ADVERTISING THAT

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By a Staff Correspondent

Rohrbough's Glenville Pioneers, with

fourteen straight victories already chalked up, met the big Green and

White "Thundering Herd" and after a grueling battle conquered them 36-32. With Coach Johnny Stuart's quintet greatly outweighing the Pio-neers and with the greatest victory

of the season awaiting them, the un-conquered Glenville five trotted out

on the massive court and soon had things going in stellar form.

Both teams were evenly matched during the early part of the game and not until the last period was it pos-sible to tell just what might happen.

Hines, with five two pointers, led the scoring for the Pioneers. This former Victory High School boy played the

game as it should be played in spite of the fact that he was forced to take a lot of unnecessary roughness from the Herd. Bill Rafferty, the

towering Pioneer guard who can al

ays be depended upon to take care the defensive zone, caged three

of the defensive zone, caged three field goals and a free toss to place

him second in the scoring. Rafferty played a wonderful game and was

easily the best guard upon the battle ground during the evening.

Pioneers Lead 1 Point at Half Glenville took the lead when Hines

ooped a field goal in from the side. hen the Green and White quinter

Then the Green and White quinter started their teriffic drive which only

served to spur the victorious Pioneers

on and to give them cause for keep-ing up their customary battling spirit. Throughout the first half the

game was nip and tuck, with both teams fighting harder than one might

guess. At the end of the first period the Pioneers were leading 22-21. Early in the second half Rogers,

Pioneer guard who had been playing a whale of a game, was eliminated because of personal fouls. Then Vass,

Decause of personal tous, ruen vass, Glenville center, for the first time during his playing at the Normal, was also removed because of the four-fouls ruling and was replaced by Rafferty. With two Glenville reg-ulars out of the battle and the Herd

continuing the attack, things looked mighty blue for the winners.

Then Marshall began to take

Then Marshall began to take a back seat, while the Pioneers launch-ed their attack in a desperate fash-ion. Hines looped in another goal, and was followed by Burk; Rafferty got a two pointer, and Harrison marked one up. However the Marsh-all five was chalking them up in rapid order too, and Wilson, Marshall for-(Continued on page three)

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REACHES THE STUDENTS

"NEWS OUT OF THE NORMAL" in an strength

Volume 1

#### TEACHER, STUDENT IN WRECK MARSHALL COLLEGE Car Driven by Lyel West of Glen-FALLS, 36-32, BEFORE

ville Goes Off Road In attempting to pass an automo-bile on the winding road a mile and a half this side of Buckhannon Saturday night, Lyel West of Glenville ran off the road, through a fence, and into a post. With him were Miss Wilma West, instructor in music in the Normal, Angelo Eagon, a stu-dent, and Miss Irma West. No one **RAFFERTY PLAYS GREAT GAME** as injured.

Explaining the wreck, West said that he was driving about thirty miles an hour around the inside of a turn when another car driven on the wrong side of the road struck his This Victory for Pioneers Is Third Straight From Thundering Green and White Herd left front wheel, deflecting his course. In the automobile, bearing an Ohio license, which struck the West car HUNTINGTON, Feb. 28 - Vanity Fair, in Huntington, was the scene of a great battle tonight. Coach Natus were three Italians.

The front axle of West's car was bent so that it had to be towed into Buckhannon. Miss West drove it back to Glenville yesterday, the others having returned with Miss Bessie Bell Friday.

#### Maggots Suggested by Doctor to Cure Edward Rohrbough, Jr's. Hand

Maggots, thousands of them, twist ing and squirming in a freshly made wound. This sounds like a phrase from "All Quiet on the Western Front' or some of the terrible forms of torture used by pathological Ori-entals. It is not. Medical science has ways that are peculiar.

Edward Rohrbough, Jr., who re-turned from Baltimore Monday after having an examination made of his right hand which has been infected, says the "maggot treatment" was sug-gested for him by one doctor.

Explaining the proposed remedy, he said that an incision would have he said that an incision would have been made to the bone; then maggots raised by the handfuls in hospital laboratories, would be put into the cut and left there for their natural life—seven days—to destroy the toxins which destroy in their turn the

This method of treating bone dis ses and infections is a result of discoveries made during the World War when soldiers badly wounded at times were kept alive by maggots that prevented infectior.

