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## NEWS RELEASE

Jan. 4, 1978

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Art Department will offer a commercial art course in layout and illustration during the 1978 Spring semester, according to Mrs. June Kilgore, MU associate professor of art and departmental chairman.

Listed in the course schedule as Art 643A, Special Topics: Layout and Illustration, the course offers three hours of undergraduate credit. It will be taught by William F. Brown, MU assistant professor of art, Tuesdays from 6 to 9 p.m., beginning Jan. 17 in Smith Hall 624.

Anyone interested in art in general, especially those persons who are looking for an alternative to painting or drawing, are encouraged to enroll during the university's registration on Jan. 12-13.

"Prior art experience is not necessary," Brown said. "Persons taking the class need not be competent draftsmen, because they will learn some of the tricks of the commercial art profession and develop their own style and technique," he said.

"The emphasis will be on illustration--product, four-color, and cartoon," Brown added.

Brown, a former Chicago commercial artist, specializing in illustration, holds a Master of Fine Arts degree from the Art Institute of Chicago.





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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Credit in history, sociology, home economics, anthropology or speech may be earned this spring at Marshall University through the medium of television.

Marshall, along with other members of the West Virginia system of higher education, is participating in a cooperative venture of the state Board of Regents and the state Educational Broadcasting Authority--college credit for television courses.

Students may earn three hours of credit in any of the above areas by watching certain Public Broadcasting System series, meeting course requirements set by the campus instructor and attending several on-campus class sessions. Three of the courses offer a choice of either undergraduate or graduate credit.

Credit for History 406 may be earned from watching "The Adams Chronicles," an award winning series dramatizing four generations of the Adams family--a family that helped to design, preserve and expand the American nation.

Students registering for Sociology 482 or 582 will watch the 13-part series by Dr. Jacob Bronowski, "The Ascent of Man," which traces man's scientific and cultural evolution from flint tools and cave painting to nuclear physics and Andy Warhol.

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Viewing "The Consumer Experience," a series which examines today's consumer issues and provides practical information to aid in everyday buying decisions for families, can earn students credit in Home Economics 461 or 561.

Students enrolling in Anthropology 201, which is based on the series "Dimensions in Culture," will study primitive cultures and examine the techniques and processes used in archaeological excavations.

Also offered as Speech 438 or 538 is a series, "ITV Utilization," which examines the background and skills necessary for using instructional television as a teaching/learning tool.

Credit earned in these courses is applicable to the Regents Bachelor of Arts degree program and other Marshall programs as well, according to Dr. Dorothy Johnson, chairman of Marshall's Speech Department and campus liaison for this project.

In this area, the programs may be viewed over WMUL-TV in Huntington (Channel 33) or WSWP-TV in Beckley (Channel 9).

"The Adams Chronicles" will be aired by WMUL at 3 p.m. on Mondays, beginning Jan. 30, with repeats at 6 p.m. Friday, beginning Feb. 3. WSWP will offer it at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, beginning Feb. 11, with repeats at 3 p.m. Mondays, beginning Feb. 13.

"The Ascent of Man" will be shown by WMUL at 3 p.m. Friday, beginning Feb. 3, with repeats at 2 p.m. Saturday, beginning Feb. 4. WSWP has scheduled it for 11:30 a.m. Saturday, starting Feb. 11, with repeats at 3 p.m. on Friday, beginning Feb. 17.

"The Consumer Experience" will be broadcast twice a week by WMUL at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, beginning Jan. 31 with repeats at 6 p.m. the same days. WSWP also will air it in twice weekly installments, scheduled for 6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, beginning Feb. 7, with repeats on Saturday mornings at 10:30 and 11 a.m. beginning Feb. 11.

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WMUL will show two lessons of "Dimensions in Culture" back-to-back at 6 and 6:30 p.m. Monday, beginning Jan. 30. The repeats will be in the same time slots on Wednesday, beginning Feb. 1. WSWP will run two lessons back-to-back at 9:30 and 10 a.m. Saturday, beginning Feb. 11, with repeats at 6 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday, beginning Feb. 13.

"ITV Utilization" will be shown twice weekly by WMUL at 3 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, beginning Jan. 17, with repeats at 6:30 p.m. those days. WSWP-TV does not plan to air this series.

Registration for the television courses will be conducted during Marshall's regular spring semester registration on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 12-13. Information on course requirements and on-campus sessions is available from the departments participating. Additional information on the college credit for television courses program may be obtained by calling 696-6786.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Thirteen West Virginia communities and one in Kentucky are represented in the first class of Marshall University School of Medicine students, who began their studies Jan. 3.

Four women are members of the class, according to statistics provided by the School of Medicine. Sixteen students hold undergraduate degrees from West Virginia schools. Twelve institutions of higher education, including the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, are represented.

The students, whose names were released for the first time today by Dr. Robert W. Coon, dean of the school, will be recognized at a special public convocation at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 10, in the Huntington Civic Center.

Students from Huntington include: Francis Scott Hunter, a Marshall University graduate; Sandra Jean Joseph, Marshall; Douglas Carlton McCorkle, University of Richmond; Stephen Flint Morris, Marshall; Stephen Thomas Pyles, Marshall; Stephen Charles Smith, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University; John Franklin Toney, Marshall, and Robert Ernest Turner, West Virginia University.

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Holding the dual distinction of being the only out-of-state student accepted and the only class member to have completed a Master of Science degree is Galen Edward Castle of Ashland. He earned his baccalaureate degree from Morehead (Ky.) State University and an M.S. degree from the University of Cincinnati.

The following Charleston residents were admitted into the first class: Mikell Ann Crews, a Marshall graduate; James William Matthews, University of Kentucky, and Steven Douglas McCarus, WVU.

A wide geographic range is represented by the other class members. They are: Patrick Corkrean Bonasso, Fairmont, a WVU graduate; Emmett Francis Branigan, University of Utah, and Keith Hamilton Wharton, WVU, both of Morgantown; Dennis Morgan Burton, Williamstown, Duke University; Harry G. Camper III, Welch, VPI; Brian Peck Fawcett, Wheeling, University of Vermont.

Durwood F. Gandee, Weirton, University of Tennessee; Cecil Dwight Groves, Summersville, WVU; Leslie Norman Heddleston, Princeton, U.S. Military Academy; Brenda Catherine Smith, Dunbar, Marshall; Nina Kay Smith, Ripley, WVU, and Richard Anthony Yocum, Moundsville, Wheeling College.

The ages of the class members range from 21 to 30, with the average age being 24.2. The students' backgrounds are varied. One student, Hunter, served as a medic in Vietnam. Nina Smith is a former elementary school teacher, while Castle has been employed by Armco Steel as an industrial hygiene engineer. Pyles has worked as an anesthetist and respiratory therapist at St. Mary's Hospital. Ms. Joseph has been working on a M.S. degree in chemical engineering at the University of Kentucky.

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During the Jan. 10 convocation which celebrates the opening of the medical school classes, honorary degrees will be awarded to U.S. Senator Jennings Randolph, southern West Virginia businessman James H. Harless, and Huntington physician Dr. Albert C. Esposito.

A number of distinguished national, state and local figures will participate in the event.

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Jan. 5, 1978

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. James L. Taggart, professor of music at Marshall University, will present a series of four lecture-recitals on the keyboard sonatas of F.J. Hadyn this month 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. on Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 9-10 and Jan. 16-17. They are free and open to the public.

Taggart has selected 15 of Hadyn's 62 sonatas which he believes illustrate the evolution of the composer's sonata form. The lecture portion of the program will be devoted to discussion of the sonatas' style and structure in relationship to 18th Century music.

"These sonatas are musically rich and original," Taggart said. "They are appealing with rhythmic vitality and keyboard idioms, but they have suffered from neglect, which is unjustified. By performing and discussing them, I hope to bring them back into prominence," he added.

"While attending all four sessions would provide a complete picture of Hadyn's sonata work, musicians and other music lovers may find they will gain enjoyment and insight from any one of the performances," Taggart noted.

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A specialist in Viennese classical piano literature, Taggart has given solo recitals, workshops, lecture-recitals and master classes on the sonata works of Hadyn, 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.--Both Governor John D. Rockefeller IV and former Governor Arch A. Moore Jr. will be platform guests at a special convocation scheduled Tuesday, Jan. 10, to celebrate the opening of the Marshall University School of Medicine.

The convocation, to be held in the new Huntington Civic Center, will begin at 11 a.m. Marshall President Robert B. Hayes said the public is being invited to attend the event, which he termed a "landmark" in Marshall's history.

Rockefeller will deliver greetings and Moore will be recognized for his key role in the establishment of the medical school. Both men hold honorary degrees from Marshall.

Max Cleland, head of the federal Veterans Administration, will be the featured speaker. He will be introduced by James C. DeNiro, director of the Huntington Veterans Administration Hospital.

The medical school was established in cooperation with the Veterans Administration and much of its funding in its early years is being provided by the VA.

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The convocation also will include the awarding of honorary degrees to U.S. Senator Jennings Randolph; Dr. Albert C. Esposito, Huntington physician and a leading advocate of a Marshall medical school over the past 25 years, and James H. "Buck" Harless, southern West Virginia business leader and former chairman of the Appalachian Regional Hospitals chain, with which the medical school is affiliated.

The event will include a formal academic procession by the Marshall faculty. The medical school's first class, made up of 24 young men and women, will be introduced by Dean Robert W. Coon.

Also presenting greetings will be Dr. Sam Clagg, chairman of the University Council. Dr. Howard A. Slaatte, chairman of Marshall's Department of Philosophy, will give the invocation. Organ music for the program will be provided by Dr. Robert D. Wolff, professor of music.

Other platform guests will include Dr. C.A. Hoffman of Huntington, past president of the American Medical Association; Congressman Nick Joe Rahall; Marshall Executive Vice President Olen E. Jones Jr., and Vice President for Academic Affairs Noel J. Richards.

The 24 students began their studies Jan. 3. They are scheduled to graduate in the spring of 1981.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Time cards will not be issued for Marshall University's spring semester registration to be conducted Thursday and Friday, Jan. 12-13, in Memorial Student Center, MU Registrar Robert H. Eddins announced today.

"We've instituted a new system which eliminates one of the steps students have had to go through--obtaining a time card," the registrar said.

"Entry into the registration area will be by alphabetic order, based on the student's last name," the registrar explained. "While it may cause a bit of confusion at first, we think in the long run it will cut down on the time spent on registering," he added. Students may register at their scheduled time or in any period thereafter.

Course listings which contain the alphabetical time schedule are available from the Registrar's Office, Old Main 1B, weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. After hours they may be obtained from the MU Security Office, located on the southwest corner of Old Main.

The schedule for Thursday will be: 8:30 to 9:14 a.m., J-K; 9:15 to 9:44 a.m., L; 9:45 to 10:44 a.m., M; 10:45 to 11:14 a.m., N-O; 1 to 1:29 p.m., P; 1:30 to 1:44 p.m., Q-R; 1:45 to 2:59 p.m., S and 3 to 3:29 p.m., T-U-V.

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Friday's schedule will be: 8 to 8:44 a.m., W; 8:45 to 9:14 a.m., X-Y-Z-A; 9:15 to 10:14 a.m., B; 10:15 to 11:14, C; 1 to 1:29 p.m., D; 1:30 to 1:59 p.m., E-F; 2 to 2:29 p.m., G, and 2:30 to 3:29 p.m., H-I.

An evening registration has been provided on Thursday for students enrolling in evening courses or who are unable to register during the daytime. The schedule follows:

5 to 5:29 p.m., J-K-L; 5:30 to 5:59 p.m., M-N-O; 6 to 6:29 p.m., P-Q-R; 6:30 to 6:59 p.m., S-T-U-V; 7 to 7:29 p.m., W-X-Y-Z-A; 7:30 to 7:59 p.m., B; 8 to 8:29 p.m., C-D, and 8:30 to 9 p.m., E-F-G-H-I.

Registration materials may be obtained in the lobby of the Student Center by students 15 minutes before scheduled registration time. To enter the registration area in the Multi-Purpose Room, students will need ID cards as well as their registration materials.

Those students who have not previously been admitted to Marshall should fill out an admission application, available from the Office of Admissions, Old Main 125, weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or from the university Security Office after the work hours. The office will also be open during the evening registration period.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University Theater's American College Theater Festival entry, "Purlie Victorious," has been selected as one of six plays to be performed at the Region X Festival at the University of South Carolina on Jan. 26-29.

"We were also notified that Joe Johns, a junior from Columbus, Ohio, who played the lead in our production, has been selected as a candidate for the Irene Ryan Scholarship," said Dr. N. Bennett East, MU associate professor of speech, who directed Marshall's entry.

Johns will be one of 13 students auditioning for a \$500 regional scholarship and for the opportunity to compete on the national level for a \$2,000 scholarship.

"Purlie Victorious," performed at Marshall Oct. 5-8, was one of 43 plays viewed and critiqued this fall by judges selecting participants for the Southeastern Theater Conference Regional Festival.

The Marshall theater group will perform at 1 p.m. on Jan. 29, according to East.

"Being selected to compete in the regional festival is really a great honor for the cast and crew members," East said. "Our students should be very proud of this accomplishment," he added. "It is especially gratifying to see Joe's extraordinary talent recognized," East noted.

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In addition to Johns, the cast members are Carolyn Shetterly, Charleston senior; Carolyn Thomas, Huntington graduate; Thomas Tolliver, Logan senior; Dorothy Wright, Beckley graduate; Mark Lenning, Huntington graduate; Stewart Ebeling, Wheeling junior; Michael Hawk, Charleston junior and Charles Sammons, Crum junior.

Written by black actor Ossie Davis as a vehicle for himself and his wife, Ruby Dee, "Purlie Victorious" deals with contemporary social issues facing blacks in the "Deep South."

The plays presented during the Southeastern Regional Festival will be screened by another panel of judges for possible selection as one of the 10 regional productions to go on to the national festival to be held in April at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, D.C.

Comprised of 13 regions, the American College Theater Festival is sponsored by the Kennedy Center and the Alliance for Art Education in conjunction with the American Theater Association with funding by Amoco Oil Co. Region X is composed of schools in Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and West Virginia.

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## COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Registration is under way in Point Pleasant, Charleston and Huntington for the second semester of Marshall University's Community College Academic Skills Review program, according to Mrs. Carolyn B. Hunter, coordinator.

Registration time in Point Pleasant is Thursday, Jan. 12, from 3 to 8 p.m. at the Mason County Vocational Technical Education Center, and in Charleston, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 10-11, from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Capitol Complex Conference Center, Building E, 1900 Washington Street E. Registration in these cities is for the convenience of residents there. All classes will be held at the Huntington campus.

Registration in Huntington will be at the Community College Building Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 10-11, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Thursday and Friday, Jan. 12-13, at regular university registration at the Memorial Student Center, and Monday, Jan. 16, through Friday, Jan 20, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Community College Building.

Classes will begin Monday, Jan. 16, at the Community College Building which is on 18th Street and Fourth Avenue across the street from Gullickson Hall. One class will be offered Mondays and Wednesdays from 11 to 11:50 a.m. for the entire semester and the second class will be on Mondays and Wednesdays from 5 to 6:15 p.m. for 12 weeks.

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Each class will be for two hours of academic credit.

Mrs. Hunter said the programs primarily are for students who have been out of school for some time and desire training to help them ease back into the college routine. The program is particularly well-suited for not only new college students but veterans, older persons who are working, GED recipients and anyone else wishing to improve study skills.

The classes will assist in reading efficiency, note-taking, preparing for and taking essay examinations, designing and developing a paper, and self-management in regard to the skills needed to be successful in a college program.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Vince Lewis of Charleston, a classical and jazz guitar performer, will teach guitar at Marshall University during the spring semester, according to Dr. Wendell Kumlien, MU professor of music and departmental chairman.

Classes will be offered through both the Community College and the university's Music Department. Beginning guitar lessons will be taught in the Community College on Mondays, beginning Feb. 20 and continuing through May 1. The cost will be \$25. Additional information may be obtained by calling the MU Community College, 696-3646.

Guitar lessons with one credit hour will be offered through the Music Department. Students planning to study under this program will need to enroll during regular registration on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 12-13, in Memorial Student Center. Class times and other pertinent information are available from the Music Department, 696-3117.

"We expect to include guitar classes in the department's major applied areas," Kumlien noted.

Lewis, a graduate of Morris Harvey College, has played with jazz, pop and rock groups in the Charleston area. He has studied and performed as a classical guitarist. He also has played jazz guitar with Brook Benton, Paul Desmond and The Drifters. He is registered with the West Virginia Arts and Humanities Council.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--William H. Cox Jr. of Catlettsburg, Ky., has been appointed director of the Marshall University Computer Center.

