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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--When Dr. Deryl R. Leaming tells his United High School Press (UHSP) audience today that "Rubbernose Bartons" are important, he'll know what he's talking about.

Leaming, director of Marshall University's School of Journalism, is featured speaker at the annual UHSP convention awards dinner at 1 p.m. today in Memorial Student Center.

He is expected to address more than 400 high school student journalists and their teachers from West Virginia, Eastern Kentucky and Southeastern Ohio.

"Rubbernose Bartons" are the kids who sit on the back row and take life's ups and downs without much thought. Leaming contends there are many "Rubbernose Bartons" in high schools throughout the country and that they are an important part of every campus.

Leaming's experience in and out of the classroom qualifies him to know who's important. He has served as a teacher, reporter, city editor, radio news director, and magazine editor. He also has written for publications such as The Saturday Evening Post and the Tokyo Journal of Psychoanalysis.

Before coming to Marshall, Leaming served as chairman of the communications department at the University of Tulsa and as head of the department of journalism and mass communications at Kansas State University.

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Leaming has a doctoral degree in mass communications from Syracuse University and holds a master's degree in psychology from the University of Nebraska and a bachelor's degree in political science and English from Fort Hays Kansas State University. Fort Hays State last year honored him as an alumnus of outstanding achievement. He also is a graduate of the Menninger School of Psychiatry, where he studied behavioral science writing.

More recently, Leaming completed a book, to be published this summer, concerning college yearbook editing. He also has contracted to write two other books.

Before Leaming's address at the dinner, there will be an 8 a.m. coffee for visiting teachers, a 9 a.m. general assembly, 13 publications and broadcasting workshops from 9:25 to 11:35 a.m. and four business sessions from 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

There will be 13 categories of awards for newspapers, yearbooks and broadcast programs with first-, second-, and third-place certificates awarded winners in two divisions.

In addition, there will be three areas of competition for one \$50 and two \$25 cash prizes in the West Virginia Press Women's Association writing contests for high school students.

A \$200 scholarship, funded by Huntington Publishing Company, will be awarded to the student selected Most Outstanding Student Journalist.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Student Development Center in conjunction with the American Cancer Society will sponsor a biweekly "Stop Smoking" Clinic during April.

The sessions will be held in Prichard Hall Room 102 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning April 4 and continuing through April 27.

There will be no charge for the classes which will be conducted by Mrs. Nancy Kingsbury, MU health programs advisor.

The "Stop Smoking" program has two stages, according to Mrs. Kingsbury. The first four sessions are designed to prepare the smoker for cigarette withdrawal by helping him to understand why he smokes, she said.

The second phase, during which participants are encouraged to quit smoking through group interaction and support, is designed to help participants find practical solutions to their smoking problem and to live with those solutions.

Enrollment in the program will be limited, Mrs. Kingsbury said. Slots not filled by Marshall students or faculty and staff will be open to area residents. Persons interested in participating in the clinic may register by calling 696-3111.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Earl L. Core, author of "Flora of West Virginia," will speak at a meeting of the Marshall Botanical Society on Tuesday, April 4, at 7:30 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154.

A professor emeritus of botany at West Virginia University, Core will discuss "Botanical Exploration of the Southern Appalachians." He has been active in field studies in the Cranberry Glades and Dolly Sods areas of West Virginia.

The meeting is open to the public.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University alumni will celebrate both the past and the future during the 41st annual Alumni Weekend, April 21-23.

"Horizons" is the theme of the event, sponsored by the Marshall Alumni Association.

"We want people to come back not only for the past," explained Mrs. Janice Frampton of Huntington, Alumni Weekend chairwoman, "but to appreciate the present and look over the horizons toward the future."

The "spring homecoming," according to Alumni Affairs Director Everett Roush, will include presentation of three major Alumni Association awards, golf and tennis outings, athletic events and a banquet.

Classes of 1928, 1953 and 1968, celebrating their 50th, 25th and 10th reunions, respectively, will be honored at a Friday reception and a Saturday banquet.

The weekend will open Friday, April 21, with a "Weekend Warm-up" from 8 to 11:30 p.m. in Suite A of the Huntington Civic Center. The reception will include an open bar, hors d'oeuvres and music by Gentlemen III.

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Events scheduled Saturday, April 22, are:

9:30 to 11 a.m. -- Free coffee and doughnuts will be served in the lobby of Memorial Student Center. Campus tours will leave periodically from the lobby.

10 a.m. -- Marshall University Invitational Track Meet field events begin. Running events begin at 1 p.m.

11 a.m. -- "Morning with Moffat," an alumni seminar in the Alumni Lounge, will be conducted by Dr. Charles H. Moffat, retired professor of history. Moffat, who is compiling a history of Marshall, will discuss "Marshall Comes of Age."

1:30 p.m. -- Green and White football game kicks off at Fairfield Stadium.

6 p.m. -- Social hour will be followed by the Alumni Banquet at 7 p.m. at Memorial Student Center. Cost of prime rib dinner is \$7. Alumni awards will be presented and the Classes of 1928, 1953 and 1968 will be honored.

Golf and tennis activities highlight Sunday's schedule. Events are:

8 a.m. -- Tee-off times begin for the Men's Golf Outing at the Riviera Country Club, Ohio River Road (W.Va. 2) six miles outside Huntington. Jim Ward, Marshall alumnus and Huntington High School basketball and golf coach, is chairman of the event.

8:30 a.m. -- Tee-off times begin for the Women's Golf Outing at Sugarwood Golf & Country Club on U.S. 52, one mile from Lavalette. Betty Caldwell of Huntington is event chairman.

9 a.m. -- Tennis Tournament begins at the Huntington Tennis Club, an indoor tennis facility near Ona, W.Va. The club is owned by Marshall alumnus Bob Bias.

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1 p.m. -- Varsity track team triangular meet with Rio Grande College and Morris Harvey College starts.

Alumni and friends are asked to contact the Alumni Office in Memorial Student Center at (304) 696-3134 by Thursday, April 20, to make reservations for weekend activities. Participants are asked to indicate their partners for the golf and tennis events. The Alumni Office will match players who need partners.

The Class of 1928 and alumni award recipients will be guests at Friday's reception and Saturday's banquet. Recipients of the Distinguished Alumnus Award, the Distinguished Service Award and the Alumnus Community Achievement Award will be announced later.

Other campus activities during the weekend include a musical production and an art exhibit. "Man of La Mancha" will be presented by the music and speech departments April 19 through 23. A viewing of the "Aunt Nell Art Collection" and the "Marion Vest Fors Graphic Collection," donated to the university by alumnus Michael Maroney, is scheduled from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, April 21, in the Art Gallery off the lobby of Smith Hall.

Alumni Weekend committee members are Mrs. Frampton, Mrs. June H. Deal, E. Steve Goodman and James V. Hanna, all of Huntington; John Henzmann of Point Pleasant, W.Va., and Walter Stigall of Charleston.

Class reunion chairmen are: 1928, Thelma Meadows Curtis and Louise Carden; 1953, Edwin J. "Jake" Humphrey, and 1968, Richard Q. Smith, all of Huntington.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall Artists Series' Baxter Series will close its 1977-78 season with a concert by Metropolitan Opera star Marilyn Horne at 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 4, at the Keith-Albee Theater.

Tickets may be purchased from the Kenney Music Company or from the Marshall University Music Department office. On the day of the performance, tickets will be sold at the Keith-Albee beginning at 6:30 p.m. Ticket prices are \$9 for main floor and loge seats and \$7 for balcony seats.

Marshall students with activity cards will be admitted free. Students without activity cards, but who hold valid Marshall identification cards, may purchase tickets at half price.

Miss Horne, a mezzo-soprano, made her debut at the Met in 1970 and has sung with nearly every major opera company in the world, including La Scala, Covent Garden and the Paris Opera. She has performed with many of the world's best known conductors, including Igor Stravinsky and Paul Hindemith.

Her program here will include arias from Gluck's "Orfeo ed Euridice," Gounod's "Sapho," and Meyerbeer's "Les Hugenots," as well as songs by Handel, Schumann and Massenet.

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During a Spring 1975 European tour, Miss Horne received high praise from the music critics. The critic for Paris' Le Monde wrote: "Marilyn Horne's singing was a fantastic festival of virtuosity--trills, crescendos, decrescendos, embellishments--in short, an impeccable vocal display."

Miss Horne studied music at the University of Southern California and later attended master classes taught by Lotte Lehmann. Her father, however, was her first teacher.

In addition to her live performances, Miss Horne is also in demand as a recording star. She received a Grammy Award for her album, "Presenting Marilyn Horne." She is also the mother of a 12-year-old daughter.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Bill Monroe, anchorman of NBC-TV's news program "Meet the Press," will appear on the Marshall Artists Series' Forum Series at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 6, in Old Main Auditorium.

Admission to Forum events is by season membership tickets or Marshall Student Activity Cards.

Monroe, considered by many as Washington's most distinguished journalist, will discuss "Beginning: The American Century."

A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Tulane University, he succeeded Lawrence Spivak as moderator and executive producer of "Meet the Press" in 1975. Monroe went to Washington as NBC's bureau chief in 1961 and later became Washington editor and on-air interviewer for the "Today" show.

A New Orleans native, Monroe previously had been news director of WDSU-TV there. His earlier experience includes stints as chief editorial writer and associate editor of the New Orleans Item, a United Press International wire service correspondent, a free-lance magazine writer, and a staff member with WNOE Radio.

Past president of both the Radio-Television News Directors Association and Radio-Television Correspondents Association, Monroe received broadcasting's highest award, the Peabody, in 1973.

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When Monroe received the Peabody, UPI said: "At a time when aimless 'talking heads' are proliferating on television, particularly in the nation's capital, it is refreshing to encounter a newsman whose interviews are direct and clarifying. Monroe's objective confrontations with Congressional newsmakers and political leaders from across the nation have provided a distinctive public service and have kept the District of Columbia political fraternity on its toes."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. James L. Taggart, professor of music at Marshall University, will present two lecture-recitals on the keyboard sonatas of F.J. Haydn in April at the West Virginia Science and Culture Center in Charleston.

Sponsored by the state Department of Culture and History, the programs are scheduled at 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 5, and Wednesday, April 12. They are free and open to the public.

The programs will complete Taggart's series of four lecture-recitals begun in January which were interrupted by the winter weather.

The programs are designed to illustrate the evolution of the composer's sonata form. Taggart will open the first program with a brief recapitulation of the material covered in the earlier lectures.

In his lectures, Taggart will discuss the sonatas' style and structure in relation to 18th Century music.

A specialist in Viennese classical piano literature, Taggart has given solo recitals, workshops, lecture-recitals and master classes on the sonata works of Haydn, Mozart and Beethoven in West Virginia, the Midwest and Southwest.

A Marshall faculty member since 1970, Taggart earned his doctorate at the University of Iowa and studied for two years at the Royal Academy of Music in London.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Although steps are being taken to strengthen the Marshall University Artists Series, a major effort must be made to further develop, coordinate and promote all cultural programs and activities in the Tri-State Region, Marshall President Robert B. Hayes said today.

Hayes said he already has had some preliminary discussions with leaders in Ashland, Ironton and Huntington in regard to a coordinated cultural program and that efforts to develop a regional cultural organization will be continued.

"Progress in the entire region will be enhanced if we can do a better job in cultural programming, scheduling, and audience development," Hayes said.

"Ashland Oil Chairman Orin Atkins recently made what I consider a landmark address to the Huntington Area Chamber of Commerce," Hayes said. "In that address he pointed out that our Tri-State Region, centered around Huntington, Ashland and Ironton, has for all practical purposes become a single community with a population of more than 300,000 people. He noted that such organizations as the Central Ohio Valley Industrial Council and the Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia Interstate Planning Commission already have laid a foundation for a regional identity in commerce and planning.

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"All three of the major cities within the Tri-State Region have active cultural programs," Hayes added. "Often, however, schedules conflict and interested people have to make a difficult choice. At the same time, residents of one of the cities may not be aware of programs offered in another of the three cities.

"I believe we could combine our respective efforts into a coordinated program for all of the people of the region and that we could have broader offerings and more successful results," he added.

"If we can involve such organizations as the Paramount Arts Center in Ashland, the Huntington Galleries, the Marshall University Artists Series, the Marshall departments of art, music and drama, and a number of similar organizations in the three cities in one Tri-State cultural programming effort rather than several separate programs, I believe the individual programs can succeed beyond our fondest dreams and the people of the region will be better served," the Marshall president said.

In his address to the Chamber of Commerce, Atkins noted, "We have found in our corporate personnel program at Ashland Oil that the biggest reservation people have in considering working with us is not the job but their vague preconceptions of 'backwardness'--of lack of educational, recreational, medical and cultural facilities--in the area." The same situation applies, he indicated, in efforts to attract major corporations to relocate their headquarters in the Tri-State Region.

"We believe the Marshall School of Medicine will address one of the concerns Mr. Atkins outlined," Hayes said. "A coordinated effort in cultural programming could go a long way in meeting another recognized barrier to the region's progress."



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Cooperation between Christians and Muslims will be discussed in a public lecture at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 6, on the Marshall University campus, according to Dr. Howard A. Slaatte, chairman of the Marshall Philosophy Department.

Dr. Byron L. Haines of the National Council of Churches' Task Force on Christian-Muslim Relations will speak about "What Do Christians and Muslims Have in Common?"

The lecture and discussion will be in Room 134, Harris Hall. A reception will follow.

"This topic is of importance at the present time because Muslim and Christian cooperation is important in different parts of the world," Slaatte said. "The cooperation has far-reaching importance on the Near Eastern situation today."

Haines is a United Presbyterian Church minister and a staff member of the Hartford Seminary Foundation in Hartford, Conn.

He will be joined in classroom discussion by Dr. Wilhelm Bijlefeld, also on the Hartford Foundation staff.

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Haines has taught chemistry at Farman Christian College in Pakistan and has been a research scholar at the Christian Study Center in Pakistan, which fosters understanding and cooperation between Christians and Muslims.

An Old Testament specialist, Haines received his doctorate in theology from Harvard. His professional affiliations include membership in American Schools of Oriental Research.

Bijlefeld is a specialist in Islamic studies and is a former editor of The Muslim World, a well-known journal in the Islamic world.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Kenley Smith of Beckley, W.Va., a junior majoring in journalism at Marshall University, has placed among the top 20 nationally in the February general news writing competition of the William Randolph Hearst Foundation's annual Journalism Awards Program.

Smith's article was about the coal strike, particularly the visible effects of the strike on southern West Virginia. The story was published in the Jan. 24 edition of The Parthenon, the university's student newspaper.

Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. K.W. Smith of 520 Maxwell Hill Road, Beckley, is a 1976 graduate of Woodrow Wilson High School in Beckley.

The Journalism Awards Program is conducted in cooperation with the American Association of Schools and Departments of Journalism and comprises six monthly writing competitions and one photojournalism contest.

Judges for the writing division are Michael Gartner, editor of the Des Moines Register and Tribune; Robert Haiman, executive editor of the St. Petersburg Times; William Woestendiek, executive editor of The Arizona Daily Start, and Carol Sutton, assistant to the publisher of the Louisville Courier-Journal and Times, honorary judge.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The West Virginia Class Championship Chess Tournament, sponsored by the Marshall University Chess Club, will be held Saturday and Sunday (April 8-9) in Memorial Student Center.

Trophies will be awarded in each class, according to Dr. Neil L. Gibbins, MU professor of educational administration and department chairman, who serves as the club's advisor.

Registration will be conducted from 8 to 9 a.m. There will be a \$4 registration fee.

The tournament is open to all members of the United States and West Virginia Chess Federations, Gibbins said. Federation memberships will be available at the registration table.

Play will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday with three rounds scheduled that day and one round on Sunday.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A national leader in the humanities who has been a college professor and now heads a national organization to promote the humanities will receive the 1978 Marshall University Distinguished Alumnus Award.

Dr. Joseph Daniel Duffey, a 1954 Marshall graduate, was named by President Carter as chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities last fall. He will receive the Distinguished Alumnus Award at the Alumni Awards Banquet Saturday, April 22, during Alumni Weekend activities, according to Ezra A. Midkiff, Alumni Association president.

The Distinguished Alumnus Award is presented to Marshall alumni distinguishing themselves in their fields.

"Dr. Duffey has brought prestige to himself and to Marshall," Midkiff said. "He has excelled in religious work, educational endeavors and now heads an organization vital to the preservation and continued progress of American humanities.

"It is a tribute to this region that it could nurture such an outstanding man dedicated to working toward and attaining such high goals," Midkiff continued. "We are honored to count him among Marshall's distinguished alumni and graduates."

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Recipients of the association's Distinguished Service and Community Service Awards also will be honored at the banquet. Their names will be announced later, Midkiff said.

Duffey, 45, was U.S. assistant secretary of state for education and culture in the Carter administration before being confirmed to his present post last September.

The federally-funded endowment distributes \$111 million annually in grants to organizations and encourages research in philosophy, history, literature and the fine arts.

Duffey was born in Huntington, moved with his family to Logan, and returned to Huntington where his father, Joseph I. Duffey, opened a barber shop in the former First Huntington National Bank Arcade.

The award recipient graduated from Huntington High School in 1950 and received his B.A. degree in history from Marshall four years later. After receiving his Bachelor of Divinity degree from Andover Newton Theological School near Boston in 1957, he was ordained to the ministry of the Congregational Church (later United Church of Christ) and was pastor of the First Congregational Church in Danvers, Mass., for three years.

From 1960 to 1963, he was an assistant professor of urban studies at Hartford Seminary in Connecticut and received his Master of Sacred Theology degree in 1963 from the Divinity School of Yale. The clergyman earned his Ph.D. from Hartford in 1969 and founded and directed the seminary's Center for Urban Studies from 1965 through 1970.

In 1971 the educator was named a fellow of the Institute of Politics of the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard. For the next two years he was an adjunct professor at Yale.

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Duffey became general secretary of the American Association of University Professors in Washington in 1974. During his tenure with the AAUP, the organization expanded its political activity at both the federal and state levels.

He resigned from the AAUP to head Carter's office in Washington during the 1976 presidential campaign.

Duffey was introduced to politics through his father, a Huntington city councilman and state legislator.

The urban specialist's political activism included civil rights activities and working for the presidential campaigns of Sen. Eugene McCarthy in 1968 and Sen. George McGovern in 1972. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the U.S. Senate in Connecticut in 1970. He was chairman of the Connecticut branch of the Americans for Democratic Action, becoming national chairman in 1969. He also was a member of the National Democratic Policy Council from 1970 to 1972.

Duffey is married to the former Anne Wexler, deputy undersecretary of commerce for regional affairs and economic coordinator. He is the father of two sons, Michael Robert and David King.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ten Marshall University students have been selected to participate next year in a special multi-disciplinary program on hunger and malnutrition problems facing today's world.

Co-sponsored by Marshall and the Campus Christian Center, the program is funded by a \$11,600 grant from the United Methodist Church, according to Dr. Hugh B. Springer, Campus Christian Center director.

Huntington residents selected were Michael Vaughn Carter, graduate student; Susan E. Degnan, sophomore; Julia D. Fox, senior; Jane B. Moore, graduate student, and Judy L. Taylor, graduate student.

Other participants include: Charles Cisco, Barboursville freshman; Susan Lynn Clark, St. Albans senior; Pamela Jean Lancianese, St. Marys sophomore; Mary Elizabeth Vega, South Point, Ohio, sophomore, and Leonard E. Madu, Nigeria sophomore.

The students were selected on the basis of their interest and concern about hunger and related ethical issues, as well as their academic records, Springer said.

"The program has been designed to develop community and church leaders committed to and willing to work toward the alleviation and elimination of world hunger," he said.

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Participants may earn four hours of credit in biology, political science or sociology and each will receive a \$750 work scholarship.

Interweaving aspects of biology, ethics, medicine, political science and sociology to the problem of world hunger and malnutrition, the project will use surrounding Appalachian communities for field work.

"The program already has received a grant for 1979-80," Springer said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Approximately 100 students from 10 Tri-State Area high schools are expected to attend the fifth annual High School Model United Nations at Marshall University Friday and Saturday, April 7-8.

The event is sponsored by the Marshall Model UN Club in cooperation with the Political Science Department.

The keynote speaker will be United States Ambassador to the United Nations Andrew Young who will appear via film, according to Dr. Clair W. Matz Jr., MU associate professor of political science. "Young has so many speaking requests that he has recorded his opinions and ideas concerning the world organization for use at events similar to this," Matz said.

Also addressing the participants in Friday night's opening session will be Leonard Madu, an international student from Nigeria, who is attending Marshall. The son of a former Nigerian diplomat, Madu will discuss "Nigerian-U.S. Relations" and comment on President Carter's recent visit to Lagos.

The Model UN provides students an opportunity to "role play" the actual positions and policies of the nations comprising the UN Security Council, according to Margaret Arthur, Huntington senior and president of the Marshall Model UN.

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"The students will have to research the foreign policies of their countries in an attempt to portray them as accurately as possible," she said. "When you try to defend another country's policies, you begin to understand their viewpoints. The Model UN is a fun way to stand in another person's shoes and understand world events from their perspective," Ms. Arthur added.

Participating high schools and their assigned roles include:

Portsmouth (Ohio) East, Bolivia and Czechoslovakia; Russell (Ky.), People's Republic of China; Kyger Creek (Ohio), France; Huntington, Guyana; Huntington Vinson, Italy; Buffalo of Wayne County, Japan; Ironton (Ohio), Kuwait and Union of Soviet Socialist Republics; Paul G. Blazer (Ashland, Ky.), Nigeria and United States; Chesapeake (Ohio), Sweden, and South Point (Ohio), United Kingdom.

Among the issues to be debated by the student delegations will be North Sea territorial rights, arms control and disarmament, Ethiopia-Somalia, and the dispute between Great Britain and Guatemala over a portion of Belize.

Awards will be given to the delegations most accurately portraying their countries' policies as well as to individual delegates.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. William P. Morgan, internationally recognized researcher in sports psychology, will be at Marshall University Tuesday through Thursday, April 11-13.

Morgan currently is professor of physical education and director of the Sports Psychology Laboratory at the University of Arizona, Tucson, according to Dr. W. Don Williams, head of Marshall's physical education division and an associate professor.

In addition to conducting informal sessions with students and faculty members, Morgan will present a free, public lecture at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 12, in Gullickson Hall Room 207. His topic will be "The Coach's Weapon--Psychoanalysis: Use and Misuse."

"While the talk is open to anyone, it may be of special interest to physical education teachers in secondary schools," Williams noted.

Morgan's campus appearance is part of the Distinguished Lectureship Series Program funded by the Marshall University Foundation.