A specialist in bone diseases who examined Edward's hand disapproved, however, of the parasitic treatment, advising it only in incurable cases because often it is not successful. He thinks the bone to be healing and advised a continuation of previous treatment. The injury has resulted in shortening of the second finger.

Edward expressed disappointment that the maggot treatment was not given him, for he wanted to see how it would work, he said, mighty blue for the winners. Burk had taken a forward beith, Rafferty was handling the pivot pos-ition and falling back to guard, Lindell was playing another guard post, and Hines was continuing in his accustomed place. Almost a new lineup was being used against the Stuart machine, but still the Rohr-bough quintet continued to hold their awn.

## REV. BAXTER DELIVERS TALK

Points Out That Foundation for Ev-

erything is Laid in School Devotional exercises at convo-cation last Wednesday were concation last Wednesday were con-ducted by the Rev. E. C. Zinn, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and the Rev. J. F. Baxter, of the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Zinn took Presolution on the second seco

Hunter Whiting was in charge of convocation, President Rohrbough being at Atlantic City.

## "PUPILS TODAY KNOW ARITHMETIC AS WELL AS THOSE OF PAST H. Y. Clark Bases Statement on Standard Test Given 135 G. N. S. Students

Glenville, West Virginia, Monday, March 3, 1930

THE GLENVILLE MERCURY

AVERAGE IS LOW 7th GRADE

Graduates Have to Make Median Score to Recommended for Certificates

H. Y. Clark, instructor in the department of education of the Normal, says that, contrary to the opinion often expressed by persons of the older generation, students coming out of the graded schools of today know as much arithmetic as those of the old time schools. His statement is based on the results of a standard arithmetic test which he recently gave to 135 students of Glenville Normal School for the purpose of determining the students' general knowledge of arithmetic. This test is given as a prerequisite

for a course in the teaching of arith-metic. Although a few second-year students took the examination, most of them were freshmen. The results show these students to

have an average knowledge of arith-metic and to rank with the normal college freshman. Scores ranged from telleve to fifty-four points out of a possible sixty, indicating that the abilities of those tested rank from that of low fourth grade to that of college seniors. The medium or aver-age score was the same as the low seventh grade student is supposed to make

Of the 135 who took the test, 13 have a low fourth grade standing. These results do not reflect as badly on the students as might be expected. Mr. Clark explained, for the average college student will not make as high a score as when he was in the eighth grade. This is because many of the rules and principles of arithmetic are forgot after one leaves the elementary and junior high schools.

This average score was about three points higher than the one made last year when two tests, each consisting of two parts, were given to a larger group of students.

Mr. Clark thinks that while the low scores were not the most undesirable scores were not the most undestrable result of the test, students with no more knowledge of arithmetic than this should not attempt to teach school as many of them do. Teachers should excel or at least have the should excel or at least have the knowledge of the average eighth grade pupil before they should try in the spring and one in the fall. A

to give instruction, he said. All students whose scores were be low seventh grade rating are required to complete a course in arithmetic before they will be recommended by the department for a certificate.

Pres. and Mrs. Rohrbough Return President and Mrs. E. G. Rohr-bough returned to Glenville yesterday from the meeting of the Nationany from the meeting of the Nation-al Education which was held at Atlantic City. After the meeting, Mr. and Mrs. Rohrbough went to New York where they spent a few days.

Three See "The Queen's Husband" It wildur Beall, Mrs. A. F. Rohrbough, and Miss Vinco Moore went to Buckhannon Thursday even-ing to see the play, "The Queen's Husband."

# STUDENTS STAGE CELEBRATION C. W. POST'S FATHER

Snake Dances and Paint Feature

Victory Over Marshall When news of the Glenville Pio-neers' 36-32 victory over Marshall College came over the telephone Fri-day night, the students turned out to celebrate. Students from both dormitories hurried to Main Street wher they were joined by many of the town people. Snake dances were held in the street, traffic was blocked, and a general jubilee was staged. Saturday morning the town awoke

to find the score painted in white in many prominent places. Other recent scores were also painted, and the red goose that formerly occupied a place before a local shoe store now has a higher perch on the top of the gymnasium

#### Miss Willa Brand Entertains

Miss Willa Brand entertained at Verona Mapel Hall on Wednesday evening with a dinner. The guests were Mrs. A. F. Rohrbough, Miss Bessie Bell and Miss Vinco Moore.