Dr. William S. Deel, assistant vice president for academic affairs, said the appointment will be effective Jan. 16. Cox will succeed John R. Jamieson, who resigned from the position several months ago.

Cox presently is systems engineer with Ashland Oil, Inc., and has been affiliated with that firm in data processing roles since 1972.

He earned his undergraduate degree in political science from West Virginia University in 1965 and received a Master of Science degree in computer science there in 1971. Cox worked as a computer programmer at WVU while attending graduate classes there.

A veteran of five years of service as a U.S. Army officer, he is married and the father of three children.

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Afraid of airplanes or fascinated by them? Marshall University's Community College has the remedy, either way.

A new course entitled "Learning About Aeronautics" will begin Monday, Feb. 13, and continue through Monday, March 13, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director at Community College.

John Condon of Flight Services Inc., a flight instructor and pilot with a transport pilot's rating, will instruct the class which will be open to Marshall students and to the public.

Condon has a ground school instructor's rating and has been a flight instructor in single and multi-engine aircraft, Lawson said.

The course will prepare those who complete it for the written examination initiated by the Federal Aviation Administration as a step toward fulfilling flight requirements necessary to becoming a licensed pilot.

Total cost per person will be \$35. This includes the registration fee and necessary study materials.

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Although no actual flying is involved, the course, highlighted by graphic illustrations and demonstrations, should give any individual insight into whether he or she would enjoy flight or would be qualified for a career in aviation, Lawson said.

Among the basics covered will be aerodynamics and flight instrumentation concepts concerning everything from altimeters to landing gear, Lawson said.

The course is offered as a public service and not for academic credit, Lawson said.

Classes will meet Mondays from 7 to 10 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to noon in Room 119 Gullickson Hall.

Pre-registration for the class will take place Monday, Jan. 23, through Friday, Jan. 27, in Room 116 at the Community College building on the main Marshall campus.

Additional registration information may be obtained by calling Lawson at 696-3646 at Community College. Details of the course may be obtained from Condon at 522-9196 or by writing Aviation Services, Post Office Box 1791, Huntington, W.Va. 25712.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Robert Stephen Angel, a Marshall University assistant professor of special education, has completed requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree at the University of Arizona, according to Marshall Vice President for Academic Affairs Noel J. Richards.

The degree was conferred on Dec. 20, 1977, Richards said. Dr. Angel's dissertation is entitled "Sex Role Preferences of Young Cerebral Palsied Children."

A native of New York, Angel earned his B.A. degree from Queens College and his M.S. degree from Long Island University.

Before joining the Marshall faculty in September, 1976, Angel taught at the University of South Alabama and in New York City. At Marshall, he coordinates the crippled and other health impaired program.

Angel is a member of the Council for Exceptional Children and the American Association for the Severely and Profoundly Handicapped.

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RELEASE AT WILL

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Examinations in dental auxiliary education, recently added to those available under the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), will be offered at Marshall University, according to Dr. James W. Harless, MU admissions director.

The CLEP testing program offers college credit to people who have learned on their own--on the job, through military training, at home, or in non-credit courses.

The dental examinations will benefit persons who have gained knowledge in dental assisting, dental laboratory technology or dental hygiene by working in the field and who now wish to pursue a formalized program ending in a degree.

Oral radiography; head, neck and oral anatomy; tooth morphology and function, and dental materials are the areas covered by the new examinations.

CLEP tests are available in 47 professional and college subjects and there are five general examinations in the basic liberal arts. More than 1,800 institutions of higher learning, including Marshall, accept CLEP credits, Harless said.

CLEP tests are given at Marshall the third Saturday of each month. Additional information may be obtained by calling 696-3160.

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The new dental tests were developed jointly by the American Dental Association's Council on Dental Education, the College Entrance Examination Board and the Educational Testing Service, with funds from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation of Battle Creek, Mich.

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## COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Advance registration for second semester non-credit classes ranging from Persian artifacts to Chinese cooking at Marshall University's Community College will be held Monday, Jan. 23, through Friday, Jan. 27, from 11 a.m. to 4:40 p.m. in Room 116 at Community College on the main campus.

The courses are offered as a public service and do not provide academic credit, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education at Community College.

Regular registration will be held during the first class meeting of each class.

The Community College continuing education curriculum this semester will include the following offerings:

Chinese Cooking, Mrs. Pauline Huang, instructor; Tuesdays from 3 to 4 p.m. at a location to be announced at a cost of \$25 per student from Feb. 7 through April 18.

Physical Fitness Exercise Class, Mrs. Kay Kowalski, instructor; Mondays from 5 to 6 p.m. at the women's gymnasium at Marshall, \$20 per student, Feb. 6-May 1.

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Wall Street Stock Investment Strategies, John M. Riley, instructor; Tuesdays from 7 to 9 p.m. at Room 18, Gullickson Hall, \$25 per student, Feb. 14-April 11.

Beginning Guitar, Vince Lewis, instructor; Mondays, 7 to 9 p.m. at a site to be announced, \$25 per student, Feb. 20-May 1.

Ballroom Dancing, Jay Morman, instructor; Mondays from 7 to 9 p.m., at the Women's Gymnasium, \$30 per couple, Feb. 13-April 3.

Wrestling Officiating, Joe Grass, instructor; Mondays from 6 to 10 p.m., Room 122, Gullickson Hall, \$20 per student, Sunday, Feb. 26, through Monday, March 27.

Preparation for Retirement, Dr. Richard O. Comfort, instructor; Mondays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., Room 411, Smith Hall, \$25 per person, Feb. 6-April 17.

Beginning Orienteering, Major James Shamblen, instructor; course expected to begin in March with date, time, place and cost to be announced. Orienteering is navigating on land through use of compass and maps under techniques developed by the U.S. Green Beret and Special Forces units. John Welch, a member of the Marshall Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department, will assist Major Shamblen, who is a faculty member with Marshall's Military Science Department.

Conversational Spanish, Mariateresa Miller, instructor; Wednesdays, 7 to 9 p.m., Room 411, Smith Hall, \$25 per student, Feb. 22-May 3.

Conversational Japanese, Mrs. Chin Choi, instructor; Thursdays, 7 to 9 p.m., Smith Hall, Room 263, \$25 per student, Feb. 16-April 27.

And, Oriental and Persian Artifacts, instructor to be announced, Thursdays, 7:30 to 9 p.m., Room 433, Smith Hall, \$25 per student, March 16-May 11.

Those wishing further information on these and other courses may call Lawson at Community College, 696-3646.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Counseling and Rehabilitation Department has received \$14,907 from the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare as the second appropriation of a five-year renewable grant.

The grant, which totals \$31,649, is a continuation of HEW's long-time support for an ongoing training project in Undergraduate Education in Rehabilitation Services at Marshall, according to Steven A. Meadows, MU assistant professor of counseling and rehabilitation and project coordinator.

The training project is designed to provide a solid educational program for rehabilitation and other helping services personnel, Meadows said. Over the past 11 years, HEW has provided in excess of \$300,000 in support funds for the program, he added.

The funds are allocated by the Rehabilitation Services Administration through HEW's Office of Human Development.

Marshall's Counseling and Rehabilitation Department offers 55 undergraduate hours in the field, as well as a strong graduate program. "At present we have approximately 75 undergraduate students in the program and we have the capacity to handle more students," Meadows said.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University student body was commended today by Tri-State Red Cross Blood Center officials for its response to an emergency blood drive on Wednesday (Jan. 18).

"Weather conditions throughout the region have hampered our normal collections, creating an emergency situation," said Joyce Snyder, public relations director for the center.

"The campus response has helped us in making up for many of this week's cancellations," she added.

Given only 24 hours notice, the student response was "fantastic," said Tom Browning, recruitment coordinator for the Huntington/Cabell County Chapter, American Red Cross.

Records show that 148 persons showed up at the Campus Christian Center to donate and only 18 were deferred, according to Mrs. Snyder. Forty-two of these were first-time donors, she said.

"The overwhelming majority were students, too," Browning said. "We were really surprised. I believe the response shows a real sense of responsibility on the part of Marshall's students," he said. "In fact several of those who didn't have time to wait asked for appointments to donate at the center later this week, including the special hours on Sunday, Jan. 22, from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m."

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"Some of those deferred were eager to know how soon they might be able to give," he said.

The university's fraternities and sororities had scheduled a bloodmobile visit to the campus Wednesday as a Greek service project, according to Dr. Richard G. Fisher, MU vice president/dean of students. "In view of the emergency situation, the decision was made Tuesday to turn the visit into a campus-wide collection. I am very proud of our students for their response," Fisher said.

The bloodmobile will visit the campus again Feb. 8-9 at Memorial Student Center.

The Tri-State Red Cross Blood Center serves 95 hospitals in 53 counties in West Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky and Virginia.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Three newspapermen, an industrial communications manager and an attorney have been named adjunct professors by Marshall University's School of Journalism, according to Director Deryl R. Leaming.

They are William C. Beatty, Huntington lawyer and communications law specialist; Pulitzer Prize winner John D. "Jack" Maurice, editor of the Charleston Daily Mail; Ernest A. "Ernie" Salvatore, columnist for the Huntington Herald-Dispatch; W.E. "Ned" Chilton III, publisher of the Charleston Gazette, and Wallace E. Knight, communications manager for Ashland Oil, Inc.

Under the adjunct professor program, persons who have distinguished themselves in their professions are appointed to the honorary positions and have agreed to give a series of lectures for students, Dr. Leaming said.

"These distinguished professionals have been supportive of our journalism program over the years and the adjunct professor program now gives us the opportunity to recognize them officially for their contributions," Leaming said. "We are pleased they have agreed to continue their participation because of the additional insight practicing professionals bring to the classroom."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Marshall University junior is one of 25 college and university students selected nationally to attend the Sixth Faculty/Industry Seminar and College Conference sponsored by the International Radio and Television Society (IRTS).

John Sadler of Charleston, a broadcasting major, was selected by IRTS on the basis of a paper written on "Broadcasting in the Year 2000." He will participate in seminars on new technology in broadcasting and workshops on career preparation during the five-day conference at the Harrison Conference Center, Glen Cove, N.Y., Feb. 2-6.

"This is a signal honor for both John and the university," said Dr. C.A. Kellner, MU associate professor of speech and coordinator of the broadcasting sequence. "Very few students have an opportunity for exposure to broadcasting professionals in this type of environment," Kellner added.

While there Sadler and other students will be competing for 10 broadcasting internships in New York City this summer. They will be screened and interviewed by IRTS members during the conference.

A part-time employee of WSAZ-TV, Sadler holds a Huntington Advertising Club Scholarship for 1977-78.

Also attending the conference from Marshall will be Dr. Dorothy Johnson, professor of speech and departmental chairman, and Kellner.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ashland Oil, Inc. has contributed \$27,600 to the Marshall University Foundation's 1977-78 Annual Giving Campaign, Marshall Development Director Bernard Queen announced today. The gift, which will be used to support programs in the 1978-79 fiscal year, represents a \$4,400 increase over last year's contribution from Ashland Oil, Queen said.

In making the contribution, Ashland Oil President Robert E. Yancey noted that the bulk of the money is not designated for any specific project, but may be used at the discretion of Marshall Foundation officials to meet the university's greatest needs.

"Obviously, we are very pleased to receive this generous gift from Ashland Oil," Queen said. "It demonstrates anew the excellent support this company has provided Marshall for many years and its continuing concern for the people of this region."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Rebecca L. Stepto of Marmet, a Marshall University graduate student in journalism, has been selected for an internship with the National Cancer Institute at Bethesda, Md.

Administered by the institute's Office of Cancer Communications, the internship offers experience with pay on a one-to-one basis with a staff member. Ms. Stepto will work in the health communications area with responsibilities to include graphics work in pamphlet design.

Selected through national competition, Ms. Stepto begins here work at the institute this month and will remain there until June.

The institute is part of the National Institutes of Health.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Ten journalism students at Marshall University have received awards from two School of Journalism scholarship funds.

Selected by the journalism faculty on the basis of need and academic achievement, the students were awarded aid from the W. Page Pitt and Julius Broh funds.

Pitt scholarship winners are Beverly Childers, Rt. 1, Pedtro, Ohio; Catherine Jones, 4612 Normar Rd., South Charleston; Nancy Nelson, 1509 Lee St., Charleston; Lenore Savage, 2619 Greenbo Blvd., Flatwoods, Ky.; Juanita Steele, 3342 West 5th Ave., Belle, and Judith Taylor, 942 S. Walnut St., St. Albans.

Broh winners are Sarah Burgess, 938 12th Ave., Huntington; Robin Ramey, Rt. 2, Harts; Sallye Jo Runyon, 2509 12th Ave., Huntington, and Rebecca Stepto, Marmet.

Scholarships are awarded from interest earned on the funds. The first Pitt scholarships were awarded last year, and Broh aid has been awarded since the 1950s.

The Pitt fund is in honor of W. Page Pitt of Stuart, Fla., founder of Marshall's Department of Journalism, recently renamed the School of Journalism. Pitt was department chairman from 1926 to 1971.

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Nationally known for his work in journalism education, Pitt has been recognized by the West Virginia Senate as the "Grand Old Man of Journalism in West Virginia."

The Broh fund was established in the 1950s by Mrs. Ruth J. Broh, widow of Julius Broh of Huntington.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--J.H. Fletcher and Company, a Huntington-based mining equipment and supplies firm, has given the Marshall University Geology Department a \$1,750 grant.

To be used for the purchase of a portable rock compression tester, the funds were presented to the Marshall Foundation by Philip E. Cline, vice president of the firm.

The rock compression tester can be used in faculty and student research to determine strength and stress capacity of rock, according to Dr. R.B. Bonnett, MU associate professor of geology and acting departmental chairman. It can also be used to test strength of mine roofs and columns, Bonnett said.

"We are extremely grateful to J.H. Fletcher and Company for its gift. It is contributions such as this that enable us to enhance our programs and broaden our students' exposure," Bonnett said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Rx: "Sesame Street"

Admittedly "Sesame Street" is an unusual medication, but that prescription illustrates a basic philosophy of the Marshall University School of Medicine's Model Family Practice Center--personalized care.

"Patients are people and sometimes they need something more than a pill or capsule to help them," observed Dr. Ray M. Kessel, director of the Model Family Practice Center.

Viewing "Sesame Street" was prescribed for a Korean woman who came into the Center for treatment and who spoke no English. Her husband served as interpreter for the doctors.

After diagnosing her illness as "pregnancy," Dr. Kessel and the resident treating her suggested that her well-being might be helped if she could communicate in English. They suggested she watch "Sesame Street."

"She is following our advice and has begun to pick up a little English," said Dr. Kessel, a former Logan family practitioner, who also heads the MU medical school's Family Practice Department.

The Model Family Practice Center was conceived as a training hub for the Family Practice Residency as it relates to ambulatory care.

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Located on the second floor of the Doctors' Memorial Building, 1800 Sixth Ave., the Center even resembles a physician's office, complete with examining rooms, private offices, nurses station, lab facilities and routine diagnostic testing areas.

The Center provides residents and medical students experience in office management of the patient and his or her family. "The whole family's existence is altered when one member becomes sick," Dr. Kessel said. While treating a problem of one family member, we often need to be practicing preventive medicine on other members," he said.

Records are kept by family with each member having his or her own file, Dr. Kessel explained, and a family unit may even include grandparents.

Patients are being referred to the Center by community physicians, medical school faculty members, personnel in other health facilities and, "just generally by word of mouth," said Dr. Kessel. "Several of my patients in southern West Virginia are taking part in the Center's health care program."

Management of the Center jointly involves Family Practice faculty and residents. Senior residents will take turns as Center chiefs.

At peak capacity, the Center will serve 2,000 families, with staffing by 12 residents, four full-time and two part-time faculty members, three nurses--including a nurse educator, who will help patients learn to care for themselves--and a lab technician.

Currently assisting Dr. Kessel in the Center are two second-year residents, Dr. Frank Galvan and Dr. Kenneth Chasteen, and two first-year residents, Dr. Malcolm Macpherson-Smith and Dr. Gabriel Charles Fornari.

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First-year Family Practice residents spend 10 per cent of their time at the Center and 90 per cent in hospital clinical training work. Second-year residents spend 30 per cent of their time at the Center and the rest at the affiliated hospitals. Third-year residents will spend roughly half of their time at the Center with a portion of that time at, what Dr. Kessel calls, "a rural role model" of a physician's practice or group practice.

