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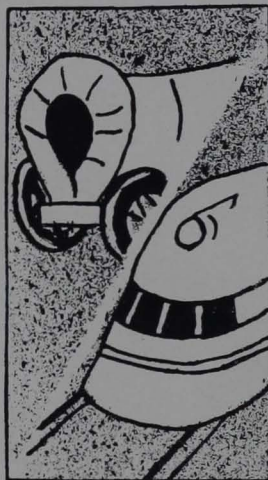
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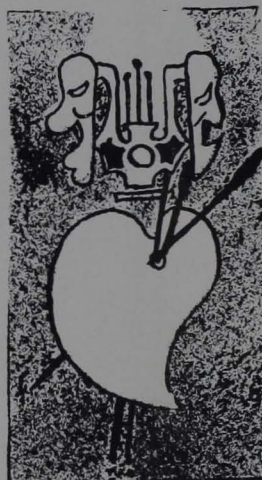
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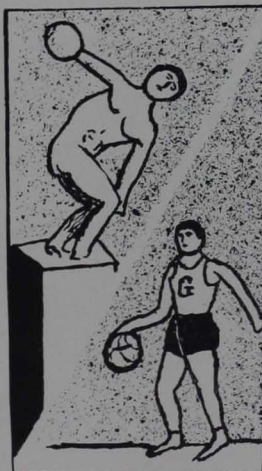
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Progress is the result of purposeful application of head, heart, and hand, to the task that is worth-while. When progress ceases, society enters a period of decline. Since education is the leavening which assures the steady march of mankind toward the goal of loftier ideals and nobler achievement, it is the purpose of this book to record some of the activities of the students of Glenville State Teachers College who are preparing to enlist in the cause of better teaching to the end that progressive learning may be better served.



As this yearbook finally goes to press we wish to thank those who have assisted in its construction. First, we wish to express our deep appreciation to President E. G. Rohrbough for his hearty cooperation and support. We extend grateful thanks to Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough for the facts about the life of the dedicatee; to Linn B. Hickman and Raymond E. Freed, who have given valuable assistance in an advisory capacity; to Miss Margaret Christie for advice about artistic effects; to members of the faculty, students, and members of the staff who have in any way contributed to the finished work.

—THE EDITOR

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george firestone

a graduate of the school of experience, an ardent supporter of education, and one held high in the affectionate regard of the students, alumni, and instructors of Glenville State Teachers College, was born in Lewis County sixty-nine years ago.

He was appointed custodian of the Old Building by Robert Ruddell, member of the Board of Trustees, and Robert Carr, member of the Board of Regents, and assumed his duties in the autumn of 1894, under Principle W. J. Holden. At that time the Old Building, nucleus of the many which now adorn the campus, had been in use only one year. When President Rohrbough assumed his duties as president of the institution in 1908, George, his faithful lieutenant, regulated class periods by tapping a large dinner bell placed outside the building.

During his career of more than forty-two years of service with the school, George has always been popular with the students and instructors because of his unfailing kindness and good humor, his sympathetic interest in the problems of the students, his rugged honesty, and his unswerving devotion to duty. As evidence of his popularity, the Holy Roller Court, in October, 1935, granted him the first honorary membership ever granted by that organization.

In 1932, George became an honorary member of the Chemistry Club. In appreciation of this honor, he donated a beautiful display case to the physical science department of the College. Firestone Lodge, one of the newer buildings on the campus, was named in his honor.

George sponsored the graduating class of 1925, and entertained the members with a dinner in

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Kanawha Hall, where beautiful floral decorations and orchestra music added to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Next in importance to what a man does may be mentioned the things in which he is interested. George has a native appreciation for music, fine paintings, interior decorations, and period furniture; but his greatest love and appreciation is for nature. During vacation travels, which have carried him to New York City and the great open spaces of the West, George always made it a point to visit those places which brought him into contact with nature in her various forms. The stately trees and other attractive shrubbery adorning the campus have all been set out and cared for since he became associated with the College. He gives credit to Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough for all he knows about gardening, landscaping, and the care of plants.

George has demonstrated his ability as an athlete on several occasions as a tennis player, trapeze performer, and boxer. He prefers to wear old clothes while engaged in the business of looking after the buildings; but when he travels, he not only avails himself of the best means of transportation, but he likes to wear good clothing, selecting only materials of the best quality. In addition to his other qualities, George has a keen sense of humor. Almost without exception, students who have attended the College recall occasions when he quietly poked fun at them through the medium of a tall story.

He has taken three extended vacations, one to New York City where he visited many places of interest; one to the St. Louis Exposition; and a third through the West, stopping over at Yellowstone National Park, Cheyenne, Cripple Creek, and Denver.

The greatest tribute that can be paid to any individual is the measure of his devotion to duty; his worth as a citizen; and his contribution to the progress of society. By this standard, George ranks high. He has given unstintingly of his time and effort in providing the right physical surroundings for the students in the College. He has

always been sympathetic with the student of limited means, even to the extent of giving financial aid. He has set an example of kindness, good humor, honesty, and forthright simplicity that has not only had a wholesome effect upon the students, but has won for him the affection and esteem of all those who know him.

In the spirit of rewarding faithful service with the all-too-small available means at our disposal, we gratefully dedicate this yearbook to George Firestone, a man whose name will always be associated with the best traditions of the College.



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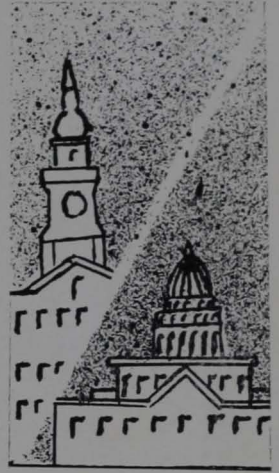
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administration

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president's message



Since its organization the Student Body has undertaken many enterprises and has established itself as a valuable part of the College administration. Not the least significant of its activities is the resumption of the publication of the Kanawha-chen.

May I take this opportunity to congratulate the Council of the Student Body for the satisfactory way it has dealt with the problems connected with the publication of this yearbook?

E. G. ROHRBOUGH.



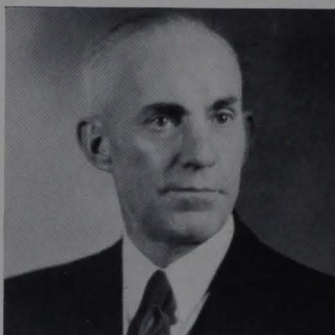
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education—aims and plan of work

It is the general purpose of a state teachers college to train teachers to serve the educational interests of the children of the State. It is the specific purpose of the education department to provide teachers with the professional equipment which will aid them to teach in the most effective way. In colonial days almost anybody could be a teacher. Indentured servants, superannuated dames, unoccupied clergymen, in fact any person with some slight education could be inflicted upon the rising generation. There was no teacher training.

The first problem is this: Given the American school as it exists today, how can we prepare teachers to do their work in the most effective manner? While visiting a number of one-room schools in the Philippine Islands, one might see in each of the schools the same English sentences written on the board, the same arithmetic lesson being taught, and the same mats being woven. In a school system of this type a teacher needs only to consult his schedule in order to know what to do each day and each hour. In this case the problem of training the teacher is clear. Give him his plan of work. Teach him the subject matter. Give him his practice in carrying out his assignments. This type of training is too narrow in scope to meet the needs of our constantly changing American schools.

The second problem is: How can we prepare teachers to teach in a constantly changing school? For there is good reason to believe that American education has already entered upon a period of sudden change similar to those which have characterized the development of education in the past. We must think of education as breaking clearly into three parts: The persons to be educated, the purposes of the process, and the procedures by which these persons are enabled to achieve these purposes. Therefore, it is the challenge of the education department to help to equip the future teachers, to meet and solve intelligently these pressing problems.

—JOHN C. SHREVE.

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the directed teaching department

The directed teaching department of Glenville State Teachers College has undergone a great many changes since its establishment in 1872. It was not until 1892 that a course in Theory and Practice of Teaching was offered, combined in 1896 with a course in school management and methods of conducting recitations. In 1898 two other courses were added, The Science of Teaching and The Art of Teaching. In 1908, with the work of the pupils in the Model School as a nucleus, a course in The Theory and Art of Teaching was given. In 1910 better training methods were adopted. The student not only stated the purpose of his lesson, but he also listed in order the points to be taught, as well as the scheme of varying the necessary drill. The student kept a "material book" in which he wrote poems, stories, daily programs for town and country schools, and kept his seat work. Each student taught one lesson a year.

In 1912 the state manual was first used and was responsible for many new ideas. The teacher was discussed as an organizer and instructor in connection with the grading of rural schools. By 1914 a progressive course of study was maintained by the training school. Each boy above the fourth grade had a plot of ground in the school garden where he worked two periods each week, along with his work in the manual training shop at other periods.

Both sewing and cooking courses were organized for the girls above the fourth grade; normal school students were required to teach in every grade.

Observation and directed teaching were given in 1916. Normal school students were required to spend one period a day throughout the senior year in the training school. Inexperienced students observed the classroom teacher during the fall term and did their teaching during the second semester. In 1920 the classroom teacher gave demonstration lessons while the student teacher observed. In 1925 the directed teaching department gave work in observation, participation and criticism, as well as teaching under the guidance of a supervisor. Another progressive step was the addition of a testing program by which the pupils were reclassified.

From such humble beginnings our training school has come to us. Today, in 1937, one has but to visit the training school in order to realize that the best of all the years of experimentation has remained. There, one is able to see the smooth working of a well organized and well directed teacher training personnel.

Truly, remarkable changes have taken place in the last sixty-five years. "Let the great world ring forever down the ringing grooves of change."

—MARIE ELLYSON.

training teachers



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classes

senior class history



Undoubtedly with the sentiment expressed in "Auld Lang Syne," 55 seniors are donning caps and gowns this year to dedicate a milestone which is emblematic of a life not "half done" but "well begun." The senior class boasts of having that group of individuals whose deeds have made them known. Found in this group are: The president of the Student Council, two of the outstanding students chosen by the faculty, the Pioneer, the captain of the football team, four of the six members of the debate team, the two students who led the honor roll list, the president of the Ohnimgohow players, the president and the ex-president of the Canterbury Club, both the editor-in-chief and the business manager of the yearbook, the president of the Current Events Club, and the outstanding lady pianist of the College.

They stand at attention, obedient, expectant, ready to serve their society with the same qualities of fitness that have characterized their college years. Their aim is toward that point in human destinies to which all the glories and toils of men will lead them—to success.

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"Knowledge comes from learning well retained."

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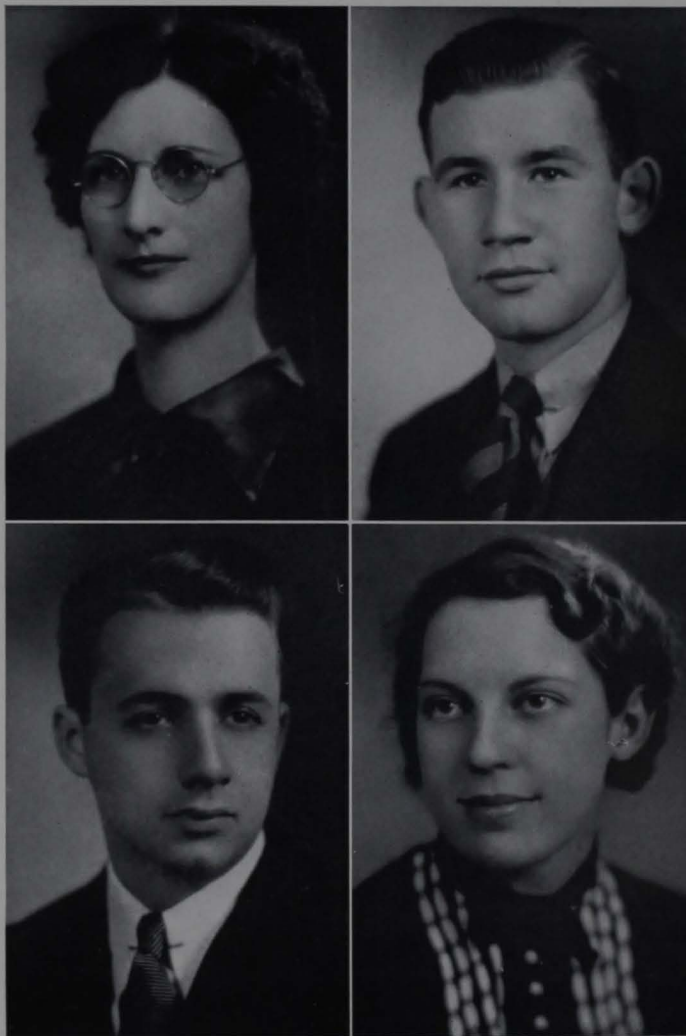
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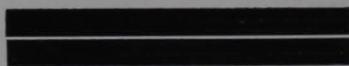
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"A determined pursuer of knowledge."

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"She answered slowly and gently."

Elementary A.B.; elementary education; Y. W. C. A., '36.

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"A rainbow to the storm of life."

Secondary A.B.; English and social science; Current Events Club, '34-'37;
Mercury Staff, '37.

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"Not idle, though quiet and modest in his habits."

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"To work and play and work some more."

