

# Law students honor Marshall

Thurgood Marshall, the Baltimore native who became the Supreme Court's first black justice, was honored last night by the University of Maryland chapter of Black American Law Students Association during a banquet at Martin's West.

Mr. Marshall's award was accepted by Clarence M. Mitchell, Jr., director of the Washington bureau of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Three other awards were given out by the association, which has about 5,000 members nationwide.

The Community Service Award was presented to the Baltimore Urban League for its dedication to the advancement of minority communities.

An award for service to the Black American Law Students Association was presented to lawyer **Elijah Cummings** for his assistance in aiding members in academic matters.

Professor John W. Ester, who teaches conflict of laws, domestic relations and torts at the law school, was given the excellence in teaching award.

About 600 persons attended the third annual awards banquet.