. Her presentation will be followed by a discussion period.

Staff from the Autism Training Center will be available to answer questions during the open house. Light refreshments will be served.

To obtain further details contact Wanda Wells at the Autism Training Center, 696-2332.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Public Employees Insurance Agency (PEIA) has awarded Marshall University a \$125,000 grant to implement a pilot program designed to promote wellness among PEIA-insured participants.

The project is a cooperative effort between Marshall's Sports Science and Wellness Institute and regional hospitals to promote a healthier populace by encouraging participants to take preventive measures to stay well.

"This is another example of Marshall's role as an interactive university," MU President J. Wade Gilley said. "We look forward to a partnership with PEIA and the hospitals to help improve the health of a large segment of our population."

"Project Well/Fit" will work with PEIA participants in Cabell, Lincoln, Logan, Mason, Mingo and Wayne counties. It will focus on circulatory disorders and diabetes because of the prevalence of those problems in the region.

Participating hospitals include St. Mary's in Huntington, Pleasant Valley in Point Pleasant, Logan General and Williamson Memorial.

"We're very pleased to be involved in this team effort to improve preventive health care in our area," St. Mary's Executive

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Director/CEO J. Thomas Jones said. "By working together and pooling resources, we can maximize the benefits at the least cost to patients."

The project will include awareness education through newsletters and direct mailings, physical assessment screenings, and wellness program opportunities offered by Marshall and the participating hospitals. Those efforts will be followed with post-screenings to evaluate how well the program encourages healthier behavior.

Rick A. Robinson of the Marshall staff will serve as project director. "It is a perceptive move by the insurance industry, looking at health care from the other end and promoting preventive medicine as opposed to treating an illness," he said of the project.

PEIA plans to institute several pilot wellness programs. The most successful initiatives among the programs will be replicated throughout the state.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Eleven students have been inducted into the Marshall University Community and Technical College chapter of Phi Theta Kappa international community college honorary, according to Dr. F. David Wilkin, dean of the college.

Phi Theta Kappa was founded in 1918 at Stephens College in Columbia, Mo., and was officially recognized in 1929 by the American Association of Junior Colleges.

In order to be eligible for membership, students must have at least 12 semester hours applicable toward a degree, have a grade point average of 3.3 or higher and have established a record of academic excellence. Students also must be of good moral character and possess recognized leadership skills.

Marshall students inducted into the organization were:

HUNTINGTON -- Linda Bias, Geisha Blevins, Cynthia Houck, Lea Howard, Stacy Hunter, Gail Plaster and Deanna Ramsey;

GALLIPOLIS FERRY -- Bridget Bush; POCA -- Regina Jenkins;
ST. ALBANS -- Karen Roberts; POINT PLEASANT --Jennifer Westfall.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Reading and Learning Center (M.U.R.A.L. Center) will sponsor a 13-week tutoring program from Jan. 26 through April 27 for students in kindergarten through 12th grade.

Participants will attend one-hour sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays on the Marshall campus.

The program is open to all students experiencing academic difficulties in their school curriculums, including students in regular classroom placements as well as those in certain special education settings, according to Dr. Robert J. Evans, director of the M.U.R.A.L. Center.

Students will receive one-to-one attention or tutoring in small groups depending on the participants' needs. The tutoring will be done by Marshall University College of Education students under the close supervision of College of Education faculty members.

Evans said the program also will offer enrichment activities designed to broaden the students' skills and special programs such as the "Writing to Read" computer program and other supplementary computer programs. Testing for learning problems will be available.

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The cost of the program will be \$115 per student for the tutoring sessions. There will be an additional \$25 charge for the testing program.

To obtain application forms or register for the program contact Marshall University's Special Education Office, 696-2340. To obtain further details contact Evans at 696-2853. Evans said interested persons should try to register by Jan. 15, 1993.

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