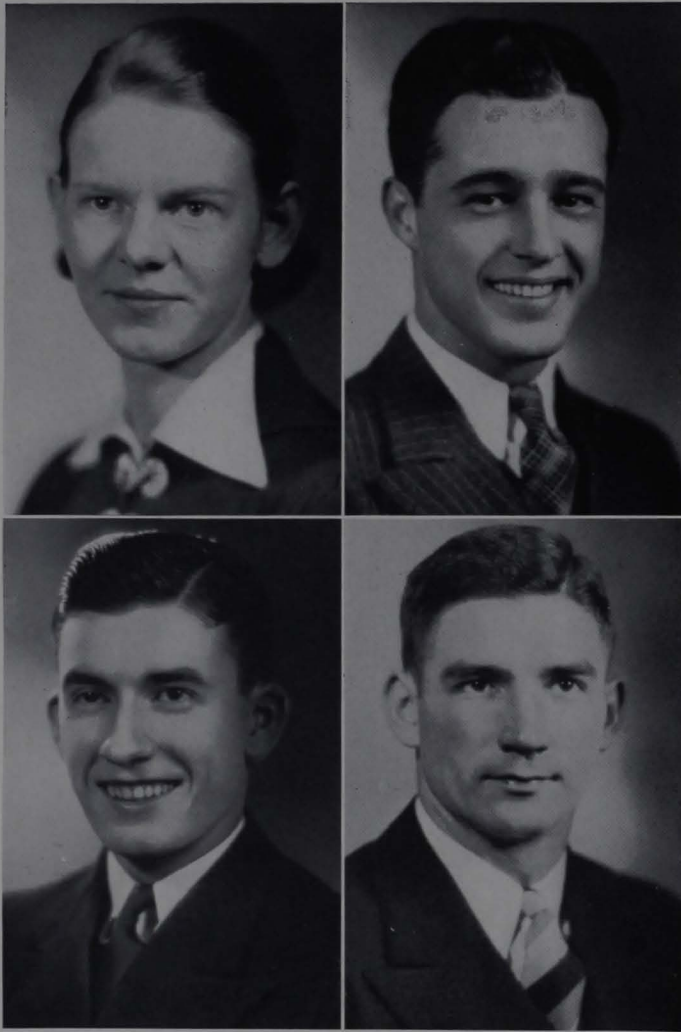
Secondary A.B.; English; Ohnimgohow Players, '35-'36; Glee Club, '33-'35;
Intramural basketball; Mercury Staff, '36-'37.

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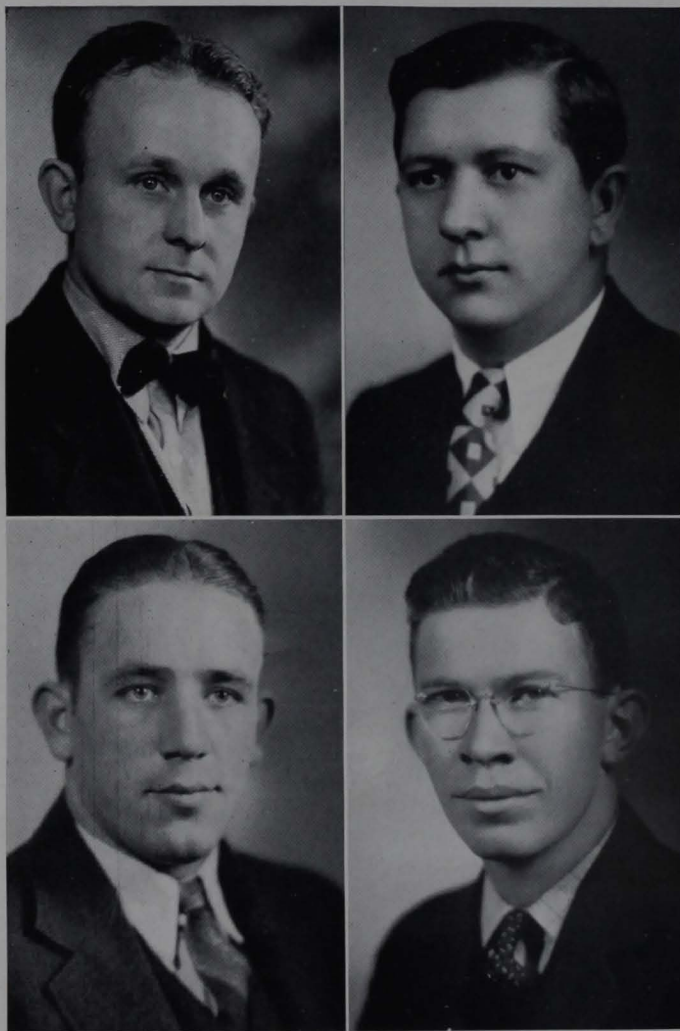
"There was a laughing devil in his eye."

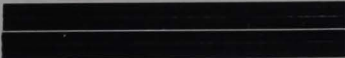
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"He toiled over his work."

Elementary A.B.; mathematics and social science.

SAMUEL J. WHITMAN

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"Big and fair of body, and in stark strength, mightily clad."

Secondary A.B.; mathematics; G. Club, '34-'37; Holy Roller Court, '35-'37; football, '34-'36; vice-president of G. Club.

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Pine Grove, W. Va.

"Strode he red and wrathful with his stately air."

Elementary and secondary A.B.; elementary education, mathematics, biology and social science; Y. M. C. A., '33-'34; Current Events Club, '36-'37.

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Linn, W. Va.

"For gentle ways are best."

Elementary A.B.; Glee Club, '35; Mercury Staff, '36-'37; girls basketball, '36-'37; Kanawhachen Staff, '36-'37.

AVON ELDER

Thursday, W. Va.

"Men of few words are the best men."

Secondary A.B.; English and social sciences; Ohnimgohow Players, '34-'37; Canterbury Club, '36-'37.

IMA WILSON

Clendenin, W. Va.

"And her brow was clear and wise."

A.B.; Mercury Staff.

GEORGE WALLACE MILLER

Tanner, W. Va.

"A resolute spirit urges him ever onward."

Secondary A.B.; mathematics; Holy Roller Court, '36; Debate, '36-'37; Canterbury Club, '36-'37; Mercury Staff, '37.



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"A man of mark."

Secondary A.B., mathematics and physics.

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"She's brimful of mischief and fun."

Elementary A.B.; Choral Club, '36; Mercury staff, '36; Y. W. C. A., '31; Glee Club, '31.

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Alum Bridge, W. Va.

"Intent on the job at hand."

Elementary A.B.; English and social science; Y. M. C. A., '33-'34; Ohnimgohow Players, '36-'37; Glee Club, '33-'34.

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"He believes in fun."

Elementary A. B.

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Tanner, W. Va.

"All who see her admire her."

Elementary A. B.; Y. W. C. A., '32-'33; Special Chorus, '32-'33; Canterbury Club, '36-'37; Ohningohow Players, '36-'37.

RICHARD McKINNEY

Burnsville, W. Va.

"'Tis little enough he asks."

Secondary A. B., mathematics and English; Mercury staff, '37.

DALE WHYTSELL

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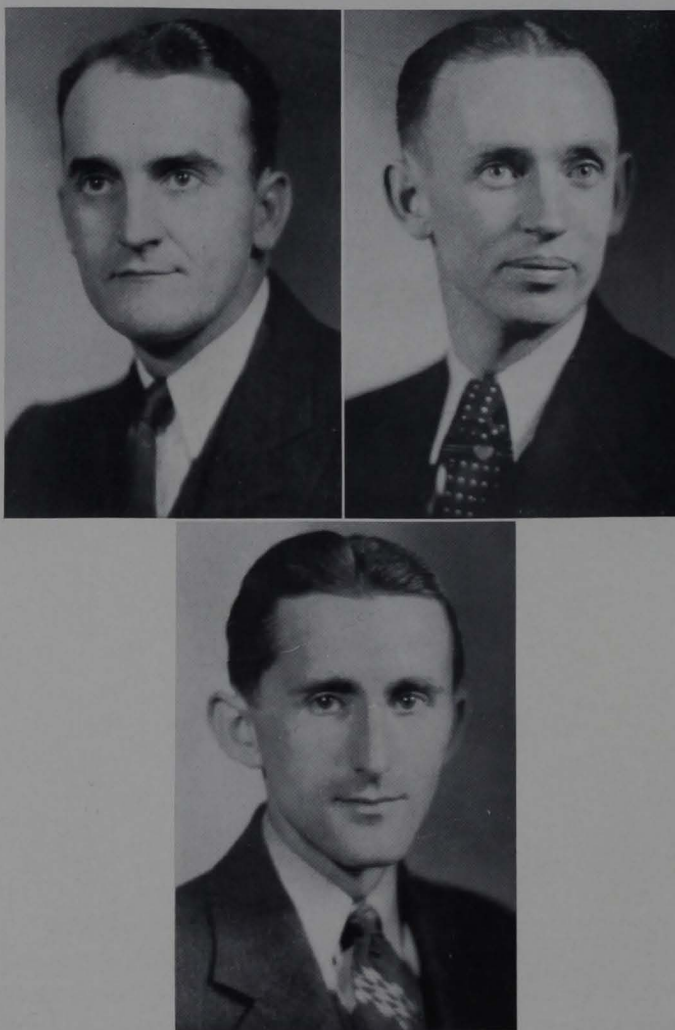
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Elementary A. B.; Mercury Staff, '37.



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Elementary A.B.; English; orchestra, '35-'36; Canterbury Club, '35-'37; junior class president, '36-'37; Student Council member, '36-'37; Business manager "Kanawhachen," 1937; Mercury Staff, 1937.

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Normantown, W. Va.

"Never was the task too large nor hard."

Elementary A.B.; Mercury staff, '36.

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Goad, Iva	Miles, Wilford G.	

juniors



"Make way for a junior, freshie," might be heard ringing down the corridors, but the juniors have not forgotten their little blue cap and the required back door entrance, so they, too, share in the good fun that will too soon become a cherished memory.

Looking forward to their senior year in which to crown their efforts with achievements, the Junior Class has been busy this year in campus activities that will contribute to the betterment of the College. The Junior Class ranks third in enrollment this year, and all of the student activities and campus organizations are well represented by the class.

Imbued by the good wishes of the seniors and armed with the various individual wills bequeathed by the Seniors, the Juniors are well prepared to enter the senior year with all the zeal and pride befitting their dignity.

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sophomore class history



Students wandering aimlessly to and fro and gathering in small groups about the campus were a common sight in the fall of '35. This group composed the class, 215 in number. The spotlight was focused on this group late in the fall when they received their crowns which were in the form of a conspicuous blue cap with a white G decorating the front. For the first time in the history of Glenville State Teachers College the freshmen were denied the privileges of the upper-classmen.

This year, that group composes the sophomore class. They emerged from a winter of college life and freshman rules with only a slight decrease in number, and are carrying their banner forward in the typical manner of regular college students. Already, many students of the sophomore class have proven their ability in scholastic achievement, leadership ability, and athletic fitness. They have attained notable personal distinction for themselves and their class. Many active members of the class are representatives of campus organizations. Always marching together, the sophomores have kept up that lively interest which adds to the betterment of the life of the College.

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 Walker, Nettie
 Walker, Ottie
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sophomore girls

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sophomore boys




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Berry, Cleo D.
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Boggs, James
Bragg, Alif
Brooks, Paul
Brown, Jr., Roscoe
Bush, Noel
Campbell, Shirley
Collins, Paul
Conley, Blaine
Cunningham, Sterling
Davies, Robert
Dyer, Richard
Fleming, Robert
Garrett, Clifford
George, Clyde
Hall, Harold L.
Hamilton, John W.
Hamilton, Jr., Lorentz
Hamilton, William K.

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Hogue, Russell
Hull, Whitman
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Hyre, Herbert
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Kittle, Bertchel
Lilley, Albert
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freshman class history



The Freshman Class is the second largest group in Glenville State Teachers College. Filled with that anxiety and ambition so typical of all freshmen, the class plunged into their studies with the desire to become an active group in carrying forward their ideals. Practically the entire class has taken part in the various campus activities and several members have proven to be valuable additions to the Pioneer athletic team. The class presented three one-act plays during the first semester, proving their amateur dramatic ability. The group took an active part in the drive to furnish a good cheering squad for the athletic events, and are chiefly responsible for the best cheering section in the history of the College.

Fortunate for the administration of the Student Government, but perhaps unfortunate for the class, they became the first target at which the Freshman rules were shot. Their attitude toward the rules was wholesome, but they heaved a sigh of relief when the rules were suspended. They show much eagerness to help enforce the rules of which they were the victims. Their first-year activities indicate that they are to become an important factor in the development of progress for the College during the next three years.