Morgan earned his undergraduate degree from Concord College in Athens, his M.A. degree from the University of Maryland and his Doctor of Education degree from the University of Toledo, followed later by post-doctoral study at the University of California at Santa Barbara.

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Prior to joining the University of Arizona faculty, he was professor and director of the Ergopsychology Laboratory at the University of Wisconsin at Madison. He also served as research psychologist at the U.S. Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine at Natick, Mass.

A member of numerous national and international professional associations, Morgan is the editor of two books and has written more than 50 articles for scientific and professional journals over the past 10 years.

He has presented papers at several symposiums and annual meetings, including the American Psychological Association and the International Symposium on Physical Work and Effort at Stockholm. Morgan also served as a guest lecturer for the Australian Sports Medicine Federation in 1976.

Among the honors he has received are the Service Award of the Wisconsin Chapter of the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education and Recreation (AAHPER), the AAHPER Aquatic Council Honor Award; a citation from the American College of Sports Medicine and a Certificate of Achievement from the U.S. Army.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Scottish Studies Semester program, based in Edinburgh, will be offered this summer by the Marshall University Sociology/Anthropology Department.

The program, directed by Dr. Karen Li Simpkins, assistant professor, will run from July 15 to Aug. 21. Students may elect to remain in Scotland for an additional week to attend the Edinburgh International Arts Festival, Dr. Simpkins said.

The program is open to any student with at least a 2.0 academic average. Upperclassmen and graduate students will have priority.

Participants may earn six hours of undergraduate or graduate credit while studying Scottish culture under the program. Edinburgh is the cultural center of Scotland and provides many opportunities for study through museums, libraries, theaters and musical groups, Dr. Simpkins said.

Students will be housed in Edinburgh University Student Houses and will be encouraged to gain experience in the local economy by cooking their own meals. After an anthropological orientation to the city, students will be encouraged to undertake independent research studies.

Expenses for the five-week program will range from approximately \$1,200 for in-state students to \$1,500 for out-of-state students.

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The advance registration deposit of \$675 for five weeks will cover the following costs: accommodations, food budget, personal care incidentals and course incidentals.

Tuition, transportation, spending money and other incidentals are not included. Round-trip transportation between Huntington and Edinburgh is expected to be no more than \$570 and may be less, according to Dr. Simpkins.

Anyone interested in participating in the Scottish Studies Semester should contact Dr. Karen Li Simpkins, Smith Hall 756, no later than May 1, by calling 696-6700.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University staff member who has managed the student center for 33 years will receive the 1978 Marshall University Distinguished Service Award, Ezra A. Midkiff, Marshall Alumni Association president, announced today.

W. Don Morris, who began his career as student center manager on April 20, 1945, will retire this July 1.

The award, not limited to Marshall alumni, is given for loyal and unselfish service to Marshall, Midkiff said.

"Shawkey Student Union was the social center of the campus and Don Morris was the man who made it that," Midkiff said. "Don is remembered by many thousands of former students not only for his superb personality, but for the fact he cared about them. He was, and is, someone who is always ready to listen to a student's problem and to help.

"Don probably knows more Marshall alumni than any individual in the world," Midkiff continued. "He has touched the lives of practically every Marshall student in some way. He has been not only an advocate for students and a counselor, but more importantly, he has been a friend."

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Morris is among three alumni award recipients to be honored at the Alumni Awards Banquet Saturday, April 22, during Alumni Weekend. Dr. Joseph D. Duffey, a 1954 Marshall graduate and chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities, will receive the Distinguished Alumnus Award. The Community Service Award recipient's name will be announced later, Midkiff said.

The banquet is scheduled for 7 p.m. in Memorial Student Center. A reception will begin at 6 p.m. Tickets may be obtained from the Marshall Alumni Office.

Born in Logan, W.Va., Morris was raised in Huntington. While a Marshall student majoring in journalism from 1935 to 1939, Morris worked in the sports department at The Huntington Herald-Dispatch and as a telegrapher for Associated Press.

He was president of his local Marshall fraternity, Alpha Theta Chi, which he later helped found as a chapter of the national fraternity, Sigma Phi Epsilon.

After leaving Marshall, Morris became involved in the Boy Scouts of America movement, rising to the rank of a field executive. He started many troops in the Huntington area.

When Morris began as manager of Shawkey Student Union in 1945, World War II was in progress and campus enrollment included 1,000 women and 100 men.

He counseled students, helped many get jobs, and developed the center into a place where students could socialize and where student organizations gathered and recreational facilities were available.

Morris was instrumental in the development of Memorial Student Center, which opened in 1971 and serves Marshall's 11,000 students.

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Morris also has been active in community activities. He was Exalted Ruler of the Elks in West Virginia for a year. He was on the board of directors of Rotary International and of Goodwill Industries. He also is a 32nd degree Scottish Rite Mason and a member of Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

He is married to the former Bette Amos of Huntington. They have two daughters, Mrs. Patsy Toothman, a 1972 Marshall graduate, of Roanoke, Va., and Mrs. Katherine Downey of Orlando, Fla.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University and the Huntington Area Association for Children with Learning Disabilities (ACLD) will sponsor a spring conference Saturday, April 15, in Memorial Student Center.

Mrs. Robin S. Barton of Richmond, Va., supervisor of special services for the Steward School, will be keynote speaker for the day-long learning disabilities conference.

The conference will deal with topics helpful not only to teachers of learning disabled youngsters, but also beneficial to parents in coping with the children's special needs, according to Dr. Barbara Guyer, MU assistant professor of education and conference co-coordinator.

"We are encouraging educators and parents to attend the conference," said Mrs. Barbara Raus, president of the Huntington Area ACLD.

Mrs. Barton will open the first session at 10 a.m. A graduate of Towson College, Baltimore, Md., she earned her Master of Arts degree from Virginia Commonwealth University at Richmond.

She has teaching experience in remedial reading and learning disabilities classes. She also serves as an instructor in learning disabilities for the University of Virginia in addition to her post at the Steward School.

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The Steward School is a private school (K-12) which places learning disabled students in the regular classroom environment, supplemented with special tutoring.

Other speakers for the conference include: Harley Tomey, mathematics resource teacher, Steward School; Dr. Judith Adelman, psychologist with the Region II Community Mental Health Center, and Dr. Edward G. Necco, MU associate professor of curriculum and foundations and coordinator of Marshall's behavior disorders program.

Registration will begin at 9 a.m. and there will be an \$8 registration fee which includes a buffet lunch. Students may register for the sessions only for a \$4 fee.

Persons may pre-register by calling Dr. Guyer at 696-2340, Mrs. Raus at 736-6781, or Mrs. Jeanette Holt, co-coordinator, at 736-7445.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--For the second consecutive year, Marshall University's "Thundering Word" Individual Events (IE) Team has placed first in the West Virginia IE Championship Tournament.

Sponsored by the West Virginia Intercollegiate Forensics Association, the tournament was held last weekend (April 8-9) at Parkersburg Community College.

"Our team won over 11 other teams on the strength of its individual events performance, without competing in the debate division of the tournament," said Maureen Milicia, MU assistant professor of speech and IE team coach.

The Marshall team won seven first places out of the nine IE events. Patricia Brown, Lavalette senior, and Connie Day, Chesapeake, Ohio, senior, won the dramatic duo competition. Miss Day also took first places in poetry and persuasion.

Rita Sowards, Huntington junior, finished first in extemporaneous speaking, while Greg Tillman, New Orleans senior, won in prose. Bob Lesh, Wheeling junior, placed first in after dinner speaking. Rita Sowards, Huntington junior, won rhetorical criticism.

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Second place winners included Carol Proctor, Sylvester junior, informative speaking and rhetorical criticism; Mark Hickman, Lewisburg junior, prose, and Janet Graber, Canton, Ohio, sophomore, extemporaneous speaking.

Hickman also placed third in informative speaking and poetry interpretation. Other third placings went to Stewart Glass, Parkersburg sophomore, extemporaneous speaking; Miss Proctor, after dinner speaking; Miss Sexton and Miss Proctor, dramatic duo.

Marshall students placing fourth included: Linda Bays, Huntington freshman, informative; Miss Brown, poetry; Miss Graber, after dinner, rhetorical criticism and impromptu; Miss Sexton, prose; Tillman, extemporaneous, and Hickman and Tillman, dramatic duo.

The IE team will compete next in the National IE Finals at Monmouth College on April 20-24.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Thomas J. Sergiovanni, a noted authority on supervision and personnel evaluation, will visit Marshall University Friday and Saturday, April 14-15.

Currently Sergiovanni is chairman of the University of Illinois Department of Administration, Higher and Continuing Education, according to Dr. Bill K. Gordon, MU associate professor of educational administration.

While on campus, Sergiovanni will hold informal sessions on teacher evaluation and supervision with interested students and faculty members.

He also will present a free, public lecture on "Teacher Evaluation" at 7 p.m. Friday in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22.

"Dr. Sergiovanni's talk is open to anyone, but it will be of special interest to educators and administrators," Gordon said.

Sergiovanni's campus appearance is sponsored by the MU Educational Administration Department through funding from the Distinguished Lectureship Series Program of the Marshall Foundation.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Art work by Marshall University students is currently on display in Charleston and in Ashland, Ky., according to June Kilgore, MU associate professor of art and departmental chairman.

Representing Marshall in the College Series Art Exhibit at the West Virginia Science and Culture Center are Diane White, Huntington graduate; Steve Watts, Huntington senior, and James Lester, Yolyn graduate.

The Charleston exhibit features work by students in the state's private and public colleges and universities. It will continue through May 7.

Approximately 65 pieces of student art work will be on display at the Bank of Ashland through May 12. The exhibit, featuring paintings, prints, drawings and ceramics, was arranged in cooperation with the Ashland Area Art Gallery, Mrs. Kilgore said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Tickets are on sale now for Marshall University's spring musical, "The Man of La Mancha," which opens Wednesday, April 19, and continues through Sunday, April 23.

Produced by the MU Speech and Music departments, the musical is based on the Spanish classic by Cervantes, "Don Quixote."

Performances are scheduled at 8 p.m. in Old Main Auditorium Wednesday through Saturday, April 19-22, with a matinee performance at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 23.

Reserved seat tickets are \$3 and are available from the Theater Box Office, Old Main 107, weekdays between noon and 4 p.m. Student tickets will be \$2. Seats may be reserved by calling the box office, during those hours, at 696-2306. Tickets will be available at the door prior to performances. All tickets purchased at the door will be \$3.

Portraying the leading role of Don Quixote will be Rick Woods, Huntington junior. Michael Cupp, Huntington senior, will play his faithful servant Sancho and Patricia Prunty, Manassas, Va., sophomore, has been cast as Aldonza.

Other members of the cast include: Debbie Wassum, Cindy Boston, Katona Manissero, Nasha Maniskas, Rick Perdue, and Terry Lynch, Huntington sophomores;

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Charles Derybshire, Huntington senior; Gregory A. Sanney, Barboursville freshman; Dale Bowen, Milton freshman; Jennifer Oldaker, Hartford senior; James Smith, Eleanor junior; Mike Mitchell, Charleston freshman; Deborah Reed, Charleston sophomore;

Tony Serreno, Charleston graduate; Duane West, Charleston freshman; Terry McNeer, St. Albans junior; Frank Stricklen, Elkview freshman; Marsha Parks, Rainelle senior; Tim Dunbar, Rupert sophomore; Caryl Mallan, Lewisburg sophomore; Jeff Hudson, Baltimore, Md., freshman, and Steve Phillips, Kent, Ohio, freshman.

Directing the production are Dr. William Denman, associate professor of speech, and Dr. Michael Cerveris, professor of music, assisted by Judith Ditlow, Harrisville graduate, and Bruce Greenwood, Marshall technical director.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Logan, W.Va., resident who has worked extensively to develop health and physical education activities throughout the state, region and nation will be honored as the recipient of the 1978 Marshall University Alumnus Community Achievement Award, according to Marshall Alumni Association President Ezra A. Midkiff.

Mrs. Bea Nelson Orr, supervisor of physical education for the Logan County schools, will receive the award during the association's Alumni Awards Banquet Saturday, April 22, during Alumni Weekend activities, Midkiff said.

"Under Mrs. Orr's direction, physical education and health programs throughout Logan County have gone far beyond the normal definition of such programs," Midkiff said. "She developed a gymnastics program in Logan County years before it became a common activity in American schools.

"To promote physical activities, Mrs. Orr implemented evening projects by using special equipment and offering children and adults alike the opportunity for organized exercise," he continued.

"Her influence and expertise have been shared with others in the physical education and health field through her active participation in national, district and state organizations," Midkiff said. "She is a Marshall alumna who has shared her innovative ideas."

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Other awards will be presented to Dr. Joseph D. Duffey, Distinguished Alumnus Award recipient and chairman of the National Endowment for the Humanities, and W. Don Morris, Distinguished Service Award recipient and manager of Marshall's student center since 1945.

Mrs. Orr received her bachelor's degree from Marshall in 1952 and her master's degree in educational administration from Marshall in 1970.

Beginning in her college student years, Mrs. Orr has worked with physical education, particularly developing children's and women's sports. She was on the sports staff of a private camp in Vermont from 1951 to 1956.

She was assistant director of the West Virginia Crippled Children's camps and a physical education, health and English instructor in secondary schools from 1955 to 1965.

Since 1966, the teacher has been county director of girls' interscholastic sports and county supervisor for elementary and secondary physical education and health in Logan County.

She taught at Southern West Virginia Community College from 1970 to 1975.

Her professional affiliations have spanned the county, state, region and national levels. She is active in the American Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation (AAHPER) and its affiliates.

Mrs. Orr is a life member of AAHPER, has presented programs at numerous conventions and currently serves on the national board of governors.

She was chairperson of the AAHPER secondary school physical education instruction area from 1972 to 1974 and was state publication director from 1970 to 1974.

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Also active in the Midwest District of AAHPER, which comprises six states, Mrs. Orr currently is immediate past president and serves on the structure and function committee. She is chairperson for site selection for the 1981-82 district convention, and has been on the district's board of directors for seven years.

On the state level, the instructor has been on the board of directors of the West Virginia Association for HPER for seven years and was its president from 1972 to 1974. She has also been the organization's secretary-treasurer, membership chairperson and nominating committee chairperson, and has received several awards.

Other professional and service activities have included: Task Force for West Virginia School Health, Secondary School Activities Commission, state Special Olympics, County Park and Recreation Board, visiting team of the North Central Accrediting Association, state and national commissioner for Miss Softball America, Women's International Bowling Congress, and the National Foundation of AAHPER.

Mrs. Orr also is listed in "Outstanding Young Women of America," "Who's Who in American Women," "Community Leaders and Noteworthy Americans" and "Personalities of the South."

She and her husband, Thomas B. Orr, are parents of three children.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Flute Ensemble will present a concert Tuesday, April 18, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

The ensemble, composed of students of MU flute instructor Tana B. Roquemore, will perform works by Genzmer, Gabrieli, Reicha and Schikele.

Students participating will include Cathy Armentrout, Ripley freshman; Kim Beard, Huntington sophomore; Susan Carder, Parkersburg junior; Dawn Wellman, Sissonville sophomore; Sandy Fisher, Sissonville sophomore; Carrie Folsom, Chesapeake, Ohio, sophomore; Emilie Hood, Ashland, Ky., senior; Libby McClung, Barboursville freshman, and Gary Marks Huntington junior.

Also appearing with the ensemble will be Adele Lewis and Judy Taylor, both of Huntington.

The event is free and open to the public.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A touch of Broadway, Stephen Foster and Walt Disney will highlight a "pops" concert by the Marshall University Wind Symphony scheduled Monday, April 24.

The band's final presentation this year is free and open to the public. Richard Lemke, assistant professor of music and director of bands, will conduct the concert at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

The program will open with "Broadway Curtain Time," a collection of Broadway overtures arranged by John Krance. Jeff Myers, a Marshall graduate assistant from Coshocton, Ohio, will be the soloist in "Sonata for Marimba" by Peter Tanner.

Arranged by Sammy Nestico, "A Tribute to Stephen Foster" is an arrangement of old favorites in a new setting. Dean Sturm will narrate a collection of all-time Disney hits, "The Magic of Disney," which was arranged by Warren Barker. The Disney presentation will include vocal accompaniment by members of Marshall choirs.

Other selections will be "Grand Serenade For An Awful Lot of Winds and Percussion" by P.D.Q. Bach and "Entry of the Gladiators" by Julius Fucik.

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Band members from West Virginia are Gary Marks, Barry Farley and Chester Madden, all of Huntington; Judy Utley, Phil Noel and Clifford Riley, all of Barboursville; Sharon Elliott of Wayne; Susan Carder and Mark Turnbull, both of Parkersburg; Dawn Wellman and Sandy Fisher, both of Sissonville; Tammy Bailey of Poca; David Nunley of Charleston;

Anne Lee Hardy of South Charleston; Pamela Lewis of Ravenswood; Cathy Hinkle of Delbarton; Teresa Jennings of East Bank; Marisa McClellan of Lavalette; Brett Bailey, Kim Chapman and Mark Adkins, all of Hurricane; Becky Adams of Nitro;

Robert Blosser of Spencer; Keith Carper of Griffithsville; Tim Cooke of Ronceverte; Jeanette Oldaker of Mason; Ann Smithson of Parsons; Becky Yoho of Ripley; Robert Armstrong Jr. of Point Pleasant, and David Cook of Pineville.

Members from other states are Emilie Hood of Ashland, Ky.; Kathee Kittle of Warsaw, Ohio; Betty Jo Miller and Rick Penix, both of Chesapeake, Ohio; Janet Graber of Canton, Ohio; Terry Burns of Proctorville, Ohio; Barbara Edelmann of Gallipolis, Ohio; Ken Johnson of Lucasville, Ohio; Joe MacFarlane of Woodbridge, Va.; Kenneth Dunn of Manassas, Va., and Robert Mesite of Nokesville, Va.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University and the West Virginia Department of Education will sponsor the state's first Regional Social Studies Fair on Friday and Saturday (April 14-15) in Gullickson Hall.

Approximately 300 students from elementary, junior high and high schools in Cabell, Wayne, Mingo and Mercer, who were winners in their county fairs, will set up displays of special projects they have undertaken.

The exhibits will range across the social science disciplines, including anthropology, political science, history, geography, economics and sociology, according to Dr. Mahlon C. Brown, MU professor of social studies.

Some of the projects will be the work of individual students, while others will be group work, Brown said.

On Friday afternoon and early evening, the students will set up their exhibits which will be judged on Saturday. The exhibit area will be open to the public Saturday from 12:30 to 2 p.m. and again from 3 to 4 p.m., with an awards ceremony scheduled to begin at 4 p.m.

"This type of endeavor is beneficial to both students and teachers, but its effects also reach out into the community," Brown said.

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"The fair gives students an additional creative avenue for demonstrating their abilities and makes the textbook lesson more relative to life," he said. "Creativity in teachers is also heightened. The fair provides parents and the general public an opportunity to become involved in the educational process through their encouragement of the students," Brown added.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Results of the election of officers and the Board of Directors of the Marshall University Alumni Association were announced today by Alumni Affairs Director Everett N. Roush.

Ezra A. Midkiff of Huntington will begin his second year as the association's president, Roush said. Other officers are: Gary E. Wilson of Huntington and John B. Henzmann of Point Pleasant, W.Va., vice presidents; Philip E. Cline of Huntington, secretary, and O. Keith Taylor of Ceredo, W.Va., treasurer.

At-large directors are Dr. William V. Bell of South Point, Ohio; Henzmann; Henry G. King of Columbus, Ohio; Charles W. Rist of Catlettsburg, Ky., and Paul R. Skaff Jr. of St. Albans, W.Va. Elected to a one-year term was Robert E. Puthoff of Charlotte, N.C.

Huntington area directors are Dr. Robert P. Alexander, Frank B. Cummings Jr., Michael J. Farrell, Mrs. Suzanne Walton and H. Stephen Winnell, all of Huntington. Huntington resident Nathaniel Ruffin was elected to a one-year term.

One-year terms for the officers and three-year terms for the new board members will begin Saturday, April 22, when they will be introduced at the Alumni Awards Banquet during Alumni Weekend, Roush said.

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Board membership "involves three or four meetings a year to determine the policy and direction of Alumni Association activities," Roush explained. "Board members represent different segments of the alumni through their distribution by age, geographical residence and occupation."

Under the association's revised constitution, 10 of the 30 board members are elected each year. Some board members will serve one-year terms while the old election system is phased out, Roush said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The West Virginia Board of Regents at its April meeting awarded tenure to six Marshall University faculty members and approved promotions in rank for 24, Dr. Noel J. Richards, MU vice president for academic affairs, announced today.

The board's tenure actions become effective with the 1979-80 academic year, while the promotions go into effect with the coming academic year, Richards said.

Receiving tenure were Michael L. Little, biological sciences instructor; Dr. Stuart W. Thomas Jr., assistant professor of psychology; Dr. Dolores W. Jacome, assistant professor of modern languages; Dr. Charles Lloyd, assistant professor of classical studies; Dr. John S. Lancaster, assistant professor of mathematics, and Dr. Mark D. Pankin, assistant professor of mathematics.

The rank of full professor was awarded to Dr. Carole Vickers, home economics; Dr. Robert Dingman, counseling/rehabilitation; Dr. Danny Fulks, curriculum and foundations; Dr. C.A. Kellner, speech; Dr. Jabir Abbas, political science; Dr. Peter K. Fei, English, and Dr. Thomas Manakkil, physics and physical science.

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Promoted to associate professor were Dr. Harold Lewis, curriculum and foundations; Dr. Betty Roberts, health, physical education and recreation; Dr. Frank Riddel, social studies; Dr. Clayton McNearney, bible and religion; Dr. Barbara Brown, English; Dr. Leonard Deutsch, English; Dr. David Duke, history; Dr. James Joy, biological sciences; Dr. E. Bowie Kahle, biological sciences, and Dr. Franklin Binder, biological sciences.

Promoted to assistant professor were Beverly Twitchell, art; Ira Sprotzer, finance and business law; Harry Raczok, biological sciences; Michael Little, biological sciences; Jeanne DeVos, nursing; Sharon Ambrose, nursing, and Mary Ann Rosswurm, nursing.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A veteran historian, educator and lecturer from Ohio State University will give two public addresses in Huntington Friday, April 21.

Dr. Robert H. Bremner, professor of history, will speak at 11 a.m. in Smith Hall Auditorium 154 at Marshall University and at a 7 p.m. banquet at the French Tavern Restaurant.

His appearances as Visiting Lecturer in History for 1978 are co-sponsored by the Department of History at Marshall University and the Twentieth Street Bank.