#### Chayote, New Mexican Food, Served by Mrs. Wagner 9 Years Ago

The new Mexican plant, the chay ote, whose wide popularity is nov ote, whose whose popularity is now heralded as universal, was experi-mented upon in the Normal's home economics laboratory nine years ago when Miss Annie Cokeley, now Mrs. John R. Wagner, was an economics teacher here

At that time, different methods for cooking the chayote were just being worked out, and Mrs. Wagner was among the first to test and use the fruit. At that time, different methods for

#### First Test Not Favorable

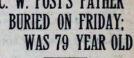
Through Lawrence G. Hoover, of the plant bureau at Washington, who was a rival student of Mrs. Wagner at the University, and who also knew her as a home economics teacher, sent her some of the fruit to be tested and reported upon. She cooked it as suggested and had it sampled by as suggested and had it sampled by the faculty members, who, although willing to take the risk, were not visibly impressed with the palata-bility of the new food. Use of Plant Is Spreading

Now, time has proved that the chayote is a valuable find, and it is

rapidly being introduced into many rapidly being introduced into many parts of the world. Ours comes from Florida, and no doubt, we will all soon be eating the fruit, and prob-ably liking it, too.

It is said that the chayote, a per ennial, will grow in all sections of good vine will bear several hundred chayotes a season. In general apgood vine will bear several hundred chayotes a season. In general ap-pearance, they are pear-shaped, weighing about eight ounces to a pound. The flavor resembles some-what that of the summer squash, and it has been described as suggesting the taste of oysters, sweet potatoes, the taste of oysters, sweet potatoes, or chestnuts. Its mineral contents make it valued in the diet. It is es-pecially popular when made into sweet pickles. It is also good as an ingredient in raw salad, and may be fried, stuffed, or baked with meats. May be Used for Greens The taste time of the second

The tender tips and the green leaves are often used as greens in the manner of spinach, and the tub-



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NORMAL SCHOOL

Death Came Thursday After Paralytic Stroke Suffered February 22

### ONE SON ONLY SURVIVES HIM

Funeral Services Held at Home in Bridgeport — Instructor and Wife Return Yesterday

C. W. Post, instructor in geog-raphy, and Mrs. Post, were called to Bridgeport Thursday morning to at-tend the funeral services of Mr. Post's father, George T. Post, held Friday.

On Feb. 22 the elder Mr. Post suffered a paralytic stroke and was im-mediately taken to the Mason Hos-pital in Clarksburg for treatment. At that ime Mr. Post was summoned At that ime Mr. Post was summoned home but returned to Glenville on the following Monday, as it was thought hat his father was recover-ing. Death occurred at 9:15 o'clock Thursden exercised to 11 Thursday morning after the stricken man had been returned to his home Bridgeport. in

Mr. Post was 79. For some years he had lived the life of a retired farmer at his home near Bridgeport. He was the son of the late En and Edith Post and was reared and Edith Post and was reared on Sycamore Creek a few miles from Jarvisville. He married Minerva J. Hurst in November of 1875. The lived all their lives on a farm in / home community until they moved to Bridgeport. They were acvive members of the United Brethern Church. Mrs. Post died ten years ago. The only surviving member of the family is one son, Clarence Post, who has been a member of the family on

has been a member of the faculty here for nine years. Funeral services were held at 7:30

Functai services were neid at 7:30 Thursday evening from the late res-idence on Philadelphia Avenue, Bridgeport. Rev. R. N. Shaffer offi-ciated, and the body was taken to the Mount Olivet United Brethern Church cemetery for burial. Mr. and Mrs. Post returned to

their home here yesterday.

#### PLAYS TO BE GIVEN MARCH 14

"The Travelers" Is Added To

Woman's Club Program March 14 has been announced as the date for the presentation of a series of three one-act plays in the Normal auditorium by the Woman's Normal auditorium by the Woman's Club. Miss Bessie Bell, instructor in history, who is in charge of them, says that a third play, "The Travel-ers" by Booth Tarkington, has been ers" by Booth Tarkington, has been added to the program. Faculty mem-bers or students are in the casts of each play.