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 Bush, Ruth
 Cogar, Francie
 Conley, Ruby
 Craigo, Mary F.
 Dorsey, Thelma
 Engle, Catherine
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 Floyd, Elizabeth
 Frame, Edna
 Frame, Esthelene
 Friend, Aneta
 Frymier, Virginia
 Garrett, Annabelle

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 Greenleaf, Wedith
 Groves, Mary
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 Hamilton, Eileen
 Hamrick, Edna
 Hamric, Eileen
 Hauman, Barbara
 Hayes, Jessie E.
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 Hudkins, Laura Mae
 Hudnell, Maxine
 Hunt, Mildred
 Jarvis, Velma
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 Lamb, Ruby V.
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 Moore, Lucille C.
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 Moss, Marguerite

Nutter, Hilma
 Plumber, Clara
 Reed, Garnet
 Richmond, Ruth
 Riffle, Carma
 Satterfield, Cora
 Shaver, Beulah
 Shriver, Gwendolyn
 Shock, Frances
 Smith, Mabel
 Spray, Doris
 Stalnaker, Vesta
 Summers, Beatrice
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freshman boys

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Brooks, Herbert
Brown, Shirley
Burroughs, Kenneth
Chokey, William
Conley, Paul
Cooper, Everett
Cooper, John
Danley, Carl
Davis, Leroy
Dotson, Dexter
Furr, Charles
Hyre, Victor
Keister, Carl
Kennedy, Junior

Kidd, William
McClung, Davy
McLaughlin, Gory
McMillen, James L.
Mace, Roy D.
Marple, Edward B.
Maxwell, Woodrow
Miller, Keith
Morford, James
Naylor, Paul
Nelson, Jearl
Noroski, Harold
Norris, Kenneth
Oles, Gara
Parsons, Bruce E.
Peck, B. W., Jr.
Petry, James F.
Phillips, Wallace
Phillips, William
Pratt, Arlie
Prim, Richard
Ramsey, William

Reed, Loran O.
Rhoades, Gilbert, Jr.
Rifle, Forrest
Romano, Louie
Showen, Woodrow
Smith, James D.
Snider, Dale
Snyder, Ronald
Starcher, Earnest
Starcher, Robert
Stewart, Scott
Sutton, Ralph
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language

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language

"Words, words, words," muttered Hamlet in an effort to confirm belief in his madness. Singly, words are mere symbols; intelligently used they are language. Language is man's hardest worked servant and his greatest benefactor. From his simplest need to his most profound thought, language gives him power for expression. Not only is language man's chief means of expression, but it is also the key which opens to him the storehouses of all knowledge. The simplest facts and the greatest truths come to him through its medium. Hence, it is self-evident that language has a most important place in all education and in every school from the humblest log school house on the mountain side to the greatest university. Language is power. The study of language is progress.

—By WILLA BRAND.

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Toothman Electrical Appliance
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The twenty dollar check is payable
only in merchandise.

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C. W. POST TELLS GEOLOGIC HISTORY OF WEST VIRGINIA

Dr. Lewis Chrisman, of West
Virginia Wesleyan, Unable
to Be Present

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College, was to have been the speaker,
but because of illness in his
family, he was unable to attend.
President E. G. Rohrbough presided
over the assembly exercises and in-
troduced the speaker.

"The Eldorado is not something
off in the distance; neither is the
pot of gold at the foot of the rain-
bow, for frequently one finds these
things in his own back yard," Mr.
Post asserted, after having quoted
striking phrases from Russell H.
Conwell's book, "Acres of Dia-
monds."

Mr. Post described West Virginia's
natural resources as being invalu-
able. "We have resources of many
kinds, but no such precious metals
such as gold, which are formed
among the igneous rocks that are

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This is the second ye
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temporaneous speaking; Miss Vir-
ginia Weaver, Parkersburg, poetry
reading; William Lockhart, Victory
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Second, Third Winners

Students who received second and
third places in each of the events
were: Oration, Christine Sinclair,
Unidis, second; Lucille Lynch, Par-
kersburg, and Robert Reger, Victo-
ry, tied for third place; extempo-
raneous speaking, Hilda Gimmel,
Roosevelt-Wilson, second; Marvin
Bush, Burnsville, third; poetry in-
terpretation, Alice Life, Unidis, sec-
ond; Bonnie Norman, Victory, third;
debate, Ruth Strother, Unidis, sec-
ond; George L. Davis, Harrisville,
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and this afternoon is attending a
meeting of the faculty in Room 101.

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done there.



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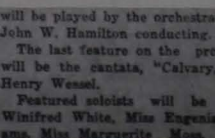
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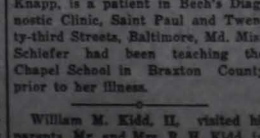
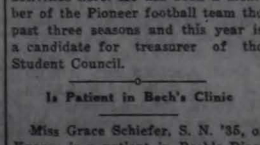
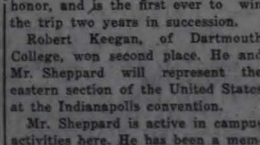
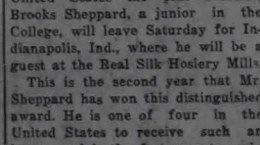
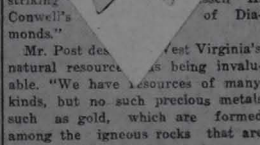
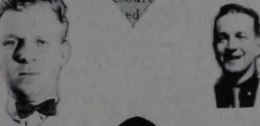
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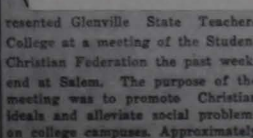
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Harless Attend Luncheon Meeting at Salem

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WINS TRIP TO INDIANAPOLIS

Brooks Sheppard Sells Most Silk; Leaves Here Saturday

Because he sold more hosiery than any other college student in the United States the past summer, Brooks Sheppard, a junior in the College, will leave Saturday for Indianapolis, Ind., where he will be a guest at the Real Silk Hosiery Mills.

This is the second year that Mr. Sheppard has won this distinguished award. He is one of four in the United States to receive such an honor, and is the first ever to win the trip two years in succession.

Robert Keegan, of Dartmouth College, won second place, and Mr. Sheppard will represent the eastern section of the United States at the Indianapolis convention.

Mr. Sheppard is active in campus activities here. He has been a member of the Pioneer football team the past three seasons and this year is a candidate for treasurer of the Student Council.

Is Patient in Bech's Clinic

Miss Grace Schiefer, S. N. '35, of Knapp, is a patient in Bech's Diagnostic Clinic, Saint Paul and Twenty-third Streets, Baltimore, Md. Miss Schiefer has been teaching the Chapel School in Braxton County prior to her illness.

William M. Kidd, II, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kidd, in



canterbury club

Starting with thirteen charter members, the Canterbury Club was organized in October 1921 under the direction of Miss Willa Brand, instructor in English in the College.

Membership has been increased to twenty-nine, each member representing one of the Pilgrims in the Canterbury Tales. The Club is the honorary English club on the campus, only students of high scholastic standing being eligible for membership.

The four major objects of the club are: To familiarize students with some of the best short stories and tales of all times; to provide a bi-weekly social hour to pay homage to the author of the Canterbury Tales; to teach the art of story telling; and to maintain an organization to encourage high scholarship.

The three outstanding social events of the year for the Club are, a Christmas party, given by Miss Brand; the annual Pilgrimage dinner, and the May breakfast.

The Canterbury Club is one of the oldest organizations on the campus and during its existence more than 800 stories have been told by the members.



canterbury club

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looking back

One of the chief problems which faced the Editorial Staff of the first yearbook of Glenville State Teachers College, which was published in 1911, was the selection of a name.

At that time, the Little Kanawha River was the most important avenue of communication with the outside, and Miss Ethel Crim Peterson, instructor in language, suggested the name KANAWHACHEN, Kanawha and the diminutive "chen" meaning little.

Having adopted the name KANAWHACHEN, the first staff and succeeding ones have prepared eight yearbooks as follows:

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library — science



The Robert F. Kidd Library, named for State Senator Kidd of Glenville, was completed in 1931. At the present time there are approximately 12,000 cataloged volumes including a growing collection of juvenile books (used by the Children's Literature and Library Science classes). A reserve collection varying in size from 1,000 to 1,500 is maintained to facilitate the use of a few much needed books. The library aims to fulfill its function in the educational system by providing curriculum enrichment, recreational material and a means of research. To this end a collection of periodicals, newspapers, government documents, pamphlets and bulletins is maintained in addition to an ever-increasing number of books covering a wide range of subject matter.

—LAURA ANN MILES.

There is a law for all phenomena.



department v

science

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instructors in science

physical and biological sciences

There is a growing recognition today of the importance of the physical sciences and their applications in art, industries, and everyday life in this scientific and highly mechanized age. The study of the physical sciences gives training in the habits of precision; enriches the mind in matters which tie up directly with modern life; and protects individuals against deception in advertising and propaganda on every hand. The study of the physical sciences helps to adjust the individual to his universe; helps him to appreciate the careful, logical methods employed by the scientist in arriving at trustworthy conclusions. Ignorance of the physical sciences and their applications will prove a great handicap in many social situations.

There is a principle in physical science which says "Whenever any system is put under a stress, that system tends to change in such a manner as to reduce the stress." This principle is helpful in anticipating changes in the biological and social sciences, as well as the physical sciences. We are living in an age when rapid changes are taking place on every hand. In a similar way it appears that when there is a near approach between the boundaries of any two systems, new forces are brought into play which are not operative within either individual system alone. These new forces bring unusual activities and phenomena of extreme interest to students of such systems.

Biology has an important place in one's education. With many, it constitutes the major portion. No one can afford to be ignorant of the fundamental principles of organic nature. The most important thing in this world is life. Therefore, in all schools, biology should be recognized in every curriculum. Lastly, students should be made to feel that their health, success, and welfare in life will depend, to a great degree, upon their knowledge of life.

It is as true today as in the time when Pasteur said, "In our century, science is the soul of the prosperity of nations and the living source of all progress." This means that all science: biological, chemical, physical, economical, and political, not only are necessary; but must work together to meet the needs and conditions of our time.

—By JOHN R. WAGNER AND E. R. GROSE.



the chemistry club

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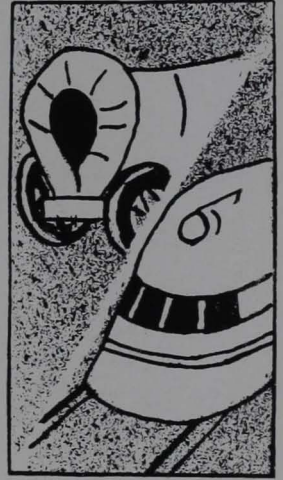
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department vi

social studies

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the social studies



The social studies have to do with human affairs. As school subjects, these studies have received deserved emphasis only since the beginning of the present century. A realization of the great multitude of social problems pressing for attention has only recently dawned upon such great numbers of people. We need to equip ourselves to deal more intelligently with these problems. A major activity in the field of the social sciences is the collection and preservation of knowledge. The fuller and more accurate the knowledge, the more likely the success in any attempt.

The search for the truth is the daily task. Truth has many obstacles to overcome. Propaganda is its chief enemy. Social problems are the field of propaganda. We must learn how to recognize it, how to identify its techniques and how to evaluate it. Such cliches as national honor, manifest destiny, American principles, and superior culture must be examined for their real meaning and for what they are made to conceal. The problems of democracy cannot be solved in the schools but they can be aired, a preliminary necessary to solution. The social studies are as basic as English in our school system. An immediate objective is to produce intelligent citizens in a democracy and, finally, to create a rich and many-sided personality.

—BESSIE BOYD BELL.

current events club



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history of current events club



The Current Events Club, founded in 1928 as the History Club; reorganized in 1932 as the Social Science Club, received its present name in 1936.

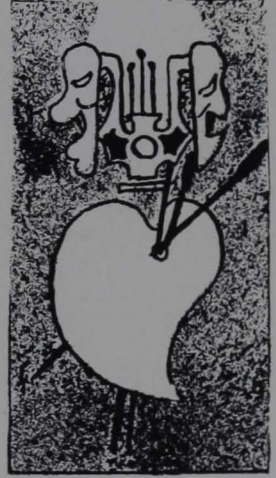
The primary aims of the Club are: To interpret the news of the day, and to stimulate members to a proper appreciation of the significance of everyday happenings in their relation to the social life of the people.

During its eight years of existence under the direction of Miss Bessie Boyd Bell, the Club has steadily increased its total membership to more than 200.

In addition to regular meetings twice a month, the Current Events Club sponsors many activities which contribute to the social life of the College. Among these activities may be mentioned an annual party at Miss Bell's home, an evening of dancing and games in the gymnasium and exhibits in the Homecoming Parade.

Since membership is available to any student who has a desire to keep abreast of world affairs, the Club aims to reach a larger number of students and assist them in interpreting the current news in the light of past history.

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department vii

fine arts

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Teachers, B.S., M.A.



heads of departments

fine arts



There is a growing realization of the fact that an education that is altogether scientific, commercial or industrial, cannot provide the completeness that modern life and times demand. If we are ever to be a beauty-loving, art-creating people, if there is ever to be an art which we desire and real lovers of that art, it will be built upon the foundations laid in the public schools.

So rapid is the spread of the progressive movement in the schools, that everywhere supervisors are urging their teachers to adopt the newer methods of doing things. The ability to create, to see, to feel and express beauty, is given in various degrees to all. Some will find a creative outlet in writing, or music, while others will paint, mold or carve and thus shape their ideas into plastic forms.

In broadening the application of art teaching, we have to state, "Let's not try to make artists of all our pupils, but rather, let's teach them to appreciate art, whether it be in the fine arts of architecture, music, painting, and sculpture, the environment of nature or in the art of man's industry and genius, including the child's own work as well as that of more skilled hands."

The world of art is our common heritage from which we should not bar ourselves, for the more we learn to know and enjoy, the more complete and full will be our joy of living.