Dr. Kessel or staff physicians and first-year residents see patients as a team, discussing the problem and deciding on treatment together. Second-year residents work a little more independently, but with faculty supervision and consultation.

Third-year residents work independently, but the Family Practice faculty members are available for consultation.

"Besides the benefits for our residents, we believe the Center will have an impact on the community by providing its citizens personalized care with a re-emphasis on the family unit care concept of many years ago," Dr. Kessel said.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A free Percussion Symposium will be held at Marshall University from 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 4, in Smith Music Hall.

Sponsored by the Marshall Music Department, the symposium is open to any Tri-State Area high school percussion player, music teachers and anyone interested in percussion ensemble music, according to Ben Miller, MU percussion instructor.

Thomas L. Davis, percussion instructor at the University of Iowa, will be the guest clinician.

A nationally recognized percussionist and music educator, Davis has published a number of ensemble compositions, method books, multiple percussion solos, marching band shows and arrangements. At Iowa, he has served as assistant bands director, marching band director, jazz program director and staff arranger.

The symposium will include a lecture-concert of percussion ensemble music, said Miller, who is in charge of the symposium.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Tri-State Area residents interested in singing with the Marshall University Choral Union are encouraged to attend the first rehearsal for the group's spring production on Monday, Feb. 6, at 7:30 p.m. in Smith Music Hall 150.

No auditions are necessary for the Choral Union, a mixed chorus composed of campus and community voices, according to Dr. Paul Balshaw, MU professor of music and chorus director.

The Choral Union will present Mendelssohn's oratorio, "St. Paul," in early April, Balshaw said.

Rehearsals will be held on Monday evenings and persons unable to attend the first rehearsal are welcome to attend subsequent sessions.

Additional information may be obtained by calling Balshaw at 696-3127.

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Starting dates for several non-credit classes at Marshall University's Community College have been postponed, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education at Community College.

The "Physical Fitness Exercise" and "Preparation for Retirement" classes, scheduled to start Monday, Feb. 6, will begin Monday, Feb. 13 instead, Lawson said.

"Chinese Food Cooking," originally scheduled to begin Tuesday, Feb. 7, will start Tuesday, Feb. 14, he said.

Registration for the classes will be at the first class session. Persons needing additional information may contact Lawson at 696-3646.

The classes do not provide academic credit, Lawson said, and no refunds for any class will be offered unless the class does not materialize.

The fitness class, taught by Mrs. Kay Kowalski, will meet from 5 to 6 p.m. Mondays at the Women's Physical Education Building at Marshall.

Mrs. Kowalski, a YMCA instructor, teaches various exercises with music and will aid persons with homework instruction and practice.

The 12 sessions cost \$20 per student and the final session will be May 8.

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Dr. Richard O. Comfort, Marshall professor of sociology and anthropology, will help students face the challenge after retirement in the "Preparation for Retirement" course.

The 10 sessions will be held from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Mondays in Room 411, Smith Hall. Topics to be considered in the classes include meaningful use of time, finance planning, attitude, role adjustment and legal affairs. The legal section will concern contracts, buying and selling, renting and problems of probate.

Students will pay \$25 and the last class will meet April 24.

Chinese dishes such as egg-fu-yung, chicken chow-mein, chop suey, mo gro gay pan, and shrimp with lobster sauce will be prepared by students in the Chinese Food Cooking class from 3 to 4 p.m. Tuesdays.

Mrs. Pauline Huang, operator of a Huntington area food catering service, will teach the students in Room 111, Northcott Hall. Cost of the class is \$25 and two sections of 15 persons each will be offered if enough persons are interested, Lawson said. The 11-week session will end April 25.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A. James Manchin, West Virginia Secretary of State, will kick off a recycling drive, sponsored by two Marshall University organizations, at noon Wednesday, Feb. 8, on Memorial Student Center Plaza.

Sponsored by the Marshall Botanical Society and the campus 4-H Chapter, "Project Bridging the Energy Gap" was established because there are no recycling programs now in the Cabell County Area, according to Darrell Samples, Elkview senior and Botanical Society president.

"In view of the energy crunch facing us, recycling is very important," Samples said. "Recycled materials take less energy," he added.

"Mr. Manchin's earlier involvement with the state's Rehabilitation Environmental Action Program (REAP) made him the obvious speaker for this event," Samples said.

Manchin will toss the first bag of reclaimable materials into special collection barrels on the plaza. "The Student Center Plaza will be the collection point for only the one day--Wednesday," Samples noted. The permanent collection point will be announced at the kick off.

"We will be collecting only aluminum products and paper," Samples said. "I hope area residents will begin saving these items and later bring them to the collection site," the society president said.

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"Any other groups, especially youth agencies, who are interested in joining our program are welcome," said Samples, who will represent Cabell County at the State Recycling Conference in Charleston Feb. 10-11. U.S. Senator Jennings Randolph will be the conference keynote speaker.

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## COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Mathematics to exercise the brain and ballroom dancing to challenge the feet are among non-credit courses beginning this month at Marshall University's Community College.

Registration will be available at the first session of each course, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education at Community College.

The fox trot, cha cha, polka and regular swing are on the agenda for couples in the ballroom dancing course from 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays beginning Feb. 13.

Jay Morman, an instructor in Huntington and Ashland YMCA programs, will teach the class. He is a member of Dance Masters of America and Dance Educators of America.

The eight-session course in the Women's Physical Education Building is limited to 15 couples. Cost is \$30 per couple.

An opportunity to learn about correct stock investment strategies will be available in the Wall Street Semester class scheduled from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays.

John M. Riley, a former assistant professor at Kent State University, will teach the eight sessions in Room 18, Gullickson Hall, from Feb. 14 through April 11.

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The course is designed to inform persons about certain procedures concerning interest rates, common and preferred stock, municipal bonds and how to fill out new account forms.

Cost of the class is \$25.

To help students wanting to brush up for the mathematical portion of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE), a 12-week course will be taught by Marshall graduate Nancy Harbour.

The class will meet from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays in Room 331, Harris Hall, from Feb. 15 through May 10. Limited to 30 students, the class will cost \$25.

Besides offering students an opportunity to review high school mathematics, the course can be helpful for persons planning to take the Law Board and Medical School examinations, the instructor said.

The GRE is required for admission to some graduate schools.

For persons who plan to travel the world, have contact with Japanese or just want to learn something few of their neighbors know, the Conversational Japanese course is scheduled from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursdays.

Mrs. Chin Choi, an expert on Japanese, has designed the course for persons who might enjoy learning a few basics of the language. She also will discuss vital information to aid travelers to Japan and other foreign countries.

For a \$25 fee, persons may enroll in the class to be held Feb. 16 through April 27 in Room 263, Smith Hall.

Another course to help travelers, Conversational Spanish, will be offered from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesdays in Room 411, Smith Hall, from Feb. 22 through May 3.

Students will pay a \$25 fee and will be taught by Mrs. Mariateresa Miller, who has a master's degree in music theory, music education and literature.

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Basic techniques will be featured in a Beginning Guitar course planned from 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays from Feb. 20 through May 1 in James E. Morrow Library.

Students who pay the \$25 fee will learn about proper tuning, chord melody reading, finger placement and playing techniques in the classical and popular manner. The instructor for the 10 sessions will be Vince Lewis, an instructor at Morris Harvey College.

For those who would like to become involved in the sport of wrestling and obtain a license to be a certified official, a Wrestling Officiating class will meet from 6 to 10 p.m. Mondays.

Joe Grass, a superior-rated wrestling official, will conduct the class, beginning Feb. 26, in Room 122, Gullickson Hall.

The course will include background of procedural rules, presentation of various holds, and some mat work. The class will end on March 27. Cost is \$20.

All courses are non-credit, and refunds will be made if the class is cancelled.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Sociology/Anthropology Department has received a \$16,600 grant from the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, according to Dr. O. Norman Simpkins, professor of sociology/anthropology and departmental chairman.

This is the first grant Marshall has received under the Title XX program, administered by the West Virginia Department of Welfare, Simpkins said.

"The funds will be used for the undergraduate social work program, one of several programs within the department. Efforts are under way to recruit an additional faculty person for this program," Simpkins said.

"The money also represents a tremendous boost for the task ahead to gain accreditation for this curriculum," he added.

"Currently we have approximately 63 students enrolled in the undergraduate social work program," said Mrs. Constance Carr, an assistant professor who is responsible for the program.

"The curriculum includes both class work and field work, but with the addition of another faculty member for this program, we will be able to increase the field work time available to our students," she said.

The grant may be renewed on a year-to-year basis.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Works by more than 50 art students at Marshall University are on display this week in Marshall's student art gallery, located in Smith Hall.

The exhibit may be viewed between the hours of noon and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, Feb. 6-10.

All types of media are represented in the show, according to June Kilgore, MU associate professor of art and departmental chairman. The art pieces represent work done during the fall semester, she noted.

Graduate students from the Huntington area with pieces in the show include: Keith Osburn, Carl Haught, Jim Lester, Jennifer Linn, Lo Cheuk-Wah, Deborah Wells, Diane White, Karen Johnson, Marion Daling, Fonetta Collett, Nancy Basile, Karma Smith and Betty McClure, all of Huntington; Diana Wohl and Michelle Priestley, Hamlin; Byron Johnson, Lavalette; Kenneth Tucker, Williamson; Nancy Barr and Caryl Toth, Winfield and Phoebe Carey, Crown City, Ohio.

Undergraduate students from the Huntington area include: Steve Watts, Mary Thompson, Richard Bruce, Janet Knight, Cynthia Stepp, Sylvia Thompson, Mary Shank, Steve Oley, Tina Boster, Peggy Egnatoff, Lou Young, Jamie Mayo, Teresa McComas, David Webb and Phyllis Brooks, all of Huntington;

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Marc Simpson and Francis Dempsey, Lesage; Meridith Spence, Lavalette, and Teresa Burrows, Chesapeake, Ohio.

Charleston area graduate students with works displayed include: Dreama Duncan, South Charleston; Wynona Jenkins and Sally Romaine, Charleston, and Tim Gerhard, Scott Depot.

Charleston area undergraduates represented in the exhibit are Valerie Raudasaw, Nitro, and Mary Jacobs, Fayetteville. Beckley graduate student Becky Collier also has work on display.

Other undergraduate students include: John Clark, Hinton; Terrie Shaffer, Lewisburg; Clyde Stanley, Beckley; Brian Rollins, Point Pleasant, Damon Clark, Wheeling and Joy Glass, Beloit, Ohio.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--An educational program developed and written by a Marshall University faculty member has earned a Freedoms Foundation Award, according to an announcement by the program's publisher, the Now Corp. of St. Albans, W.Va.

The program, "You and Your Insurance," was developed by Ernest W. Cole, associate professor of finance and business law at Marshall. Designed for high school students in social studies and consumer economics courses, the program includes film strips, a manual for students and a guide for teachers.

Cole said he undertook the project at the firm's request in 1973 and it was published first in 1974. A revised version was developed in 1976.

The latest version was selected for the Valley Forge Honor Certificate in economic education. The award was presented recently to the Now Corp. 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 said the program now is being used in schools in all 50 states.

Cole has been a member of the Marshall faculty since 1955 and has served as assistant to the vice president for academic affairs and acting dean of the College of Business.

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A native of Princeton, W.Va., he earned A.B. and M.A. degrees at Marshall and has done additional graduate work at the University of Pennsylvania. He is a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and is married to the former Della Ohnalene Winton. They have one daughter, Ruth.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--American composer and conductor Gerald Humel will appear at Marshall University Monday, Feb. 13, Dr. Wendell Kumlien, MU professor of music and departmental chairman, announced today.

Humel, a native of Cleveland, Ohio, who now lives in Berlin, Germany, will conduct seminars for Marshall music composition students during the day. At 8 o'clock that evening in Smith Recital Hall, he will present a free, public lecture on his own work and contemporary music in general.

Humel's campus visit is part of the Distinguished Lectureship Series, funded by the Marshall Foundation, Dr. Kumlien said.

A graduate of Hofstra College, Oberlin, Ohio, Humel studied for his doctorate at the University of Michigan. Attracting international acclaim, Humel has received several awards for his work, including a Guggenheim, the German Critics' Prize and the Berlin Art Prize.

The conductor of a contemporary music ensemble which tours Europe, Humel has had his own compositions performed by 17 European orchestras. A work commissioned for the Cleveland Orchestra was first performed by that group Jan. 29 and is included on the Cleveland Orchestra's program for a Feb. 17 appearance at Lincoln Center's Avery Fisher Hall.

While in the United States, Humel will lecture at Hofstra College and serve a one month residency at the University of Michigan.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University debate team placed in the top 16 teams among the 70 schools competing in debate competition at the United States Naval Academy last weekend (Feb. 3-5).

Rita Sowards, Huntington junior, and Keith Carper, Griffithsville sophomore, a brother and sister team, defeated six of their nine opponents, including the United States Military Academy, Villanova University and Virginia Military Institute.

The team, coached by Dr. John Bliese, MU assistant professor of speech, will compete this weekend (Feb. 10-12) in Northwestern University's tournament at Evanston, Ill.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"What Say'd These Bones," an Appalachian heritage program, will be presented at Marshall University on Thursday, Feb. 16, at 7 p.m. in Smith Hall Auditorium.

Sponsored by the Marshall Sociology/Anthropology Department as an anthropology lecture, the program is free and open to the public.

A slide presentation by Marguerite E. Carson of Laurel County, Ky., "What Say'd These Bones" was developed primarily around rubbings of early gravestones in Appalachia, according to Dr. Karen Li Simpkins, assistant professor of sociology/anthropology.

Using daguerreotype portraits of mountain folk, circa 1860, and contemporary photographs of remnants of earlier times, Mrs. Carson will discuss life and death in the mountains.

Supporting the slides are authentic tape recordings of the voices of mountain people, reciting tales and poems and singing hymns and other songs.

Born in the foothills of the Appalachian mountains, Mrs. Carson has lectured throughout Appalachia on early material culture. She and her husband live in a complex of four log cabins, furnished with early mountain furniture, quilts and other artifacts of the culture. Their home was featured in the February, 1977, issue of Southern Living Magazine. Mr. and Mrs. Carson have been featured in several articles which have appeared in newspapers across the nation.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Winnie the Pooh and his friends now greet children coming to the Marshall University School of Medicine's Model Family Practice Center thanks to a gift from the Junior Department, Woman's Club of Huntington.

Creating a colorful children's corner for the Model Family Practice Center was the department's idea for its National Junior Department Project which was to deal with preventive medicine, according to Mrs. Ann Justice, who shares the chairmanship of the project with Mrs. Karen Smith.

The gaily colored cutouts of Pooh, Tigger and Owlet, a table and toy chest benches, playpen, cradle, coat rack and waste basket, all carrying out the Pooh theme, plus toys and books, were given in memory of a deceased club member.

A wall plaque designates the area as the Glenna O'Daniel Litton Memorial Children's Corner. Mrs. Litton was an active worker in Tri-State youth groups and in her church, Mrs. Justice said. "We thought establishing this living memorial would be the best way to honor her," Mrs. Justice added. "We plan to add other items to the corner as time goes on," she said.

"We are very appreciative of the Junior Department's efforts in the Center's behalf," said Dr. Ray M. Kessel, chairman of Marshall's Family Practice Department and center director. "I'm sure that not only the youngsters will enjoy these gifts, but also others coming to the Center will appreciate the cheerful decor."





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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--More than 1,500 high school, college and university students are expected to attend Marshall University's ninth annual Jazz Festival Thursday through Saturday, Feb. 16-18.

A concert featuring Woody Herman and "The Young Thundering Herd," scheduled for 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 16, at Keith-Albee Theater, will open the festival.

The concert is part of the Marshall Artists Series' Mount Series. Tickets are available from Kenney Music Company and the Marshall Music Department office for \$4. Marshall students will be admitted with MU Activity Cards.

Friday and Saturday will be devoted to clinics conducted by well-known jazz artists, Buddy DeFranco, clarinetist; Jake Jerger, percussionist, and Doug Oatley, bass trombonist, according to J.D. Folsom, MU assistant professor of music and festival director. The clinics will feature performances by participating jazz ensembles.

The guest artists also will perform with the Marshall Jazz Ensemble in the festival's closing concert at 8 p.m. Saturday in Smith Recital Hall, Folsom said. The event is free and open to the public.

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Among the colleges and universities with jazz ensembles registered for participation in clinics are, in addition to Marshall, West Virginia Wesleyan, Potomac State College, Fairmont State College and West Virginia University.