The casts announced are as fol-ows: for "The Dicky Bird," directed by Mrs. Max Lynch, Hunter Whit-ing, Mrs. A. F. Rohrbough, and Mrs. Max Lynch; for "Fixin's" under the Max Lynch; for "Fixin's" under the direction of Miss Bell, George Mc-Quain, Mrs. Herbert F. Withers, and Everett Withers; for "The Travel-ers" under the direction also of Miss Bell, Charles E. Barnett, Mrs. Ern-est Arbuckle, Mrs. J. Wilbur Beall, Mrs. Fern Rollyson, Miss Ivy Lee Myers, Angelo Eagon, Harry Tay-lor, Stanley Jeranko, and Linnwood Zinn. Zinn.

Carey Woofter Sees Marshall Game Carey Woofter, registrar, left here Friday Friday afternoon for Huntington where he saw the Marshall College-Pioneers game.

**GLENVILLE ATTACK** Vass and Rogers Forced Out of Game Early in Second Half for Fouling The Glenville Mercury

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**TEACHERS: A BOURGEOIS INFLUENCE** 

What do people really like to read? What kind of music do they really like to hear? What type of plays do they really enjoy seeing? There can be no clear cut answer to such questions as these, but at the same time they are fertile subjects for active speculation. A classification of this sort must necessarily consid-

er age, intellect, position, environment, et cetera. Faner age, intellect, position, environment, et cetera. Fan-cy a hot-blooded youth becoming enthusiastic over Bacon's essays; contrive a mental picture of a Lithu-anian ditch-digger going into rapturons delight about Beethoven's Ninth Symphony; or cultivate your imag-ination to the point where you can visualize Mme. Curie weeping bitterly before the portrayal of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Yet all these are perfectly natural and

Tom's Cabin. Tet an title at optimized to principal true-to-life characters. But let us limit the scope of these questions to tea-chers, women teachers. The Teachers College of Col-umbia University has found from a survey of student under oniversity has found from a survey of student teachers that the average woman instructor is far from a composite of Hannah More, Elizabeth Barrett Brown-ing, and Mine. Curie. The inquiry, covering he hab-its, tastes, and backgrounds of women members of the teaching profession, is said to reveal that they prefer movies to drame musical comedy to cover one. movies to drama, musical comedy to grand opera, and popular books and magazines to the classics.

This is a fairly representative test, and its results are supposed to come as a great shock. It is announced in a tone bordering on melancholy lament. But why? in a tone bordering on melancholy lament. But why No doubt to those sophisticated dears who go into fan-tasies of delight over Browning's works and feel squeamish little pargs of distaste threatening to revo-lutionize their abdominal equilibrium at the mere men-

lutionize their abdominal equilibrium at the mere men-tion of popular authors it all amacks decidedly of the bourgeois. And perhaps in reality it is; but that does not necessarily condemn it as utterly hopeless, for the American people as a whole are bourgeois. The teaching class, made up of not extraordinary people and not receiving any extraordinary honors or salaries, is drawn from the ranks of the bourgeois that profer movies to drama, comedy to grand opera, and openlae books to classics. This preference is proof in itself that people do prefer the former classes which otherwise would not exist at all, while the latter are preserved for their cultural values. preserved for their cultural values.

These facts are somewhat discouraging, but such frankness instead of pedantic hypocrisy may demand a new generation of teachers, not to the exclusion of a new generation of teachers, not to the exclusion of the classics, but to the balance of classic and popular so that harsh routine and schoolmarmly erudition will not spoil the classics for some millions of young minds, otherwise by them chilled into a frigid state of antag-onism toward classics as things to be sedulously dodgas the dullest of bores.