—By MARGARET CHRISTIE.

orchestra



ohnimgohow players

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orchestra —ohnimgohow players

From an initial membership of five, this organization has grown to its present membership of twenty. For the past six years the orchestra has brought to the weekly assembly hour a spirit of good cheer by its spirited performance of stirring marches and graceful waltzes. Occasionally well-known symphony orchestras are emulated by going on tours to neighboring towns. Fifty per cent of the members play in the orchestra long after they are ineligible to receive credit for this work, an indication of their loyalty to and love for this organization.

On October the eighth, 1926, the Ohnimgohow Players, a dramatic club, was organized under the direction of Miss Margaret Dobson. The name of the organization—Ohnimgohow Players—was suggested by one of the charter members of the group from an Indian word suggesting Kanawha.

Since 1926 the players have maintained an active interest in dramatics. In the years from 1932 to 1934 three-act plays were presented in the College. Stunt Night—formerly an annual event of great interest—was sponsored by the Ohnimgohow Players previous to the past two years.

Although the Club is not directly concerned with the State Speech Festival, members of the organization have always numbered among the cast of the plays given by the College.

ORCHESTRA

Alice Bonnett, violin
Mildred Riley,
Thomas Dotson, violin
Bertchel Kittle, violin
Dale Snider, violin
Marion Means, violin
Esthelene Frame, violin
John Hamilton, trombone
Gara Oles, trombone
Frederick Bell, drums

Laddie Bell, trumpet
Nathan Callahan, trumpet
Doris Spray, trumpet
Earl Wolfe, trumpet
Everett Cooper, clarinet
Mary Allen Boggs, clarinet
James Musser, clarinet
John Marra, alto
Mary E. Young piano
Bertha E. Olsen, director

OHNIMGOWHOW PLAYERS

Goldie Reynolds
Mary E. Young
Avon Elder
Hanzel Warner
Virginia Vinson
Winifred White
Damon Starcher
Eleanor Waggoner

Teddy Taylor
Lloyd Elliot
John Sims
William Hamilton
Velda Betts
Sadie Harless
Mary Leone West
Margaret Dobson, Faculty Adviser

choral class — debate team



As jolly a group as can be found anywhere on the campus unites to form the Choral Class. Throughout the year, painstaking practice prepares this organization to present its annual Easter Cantata, Operetta, Christmas Cantata, and Commencement music.



Glenville State Teachers College has had a debate team for some years. When Miss Margaret Dobson, our present debate coach and speech teacher, came here and took charge of debating, we had that which might be called a triangle with West Liberty and Fairmont State Teachers Colleges. There were two teams in each school, and there was but one debate held in each during the term. In this manner a team debated once each year.

At present we have two teams of three debaters each. These teams may engage in as many forensic contests as practicable during any school year. They may encounter any college in the state, and this year they met two out-of-state teams.

choral class



DEBATING TEAM

Millard Cunningham
Goff Giboney
Denzel Garrett
Eleanor Waggoner

Vorley Rexroad
H. Laban White, Jr.
George W. Miller
Margaret Dobson, faculty adviser

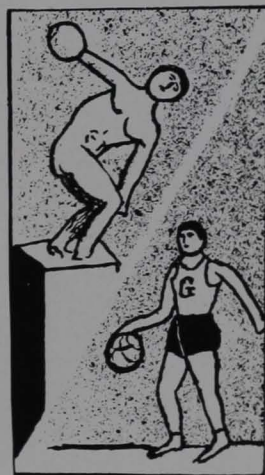
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department viii

athletics

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A. F. ROHRBOUGH

Physical Education and Coach
West Virginia University, A.B.;
University of Illinois.



football summary

Glenville	Opponents	Opponents
20	Fairmont	0
0	West Liberty	6
7	Concord	0
53	Morris Harvey	0
60	Rio Grande	0
27	Shepherdstown	0
6	W. Va. Wesleyan	28



FRANK MARTINO
Co-Captain
Basketball

HILLIS COTTLE
Co-Captain
Basketball



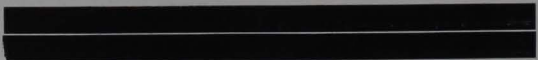
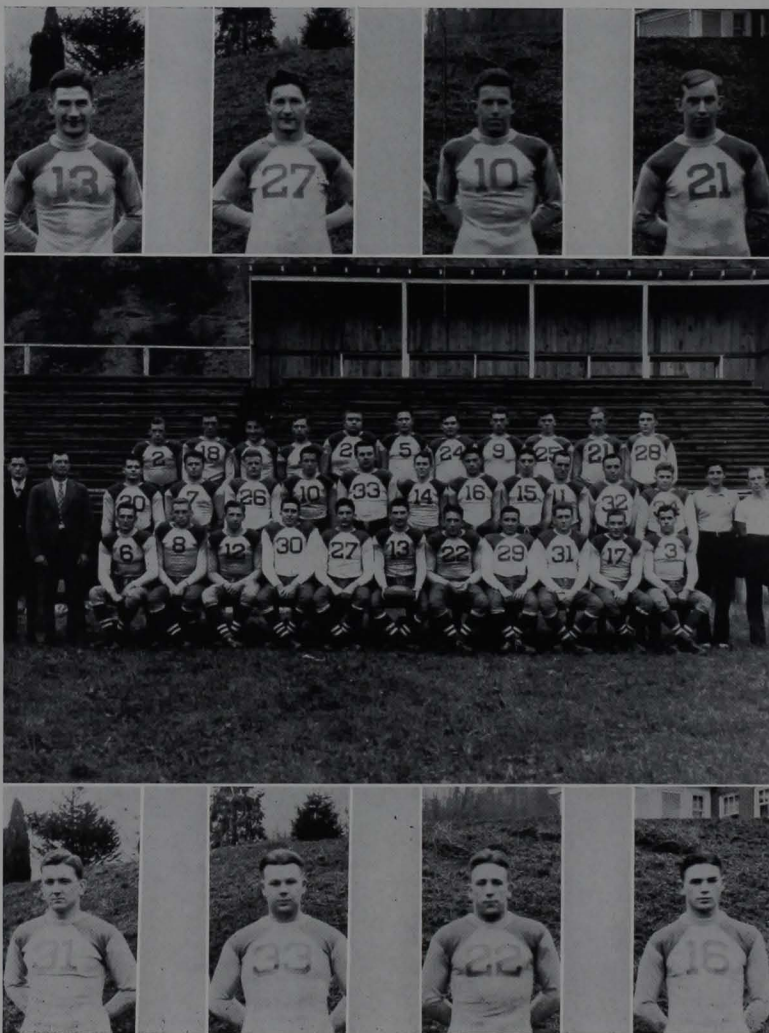
PAULK FULKS
Captain
Football

PAUL COLLINS
Student Manager
Athletics



RICHARD DYER
Publicity Director

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football

Paul Fulks, captain, end, Weston, W. Va.

Frank Martino, end, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Elwin Wilson, end, Elizabeth, W. Va.

Woodrow Maxwell, end, DeKalb, W. Va.

FOOTBALL SQUAD

Andrew Edwards
Eartle Bickel
Paul Mason
John W. Mowery
Frank Martino
Paul Fulks, Capt.
Samuel Whitman
John Bohensky
Lee Summers
Guy Bennett
Hillis Cottle
Paul Collins, Mgr.

Brooks Sheppard
Chester Staats
Russell Porterfield
Elwin Wilson
C. I. Karnes
Robert Gibson
Nathan Callahan
John Barnett
Sterling Cunningham
Evert Howes
Ralph Mendenhall
John Marra, Asst. Mgr.

Ralph Haught
Kenneth Norris
Louie Romano
Carl Keister
Brooks Golden
Bruce Parsons
Laddie Bell
Dexter Dotson
James McMillen
Woodrow Maxwell
Clifton Huffman
Richard Dyer, Pub. Dir.

A. F. Rohrbough, Coach

Lee Summers, tackle, Lockwood, W. Va.

C. I. Carnes, tackle, Princeton, W. Va.

Samuel Whitman, tackle, Cowen, W. Va.

Nathan Callahan, tackle, Richwood, W. Va.



football

Robert Gibson, back, Kingwood, W. Va.

Russell Porterfield, Richwood, W. Va.

Guy Bennett, back, Philippi, W. Va.

Andrew Edwards, back, Wheeling, W. Va.

RESUME OF GLENVILLE PIONEER FOOTBALL RECORD 1936

The Pioneers opened their annual 1936 football grind here on October 10 by trouncing Jasper Colebank's Fighting Teachers of Fairmont State College by a 20-0 count. Scoring touchdowns: Bennett, Cottle and Fulks. Points after touchdowns: Edwards and Cottle (placements).

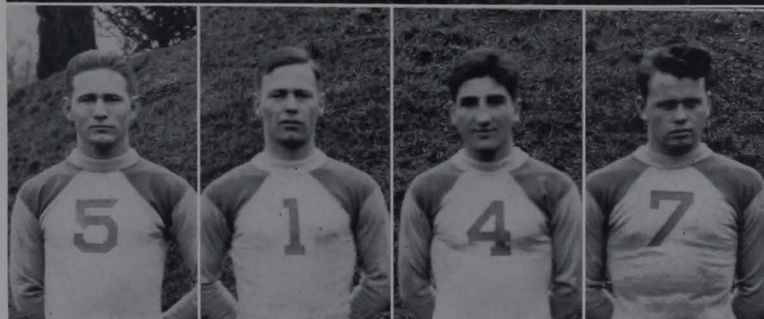
Glenville's next foe was the West Liberty Hilltop team who vacated a rain-drenched Rohrbough Field on October 17 with a surprise 6-0 victory in the bag. Rometo, elusive West Liberty halfback, scored the only touchdown of the game late in the second period.

Bruce Parsons, back, Parkersburg, W. Va.

Carl Keister, back, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Louie Romano, back, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Chester Staats, back, Point Pleasant, W. Va.



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football

John Mowery, Jr., guard and center, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Eartle Bickel, center, Webster Springs, W. Va.

Clifton Huffman, guard, Spencer, W. Va.

Sterling Cunningham, guard, Grantsville, W. Va.

In the Homecoming attraction on the 24th, the Pioneer gridders redeemed themselves in glorious fashion by submerging the powerful Concord Mountain Lions by a 7-0 count before approximately 2,000 homecomers. A pass, Gibson to Martino from the Concord 15-yard stripe, resulted in the only score. Martino converted the extra point from placement.

The following week on October 31, Coach oRhrbough moved his squad into Charleston where the Pioneer ball-toters went on a wild scoring spree and demolished the Morris Harvey Eagles by a 53-0 massacre. Scoring touchdowns: Gibson 5, Kiester, Bennett and Haugh. Points after touchdowns: Martino 3, Edwards 2 (placements).

Brooks Sheppard, guard, Elizabeth, W. Va.

Ralph Mendenhall, guard, Sistersville, W. Va.

Evert Howes, guard, Weston, W. Va.

Paul Mason, guard, Terra Alta, W. Va.

football

On November 7 at Glenville, the rampant Pioneers more than duplicated this feat by smothering the Rio Grande Redmen by a tremendous 60-0 score. Scoring touchdowns: Gibson 4, Bennett 2, Edwards, Barnett and Porterfield. Points after touchdowns: Martino 4, Edwards 2 (placements).

Continuing their winning ways, the Pioneers journeyed to Shepherdstown on November 14 and registered a 27-0 triumph over the Shepherd State Rams. Scoring touchdowns: Bennett 2, Edwards 2. Points after touchdowns: Martino 2, Edwards 1 (placements).

Closing their season on November 20 at Buckhannon, the Pioneers dropped a hard-fought struggle to the powerful Wesleyan Bobcats by a 28-6 tally. Scoring touchdowns: Glenville, Fulks. Wesleyan, Barker 2, Peterson and Gilmore. Points after touchdowns: Peterson 4 (placements).

John Bohensky, back, Clarksburg, W. Va.
Dexter Dotson, back, Summersville, W. Va.
James McMillen, end, Masontown, W. Va.
Hillis Cottle, back, Spencer, W. Va.



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basketball season

Having won the West Virginia Conference crown with fourteen victories against two defeats, the Pioneer basketball team established themselves as the undisputed state champions by trouncing the Salem Tigers by a 53-43 count in the final game of the collegiate tournament at Clarksburg.

Meeting the Salem Tigers for the first time this season, the Pioneers displayed a sparkling offensive attack that left the Tenmile aggregation trailing all the way. The battling Tigers fought gamely throughout the fracas, but could not keep pace with the rampant Pioneers who out-fought, out-maneuvered and out-generaled the Baptists from the first tipoff until the final whistle.

Following the game, C. B. ("Cebe") Ross, West Virginia Wesleyan College mentor, presented trophies and individual awards to the Glenville and Salem squads.

The Pioneers' splendid season record combined with their brilliant tournament performance enabled them to cop the runner-up basketball title in the tri-state sector. Washington and Jefferson College finished first. These selections were announced by Jess Carver, Sports Editor of the Pittsburgh Sun-Telegraph.