West Virginia high schools participating in the clinics include: Poca, Barboursville, Hurricane, Huntington East, Huntington, Clay, Man, Fairmont, Washington-Irving of Clarksburg, Mannington, Scott of Madison, Parkersburg South, Parkersburg, Logan, DuPont of Belle, South Charleston, George Washington of Charleston, Princeton and Winfield.

Ohio schools expected to participate include Wheelersburg, Belpre and Portsmouth West high schools.

Additional information may be obtained by calling the Music Department at 696-3117.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Three well known jazz musicians will serve as guest artists for Marshall University's ninth annual Jazz Festival scheduled for Feb. 16-18.

Buddy DeFranco, clarinetist; Jake Jerger, percussionist, and Doug Oatley, bass trombonist, will conduct clinics for area high school and college and university jazz ensembles Friday and Saturday, Feb. 17 and 18.

More than 1,500 students are expected to attend the festival, sponsored by the MU Music Department, according to J.D. Folsom, MU assistant professor of music and festival director. A concert by Woody Herman and "The Young Thundering Herd" at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 16, at the Keith Albee Theater will open the festival.

The festival will close Saturday, Feb. 18, with an 8 p.m. concert by the Marshall Jazz Ensemble, featuring the guest artists, in Smith Recital Hall. The event is free and open to the public.

DeFranco has an impressive record of awards, including 19 from Downbeat Magazine, nine from Metronome Magazines, and 16 Playboy All-Stars Awards as the number one jazz clarinetist.

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Leader of the Glenn Miller Orchestra from 1966 to 1974, DeFranco has played at many of the famous jazz nightspots, including Basin Street East, Village Vanguard, Birdland and Storyville. He has performed in concerts at Carnegie Hall, the Hollywood Bowl and with Norman Granz's Jazz at the Philharmonic.

He has recorded several albums and has shared album cover billing with such jazz greats as Art Tatum, Lionel Hampton, Buddy Rich and Oscar Peterson.

Jerger is widely known throughout the Midwest for his instructional work at various Chicago area high schools and his performances at jazz spots in and around Chicago.

A graduate of the Navy School of Music, Jerger has studied with Roy Knapp, Bob Tilles, Jose Bethancourt and Otto Kristufek. He is the author of three drumming methods books and has written three compositions for drum battles, using multiple sets.

He has performed with the Clebanoff Strings and Wayne King and is a recording artist with RCA and Universal Studios.

Band director for the Fayette County (Ky.) schools since 1970, Oatley has played with the Stan Kenton Orchestra and appeared with groups on two Bob Hope specials. He performed with his own band for four years in East Coast nightclubs. His recording credentials include sessions for Disney World and Motown.

Oatley is a member of a professional trombone Quintet and "Big Band" in Lexington, Ky. A graduate of Eastern Kentucky University, he has studied with Joe Hambrick and Paul Faulise.

He is staff arranger for ECU, Murray (Ky.) State University and Middle Tennessee State University and also arranges for more than 30 other institutions in the United States.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University "Thundering Word" Individual Events (IE) team took seven awards in competition at Ohio University last weekend (Feb. 10-11).

Overall in the two-day competition, Marshall's team ranked fourth out of the 23 colleges and universities participating, finishing ahead of such schools as Wright State University, Kent State University and the University of Virginia.

Connie Day, Chesapeake, Ohio, senior, was the team leader in wins with a first place in pentathlon, second in after-dinner speaking, third in prose and third in poetry.

Greg Tillman, New Orleans, La., senior, finished fifth in poetry and sixth in interpretation with music. Placing fifth in improvisational duos were Stewart Glass, Parkersburg sophomore, and Linda Bays, Parkersburg freshman.

The next event for the team will be the Wright State University IE Tournament at Dayton, Ohio, March 3-4, according to the team coach, Maureen Milicia, MU assistant professor of speech.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A Seminar in Practical Politics, co-sponsored by The Robert A. Taft Institute of Government and Marshall University's Political Science Department, will be held at Marshall June 12-30, MU President Robert B. Hayes announced today.

This will be the 10th annual practical politics seminar to be conducted for West Virginia secondary school teachers, elementary school teachers, librarians and school administrators.

Thirty teachers will be selected to participate in the three-week program which is open only to graduate students. Each participant will be awarded four hours graduate credit and will have an option of earning an additional two hours of credit. Credits earned may be transferred to another institution.

Professor William R. Ross of the West Virginia University political science faculty will serve as seminar director. Dr. Troy M. Stewart Jr., MU assistant professor of political science, will be seminar coordinator.

Many of the program's costs, including tuition, room and board and assigned textbooks, are underwritten by The Robert A. Taft Institute, headquartered in New York. The cost to participants will be \$50 which covers fees and related items.

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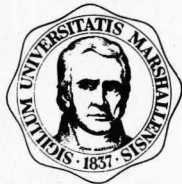
Taft Fellows will be selected this spring and the deadline for applications is March 31. Application forms and specific details may be obtained by writing Dr. Stewart, Political Science Department, Marshall University, Huntington, W.Va. 25701.

About 250 teachers have participated in previous seminars, Ross said. The seminar is designed to develop a better understanding among participants of the American Political system's basic principles and the role of political parties through a combined academic and practical study of politics. Taft Fellows will have opportunities to meet informally with a variety of national, state, county and local practicing politicians.

The seminar will include 14 days of meetings, with Ross conducting morning sessions, and a trip to the State Capitol in Charleston. Speakers for the afternoon sessions will include both elected and appointed government officials, spokesmen for both parties, political writers and others. The seminar is bi-partisan.

According to the announcement by Marilyn Chelstrom, executive director of the Taft Institute, 36 seminars are being hosted by schools in 30 states this summer.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University Theater will present Brendan Behan's comedy-drama, "The Hostage," at 8 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday, Feb. 22-25, in Old Main Auditorium.

Set in a disreputable lodging house in Dublin, the play centers on a young Cockney soldier who is being held hostage in reprisal for an I.R.A. man who is scheduled to be hung.

Reserved seat tickets at \$2 each are available at the Theater Box Office, Room 107, Old Main, weekdays from noon to 4 p.m. Reservations may be made by calling the box office during those hours at 696-2306. Tickets also will be sold at the door on performance nights.

Marshall students will be admitted free with student ID cards.

Members of the cast include these Huntington residents: Patrick Rowan, Michael Rowan, John Amedro and Michael D. Cupp, seniors; Richard Perdue, James Smith, Vicki Wilburn and Katherine Anderson, juniors; Jatona Manissero, sophomore; Kim Adkins, freshman and Susan Morton and Glenn Allen, graduate students.

Also in the cast are Jane E. Johnson, Milton senior; James Green, Milton sophomore; Judy Ditlow, Harrisville graduate, and Michael C. Hauser, White Sulphur Springs sophomore.

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The play is a witty and profound comment on Anglo-Irish relations and the Irish themselves, according to Dr. William G. Kearns, MU associate professor of speech, production director.

Assisting him are Dr. Michael Cerveris, MU professor of music, as musical director; Bruce Greenwood, MU technical director, as technical consultant, and Jody Dinkins of Huntington, movement director.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Vincent Bugliosi, chief prosecutor in the Manson family case and co-author of "Helter Skelter," will speak at Marshall University Wednesday (Feb. 22) at 8 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center.

His appearance is sponsored by the Lecture Series and Contemporary Issues Committee of Marshall's Student Activities Office. The lecture is free and open to the public.

A best-selling novel and subject for a made-for-television movie, "Helter Skelter" chronicles the Manson family activities, the bizarre Tate/La Bianca slayings, and the subsequent trial.

Considered one of the most outstanding prosecutors in Los Angeles criminal courts, Bugliosi compiled a record of 105 criminal convictions out of 106 felony jury trials prior to the Manson case. His career as a criminal prosecutor was the model for the TV series, "The D.A." starring Robert Conrad.

Now in private practice in Los Angeles, Bugliosi is working to reopen the files on Robert Kennedy's assassination, based on new evidence which, he contends, points to a frameup of Sirhan Sirhan and the existence of a second assassin.





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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University International Club will sponsor an International Exhibit and Dinner the first weekend in March, according to Judith Miller, MU international student advisor.

Articles and information on the students' various cultures will be displayed in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center, beginning at noon on Saturday, March 4.

"Some of the students have prepared slide shows on their countries and others are planning to perform dances of their native lands," Mrs. Miller said.

The dinner will be held in the Multi-Purpose Room at 5 p.m. on Sunday, March 5, and will feature dishes from different countries, prepared by club members.

Tickets to the dinner may be obtained by calling Mrs. Miller at 696-2379. Tickets purchased in advance will cost \$2.50 each for adults and \$1.50 each for children under 12 years of age. If purchased at the door the cost will be \$3.50 for adults and \$2 for children under 12.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The United Methodist Church has awarded the Campus Christian Center \$11,600 to fund a program for students at Marshall University on the hunger and malnutrition problems facing the world today.

Ten junior, senior or graduate students will be selected to participate in the multi-disciplinary program during 1978-79, according to Dr. Hugh B. Springer, Campus Christian Center director.

The program's purpose is to develop leaders in church and community who are committed to and willing to work for the alleviation and elimination of world hunger, Springer said.

The program will offer four hours of credit in biology, political science or sociology, using a seminar approach combined with field work and field trips. Each participant will receive a \$750 work scholarship.

The project will interweave aspects of biology, ethics, medicine, political science and sociology to the problem of world hunger and malnutrition, while using surrounding Appalachian communities for field work, he added. The program will run for both the fall and spring semesters.

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Serving as faculty for the program will be: Dr. Richard Comfort, professor of sociology/anthropology; Dr. Ruth C. Harris, professor of pediatrics and departmental chairman; Dr. E. Bowie Kahle, assistant professor of biological sciences; Dr. Clair W. Matz Jr., associate professor of political science, and Springer.

The qualifications for participating in the program include a keen interest and concern about hunger and related ethical issues, a strong academic record and advisor's endorsement, Springer said.

Additional information and application forms for the program may be obtained from any of the project faculty members or by calling the Campus Christian Center, 696-2444. March 15 is the deadline for applying.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Henry J. Montoye, prominent exercise physiologist and physical education researcher, will be at Marshall University Thursday and Friday, Feb. 23-24, Dr. Robert L. Case, chairman of Marshall's Health, Physical Education and Recreation (HPER) Department, announced today.

On Thursday, Montoye will present a free public lecture entitled "Physical Activity and Weight Control" at 7:30 p.m. in Gullickson Hall Room 203.

Currently Montoye is chairman of the University of Wisconsin's Physical Education and Dance Department. In 1977 he became the first American Alliance of Health, Physical Education and Recreation Scholar.

Montoye's campus appearance is part of the Faculty Enrichment Program, sponsored by the Marshall Foundation, Inc.

On Friday, Montoye, assisted by Dr. Patricia Eisenman, assistant professor of HPER, and Dr. Wayne Taylor, associate professor of HPER, will conduct physical fitness clinics for faculty and staff members interested in improving and maintaining their personal fitness through a sensible program of exercise and diet.

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Montoye, a charter member of the American College of Sports Medicine and former president, earned his B.S. degree from Indiana University and his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Illinois.

He has taught at the University of Michigan, Michigan State University and the University of Tennessee. While at MSU, Montoye initiated a study of the longevity of athletes, and the resulting monograph is viewed as a classic in the field.

He is the co-author of several textbooks and chapters in various compilations and has had about 150 articles published in professional and research journals.

A member of the Research Council of the American Academy of Physical Education, Montoye is a life member of the physical education honorary, Phi Epsilon Kappa. A former president of Phi Epsilon Kappa and Honor Award recipient, he edited its five-volume test and measurements series.





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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Joseph Bumbrey, coordinator of college relations for Ashland Oil, Inc., will speak at Marshall University Wednesday, Feb. 22, at 9 p.m. in Memorial Student Center 2W37.

Bumbrey will discuss "The Working World for Black Students" at a meeting of the Black United Students, which will be open to anyone interested.

Bumbrey's campus appearance is part of the Minority Student Programs, sponsored by the Marshall Human Relations Center.

At Ashland Oil, Bumbrey is responsible for university and college campus recruitment and serves as the liaison between the industry and campus placement offices. Prior to joining Ashland Oil's staff, he was employed in Wake Forest University's placement office.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Cynthia Counts, a Marshall University senior from Nitro, will present a piano recital at 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 24, in Smith Recital Hall.

Mrs. Counts, a student of Dr. Michael Cerveris, MU professor of music, will play selections by Scarlatti, Hadyn, Brahms and Poulenc.

Accompanying her will be her husband, Andrew Counts, on string bass and Rita Whaley, South Point, Ohio, senior, on piano.

At Marshall, Mrs. Counts has been active in Symphonic Choir and Choral Union. She is president of Delta Omicron, women's music honorary sorority.

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--With spring and baseball season just around the corner, persons interested in becoming licensed baseball umpires may get a head start by taking a non-credit class.

A baseball umpiring class is scheduled from 6 to 9 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays from March 6 through 27, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education at Marshall University's Community College.

Jim Morgan, a superior-rated umpire, will teach the class in Room 104, Lincoln Junior High School, 25th Street and 10th Avenue.

Cost of the class, limited to 20 students, is \$30. Persons wishing to enroll are asked to call Lawson at 696-3646. Participants may register and pay fees at the first class session.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University President Robert B. Hayes will deliver a major address at a meeting of the university's faculty Friday, Feb. 24, at 3 p.m. in Memorial Student Center, University Relations Director C.T. Mitchell announced today.

The topic of his address will be "Budget Needs for 1978-79--Marshall University's Approaching Crisis."

The meeting will be open to the press and to other interested individuals.

"Marshall appears to be facing a critical situation in the year ahead," Mitchell said. "President Hayes wants to outline the situation for the members of the faculty and discuss it with them."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--More than 450 high school students and speech teachers from West Virginia, Kentucky and Ohio are expected to participate in the annual John Marshall High School Forensic Tournament at Marshall University this weekend (Feb. 24-25).

Advance registrations from 52 schools point to a record-breaking attendance for the Marshall Speech Department event, according to Craig Monroe, MU assistant professor of speech and tournament director.

New areas of competition in television broadcasting and dramatic interpretation bring the total number of events to 11, Monroe said.

Other contests include impromptu speaking, original oratory, prose interpretation, after-dinner speaking, poetry interpretation, duet acting, pantomime, extemporaneous speaking and debate.

Also new this year will be seminars following the completion of each event in which faculty members who judged the events will discuss the values of each event and provide suggestions to participants on how to improve their performances.

At the close of the tournament on Saturday afternoon, 97 awards will be presented to the winning schools and individuals, including the John Marshall Trithon Awards. A new award, Trithons will be given to the most successful students participating in three or more contests, Monroe said.

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Registration for the tournament, headquartered in Smith Hall, will run from 9 a.m. to noon on Friday, followed by a brief opening assembly at which MU President Robert B. Hayes and Dr. Dorothy R. Johnson, professor of speech and departmental chairman, will welcome the participants.

Preliminary contest rounds will begin at 12:45 p.m. Friday and continue until about 9:30 that evening. Competition on Saturday will begin at 8 a.m. with semi-final rounds scheduled to start at 12:30 p.m.

Final competition will begin at 2:30 p.m. and the awards ceremony is scheduled for 4:45 p.m. Assisting Monroe at the awards ceremony will be Barbara Stemple and Patricia Henry, graduate assistants in speech and associate directors for the tournament.

West Virginia high schools who have registered for the two-day event are: Barboursville, Barrackville, Bluefield, Bramwell, Ceredo-Kenova, Chapmanville, Charleston, Charleston Catholic, Central Catholic of Wheeling, Duval, East Bank, East Preston, Fairmont Senior, Fayetteville, Gilmer County, Guyan Valley, Greenbrier West, Hannan, Huntington, Huntington East, John Marshall, Magnolia of New Martinsville, Milton, Mount de Chantal Academy, Paden City, Parkersburg, Parkersburg Catholic, Parkersburg South, Pennsboro, Philip Barbour, Princeton, Point Pleasant, Point Pleasant Junior, Ripley, Sharples, Scott, Stonewall Jackson, Wahama, Wheeling Park, Williamstown and Woodrow Wilson.

Ohio high schools expected include Belpre, Chesapeake, Kyger Creek, Lancaster, Olentangy of Delaware, and Rock Hill.

Kentucky high schools registering in advance include Lawrence County, Marion County, Mercer County, Montgomery County and Paul Blazer of Ashland.

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Additional information on the tournament may be obtained by calling the Speech Department at (304) 696-6786 weekdays between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. or by stopping at the tournament information table in Smith Hall lobby during the tournament.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va--The Marshall University Music Department will present a special mid-winter concert at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 23, in Smith Recital Hall.