There hould be enjoyment and pleasure derived from the classics of literature and of the stage which add an essential quality of dignity to life otherwise never acquired; but finding pleasure in them only would re-mine admention thematic manus characterizes of Ameriquire education through many generations of Ameriquite concation intrough many generations of Ameri-can youth; and until people know their preferences and are brave to tell them, that false, awful sacred-ness of "good music" and "good literature" makes these classic gardens, although beautiful and profit-ble distanticul to the average description these classic gardens, although beautifu able, distasteful to the average America

#### PRINCETON'S PUBLIC AFFAIRS SCHOOL

Not long ago an editorial commending the Not long ago an entornal commonly the university of Mexico that universities for the study of international prob-lems be established appeared in these columns, and a prophecy was made that this might soon be a fact rath-er than a mere suggestion. Following this now comes the announcement from Princeton University that it is to have a School of Public and International Affairs. In what degree the rector's suggestion influenced this course, if at all, or in how many respects it conforms to the rector's specific plan one is not able to conjecture, but it still remains a movement worthy of consid-

The announcement should be sympathetically re-ceived because, until Americans recognize what the outside world is, how it functions, what it thinks, and how it acts, we shall still be prone to sentimentalize in international politics. This may be dangerous to ourselves as well as others, for sentimentality is no firm base upon which to build for perpetual peace.

There is a natural inclination to be somewhat skep-tical about schools that teach such imponderable things as politics; and this doubt may not be ungrounded in the case of the new school if it does not obtain as in-structors men who have a vision of the pulses of the

The Gleaville Mercury: Monday, March 3, 1930 world throbbing in harmony and who have valid and tangible plans for the accomplianment of this interna-tional balance. Otherwise it may result in the accom-plianment of glorious nothings.

But Princeton seems to sense this, for the member-ship of the advisory board for the new school conains many worthy names, perhaps the most outstanding of these being that of Dr. Harold W. Dodds, professor of politics at Princeton. He is the chairman of the administrative committee and is classed as being "both real-istic and well informed," possessing for his personal-ity the happy medium between pacifist and war fiend.

This thing of international understanding is a bran-ch of education that must be made available for Amer-We must attach our thinking processes to an supplement them with hard facts about other countries in relation to our own. We know little of our own coun-try, however, and that should be another considera-tion of the new school.

Of course the United States can do little unless the other world powers recognize the same need of under-standing and take some steps toward its acquisition. But perhaps when we ourselves are ready we shall find in other countries a surprising amount of like prepar-edness. If the Princeton school meets these problems fairly, solves them, and points the way to enlighten-ment of this special international character, it de-serves both gratitude and imitation.

## WHAT OTHERS SAY

#### VITALIZING THE CURRICULUM

From The World.

Secretary Wilbur, who is also President Wilbur of Leland Stanford, tells a New York audience that the four-year course and A. B. degree are "going." He ex-plains that they do not offer enough for the student who wishes advanced training and too much for the man who seeks elementary preparation. There is ob-viously some truth in this statement. At the bottom, the traditional four-year course is being sapped by the junior colleges, now especially prominent in the West. At the top, it is being attacked by the professional and graduate schools. For even high-school teaching the M. A. is growing indispensable, while thousands of students are now taking seven-year courses which combine liberal training with full professional training in law, medicine or business. But it is also obvious that the A. B. will long be with us. The overwhelming majority of college and university students are still in four-year courses leading to it.

It is not the mere mechanics of degrees and of fouryear or seven-year curricula that is most important. It is the problem of making higher instruction count so that our 750,000 college students will be really educated in their two, four, five or seven years. Fortunately, this problem is receiving more and more attention. In many institutions the four-year course is being re-vivified. This is being done by the orientation courses in the first year; the honors system of specialization in of study in the last one or two years, as at Harvard, Smith and Swarthmore; the preceptorial syst and other devices. We have experiments like Dr. Meik-lejohn's at Wisconsin. While the four-class system is being attacked by certain developments, other devel-opments are strengthening it. There is a new realism in facing the problem of teaching, and it will have to go far beyond mere rearrangement of years.

#### THE FLAPPER AND THE DODO

From The Columbia Missourian.

We have the word of F. Scott Fitzgerald, at wh we have the world of F. Stott Fitzgrad, at misse door the invention of the flapper is often laid, that our rowdy sister who furnished the country amusement, especially during the period immediately following the World War, is extinct. Fitzgrad says that the era of the flapper started in 1912 when the Castles made modern dancing respectable and sat the nice girls side by side with the bad girl in the cabaret.