GLENVILLE PIONEER 1936-37 SEASON RECORD

Glenville	41	Ohio U.	49
"	36	Akron U.	38
"	63	Fairmont State	30
"	48	Waynesburg	49
"	51	Alderson-Broadus	42
"	67	West Liberty	47
"	37	Concord	41
"	54	Potomac State	39
"	61	Concord	28
"	47	Davis and Elkins	42
"	28	Wesleyan	60
"	61	Davis and Elkins	46
"	66	Fairmont	39
"	59	Wesleyan	34
"	47	Waynesburg	54
"	44	St. Vincent	35
"	67	Morris Harvey	51
"	48	Bethany	35
"	58	West Liberty	36
"	70	St. Vincent	47
"	50	Alderson-Broadus	34
"	68	Bethany	45
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	1171		921

Won Lost Percentage

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STATE COLLEGIATE TOURNAMENT RECORD

Glenville	61	Morris Harvey	32
"	57	Concord	31
"	58	Salem	43
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	176		106

Won Lost Percentage

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BASKETBALL SQUAD

Albert Lilly
Guy Bennett
Hillis Cottle
Frank Martino
Robert Davies
Harold Noroski
Earle Bickel

Earl Wolfe
James Musser
Louie Romano
Junior Rhoades
John Marra
Chester Vass
James McMillen

Woodrow Maxwell
William Chokey
John Barnett
John Mowrey, Jr.
Charles Furr
Robert Shreve
Lonnie Wiseman

A. F. Rohrbough, Coach

Paul Collins, Student Mgr.

Conference Record

Glenville	63	Fairmont	30
"	51	Alderson-Broadus	42
"	67	West Liberty	47
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"	59	Wesleyan	34
"	67	Morris Harvey	51
"	48	Bethany	35
"	58	West Liberty	36
"	50	Alderson-Broadus	34
"	68	Bethany	45
885			649

Won Lost Percentage
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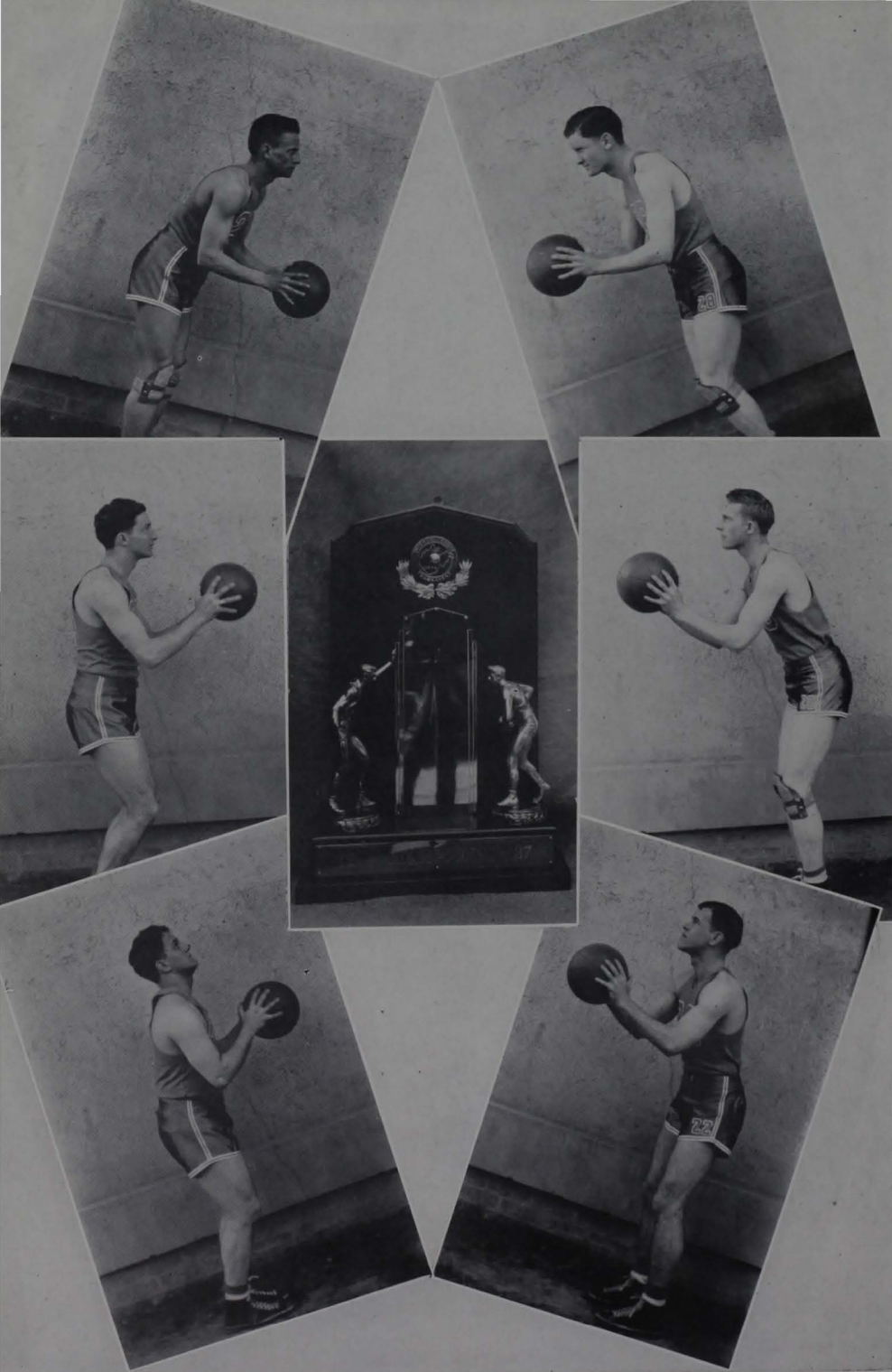
Individual Scoring

Albert Lilley	295
Frank Martino	256
Robert Davies	218
Hillis Cottle	172
Junior Rhoades	122
Louie Romano	92
Harold Noroski	49
James McMillen	44
Earle Wolfe	24
Williard Archer	24
John Marra	12
Guy Bennett	8
Others	11

Totals 1327

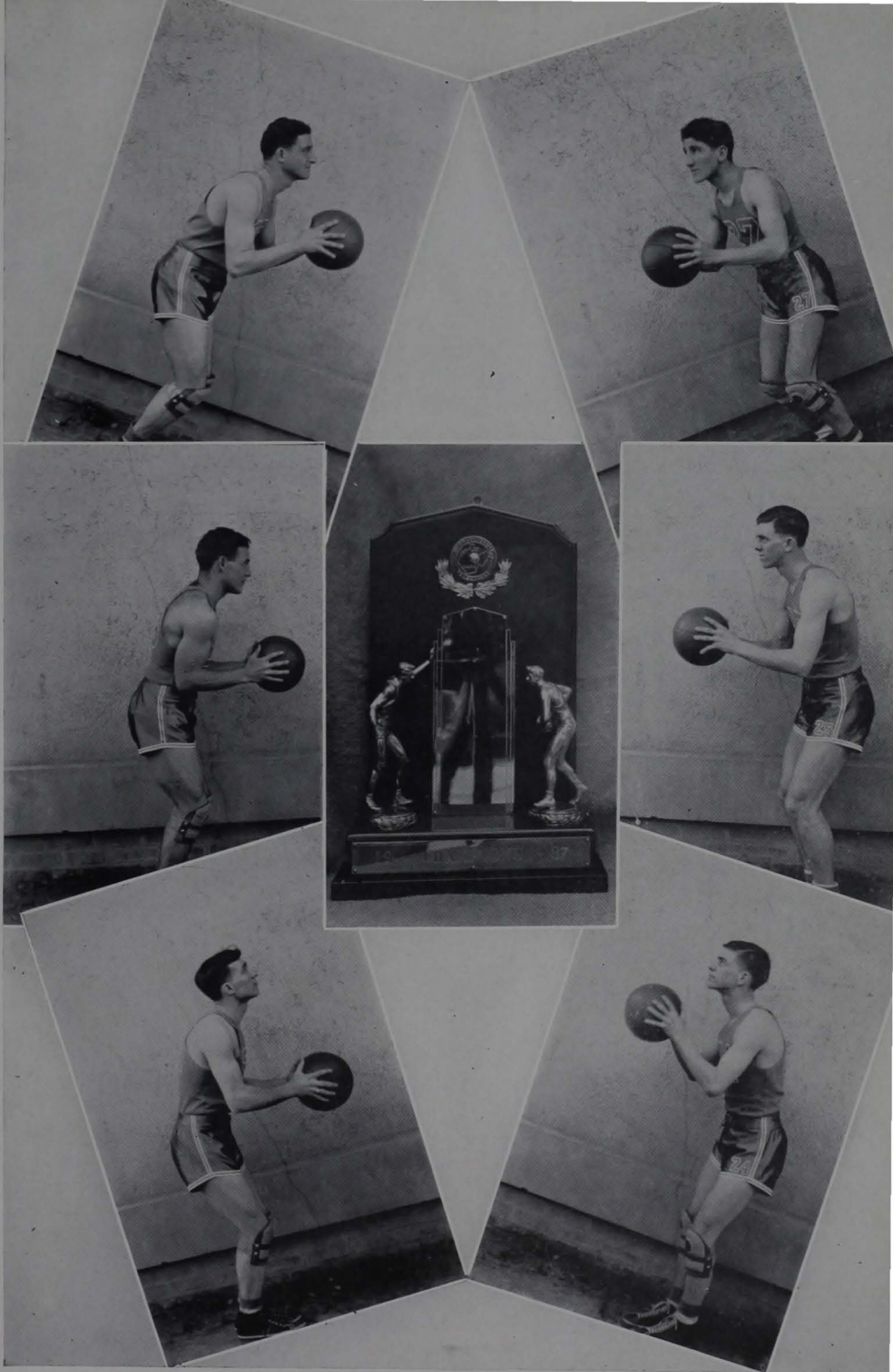
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Junior Rhoades
 Frank Martino
 Harold Noroski

Robert Davies
 Albert Lilley
 Hillis Cottle



John Marra
Guy Bennett
William Chokey

Louie Romano
James McMillen
Earl Wolfe

LENI ROHRBOUGH BOGGS

Physical Education

Clenville State Teachers College; Battle Creek College.



girls' basketball

Intramural basketball, always interesting on any campus, has attracted a jolly band of girls who have played it for fun and sport on our campus.

Late in January 1937, these busy girls organized themselves into three teams—the Basketeers (junior-senior girls), the Gals (sophomore girls), and the Tigercettes (freshman girls). Their organization was sponsored by Leni Boggs and Miss Margaret Dobson of the faculty, Sadie Harless as student manager and referee, and Miss Edna Frame as referee.

On February 3, the three teams entered a Round Robin Tournament. Late in March the Basketeers were declared the winners and an all-tournament team was selected.

BASKETEERS

Lota Carnifax
Alda Enlow
Madeline Reese
Marie Ellyson
Icie Lloyd
Ottie Walker
Ima Wilson
Sally Young
Ione Brown
Mary Lee Cooper
Ella Summers, Mgr.

ALL-TOURNAMENT

Ernestine Harrison G Icie Lloyd G Ora Mae Poling C Lota Carnifax C
Ottie Walker F Edra Stalnaker F

Awards were given to the members of the Basketeers and All-Tournament teams, and to the two referees.



THE BASKETEERS

THE GALS

THE TIGERETTES

The human being is gregarious.



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organizations

the social committee



The Social Committee came into existence following the organization of Student government in the fall of 1935. The Committee consists of the vice-president of the Student Council, vice-presidents of the four classes, two faculty advisers, and representatives of all campus organizations.

Although young, this organization promises to provide the College with the best means of aiding students in cultivating those qualities which will enable them to recognize the value of good fellowship. The committee aims to promote those social functions which will best cultivate wholesome student relationship.

JOHN W. MOWREY, JR., Chairman
Student Council

JOHN M. ROGERS
Current Events Club

LEAH STALNAKER
Chemistry Club

MARY LEONE WEST
Canterbury Club

BROOKS SHEPPARD
G Club

ELLA SUMMERS
Y. W. C. A.

NEIL ALBAUGH
Freshman Vice-President

WILLIAM HAMILTON
Sophomore Vice-President

JOHN BARNETT
Junior Vice-President

H. LABAN WHITE
Senior Vice-President

JAMES OSBOURNE
Y. M. C. A.

HILLIS COTTLE
Holy Roller Court



student council

Student government, organized at Glenville State Teachers College in 1935, is realized largely through the executive and judicial activities of the Student Council, which is composed of the general student body officers, the presidents of the four classes, and a faculty adviser. The Student Council sponsors the Lyceum course and the Kanawhachen, supervises freshman guidance, regulates certain types of student misconduct, and seeks to improve various other phases of campus life.

BANTZ W. CRADDOCK, JR.
President

JOHN W. MOWREY, JR.
Vice-President

SADIE HARLESS
Secretary

EARTLE BICKEL
Treasurer

NATHAN CALLAHAN
Sergeant-at-Arms

GOFF GIBONEY
President Senior Class

THOMAS L. DOTSON
President Junior Class

ROBERT DAVIES
President Sophomore Class

GARA OLES
President Freshman Class

RAYMOND FREED
Faculty Adviser

the g club

On December 3, 1929, the lettermen of Glenville State Teachers College held a meeting for the purpose of organizing and bringing together the athletes of the College. At the first meeting officers were elected and a committee was appointed to draw up a constitution and the requirements needed for entrance into the club.

The purpose of the club is to bring the athletes together and to create a feeling of fellowship among them. The entrance requirement is that the athlete must have been a participant in the major sports of the school and has earned his letter.