Dr. Bremner's topic for the morning session, open free to the public, is "The Family: As Resource and Problem in American History." His subject for the dinner will be, "A Social Historian Looks at The Civil War and Reconstruction."

Cost of the banquet is \$7.25 per person, and reservations may be made by telephoning the Department of History at 696-6780, according to Dr. Robert F. Maddox, associate professor of history.

A specialist in social welfare history, Dr. Bremner has written or edited more than 12 books and has published numerous scholarly articles since he earned his Ph.D. in 1943 from Ohio State University.

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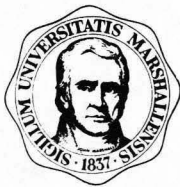
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He is a member of the editorial board of the American Historical Review and of the awards committee of the Eleanor Roosevelt Institute. The former president of the Ohio Academy of History has taught at five universities and has received numerous research grants and awards, including the Senior Fellowship of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

"We are particularly pleased to have an historian of his caliber visit our campus and the Huntington community," Dr. Maddox said. "We think Dr. Bremner's lectures will be of interest not only to students of history but also to the general public, especially considering the growing interest in family history."

In addition to Dr. Bremner's address, two special awards will be given at the banquet sponsored by Phi Alpha Theta, national history honorary. Winners will be named for the Dr. Herman N. Weill essay on history contest and for the Dr. Herschel Heath scholarship. The late Drs. Weill and Heath are former professors of history at Marshall.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A visit by the executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) and a three-day residency by a noted African musician will highlight Black Awareness Week at Marshall University, April 23-29.

"From Awareness to Development" is the week's theme, according to DeWayne Lyles, director of human relations and adviser for the Minority Students Program. Most events will be free and open to the public. Programs will be held in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center unless otherwise stated.

Activities will begin Sunday, April 23, with a gospel sing led by campus and community choirs at 3 p.m. at the Campus Christian Center. The Rev. Mrs. Amy Olatunji, a noted lecturer on African culture, will be guest speaker. At 8 p.m. a fashion fair entitled "A Burst of Spring" will begin in the student center.

The Rev. Mrs. Olatunji will conduct two classes Monday, April 24. The topic at 9 a.m. will be "Nature of Religion," and the topic at 10 a.m. will be "Function of Religion." Both classes will be in Room 445, Harris Hall.

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Benjamin L. Hooks, executive director of the NAACP, will dine informally with selected students, faculty and staff at the Campus Christian Center at 5 p.m. Monday.

Hooks will be the keynote speaker at 8 p.m. Monday in the Multi-Purpose Room. A reception will follow.

Babatunde Olatunji, who is married to the Rev. Mrs. Olatunji, will begin a three-day residency on the Marshall campus by visiting the Barnett Day Care Center and the Action Center at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 25. He leads a company of musicians and dancers who perform authentic African dances.

Dr. Na'im Akbar, professor of psychology at Norfolk (Va.) State College, will present a lecture at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the Multi-Purpose Room. Akbar has been an aide to the Chief Imam Wallace D. Muhammad of the World Community of Islam in the West, who was a speaker during Marshall's Black Awareness Week last year. A reception will follow another address by Akbar at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Artist Olatunji will be featured in the Wednesday and Thursday programs. At 10 a.m. Wednesday and at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, he will demonstrate authentic African instruments and music with dance and drama in the Women's Gymnasium. He will also highlight the influence of African techniques on modern Western dances. Those attending the classes will participate by learning African dance steps.

A cultural and talent show entitled "An Evening With the Afro-American Artist" will begin at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in Smith Hall Auditorium. Marshall University students and area artists will perform. Olatunji and the City-Wide Improvement Council's Community Arts Programs of Charleston also will be featured.

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"Babatunde Olatunji and His Company of African Dancers, Singers and Drummers" will perform at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 27, in Smith Hall Auditorium.

Events on Friday, April 28, include a South African Seminar at 2 p.m. with a film, "The Last Grave at Dimbaza." Dr. Patricia Gunn, coordinator of the legal assistants program in Marshall's Community College, will lead a panel discussion on the conditions in South Africa.

Black Awareness Week activities will conclude Saturday, April 29, with a show and a disco dance. The Black Organizations' "Greek Show," entertaining performances by black sororities and fraternities, begins at 5 p.m.

An Afro-American Disco Dance will be held from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room. Admission will be \$1 for students with Marshall ID cards and \$2 for persons without cards.

Black Awareness Week is sponsored by the Minority Students Program of the Human Relations Center with the assistance of various students, departments and divisions of Marshall University, Lyles said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Hundreds of Marshall University alumni are expected to visit Huntington this weekend (April 21-23) for the 41st annual Alumni Weekend, according to Dr. Everett N. Roush, Alumni Affairs director.

"Horizons" is the theme of the "spring homecoming," Roush said.

The Alumni Banquet at 7 p.m. Saturday at Memorial Student Center will honor recipients of Alumni Awards. Receiving awards will be the Rev. Joseph D. Duffey, Distinguished Alumnus Award; W. Donald Morris, Distinguished Service Award, and Bea Nelson Orr, Alumnus Community Achievement Award. Members of the 1928, 1953 and 1968 classes, who will be celebrating reunions, and newly elected members of the Alumni Association Board of Directors also will be honored.

The weekend will begin with a reception from 8 to 11:30 p.m. Friday at the Huntington Civic Center.

Campus tours will leave from the lobby of Memorial Student Center Saturday from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Dr. Charles H. Moffat, retired Marshall professor of history who is compiling a history of the university, will discuss "Marshall Comes of Age" at 11 a.m. in the Alumni Lounge.

A Green and White football game at Fairfield Stadium and the Marshall University Invitational Track Meet are scheduled Saturday afternoon.

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Golf and tennis outings are planned Sunday. Alumni and friends are asked to contact the Alumni Office at (304) 696-3134 to make reservations for all events.

The Art Gallery off the lobby of Smith Hall will be open for a viewing of the "Aunt Nell Martin Art Collection" and the "Marion Vest Fors Graphic Collection" from noon to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. A reception will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday. The exhibits were donated to the university by alumnus Michael Maroney.

The music and speech departments will present the musical "Man of La Mancha" from April 19 through 23.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Pieces from the Aunt Nell/Marion Vest Fors art collections will be on exhibit in the Student Art Gallery at Marshall University Wednesday through Saturday, April 19-22, as part of Marshall Alumni Weekend activities.

The art works were placed on loan to the Marshall University Foundation, Inc., last fall by Marshall alumnus Michael Maroney.

The exhibit may be viewed from noon to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday. A special reception is scheduled from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday.

Given in the name of Maroney's aunt, Mrs. Nell Maroney Martin of Charleston and Washington, D.C., the Aunt Nell Collection includes paintings, sculptures and drawings, representing a wide range of media. Mrs. Martin was a housemother for two Marshall sororities.

Works by American and European artists are included in the graphics collection named in honor of Mrs. Marion Vest Fors, a prominent Huntington artist and former Marshall art instructor.

Among the various peices on exhibit from the Aunt Nell Collection will be a 16th Century enameled reliquary and oil paintings by the American contemporary artist Robert Maoine.

The graphics collection is composed of etchings, engravings, lithographs and serigraphs, representing a number of well-known impressionist and post-impressionists.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Two musical groups from Marshall University will perform Friday, April 21, on the Huntington Center Plaza as part of the Greater Huntington Music Festival.

The University Singers, directed by Music Department Chairman Wendell Kumlien, will appear at noon. They will be followed at 1 p.m. by the Marshall Jazz Ensemble, directed by J.D. Folsom.

The University Singers are a "pop music" group composed of 19 singers and dancers, accompanied by a seven-member instrumental group. They have performed in Washington, D.C., at The Greenbrier resort in White Sulphur Springs, at the West Virginia Forest Festival and at the Snow Shoe Ski Resort.

The Jazz Ensemble is composed of 20 students and its program includes works popularized by many of the jazz greats. The group has given concerts in five states, Washington, D.C., and has performed at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music Jazz Festival.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Individuals wishing to learn how to drive an automobile will have an opportunity to do so this summer and next fall through the Marshall University Department of Occupational, Adult and Safety Education.

As part of its Traffic Safety and Driver Education course, the department accepts a limited number of non-drivers who then are instructed by the driver education student teachers.

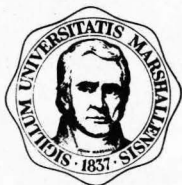
This summer, the course will be conducted Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. in Harris Hall Room 446, along with two hours of driving each week.

The driver training is open to community residents as well as Marshall students, according to Dr. Allan Stern, course instructor. Individuals wishing to learn to drive must register at the university for Safety Education (SED) 385, section 1482 as an audit student. The fee will be \$36.50 and enrollment will be limited to 20 students.

The same course will be offered during the Fall Term, meeting three days a week from noon to 1:45 p.m.

Interested persons may obtain details from Dr. Stern at 696-2381.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Increasing the public's awareness of disabilities and of available services is the aim of "Exceptional Children's Day" at Marshall University, according to Debbi Zimarowski, governor of the West Virginia Student Council for Exceptional Children (SCEC) and a Marshall senior.

Scheduled Thursday, April 20, in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center, the day will include speakers, films, projects and discussions. All sessions are open to the public and no registration is necessary.

Exceptional children include those "who deviate from the educational norm," Ms. Zimarowski explained, including the mentally retarded, the physically handicapped, the emotionally disturbed and the gifted.

Some participants will take part in the learning experience as an "exceptional" person by simulating physical differences, she said.

Events planned are:

9 a.m.--Introduction by Ms. Zimarowski and Cindy Mills, president of the Marshall Chapter of SCEC, followed by a film, "Somebody's Waiting."

10:30 a.m.--Harriet Tucker, Marshall graduate assistant, will discuss the gifted child.

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1 p.m.--Steve Smith will speak about cerebral palsy. He is director of the United Cerebral Palsy Foundation in Charleston.

2 p.m.--A film, "Including Me," will be viewed.

2:30 p.m.--Fred Theierl, a physical therapist at Shawnee Hills Mental Health-Mental Retardation Center at Institute, will discuss infant stimulation.

3:30 p.m.--A representative of the Arthritis Foundation will speak.

5:45 p.m.--Teresa Toney Green will discuss emotionally disturbed children, whom she teaches at Gallaher School.

6:30 p.m.--Dr. M.G. Stemmermann, Huntington pediatric neurologist, will discuss epilepsy.

7:30 p.m.--Special Olympics, athletic competitions for handicapped persons, will be discussed by Jan Brown and Jack DeFazio of the Huntington Special Olympics.

8:30 p.m.--Closing remarks.

Participants may eat lunch at the student center from noon to 12:45 p.m. A brown bag supper at Memorial Student Center plaza with special education faculty members is planned from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Further information is available by calling the Marshall Special Education Department at 696-2340.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University teacher has received a Fellowship in Residence for College Teachers by the National Endowment for the Humanities, according to Dr. Noel J. Richards, MU vice president for academic affairs.

The selection of Dr. Michael J. Galgano, associate professor of history, for a 1978-79 fellowship was announced by Dr. Joseph D. Duffey, chairman of the Humanities Endowment, which is headquartered in Washington, D.C.

A Marshall University faculty member since 1971, Galgano will study at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill with noted 17th Century England historian Stephen Baxter.

During the academic year he will study the social history of women in England and France during the period 1660-1700. "I will be comparing the roles of town and country women in northwest England and northwest France and will examine the social attitudes toward women at that time," Galgano said.

The New Jersey native earned his B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Virginia. He holds a Ph.D. degree from Vanderbilt University.

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A former teaching assistant at the University of Virginia and Vanderbilt, Galgano also taught at Middle Tennessee State University and Ohio State University before coming to Marshall. In addition to his teaching duties at Marshall, he also directs the university's Oral History Project and is a member of the Honors Council.

Galgano is a member of several professional organizations, including the American Historical Association, the Conference on British Studies and the West Virginia Historical Association.

He has contributed articles on women's history and British social history to various journals and other professional publications.

He and his wife, the former Virginia DelGreco, are the parents of three children.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Display booths, skits and a live cow will be part of the Food Day 1978 observance on Saturday, April 22, on Huntington Center Plaza, arranged by groups from Marshall University and the community.

"The observance is essentially a consciousness-raising event, designed to sensitize people to the role of food in our lives--and in the world," according to Dr. Hugh Springer, chairman of the Campus Christian Center Hunger Task Force, the group coordinating the event.

"Eating for the Sake of Ourselves and Others" is the theme for the observance which will feature more than a dozen booths, emphasizing various aspects of food, including balanced diet, nutrition programs for the elderly, hunger in Appalachia, gardening, food preparation, junk food and public food policies.

In addition to the booths, which will be staffed, "Lizzie," the cow, will be at the north end of the plaza as a visual aid, demonstrating the role of meat in our diet.

"The Holy Fools," a drama group from Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church, will present skits and readings concerning hunger and other social issues.

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A scale with a height/weight chart nearby will be set up for persons interested in knowing how close they come to the proper weight for their height.

Marshall will be represented by the School of Medicine's Pediatrics Department, Alpha Tau Omega fraternity, Biological Sciences Department and the Political Science Department.

Other community groups involved in the observance include: various programs of the Southwestern Community Action Organization, Cabell County and Wayne County offices of the West Virginia University Cooperative Extension Service, First Presbyterian Church Hunger Committee, Huntington Christian Associates, Wild Oats Food Co-Op, Seventh Day Adventist Church, Child Nutrition Division of the West Virginia Department of Education, and the First Congregational Church.

Additional information on the day-long program may be obtained by calling the Rev. Ray Woodruff, First Congregational Church minister, at 522-2681 or 525-4357.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Bobby Miller of Huntington, a junior at Marshall University, has been awarded first prize of \$350 in the John W. Teel writing competition.

The awards were presented during a special program Thursday, April 13, in the Hoffman Room of the James E. Morrow Library by Edward Maier, president of the Sarah and Pauline Maier Scholarship Foundation, Inc., of Charleston.

Winners in the sixth annual competition were announced by John W. Teel, assistant professor of English at Marshall, in whose honor the prizes were established by the Maier Foundation.

Following the awards presentation, William J. Maier Jr., chairman of the Maier Foundation board, spoke briefly.

David R. Nunley, Sissonville sophomore, received the second prize of \$100. Receiving \$50 honorable mention awards were: Regenia Lucas, Hamlin freshman; Thomas P. Hughes, Huntington freshman; Phyllis Gill, Culloden freshman, and James C. Green, Milton unclassified student.

This year in addition to honoring outstanding writing in English composition classes, the Teel Prizes were extended to recognize excellence in writing in other disciplines.

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Tom Gibbs, Huntington senior, received a special award of \$100. Other \$50 special awards were presented to C.M. Flynn, Huntington senior; Judy Murray, Huntington graduate; Howard O'Cull, Flemingsburg, Ky., senior; Teresa Jennings, Huntington sophomore, and Keneta Kae Kinney, Ashland, Ky., senior.

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The "pop music" group is composed of 19 singers and dancers, accompanied by seven instrumentalists. Organized by Dr. Kumlien several years ago, it is one of the university's most popular performing groups.

The tour will begin Wednesday, April 26, in Charleston with an 8:30 a.m. performance at George Washington High School. The Singers then will move on to St. Albans High School for 12:30 p.m. and 2:15 p.m. shows.

Thursday, April 27, the Singers will be at Wirt County High School at 9:30 a.m., at Parkersburg Community College at noon and at Parkersburgh High School at 2 p.m.

The tour will end Friday, April 28, with a 9:15 a.m. show at Belpre (Ohio) High School and an afternoon performance at Point Pleasant High School.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University College of Business in cooperation with the Small Business Administration will sponsor a workshop for prospective small business owners on Wednesday, April 26, in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22.

"The workshop is designed to provide information related to the successful management of small businesses," said Patricia M. Shafer, MU management instructor and workshop coordinator.

The sessions will be beneficial to persons considering starting a business as well as to those persons currently running small businesses, Mrs. Shafer said.

Among the topics to be discussed are sources of capital, federal regulations and taxes, state taxes, personal factors, insurance and business record keeping.

Among the speakers for the morning program will be Connie Jane Erwin, owner of Connie Jane's Stout Fashions; Mark Sprouse, assistant to the president, Huntington Trust and Savings Bank; William L. Redd, attorney, and John P. Young, commercial loan officer, First Huntington National Bank.

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Resource people for the afternoon sessions include Scott Fisher, Internal Revenue Service; Jon Snyder, director, Business Tax Division, West Virginia Tax Department; Donna Dingus, MU accounting instructor; James Nelson, librarian, Cabell County Public Library, and Joy Porter, management assistance officer, Small Business Administration.

Registration for the workshop will begin at 9 a.m. and parking will be available adjacent to the Student Center.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the Marshall Management Department at 696-2312.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Karl J. Egnatoff, vice president for administration at Marshall University, has been elected president of the Huntington Chapter of the Administrative Management Society. He will assume office next fall, succeeding Mrs. Carolyn Smith of the Huntington College of Business.

Also selected in the April 18 election were:

Gary L. Holsapple of Burroughs Corp., first vice president; Donald E. Elmore of A.B. Dick Products Co., second vice president; Sandra Irvin of First Huntington National Bank, secretary, and Rose S. Martin of Appalachian Power Co., treasurer.

Egnatoff is the third Marshall official to head the organization in recent years. Dr. Sara E. Anderson, recently appointed dean of the College of Business, was president in 1972-73, and Joseph S. Soto, retired director of plant operations, served in 1970-71.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Benjamin Lawson Hooks, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, (NAACP), will speak Monday, April 24, on the Marshall University campus as part of Black Awareness Week.

Hooks will discuss the week's theme, "From Awareness to Development," at 8 p.m. in Marshall's Memorial Student Center, according to DeWayne Lyles, director of human relations and adviser for the Minority Students Program.

A reception sponsored by the Huntington Chapter of the NAACP will follow Hooks' address.

Hooks has combined careers as a lawyer, businessman and ordained Baptist minister.

After serving in World War II, Hooks attended Lemoyne College at Memphis, Tenn., and Howard University in Washington, D.C. He received his law degree in 1948 from DePaul University's College of Law in Chicago, Ill.

He practiced law in Memphis, where he was born, for 16 years and was assistant public defender from 1961 to 1964. A year later, he was appointed Judge of Division IV of the Criminal Court of Shelby County (Memphis) and resigned after three years to resume his law practice.

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In 1956 he was ordained to preach by the Baptist Church. He later became pastor of the Middle Baptist Church in Memphis and the Greater New Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in Detroit, Mich.

While working in his law practice and in the ministry, Hooks also pursued an active business career. He was co-founder and vice president of the Mutual Federal Savings and Loan Association of Memphis and served on the association's board of directors. He also served on the boards of the Tri-State Bank, Southern Christian Leadership Conference, Tennessee Council on Human Relations and the Memphis and Shelby County Human Relations Committee.

In 1972 Hooks became the first black to be sworn in as a member of the Federal Communications Commission. After serving for five years with the FCC, he assumed the position of executive director of the NAACP.

He has received numerous citations and honors from professional, civic, religious and educational institutions, including honorary doctoral degrees from Wilberforce (Ohio) University; Howard; Central State University, Wilberforce, Ohio; Morehouse College, Atlanta, Ga.; Tuskegee (Ala.) Institute, and DePaul.

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MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES: Benjamin L. Hooks will arrive at Tri-State Airport at 6:13 p.m. Monday. He will be available to meet with the press at 7:40 p.m. Monday in the Special Dining Room near the Multi-Purpose Room.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University speech teacher is one of two state educators chosen as "Outstanding Humanists of West Virginia" by the West Virginia Association for the Humanities.

Catherine Cummings, assistant professor of speech at Marshall, and Nancy Ann Morris, a Wheeling College faculty member, were honored during the Association's recent spring meeting at West Virginia University.

In nominating Ms. Cummings for the award, her colleagues stressed the "sensitivity and the sensibility" of her "relentless effort to bridge the gaps between human beings, gaps caused by such incidental and external things as wealth and poverty, race and culture."

As an actress, a teacher in the public schools, and an educator of teachers at Marshall, Ms. Cummings "has communicated the value of her own truths to all those whom her life has touched: students, friends, theater-lovers, fellow workers," one nominating letter noted.

A member of the Marshall faculty since 1972, Ms. Cummings previously taught at Huntington East and Huntington high schools, where she worked to involve all students, including the poor and the black, not only in the classroom, but also in dramatic presentations.

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Ms. Cummings earned her bachelor's and master's degrees from Marshall and has taken courses toward her doctorate at Ohio University. She also studied acting at the Barter Theater of Virginia and with Lee Strasberg in New York.

Ms. Cummings is the mother of three daughters.

"This is the second year these awards have been given in recognition of outstanding contributions in the Humanities," according to Dr. Joan Adkins, MU professor of English and past president of the Association.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Safety professionals are invited to a free refresher course at Marshall University's Community College to prepare for the certification examination scheduled in May and in late October.

Sessions will be offered from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. each Tuesday through May in the Community College Conference Room, according to George Frisch, a Certified Safety Professional and study leader of the class. Persons may attend one or more session, and no registration is necessary.

The review course is being offered by members of the West Virginia Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers, Frisch said.

To qualify as a Certified Safety Professional, a person must be a graduate of an accredited college or university with a bachelor's degree in physical sciences, engineering or other curricula acceptable to the Board of Certified Safety Professionals of the Americas. He must have at least five years of professional safety experience and successfully pass the six-hour written examination.

In many instances, certification has become a condition of employment in the safety field and in federal and state job specifications. Approximately 4,800 persons throughout the United States and 15 foreign countries are Certified Safety Professionals, Frisch said.

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Presently two examinations are held annually in the United States for certification.

If enough interest is shown, Frisch said another review course may be scheduled this fall.

Frisch is coordinator of the Occupational Safety and Health associate degree program in the Community College.

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ATTENTION: SPORTS EDITORS

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A high school athlete lies in anguish on the sports playing area. He writhes with pain as his hands grasp his twisted ankle. What can you do to help him?

Athletic injuries are part of every sport, and an individual trained in emergency treatment techniques can provide needed services in the absence of a physician.

Recognizing injuries, evaluating critical injuries and administering immediate first aid will be included in a non-credit course offered this summer by Marshall University's Community College, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education for the Community College.

"Athletic Injury Evaluation and Taping Techniques" will be taught by Tim Stanley, assistant athletic trainer at Marshall. The class will emphasize basic wrapping techniques for all major joints, including shoulder, thumb, toe, arch, ankle and elbow.