The author rests the responsibility for the whole era of flapperism on the automobile. Remove the automobile and the bottom drops out of the fun, as it were. But now a new generation of girls, one that does not confuse virtue and chastity, has appeared because men of intelligence have disappeared from social swirls. This girl (those mothers of flappers who did not fol-

low the girl's example will be glad to hear) is quieter, more polite, simple, sincere, drinks less-"except in the Middle West and the South"-and are inclined to discuss music.

Fitzgerald views a new era of American Fuzgeraid views a new era of American womanhood, one in which achievement will be the only justification. In the meantime what of the "dumber" sex? The ut-most that the generation of quieter girls which Fitz-gerald predicts expect of man is that he be a "good berroe".

"Americans are very tragic to me. They will take the longest risks—exhibit the greatest heroism in the world in material adventures. But they want their spiritual experiments insured against loss before-hand."—Mahatma Gandhi, of India.

### Thomas Fell, Playmate of Jackson, Says Stonewall's Death Made South Lose

## There are few people living now in the same company as Jackson, but adays who can recollect the stirring entered the war in the secret service. of Civil War times. Those events events of Civil War times. Those that do remember cannot picture them as clearly or as accurately as they were—for time does peculiar things to the memory. But there is one man, living in Gilmer County, who can tell to the exact day and to the medicat dotail cheart these long the smallest detail about these long past events. His name is Thomas B. Fell, and he lives just above Northview on the road to Weston.

His home is a large brick house, set back from the road, and sur-rounded by an old fashioned wooden fence. Almost any day, as you drive out the Weston road, "Uncle Tom" can be seen sitting on his front porch, if the weather permits, enjoying the "sights that pass." If you should stop and go in the gate, you would see him rise and start down the walk to meet you. At a distance, he seems to be much taller than he really is, because his erect posture gives one the impression of added height. If you are a resident of Glenville, he will recognize you at once; but whether he knows you or not, he will ask you in and tell you he is

will tell you about his adventures in the past, and there is little that took the past, and there is little that took place in those by-gone days that he did not take part in. "Uncle Tom" was out West for a long time, fought Indians, mined for gold, and, as he says, he managed to "horn in" on any excitement that was "running round loose." Somehow or other, his adventures amuse him now, and as he tells of some hair-raising escapade, he chuckles silently to himself.

Jackson Runs off to Raft Logs The other day, he was talking about Gen. Stonewall Jackson. "Uncle Tom" and Jackson were boyhood friends, having lived about two miles apart at Jackson's Mill. Mr. Fell says "Tom" Jackson had a hard time after his father died .He made his home then with his uncle at Weston, but finding the wanderlust too strong, ran away with his cousin, Warren, to raft logs on the Ohio River. It was during this time, that Jackson suffered many hardships, and finally, he could stand it no longer and returned home.

"Uncle Tom" was about 10 years old at this time, and was atten a one-room country school taught by Warren Jackson. Mr. Fell says he did not like Warren for a teacher, and used to rock him all the way to and from the school house. Stonewall Jackson, in the meantime, had enter-ed West Point, at the age of 18. Mr. Fell says that this and the Mexican War, which Stonewall entered upon his graduation, were the making of Jackson the general. He went into the fray as a gunner, and came out major.

The few years intervening be-tween the close of the Mexican War and the opening of the Civil War saw Jackson employed as a professor. at Virginia Military Institute. Then, upon the outbreak of the War, Jackson was immediately pushed forward as a leader. At first, he was strong in his belief that the South should stay his belief that the South should sharp out of the war. But as events drew to a crisis, he saw no other/way out and joined the Confederate army as commander of the Virginia Volunteers.

From the very first, "Uncle Tom" says, Jackson was always concerned for the welfare of his soldiers, and they in turn, loved and respected him. Jackson's enthusiasm and eagerness for doing the lion's share would have exhausted an ordinary man, but he had an indomitable will, and would persist in doing what he wanted to, in spite of all obstacles.

General Was Not an Infidel mal 1 "Uncle Tom" says that he was not Beall.

Here, he enjoyed himself most ,and finally, he became so well known to the Yankees, that he had to drop out. Then, because of his good eyesight, he was made a gunner. Mr. Fell says he had the best vision of any man in his company. As he said this, he took off his glasses, wiped his eyes, and muttered, "And now look at 'em!"