The officers for the year 1929-30 were: William Heckert, president; Archie Morris, vice-president; Frank Harrison, secretary-treasurer; Coach A. F. Rohrbough, adviser.

The present officers for the year 1936-37 are: Paul Fulks, president; Samuel Whitman, vice-president; Andrew Edwards, secretary-treasurer; Coach A. F. Rohrbough, adviser.

Each year a dance is held and the proceeds go toward buying gold keys which are given to graduating members as a token of faithful service.



holy roller court

Coming into existence in the fall of 1928, the Holy Roller Court, a fraternal organization, seeks to promote social life in the College. In addition to its chief function, the Court is especially concerned with the observance of freshman rules.

Organized along judicial lines, the Court elects new officers each year from among its members. Soon after the beginning of the Fall Semester, initiation of new pledges begins and continues for two weeks until Homecoming Day.

One of the big social events of the year in the College is the Holy Roller dance. On this occasion the students and faculty are invited to come and enjoy dancing to music furnished by a selected orchestra from out of town.

"G" CLUB

PAUL FULKS
President

Brooks Sheppard
Ralph Mendenhall
John Bohensky
John Marra
Paul Collins
Ralph Haught
Guy Bennett
Robert Davies

Paul Mason

SAMUEL WHITMAN
Vice-President

Frank Martino
Chester Staats
Russell Porterfield
Elwin Wilson
Millard Cunningham
Jim McMillen
John Barnett
Lee Summers

ANDREW EDWARDS
Secretary and Treasurer

Evert Howes
Hillis Cottle
Robert Gibson
Nathan Callahan
Albert Lilley
Earle Bickel
C. I. Karnes
Clifton Huffman

John W. Mowrey, Jr.



HOLY ROLLER COURT

PAUL FULKS
Judge

BROOKS SHEPPARD
Clerk

Ralph Haught
John Bohensky
Paul Collins
Bantz W. Craddock
Ralph Mendenhall
John Marra
Lorentz Hamilton

ANDREW EDWARDS
Prosecuting Attorney

Elwin Wilson
Hillis Cottle
John Barnett
Robert Gibson
Samuel Whitman
H. Laban White, Jr.
Earle Bickel

EVERT HOWES
Defense Attorney

GUY BENNETT
Sheriff

Lee Summers
Nathan Callahan
Russell Porterfield
Albert Lilley
C. I. Karnes
Clifton Huffman
Frank Martino



y. m. c. a. — y. w. c. a.

RUSSELL HOGUE
President

Jack Bailey
Milfred Meadows
Glen Melrose
Charles I. Smith

JOHN SIMS
Vice-President

Damon Starcher
Davy McClung
James Osbourne
Kenneth Hylbert

PAUL CONLEY
Secretary-Treasurer

William Hamilton
Wallace Phillips
Edward Williams
Bertchel Kittle

VELDA BETTS
President

Martha Daniels
Virginia Gibson
Marjorie Craddock
Eleanor Waggoner
Nettie Walker Cook
Mildred Thomas
Opal LaFayette
Ella Summers
Lucille Morris

SADIE HARLESS
Vice-President
LEAH STALNAKER
Corresponding Secretary

Ione Brown
Eloise Gunn
Winifred White
Goldie Reynolds
Garnett Reed
Mary L. Hawkins
Ruby Conley
Alyce Walker
Thelma Dorsey

JOSEPHINE RIFFEE
Secretary-Treasurer

Ora Mae Poling
Alyce M. Bonnett
Tulsa Hinkle
Virginia Frymier
Susan Summers
Elva Yoak
Eileen Hamilton
Lomis Gulentz
Ruth McWhorter

y. m. c. a. — y. w. c. a.

The Y. W. C. A. is an organization which seeks to promote the all-round welfare of young women and to establish Christian living in the school and in the community. It is the only organization on the campus for girls alone.

The Y. W. C. A. girls meet bi-weekly for a program of religion and sociability. With an annual Christmas party, they help Santa Claus bring Christmas cheer to a group of children in the graded school. About once a month, one can see the members on their way to church in a body. As girls never forget leap year, their social functions last year were crowned by a leap year dance. On registration day, at the beginning of this year, they entertained the freshmen girls and the faculty at a tea, and provided an information booth in the hall of the Administration Building. In February the Y. W. C. A., with the Y. M. C. A., gave a Valentine party for the entire student body.

The Y. W. C. A. is striving to do still more each year toward attaining its goal of true fellowship and Christian living by "Following the Gleam."



The Young Men's Christian Association is an organization which strives for betterment of the lives of its members through development of high moral attitudes and Christian-like conduct. The club is affiliated with the National Y. M. C. A., and with the Student Christian Movement.

It is considered the duty of every member to make himself an influence for good in every situation.

The club holds bi-weekly meetings; it also seeks to promote fellowship among its members by providing associative recreation for those who desire to participate. A club of this nature can well be considered a desirable addition to the activities of any college.

The process of learning is not all work.



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features





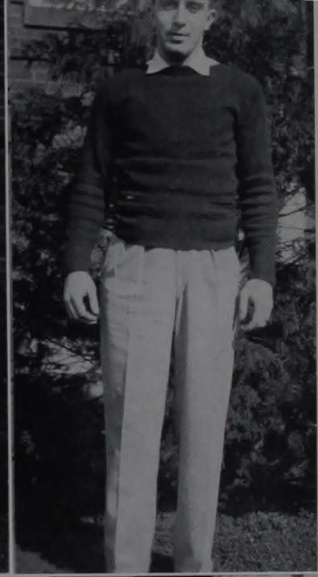


campus personalities

In the upper left hand corner stands H. Laban White, Jr., a long name for one of small stature. . . . However, the student body considers his mental ability. . . . He is our most scholarly boy. . . . Next to the mental giant is Ralph ("Lardy") Mendenhall. . . . As seen in the picture, Lardy is 200 pounds of joviality. . . . The school will vouch for this statement. . . . By way of contrast, Hilma Nutter is supposed to be the biggest grouch. . . . Careful analysis shows she has a habit of making cutting remarks. . . . If handled properly, she is very genial. . . . Students agree that Mary Lusk's wit is a trifle stale. . . . Outside of this Mary is O. K. . . . In the row below, stands (he usually lounges) Evert ("Speed") Howes. . . . His nickname is a misnomer. . . . He is the laziest of the masculine element. . . . Here, Hillie Cottle has the old bull dog look. . . . Most of the time he looks his part—the handsomest boy. . . . The man behind the G, John ("Bo") Bohensky, is the biggest grouch and bluffer. . . . All we can say is that it works on the football field. . . . The slender gentleman is most courteous. . . . He is none other than Denzel Garrett. . . . We agree after working a year with him. . . . The young lady in the fur coat is Evalene Robinson. . . . She is such a smooth dancer that she can glide across the floor with a glass of water on her head and not spill a drop. . . . Lulu Brown is versatile. . . . She is original, lazy and verbose without saying anything. . . . Velda Betts stands on the library steps. . . . She is about as big as a minute. . . . Here she is in a pious mood. . . . She does not look up at the sky all the time. . . . She is our most scholarly girl. . . . The tall lass, Virginia Adams, has a great chance of being an old maid according to students' idea. . . . She takes it in good sport as she poses in one of her better man scatterers. . . .

campus personalities

According to those who know, Laddie Bell is a very pious boy. . . . He is very active in church and affiliated organizations. . . . When ("Wild Bill") Chokey entered school he brought a new note in dancing with him. . . . He is at his best when he tears off the Butler hop or swings into a flying dip. . . . Frank ("Chi Chi") Martino is college personified. . . . A few wise cracks, good basketball shots and a pleasant personality give him the honor. . . . John ("Bus") Mowery, in light pants and sweater, is the fashion plate of Glenville Tech. . . . Today he feels more like man instead of a gentleman. . . . The little girl holding the book is Marjorie ("Tigeress") Craddock. . . . She brings Hollywood to the hills. . . . We think that a woman is well dressed when we can't tell where her own charm stops and her clothes begin. . . . The smiling blonde, Winifred ("Fritzie") White is good company. . . . She is peppy, befitting the most collegiate girl. . . . The sidelong glance belongs to Elizabeth Floyd. . . . The picture does not do her justice. . . . She is a redhead. . . . The checkered coat and determined look belong to Alene Kyer. . . . This may have something to do with her being a man hater. . . . Fred Bell, under the overcoat, thinks he is witty. . . . Some think he should spend as much time on witticisms as books. . . . Andrew Edwards is supposed to be a woman hater and future bachelor. . . . He belies the title by squiring a dark haired damsel. . . . The businesslike fellow is Tom Dotson. . . . He is always working at something. . . . In one respect Sam Whitman is not original. . . . He likes to hug the women. . . . Otherwise we approve of his title. . . .





campus personalities

Precise, little Sadie Harless always rushes about the campus looking for anything to do. . . . The girl under the tam is Anna Mae Cunningham. . . . She is small, sharp and witty. . . . We don't know any special reason why Ora Mae Poling is here. . . . We shall let her stay on general principles. . . . Lois Thompson is a bluffer. . . . Passing over her wild statements, she is as pleasant a girl as the picture shows. . . . Lee ("Bull") Summers is a big man and full of hot air. . . . He talks around his subject, but finally reaches it. . . . Clifton ("Tink") Huffman has a dry sense of humor. . . . One has to be on his guard around Tink. . . . The tall, willowy blonde is Venus on the campus. . . . The beauty of Ella Summers is not skin deep. . . . She is a hard worker and easy to get along with. . . . Almost any night one can hear the high-pitched laugh of Louie ("Snozzle") Romano. . . . He usually presides over the bull sessions of Kanawha Hall. . . . Fritzie and Evalene talk about this 'n that while Speed hangs on. . . . Lulu and Speed give us a characteristic pose. . . . The only time they come out of it is at a dance. . . . They both can do some high stepping. . . . John ("Red") Barrett is another who sneaked in. . . . We let him stay because he adds the finishing touches to a bull session. . . . George looks at these intellectuals, hoofers, deadbeats, wiseacres, grouches, bluffers and other forms of life found on the campus. . . . He smiles with approval. . . .

college grumblers

Grumblers are everywhere. They are in society. They are in the business world, but nowhere are they more numerous than in College, even in Glenville State Teachers College. The students grumble, the faculty grumbles, even the janitor grumbles.

There are no greater nuisances under the sun than grumblers. But like the poor, they are always with us. From the greenest freshman to the wisest senior, the favorite pastime is grumbling. Whatever happens they come, they see, they grumble.

The patient and innocent are the victims of grumblers. Grumbling begins as soon as the students awake. They grumble because they have to get up in the morning; yet they grumble if they miss their breakfast. They grumble because they have to go to classes. If they cut, they grumble because they have to make up work. They grumble if a teacher gives a surprise quiz. At noon they come from classes grumbling because they are hungry. They go to lunch and grumble about the food. They grumble because they have to go to lab in the afternoon. They go to dinner and grumble because it is not a banquet; they leave the table grumbling because they have eaten too much. They grumble if it takes more than two hours to prepare their lessons. They go to bed grumbling about the work they have to do the next day.

What would college be without grumblers? There is always food for grumbling. Some grumble about social activities, the lectures, the dances, the clubs, and the parties. Others grumble about athletics. When the team loses a game they grumble about everything from the coach to the referee. When the team wins, they grumble because the game was too one-sided. The seniors grumbled because the school did not have standard class rings. Now they grumble because they do not like the rings. The seniors have grumbled so long that they cannot be recognized without their grumble.

Although student grumblers are a common nuisance, they are essential to college life. Grumbling starts the wheels of progress turning. For several years the upper classmen grumbled because they did have student government. Now that they have it, they want to progress still further so they grumble because the governing body does not have sufficient power. The freshmen grumble because it has too much power.

Everyone felt the need of a new dormitory. They grumbled. Now there is a new dormitory, but the grumbling became louder when the question of who should occupy the new dormitory arose.

The longest siege of grumbling lasted for nearly a decade. The college has had no yearbook for many years. Grumble, grumble, grumble. It brought results. The yearbook is a reality and everybody is happy, but still the students grumble. They grumble because they had to have pictures taken. They grumble because the pictures did not flatter them. They grumble because the yearbook is expensive.

So progressive has the college become in grumbling that the students grumble because they do not have more things about which to grumble. Verily, verily the grumbler goes to college. God bless the grumbler; may his tribe increase.

—By LUCILLE SPRAY.

"goodol' days"

The present-day assembly exercise was once called chapel. Between 1896 and 1900 chapel was held every day between 10:30 and 11:00 o'clock, and attendance was compulsory. The program consisted of Bible reading and prayer by members of the faculty.

Commencement exercises were held on the second floor of the Old Building. It was the custom from 1880 until 1890 for the ushers to bring wild flowers up the aisle and place them around the candidates for graduation. The student who received the most flowers was the most popular one. The graduate read an essay or gave an oration. One girl read an essay "The Fading Leaf."

The Cosmian and Independent Literary Societies were organized by 1893. The two societies gave programs during commencement week. Many intersociety contests were held. The last contest was held in 1900. The organizations ceased functioning because of the bitterness which arose between the two organizations.

In 1883 there were no athletics in the school. By 1896 baseball was played and was still the principal game in 1900. In 1899 a football team was organized and challenged other teams in 1903. The football boys paid their own expenses.

This school has never given a holiday for the celebration of an athletic victory.