The class will meet on three consecutive Saturdays, June 10 through 24, from 8 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 5 p.m. in Gullickson Hall's Training Room 3A on the Marshall campus

Cost of the class is \$25. Persons may register and obtain additional information by calling Lawson at (304) 696-3646.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A worship service and a spring fashion show will mark the beginning of Black Awareness Week at Marshall University scheduled today through Saturday (April 23-29), according to DeWayne Lyles, director of human relations and adviser for the Minority Students Program.

Based on the theme "From Awareness to Development," the week's activities will include an appearance by Benjamin Hooks, executive director of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), and a three-day residency by African musician and dancer Babatunde Olatunji.

"Worship in the Black Idium" will open the week at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Campus Christian Center, Lyles said. The Rev. Mrs. Amy Olatunji of New York City, a lecturer on African culture and wife of African musician Babatunde Olatunji, will be guest speaker.

Choirs providing music at the service will include the Marshall University Black Ensemble Choir, the Calvary Baptist Church Youth Choir and the First Baptist Church Youth Ensemble Choir.

Campus minister and coordinator of the service is the Rev. Frank Horton.

The former Amy Bush received an A.B. degree in romance languages from Talladega (Ala.) College. She received her master's degree from Syracuse (N.Y.) University in 1954.

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The Prichard, Ala., native has toured several European countries under the auspices of the YMCA and has traveled extensively in five African countries. She attended the first African Peoples Conference in Accra, Ghana, in 1958.

She and her husband founded the Olatunji Center of African Culture in Harlem. Mrs. Olatunji maintains an active schedule with three children, three homes on two continents and lecture tours.

Mrs. Olatunji also will conduct religious classes Monday in Room 445, Harris Hall. She will discuss "Nature of Religion" at 9 a.m. and "Function of Religion" at 10 a.m.

"A Burst of Spring," a fashion fair, will begin at 8 p.m. Sunday in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center. Marshall students will model clothing from G.H. Wright Co., Lambros & Sons, The Smart Shop, Princess Shop, Toulouse Annette, The Only Shop and Jesse Jeans.

Most events are scheduled in the Multi-Purpose Room and all events will be open to the public.

Also scheduled during the week are:

8 p.m. Monday--Speech by NAACP executive director Hooks.

3:30 and 8 p.m. Tuesday--Lectures by Dr. Na'im Akbar, professor of psychology at Norfolk (Va.) State College and a former aide to Chief Imam Wallace D. Muhammad of the World Community of Islam in the West.

10 a.m. Wednesday and 9:30 a.m. Thursday--Babatunde Olatunji will direct demonstration classes in the Women's Gymnasium.

7:30 p.m. Wednesday--"An Evening With the Afro-American Artist" will feature Olatunji, the City-Wide Improvement Council's Community Arts Programs of Charleston, Marshall students and area artists.

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8 p.m. Thursday--"Babatunde Olatunji and His Company of African Dancers, Singers and Drummers" will perform with authentic African instruments and costumes.

Thursday and Friday--Afro-American art exhibit in the Alumni Lounge.

1 p.m. Friday--Panel discussion and film on South Africa.

5 p.m. Saturday--"Greek Show," entertaining performances by black organizations from Tri-State Region colleges and universities.

9 p.m. Saturday--Afro-American Disco Dance. Admission will be \$1 for persons with valid Marshall ID cards and \$2 for others.

The week is sponsored by the Minority Students Program of the Human Relations Center assisted by student organizations, departments and divisions of Marshall, Lyles said.

Student members of the arrangements committee are: Muneer Mahmood of Harrisburg, Va.; Kenneth Hale of Charleston; Enrique Thurman of Washington, D.C.; Clement Ajayi of Nigeria; Kitty Dooley of Fairmont; Edward Williams of Madison; Richard V. Brown of Weirton; Toni M. Britton of Fayetteville, and Cheryl R. Day of London, W.Va.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Two candidates for Master of Arts degrees in art from Marshall University will exhibit their work in the Student Gallery, located in Smith Hall, this week (April 24-28).

Kenneth Tucker of Huntington and Michelle Priestley of Hamlin will open their show with a reception Monday from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, the Gallery will be open from noon to 4 p.m.

Included among Miss Priestley's prints to be displayed will be etchings illustrating an original children's book. Tucker's work on exhibit will include ceramics and paintings of West Virginia scenes.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Exhibits of student work and a workshop will highlight the annual English Institute, sponsored by Marshall University's English Department, on Friday, April 28, in the Multi-Purpose Room, Memorial Student Center.

Approximately 150 talented and gifted students from Cabell County's four high schools will present programs and exhibits based on their work in special language arts classes.

In addition, Dr. Bruce Ardinger, MU assistant professor of English and director of the department's Writing Program, will conduct a workshop for students and teachers, comparing high school English programs with college English composition courses with an emphasis on Marshall's writing program, placement procedures and grading expectations.

High schools and teachers expected to be represented at the program are: Maggie McCarty, Barboursville; Ruth Thornton, Huntington East; William Smith, Huntington, and Judith Riffe, Milton.

Marshall students and faculty are welcome to attend the Institute which will run from 9:30 a.m. to noon.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Babatunde Olatunji and his company of African musicians and dancers will bring the excitement of Africa to Marshall University during Black Awareness Week, according to DeWayne Lyles, director of human relations and adviser for the Minority Students Program.

A native of Nigeria, Olatunji and his "Master Drums" provide the rhythm for his company, the "African Experience." The dance troupe uses authentic, colorful costumes and members hail from Africa, South America, the Caribbean and the United States.

During a residency Tuesday through Thursday (April 25-27), Olatunji will offer demonstration classes and will visit the Barnett Day Care Center and the Action Center.

"Babatunde Olatunji and His Company of African Dancers, Singers and Drummers" will perform at 8 p.m. Thursday in Smith Hall auditorium.

Also appearing Tuesday in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center as part of Black Awareness Week activities will be Dr. Na'im Akbar, professor of psychology and director of the undergraduate specialty in mental health at Norfolk (Va.) State College. He will discuss "Psychology and the African American" at 3:30 p.m. and "African Awareness for Human Development" at 8 p.m. A reception will follow his 8 p.m. address.

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All events are free and open to the public.

Olatunji's three-day residency will begin with visits to the two Huntington centers at 2 p.m. Tuesday. At 10 a.m. Wednesday and 9:30 a.m. Thursday, Olatunji will demonstrate authentic African instruments and music with dance and drama in the Women's Gymnasium. Classes will highlight the similarities of traditional African dances and modern Western dances.

"An Evening With the Afro-American Artist" will be a cultural and talent show beginning at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in Smith Hall auditorium. Olatunji, the City-Wide Improvement Council's (CIC) Community Arts Programs of Charleston, Marshall University students and area artists will be featured during the performance.

An Afro-American art exhibit in the Alumni Lounge Thursday and Friday will feature Marshall student art.

Olatunji has degrees from Morehouse College in Atlanta, Ga., and New York University. His company, begun during the 1950s, performed at the 1964 New York World's Fair. Using earnings from the Fair, Olatunji and his wife, who will lecture at Marshall Sunday and Monday, established the Center of African Culture in Harlem, N.Y.

The Center offers African language, art, dance, drum and music classes and provides political, social, economic and cultural information about Africa. The Center and the Company are partially supported through grants from the National Endowment for the Arts, the New York State Council on the Arts, and the New York City Department of Cultural Affairs.

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The "apostle of Africulture" and his company produce dancing that "is more than just a lot of drumming, foot-stomping and jumping around," one reviewer wrote. "Every movement is from the soul. The body is used to show feelings in the same way that the tongue is used to express speech."

Formerly Luther B. Weems Jr., Akbar holds B.A. and M.A. degrees in psychology and a Ph.D. in clinical psychology. He has traveled extensively in West and North Africa, Europe, the West Indies and the United States. He has served as an aide to the Chief Imam Wallace C. Muhammad of the World Community of Islam in the West.

The CIC's program, founded in the fall of 1976 to meet the needs of low-income families, offers free cultural arts workshops and lessons. The group recently received great acclaim for its presentation of a Tribute to Black History Week at the Science and Cultural Center in Charleston. The program includes dramatic and poetic readings; modern classical and jazz dancing; a slide presentation of the civil rights movement, and contemporary gospel singing by the Greater Charleston Area Community Choir.

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MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES: Babatunde Olatunji will arrive at Tri-State Airport at 12:23 p.m. Tuesday, April 25.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Symphonic Choir will present a free, public concert Tuesday, May 2, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

Directed by Dr. Paul Balshaw, MU professor of music, the choir will present a varied program of choral music from the baroque to contemporary periods.

A highlight of the choir's final concert of the 1977-78 season will be the performance of "Skelton Poems," five poems by 16th Century British poet John Skelton which have been set to music by the contemporary composer Jean Berger.

The work will feature Rick Woods, Huntington junior and baritone, as soloist and Ed Harkless, Huntington graduate student, as pianist. The choir also will sing two Easter compositions by Richard Dirksen, an American composer and director of music at the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C.

Malana Henderson, Kenova graduate, will be the accompanist for the concert. Samuel Munoff, Huntington graduate, will direct the group for some of the selections.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Black Awareness Week at Marshall University will conclude Friday and Saturday (April 28-29) with an Afro-American Disco Dance, a panel discussion, a "Greek Show" and an art exhibit.

Dr. Patricia Gunn, coordinator of the legal assistants program at Marshall's Community College, will moderate a panel discussion on conditions in South Africa at 1 p.m. Friday. "The Last Grave at Dimbaza," a documentary film smuggled out of South Africa and depicting the apartheid regime there, will be shown.

MU student art will be included in an Afro-American art exhibit Thursday and Friday in the Alumni Lounge.

Saturday's activities include a "Greek Show," entertaining performances by black organizations from colleges and universities in the Tri-State Region. Scheduled to appear at 5 p.m. are groups from Marshall; Ohio University, Athens; Morehead (Ky.) State University; Eastern Kentucky University, Richmond; West Virginia Institute of Technology, Montgomery, and West Virginia State College, Institute.

An Afro-American Disco Dance will be held from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday. Admission will be \$1 for persons with Marshall ID cards and \$2 for persons without cards.

All events are in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center and are open to the public. All activities except the dance are free.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Catherine Bodo Schoew of Huntington, a Marshall University graduate student in music, will present a lecture-recital of six poems, each set to music by both male and female composers, at 8 p.m. Monday, May 1, in Smith Recital Hall.

Entitled "The Masculine and Feminine Encounter in Song," the lecture-recital is partial fulfillment of the requirements for her Master of Arts degree in music. She earned her undergraduate degree cum laude from Marshall.

Mrs. Schoew, a mezzo-soprano, will be accompanied on the piano by her voice teacher, Jane Shepherd, MU professor of music.

The daughter of Virginia L. Rose of Chesapeake, Ohio, and Victor Bodo of Ashland, Ky., Mrs. Schoew has performed with several Marshall groups, including the Symphonic Choir, Collegium Musicum, Opera Workshop and University Singers.

Mrs. Schoew is director of Trinity Episcopal Church Children's Choir and has performed as a soloist with the church's Adult Choir and with the Musical Arts Guild.

The event is free and open to the public.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A native West Virginian who has become one of the major national figures in the civil rights movement will be the speaker at Marshall University's 1978 Commencement.

Leon H. Sullivan, founder of Opportunities Industrialization Centers of America (OIC), will address the Marshall graduating class in ceremonies at Memorial Field House Saturday, May 13, at 11 a.m., Marshall President Robert B. Hayes announced today.

"The Reverend Mr. Sullivan is an outstanding leader and a dynamic speaker," Hayes said. "We have been trying for some time to arrange for him to address a Marshall Commencement audience and we are delighted his schedule will permit him to do so this year."

Sullivan will be awarded the honorary Doctor of Humane Letters from Marshall, Hayes announced.

The Charleston native is pastor of Zion Baptist Church in Philadelphia, one of the nation's largest predominantly-black congregations.

His concern for the economic plight of the people in the North Philadelphia area served by Zion Baptist resulted in activities which have had a national impact. With the motto "We Help Ourselves," he organized the first Opportunities Industrialization Center in Philadelphia in 1964 as a pre-job training program for "non-whites who are handicapped by having to struggle below their potential and are hence economically disabled."

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The program was so successful that OIC has spread to cities throughout the country, including Huntington, to serve economically disadvantaged people of all races.

Born into a broken home in what he has called "a dirt alley" in Charleston in 1922, Sullivan poured his energies into school work, religion and sports. Ordained a Baptist minister at the age of 17, he entered West Virginia State College on an athletic scholarship, but a serious knee injury ended his athletic career. He received his B.A. degree in 1943.

At the suggestion of the late Adam Clayton Powell, member of Congress and pastor of the huge Abyssinia Baptist Church in Harlem, Sullivan moved to New York City where he served as an assistant at Abyssinia Baptist while studying at Union Theological Seminary and Columbia University where he received his Master of Arts in Religion degree in 1947.

He served as pastor of the First Baptist Church in Orange, N.J., for three years before assuming the Philadelphia pastorate in 1950.

Dismayed at the economic situation of young people in the North Philadelphia ghetto, Sullivan approached other black ministers in the city with a strategy for expanding job opportunities for blacks. The result was "a selective patronage campaign"--an economic boycott--of companies deemed unfair in hiring and promotion policies. The boycott hit its stride in 1961, opening up almost overnight an estimated 3,000 new job opportunities to blacks in the Philadelphia area.

The OIC program followed in order to prepare blacks to obtain and hold the jobs which were being opened to them. Sullivan continues to serve as the program's national board chairman.

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Sullivan also served as an adviser to President Kennedy and President Johnson and it was during the Johnson Administration that OIC was approved for support from the federal government.

He also established a successful program in black capitalism, the Zion Investment Associates, Inc. It was launched in 1962 with the participation of 650 members of his congregation.

Sullivan serves on the boards of directors of several major firms and is the first black to serve on the General Motors Corp. board.

As a result of his work, Sullivan has earned many honors. He was selected one of 10 Outstanding Young Men of America by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1955 and received a similar honor from Life Magazine in 1963. His citations include the Edwin T. Dahlberg Peace Award, the William Penn Award, the Philadelphia Bok Award, the Russwurm Award, the Freedom Foundation Award and the Afro-American Achievement Award.

He is married to the former Grace Banks of Philadelphia and they are the parents of three children.

Because of the limited seating in Memorial Field House, admission to the Commencement program will be on a ticket basis, Marshall Registrar Robert H. Eddins said. Graduating students will have first priority for tickets for their families. Remaining tickets will be made available to the public.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Mathematics is more than paper and pencil. Creative mathematical competitions and games will be displayed Friday and Saturday (April 28-29) when Marshall University hosts the fourth annual West Virginia State Mathematics Field Day.

Approximately 600 students from fourth through 12th grades are expected to participate, according to Dr. W. Thurmon Whitley, Marshall associate professor of mathematics. Students were winners in local field days throughout the state.

West Virginia Secretary of State A. James Manchin will preside at the awards ceremony at 4 p.m. Saturday when teams and individuals will be recognized.

"The purpose of the field day is to create more interest in and enjoyment of mathematics," Mrs. Patricia Hambrick, Cabell County remedial math teacher and Region II Math Field Day director, said.

Activities will begin at 6 p.m. Friday with a dinner meeting of the Cabell County Council of Teachers of Mathematics at Memorial Student Center. Guest speaker will be Dr. Lola May, math consultant for public schools of Winnetka, Ill., and author of elementary textbooks and other educational material. Visiting math teachers are invited.

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A Mathematics Quiz Bowl is planned Friday in Smith Music Hall. Dr. Carl Johnson, assistant professor of curriculum and instruction at Marshall, will assist. Grade levels and competition times are: Grades 4-6, 7-7:30 p.m.; grades 7-9, 7:30-8 p.m., and grades 10-12, 8-8:30 p.m. WMUL-TV will broadcast live from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Students will register in Old Main from 8 to 8:45 a.m. Saturday. During the day, students in grades 10-12 will participate in written examinations, short answer questions, team relay questions and team power questions. Students in other grades will participate in written examinations, estimation activities, a "combo" game, mental math and team relay questions.

From 2:45 to 3:45 p.m., two speakers and a film are scheduled for students and teachers to attend. Dr. Whitley will discuss "Mathematicians are Human" in Science Hall Auditorium. Dr. David Cusick, Marshall assistant professor of mathematics, will discuss "Careers in Mathematics and Mathematics in Careers" in Room 134, Harris Hall. A film, "Donald in Math Land," will be shown in Room 154, Smith Hall.

Dr. William Spragens of the University of Louisville, will speak about "Mathematics of the Banjo" in the Science Hall auditorium during half-hour sessions beginning at 10:45 a.m., 12:45 p.m. and 1:20 p.m.

The field day was founded by Jerry Jackson, math supervisor for Braxton County schools and state field day director.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's "Thundering Word" Individual Events (IE) Team ranks fourth in the nation based on its performance in the National Intercollegiate IE Contest.

The tournament, which drew more than 130 schools, was held at Monmouth, N.J., April 20-24.

The win is the highest finish yet in this national championship competition for the team, which was ranked sixth in the nation in 1977 and 1975, according to Maureen Milicia, MU assistant professor of speech and team coach.

"Placing among the top five teams in this intercollegiate forensics competition is the result of long hours of hard work on each team member's part and by Prof. Milicia," said Dr. Dorothy Johnson, MU professor of speech and departmental chairman.

"The team and its coach have focused national attention not only on themselves and this department, but on the whole university community as well. This is an area where Marshall has established a national reputation," Dr. Johnson said.

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In addition to winning the number four spot, the team also brought home its fourth national champion. Connie Day, Chesapeake, Ohio, senior, won first place in after dinner speaking. Miss Day also placed second in the final rounds of informative speaking, fifth in persuasion and second in pentathlon.

Another finalist, Patricia Brown, Lavalette senior, placed third in the informative speaking competition.

During the semi-final rounds Mark Hickman, Lewisburg junior, and Greg Tillman, New Orleans, La., senior, placed seventh in prose and poetry interpretation, respectively.

"Our win was really a team effort," Miss Milicia said. "Team members who competed in the various preliminary rounds compiled a number of points which were important in determining our total score."

Other students who competed in the national tournament were: Linda Bays, Parkersburg freshman; Stewart Glass, Parkersburg sophomore; Janet Graber, Canton, Ohio, sophomore; Robert Lesh Jr., Wheeling junior; Carol Proctor, Sylvester junior; Jennie Sexton, Huntington junior, and Rita Sowards, Huntington junior.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Two Marshall University graduate students in art will exhibit their work this coming week (April 30-May 5) in the Student Art Gallery.

Fonetta Collett and Carl Haught, both of Huntington, will open their show with a reception Sunday from 5 to 7 p.m. During the week, the show may be viewed from noon to 4 p.m. daily.

Ms. Collett will exhibit a number of floral and foliage drawings in soft hues. Haught's work on display will feature abstract prints in metallic and multi-colored inks.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--You can join the sports activity that has made Jimmy Connors and Chris Evert household names--and rich.

"Tennis for Fun," a non-credit class designed to help people learn basic tennis skills, will be offered from May 15-26 by the Community College of Marshall University.

Two class times are available to accomodate various individual schedules, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director of the Community College.

Rod O'Donnell, MU physical education and health instructor, will teach a class Mondays through Fridays from 10 a.m. to noon. An evening class from 5 to 7 p.m. Mondays through Fridays will be taught by Don Williams, head of Marshall's physical education division.

Basic terms such as volley, backhand and lob will be explained and demonstrated.

Participants are asked to bring their own tennis rackets, tennis shoes and one can of tennis balls. They should bring the equipment the first day and meet in Room 123, Gullickson Hall, to register and pay the \$25 fee.

Interested persons are asked to reserve a place in class by calling Lawson at (304) 696-3646 because a limit of 16 players per class has been set, Lawson said.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University junior is one of 10 college students selected nationally to participate in a summer internship program in broadcasting.

John Sadler, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Sadler of Charleston, was chosen by the International Radio and Television Society (IRTS) and International Radio and Television Foundation (IRTF) to spend eight weeks working with network broadcasting personnel in New York City in July and August.

The Marshall broadcasting major will be working Monday through Thursday in network sales and with advertising personnel on Friday mornings, followed by seminar sessions with the other interns on Friday afternoons.

Sadler was one of 26 college students from across the nation who participated in the IRTS Faculty/Industry Seminar and College Conference at Glen Cove, N.Y., in February.

The interns were chosen from those 26 students who were given a month to answer eight questions on topics discussed during the February seminar. The 26 also were asked to write a paper on their place in broadcasting in the year 2000.

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Sadler, a Nitro High School graduate, would like to work in network sales after completing his education at Marshall. He expressed his pleasure at being selected and said:

"This will give me the opportunity to work where I've always wanted to work and to meet the people in the broadcasting business. I'm really looking forward to it."

"John's selection as a summer intern not only is a tribute to his hard work, but also brings honor to the university," said Dr. Dorothy Johnson, MU Speech Department chairman.

The recipient of a Huntington Advertising Club Scholarship, Sadler is employed by WSAZ-TV as a production assistant.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Two Huntington residents have been selected for awards by the Marshall University Department of History, departmental chairman Alan B. Gould announced today.

Louis Peake of 1546 Terrace Drive has been named recipient of the 1978 Heath Scholarship, awarded annually to an outstanding history student at Marshall. Mrs. Faye Crews Lloyd of 5195 West Pea Ridge Road was selected as winner of the 1978 Weill History Essay Contest.

Peake, who completed his work toward a Master of Arts degree in history in 1976, is taking additional graduate courses in history at Marshall. Mrs. Lloyd is a freshman majoring in history. Her winning essay is entitled "The Great Famine and Irish Demography."

Peake is a 1964 graduate of Huntington East High School and earned his A.B. degree from Marshall in 1972. Mrs. Lloyd is a 1952 graduate of Fayetteville High School and entered Marshall last fall.

The awards are named in honor of the late Dr. Herschel Heath, long-time professor of history at Marshall, and the late Dr. Herman N. Weill, who served as dean of the Graduate School and professor of history.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Six Marshall University faculty members have been awarded funds for summer study and research by the National Endowment for the Humanities, Dr. Noel J. Richards, MU vice president for academic affairs, announced today.

They are Dr. Bruce Ardinger, assistant professor of English and writing director; Dr. Paul A. Balshaw, professor of music; Dr. Bradford R. DeVos, associate professor of music; Dr. Dolores W. Jacome, assistant professor of modern languages; Dr. John W. Mead, associate professor of music, and Dr. Stephen Winn, assistant professor of sociology/anthropology.

Mead, who earned his Doctor of Musical Arts degree from the University of Kentucky, received a summer research grant to study logs and journals of 19th Century sailing ships. He will be seeking verse and songs to expand and update a compilation of whaling songs prepared previously by Gale Huntington.