The concert will feature the A Cappella Choir, directed by Dr. Paul Balshaw, MU professor of music, and the Brass Quintet, directed by Dr. John H. Mead, MU associate professor of music.

Another program highlight will be performances by three Marshall voice students who will be among those competing in the upcoming Metropolitan Opera Auditions to be held Saturday, Feb. 25, in Smith Recital Hall.

Thursday's student soloists will be Allen Whitesides, Huntington junior, tenor; Patricia Prunty, Manassas, Va., sophomore, soprano, and Rosemary McCormick, Charleston senior, soprano.

In addition to a group of folk songs, the choir will present several choral pieces and join the quintet in performing Paul Fetler's "Sing and Rejoice."

Among the pieces to be performed by the quintet is the "Intermezzo" from Dahl's Music for Brass.

The event is free and open to the public.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Philip J. Rusche, a New England educator/administrator, has accepted an appointment as dean of Marshall University's College of Education, Dr. Noel J. Richards, MU vice president for academic affairs, announced today.

Currently associate dean of the College of Education and director of the Graduate School of Education at Northeastern University in Boston, Rusche is expecting to assume his duties at Marshall on July 1, Richards said.

As head of Marshall's College of Education, Rusche succeeds Dr. Bernard Queen, who assumed the dual role as Marshall's development director and MU Foundation executive director in July, 1977. Dr. Jack Jervis, professor of curriculum and foundations and departmental chairman, is serving as interim dean.

"Marshall is extremely fortunate to add a person with Dr. Rusche's qualifications to its administrative staff," Richards said. "He will bring fresh insight into the changing curriculum needs of the College of Education, enabling us not only to better prepare teachers of tomorrow, but assisting us in providing continuing education programs for today's teachers."

A native of Cincinnati, Ohio, Rusche was among approximately 120 applicants for the position whose credentials were reviewed by a search

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committee composed of department chairmen, faculty members and students. Chairing the committee was Dr. Paul D. Stewart, associate vice president for academic affairs and Graduate School dean.

Rusche, 39 years old, has been in his current position at Northeastern since 1971, having joined the faculty in 1966 as professor of educational administration. He has also taught at Indian Hill (Ohio) High School and lectured at the University of Cincinnati.

He holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in American history and a Bachelor of Science degree in secondary education from the University of Cincinnati, where he also earned a Master of Arts degree in American history. He received his Doctor of Education degree in educational administration from the University of Rochester.

The author of numerous articles, monographs and papers in his field, Rusche has conducted several administrative studies for various Massachusetts school systems and serves as consultant to a number of other school systems there.

Rusche has served on North Central Association for Teacher Education accreditation visit teams to Rutgers University, University of Maine and Temple University and has conducted many workshops for state and local school systems in Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

A former president of the New England Council for the Advancement of School Administration, he holds memberships in several professional organizations, including the American Association of Colleges of Teacher Education, National Society for the Study of Education, the American Educational Research Association, and American Association of School Administrators. He is also a member of Kappa Delta Pi, education honorary.

He and his wife, the former Arlene Chyzus, have two children.





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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Secretarial skills needed for the job and career opportunities in the secretarial field will be discussed by four business professionals visiting Marshall University's Community College Friday, Feb. 24.

Secretarial students are being invited to the discussion at 10 a.m. in Room 135, Community College. The session also will be open to the public.

Panel participants will be Milton T. Herndon, lawyer, Campbell, Woods, Bagley, Emerson, McNeer and Herndon of Huntington; William T. Tracy, accountant, Taylor & Co., Huntington; Thomas J. Maxwell, president, American National Rubber Co., Ceredo, W.Va., and F. Wilma Matthews, personnel management specialist, Huntington District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

The program has been arranged by Mrs. Mack C. Jarrell, coordinator for accounting and legal secretarial programs at the Community College.

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Hammond will discuss "Student Academic Due Process" at 3:30 p.m. in Memorial Student Center's Special Dining Room. His lecture is open to interested students, educators and the public, said Fisher, whose division is sponsoring Hammond's appearance.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's Career Placement Office will sponsor its third annual Nursing Placement Program Monday, Feb. 27, from 1 to 6 p.m. in Memorial Student Center.

Representatives from 13 hospitals, the West Virginia Civil Service, and the U.S. Air Force will be available to discuss employment opportunities with nursing graduates from Marshall's degree programs and with diploma students from St. Mary's Hospital School of Nursing.

"We will have health care representatives in attendance from West Virginia, Ohio and Virginia," Terry L. Myers, assistant director of Marshall's Career Placement Office, said.

Program participants include: Cabell Huntington Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital, Huntington Hospital, Huntington Veterans Administration Hospital, Huntington State Hospital, Thomas Memorial Hospital (South Charleston), Charleston Area Medical Center, Lawrence County General Hospital (Ironton, Ohio);

Holzer Medical Center (Gallipolis, Ohio), St. Joseph's Hospital (Parkersburg), West Virginia University Medical Center; Beckley Appalachian Regional Hospital, Medical College of Virginia Hospital (Richmond), West Virginia Civil Services and U.S. Air Force.



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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Foundation has received an unrestricted \$2,500 gift from the Exxon USA Foundation of Houston, Texas, Dr. Bernard Queen, executive director of the Marshall Foundation, announced today.

The check was presented to Marshall President Robert B. Hayes Wednesday by Ronald A. Jarvis, West Virginia Division manager of Monterey Coal Co.

Monterey, which is developing a major mine in Wayne County, is a subsidiary of Carter Oil Co., whose parent firm is Exxon Co. USA.

Queen said the gift is one of a series awarded to Marshall in recent years by the Exxon USA Foundation. He said the funds will be placed in the university's "Greatest Needs" account.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Contemporary prints on loan from Ashland Oil, Inc., will be on exhibit in the Student Art Gallery at Marshall University, beginning Sunday, Feb. 26 and continuing through March 26.

The gallery, located in Smith Hall, will be open Feb. 26 from 2 to 4 p.m. This will be the only Sunday the gallery will be open during the period of the exhibit, according to Beverly Twitchell, MU art instructor and exhibit curator. The gallery will be open Monday through Friday from noon to 4 p.m.

The 50 graphics, selected from more than 600 art works in Ashland Oil's collection, represent the four primary printmaking forms--relief, stencil, planography and intaglio, according to Mrs. June Kilgore, MU associate professor of art and departmental chairman.

"This exhibit provides our students and the public an excellent opportunity to view the works of such well-known artists as Baskin, Jenkins, Motherwell and Gottlieb," Mrs. Kilgore said. "We appreciate Ashland Oil's kindness in making this experience possible," she said.

Ashland Oil has been collecting art works for several years and has displayed them in its buildings around the United States in an effort to provide a visually enjoyable working environment for its employees. The permanent collection includes paintings, photographs, tapestries and sculptures, in addition to the prints, ranging from the late 19th Century to today.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. John C. Whatley of Birmingham, Ala., will speak at Marshall University Wednesday, March 1, at 9 p.m. in Memorial Student Center 2W22.

Whatley will discuss "Black Students: Involvement in Campus Organizations" at a meeting of the Black United Students, which will be open to anyone interested.

Director of Gerontology Training and Special Veterans Programs at the Alabama Center for Higher Education, a consortium of higher education institutions, Whatley earned a Ph.D. in educational administration from the University of Alabama.

Whatley has experience in educational administration, educational planning, adult education, student personnel services and teaching. He previously was recruitment program coordinator for the Center.

Whatley's campus appearance is part of the Minority Student Programs, sponsored by the Marshall Human Relations Center.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Community College and the School of Medicine at Marshall University are combining efforts to provide a state-wide training program for advanced life support personnel (paramedics), Dr. Paul D. Hines, Community College dean, announced today.

The program, to be administered by the Community College, will be launched this spring with an initial \$138,200 grant obtained by Appalachian Emergency Medical Services Inc. (AEMS), a regional EMS agency serving six counties in West Virginia.

"This program through Marshall University provides the first opportunity for people within the entire region to obtain paramedic courses through a university setting," said AEMS director Sue Carlson. She indicated additional grant applications are being prepared for future expansion of the program.

AEMS obtained the grant from the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare and the West Virginia Department of Health, Office of Emergency Medical Services, on behalf of Marshall, Mrs. Carlson explained.

The program's goal is to provide a sufficient number of paramedics to meet the advanced life support needs of West Virginia over a five-year period.

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A core staff, funded with federal and state monies, will be maintained at Marshall, which will coordinate the program at designated training sites throughout the state.

Dr. Fred M. Cooley, director of the state emergency medical services program, said the new program "will provide a type of medical input into the training of advanced life support personnel. It also will provide a workable and efficient administrative operation statewide.

"In the long run, this program will be less expensive than separate programs and also will make available college credit," he said.

The state agency will be responsible for course approval and for testing and certifying students.

Six to eight centers throughout West Virginia will provide the training. The first two expected to open will be St. Mary's Hospital in Huntington and Appalachian Regional Hospital in Beckley, Hines said. With the statewide system of higher education, other sites will be available for this program in the future.

Hines credited the Marshall University School of Medicine's opening with helping obtain the grant. "We had extensive cooperation, expertise and writing from the medical school," Hines said. "There would be no program without the medical school."

Physicians from the medical school will participate in professional aspects of the program, he said. Each course site will be under the direction of a physician qualified to direct emergency medical services manpower training. Marshall will contract with each training institution for funds and instructors.

The course will be open to certified emergency medical technicians (EMT). The Community College has offered EMT training for several years, Hines said.

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More than 500 training hours are required to be certified as a paramedic in West Virginia. During the first six months of the program, targeted to begin this spring, three classes are scheduled. Other classes will be offered during the program's final 12 months.

Each student will be required to pass state certification examinations administered by the state emergency medical services office.

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--China, Japan and India will be the focus of a non-credit course offered by Marshall University's Community College March 16 through May 11, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education for Community College.

"Oriental-Persian Artifacts," scheduled to meet from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Thursdays, will examine representative masterpieces in poetry, scriptures, drama and fiction of the various cultures. The works will be read and discussed in English.

Dr. Ben Fuson, class instructor, has prepared a detailed Oriental study guide. Color slides, films, records and cassettes representing the language, music and arts of the nations will enhance the study.

Cost of the course, which will meet in Room 433, Smith Hall, is \$25. Participants may register at the first class session.

Persons desiring additional information may contact Lawson at 696-3646.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Samuel Munoff, a graduate student in music at Marshall University, will present his master's degree recital Thursday, March 9, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

A tenor, Munoff is a voice student of Mrs. Jane Shepherd, MU professor of music. His program includes selections by Villiams, Schubert, Hahn and Bach.

Assisting him will be the following members of the Marshall Music Department faculty: Mrs. Shepherd on piano, Dr. Paul Balshaw on harpsichord, Dr. Bradford DeVos, bassoon, and Tana Roquemore, flute.

Munoff has studied voice and opera at the Chatauqua Institute in New York and worked in summer musical theater productions in New York, Vermont and Kentucky.

A native of Fort Edward, N.Y., Munoff earned his undergraduate degree at Eastern Oregon State University, where he also taught choral music classes. He has also taught at Parma (Idaho) High School and Marshall University.

At Marshall, Munoff has been active in Symphonic Choir, Opera Workshop, A Cappella Choir, Collegium Musicum and Choral Union.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Gary Marks, a Huntington junior majoring in music at Marshall University, will present a special organ and flute recital at 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 7, at the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

An organ student of Dr. Robert Wolff, MU professor of music, Marks also studied flute with Tana Roquemore, a part-time Marshall music instructor.

Marks will play organ pieces by Bach and Langlais, in addition to works for flute by Roussel and Muczynski. Assisting him will be Shawn Berry, Barboursville freshman, on piano and harpsichord.

Marks is the assistant organist at the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church and has studied organ and church music at the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago. He is a member of the American Guild of Organists.

At Marshall, Marks is active in the Wind Symphony, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, A Cappella Choir, Choral Union and the Marshall Flute Ensemble.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Canadian Brass, one of the most popular ensembles in North America, will appear on the Marshall Artist Series Mount Series at 8 p.m. Monday, March 6, in Smith Recital Hall.

The program is part of the university's student series and students will be admitted by Marshall Activity Cards.

Tickets for the public are available at the Kenney Music Company and the Marshall Music Department Office at \$3 each. Tickets will also be sold at the door the night of the performance.

Formed in 1970, the group was featured in Montreal, Ottawa, and Kingston as part of the 1976 Olympics cultural programming. The members serve as artists-in-residence for the Banff School of Fine Arts and the group has toured extensively, performing at the Harrogate Festival in England, the Lucerne Festival in Switzerland and at St. Chapelle Cathedral and on the Bateaux Mouches in Paris.

The Canadian Brass represented Canada in the United States Bicentennial celebrations in Washington, D.C. The group has appeared on Canadian television, including on a special featuring Prince Charles, and has recorded several albums.

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The members of Canadian Brass are Frederic Mills, trumpet; Ronald Romm, trumpet; Graeme Page, French horn; Eugene Watts, Trombone, and Charles Daellenbach, tuba.

The Canadian Brass plays a wide range of music from Renaissance to ragtime. It is known for its arrangements of Scott Joplin ragtime numbers as well as for Bach fugues and fantasies.

The concerts are "informal" events, according to Daellenbach. "It's not the total responsibility of the audience to enjoy a concert," he says.

Washington Post music critic Paul Hume has said that the group plays a "nice mixture" of Bach, Purcell, Farnaby and 20th Century pieces, which comes out "brightly because it is launched with some mildly amusing comments" in addition to "unusually expert" playing. "All five men have an agility that comes close to phenomenal and they work at achieving a wide dynamic range that fills their music with light and shadows."

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Parkersburg High School, Huntington High School and Duval High School of Griffithsville were sweepstakes winners in the John Marshall High School Forensics Tournament held at Marshall University last weekend (Feb. 24-25).

On the basis of team points, Parkersburg, Huntington High and Duval ranked first, second and third in the sweepstakes, according to Dr. Craig Monroe, MU assistant professor of speech and tournament director.

The tournament drew 291 students and their speech teachers from 28 schools to Marshall's campus for the event, Monroe said. Huntington High and Parkersburg High tied for the largest delegation with 29 each and also for the number of student entries with 21 each, he noted.

Five students won Trithon Awards, a new award this year given to the most successful students entering three or more events. Trithon winners were: Betsy Talbott of Fairmont Senior, Jan Newman of Magnolia at New Martinsville, Tina Huffman of Duval, Denise Nicholas of Duval and Jane Stephens of Parkersburg South.

The winning debate teams were Phillip Stowers and Lura Burton of Duval, first place, and Mark Williams and Susan Baker of Huntington High in second place. Stowers was also named top speaker in the debate competition.

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First, second and third place winners by schools included:

PARKERSBURG--Beth Monroe, first place in both impromptu and extemporaneous speaking; Cindy Miller, first place, original oratory; Kathy Cooper, third place, after dinner speaking; third place with a duet acting team; Meg Griffin, third place, pantomime, and Sharon McHenry, third place, prose interpretation.

HUNTINGTON HIGH--Mike Godbey, first place, pantomime, Ed Heaberlin, second place, after dinner speaking; Brent Taggart, third place, extemporaneous speaking, and Jeff Westbrook, second place, pantomime.

DUVAL--Tina Huffman, first place, dramatic interpretation; Suzy Lovejoy, second place, extemporaneous speaking, and Jill Pauley, second place, original oratory.

FAIRMONT SENIOR--Betsy Talbott, first in after dinner speaking and third place in original oratory.

BARBOURSVILLE--Barbara Roush, first place, poetry interpretation, and Chris MacCourtney, third place, TV broadcasting.

PARKERSBURG SOUTH--Jane Stephens, first place, prose interpretation.

JOHN MARSHALL (GLEN DALE)--Lionel Cartwright, first place, TV broadcasting; Joel Plaez, third place, dramatic interpretation; Richard Elliott, third place, impromptu speaking, and Carol Simmons, third place, poetry interpretation.

HUNTINGTON EAST--Randy Clatworthy, second place, dramatic interpretation; second place with a duet acting team, and Lisa Keller, second place, impromptu speaking.

WHEELING CENTRAL CAHTOLIC--first place with a duet acting team, and Lynn Chinchek, second place, poetry interpretation.

MAGNOLIA--Jan Newman, second place, prose interpretation.

MILTON--Chris Fabry, second place, TV broadcasting.



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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Anna Russell, billed as the "world's funniest woman," will appear on the Marshall Artists Series Forum Series Tuesday, March 7, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

Admission to forum events is by season membership ticket or by MU Student Activity Card.