The Administration Hall was built in 1915

In 1896 school began at 9:00 o'clock and closed at 4:30. The school term was divided into three semesters. Books for the library were contributed by the citizens. Nine citizens bought the campus ground and donated it to the state.

T. M. Marshall, a principal of the school, taught without pay but received the money later.

Three students were expelled in 1900 for dancing.

Typewriters were first introduced here in 1893.

The head of the school was once called the principal.

We are indebted to the following alumni for the foregoing facts: Guy B. Young, Marvin Cooper, Mrs. Fred Lewis, and Duane Zinn, all of Glenville; Mrs. Martha Ryan, Ryan; Mrs. George Miller, of Tanner.

—By MARIE ELLYSON.



SADIE HARLESS
H. LABAN WHITE, JR.

VELDA BETTS
THOMAS L. DOTSON

outstanding students

Starting a custom which is to be made an annual event, the faculty this year selected the four outstanding students on the campus and submitted their names to the KANAWHACHEN editors so that pictures of the honored students might be obtained for use in this year's College annual. All members of the faculty participated in the voting which took into consideration these factors: Meritorious achievement, growth and development, scholastic record, social activities in the College, attitudes, originality, and initiative.

The honors, which are perhaps the highest to be achieved on the campus, went to two seniors, Thomas L. Dotson and H. Laban White, Jr., and two sophomores, Sadie Harless and Velda Betts.

Twenty-six other students, each of whom received one or more votes, are: Ella Summers, Goff Giboney, Denzil Garrett, Mary Leone West, John Rogers, Virginia Vinson, Millard Cunningham, Lois Mason, Willis Tatterson, Coleen Norman, Samuel Whitman, Otis Rexroad, Garnett Reed, Avon Elder, Frederick Bell, June Riley, Ima Wilson, Frank Martino, Kathleen Murphy, Virginia Lee Tucker, Eleanor Waggoner, Marjorie Craddock, Willard Shreve, Ione Brown, Lloyd Elliott, and Bantz W. Craddock, Jr.

life in verona mapel hall

Why do girls living in town pity Verona Mapel Hall girls? Often they remark how sorry they are because Mary or Susan has to live in the hall instead of out in town where she could have some fun. "Stone walls do not a prison make. . . ." Pity sometimes works in two ways. We of Verona Mapel pity those unfortunate girls who dwell "outside the gates." We are the ones who have the fun. Besides, any girl who misses dormitory life misses a most vital and interesting part of her college life and training.

In the fall of 1916 some twenty-five girls timidly began dormitory life in Kanawha Hall. The ball they started rolled so swiftly that in 1925 beautiful, spacious Verona Mapel Hall was opened for occupancy. Today, eighty-four women students dwell here, envied by those on the waiting list.

Let us stop this propaganda which speaks of the few privileges enjoyed by Hall girls. Why, we have more privileges here than many of us have in our homes. We may invite our friends in any evening to dance, play the radio, or even play checkers. One is always assured of a friendly welcome. We may have parties; we may have delicious spreads in the kitchenette. Even the domestically inclined among us may cook, sew or iron. Such is the natural homelike atmosphere which pervades at Verona Mapel Hall.

Our social life is a subject neither for pity nor for jest. Who can ever forget the sinking thrill of being a hostess for the first time; or the time one sat down before grace was said; or the day she spilled gravy? We must cheerfully learn how things are done with a "do or die" attitude and never forget our manners.

Verona Mapel is the scene of many festive occasions whose range is broad enough to please everybody, for they vary from little girl parties to formal teas. What Verona Mapel Hall girl does not look forward to the Christmas party and to the get-acquainted parties? Or who will forget the winter evenings spent around the cheerful fire in the great fire place in the front hall?

Believe it or not, even girls have serious moments. We recognize the fact that we are here primarily to prepare for life. Where better, then, may we acquire self-control, the ability to get along with others, independence, regularity in habits, social grace, poise, tolerance, and consideration than here in our Verona Mapel Hall?

If we fail when we are provided with definite study periods and practical schedules to insure quiet along with normal fun, we must blame ourselves.

Soon, too soon, college days are over; and we find ourselves in the practical world with numberless responsibilities.

Already girls of former years are making pilgrimages back to Verona Mapel. Undoubtedly we shall follow their example. Looking back from future years with wiser hearts, we shall then realize and appreciate the true benefits and happiness to be received from life in a hall.

—By VIRGINIA VINSON.

kanawha hall

Kanawha Hall, home of Stoics and Epicureans, enjoys the distinction of having been the home of more than two thousand students since it was opened in 1916.

President and Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough lived here once upon a time and so did Mrs. Earl Arbuckle and Miss Willa Brand; and for that matter, the girls of the school lived here until Verona Mapel Hall was opened in 1925. At the present time, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Freed, and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Rohrbough reside within its walls.

Scholastically, the student residents are grouped as follows: Stoics (Grade A), Good Students (B), Independents (C), Optimists (D) and Revolutionists (F). The first group does all assigned work without comment. The second group has a suspicion that the work is too hard, but they do as much of it as they can conveniently. The C division is sure that it is too hard, but they do a fair amount of it. The Optimist is convinced of the injustice of the assignments, but does not say so. He thinks that he will pass anyway, and he does. The Radical knows very well that teachers make assignments vindictively; and he says so. Result? Revolutionary! With the receipt of his grade card he sees red, and then a change (of school) occurs.

Life here is not all study. Miniature stock markets, games, wrestling matches, soap box debates and other entertainments are all part of the life at Kanawha Hall. Fortunes are made and lost (mostly lost) in a single night. There is an occasional game of bridge, or aristocratic poker, as you choose to call it. Sometimes Mr. Freed or Coach Roshbough have to summon themselves to settle an active dispute as to who possesses the superior strength. The decision is usually a draw with both sides winning. Soap box debates usually end with the same decision or a similar one.

Despite the seemingly continuous activity, the boys occasionally eat and sleep. Few will be convinced of the fact that they sleep, but it is really the truth. Other activities are added from time to time, but these are probably the major ones.

—MILLARD CUNNINGHAM.

chronology of the first semester

(1936-37)

By DICK DYER

Students, old and new, marched into the Administration Building on September fourteenth to register for the 1936-37 school term, either to inaugurate, or to continue their education in the Gilmer institution of learning. . . . The Student Council of the college then made its initial move by holding a timely get-acquainted party in the gymnasium on the nineteenth of the month. . . . This action seemed to be very beneficial for the inferiority of some of the newcomers. . . . The Promoters of Fraternal Brotherhood in the college, namely, The Holy Roller Court, elected their officials on the twenty-first. . . . The twenty-third found the Canterbury Club honoring Millard Cunningham with the presidency of the organization. . . . The Don Cossack Russian Chorus, under the supervision of the dynamic Sarge Jaroff, appeared here on the twenty-ninth to open the College's artist course. . . . This same day found the journalism students bringing forth the first publication of the Mercury. . . .

By now everything was in full swing, and October was ushered in with numerous students and faculty members attending the Forest Festival at Elkins. . . . The Freshmen broke into the limelight on the second of the month by selecting Gara Oles as their mouthpiece in the Student Council. . . . Plebe rules became effective on the sixth, and the greenhorns were seen parading the campus, proudly displaying their cute little blue and white headgears. . . . October seventh found the newly-organized Current Events Club selecting Wendell McNemar as president, and the choral class presenting a recital in assembly. . . . Through the ardent electioneering of "Red" Barrett, Millard Cunningham was again honored, by being elected "Pioneer" at the initial pep meeting. . . . The Pioneer football warriors inaugurated their 1936 campaign on the tenth by trouncing Fairmont 20-0. . . . The Jitney Players appeared here on the thirteenth, displaying highly-appreciative dramatic art in their presentation of "The Rivals," featuring the lovely Miss Ethel Barrymore Colt. . . . The Pioneers played their second football game of the year on the seventeenth and lost a disheartening 6-0 battle to the West Liberty Hilltoppers. . . . Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes addressed the students in assembly on the twenty-first. . . . Homecoming festivities came into their own on the twenty-fourth with Glenville trimming Concord 7-0 as the main attraction. . . . Following the game, the College Alumni Association entertained the students and homecomers with a dance in the gymnasium. . . . The Student Council named the Yearbook Staff on the twenty-sixth, selecting Otis Rexroad as Editor-in-Chief and Thomas Dotson as Business Manager. . . . Returning to their football campaign on the thirty-first, the Pioneers swamped the Morris Harvey team by a 53-0 score at Charleston to conclude the affairs of the month. . . .

Professor Hunter Whiting was the assembly speaker on November fourth to commence the month's activities. . . . Bantz Craddock, Jr., Laban White, Jr., and Professor Raymond Freed attended the meeting of the West Virginia Federation of College Students on the sixth. . . . November seventh found the Pioneer footballers burying the Rio Grande collegians by a 60-0 count. . . . Irina Skariatina, noted Russian countess, spoke here on the ninth concerning the Russia of today and the situation in middle Europe. . . . Bantz Craddock addressed the students in assembly on the eleventh. . . . The S. E. A. meeting was held at Huntington on the twelfth. . . . The fourteenth found the Pioneers in Shepherdstown defeating the Shepherd State Rams by a 27-0 score. . . . Eleanor Waggoner was elected president

of the Onimgohow Players on the fifteenth. . . . Dean H. Laban White attended an executive meeting of the S. E. A. at Morgantown on seventeenth. . . . The Pioneers dropped a 28-6 football decision to the Wesleyan Bobcats on the twentieth, and the Thanksgiving Dance was held after the game. . . . The foreign language department entertained the faculty on the twenty-third, and on the twenty-fifth Thanksgiving recess began and Freshman Rules were lifted. . . .

December activities were started on the second when a group of musically-inclined students presented a "Major Bowes" program in assembly. . . . President E. G. Rohrbough and Coach A. F. Rohrbough attended the annual winter meeting of the West Virginia Athletic Collegiate Conference on the fourth. . . . Freshmen again crashed the front page on the ninth with the presentation of three one-act plays. . . . On the eleventh the socialites trucked to the music of Joe Mallory's Red Tops at the Christmas dance. . . . Activities reached a new high on the twelfth, the most prominent being the election of Denzil Garrett as president of the West Virginia Inter-Collegiate Press Association at Charleston. . . . Next was the G-Club's annual minstrel, followed by Miss Brand entertaining the Canterbury Club with a Christmas Party at Verona Mapel Hall. . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Hiersoux appeared here in a musical concert on the thirteenth. . . . The Pioneer basketball team inaugurated their 1936-37 campaign at Athens, O., on the fifteenth losing a tough 49-41 court debate to Ohio University's Bobcats. . . . Another contest was lost the next night to the Akron University Zippers by a 38-36 count. . . . Back to the campus, the Christmas Cantata, **The Hope of the World**, was given in assembly on the sixteenth, and two days later students vacated the campus for the Christmas recess. . . .

With last thoughts of 1936 glimmering on the horizon, the Pioneer cagers greeted the new year by shellacking the Fairmont basketball team by a 63-30 count on the fifth of January. . . . The first assembly period of the year on the sixth found H. Y. Clark as the keynoter, discussing **Youth of Today and a Half Century Ago**. . . . During the evening the Pioneer cagers lost a thrilling ball game to the Waynesburg Yellow Jackets by a 40-48 score. . . . Hunter Whiting addressed the Glenville Woman's Club on the eleventh, and James C. Wilson concluded the semester's activities with a talk *Free Wheeling Through Africa* on the fifteenth.

second semester

Second semester activities were started on February first when students again registered for the last half of the 1936-37 school term. . . . Miss Margaret Dobson, speech instructor, was the first assembly speaker on the third of February, giving several poetical interpretations. . . . Students broke into the limelight on the fifth with a decisive vote to put a ban upon misconduct. . . . The Student Council was given power to act in all such violations that were prescribed. . . . The eighth of February found the College debating team in action. . . . Dr. Richard Aspinall spoke to the students in Assembly on the tenth. . . . This same day the Canterbury Club elected Goff Giboney president. . . . The Pioneer basketball team smothered the Wesleyan Bobcats by a 59-34 count on the eleventh to avenge the early season setback handed them at Buckhannon. . . . On February sixteenth President and Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough left for New Orleans to attend the N. E. A. meeting, and the Pioneer hoopers journeyed to Latrobe, Penn., and turned back the St. Vincent Bearcats 44-35. . . . Continuing their winning ways on the twentieth, the blue and white trounced Morris Harvey College by a 67-51 score.

Registrar Carey Woofert announced on March first that Lloyd Elliot and H. Laban White, Jr., headed the College's honor roll for the first semester

with straight A averages. . . . March first and second found the Pioneer basketball team in Wheeling defeating Bethany 48-35 and West Liberty 58-36. . . . Professor Raymond Freed talked on **Effective Student Government** in assembly on March third. . . . On the fifth of March Nathan Callahan, John Mowrey and Denzil Garrett entered the primary race for presidency of the Student Council. . . . March fifth and sixth the college sponsored the Little Kanawha Valley Sectional basketball tournament. . . . The Pioneer basketball team won the state collegiate championship on March 9 by defeating Salem College 58-43 in the final game of the third annual state collegiate tournament held at Clarksburg. . . . The Little Philharmonic Orchestra gave a concert in the College Auditorium on March tenth. . . . Denzil Garrett and Nathan Callahan survived in the primary election on the twelfth, and the Victory Ball, honoring the State Champion Pioneer basketball squad and featuring Jimmy Flenniken and his band from Morgantown, was held in the College Gymnasium. . . . On March twentieth the Interscholastic Public Speaking Contest was held here. . . . Miss Bertha Olsen directed the Easter Cantata on March twenty-fourth in the College Auditorium and the Easter recess began on the twenty-fifth.