The remaining five faculty members have been awarded fellowships to attend seminars for college teachers for eight weeks this summer.

Ardinger will study "The Functions of Discourse in Science and Literature" at Michigan State University. The seminar will be conducted by Professor Fred E. Carlisle. Ardinger, who joined Marshall's faculty in 1971, earned his Ph.D. degree from Kent State University.

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Balshaw, who holds a Doctor of Musical Arts degree, from the Eastman School of Music, will study "The Oratorio in Germany: 1775-1875" at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill with Dr. Howard Smither. Balshaw has been at Marshall since 1965.

A specialist in music history, DeVos will study "Music in Medieval Life and Culture" with Professor Richard Hoppins at Ohio State University. Joining Marshall's faculty in 1967, DeVos holds a Ph.D. degree from Boston University.

"Borges and the New Fiction in Spanish America" is the seminar topic to be studied by Dr. Jacome at Princeton University with Professor James E. Irby. Dr. Jacome, a faculty member since 1972, received her Ph.D. degree from the University of Kentucky.

The University of California at Los Angeles is where Winn will study "Culture and Politics in Europe During the Period of the Liberal Crisis: 1890-1933" with Dr. Robert Wohl of UCLA's History Department. Winn came to Marshall in 1974 and holds a Ph.D. degree from Washington State University.

"These summer seminars offer an invaluable enrichment experience through which teachers not only are able to increase their knowledge, but also are given the opportunity to study under noted authorities in their fields," the vice president said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University assistant professor of art and his wife will show their work in a New York City gallery this month.

Wall hangings by Michael and Melissa Cornfeld will be on display May 5-31 at Mirage Galleries, Ltd., 132 Greene St., in New York's Soho District.

Twenty pieces will be exhibited with representation equally divided between the two artists, who also own and operate an art shop, My Mother's Warp, in Huntington.

"Most of the pieces are rather large," Cornfeld said, "reflecting our interest in textures. We've done a lot with double weave techniques and twisting and overlapping strips for depth," he explained. "Our work is somewhat sculptural because it is in relief."

Many of the hangings are outgrowths of Cornfeld's 1975-76 sabbatical leave, when he and his wife studied textile and fabric design at the Liverpool Polytechnic in England where they worked at tapestry looms and dobbie (multi-harness) looms.

A Marshall faculty member since 1967, Cornfeld earned his Master of Fine Arts degree from Carnegie Institute of Technology.

The Cornfelds have also exhibited their work in the Huntington Galleries, Marietta (Ohio) Crafts National, Mint Museum in Charlotte, N.C., Helen Winnemore Gallery of Contemporary Crafts, Columbus, Ohio, and elsewhere.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Scholarships, certificates of recognition and plaques have been awarded to Marshall University speech students for their outstanding contributions to the department's various programs.

The awards were presented during the recent Speech Department Annual Awards Program.

Sharing Speech Pathology and Audiology scholastic awards for high academic averages as seniors were Rhea Bowlby, Spencer; Morris Murphy, Milton, and Lizabeth Mayo, Proctorville, Ohio. Also honored for scholastic excellence in this program were these graduate students: Judy Moran, Wheelersburg, Ohio, and Pat Wilcox, Huntington.

Brenda Kingrey, a Hurricane senior, received the Dr. Harrison H. Ferrell Memorial Scholarship, awarded by the Cabell-Wayne Easter Seal Society.

Ten other students received U.S. Office of Education traineeship grants for graduate work in speech pathology and audiology. They include: Kathy Arnold, Mason; Michelle Blackford, Follansbee; Cynthia Fricke, Huntington; Cynthia Gabriel, Cambridge, Mass.; Barbara Johnson, Huntington; Lee Lucas, Pearisburg, Va.; Diana Rice, Radford, Va.; Alice Maxwell, Hurricane; Jane Slifepcevic, Beckley, and Karen Steinbrecher, Huntington.

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Broadcasting sequence students who received scholarships were John Sadler, Charleston junior, and Cheryl Croyle, Vienna freshman, West Virginia Broadcasters Association scholarships, and Karen Downey, Cabin Creek sophomore, the WOWK-TV Scholarship.

Tony Grieco, Virginia Beach, Va., junior, was selected as WGNT Radio management trainee, a new program developed by Stoner Broadcasting to train management personnel. Grieco, as a part-time employee of WGNT Radio, will be assigned various duties designed to familiarize him with all facets of the broadcasting field.

Jay Quesenberry, a Beckley senior, received the Andy Vance Memorial Scholarship Award, given for academic excellence in the broadcasting sequence.

Certificates of Recognition were awarded to the following students for their contributions to WMUL-FM Radio: Paul Manuel, Prestonburg, Ky., sophomore; Jeff Gainer, Clendenin junior; Ms. Downey; Jeff Hunt, Barboursville sophomore; Sammy James, Delaware, Ohio, sophomore; John Jenkins, Huntington senior; Debbie Phillips, Huntington junior, and Al Albarran, Huntington graduate. Albarran, who served as station manager, received a plaque from his student staff.

Also honored during the awards program were Linda Bays of Parkersburg as the outstanding freshman on Marshall's Individual Events Team, and Connie Day of Chesapeake, Ohio, as the outstanding senior.

Don Henson of Parkersburg and Rita Sowards of Huntington were named Outstanding Novice and Varsity Debaters, respectively.

The following students received Certificates of Recognition for their contributions to University Theater: Dorothy Wright of Beckley, Dan Silosky of Grindstone, Pa., and Judith Ditlow of Harrisville, all graduates, and Jane Johnson of Milton, Greg Leaming and Lee Stinnett of Huntington, and Jeff Loudermilk of Lewisburg, all seniors.



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HOMETOWN NEWS

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Twenty-one students have been tapped for membership in Marshall University's Beta Lambda Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa (ODK), Dr. Everett Roush, MU alumni affairs director and faculty secretary for the circle, announced today.

Elected as officers of the national leadership honorary fraternity were Mark Mitchell, West Columbia senior, president; Robert Fenno, Sisterville senior, vice president, and Mary Lopez, Parkersburg junior, secretary-treasurer.

Other members of the circle, which was reactivated this spring at Marshall, are Alan Albarran, graduate, Katina Cummings, senior, Arthur Greathouse, senior, David Lawhon, senior, James Sheridan, graduate, Rita Sowards, junior, and Stephen Williams, senior, all of Huntington;

John Sadler, Charleston junior; Richard Ramell, Cross Lanes senior; Ginger Farmer, St. Albans senior; Marsha Parks, Rainelle senior; Douglas Bunch, Madison graduate; Mark Hickman, Lewisburg senior;

Mitsuko Perry, Wayne senior; Richard Burns, Proctorville, Ohio senior; Leesa McGuire, Gallipolis, Ohio, senior; Cathy Midkiff, Laurel, Md., senior, and Robert Mesite, Nokesville, Va., junior.

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Serving as faculty/staff advisors will be Dr. James Bruce, assistant professor of political science; Dr. William Kearns, associate professor of speech; Dr. E.S. Hanrahan, dean, College of Science, and Mrs. Nancy Hindsley, cultural events coordinator.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University scientists will conduct environmental studies along several hundred miles of the Ohio and Kanawha rivers and their tributaries this summer under a \$23,900 contract with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Dr. E.S. Hanrahan, dean of the College of Science, said the research work will involve collection of 100 river bottom sediment and water samples from 37 different locations along the strams. The samples then will be analyzed in Marshall laboratories to identify polluting substances in the sediment which may be detrimental to the environment.

Hanrahan said the sampling and testing must be done in connection with river dredging activities of the Corps of Engineers to determine if disturbing the river beds will result in damage to the environment.

The research work will involve two Marshall departments: Biological Sciences and Chemistry. Project coordinators are Dr. Donald C. Tarter, professor of biological sciences, and Dr. M.R. Chakrabarty, professor of chemistry.

In addition to providing research opportunities for Marshall faculty members and students, the contract will result in additional equipment acquisitions for Marshall's science departments, Hanrahan said.

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"We have been involved in several environmental research projects in recent years," Hanrahan said, "and we are pleased that the Corps of Engineers contract will permit us to extend our research work in this area. The College of Science at Marshall hopes to become even more deeply involved in environmental studies in the future."

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ms. Helen Breeding, chief of administrative services for the Huntington District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, will serve as chairperson of the Secretarial Studies Advisory Committee at the Community College of Marshall University.

Ms. Breeding was elected to a one-year term as chairperson at a recent advisory committee meeting, according to Dr. Paul D. Hines, vice president and dean of the Community College.

Other committee members are Joseph Eschleman, public relations supervisor for C&P Telephone Co.; Charles J. Kiser, office manager of Huntington Alloys Inc.; Fred Neville, personnel director of First Huntington National Bank, and Ms. Betty McDill, supervisor of administrative systems for Ashland Oil, Inc.

The committee guides and evaluates the two-year Secretarial Studies Program at the Community College, according to Mrs. Shirley Overholt, assistant professor of office administration, who coordinates the program.

The program leads to an Associate in Applied Science degree.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Speech Department is hosting the 105th meeting of the Interstate Oratorical Association today through Saturday (May 4-6) in Memorial Student Center.

This is the first time this contest has been held in West Virginia, according to Maureen Milicia, MU assistant professor of speech. "The Interstate is one of the oldest traditional speaking events," she said.

Approximately 36 students from 18 states will be competing for first and second placings as top college orators. Representing Marshall will be Connie Day, Chesapeake, Ohio, senior.

Registration and a reception for the participants and their coaches will be held today from 6 to 9 p.m. in the student center. Preliminary rounds begin at 9 a.m. on Friday. Semi-final competition is scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday and the championship rounds will start at 1:30 p.m. The awards ceremony will be held at 3 p.m.

The competition rounds and the awards program are open to the public, according to Miss Milicia.

At a dinner Friday evening, MU President Robert B. Hayes and Dr. Dorothy Johnson, Speech Department chairman, will welcome the oratorical contest participants to the campus.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Research Board has awarded 25 faculty members Summer Research Grants of \$1,200 each, Dr. Paul D. Stewart, board chairman and MU Graduate School dean, announced today.

The recipients were honored yesterday (May 3) at the Research Board's annual dinner meeting at Memorial Student Center which featured Dr. Morris L. Norfleet, Morehead (Ky.) State University president, as speaker. His topic was "Faculty Research: Mental Exercise or for Real."

Receiving grants for summer research work were: Dean A. Adkins, assistant professor of biological sciences; Dr. Joan Adkins, professor of English; Dr. Phillip Balsmeier, associate professor of management; Dr. Robert Barnett, assistant professor of health, physical education and recreation; Dr. James Bruce, assistant professor of political science; Dr. Leonard Deutsch, assistant professor of English;

Dr. David Duke, assistant professor of history; Dr. Michael Galgano, associate professor of history; Dr. Robert Gerke, professor of English; Dr. Mary Hight, assistant professor of biological sciences; Dr. Guru Kademani, associate professor of management; Dr. John Larson, associate professor of chemistry; John McKernan, assistant professor of English;

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Dr. Steven Mewaldt, assistant professor of psychology; Dr. John Plott, associate professor of philosophy; Dr. Howard Price, associate professor of chemistry; Dr. Darrell Schmidt, assistant professor of mathematics; Dr. Michael Seidel, assistant professor of biological sciences; Dr. Karen Simpkins, assistant professor of sociology/anthropology;

Dr. Katherine Simpkins, associate professor of curriculum and foundations; Dr. Howard Slaatte, professor of philosophy; Dr. Donna Spindel, assistant professor of history; Dr. Wayne Taylor, associate professor of health, physical education and recreation; Dr. Warren Wooden, associate professor of English, and Dr. David Woodward, professor of history.

Applications for the awards were solicited last fall and selection was made earlier this spring by faculty committees established by the research board.

Also recognized during the dinner were faculty members who had received grants from outside sources during the 1977-78 academic year.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Deryl R. Leaming, director of the School of Journalism at Marshall University, is one of 14 American journalism educators selected to participate in a week-long magazine seminar in New York City beginning May 8.

The seminar is sponsored by the American Society of Magazine Editors. It is the fifth annual educator seminar conducted by the organization.

Participants will meet with senior editorial staff members of several magazines, including: Time, Newsweek, Fortune, People, Life, Ms., Architectural Record, Business Week, Redbook, Glamour, Popular Science and New York.

Leaming, who teaches magazine article writing classes, is a freelance magazine writer and formerly served as a magazine editor.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--More than 1,750 Marshall University students will receive degrees at the university's annual Commencement Saturday, May 13, in Memorial Field House. The ceremonies will begin at 11 a.m.

Registrar Robert H. Eddins said 227 will be graduated with honors.

The exact number of graduates can not be determined until completion of final examinations which are under way now, Eddins noted, and the figure may exceed 1,800.

Charleston native Leon H. Sullivan, pastor of Zion Baptist Church in Philadelphia and a national figure in the civil rights movement, will be the Commencement speaker. He is the founder of Opportunities Industrialization Centers of America, a national program to prepare economically disadvantaged people to obtain and hold jobs.

Because of the limited seating in Memorial Field House, admission to the Commencement program will be on a ticket basis, Eddins said. Graduating students will have first priority for tickets for their families. Remaining tickets will be available to the public at 8 a.m. Thursday, May 11, in the Memorial Student Center ticket office.

Twenty-three students are scheduled to graduate summa cum laude (with highest honors) with grade averages of 3.85 to 4.10. They are:

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Katherine Crockett Anderson, Katina Cummings, Catherine Ann Curtis, Robin Elizabeth Donohoe, Louise Ellen Jenkins, Sharon Ann Peters, Robert D. Rowley and Leslie Allinson Williams, all of HUNTINGTON; Alma Lou Belknap of PARKERSBURG; Karen June Thomas of VIENNA; Judith Wedge Darst of POINT PLEASANT; Rose Anne Powers Goodwin of GALLIPOLIS FERRY;

Gail LeAnn Uhl of SOUTH CHARLESTON; Larry Lee Hatcher of DUNBAR; Maudie Lee Adkins of WAYNE; Bonita Gail Wellman of PRICHARD; Kenneth Byron Grounds of ONA; Michael Douglas Turner of DELBARTON; Diane Rae Hedrick of FAYETTEVILLE; Dean Williams Ballard of PETERSTOWN; Linda Paulette Hanna of FRANKFORD; Stephen Glenn Willis of IRONTON, OHIO, and Gerald Siciliano of OAKHURST, N.J.

Scheduled to graduate magna cum laude with academic averages of 3.6 to 3.84 are:

Peggy Burke Artrip, Elizabeth Jane Davis Ball, Marc Allen Clauson, Janice Eldonna Cox, David Edward Daniel, Philip Baxter Daniel, Jeannette Natalia Davis, Lisa Lenning, Judith Lynn Murray, Richard William Roska, William Charles Rowley IV and Charles David Thompson, all of HUNTINGTON;

Cynthia Ann Allen and Richard Merle Stephens, both of BARBOURSVILLE; Judith Waller Chappell, Darrell William Jordan and Richard Earl Lykins, all of ONA; Jane Ellen Johnson of MILTON; Frank Edward Wellman of FORT GAY; Frederick David Adams and Pamela K. Pack Porter, both of LOGAN; Patricia Ann Perry and Sherry Lynn Webb, both of GILBERT; Joyce Johnson Frasher of HAMLIN; Beulah Drenner Ooten of MYRTLE;

Michael Anthony Arcuri, Frances Cook Luzader, Rebecca Turner Shaffer and Monica Jayne Wilton, all of CHARLESTON; Larry Randall Bowles of SOUTH CHARLESTON; Samuel David Carnes of CLENDENIN; Barbara Ann Combs of ST. ALBANS; Keith Ray Jordan of NITRO; Kim Lee Martin of DUNBAR;

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Alina Margaret Fleites and Rayetta Sue Wilcoxon, both of IRONTON, OHIO; Deborah Ellen Hilton and Larry David Kennedy, both of SOUTH POINT, OHIO; Dolin Ronald Manning, Lizabethe Stephens Mayo and Jeffrey Alan Porter, all of PROCTORVILLE, OHIO; Lowell Thomas Jewell Jr. and Gretchen Ann Wilson, both of POINT PLEASANT; David Lewis Kidd of UNION; Barbara Jo Frye and Rosemary Kettlewell, both of NEW MARTINSVILLE; Pamela Ann Alley of WHEELING; Cathy Joan Billups of BECKLEY;

William Robert Dower of MOUNT HOPE; Jacqueline Ann Shockey of FAYETTEVILLE; Kathleen Windsor Carson of MONTGOMERY; Galen Lane Ellis Jr. of CLAY; Robert Stephen McClung of CLARKSBURG; Sabrina Gayle Midkiff of HEDGESVILLE; Roberta Beckulhimer Smith of HURRICANE; Rhea Ann Bowlby of SPENCER; Warren Martin Harrell of ROCKY MOUNT, N.C.; Rachel Coleman Owens of BROOMALL, PA., and Carl Ray Thompson of WESTMINSTER, MO.

Scheduled to graduate cum laude with academic averages of 3.3 to 3.59 are:

Nancy Jo Ayres, Gina Kaye Baldwin, Philip Andrew Battista, Debra Wellman Carter, Patricia Faye Childers, Sandra Ellifritz Clary, Kevin Lee Clauson, Rose Anne Cyrus, Janice Elaine Earls, Betty McFann Earwood, Sidney Polan Einstein, Nancianne Eschleman, Michael Kevin Ferrell, Teresa Leigh Franklin, Christine Elizabeth Hall, Harriet Katherine Hanrahan, Paul Jordan Harmon, Elizabeth Ann Hay, Cathie Sue Heck, Betty Fay Hunt, Barbara Ann Johnson, Kyle Todd Kievit, Dolores Faye Kilgore, George Carl Lambros Jr., David Eugene Lawhon, Vickie Lynn Miller, Cheryl Ann Mott, Sheree Bertina Neff, Clayton Lyle Parsons, William C. Robinson Jr., Harrison Morton Schramm Jr., Mary Wilson Shields, Robin Starr Shively, Emma Lou Suratt, Beverly Ruth Van Meter, Russell Lee Ward, Stephen Miles Waugh, Ronald Leroy Willey, Stephen Taylor Williams, Kimberly Adams Wilson and Bonnie Kay Zuliani, all of HUNTINGTON;

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Gary Alan Bernard, Ralph Andrew Ray, Polly Anne Thomas Stevens and James Michael Wilson, all of CHARLESTON; Nancy Ann Brabbin, Catherine L. Jones, David Leslie Pauley, Thomas Lowell Veale and Pamela Beth Woolwine, all of SOUTH CHARLESTON; Susan Lynn Clark and Ginger Jo Farmer, both of ST. ALBANS; Jerry Lynn Dove of DUNBAR; Susan Kay Sanders of NITRO; Richard A. Eskins and Barbara Bales Stevens, both of BARBOURSVILLE; Winalee Miller Blackwood of MILTON; Debra Lynn Leslie of WINFIELD;

Denise Michele Drumheller and David Tennyson Kirk, both of SCOTT DEPOT; Marsha Lynn Holsopple and Brenda Lea Kingrey, both of HURRICANE; Pamela Alice Braden of RIPLEY; Valerie Duckworth, Debra Rose Longo and Tonda Kay White, all of RAVENSWOOD; Patricia Suzanne Fowler of POINT PLEASANT; Kathy Sue Arnold and Charles Gregory Gibbs, both of MASON; Thomas Wayne Gibbs of NEW HAVEN; Larry Dean Keefer of LETART; Terri Lynn Miller of REEDY; Paula Dean Taylor of LEON; Deborah Lynn Williams of GLENWOOD; Anita Kay Adkins of EARLING; Kenneth Edward Clegg of LOGAN;

Rebecca Lynn Robinette of McCONNEL; Patricia A. Woods of VAN; Anita Kay Adkins of JUSTICE; Sherry Cline Justice of GILBERT; Jacqueline Steele Kinder of MATEWAN; Linda Kaye Montgomery of RED JACKET; Libby Ann Adkins of BRANCLAND; Carolyn Lou Vance of RANGER; M. Victoria Berry and Marsha Bolton Spangler, both of KENOVA; Faith Lyons Wilks of CEREDO; Priscilla Jean Maynard of DUNLOW; Marsha Lee Webb of FORT GAY; Rhonda Gail Watts of WAYNE; Donna Elizabeth Wiley of PRICHARD;

Margaret Jean Fredericks and Mary Lynne Stout, both of MARIETTA, OHIO; Connie Fike Hopkins and Richard Joseph Wolf, both of PARKERSBURG; Cindie Lou Jones of VIENNA; Julia Decker Weaver of WILLIAMSTOWN; Kenneth Brian Williams of ST. MARYS; Connie Lynn Day of CHESAPEAKE, OHIO; Michael Hunter Albrink of IRONTON, OHIO; Rick Lee Bowman of SOUTH WEBSTER, OHIO; Joel Timothy Morrison of SOUTH POINT, OHIO;

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Richard Matthew Burns and Jaime Leigh Mayo, both of PROCTORVILLE, OHIO; Jana Elizabeth Roberts of COLUMBUS, OHIO; Barbara Ann Sutton of NEW BOSTON, OHIO; Pamela Adkins Brown and Anna Marie Mariotti, both of BLUEFIELD; Richard Lee Campbell Jr. of HINTON; Mary Sue Jacobs of FAYETTEVILLE; Patricia Lynn Sebert of SUMMERSVILLE; Jennifer Sue Wilson of MIAMI, W.VA.; Pandora Marlow Davis of SUTTON;

Heather Elizabeth Hamilton of WELLSBURG; Gail Renee Hess of HEDGESVILLE; Debbie Lefkowitz of ELKINS; Catherine Anne Maxwell, Carla Jean Pepperdine, Jane Elizabeth Reiner and Susan Diane Turner, all of WHEELING; Sallie Elizabeth Price of MOUNDSVILLE; Peggy Jean Hoffman of HUNTINGDON VALLEY, PA.; Cathy Ann Midkiff of LAUREL, MD.; Craig Cooper Snyder of OAKLAND, CALIF.

Associate Degree (two-year) candidates graduating with high honors (3.7 to 4.0 academic average) are:

Winifred C. Harbold of HUNTINGTON; Pamela Ellen Beckett of HURRICANE; Suzanne Chapman of MILTON; Pamela Sue Copley of LAVALETTE, and Louise Ketz of BECKLEY.