The concert program will include some old Anna Russell favorites, as well as several new musical parodies.

Described as a "madcap musical institution, who has charmed audiences around the world for several decades with her enactment and destruction of every musical cliché," Miss Russell originally was a serious classical singer.

In her performances, she has been known to tell stories at the piano, play bagpipes or the French horn and sing, putting serious music into "her improper perspective" and destroying the purists' rigidity.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The University Council, executive committee of the Marshall University faculty, has issued a statement calling for action to deal with what Marshall President Robert B. Hayes has termed "Marshall's approaching crisis."

In a Feb. 24 address to the faculty, Hayes warned that budget proposals being considered by the Legislature would not provide for Marshall's needs in the 1978-79 fiscal year. He warned of possible program cuts, continuing "depressed" salaries, staff losses, enrollment limitations and stymied progress unless the financial outlook is improved.

Dr. Sam Clagg, University Council chairman, said the group met March 1 to consider the ramifications of Hayes' address. "We voted to commend him for a factual, frank and statesmanlike speech," Clagg said. "He alerted the faculty to the crisis which Marshall University faces and he did it in a concrete and specific way which calls for a response and for action. The affluent period for higher education apparently has ended."

Clagg urged that groups and individuals concerned with the problem and willing to work toward a solution get in touch with the University Council. In turn, he said, the Council would be approaching a number

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of organizations and individuals "to develop some unified programs to restore higher education to its proper place among the state's priorities."

The Council's statement outlines several items "which can and should be done immediately if the crisis is to be weathered and overcome:

--Recognize the magnitude, the seriousness and the urgency of the crisis.

--In so far as possible, maintain a high quality educational program which would justify increased funding.

--Place the responsibility for increased funding where it belongs: in the Board of Regents, in the Governor's Office and in the State Legislature.

--Develop an educational program focused on the Board of Regents, the Governor's Office, the members of the Legislature and the public at large concerning the crucial role of higher education in the State of West Virginia at this time.

--Develop a priority system for the next five year plan (being developed under direction of the Board of Regents) which would rate the current needs; for example, faculty salaries, student scholarship funds, money for research, new program development, administrative salaries, maintenance, new equipment for the next budget year. This rating would be revised each year."

The statement adds, "it is clear that money must be secured through the Marshall Foundation from federal, state and private sources in the present and the future."

The statement concludes, "The University Council urges the faculty, the members of the administration and other concerned groups to cooperate in developing a program that would implement the above suggestions and other ideas that will assist in meeting the crisis that faces Marshall University."





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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University School of Medicine has been awarded \$3,000 by the Upjohn Company, a pharmaceutical firm headquartered in Kalamazoo, Mich.

Announcement of the gift was made today by Dr. Robert W. Coon, MU medical school dean, and Dr. Bernard Queen, executive director of the Marshall Foundation. The Foundation administers private funds contributed to the university.

The unrestricted grant will be used to assist in developing a psycho-pharmacology program within the School of Medicine which will be directed by Dr. Donald Robinson, head of the school's Pharmacology Department, according to the dean.

"We expect to use this gift as seed money for the development of teaching and research programs in clinical psycho-pharmacology," Dr. Robinson said. "Psycho-pharmacology is the study of the proper use of those drugs that act upon the mind. It deals with the legitimate medical use of drugs, rather than the aspects of drug abuse," he explained.

"Our program will be developed in conjunction with the Departments of Psychiatry and Medicine and will benefit medical students, physicians-in-training, and community physicians," he said.

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One of the outgrowths anticipated is a mood disorders treatment program in conjunction with the Model Family Practice Center, Robinson said. "Mood disorders are a common occurrence among patients seen by family practitioners," he added.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Chess Club will hold its fourth Spring Open NP Tournament on Saturday and Sunday, March 11-12, in Memorial Student Center.

Registration will be conducted on March 11 from 8 to 9:30 a.m. and there will be a \$15 entry fee, according to John Roush, Winifrede junior and tournament director.

Membership in the United States Chess Federation and the West Virginia Chess Association is required for tournament players. Memberships will be available at the registration desk, Roush said.

Play will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, with subsequent rounds at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. On Sunday rounds are scheduled for 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Prizes will be awarded to first and second place winners.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--On Wednesday, March 1, Joseph W. Corder Jr., Marshall University Military Science Department chairman, received his silver oak leaves, symbolic of his promotion from major to lieutenant colonel in the U.S. Army.

U.S. Army Col. George E. Peters of Fort Bragg, N.C., officiated at the pinning ceremony held in the Presidents Room of Memorial Student Center.

Corder, who holds the faculty rank of professor of military science, joined the military science staff at Marshall in 1975 and became departmental chairman in January, 1977.

A native of Charleston, Corder is a distinguished graduate of the Artillery Officer Candidate School, Fort Sill, Okla. He holds a Master of Business Administration degree from Marshall. He earned his undergraduate degree from the University of Nebraska.

Joining the Army in 1960, Corder was commissioned as second lieutenant in 1962. He held various posts at Fort Sill before being assigned in 1964 to Germany as executive officer and battery commander of Battery B, 1st Battalion, 68th Artillery.

Returning to the United States in 1966, he served as recruiting officer in Pennsylvania and later headed the Armed Forces Examining and Entrance Station at Beckley.

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He commanded Battery D, 4th Battalion, 60th Artillery in Vietnam from January, 1968, until he was wounded in March, 1968. Reassigned to Vietnam in 1970, Corder served successively as S-1, XXIV Corps Artillery, Da Nang, and battalion operations/executive officer, 2nd Battalion, 94th Field Artillery in northern South Vietnam.

Upon his return to the United States, he was assigned to Fort Sill as battalion executive officer. He also attended the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Corder and his wife, the former Marilyn Mills, reside in Barboursville and are the parents of two children.

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**ARCHIVES**

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Henry Kyemba, a former high ranking member of Ugandan dictator Idi Amin's cabinet, will speak at Marshall University on Tuesday, March 7, at 8 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center.

Kyemba, who has known Amin for 20 years, will discuss Amin's reign of terror. Kyemba's own brother is among the estimated 150,000 people who have been killed by Amin.

The lecture, which is free and open to the public, is sponsored by the Lecture Series and Contemporary Issues Committee of the Marshall Student Activities Office.

Vice president of the World Health Organization and chairman of the African Health Ministers, Kyemba served as Amin's minister of health from 1974 until he defected to Great Britain in May, 1977.

Prior to Amin's takeover of the government in 1971, Kyemba was private secretary to the then president, Dr. Milton Oboto. He retained the post under Amin and became minister of culture and community development in 1972.

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Born in 1939, Kyemba was one of 11 children of a chief of the Bugosa tribe. He earned a degree in history from Makerere University. After joining the Colonial Service in 1962, he was invited to join the staff of Dr. Obote, who was prime minister at that time.

Among the topics Kyemba is expected to discuss are:

...The murder of Archbishop Luwum and two cabinet members in February, 1977, the act which precipitated Kyemba's decision to defect.

...His escape with wife and children.

...Amin's mental state, his vacillation and his desire to be worshipped.

...The fate of Mrs. Dora Bloch, the Israeli grandmother, in whose death Kyemba implicates Amin.

...Uganda's foreign relations and how Amin disguises the nature of his rule.

Kyemba is also the author of a book on what is happening in Uganda, entitled "A State of Blood: The Inside Story of Idi Amin."

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A John Philip Sousa march and a medley of principal selections from an operetta are part of a Marshall University Wind Symphony program scheduled Thursday, March 16.

Conducted by Richard Lemke, assistant professor of music and director of bands, the free, public concert will begin at 8 p.m. in Smith recital hall.

Musical selections will include "Die Fledermaus Overture" by Johann Strauss Jr., "Alba Sentimentale" by R. Fasoli, "Symphony No.2" by John Barnes Chance, "The Fairest of the Fair" by Sousa, "Lincolnshire Posy" by Percy Aldridge Grainger and "Caccia and Chorale" by Clifton Williams.

Paul Jennings, a staff arranger in the music department, will be recording technician.

Wind Symphony musicians are selected from the Marshall band program and are a touring concert group.

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 Carney and Sandy Fisher, both of Sissonville; Tammy Bailey of Poca; David Nunley of Charleston;

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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; Jeff Myers, graduate assistant, of Coshocton, Ohio; Joe MacFarlane of Woodbridge, Va.; Kenneth Dunn of Manassas, Va., and Robert Mesite of Nokesville, Va.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Students from more than 16 schools in Ohio and West Virginia are expected to attend a broadcasting workshop, sponsored by the Marshall University Speech Department, on Friday and Saturday, March 10-11.

Jack Canfield, special assistant to Governor John D. Rockefeller and former television newsman, will be the keynote speaker at the opening session on Friday evening. A former member of the West Virginia House of Delegates, Canfield was co-founder of a Charleston-based public relations firm. He also served as press secretary to former Governor Hulett C. Smith from 1965 to 1969 and as press secretary to Rockefeller during his 1972 gubernatorial campaign.

The theme for the two-day session will be "Broadcasting--Its Organization, Operation and Career Opportunities," according to workshop coordinator Dr. C.A. Kellner, MU associate professor of speech.

The program has been designed to provide the students "hands on" experience, using the facilities of the campus radio station, WMUL-FM, and the studios of WMUL-TV, a PBS station, located on the Marshall campus. Also scheduled are discussions of the career opportunities in broadcasting and special workshops for the speech teachers.

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The workshop sessions will be conducted by members of the Marshall speech faculty, speech students and radio and television representatives from Tri-State Area.

Among the broadcasting personnel expected to participate are Joanne Jaeger, WSAZ-TV; Chris Walus, WKEE Radio; Chip Spencer, WGNT Radio; Ron Winders, WOWK-TV; Frank Giardinia, Marshall University Sports Information Office; Keith Spears, WFGH Radio (Fort Gay); Mike Kirtner, WTCR Radio (Ashland, Ky.); Tom Conners, WOWK-TV; Troy Price, Century Cable Company; Steve Kniffin, Capitol Cablevision, and Carol Brodtrick, WMUL-TV.

Registration for the workshop will be limited to 200 persons, Kellner said. West Virginia high schools indicating they plan to participate include:

Huntington East, Ceredo-Kenova, Barboursville, Princeton, Charleston Central Catholic, Greenbrier East, Greenbrier West, Buffalo of Wayne, Scott of Madison, Oak Hill, Musselman of Bunker Hill and St. Francis Central of Morgantown. Ohio schools expected include Wheelersburg, Chesapeake, and Rock Hill.

Also attending will be students from Enslow Junior High School of Huntington.

Additional information on the workshop may be obtained by calling the Marshall University Speech Department, 696-6786.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The later years can be lonely and sometimes financially unstable for retired persons.

With that in mind, Marshall University's Community College will offer a non-credit course March 15 through May 24 geared toward persons in their retirement years, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director.

"Preparation For Retirement" will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesdays in Room 409, Smith Hall. The \$25 class fee does not include classroom materials.

Dr. Richard Comfort, Marshall professor of sociology and anthropology, will discuss both mental and physical approaches of better living in later years.

Course topics will include meaningful use of time, financial planning, attitude, role adjustment and legal affairs.

Interested persons are asked to call Lawson at 696-3646. Registration will be conducted at the first class session.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A seminar on "Women in Business," sponsored by Marshall University's College of Business, will be held at Memorial Student Center from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday, March 14.

Registration is under way for the seminar which is open to all Tri-State Area women, according to Pauletta Wilson, MU management instructor and seminar coordinator. "The seminar is aimed both at those women already pursuing business careers and those women who may be considering entering the business world," Mrs. Wilson said.

The registration deadline is Friday, March 10. There will be a registration fee of \$10 for the general public and a \$5 fee for students.

The seminar is designed to create an awareness of women's abilities among both men and women and to assist women in furthering their careers, Mrs. Wilson said.

Mae Walterhouse, federal women's program coordinator for the Environmental Protection Agency in Washington, D.C., will conduct a workshop on "Career Development" during the morning session.

During her 23-year career with the federal government, Ms. Walterhouse has held a variety of positions ranging from secretary to program analyst. Prior to assuming her current post, she was a participant in the National Aeronautic and Space Administration's Career Development Program in Washington.

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The luncheon speaker will be Beverly Hall of Charleston, staff supervisor of independent company relations and settlements for the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company. Her topic will be "Woman Power--It's Much Too Good To Waste." A former statistical marketing research employee with Ernst and Ernst of New York, Mrs. Hall has worked with C&P as an engineering supervisor, operator services manager, personnel supervisor and secretary.

Following the luncheon, there will be a panel discussion on women in business by seven area business women. The panel participants include:

--Carolyn Davis of Jefferson and Harris, a Huntington Certified Public Accountants firm;

--Phyllis Given, real estate broker and head of the Given Realty Company, Milton;

--Carol Hartley of Kenova, a former small business owner;

--Phyllis Arnold, vice president in the commercial banking division of the Kanawha Valley Bank in Charleston;

--Nina Williams, account executive with Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith, Huntington office;

--Janet Cordle, employment representative, Ashland Oil, Inc.;

--Reba Fitzgerald, owner, Fitzgerald Engines, Huntington.

Registration forms and additional information may be obtained by calling (304) 696-2312 or by writing: College of Business, Marshall University, Huntington, W.Va. 25701.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The student is 7,000 miles from home. His rent is overdue. His tuition must be paid soon or his class enrollment is going to be canceled. He's already had an emergency loan from the university, but the school has gone as far as it legally can. He's broke and he's in trouble.

Back home, his parents have the money he needs but for some reason they can't get it to him. It may be a new economic policy or a political change in his country's government. It may be a creaking bureaucracy holding up the transfer of funds. It may be a strike by postal workers in his homeland. Or it may be a simple misunderstanding by a "stranger in a strange land."

The situation is not hypothetical. Nor are the various reasons. At one time or another, many of the 200-plus international students at Marshall University have found themselves in a financial plight--and usually it is not their fault.

For that reason, Marshall's International Club is establishing a contingency loan fund through the Marshall Foundation in order to be able to assist international students during financial crises.

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Several students currently are in a critical situation, according to Judith Miller, international students adviser at Marshall. And such problems are not unique to Marshall, she noted. "Because of circumstances beyond their control, international students on every campus frequently encounter problems in receiving their money from their homeland," she said.

"Fourteen students have been in financial trouble this semester because their money has been held up in their homeland," Mrs. Miller said. "Eight of them have been able to clear up their immediate problems, but six are still awaiting the arrival of their funds. Right now, we need funds to assist them until they get their money."

She said the International Club is planning a number of fundraising events to start the contingency loan fund. In addition, contributions earmarked for the fund will be accepted through the Marshall Foundation.

"Once we can set up a loan fund of several thousand dollars, it should be self-sustaining as the students are able to repay the emergency loans," she said.

Mrs. Miller said Marshall officials have taken a number of steps to assist the students involved in a financial crisis, "but we've done about all we can do as a state-supported institution."

Contributions for the contingency loan fund may be sent to the Marshall University Foundation, Inc., in care of the university. Checks may be earmarked "International Students Fund."





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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Theatre West Virginia will present "The Fantasticks," an unconventional musical about love, at 8 p.m. Monday, March 13, in Marshall University's Old Main Auditorium.

The free, public performance is sponsored by the Cultural Arts Committee of Marshall's Student Activities Office with financial assistance from the West Virginia Arts and Humanities Commission.

Written by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt, "The Fantasticks" is an adaptation of Edmund Rostand's parable about love, "Les Romanesques." The musical opened at the Sullivan Street Playhouse in New York's Greenwich Village on May 3, 1960, and has been performed continuously there since that time.

In addition to the theme of maturing love, "The Fantasticks" has an underlying philosophy concerned with the seasonal rebirth.

"Those who see the play," Jones says, "must feel this, the necessity of winter to insure the rebirth of spring. Otherwise, they miss the whole point."

This presentation by Theatre West Virginia is produced and directed by John S. Benjamin and Ewel Cornett with Dr. Michael E. Cerveris, MU professor of music, as instrumental director.

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Cornett is the chief administrator for Theatre Arts of West Virginia, the non-profit corporation which operates Theatre West Virginia and the outdoor musicals, "Honey in the Rock," and "Hatfields and McCoys." In addition to a number of acting credits, Benjamin is a former director of Huntington's Community Players. Benjamin is also a cast member in the production.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Ohio Ballet, considered by critics as "one of the nation's brightest, emerging new performing ensembles," will appear on the Marshall Artists Series Baxter Series on Tuesday, March 14, at 8 p.m. in the Keith-Albee Theater.