April, with its many showers and the traditional April Fools Day, was ushered in on the first with the special publication of the Mercury which revealed many interesting poses of the College's elite. . . . On April third the Chemistry Club, under the direction of John R. Wagner, sponsored the Chemistry Day program which attracted 1,100 visitors from twenty-five high schools in central West Virginia. . . . Thomas Dotson, H. Laban White, Jr., Sadie Harless and Velda Betts were honored by the faculty on April fifth by being voted the most outstanding in scholastic attainments. . . . Denzil Garrett was elected president of the Student Council for 1937-38 by the students on April thirteenth. . . . April sixteenth found the Holy Roller Court sponsoring their annual Spring Formal in the College Gymnasium, featuring Al Good and his band from Morgantown.

The Kanawhachen Staff wishes to extend its sincere apologies here for not having the May activities listed, but this was unavoidable because our copy had to be in the hands of the printer by April 26, consequently numerous events of importance that have or will have had occurred during May are unintentionally omitted. However, we will list several of the most outstanding events that will occur between May fourteenth and June third. They are:

- May 14—The Annual G Club Dance
- May 26—Operetta—"Pirates of Penzance"
- May 29—Senior Play—"Let Us Be Gay"
- May 30—Baccalaureate Sermon
- May 31—Commencement Exercises
- June 1—Alumni Dance
- June 3—Dismissal

Progress—that illusion which becomes increasingly remote as we approach—is yet to be realized. There are as many and as varied definitions of progress as there are people in the world. Someone, aptly enough, has defined it as an improvement in the well-being of the masses. But what is improvement?

Man's greatest inventions have contributed most liberally to his undoing. Any servant, freed from restraint, may become a destructive monster. The airplane—truly a miraculous improvement in transportation—is the swiftest and most efficient of the destroyers. The printing press has made knowledge infinitely easier of attainment, but what of the character of much of this information? Indisputably nothing has contributed quite so much to the advancement of learning. Yet, if any day, the newspapers would carry an account of the atrocities, veritable or otherwise, of one group of countries against another, the world would, with the consent of the governments, be duped and printed into another orgy of murder and patriotic tragedy which would make the last Great War appear as a few grains of sand in the great desolation wrought by it. Why? Because we have advanced by means of our inventions. We have advanced because we can now allow hundreds, yea thousands, of men to die honorably (slaughtering their fellow-men), whereas, in the old days, one at a time would suffice to make a man a hero.

The problem of unequal distribution of wealth has always been a pressing one. Various attempts have been made to remove this seeming injustice. Most of these efforts have been in the form of subsidy, direct or otherwise. They have not been directed at the basic cause of the situation, and so we assume that there is something rotten in the state of progress.

If we are to accept progress as an improvement in the well-being of the masses, it seems that a little stricter interpretation must be put upon the word **improvement**. We must come to realize that only in so far as change is profitably used is it improvement.

We do not consider the problem insoluble. "Only dead fish swim with the current." We advance that which we believe to be the only practical and sound solution, and we believe that its advent may properly be termed **progress**. The answer is **education**. We do not mean a strictly technological education by any means, but an education which would teach the facts (in so far as we know them) and the problems of life and their solution; an education that would teach with Emerson that "A man is fed not that he may be fed, but that he may work." When man comes to feel and discharge his duty to society without self-congratulation, we feel that we may truly say THIS IS PROGRESS.

—By MILLARD CUNNINGHAM.

alumni

Among the graduates of Glenville State Teachers College are men and women who are prominent in the affairs of the world. The College has always shown an active interest in its graduates and as early as 1903 we find in the school catalogue, "Within the past two years definite information has been received concerning the occupation of at least nine-tenths of the alumni." For several years after that date, a list of all the alumni and their occupations appeared in each school catalogue.

In 1905 the alumni were officially organized with the following officers: Victor Cooper, president; Fred Lewis, vicepresident; Mamie Cook, secretary. These officers served until 1910 when C. M. Bennett was chosen president and Bonnie Whiting vice-president. Howard Brannon served as president from 1911 to 1913.

The purpose of the organization was and is to keep in closer touch with the graduates of the school; to keep actively alive the interest of the graduate in the school; and through an organization to do something helpful for the school. Also, the organization always has had some social events during each year.

On July 18, at a called meeting, during the presidency of Miss Alma Arbuckle, it was voted to start a Loan Fund to aid deserving students by lending them money with which to complete school. It was voted to take fifty dollars from the treasury for the fund and to increase it by contributions. Each alumnus was asked to contribute one dollar. A committee, appointed for five years, to administer the fund, consisted of Carey Woofter, chairman; Robert T. Crawford, treasurer; Howard R. Brannon, Mrs. E. G. Rollyson and Miss Alma Arbuckle. Several students have benefited from the fund, which now amounts to \$290.

During the same year, the first Alumni Directory was published.

The College Homecoming, an annual autumn event, was initiated by the Alumni in 1931 under the administration of Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough. The events bring back to the College each year many former students. The Alumni sponsors a reception and dance in the College gymnasium in honor of these visitors each year.

Since the beginning of the organization, it has been the custom to have a social affair of some nature at the end of the school year. For a number of years this was in the form of a banquet, but recently the Alumni Reception and Dance has taken its place as the chief social event of the year. At this dance, the year's graduating class are the guests of the Alumni.

The present officers of the organization are Pearl Pickens, president; Stanley Hall, vice-president; Hazel Fisher, secretary; Nelson Wells, treasurer.

—PEARL PICKENS.



outstanding alumni

Believing that the measure of the success which attends the activities of any institution of learning lies in the achievements of its students, the editors of the KANAWHACHEN are inaugurating the custom of calling attention each year to four alumni of the College who have attained notable success in their chosen fields of work.

This year, Miss Pearl Pickens, President of the Alumni Association, acted as chairman of a special committee to make the selections.

Material concerning the achievements of the selected alumni was organized by Vorley Rexroad.

Those selected on the basis of outstanding achievements in their respective fields are:

Dr. Waitman F. Zinn, '07, physician and bronchoscope specialist of Baltimore, Md., and a brother of Mr. L. D. Zinn, assistant cashier of the Kanawha Union Bank in this city.

Dr. William Allison Shimer, '14, educator and lecturer of New York City and Secretary of the Phi Beta Kappa Foundation.

Dr. William Hall, S. N., '91, retired minister and world traveler of Washington, D. C.

Dr. Ivan Wright, S. N., '13, economist and authority on depressions, of Chicago, Illinois.



Dr. Waitman F. Zinn, internationally known bronchoscopic surgeon, attended Glenville State Teachers College and West Virginia University, receiving the degree of Doctor of Medicine in 1911. He then attended the College of Physicians and Surgeons in Baltimore, Md. He is a member of the American College of Surgeons, American Medical Association, Southern Medical Association, and former president of the American Bronchoscopic Society.

In fraternal societies and education, Dr. Zinn has been very active, being a charter member and vice president of the Kiwanis, a 32nd degree Mason, member of the Baldric Club and University Club, Clinical Professor of Diseases of Nose and Throat at the University of Maryland, Professor of Bronchoscopy and Esophagoscopy at Georgetown University.

Dr. Zinn is a member of the staff and Chief of Nose and Throat service at Mercy Hospital, Baltimore. He is also a member of the staff of the Hospital for Women of Maryland, Church Home and Infirmary, and Union Memorial Hospital.



Dr. Ivan Wright, internationally known economist, educator and author, was educated at Glenville State Teachers College, West Virginia University, Michigan State College, University of Michigan, Cornell University, and the University of Illinois. He has served on the faculties of the University of California (Berkeley), Columbia University, Cornell University, and the graduate school of business, Northwestern University.

Dr. Wright is the author of numerous books on banking and finance, as well as a regular contributor to economic and financial journals.

A few of the special positions Dr. Wright has held in addition to regular work in Universities and in business are: Assistant to President Harding's Commission on Wages, Hours and Unemployment, 1921-22; Assistant to the director of Statistics and Research for the Federal Reserve Board, 1923; money market economist for Arthur J. Rosenthal and Co., investment bankers for the New York Central Railroad; economist for the Chicago Stock Exchange, 1929-'32; Financial Adviser for the Government of Ontario, 1930.

At the present time, Dr. Wright maintains an office and is counsel for sundry corporations, banks and investment trusts.

outstanding alumni



Dr. William Allison Shimer, S. N. '14, educator and nationally known lecturer, was born at Freed, Calhoun County, was graduated at Glenville State Normal School and later attended Harvard University, where he was granted the following degrees: A.B., A.M., and Ph.D. He then attended the University of Paris and Sorbonne University in 1925-'26, on a Harvard fellowship.

Dr. Shimer, after leaving the University of Paris in 1926, became an instructor of philosophy at Ohio State University and later was made assistant professor. Since 1931, Dr. Shimer has been secretary of the United Phi Beta Kappa Foundation, the first Greek letter fraternity founded in the United States. In 1932, he was made editor of the "American Scholar," official publication of the Phi Beta Kappa.

As a speaker and writer on the subject of education, Dr. Shimer is well known throughout the nation. He has addressed assemblies, including many graduating classes in forty-seven of the forty-eight states. In collaboration with several other men, Dr. Shimer wrote the philosophical work, "History and Validity of the Concept of Relativity." Also he has contributed many articles to periodicals and scientific journals.

His many and varied administrative achievements include: Reorganizing a Sunday school while acting as superintendent at the age of fifteen; organizing Y. M. C. A. work for students in Rochester, New York; and reorganizing a philosophy club and graduate school society in Harvard University.

Dr. Shimer was the commencement speaker here in 1932, being the first alumnus to deliver a commencement address at Glenville State Teachers College.



Dr. Arnold Hall, renowned Presbyterian minister and world traveler, was born at Jacksonville, Lewis County; received his early education in the rural schools of that county; and graduated from Glenville State Teachers College with the Standard Normal Class of 1891.

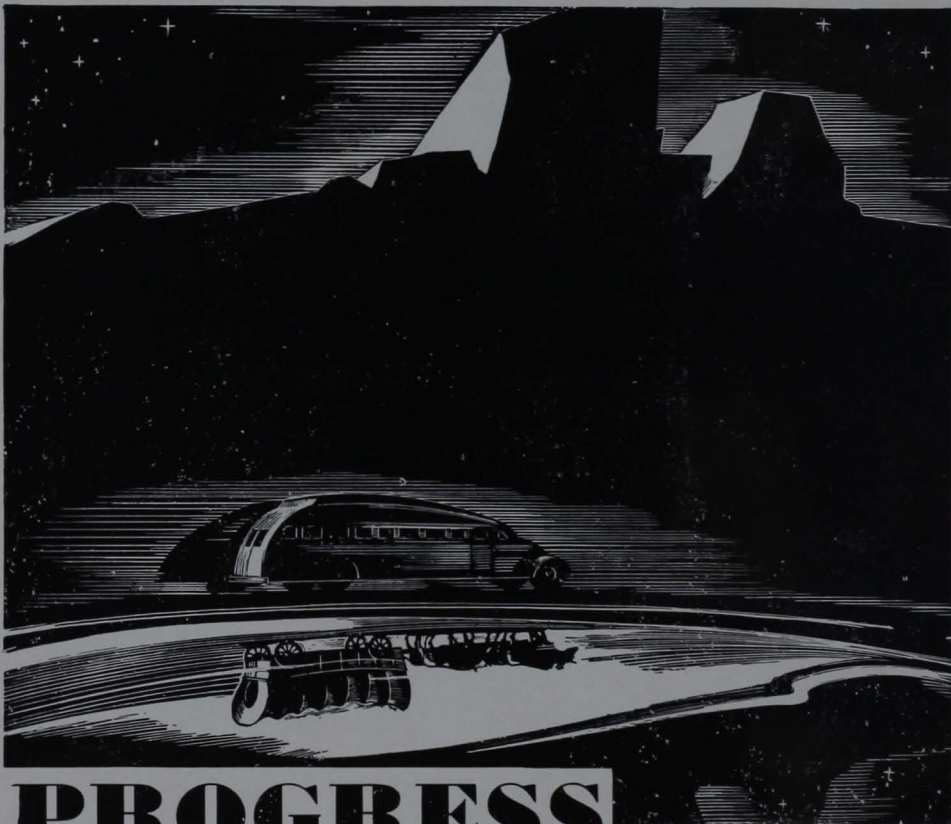
For several years after 1891, Dr. Hall was a student in various theological schools. He attended Hampden Sydney College and later attended Yale University where he was granted the Ph.D. degree.

Dr. Hall has traveled widely, having made a bicycle tour of all the principal countries of Europe. One of his most noted accomplishments has been the learning of and the acquiring of, the ability to speak five different foreign languages.

Dr. Hall is the author of several works on religion and his persistent application to that line of duty has gain the praise commensurate with its worthiness. During the World War Dr. Hall donated his services free of charge to the government.

At present, Dr. Hall is living near Washington, D. C., and is actively continuing research work in theology.

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