Two-year degree graduates with honors (3.3 to 3.69 averages) are:

Lacy Edward Cline, Julia Huffman, Karin Jean Mays, Nicholas P. Mooney and Jennifer Lynne Traylor, all of HUNTINGTON; Catherine Suzanne Crump of POINT PLEASANT; Patricia Reese Ellis and Patricia Adkins Stultz, both of LAVALETTE; Gerald Wilson Harwood of KENOVA; Katrina Joy Sites Hill of CHESAPEAKE, OHIO; Lynda Lou Howard of IRONTON, OHIO; Raetta Kinnard of SPENCER; Melissa Ann Kiser of CAMP SPRINGS, MD.; Cecilia Marie Lynch of PINEVILLE; Carmella Fran Cline Robinson of HOLDEN, and Tammy Ann Webb of FORT GAY.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A free, summer school program for students with learning disabilities will be offered June 15-July 15 by Marshall University's College of Education, in cooperation with the Cabell County school system.

Sessions for elementary and junior high youths will be held at Meadows School, located at 16th Street and Washington Boulevard. Classes tentatively are scheduled to run from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., weekdays, according to Dr. Barbara Guyer, MU assistant professor of curriculum and foundations and learning disabilities program director.

"Each child will have the opportunity to work on a one-to-one basis with a graduate student in Marshall's learning disabilities program," Dr. Guyer said.

Supervising the graduate students will be two Cabell County learning disabilities resource teachers, Mrs. Mary Sullenberger, elementary program, and Ronald Duncan, junior high program.

Registration for the program is under way and closes Friday, May 12. Additional information and application forms may be obtained by calling Dr. Guyer at 696-2340.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Achievement pins will be awarded to 54 Marshall University nursing students during the traditional pinning ceremony Friday, May 12, at 7:30 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

The pin, awarded to students successfully completing the two-year Associate in Science in Nursing degree program, is considered the "visible sign" of their achievement.

Three special awards--Spirit of Nursing, Best Bedside Nursing and Highest Scholastic Achievement in Nursing--will be awarded during the ceremony. Recipients of these awards were selected by their fellow students and the nursing faculty. Honor students also will be recognized.

Paul Collins, associate dean for administrative and student services for the MU medical school, will be master of ceremonies. The invocation and benediction will be given by the Rev. Arthur Ziemann, director of Contact, Inc., of Huntington.

Greetings from the university will be extended by Dr. Noel Richards, vice president for academic affairs. Giovanna Morton, MU associate professor of nursing, will address the graduating class and the student response will be given by Jennifer Lynne Traylor of Huntington.

Alan Whiteside, a Huntington music major, will sing, accompanied by Dr. Robert Wolff, MU professor of music, on organ.

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Nursing Achievement Pin candidates include these Huntington residents: Patricia M. Blalock, Pamela W. Curry, Pamela E. Donohoe, Kathy A. Farley, Kathryn J. Gleason, Joanna C. Gore, Anna L. Holton, Julia J. Huffman, Rosemary L. Kearns, Lori L. King, Jennifer D. Lawrence, Donna S. Lemaster, Ruth R. Miller, Carolyn S. Neal, Charles M. Nicholas Jr., Peggy J. Smith, Patricia A. Stickler, Patricia M. Swain, John S. Tardy, Jennifer L. Traylor, and Paula G. York.

Other pin recipients are: Ruth E. Adkins, Tamara S. Nimmo and Donna K. Racer, Barboursville; Lou S. Banker, Ona; Catherine L. Blackwell, South Charleston; Cheryl W. Blankenship, Oceana; Brenda G. Carey, Delbarton; Beverly W. Cavender, Hurricane; Jo Ellen Chapman and Suzanne Chapman, Milton;

Pamela C. Copley, Patricia R. Ellis, Darlene H. Lakin, and Patricia A. Stultz, Lavalette; Kaluwa K. Craddock and Raetta Kinnard, Spencer; Susan L. Falconer, Jane K. Johnston and Louise Ketz, Beckley; Chiquita C. Followay, Kenova;

Jane A. Gruber, Wheeling; Cecilia M. Lynch, Pineville; Michael T. Maher, Tammie L. Sowards and Cynthia A. Tompkins, Charleston, Oranart Namsupak, Institute; Ann C. Raiguel, Elkview; Carmella C. Robinson, Holden; Tammy A. Webb, Fort Gay; Cathy S. Winnell, St. Albans; Sharon J. Wooddell, Green Bank; Katrina S. Hill, Chesapeake, Ohio, and Melissa A. Kiser, Camp Springs, Md.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Island Creek Coal Co., which has extensive operations in southern West Virginia, has contributed \$17,500 to the Marshall University Foundation, Dr. Bernard Queen, executive director of the foundation, announced today.

The presentation was made by J.E. Katlic, executive vice president-administration of the Lexington-based firm.

Queen said \$15,000 of the gift was earmarked for the Marshall School of Medicine and \$2,500 was earmarked for the Community College developmental fund.

"We are extremely appreciative of the continuing and increasing recognition that Island Creek Coal Co. is giving toward Marshall University and its programs to serve the people of the region," Queen said. "The company made a substantial contribution last year, but it has increased that contribution several times over this year. That is the type of corporate support which will enable Marshall to significantly expand its efforts to meet regional needs."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University teacher is one of 40 educators selected to study in Greece this summer at The American School of Classical Studies.

Dr. Charles O. Lloyd, assistant professor of classical studies, will participate in the American School's summer session, June 17-Aug. 1, in Athens with field trips to archaeological sites throughout Greece.

The program is designed to provide scholars of all ages the opportunity to gain first-hand knowledge of the archaeological sites and to work under experts in the field.

Lloyd, a Huntington native who joined Marshall's faculty in 1972, will be studying with secondary school teachers, college and university teachers as well as graduate and undergraduate students.

The class will study sites representing various periods of Greek civilization, including Pre-Historic, Mycenaean and Classical.

"This summer program will be very helpful in my classroom teaching, which is primarily concerned with the Greek civilization," said Lloyd, who received his Ph.D. degree from Indiana University.

Lloyd also had the opportunities to participate in two National Endowment for the Humanities sponsored seminars: "Greek Values, Greek Society and the Interpretation of Greek Texts" at the University of Chicago or "Rome and the Sea" at the American Academy in Rome.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ann E. Zanzig, director of residence life in the Student Affairs Division at Marshall University, has been promoted to assistant dean for student life. In accepting expanded responsibilities, she also will retain the residence life position.

Announcement of the promotion was made today by Mary-Ann Thomas, associate dean for student life.

In the residence life position, Ms. Zanzig is responsible for selection, training and supervision of residence hall directors, for programs to enrich residence hall life and for supervision of the coordinator of student conduct. Her expanded role will include work in the areas of campus-wide student activities and with various student organizations. She also will supervise a coordinator of student activities and organizations to be appointed this summer, Ms. Thomas said.

"We have been very impressed with the ability Ms. Zanzig has demonstrated since joining the Marshall staff last fall," Ms. Thomas said. "Because she has worked so effectively, we have asked her to assume additional responsibilities in the Student Affairs area."

Ms. Zanzig served as associate dean for student life at St. Norbert College in DePere, Wis., before coming to Marshall. She also has been a

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residence hall director at Marquette University, assistant hall director and student resident assistant at the University of Wisconsin at Stevens Point. She also served as youth director for the YWCA Community Center in Neenah, Wis.

She earned her B.S. degree in psychology from the University of Wisconsin at Stevens Point and her M.S. Ed. degree in education and guidance and counseling from the University of Wisconsin at Oshkosh.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Tennis, golf, fishing techniques, archery, gymnastics, soccer and weight training are among the activities to be offered during Marshall University's Sports-Fitness Camp, July 31-Aug. 25.

Sponsored by the MU Health, Physical Education and Recreation (HPER) Department, the camp is designed to provide quality sports skill instruction and to promote physical fitness.

The coeducational camp is open to youngsters from the ages of eight through 14. The activities will run from 8 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday with midmorning snacks provided. The cost will be \$75; however, discounts will be provided for additional children from the same family.

Dr. Robert Case, HPER departmental chairman will be camp director and conditioning activities director. The camp staff also will include: Dr. Wayne Taylor, associate professor of HPER, as aquatics director and golf and paddleball coordinator; Connie Adkins, HPER graduate assistant, tennis, volleyball and badminton coordinator, and Pam Wilks, physical education teacher at Chesapeake (Ohio) High School, gymnastics and dance coordinator.

Individual, team and water sports will be emphasized as well as physical fitness, according to Case.

The first 100 registrations for the camp will be accepted. Additional information may be obtained by calling Marshall's HPER Department at 696-6490.



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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Perhaps you won't be fortunate enough to acquire world renown in the sport that earned Mark Spitz seven gold medals.

But you still can enjoy swimming by dogpaddling your way to a class offered by the Community College of Marshall University.

Bob Saunders, Marshall swimming coach and assistant professor of health, physical education and recreation, will teach two non-credit classes from May 22 through June 2.

Participants will learn the crawl, elementary backstroke, breast stroke and sidestroke. Ways of entering the water, deep water swimming and survival tactics also will be taught, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education for the Community College.

One class will begin at 10:30 a.m. with the second class beginning at 4:45 p.m.

Each class will meet for one hour daily with registration scheduled the first day of class in Room 123, Gullickson Hall. Swimmers should bring their gear to the first class and pay the \$25 fee.

Because a limit of 16 persons per class has been set, interested swimmers are asked to contact Lawson at 696-3646 to reserve a place in the desired class.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Bill Lang, a student at Parkersburg High School, received the Carl Cummings Memorial Trophy as the top scorer in grades 10 through 12 in the annual West Virginia State Mathematics Field Day.

More than 250 students in grades four through 12 participated in the recent competition, sponsored by the state Department of Education and hosted by Marshall University. Jerry L. Jackson, Braxton County mathematics supervisor, served as coordinator for the event.

Fifteen students in grades 10-12 will represent the state in the Atlantic Region Mathematics League Competition at Rutgers University on June 3.

These students and their high schools are, in addition to Lang: Mike Wilhelm, Bridgeport; Robert Taylor, South Charleston; Joseph L. Jaap, Woodrow Wilson of Beckley; Ranjan Chak, Morgantown; Craig Puffenberger, Moorefield; Dave Parks, John Marshall of Glen Dale; Robert Bourn, Braxton County;

Alex Holland, Parkersburg; Edgar Pope, Barboursville; Tony Chou, Morgantown; Charles Shepherd, Hampshire; Robert Chalmers, Barboursville; Michael Ross, Musselman of Bunker Hill, and Lynn Harshberger, Magnolia of New Martinsville.

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Trophies were also awarded to the top three scores in each level of grades four through nine. The winners and their hometowns are:

--Grade 4: Conte Ciala, Shepherdstown; John Warner, Charleston, and Brad Brautagin, Wheeling.

--Grade 5: Billy Spear, Harpers Ferry; Timothy Lupardus, Pineville, and Alyson Gabbard, Charleston.

--Grade 6: Jeff Breese, South Charleston; Chris Phillips, Charleston, and Steve Audakov, Glendale.

Grade 7: Karen Lavender, South Charleston; Greta Boesel, Parkersburg, and A.J. Shiben, Shepherdstown.

--Grade 8: Brett Gunter, Pineville; Ed Hanway, Fairmont, and John Knisely, Fairmont.

--Grade 9: Anne Hammons, Charleston; Jeffrey Cross, Martinsburg, and Glen Lilley, Parkersburg.

The trophies were awarded by West Virginia Secretary of State A. James Manchin. Dr. Jack Maynard, assistant dean of Marshall's College of Education presented the Cummings Memorial Trophy to Lang.

In addition to the math competition, the participants also had the opportunity to hear brief talks by Dr. William Spragens of the University of Louisville; Dr. David Cusick, MU assistant professor of mathematics, and Dr. Thurman Whitley, MU associate professor of mathematics.

Financial support for the field day was provided by the West Virginia Council of Teachers of Mathematics.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--J. Roger Leep, senior accountant at Huntington Alloys, Inc., has been elected chairman of the advisory committee for the Accounting Program at the Community College of Marshall University, Dr. Paul D. Hines, vice president and dean of the Community College, has announced.

Other committee members for the two-year program are Jeanne Childers, director of accounting at Marshall University; E. Blaine Eddy, accounting systems analyst for Ashland Oil, Inc.; William T. Tracy, a Huntington Certified Public Accountant, and Donald Waybright, a group manager for the Internal Revenue Service.

The advisory committee is responsible for evaluating program development and content, according to Mrs. Mack J. Jarrell, coordinator of the program which leads to an Associate in Applied Science degree.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Elmer H. Adkins Jr., a Marshall University associate professor of criminal justice, is scheduled to retire this month, but that's nothing new for him.

In 1974 Adkins retired from the U.S. Department of State, where for the past 12 years he had been deputy director and public safety officer of the International Police Academy. Within a week, he accepted the Marshall post.

Adkins' 1978 retirement isn't going to be much different than that previous one. After several weeks of travel in Europe this summer, he'll be back part-time this fall to teach a course in Industrial Safety Management. The spring semester will find him teaching Criminal Investigation.

Adkins also will be education director for National Travel Agency of Charleston, the second largest travel agency in the state.

Adkins, Virginia R. Creighton, assistant professor of home economics, who retired last summer, and Don Morris, Memorial Student Center manager, who also retires this month, will be honored by the university at a luncheon Saturday (May 13) following Commencement.

During his four years at Marshall, Adkins developed a summer program for students, involving the study of the Swedish criminal justice

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program. Now in its second year, the Comparative Criminal Justice Program provides insight into how other nations cope with crime and crime control during four-weeks of study in Stockholm.

When Adkins joined the faculty, he brought nearly 40 years of law enforcement experience to what was then a newly-developing Criminal Justice Department.

A North Carolinian by birth, Adkins grew up in Tennessee and Florida and earned his law degree from the University of Miami (Fla.).

A former FBI agent, Adkins has been security director for large corporations in the United States and South America and served as an advisor/instructor of police and police agencies throughout the world.

Fluent in Spanish, French and Portuguese, he has been assigned to posts in Venezuela, Brazil, the Dominican Republic, the Congo, and Vietnam.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Kenova woman who spent much of her life working with students in the classroom has arranged to continue helping young people after her death.

Miss Edna Marie Blair, who died March 9, 1976, in a Huntington nursing home at the age of 83, left \$38,000 to Marshall University to provide scholarships for West Virginians, the university announced today.

Dr. Bernard Queen, director of development, said he had been advised by the attorney for Miss Blair's estate that two pieces of property she owned in Kenova have been sold and the proceeds are being turned over to the university as specified in her will. The funds are to be used to establish the J.W. and Emma Blair Memorial Scholarship Fund in honor of Miss Blair's parents.

Queen said the \$38,000 will be invested through the Marshall Foundation and annual proceeds will provide perpetual scholarships.

"Miss Blair enriched the lives of thousands of students during her long teaching career," Queen said. "The scholarship fund established by her bequest means that she will serve many additional generations of students, long after her death. This is the type of devotion to young people which marks the genuinely dedicated classroom teacher."

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Born Aug. 23, 1892, in New Martinsville, Miss Blair lived most of her life at 1531 Chestnut St., Kenova. She entered the Normal School of Marshall College from Ceredo-Kenova High School in 1913 and received her diploma in 1914. She later earned her bachelor's degree at Ohio State University and her master's degree from Columbia University. She took additional courses at Marshall as late as 1950, university records indicate.

Miss Blair began her teaching career in Logan County in 1914, moving to Wayne County in 1916 where she taught at Kenova Elementary School. She later taught at Ceredo-Kenova High School and Buffalo High School. She also taught in Akron, Ohio, for several years.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--More than \$15,000 has been contributed to the Marshall University Foundation for the Rowland Burns Medical Education Fund, established in memory of the prominent Huntington physician who died April 28.

Dr. Bernard Queen, executive director of the foundation, said the \$15,000 figure had been exceeded within 12 days of Dr. Burns' death and "we are still receiving checks every day."

Terming the response "remarkable," Queen added, "It is a significant indication of the great esteem in which Dr. Burns was held by his patients, his colleagues and the total community."

The special medical education fund, to be administered through the Marshall foundation, will be used in part to conduct seminars and workshops in critical care medicine for physicians and nurses. The activities will be arranged through the Marshall School of Medicine.

Dr. Burns, a specialist in heart and lung diseases and general medicine, had a special interest in developing intensive care units at Cabell Huntington and St. Mary's hospitals, according to Dr. Robert J. Marshall, an associate of Dr. Burns in the Huntington Internal Medicine Group.

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"His continual efforts were to upgrade the standards of medical care and increase the sophistication of medical practice in the community through intensive and cardiac care units," Marshall said.

Dr. Burns was active in the development of the Marshall School of Medicine and served as chairman of its Medical Education Advisory Committee.

Queen said the foundation will invest the gifts, which will then provide funds annually to finance the critical care medicine workshops and seminars, as well as other activities related to medical education.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--High school journalists and their advisers will team up with a group of professional journalists June 11-15 and publish a newspaper and a yearbook at the four-day Marshall University Publications Summer Workshop.

Student editors, writers and photographers will get on-the-job experience as they produce a newspaper, a yearbook and learn photography techniques for both publications.

"The aim of the workshop is to assist students in producing quality high school publications," said Dr. Deryl Leaming, director of the School of Journalism.

A group of professional journalism educators from the Marshall University School of Journalism will instruct the students.

A published authority on yearbook publication, Dr. Leaming will direct the workshop.

Henry Schulte is the Gannett Distinguished Professor of Journalism at Marshall. He is a former editor of the Chicago Daily News, the Savannah Morning News and Facts on File.

Journalism professor George Arnold brings eight years of newspaper experience and 13 years of educational experience to the summer workshop.

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Professor Ralph Turner, formerly assistant editor of Journalism Quarterly and a former staff member of the Charleston Gazette, the Huntington Herald Dispatch and the Huntington Advertiser, will also be an instructor at the workshop.

Instructor of photography, Rebecca Johnson will be on hand to instruct the photography sessions.

While students are learning about copywriting, editing, layout, design and darkroom techniques, the faculty advisers will be working in sessions of their own, discussing special problems of advisers.

"We are anticipating full enrollment and we feel students will gain tremendously from their experience," Leaming said.

Students from out of town will live in modern air-conditioned dormitories. Three meals will be served each day and in the evenings special entertainment is planned.

Total cost of the workshop, lasting four days and four nights, is \$70 for students who live on campus. The fee is \$80 for students who want a private room. Students who live in the Tri-State area and won't be living in the dorm will pay \$40 workshop fee.

To reserve a place at the workshop students and advisers must send a \$25 deposit to: Summer Publications Workshop, School of Journalism, Marshall University, Huntington, W.Va. 25701 by Wednesday, May 17.

For an additional fee students and their advisers may earn college credit for their workshop experience. High school students can earn up to two hours of undergraduate credit in journalism. Faculty advisers can earn three hours of graduate credit.

Questions about the workshop can be answered by calling 304 696-2360 at the School of Journalism, Marshall University.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Eight new faculty members will join the Marshall University School of Medicine this spring, Dr. Robert W. Coon, dean of the school, announced today.

These additions bring the school's teaching staff total to 41, Coon said, adding that several of the new staff members will share appointments with the Huntington Veterans Administration Hospital.

"When the school's faculty recruitment program is completed, we will have the equivalent of approximately 60 full-time faculty members, although the total number will be higher due to the sharing arrangement with the VA Hospital," Coon explained.

"In addition, we have a number of physicians from the area's medical community who have received clinical faculty appointments and who have volunteered to share their expertise by serving as medical educators on a part-time basis," he added.

Recent faculty additions include:

--Dr. Alexander Nies, professor of psychiatry, who also will be staff psychiatrist for the VA Hospital's Mental Health Clinic.

--Dr. James A. Coil, associate professor of surgery.

--Dr. John A. Hunt, associate professor of surgery, who also will be a staff surgeon at the VA Hospital.

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--Dr. M. Paul Millet, associate professor of anatomy.

--Dr. Cynthia E. Battiste, assistant professor of pediatrics.

--Dr. Kenneth S. Scher, assistant professor of surgery.

--Dr. Roger F. Leonard, assistant professor of pharmacology, who also will be a staff clinical pharmacologist at the VA Hospital.

--Dr. William M. Schmitt, assistant professor of family practice.

Other appointments are expected to be announced later, the dean said.

A former faculty member at Dartmouth Medical School, Nies has been an associate professor of psychiatry and pharmacology at the University of Vermont College of Medicine. He earned his M.D. degree from McGill University in Montreal, Canada.

A graduate of Western Reserve University's medical school, Coil has been assistant professor of surgery at the University of Vermont with surgical staff appointments at the Medical Center Hospitals in Burlington and the Fanny Allen Hospital in Winooski.

Hunt currently is principal surgeon at South Africa's Baragwanath Hospital, where he has held various surgical posts since 1964. He earned his medical degree from Witwatersrand University in South Africa.

Millet earned his Ph.D. degree in anatomy from the Louisiana State University Medical Center Graduate School. He has been an assistant professor in the Anatomical Sciences Department of the University of Oklahoma's Health Sciences Center.

Currently completing a pediatric cardiology fellowship at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., Dr. Battiste earned her medical degree from Northwestern University Medical School.

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A lieutenant commander in the U.S. Naval Reserve, Scher is staff surgeon at the Naval Regional Center in Philadelphia. He received his M.D. degree from the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine.

Leonard, a medical graduate of the University of Virginia, is completing a fellowship in clinical pharmacology at the University of Vermont, where he also is a physical therapy instructor. He is emergency room staff physician at Northeastern Vermont Regional Hospital at St. Johnsbury.

Schmitt has been consultant to rural health centers for the North Carolina Department of Human Resources and will assist in the MU medical school's Model Family Practice Center. He holds the M.D. degree from Loyola University.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ken Tucker's paint smock is dotted with an array of colorful specks--maybe 395 of them, which would equal the phenomenal number of credit hours he has earned at Marshall University.

There's no easy way of determining if that is a Marshall record, but university officials believe it may be.

Tucker thinks it's amusing that he has more than three times as many hours as required for a bachelor's degree, but he admits the situation that brought on his classroom Odyssey wasn't funny at all.

"I wouldn't go through that again for anyone or anything," he said in a recent interview.

Wire-rim glasses frame his eyes, which sparkle with humor. Those same eyes have viewed the depths of depression and Tucker talks freely about the trauma of mental illness which shattered his life--and about his long climb back.

Tucker, who will turn 50 on June 2, first enrolled at Marshall in 1947 after graduating from Williamson High School in his hometown. He received his undergraduate degree in business in 1950 and spent 1951 getting certified to teach business courses. He then earned his master's degree in counseling and guidance from Marshall in 1952 but "I never taught a day or counseled an hour," he related.

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Instead, he started an insurance business in Charleston. He was married and became the father of four sons.