Tickets may be purchased from the Kenney Music Company or from the Marshall University Music Department office. Ticket prices are \$8 for main floor or loge seats and \$6 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 \$4 each for main floor or loge seats and \$3 for balcony seats.

The Ohio Ballet, the resident company at the University of Akron, has received high praise from critics for its classically-inspired ballets by its artistic director, Heinz Poll, who founded the company in 1968.

The group's performance on the Artists Series has been partially funded by a grant from the West Virginia Arts and Humanities Council.

Among the pieces tentatively scheduled to be performed here are three movements from "Concerto Grosso," with music by Ernest Bloch; "Scenes from Childhood," with music by Robert Schumann, and "On and Off Day," with music by Antonio Vivaldi, arranged and adapted by Chico O'Farrill.

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On Monday, March 13, the ballet company will conduct a residency program in the Women's Gynasium at Marshall. Registration will be from 8:30 to 9:45 a.m. Additional information on the residency program may be obtained from Dr. Mary Marshall, director of the dance division of Marshall's Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department, (304) 696-3186.

The Ohio Ballet has performed at the New York Dance Festival in Central Park, at the inaugural season of the Spoleto Festival USA as only one of two companies invited to perform at the Charleston, S.C. event, and at Jacob's Pillow, held at Ted Shawn's University of the Dance, Lee, Mass.

Walter Terry, writing for the Saturday Review, described the company as "utterly delightful."

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Sara E. Anderson, a member of the Marshall University faculty since 1966, has been appointed dean of the College of Business. The announcement was made today by Dr. Noel J. Richards, vice president for academic affairs.

Dr. Anderson has served as interim dean of the college since last summer when Dr. L. Aubrey Drewry Jr. resigned the post. She had been associate dean of the college since 1973, in addition to serving as professor of office administration.

"We are very pleased that a member of the Marshall faculty emerged as the top candidate in the long, rigorous search process," Richards said. "Dr. Anderson is familiar with the College of Business program, its faculty, its needs and our ambitions for its further development. I believe she will provide the type of leadership we need to achieve those ambitions."

A native of Rockingham County, N.C., Dr. Anderson earned her B.S. degree in secretarial science from the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina (now the University of North Carolina at Greensboro). She received her M.S. from the University of North Carolina and her Ed.D. degree in business education from Indiana University.

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She taught for three years in North Carolina high schools, served as secretary to the War Finance Committee of the U.S. Treasury Department for two years during World War II, and later taught at Coker College in South Carolina and at Radford College and Madison College in Virginia before coming to Marshall.

Dr. Anderson has served as president of the Southern Business Association. She received the 1976 Diamond Merit Award, highest service award presented by the International Administrative Management Society, and is listed in "The World Who's Who of Women" and "The Dictionary of International Biography."

Dr. Anderson is active in the Woman's Club of Huntington, Johnson Memorial United Methodist Church, the Huntington chapter of the Administrative Management Society, the Huntington Panhellenic Association and Tri-State Alumnae Chapter of Phi Mu Fraternity. She is the author of a number of articles prepared for professional publications.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Warren W. Wooden, associate professor of English at Marshall University, has been awarded a post-doctoral fellowship for summer study at Duke University in Durham, N.C.

A Marshall faculty member since 1968, Wooden is one of only 25 fellows selected from throughout the United States to participate in the 1978 Southeastern Institute of Medieval and Renaissance Studies.

Wooden will be one of five fellows in a post-doctoral seminar on the early 16th Century Humanist, Erasmus, who is considered the greatest of Humanists. Directed by Myron P. Gilmore, a Harvard University professor, the seminar is scheduled from July 3 to Aug. 11.

Seminar participants will focus on an analysis of Erasmus' intellectual and religious position. Participants also will do individual research related to the seminar topic.

The Southeastern Institute of Medieval Renaissance Studies, established for the advancement of scholarship and improvement of teaching, is supported by grants from the National Endowment for the Humanities and the Duke Endowment. Participants must have scholarly interest in all areas of medieval and Renaissance studies.

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Wooden received his Ph.D. degree from Vanderbilt University. He wrote his dissertation on Sir Thomas More's "Utopia," and specializes in English Renaissance literature. He is the author of several scholarly articles and papers on the period.

The Raleigh, N.C., native was awarded summer grants under the Younger Humanists Program of the National Endowment for the Humanities in 1973 and by the American Philosophical Society in 1977.

He received his B.A. degree from the University of North Carolina and his M.A. degree from the University of Mississippi.

Wooden and his wife, the former Sammye Cox, are the parents of three children.

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

ATTENTION: Business Editors

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The importance of oral and written skills in the job market recently was discussed by Huntington area business representatives addressing advanced business communications classes taught by Sarah N. Denman, coordinator of communications for Marshall University's Community College.

Other topics included interviewing skills, job opportunities, and qualities the world of business seeks in a job applicant, according to Mrs. Denman.

Speakers were Ray Nissen, director of personnel administration, Marshall University; Steve Bias, personnel development, Huntington Alloys Inc.; David Chapman, records and placement branch, Huntington District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Janice Edwards, office manager and Certified Public Accountant, Somerville and Co., Huntington; and Patricia May, Federal Women's Program Coordinator, and Ted Nicely, assistant personnel director, both of the Veterans Administration's Huntington office.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A two-day workshop on "Multicultural, Non-Sexist Education: Theory to Practice" will be held at Marshall University March 16-17 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Memorial Student Center.

Agencies sponsoring the workshop include: Marshall's Curriculum and Foundations Department, the Marshall Foundation's Distinguished Lectureship Series program, the Cabell County Teacher Education Center, and the Office of Equal Educational Opportunity of the West Virginia Department of Education.

The workshop is designed to assist participants in developing practical skills for use in a multicultural approach to teaching social studies, language arts, music, art, science and mathematics.

Workshop consultants and resource persons include:

- Dr. Hans Olsen, dean, College of Education, University of Missouri.
- Dr. Glennis Cunningham, chairperson, Education Division, Fairmont State College.
- Dr. Philip Faini, professor of music, West Virginia University.
- Dr. Stanley Baker, assistant professor of education and Reading Services Center director, Virginia Commonwealth University at Richmond.
- Dr. Clifford Bennett, assistant professor of social studies education, University of Virginia at Charlottesville.

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--Dr. Ruth Wellman, associate professor of education, Marshall University.

School administrators, curriculum specialists and supervisors from Cabell, Mason, Jackson, Wayne, Putnam, Lincoln and Logan counties have been invited to attend. The sessions are open to Marshall faculty members, associate teachers and other interested persons, according to Dr. Kathryn Wright, MU assistant professor of education, who is coordinating the workshop with Margaret Mills of the State Department of Education's Equal Educational Opportunity Office.

Additional information on the workshop may be obtained by calling Dr. Wright at 696-3101.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Carolyn Karr, Marshall University associate professor of social studies, has been appointed to serve on the national board of directors of Rural Women of America.

A new organization established to represent the interests of rural women, Rural Women of America is an outgrowth of last month's White House Conference on the Needs of Rural Women.

Dr. Karr addressed the conference participants, discussing the educational and health needs of Appalachian women. Mrs. Judy Carter, daughter-in-law of President Jimmy Carter, was instrumental in establishing the organization, which will serve as an advocacy group and communication link for rural women.

A native of Huntington, Dr. Karr has been a Marshall faculty member since 1966. She earned her undergraduate and master's degrees from Marshall and received her doctorate from Ohio State University.

A Danforth Associate, she has taught at Purdue University and in the Cabell County school system.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Twenty-five Marshall University students have been selected to appear in the 1977-78 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges," according to Mary-Ann Thomas, associate dean of student life.

The outstanding students "join an elite group of students selected from more than 1,000 institutions of higher learning in all 50 states, the District of Columbia and several foreign nations," Ms. Thomas said.

Campus nominating committees and editors of the annual directory selected students based on their academic achievement, service to the community and leadership in extracurricular activities, she said. The directory has been published since 1934.

Huntington residents selected are Katina Cummings, Joel Patrick Jones and David Lawhon, all seniors; Jeffrey Clemens, Joseph M. Kowalski and Rita Sowards, all juniors, and James M. Gray, graduate student.

Other West Virginia residents are Harold D. Bunch, Madison graduate student; D. Jean Chaney, Hurricane junior; Cynthia Conrad, Triadelphia senior; Florence Louise Crum, Scott Depot senior; Ginger Jo Farmer, St. Albans senior; Terry Lynn McNeer and Susan Leslie Shepard, both St. Albans juniors; Katrina A. Johnston, Williamson junior;

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Kim Lee Martin, Dunbar senior; Cindy Lou Mills and Richard Ramell, both Charleston seniors; G. LeAnn Uhl, South Charleston senior; Rosalie Ortega, Red House senior; J. Ramon Rappold, Alloy graduate student, and Donald Glenn Wilson, Grantsville senior.

Students from other states are Alina M. Fleites, Ironton, Ohio, senior; Leesa McGuire, Gallipolis, Ohio, senior, and Denise E. Maceyko, Washington, Pa., junior.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Marshall University's "Thundering Word"

Individual Events (IE) team won first place in the IE Tournament held at Muskingum College, New Concord, Ohio, last weekend (March 10-11).

Marshall team members took first places in five out of eight events, winning the tournament over competitors from such schools as Ohio University, Ohio State University and West Virginia University, according to Maureen Milicia, MU assistant professor of speech and team coach.

Mark Hickman, Lewisburg junior, won first place in both prose and poetry interpretation contests and teamed with Bob Lesh, Wheeling junior, to take a first in duo acting. Hickman also placed fifth in after dinner speaking.

Janet Graber, Canton, Ohio, sophomore, won first place in extemporaneous speaking and took sixth place in duo with Lesh. Jennie Sexton, Huntington junior, was the first place winner in after dinner speaking.

Other team members in the finals were:

--Lesh, fourth in poetry interpretation.

--Greg Tillman, New Orleans, La., senior, second in after dinner and sixth in persuasion.

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--Rita Sowards, Huntington junior, second in impromptu speaking.

--Stewart Glass, Parkersburg sophomore, sixth in impromptu speaking.

A quartet composed of Hickman, Ms. Sexton, Ms. Sowards and Tillman placed third in Reader's Theater competition.

The Marshall team placed members in seven out of eight categories in the final rounds, Miss Milicia said.

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE

## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Flying high with the use of altimeters and coming back to earth with landing gear is a goal that is within reach for persons completing the "Learning About Aeronautics" class at Marshall University's Community College.

Due to the "tremendous success" of the first course, another non-credit course is scheduled from April 3 through May 10, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of continuing education for the Community College. The cost of the course is \$40, which includes the registration fee and necessary study materials.

Designed to help persons prepare to take the private pilot written examination administered by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), classes will meet Mondays and Wednesdays from 7 to 10 p.m. in Room 122, Gullickson Hall. The FAA test is a step toward fulfilling flight requirements necessary to become a licensed pilot.

Although no actual flying is involved, the course should give an individual insight into whether he or she would enjoy flight or would be qualified for an aviation career, Lawson said.

Highlighted by graphic illustrations and demonstrations, the course will cover basics including aerodynamics and flight instrumentation.

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John Condon of Flight Services Inc. will teach the public service class. Condon, a flight instructor and pilot with a transport pilot's rating, has a ground school instructor's rating and has been a flight instructor in single and multi-engine aircraft.

Interested persons are asked to contact Lawson at (304) 696-3646 to register as soon as possible.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Eli Lilly and Company of Indianapolis, Ind., has awarded \$25,000 in unrestricted funds to the Marshall University School of Medicine.

The announcement was made today by Dr. Robert W. Coon, MU vice president for health sciences and medical school dean, and Dr. Bernard Queen, executive director of the Marshall Foundation, which administers private funds given the university.

In the letter accompanying the check, Dr. S.O. Waife, director of the pharmaceutical firm's research laboratories, said, "We are pleased to be of assistance to you in the formative months."

The funds, according to Coon, will be used for program and faculty development. "Gifts such as this play a very important role in any medical school's development," the dean said.

"We are very appreciative of the Lilly company's generosity. Private funds provide valuable assistance in quickening the pace of development," he added.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A \$5,000 check, earmarked for cancer research, has been presented to the Marshall University School of Medicine by the Huntington Clinical Foundation.

Announcement of the gift was made today by Dr. Robert W. Coon, MU medical school dean, and Dr. Bernard Queen, executive director of the Marshall Foundation.

"We sincerely appreciate the continuing interest and support of the Huntington Clinical Foundation," Dr. Queen said in accepting the check from L.F. Norton, chairman of the Clinical Foundation.

The gift will be used to support clinical cancer investigation to be directed by Dr. George J. Hill, medical school associate dean for clinical affairs and Surgery Department chairman, with assistance by Dr. Nancy Scher, who will join the MU Medicine Department faculty in July.

"In this project we will study the effects of combination treatments of therapy, surgery, radiation therapy, chemotherapy and immunotherapy on adult cancer patients," Hill said. "Our goal is to improve the results of current treatments."

The research will be carried out in conjunction with the Southeastern Cancer Study Group, headquartered at the University of Alabama; the National Cancer Institute and the American Cancer Society.

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Endowed by the late Rufus Switzer, prominent Huntington resident and former mayor, the Huntington Clinical Foundation was established to further medical education and to build better health in the community.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Johnny is a mess. His hair is so long it falls nearly to his waist. His ragged T-shirt and his patched jeans appear to be Salvation Army rejects. His feet are encased in worn, filthy tennis shoes--sans socks. You are his high school teacher and he sickens you.

Should you suspend him from class until he decides to make himself more presentable?

Mrs. Twiddle has been teaching at the local high school for 12 years. For the last three years, the school has been administering standardized tests in the subject she teaches. Consistently, her students have scored well below the school and national averages on these tests. You are the superintendent of her county school system.

Should you or can you refuse to renew her contract this fall?

The school newspaper got to be a problem last year, criticizing some of the teachers and running some articles of questionable taste.

Should you, as principal, check every article before it is published?

Archie is a fairly good basketball player. Last summer, his girlfriend had a baby and Archie has admitted he is the father, but they don't plan to get married. You're his basketball coach and your moral standards are high.

Should you kick him off the basketball team?

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These are some of the problems educators encounter frequently. There are a lot more--and increasingly those problems are winding up in court.

In response to the situation, three members of the Marshall University staff, Dr. Neil L. Gibbins, Dr. Zane McCoy and Dr. Bernard Queen, have written a handbook to help West Virginia public school personnel, board of education members and students understand the legal framework which governs their careers and their lives. The book, "Law of Free Public Education in West Virginia," has just been published by Interstate Printers & Publishers of Danville, Ill.

"School leaders and employees today are faced with an unprecedented barrage of legal and political activism," the authors note in their preface. "In the face of these challenges and the threat they pose to the stability of the organization and the security of school leaders and employees, a knowledge of school law appears essential."

The book includes not only the laws pertaining to public education in the state, but also clarifies them and cites court rulings elsewhere which have implications in West Virginia.

Gibbins, a member of the College of Education faculty at Marshall since 1963, is chairman of the Department of Educational Administration and Supervision. McCoy is a professor in that department and has been a member of the faculty since 1969. Queen, currently the university's director of development, is a former dean of the College of Education. He was Wayne County superintendent of schools before joining the Marshall faculty in 1963.

The softbound book may be obtained at the Marshall Book Store for \$4.95. Those wishing to order it by mail should include an additional 75 cents to cover handling and mailing costs.



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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--"One hour" doors. Automatic sprinklers that gush 15 gallons of water per minute. High masonry walls.

These are a few precautions necessary to protect individuals and property from the unrelenting rage of a fire. Few persons are aware of the numerous safeguards required to insure the protection of individuals.

But Marshall University's Community College offers a program to prepare individuals to save lives and prevent injuries in work areas.

Students in the Occupational Safety and Health technology program recently toured campus buildings with Assistant West Virginia Fire Marshal George Baxter Brown.

The official pointed out fire-rated doors and detection equipment installed to comply with the National Fire Protection Code. The tour was one of many special projects designed to give students practical experience in detecting violations that could endanger lives.

"Industrial safety includes the protection of people and equipment," according to Occupational Safety and Health Program Coordinator George M. Frisch. "Fires take a tremendous toll. It's important for students who are interested in occupational safety and health to be aware of the problems of fire safety as well as problems of machinery and protection of the health of working people."

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Safety programs in the United States grew tremendously after passage of the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) in 1970, Frisch said. The act "required safety by law," the former safety administrator of the South Charleston plant of Union Carbide Corp. said, "and, for the first time, permitted workers to complain about working conditions without fear of reprisal from employers."

The Community College program could benefit anyone, Frisch continued. "Not very many schools provide this kind of preparation. The kind of education provided in this course has a universal application. Everything we teach applies to everyday life and can be used in homes as well as the work place."

The Occupational Safety and Health program is completing its third year as part of the Community College curriculum. The Community College offers courses on the Huntington campus of Marshall and in Point Pleasant, W.Va., at the Mason County Vocational Technical Center.

The students range from recent high school graduates to employees already working in the area of safety. "Some students, hoping for promotions, are seeking more education in the field," the coordinator explained. "Some working in other areas want to change their industrial jobs to ones in safety."

Graduates receive an Associate in Applied Science degree. They primarily become occupational safety and health technicians and assist safety administrators, who usually have four-year college degrees.

According to the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, OSH technicians' duties include inspecting the work place to find if safety and health standards are being maintained; operating employee protection equipment; investigating worker accidents, and training workers in accident and disease prevention.

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They are employed by industrial plants and factories, at construction sites, in commerce, and by federal, state and local governments.

Persons entering the two-year program at the Community College must have the equivalent of a high school diploma, Frisch said. Mathematics and science courses necessary in the field are provided in the program.

A Certificate of Proficiency is awarded to students who complete designated technical courses.

Course instructors either have experience or currently are working in the safety field. Instructors are B. Eugene Nutter, safety specialist, South Charleston plant of Union Carbide Corp.; Leon B. Rhodes, area safety manager, Allied Chemical Corp., Nitro, W.Va., and former safety coordinator of Chemetron Corp.'s Pigment Division in Huntington; P. Fred Edelman, safety supervisor, Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., Point Pleasant, W.Va., and Dr. Abdul H. Qazi, senior industrial hygienist, Research and Development Department, Union Carbide Corp.

More information about Community College programs is available by contacting the college at (304) 696-3646.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Jon D. Cooksey, an Ashland, Ky., native, has joined the Marshall University School of Medicine faculty and the medical staff at Huntington Veterans Administration Hospital. The dual appointment was announced today by Dr. Robert W. Coon, dean of the medical school.

Cooksey is serving as professor of medicine and chief of the cardiology section of the Marshall medical school's Medicine Department, in addition to his position as chief of the cardiology section at the VA Hospital.

"Having grown up in the Tri-State Area, I was extremely pleased to have this opportunity to return," Cooksey said. "I feel privileged to be associated with the many outstanding physicians involved with the Marshall medical school efforts."

Cooksey has held several positions at Washington University's School of Medicine in St. Louis, Mo., including: assistant professor of preventive medicine, assistant professor of medicine, cardiologist for the Lipid Research Center, and associate director of the Irene Walter Johnson Institute of Rehabilitation.

He also was a cardiology consultant to the Jewish Hospital of St. Louis.

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Cooksey attended the University of Kentucky and earned his M.D. degree from Tulane University. He served an internship at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit. After a residency at Tulane University's Charity Hospital, he held a three-year cardiology fellowship at Washington University's School of Medicine.

He has co-authored more than a dozen articles which have appeared in professional journals. Cooksey is a member of several medical associations, including the American College of Cardiology and the American College of Physicians.

He and his wife, the former Nancy Rumsey, are the parents of three children.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Maurice W. Ross Jr., a senior at Marshall University from Colorado Springs, Colo., has been selected as a recipient of the George C. Marshall ROTC Award.

Given for the first time this year, the award was established by the U.S. Army in conjunction with the George C. Marshall Research Foundation, Lexington, Va., according to Lt. Col. Joseph W. Corder Jr., MU professor of military science and departmental chairman.

The award will be accorded outstanding seniors in college and university ROTC programs in recognition of leadership abilities, Corder said.

An outstanding soldier and statesman, Marshall was Army Chief of Staff, 1939-1945; Secretary of State, 1947-1949; Secretary of Defense, 1950-1951, and recipient of a Nobel Peace Prize in 1953.

As a Marshall ROTC Award recipient, Ross will participate in a conference on national security issues to be held in Lexington April 20-22. He also will receive a certificate from the Foundation and a biography of Gen. Marshall, written by Dr. Forrest C. Pogue, director of the Eisenhower Institute, Smithsonian Institution.

At the university, Ross serves as recruiting officer (S-5) in the Cadet Battalion; executive officer of K-12 National Society of Scabbard and Blade, and team leader of the Ranger Platoon.

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A dormitory resident advisor, he has earned several honors, including the Superior Cadet Medal and the American Legion Military Excellence Silver Medal. He is active in several campus organizations.

Ross expects to receive his B.A. degree in political science in May, 1979, and be commissioned as a Regular Army Field Artillery Officer. He also plans to earn a Master of Business Administration degree later.

Serving as co-chairman of the ROTC Award Conference are Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, former chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Henry Cabot Lodge, former senator and ambassador. Both are trustees of the Foundation, headquartered near Virginia Military Institute, from which Marshall graduated.

Among the speakers scheduled for the conference is Dean Rusk, former Secretary of State under Presidents John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson, now Sibley professor of international law at the University of Georgia.

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**ARCHIVES**

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--The Marshall University Choral Union and Orchestra will present Mendelssohn's oratorio, "St. Paul," at 8 p.m. Sunday and Monday, April 2-3, in Smith Recital Hall.

The two performances will be free and open to the public, according to Dr. Paul A. Balshaw, MU professor of music and Choral Union director.

Huntington baritone Ed Harkless will be featured in the title role.

Also appearing as soloists will be Kimberly Vineyard, Spencer sophomore, soprano; Catherine Schoew, Huntington graduate, mezzo-soprano; J. Allen Whitesides, Huntington junior, tenor; Bill Glover, Huntington sophomore, tenor, and Rick Woods, Huntington junior, baritone.

Completed in 1836 as Mendelssohn's first major oratorio, "St. Paul" contains much beautiful and highly dramatic music, Balshaw said.

The chorale, "Sleepers 'wake," is featured in several of the musical sections, he added.

The oratorio is based on the story of the conversion of Saul of Tarsus, later known as the apostle Paul. Beginning with the martyrdom of St. Stephen, the work depicts various events in Paul's ministry.

"Sections of the oratorio have been performed previously by the local churches, but this will be the first local performance of the work with orchestra," Balshaw said.





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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. John Friedl, associate professor of anthropology at Ohio State University, will visit Marshall University Thursday and Friday, March 30-31.

On Thursday, March 30, he will present a free, public lecture on "Improving Health Care for Appalachian Migrants" at 8 p.m. in the Science Hall Auditorium.

Friedl's campus visit is sponsored by the American Anthropological Association's Visiting Lecture Program, the Marshall Foundation's Distinguished Lectureship Series, and the MU Sociology/Anthropology Department. While on campus he will meet informally with students and faculty.

Well known in anthropological circles, Friedl has been at OSU since 1971. A graduate of the University of California at Berkeley, he earned his B.A., M.A., and Ph.D. degrees there. He also taught at the Berkeley campus.

A member of Phi Beta Kappa, Friedl has received a number of research grants and was presented OSU's Outstanding Teacher Award in 1975. Medical anthropology is one of his areas of special emphasis.

A native of Cleveland, Ohio, Friedl has written several textbooks, including "Anthropology: The Study of People," published last year by Harper and Row. He is the author of numerous articles which have appeared in various professional journals and magazines.

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He has presented papers at anthropological meetings in the United States and Europe. He also has conducted research in Switzerland.

He is a fellow of the American Anthropological Association, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Royal Anthropological Institute of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Society for Applied Anthropology. Friedl also is a member of the Society for Medical Anthropology.

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**ARCHIVES**

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Two Marshall University School of Medicine faculty members will be guest speakers at a meeting of the Marshall University Sigma Xi Club at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday (March 29) in Science Hall Room 211.

Dr. George J. Hill II, Surgery Department chairman and associate dean for clinical affairs, and Dr. Helene Hill, associate professor of biochemistry, will discuss "Amygdalin and Cancer."

The meeting is open to anyone interested in the medical treatment of cancer.

The Sigma Xi Club is a national science honorary.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--A leading New England nursing educator and administrator has been named dean of the Marshall University School of Nursing, Dr. Robert W. Coon, MU vice president for health sciences, announced today.

Dr. Virginia O. Allen, currently an associate professor of nursing and head of the University of Vermont School of Nursing's two-year associate degree program at Burlington, will assume her duties here in July with the rank of professor.

As dean of the MU School of Nursing, Dr. Allen will be in charge of the associate and baccalaureate degree nursing education programs and will be responsible to the vice president for health sciences.

"Dr. Allen is considered one of the finest nursing educators in the United States today," Dr. Coon said. "We at Marshall are fortunate indeed to have added her talents to our faculty."

A member of the University of Vermont faculty since 1968, Dr. Allen not only established that school's associate degree in nursing program, but is credited with establishing New England's first two-year associate degree program at Newton Junior College, Newtonville, Mass., in the early 1960s. The Newton program resulted from a research project sponsored by the Nursing Council of the United Community Services of Greater Boston.

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At the Vermont school, Dr. Allen also assists with the baccalaureate and nursing practitioner programs.

Dr. Allen earned her Nursing Diploma from Monmouth Medical Center School of Nursing, Long Branch, N.J.; her B.S. degree in nursing from Seton Hall University, Newark, N.J., and her Master of Arts degree in nursing education and administration from Columbia University. She recently received her Doctor of Education degree with emphasis in nursing education, curriculum and instruction from Columbia.

A former health coordinator for the Mid-Pacific Institute in Honolulu, Dr. Allen spent a year as an associate director and consultant on associate degree nursing education with the National League for Nursing.

She also has served as a consultant for two-year nursing education programs in Maine, Connecticut, Florida, Maryland, Alabama, Massachusetts and New York; to state Education Departments in Maine and Connecticut; to the Nursing Division of the United States Public Health Service; the New England Board of Higher Education and the Southern Regional Education Board.

A contributor to nursing education publications, Dr. Allen is a member of numerous professional organizations and has held several national chairmanships with the National League for Nursing. In 1973 she received the Distinguished Achievement in Nursing Education Award from the Nursing Alumni Association at the Teachers College of Columbia University.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Stephen K. Nenno, an ABC television network executive, will visit Marshall University April 10-11 as broadcaster-in-residence for the Speech Department.

Nenno, director of program administration for ABC Entertainment, will spend the two days on campus talking with broadcasting students about the field and its career opportunities.

The broadcaster-in-residence program is funded by the Distinguished Lectureship Series of the Marshall Foundation.

At ABC Nenno is responsible for East and West Coast program formatting, procedures and post production; commercial scheduling, announcers, screening operations and departmental finance, budgeting and personnel.

Joining the network in 1968 as unit manager responsible for such programs as "General Hospital" and "This is Tom Jones," Nenno was named program unit managers supervisor the following year.

He began his broadcasting career in 1963 as an assistant in the operations department serving CBS Radio Network and KNX Radio, a CBS-owned station in Los Angeles. Later that year he was named to a similar position at KNXT, the CBS television station there.

Nenno received his B.A. degree in telecommunications from the University of Southern California, where he was program director for the university's radio station, KUSC.

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Nenno is a member of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences--New York Chapter and the International Radio and Television Society. He serves as professional representative and advisor to Seton Hall University's campus radio station, WSOU.

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## ARCHIVES

HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--School administrators and school board members from six Southern West Virginia counties will participate in a conference on "Administrative Techniques and Programs for the Gifted" at Marshall University Thursday and Friday, April 6-7.

The two-day meeting is sponsored jointly by the Region II Regional Education Service Agency (RESA), the Marshall Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa education honorary, the West Virginia State Department of Education and the Marshall University Foundation.

The conference program has been developed to assist participants in developing and implementing programs for the gifted; in identifying the gifted, and in recognizing materials appropriate for gifted students, according to Dr. Jack Maynard, president of the Marshall Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa and assistant dean of the College of Education.

The conference will open at 6 p.m. Thursday, April 6, with a banquet in Memorial Student Center with Dr. Dorothy Sisk, director of the Office of Gifted and Talented, U.S. Office of Education, as keynote speaker. A reception at the Uptowner Inn will follow the banquet program.

A noted authority on educational programs for the gifted, Dr. Sisk has taught in the public school system and in higher education.

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Also appearing on the program will be Dr. George Schena, MU associate professor of education; Dr. George Fichter, gifted program specialist with the Division of Special Education, Ohio Department of Education, and Linda Lucks, Montrose Elementary School principal, Bexley, Ohio.

Friday morning will be devoted to small group training sessions concerning current programs for the gifted in state schools, alternative administration and strategies, and the latest in educational opportunities for gifted students.

Among the educators leading these sessions will be Dr. James Harless, MU admissions director; Sally Darst, Larry Wright, Ruth Sawyers, David Cooke, Mason County gifted program facilitators; Martha Arya and Dallas Kelley, Lincoln County school system;

Betty Swann, Cabell County's special education program director, and a team of teachers of the gifted; Myron Bailes, Herbert Varney, Bruce Neale and Maggie McCarty, Cabell County school system; Eason Eige, Huntington Galleries, and Caryl Toth, Hurricane Elementary School.

Appearing on the afternoon portion of the program will be Dr. Daniel B. Taylor, state superintendent of schools; Dr. Phil Suiter, assistant superintendent, Bureau of Learning Systems; Dr. Keith Smith, director, Division of Special Education and Student Support Systems, and Dr. Thomas Isles, coordinator, Division of Special Education and Student Systems and Staff.

Planning coordinators for the conference are Dr. David Koontz, MU associate professor of education, and Ted Triplett, special education director for RESA II which encompasses Cabell, Wayne, Mason, Mingo, Logan and Lincoln counties.





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More than 400 high school student journalists and their teachers from West Virginia, Eastern Kentucky and Southeastern Ohio are expected to attend the two-day convention.

They will participate in critique sessions, a careers discussion and workshops conducted by professional educators and journalists. The convention's awards dinner is tomorrow.

Registration for the UHSP convention will be from noon to 7 p.m. today in Smith Hall Room 330 and will continue from 8 to 9 a.m. tomorrow in the lobby of Smith Music Hall.

Today's UHSP schedule includes critique sessions for high school newspapers and yearbooks from 1 to 6 p.m., campus tours from 1 to 5 p.m. and a careers panel discussion at 7 p.m. in Smith Hall Room 154.

Panelists include Tom Jacobs, city hall reporter for WSAZ-TV; Mary Jean Jacobsen, reporter for WOWK-TV; Jackie Jadrnak, assistant city editor for The Huntington Advertiser, and Jack Seamonds, city government reporter for The Huntington Herald-Dispatch.

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Moderator for the program will be Associate Professor Bos Johnson of the MU School of Journalism faculty. Welcoming remarks will be offered by Dr. Deryl R. Leaming, director of the School of Journalism.

An 8 a.m. coffee for visiting teachers will begin tomorrow's UHSP events, which include 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.

Leaming will be featured speaker at the 1 p.m. annual awards dinner in Memorial Student Center. He will discuss the important role of "Rubbernose Bartons" on every campus. "Rubbernose" is the name Leaming gives to the ordinary students who sit in the back row and take life's ups and downs without much thought.

There will be 13 categories of awards for newspapers, yearbooks and broadcast programs. First-, second-, and third-place certificates will be awarded winners in Division I (A and AA schools) and Division II (AAA schools).

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. Winners will advance to national competition.

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

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The presentation was made by Plant Manager Donald Reese.

Queen said the contribution was earmarked for the university's greatest needs, the Honors Program and the Distinguished Lectureships series.

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HUNTINGTON, W.Va.--Dr. Herbert H. Spencer, associate dean and professor of medicine at the Medical College of Ohio, has accepted a dual post with the Marshall University School of Medicine and the Veterans Administration Hospital here.

He will serve as associate dean and professor of medicine of the Marshall medical school and as chief of staff at the VA Hospital.

The appointment, effective April 9, was announced jointly today by Dr. Robert W. Coon, MU medical school dean, and James C. DeNiro, VA Hospital administrator.

"Dr. Coon and I are extremely pleased to have a physician/educator of Dr. Spencer's stature join our staffs," DeNiro said.

Prior to joining the faculty at the Toledo medical school, Spencer was associate professor of internal medicine at the University of Michigan Medical Center and chief of staff at the Ann Arbor VA Hospital.

A native of Michigan, Spencer earned his A.B. and M.D. degrees from the University of Michigan, followed by postgraduate training at the University of Michigan Hospital. He later was a research associate in hematology with the hospital's Simpson Memorial Institute.

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The co-author of more than 50 scientific articles for professional journals, Spencer is a member of several medical associations, including the American College of Physicians and the Society for Cryobiology.

He and his wife, the former Dorothy Arft, are the parents of five children.

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