But the rigors of selling and his "pleasure seeking" contributed to a breakdown in 1966. "I ran myself down physically and then mentally," Tucker said, his expression intent. "I just wore myself out."

He sold his business and entered a psychiatric hospital the next year. He was aided through therapy programs with the West Virginia Department of Mental Health and with the State Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, a federally-funded program.

"Almost all of 1967 and 1968, I was in and out of different psychiatric hospitals for a total of about nine months," Tucker explained. In 1969, then divorced, he moved to Huntington.

"I laid around for almost a year doing nothing," Tucker recounted. "The doctors thought that was bad for my therapy and wanted me on a schedule instead of sleeping all day and staying up all night. So I started 'just taking classes' in 1970."

"Most people just shake their heads in amazement" when they find out how many credit hours Tucker has accumulated.

"But I had the opportunity of coming back for eight years after a master's so you're bound to accumulate hours," Tucker emphasized, conceding he was "lucky." "There are so many people who are envious of my opportunity. They'd love to chuck the job, get the children raised, and just go back to school and take classes. But they just can't do it."

Tucker took the first art class in his life in 1974 at Marshall, and entered the master's program in 1975.

The self-proclaimed "Marshall retread" credits the Marshall Art Department, particularly its chairman, Mrs. June Kilgore, with his continued enjoyment of art because instructors recognized his unusual situation and unusual artistic style.

"It's a credit to Mrs. Kilgore that her knowledge and vision are broad enough to accept the primitive-type painter in a professional-type program," he said. He describes the primitive painter as one who is naive, uninformed, self-taught and self-trained.

Another university probably would not have offered "the opportunity to develop all my own style, my own subject matter," he claims.

His graduate art exhibit attracted a wide cross-section of the campus and was evidence of his art instructors' contention that he came to his own style earlier than most artists.

Representing two years of studio labor, his works concentrate on his home state. They include a painting of Williamson and its attractions and a humorous painting of "My Huntington," which highlights the many places and activities that have made West Virginia's largest city one of several "homes" for Tucker.

With his ceramics and paintings, Tucker attempts to carry out his art philosophy of "I'd rather be different than good. I'd rather do something that's interesting and entertaining." His success with his aim of universal appeal can be witnessed through the smiling faces and laughing comments of viewers of the exhibit. As one viewer remarked, "I don't know if it's good but I like it."

The student claims he's "not trying to copy anybody--obviously," adding he hopes to have some small exhibits around the state.

Hours and hours of concentrating on a canvas or a kiln haven't been tedious for Tucker. "It's been an awful lot of fun; it really has. If it hadn't been fun, I couldn't have done it. I couldn't work that hard for it--no way!"

Financial problems haven't kept him down, either. A disability insurance policy has provided monthly income for 11 years. When his

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period of financial assistance from Vocational Rehabilitation expired, Tucker obtained a graduate assistantship through Mrs. Kilgore. When that ran out, he obtained a work-study arrangement and was paid for assisting in the Art Department. "There are all kinds of ways to stay in school," he said. "I've been around the horn."

Tucker's renewed life doesn't entirely center on the Art Department. He's "very much into Marshall sports" and attends events frequently. "Most of my social life is geared toward Charleston," where most of his older friends and family are. He also is active in Shriners and attends national and regional conventions.

The fun-loving man is open when discussing his past, particularly his illness, and he has his objectives. "It might help someone out there who is currently mentally ill and thinks there's no hope at all," Tucker said, pausing a moment to reflect on his own trauma and recovery. "There is hope."

Tucker is scheduled to take his comprehensive examinations for his master's degree next fall. After that, he says, "It's time to get out and make a contribution to society if I can."

He has secured a sales position with a company that markets building materials and will visit his past "homes," including Williamson, Charleston, Logan and Parkersburg.

But he won't forsake his "home" at Marshall, he says. He has registered for a painting class this fall. "After all, I have another goal to shoot for--400 hours!"

And, another thing: "I have degrees from Marshall College. I'd like one from Marshall University."



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Fifty students from senior and junior high schools in West Virginia, southeastern Ohio and eastern Kentucky will compete for \$600 in prizes Saturday, May 20, at the second annual Marshall University Mathematics Competition.

The students were selected to participate on the basis of their scores on the High School Mathematics Test given by the Mathematical Association of America. Also invited were the top 10 students in the West Virginia Mathematics Field Day competition.

The Marshall competition is designed to stimulate an interest in mathematics and to recognize excellence, according to Dr. W. Thurmon Whitley, MU associate professor of mathematics, who is coordinating the event.

Students will be tested on their skills in the areas of mathematical creativity, insight and expression, Whitley said.

The student with the highest score in Saturday's competition will receive \$250 and a trophy will be awarded to his or her school. The second and third place winners will receive \$150 and \$75, respectively. Awards of \$50 each will go to the fourth and fifth highest scorers, while the next five will receive \$25 each.

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Students from the following West Virginia high schools are expected to participate:

Barboursville, Bluefield, Braxton County at Sutton, Bridgeport, Doddridge at West Union, East Bank, East Fairmont, Fairmont Senior, George Washington of Charleston, Greenbrier East at Lewisburg, John Marshall at Glen Dale, Morgantown, Parkersburg, Point Pleasant, St. Albans, St. Francis of Morgantown, Linsly Military Institute at Wheeling, Sissonville at Charleston, South Charleston and Valley at Smithers.

Other high schools expected to be represented include: Athens at the Plains, Ohio, Fort Frye at Beverly, Ohio, Marietta (Ohio) Senior, Paul Blazer of Ashland, Ky., and Boyd County at Cannonsburg, Ky.

Dormitory housing will be provided the students on Friday evening. The students will be the university's guests at breakfast before the competition and at lunch afterward.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A former Logan physician, now with the Marshall University School of Medicine, has been honored by the Family Practice Department of Weirton General Hospital.

Dr. Ray M. Kessel, chairman of the MU medical school's Family Practice Department, was recognized for his contributions to family practice medicine and his work in community affairs, according to Dr. Richard Flood, Weirton physician.

Dr. Myer Bogarad, past president of the West Virginia Academy of Family Physicians, presented Kessel with a plaque Wednesday, May 18, at the Family Practice Recognition Dinner, an annual event sponsored by the Weirton hospital's family physicians.

American Medical Association President John Budd of Cleveland, Ohio, was the dinner speaker.

A Charleston native, Kessel was a family practitioner in Logan from 1956 until he joined the Marshall medical school faculty in 1976. A former president of the West Virginia Academy of Family Physicians, he earned his M.D. degree from Jefferson Medical College.

In Logan, Kessel served on several boards of directors, including the United Methodist Church, American Red Cross and Boy Scouts of America. He received the Silver Beaver Award for his work with the Scouting program.

He and his wife, the former Jean Woodruff, are the parents of four children.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Thirty West Virginia elementary and secondary educators will spend three weeks this summer at Marshall University studying politics.

The Robert A. Taft Institute of Government and Marshall's Political Science Department will co-sponsor a Seminar in Practical Politics from June 12 to June 30 with nearly two dozen national, state and county political figures and observers as speakers.

This will be the 10th annual practical politics seminar conducted for West Virginia secondary school teachers, elementary school teachers, librarians and administrators, according to Dr. Troy M. Stewart, MU assistant professor of political science, seminar coordinator.

Professor William R. Ross of the West Virginia University political science faculty will serve as seminar director. Ross also will lecture and lead discussions on American governmental and political processes.

Selected as 1978 Taft Fellows were: Rebadena G. Carman, James E. Case Jr., Carolyn Jean McClelland and Louise Ward Rash, all of Huntington; Iris Mae Crockett and Glenna Fay Lucas, both of Wayne; Sammy D. Walton, Harts; Karen Ann Moore, Williamson, Brenda E. Durcil, Barrackville; Betty Jo Bias, Logan; Shirley E. Mills, Sophia;

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Stella Ray Bartram, Beckley; James H. Hairston Sr., Welch; Marian Alice Alston, Chesapeake; Ronald Meredith, St. Albans; Debra H. Sinclair, South Charleston; William C. Hazlebeck III and Samuel W. Yates, both of Lewisburg; Dennis W. Carpenter, Spencer; Donald M. Dolan, Shinnston; Judith Anne Gray, Martinsburg; Michael A. Hicks, Elk Garden;

Dean Paul Leach and Gary Edward Prater, both of Parkersburg; Gary Ray Morgan, Worthington; Geary R. Rollins, Clarksburg; James B. Romeo, Bridgeport; Dennie C. Rose, Coal Mountain; Austin R. Upton Jr., Grafton, and Ethel C. Sisk, Mullens.

The seminar will include 14 days of meetings and a trip to the State Capitol in Charleston. The guest lecturers, who will be announced soon, will include both elected and appointed government officials, spokesmen for both parties, and others. The seminar is bi-partisan.

The seminar at Marshall is one of 36 being hosted by schools in 30 states this summer, according to Marilyn Chelstrom, executive director of the Taft Institute.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University offices will be closed Monday, May 29, in observance of Memorial Day. Offices will reopen Tuesday, May 30, at 8 a.m.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Johnny has a big problem. He can't read. Because he can't read, he can't pass his history course or his math class.

As a result, his school may retain him in the same grade for another year. Or, if he lives in Chicago, he may be placed in a massive, costly summer reading program.

In either event, he's probably going to remain a "retarded reader," according to the director of Marshall University's Reading Center.

But Johnny can be taught to read, Dr. Taylor E. Turner believes. He can be taught to read with the help and concern of his school, his community and his parents. After all, they may be the culprits in his situation.

He can be taught to read if he is treated as an individual member of society, not as just another face in a classroom of 30 students.

That doesn't mean the strict one-to-one relationship with the teacher, Turner said. Small groups are effective because "children can learn a lot from each other."

Johnny should be tested regularly beginning with kindergarten to determine his achievement level, Turner, past-president of the West Virginia State Reading Council, said. "Teachers must pass on pertinent information to each other to aid in assessing Johnny.

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"Reading and learning to read must not be restricted to a few minutes per day" such as in a reading class, he said.

The content teacher who teaches history or math should emphasize vocabulary exercises, study skills and different levels of comprehension to aid students, Turner said.

College students entering the teaching field are required to have courses in teaching reading to be certified in many states.

In addition, teachers must not rely so heavily on the course's adopted textbook, Turner said, but must use a variety of available materials.

But what about Johnny's parents and other adults in the community? They "must realize and appreciate the fact that each child is different," Turner said. Besides having different physical features, students have different levels of academic potential, maturational development, interests and readiness for further learning.

The community also can form advisory councils to provide "give and take" among parents, citizens and school officials. Johnny's parents should understand the school's grading system and its meaning, should understand and accept Johnny's intellectual ability, and should be aware of the eventual level of Johnny's academic performance.

To illustrate the importance of community involvement, Turner pointed to an expensive summer reading program in Chicago. Chicago's program "will likely have very little positive effect on those students already turned against reading as a result of so many years of frustration and failure," Turner predicted. "Neither is it likely to reduce the percentage of future students who become retarded readers."

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As director of Marshall's Reading Center, Turner observes and instructs hundreds of students each year. "Reading difficulty has no social barriers or limitations," he said. "In almost all cases, reading difficulties can be eliminated."

"Look at yourself," he advises educators and citizens. "Then look to a united community-school endeavor that can appreciatively improve reading instruction and reading achievement. We must look toward preventive measures."

The Marshall Reading Center offers diagnostic and instructional programs to help students from area schools. After testing students, the center staff relates the results to parents and recommends a course of action.

Turner, who joined the Marshall faculty in 1968, having previously received his master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Virginia, also is a consultant for reading for the West Virginia Department of Education and conducts numerous staff development seminars.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. David K. Heydinger of Lexington, Ky., president of Appalachian Regional Hospitals, Inc. (ARH), has been named associate dean for academic and clinical affairs and chairman of the Community Medicine Department at Marshall University's School of Medicine.

"As associate dean, Dr. Heydinger will be responsible for coordinating the school's medical education program both in the classroom and in the hospitals," said Dr. Robert W. Coon, dean of the school, who announced the appointment.

"Dr. Heydinger's responsibility as Community Medicine departmental chairman is to develop programs oriented to the economic and sociological aspects of health care," the dean added.

Heydinger, who joins the faculty in mid-June, announced earlier this year his intention to step down after four years as head of the ARH system which operates 10 hospitals in West Virginia, Kentucky and Virginia.

A former associate professor of clinical anatomy at Ohio State University's College of Medicine, Heydinger is a clinical professor of surgery at OSU and is a professor of clinical surgery at the University of Kentucky.

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Before joining the ARH system in 1970, Heydinger was director of medical research, chief of general surgery and surgery residency program director at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus, Ohio.

A cum laude graduate of Maryville (Tenn.) College, Heydinger earned his M.D. degree from Western Reserve University School of Medicine. He interned at Gorgas Hospital in the Panama Canal Zone and took his surgical residency at White Cross and Ohio State University hospitals in Columbus.

He is a member of several professional organizations, including the American Medical Association, the American College of Surgeons and the American Hospital Association (AHA).

He is a member and chairman-elect of the AHA Governing Council's Assembly of Ambulatory and Home Care Services and serves on the AHA Advisory Panel on Multi-Hospital Systems/Shared Services.

"Dr. Heydinger is a very able administrator whose experience with regional health care delivery will be a valuable asset to the medical school's primary care program," Dr. Coon noted.

Heydinger and his wife, Lorna, are the parents of five children.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The National Teacher Examinations (NTE) will be given at Marshall University on July 15.

Scores from the examinations are used by states for certification of teachers, by school systems for selection and identification of leadership qualities, and by colleges as part of their graduation requirements.

According to Educational Testing Service, which prepares and administers the tests, the teacher exams are designed to measure knowledge gained from professional and general education and in 21 subject-matter fields.

Bulletins describing registration procedures and containing registration forms may be obtained from Dr. Jack Maynard, assistant dean, College of Education, Jenkins Hall 211, or directly from the National Teacher Examinations, Educational Testing Service, Box 911, Princeton, N.J. 08541. The deadline for regular registration is June 22. On-the-spot registration is not permitted.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--International students who are applying for admission to Marshall University for summer school are required to take the Michigan Test Tuesday, June 6, according to Robert L. Lawson, administrative assistant of the Community College at Marshall.

The test will be administered at 1 p.m. in Room 139 of the Community College, Lawson said. No registration is necessary.

Consisting of three parts, the test is designed to be completed in 2½ hours. The sections include English language proficiency, listening comprehension and an evaluation of the student's writing ability.

Students may receive additional information by contacting Lawson at (304) 696-3645.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--William Lang, a Parkersburg High School student, was first place winner in the second annual Marshall University Mathematics Competition, according to Dr. W. Thurman Whitley, MU associate professor of mathematics and competition director.

The competition, sponsored by Marshall's Mathematics Department, was held at the university Saturday, May 20, and drew more than 30 high school students from West Virginia, Kentucky and Ohio.

Lang, as high scorer in the competition, received \$250 and his school was awarded a trophy. Whitley presented the prize money and a trophy at PHS on Thursday, May 25.

Winning the second prize of \$150 and third prize of \$75 were Ranjan Chak of Morgantown and John Fruth of Point Pleasant, respectively.

Awards of \$50 each went to Rick Clark of Fort Frye High School at Beverly, Ohio, and Harold E. Mueller of Marietta (Ohio) Senior High School, who placed fourth and fifth, respectively.

The next five highest scorers received awards of \$25 each. They were: Michael Wilhelm, Bridgeport; Alexander Holland, Parkersburg; Joe C. Yoo, St. Albans; Kenneth Warner, St. Albans, and Steve Coy, The Plains, Ohio.

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A three-way tie for 11th place in the competition, designed to measure student skills in the areas of mathematical creativity, insight and expression, resulted in \$15 awards being given to Kay Dunnavant, Fairmont; Joyce Weber, Beverly, Ohio, and Andrew Wilhelm of Morgantown.

Participants in the math competition were selected on the basis of their scores on the High School Mathematics Test given by the Mathematical Association of America. Also invited were the top 10 students in the West Virginia Mathematics Field Day competition.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Harvard Glee Club, the oldest American college choral group, will perform at Marshall University Tuesday, June 13, as part of the Marshall Artists Series Summer Series, Nancy Hindsley, MU cultural events coordinator, announced today.

The program is scheduled for 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

General admission tickets at \$3 each are available from the Kenney Music Company, the Marshall Music Department Office and from the Artists Series Office in Room 2W40 of Memorial Student Center.

Marshall students with Activity Cards will be admitted free. Students with ID cards only may purchase tickets at half price.

The men's chorus will present a mixed program of classical and light choral pieces, including Handel's "Repleti sunt omnes," "Regina Caeli" by Porta, "Loch Lomond" and "Shenandoah," as well as several Harvard songs.

Founded in 1858, the Harvard Glee Club also holds the distinction of being the first American college chorus to be invited to tour Europe. Since that first tour in 1921, the chorus has toured extensively throughout North America, Europe and Asia and has performed with the noted American conductor/composer Leonard Bernstein before Pope Paul VI at the Vatican.

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Since its first appearance in 1917 with the Boston Symphony, the chorus almost annually appears in concert with the symphony and several of those concerts have been recorded. The recording of the glee club's performance of Berloiz' "The Damnation of Faust" earned a Grand Prix du isque.

The glee club's current conductor, Dr. F. John Adams, is a former member of the chorus, having sung with it as an undergraduate and then serving as assistant conductor from 1967 to 1969 when he succeeded Elliot Forbes as conductor.

In addition to earning his B.A., M.A. and Ph.D. degrees in music from Harvard University, Adams studied at the Fontainebleau with Nadia Boulanger and at the New England Conservatory of Music with Frederick Prausintz.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Former Governor Arch A. Moore Jr. and U.S. Senator Jennings Randolph will be the opening and closing speakers, respectively, for the Seminar in Practical Politics which begins Monday, June 12, at Marshall University.

Randolph, a Democrat, and Moore, a Republican, are opponents in what political observers consider to be West Virginia's hottest 1978 political contest--the U.S. Senate race.

The three-week seminar, co-sponsored by The Robert A. Taft Institute of Government and Marshall's Political Science Department, is the 10th annual practical politics seminar to be conducted for West Virginia secondary and elementary school teachers, librarians and administrators.

Nearly two dozen national, state and county political figures and observers will be lecturing the 30 state educators selected to participate, according to Dr. Troy M. Stewart, MU assistant professor of political science, the seminar coordinator.

Speaking in addition to Moore and Randolph will be:

State Senator William L. Gilligan, Tyler County Republican party chairman; State Senator Robert R. Nelson, Cabell County Democratic party chairman; Cleveland K. Benedict, Republican state executive committee chairman; J.C. Dillon, Democratic state executive committee chairman; John W. Mullens, Wayne County clerk; Riley V. Stone, Cabell County circuit clerk;

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Joseph W. Powell, president, West Virginia Labor Federation, AFL-CIO; Cassius H. Toon, vice president for governmental affairs, West Virginia Manufacturers Association; Fourth District Congressman Nick Rahall; Glen B. Gainer, state auditor;

A. James Manchin, secretary of state; John Larrie Bailey, state treasurer; Gus R. Douglass, agriculture commissioner; C. Bosworth Johnson, MU associate professor of journalism; Don Crislip, public relations and publications director, West Virginia Education Association;

State Senator Judith Herndon and Delegate Pamela Shuman; Willard H. Ansel, executive secretary, Teachers Retirement Board; Darrell V. McGraw Jr., justice, State Supreme Court of Appeals; Chauncey H. Browning, attorney general and former Governor Cecil H. Underwood.

Dr. Leon H. Ginsberg, state welfare commissioner, will be the speaker for the seminar banquet on June 29.

Seminar director William R. Ross of the West Virginia University Political Science Department will lecture and lead discussions on American governmental and political processes.

The sessions will be conducted Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Alumni Lounge of Memorial Student Center.

The seminar, the fifth to be held on Marshall's campus, is one of 36 such learning experiences taking place on campuses across the United States. They are designed to extend the knowledge of practical politics, the two-party system and constitutional government.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--An educational program developed and written by Ernest W. Cole, associate professor of finance and business law at Marshall University, has been selected for a second Freedoms Foundation Award, the program's publisher has been advised.

The program, "You and Your Insurance," was published by the Now Corp. of St. Albans, W.Va., and is being used in schools in all 50 states. Originally published in 1974, it was revised in 1976 and that version was selected for the Valley Forge Honor Certificate in economic education. A later revision was selected for the most recent award.

The Freedoms Foundation, headquartered at Valley Forge, Pa., makes annual awards in a number of categories based on service and principles under which the nation was established.

Cole's program includes film strips, a manual for students and a guide for teachers. A member of the Marshall faculty since 1955, he has served as assistant to the vice president for academic affairs and acting dean of the College of Business. He is a native of Princeton, W.Va.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Older residents of the region will have an opportunity to combine education and vacation at Marshall University this summer--at a bargain price.

Marshall is one of eight schools in the state participating in a new "Elderhostel" program, underwritten partially with federal funds and by the West Virginia Commission on Aging.

The program is open to anyone over the age of 60. Two one-week sessions will be offered at Marshall, July 23-29 and July 30-Aug. 5.

Participants will stay in a campus dormitory, or may commute if they wish. Courses to be offered are "Living in the Appalachian Region" and "Preparation for Retirement."

Total cost for the week, including room, meals, and organized activities, will be \$65. Those who choose to commute will be charged \$15, including lunches, according to Dr. Richard O. Comfort, professor of sociology and anthropology, who is directing the program at Marshall.

The week's activities will include field trips, recreation programs and a picnic, as well as classroom work. There will be free time for individual activities. Provisions have been made to accommodate the handicapped.

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Comfort emphasized that Elderhostel is open to all persons over 60. Formal education is not required for admission to the non-credit courses and participants are not subject to examinations, grades or required homework.

Participants staying in a campus dormitory will arrive on Sunday afternoon and leave the following Saturday morning.

Other schools participating in the Elderhostel program on various dates throughout the summer are Bethany College, West Liberty State College, Wheeling College, Shepherd College, Glenville State College, West Virginia State College and Fairmont State College. Dr. Robert Bauer of the Fairmont State College faculty is regional director.

Additional details and application forms may be obtained by writing West Virginia Elderhostel '78, Fairmont State College, Fairmont, W.Va. 26554.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"Vanities," a hit comedy playing its third year off-Broadway, will be presented by Marshall University Theater at 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, June 22-24, in air-conditioned Old Main Auditorium.

The play, according to Dr. Elaine A. Novak, MU professor of speech and University Theater director, provides a glimpse into the lives of three popular southern girls in high school, where they are cheerleaders; in college, where they are sorority officers, and in New York City six years later, where they have settled.

The cast is composed of three Huntington residents: Mary Elizabeth Poindexter, a junior; Marsha Wood Parks, a senior, and Katona Manissero, sophomore.

Miss Poindexter, who plays Mary, has been cast in leading roles for several University Theater productions, including "Vivat! Vivat Regina," "Gammer Gurton's Needle" and "The Gazebo" and has appeared in several Huntington Community Players productions.

Also a University Theater veteran, Miss Manissero, who plays Joanne, has appeared on Marshall's stage in "A Midsummer Night's Dream," "Vivat! Vivat Regina," "The Hostage," and "Man of La Mancha."

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Taking the role of Kathy, Miss Parks has performed in previous productions of "The Long Way Home," "A Midsummer Night's Dream," and "Man of La Mancha."

Reserve seat tickets, which cost \$2 each, will go on sale Monday, June 12, in the Theater Box Office, located in Old Main 107. They will be sold from 1 to 4:30 p.m. weekdays and reservations may be made by calling 696-2306.

Tickets also may be ordered by mail. Checks made payable to Marshall University Theater may be sent to Marshall University Theater, Huntington, W.Va. 25701.

Tickets will be available at the door on performance nights, according to Dr. Novak, director for the production.

Assistant director will be Michael Cupp, Huntington senior. Marshall's technical director, Bruce Greenwood, is in charge of set design and technical effects.

The adult comedy written by Jack Heifner has been warmly received by New York critics. Clive Barnes of the New York Times called it "a brilliant, clever play" and Liz Smith of New York Daily News termed it "my favorite play."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A facsimile edition of John Foxe's sermons with an introduction and footnotes by Dr. Warren W. Wooden, Marshall University professor of English, has been published by a publishing house specializing in such volumes.

"The English Sermons of John Foxe," published by Scholars' Facsimiles and Reprints of Delmar, N.Y., contains more than 400 pages and features two sermons by the author of the "Book of Martyrs."

The sermons, which date back to the late 1500s, have been out of print for about 150 years, according to Wooden.

Foxe (1517-1577) was one of the "most popular and influential writers of the English Renaissance," Wooden said. "These two sermons are excellent examples of the Elizabethan sermon."

A Marshall faculty member since 1968, Wooden specializes in 16th and 17th Century literature. He has written numerous papers and articles on the Renaissance. Currently he is writing the volume on Foxe for Twayne's English Authors Series and is preparing an edition of Foxe's "Book of Martyrs."

This summer Wooden will be one of five post-doctoral fellows participating in a seminar at Duke University on the early 16th Century Humanist Erasmus. He was awarded a fellowship by the 1978 Southeastern Institute of Medieval and Renaissance Studies.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University School of Medicine will have seven new faculty members--including a Huntington native--joining its staff later this summer, Dr. Robert W. Coon, dean of the school, announced today.

Five of the new personnel will be additions to the Department of Medicine staff, while one each will be added to the departments of Pediatrics and Pharmacology.

Several of these doctors have accepted joint appointments with the medical school and the Huntington Veterans Administration Hospital.

"Sharing this medical expertise is just one of the ways the Marshall medical school and the VA Hospital benefit each other," said Dr. Herbert H. Spencer, chief of staff at the hospital. "It's a very efficient means to enhance both our staffs," he added.

The new medical school appointments include:

--Dr. Bruce Chertow, professor of medicine and chief of the endocrinology section.

--Dr. Robert B. Belshe, associate professor of medicine and chief of the infectious diseases section.

--Dr. Michael J. Kinney, associate professor of medicine and chief of the nephrology section.

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--Dr. Nancy Scher, assistant professor of medicine.

--Dr. Lee P. Van Voris, assistant professor of medicine.

--Dr. Richard L. Curry, assistant professor of pediatrics and director of pediatric ambulatory care.

--Dr. Donald Melnick, assistant professor of pharmacology.

Chertow currently is associate professor of medicine at the University of Illinois College of Medicine and staff physician in nuclear medicine and endocrinology and metabolism at the VA West Side Hospital in Chicago. He will be staff physician in endocrinology at the Huntington VA Hospital. Chertow earned his M.D. degree from the University of Illinois.

Belshe, who will serve the Huntington VA Hospital as a staff physician in medicine, also earned his M.D. degree from the University of Illinois. He currently is a research associate with the U.S. Public Health Service at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md.

A clinical assistant professor of medicine at the State University of New York (SUNY) Downstate Medical Center in Brooklyn, Kinney also is associate chief, Renal Service, for the U.S. Public Health Service Hospital on Staten Island. A medical graduate of the University of Chicago, he will be a staff physician in nephrology at the Huntington VA Hospital.

A graduate of the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, Dr. Scher most recently has been a fellow in hematology-oncology at the Philadelphia school.

A SUNY Downstate Medical Center graduate, Van Voris has been an instructor and fellow in medicine for the Infectious Disease Unit of the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry. He also has been appointed a staff physician in infectious diseases at the Huntington VA Hospital.

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Curry, a graduate of Buffalo of Wayne High School and Marshall University, earned his M.D. degree from West Virginia University School of Medicine. He has been a staff pediatrician for the Naval Regional Medical Center at Portsmouth, Va.

A medical graduate of Loma Linda (Calif.) University, Melnick most recently was a resident in medicine at the Medical Center Hospitals of the University of Vermont. He will be a clinical pharmacologist at the VA Hospital.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Registration for Marshall University's two five-week summer terms will be conducted Monday, June 12, from 8 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 6 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center.

Entry into the registration area will be by alphabetic order, based on the student's last name, according to MU Registrar Robert H. Eddins. Students may register at their scheduled time or at any time thereafter, he said.

Students may register for either or both summer terms at this time. Fees must be paid at the time of registration, the registrar added.

First summer term classes begin Tuesday, June 13, and end Friday, July 14. Registration for the second term also will be conducted from 8 a.m. to noon on Monday, July 17, with classes beginning the next day. Second summer term ends Friday, Aug. 18.

Registration materials may be obtained in the lobby of the Student Center by students 15 minutes prior to the scheduled registration time. In addition to the registration materials, students will need ID cards to enter the Multi-Purpose Room.

The alphabetic schedule for registration will be: 8 to 8:29 a.m., Z-A-B; 8:30 to 8:59 a.m., C-D; 9 to 9:14 a.m., E-F; 9:15 to 9:44 a.m., G-H; 9:45 to 9:59 a.m., I-J-K; 10 to 10:29 a.m., L-M, and 10:30 to 11 a.m., N-O-P-Q-R.

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The afternoon schedule will be: 1 to 1:29 p.m., S; 1:30 to 1:44 p.m., T-U-V; 1:45 to 1:59 p.m., W, and 2 to 2:30 p.m., X-Y-Z.

Anyone may register during the period from 2:30 to 6 p.m.

Course listings containing the time schedule will be available from the Registrar's Office in Old Main 1B, weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. After hours, they will be available from the MU Security Office, located on the southwest corner of Old Main.

Students who have not previously enrolled at Marshall should fill out an admission application prior to registering. These are available at the Admissions Office, Old Main 125, weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., or from the Security Office after work hours. The Admissions Office will be open Saturday, June 10, from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Late registration and schedule adjustment for first summer term is scheduled from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesday, June 13.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--West Virginia public school food service managers representing 22 counties will take part in an in-service workshop at Marshall University next week (June 12-17).

The workshop is sponsored by Marshall's Home Economics Department in conjunction with the State Department of Education's Bureau of Services and Federal Assistance.

The 34 participants attended a similar workshop at Marshall last summer and are returning for advanced work, according to Dr. Grace Bennett, MU professor of home economics and departmental chairman. "Our emphasis this year will be on production of quality food," Dr. Bennett said.

The sessions are designed to help persons in charge of school food programs upgrade their services, she added.

Attending the workshop will be Mae Monroe and Sally Blair, Logan County; Irene Johnson, Jane Holley, Helen Lawson and Laura Neal, Cabell; Peggy Asbury and Virgie Payne, Putnam; Dorothy James, Mason; Emma Smith, Jackson;

Mary Treadway and Virginia Radcliffe, Wood; Betty Rine, Wetzel; Jean Harris, Dorothy Wilson and Rosalea Woods, Randolph; Alma Price, Mineral; Zola Sears, Clay; Isabelle Parson, Calhoun; Betty Snodgrass, Ritchie;

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Peggy Burgess, Doddridge; Mary Louise Barnesky, Pocahontas; Carolyn Huff, Greenbrier; Ruby Ashley, Braxton; Sue Sites, Hazel Dawson and Edith Gaither, Grant; Marcella Smith, Monroe; Edith Lee Groves, Summers; Shirley White and Ima Jean Buchannon, Mercer; Mildred Brown and Dale (Tom) McGowan, Upshur, and Mary Johnson, Boone.

The faculty for the sessions will include Dr. Bennett; Ramona Anderson, MU home economics instructor; Anita Ellis, assistant director of nutrition education and training for the Bureau, and Shirley Williams, food service instructor.

Serving as consultants for the program will be Wade Leech, director of the Wood County schools food service; Maudie Karickhoff, a former member of Marshall's home economics faculty; Dr. Ruth Harris, chairman of the MU School of Medicine's Pediatrics Department, and Annabelle Cruise of Culloden, a consulting dietitian.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Looking for an unusual way to use the skills and imagination necessary for macrame, weaving and sewing?

Try Ojo, the art of creating colorful, intriguing designs of Indian culture.

Maxel J. and Jean Ferguson will demonstrate the making of Indian designs from yarn and wooden sticks during a non-credit class offered from July 11 through Aug. 3 by the Community College of Marshall University.

The historical and religious significance of Ojo, particularly among the Navajo Indians and the Eskimos, will be discussed. Class sessions will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays in Room 136 of the Community College.

Limited to 20 persons, the class will cost \$25 per person, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director. All participants will be responsible for obtaining their own scissors, yarn, white glue and wooden sticks, Lawson said. The necessary materials will be discussed at the first class meeting.

Interested persons may reserve a place in the class by calling Lawson at (304) 696-3645.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Prospective teachers who plan to take the National Teacher Examinations on July 15 at Marshall University have less than two weeks to register with Educational Testing Service (ETS) of Princeton, N.J.

Registrations must be mailed in time to reach ETS no later than June 22, according to Dr. Jack Maynard, assistant dean, MU College of Education. Registration forms and instructions may be obtained from College of Education office, Jenkins Hall 211, or directly from the National Teacher Examinations, ETS, Box 911, Princeton, N.J. 08541. On-the-spot registration is not permitted.

During the one-day testing session, a registrant may take the Common Examinations, which include tests in professional and general education, plus one of the 21 Area Examinations designed to probe knowledge of particular subject matter and teaching methods.

Once registered, each candidate will receive an admission ticket and notification of the exact location of the center at which to report. Those taking the Common Examinations will report at 8:30 a.m., and finish at about 12:30 p.m., Maynard said. Area Examinations are scheduled from 1:30 p.m. to about 4:15 p.m.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. William A. Wallace, professor of counseling and rehabilitation at Marshall University, has been appointed chairman of the department, Dr. Jack J. Jervis, acting dean of Marshall's College of Education, announced today.

Wallace succeeds Dr. Lawrence W. Barker, MU associate professor of counseling and rehabilitation, in the post. "Dr. Barker asked to be relieved of the chairmanship in order to devote more time to his teaching duties," Jervis said.

Wallace's appointment is effective immediately.

A member of the MU faculty since 1967, Wallace served as department chairman from 1972 to 1974. He earned his A.B. degree from Geneva College, the M. Ed. degree from Kent State University, where he was a graduate assistant and teaching fellow, and his Ed.D. degree from Wayne State University.

A former secondary school teacher, counselor and principal, Wallace was associate director of admissions at Wayne State.

He is a member of several national and state professional organizations and is active in the Optimist Club of Huntington.

Wallace and his wife, the former Lois Forsyth, are the parents of two children.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Sue Cottrill DeJournett, a graduate student in voice at Marshall University, will present a free, public recital Friday, June 23, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

Mrs. DeJournett, a Huntington native who resides in Little Rock, Ark., has studied voice under Blanche Thebom and Marjorie Lawrence, formerly of the Metropolitan Opera. She also has been a student of Mrs. Jane Shepherd, MU professor of music.

Her recital program will include Baroque arias by Purcell and Handel, German lieder pieces by Brahms, an aria from Puccini's "Tosca," and French art songs by Debussy and Faure.

Mrs. DeJournett, a candidate for the Master of Arts degree in vocal performance, will be accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Jean Davidson.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Cottrill of Huntington, Mrs. DeJournett earned her A.B. degree in music education magna cum laude from Marshall and served as director of the children and youth choirs at Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church.

A member of "OPERA ualr" at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, Mrs. DeJournett, a soprano, has been a soloist for various operatic and oratorio performances.

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She is a member of several professional organizations, including the Music Educators National Conference, the College Music Society and Kappa Delta Pi.

Mrs. DeJournett, the wife of Huntington native Dr. Ned R. DeJournett, is a part-time instructor of elementary music education at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Sophomores at Marshall University who are not currently enrolled in Army Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) may still become eligible for the two-year advanced course, Lt. Col. Joseph W. Corder, Jr., professor of military science, announced this week. Junior college and community college graduates who are entering Marshall this fall are offered the same opportunity.

There are still openings for the six-week ROTC basic camp at Fort Knox, Ky., during the camp's third cycle of training which begins July 17, Corder said.

Graduation from the ROTC basic camp replaces the first two years of ROTC on campus and qualifies students for the ROTC advanced course in the fall. Students in the advanced course are paid \$100 each month of the school year and upon graduation are commissioned as second lieutenants in the U.S. Army.

Basic camp cadets are paid for the six weeks of training. They also receive free room and board and are reimbursed for transportation to and from Fort Knox.

The basic camp instructs cadets in military drill, tactics, history, weapons, communications and leadership technique.

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According to Corder, "The ROTC basic camp stresses leadership development. Its purpose is to bring the student to a level of military education and experience which will allow him or her to enter the advanced course next fall.

Army ROTC has been at Marshall for 27 years. During that time more than 550 of Marshall's graduates have been commissioned through the program.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The aroma of homemade bread has lured many of us into our grandmother's kitchen to discover her secret. You can learn to make delicious bread in a non-credit course offered from July 12 through Aug. 16 by the Community College of Marshall University.

"Nutritional Approaches to Bread Baking" will be taught by Dr. Don Chezik, associate professor of psychology at Marshall. Classes will meet from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. each Wednesday in Room 111, Northcott Hall, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director of the Community College.

The history of bread baking will be discussed at the introductory session. During the six-week class, participants will learn to bake with whole grain flour, learn the nutritional and weight-control aspects of bread, and experiment with different recipes.

The class, which will emphasize the simplicity of baking bread, is limited to 16 persons. Cost will be \$25 and participants are asked to bring their own bread pans.

Persons may register by calling Lawson at (304) 696-3645.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Instrumental and choral music camps for high school students, along with workshops for their teachers, will be held at Marshall University in July under the auspices of the Marshall Music Department.

Two outstanding clinician conductors will assist with the sessions, according to Dr. Robert R. Clark, MU associate professor of music and camp director.

Ray Kramer, associate band director for Indiana University, will conduct the instrumental camps, scheduled July 17-22. Larry Howes of the University of Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music will be the guest clinician for the choral session, July 24-29.

The camps are open to Tri-State Area music students in grades 9-12 and also to students who graduated from high school this spring. Tuition for each camp will be \$25 and optional private lessons will be available at \$5 per lesson. Room and board for participants staying in university housing will be \$50.

The application deadline for the high school music camps is July 10. "Late applicants will be accepted if openings are available," according to the camp director.

The music teacher workshops are open to teachers and college students who may enroll in each workshop for undergraduate or graduate credit.

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Those seeking academic credit must register during Marshall's second summer term registration to be held July 17 from 8 a.m. to noon in Memorial Student Center.

Music teachers attending the workshops will participate in clinics and seminars with the guest clinicians.

Sessions for concert bands, small ensembles, jazz ensembles, plus music theory classes, will be included in the instrumental camp program. Concert choir, small ensembles, "pop" singing groups and music theory will be offered during the choral camp.

During both camps a series of free, public concerts will be presented each evening at 8 o'clock in Smith Music Hall. On Saturday evenings, the concerts will begin at 7 p.m.

Additional information may be obtained by writing, Music Camp Director, Music Department, Marshall University, Huntington, W.Va. 25701 or by calling, 696-3117.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Mary-Ann Thomas, associate dean for student life at Marshall University, often winds up at a hospital during holidays or vacation times--as a nurse though, not as a patient.

The upcoming Fourth of July holiday will be no exception for the registered nurse. Ms. Thomas expects to spend at least one day working either in the cardiac care unit or emergency room of Morrow County (Ohio) Hospital as back-up relief for the regular staff.

"I have these skills (nursing) and want to continue to use them," said Ms. Thomas, who became one of the top administrators in Marshall's student affairs division last fall. "If I help just one patient while there, it will have been worth my time," she added.

Not only has she continued to use her nursing education while working in various higher education posts, but she has continued to enhance it. Just recently she received certification from the University of Colorado School of Nursing as a nurse practitioner. Several years earlier she had earned her nursing diploma from the Akron (Ohio) City Hospital and passed her boards for licensing as an R.N.

A nurse practitioner, she explained, is a physician extender who can provide primary health care services. A nurse practitioner may do the initial patient work-up for a physician. After the physician has seen

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the patient, diagnosed and prescribed treatment for his ailment, the nurse practitioner may be the person who sees the patient on his subsequent visits. In many instances, the nurse practitioner assists the physician in diagnosing and treating.

There is another important role played by the nurse practitioner-- patient education, stressed Ms. Thomas. While the physician role emphasizes diagnosis and treatment, the nurse practitioner role emphasizes patient education and compliance. The nurse practitioner helps the patient understand his illness and the importance of following the prescribed treatment," she said.

"Both the patient and physician benefit from the nurse practitioner system," Ms. Thomas noted. A physician who has a nurse practitioner's services gains a certain flexibility in scheduling his patients.

He can spend as much time as necessary with patients needing extra care, while a patient whose treatment is progressing normally may be monitored by the nurse practitioner.

"Whether the patient sees the physician or the nurse practitioner, he should be made to feel that he is getting all the time and attention he deserves," Ms. Thomas added.

Ms. Thomas already had begun working on her nurse practitioner certificate in Colorado before she accepted the MU post. In completing the year-long program, she was allowed to use her experiences in her previous post, student health services coordinator, at Arapahoe Community College in Littleton, Colo.

She also prepared several case studies while working evenings and Saturdays on a volunteer basis with the Marshall Medical school affiliate, Family Care Outpatient Clinic. Two days of on-site practice in Denver under the eyes of the University of Colorado nursing faculty was also required.

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After two years of work as a nurse practitioner, she will be eligible for board certification.

Working as a nurse practitioner on a volunteer basis evenings and Saturdays, Ms. Thomas will assist Dr. J.D. Harrah, MU associate professor of surgery, in his work with the Marshall medical school's Model Family Practice Center.

"I've never worked at just one thing," she said. "While going through school, I worked full-time. I've just always had a super-abundance of energy," she added.

A doctoral degree candidate in educational psychology at Kent State University, Ms. Thomas holds a B.A. degree in English from the University of Akron and a M.A. degree in student personnel-counselor education from Kent State.

A former assistant dean of women at the University of Kansas, she has taught psychology and served in various administrative posts on several campuses.

"I guess you might call me an administrating health educator," Ms. Thomas said, explaining that she found her nursing education was a definite asset to her administrative role as coordinator for non-academic programming for students at Marshall.

"I can help by serving as a facilitator in working out health need programs for students in such areas as health maintenance and risk analysis," she noted.

Although not directly responsible for Marshall's student health services program, as part of the student affairs team of administrators, Ms. Thomas hopes to share her knowledge in health care areas with those who are directly involved.

"It also makes it much easier for me to relate to and understand their problems," she noted.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University summer school students and faculty members will have a long Fourth of July holiday weekend, but they will make up one of the days by having class on Saturday, July 8.

Under the academic calendar published in the 1977-78 university catalog, summer classes will not meet Monday and Tuesday, July 3-4, but will meet the following Saturday, according to Dr. Noel J. Richards, vice president for academic affairs.

University offices will be open Monday, July 3, and will be closed Tuesday, July 4, reopening at 8 a.m. Wednesday, July 5. The offices will not be open Saturday, July 8.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University Theater will present Edward Albee's Pulitzer Prize-winning play "Seascape" in air-conditioned Old Main Auditorium at 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, July 6-8.

"Considered a major work by one of American theater's most famous and important writers, 'Seascape' was critically hailed as a Broadway production," said Dr. William G. Kearns, MU professor of speech, who is directing the Marshall presentation.

The cast includes James Lawhorn, a former Marshall student, now on the administrative staff of the Huntington Galleries; Catherine Cummings, MU assistant professor of speech; Mark Lenning, a Huntington graduate student, and Nancy Jo Corbin, a sophomore from Charlton Heights.

Bruce Greenwood, MU technical director, is in charge of set design and technical effects for the production.

Set on a deserted beach, the play concerns an encounter by a middle-aged couple, whose lives have become flat and routine, with a pair of lizard-like creatures, who--in an advanced state of evolution--are preparing for the terrifying, yet exciting possibility of life out of the water.

The couple holds the answers to the sea creatures' urgent questions and those answers are given with warmth, humor and poetic eloquence.

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"The emotional and intellectual reverberations of this dialogue will linger in the heart and mind after the play itself has ended," Kearns noted.

Tickets at \$2 each may be purchased at the door or reserved in advance by calling the Theater Box Office, 696-2306, between noon and 4 p.m. weekdays. All seats are reserved. MU students with valid Activity Cards will be admitted free.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Richard B. Bonnett, associate professor of geology, has been named chairman of the Marshall University Geology Department, Dr. E.S. Hanrahan, dean, College of Science, announced today.

During the past year Bonnett served as acting department head while Dr. Wiley S. Rogers, the former chairman and professor of geology, was on a leave of absence.

Rogers has resigned his Marshall post to accept a position in private business. Bonnett's appointment is effective July 1, according to the dean.

A native of Jamestown, N.Y., Bonnett joined the Marshall faculty in 1968. He holds a B.S. degree from Allegheny College, a M.S. degree from the University of Maine, and his Ph.D. degree from Ohio State University.

Bonnett, his wife and children reside in Proctorville, Ohio.

A former member and two-term president of the Lawrence County (Ohio) Planning Commission, Bonnett was elected last fall to the Fairland (Ohio) Local School Board. He also is a former member of the Huntington Galleries Science Advisory Committee.

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