As every one knows, Jackson was shot by his own men. "Uncle Tom" says he remembers the time clearly, for he lost a "buddy" in the same fray. It seems that through interpretation of orders, Jackson's company fired upon him when he was in front of the lines, wounding him in the left shoulder. He died three days later.

Many people think Jackson was an infidel. "Uncle Tom" says that they are wrong, because he himself has heard him pray many times, and, as he thinks, this evidently is proof enough. Whatever he was, there is no argument whatsoever about Jackson being a great general, so Mr. Fell thinks. "We'd have won that war if we hadn't lost him," said "Uncle Tom", "but maybe things wouldn't delighted to have callers, for he gets Tom", "but maybe things would have been much better after all; and I'm sure I'm not worrying one way or the other, now."

"CORDUROY CRITICS ENVIOUS"

Utah Dean and Professor Disagree on Well-Dressed Collegian

From The World SALT LAKE CITY, Utah,-Those who criticise the great American collegian for his cordurov trousers. branding them as undignified, are just full of "sour grapes."

That's what Dr. Herbert B. Maw, Dean of men at the University of Utah, opines. "They're just envious, that's all," remarks the Utah faculty member.

Dr. Maw's expression was in answer to the statement of Almon E. Roth, Comptroller of Stanford University, who spoke in derogatory terms of the "dirty cords," which has been all the rage on the campus of Utah and elsewhere.

But, then, why bring that up, Dr. Maw remarks, because the corduroys are disappearing and the well-dressed college student is getting classier day, byday.

#### CLUB MEETING POSTPONED

## History Group Holds Program Over to Next Thursday

The regular meeting of the His-tory Club which was to have been held Thursday night was postponed to Thursday of this week because of a geography test and to allow some of the members to attend the revival meeting now being held here. This program will be held over until the next meeting. Possibly there will be an addition of one or two new num-

The proposed program for the next meeting is largely literary in charac-ter. Miss Virginia Brannon is the leader for this week, according to the leader for this week, according to the present arrangements. The program will consist of "Life of Henry Wads-worth Longfellow" by Miss Regina Kenney, "Historical Background of 'Evangeline'" by Miss Thelma Hawby Miss "Current "Historical Humor" kins, Estelle Newlon, and Events" by Helen Lykins.

#### Mrs. Haumann Teaches for Mrs. Beall

Mrs. J. Wilbur Beall, critic teacher Mrs. J. Wilbur Beall, critic teacher of the second grade, was unable to meet her classes the first part of last week because of illness. Mrs. Emma Joan Haumann, a student in the Normal last semester, taught for Mrs.

#### **PIONEERS WIN IN** LAST 10 SECONDS

#### Morris-Harvey Bows to G. N. S. 33-34 as Rafferty, Hines and Lindell Star

By Staff Correspondent BARBOURSVILLE, W. Va., Feb. Coach Natus Rohrbough's Glenville Pioneers annexed their four teenth straight win when they nos four out the Morris-Harvey Eagles on the Out the Morris-Harvey Lagies on the College court here tonight. The game was fast and furious, was close throughout, and might be called one of the hardest fought contests the Pioneers have engaged in this year.

Pioners have engaged in this year. The final count was 34-33. Hines, with five field goals and one free toss, tied with Lindell for high scoring honors. During the early part of the game the Clarksburg boy missed several easy shots; how-ever, his last field goal made during the final ten seconds of play, com-pletely covered up all his mistakes. Refrest Plays Well

Rafferty Plays Well

Rafferty at a guard post played an excellent defensive game and ac-counted for a lot of the offensive work. Morris-Harvey had an accurate shooting quintet, and it took some one like the big Irish lad to hold them away from the scoring zone. Harrison and Rogers alternated at the other guard position, and each did his share of defensive work.

Glenville took the lead but was not able to score many points at one time over the fast going Eagle quin-tet. At the half the Rohrbough five was leading 7-13.

was leading 7-13. Soon after the opening of the sec-ond period the Eagles pulled their score up to 19 to tie with Glenville. From then until the final whistle the battle was snappy and its out-come always in doubt. Once the Eagles were leading 31-25, and the Pioneers had only a few minutes to pull themselves from the alump. The battle continued in speedy form and a field goal or a free toss changed the count from one side to the other. With only ten seconds to go. the

With only ten seconds to go, the Pioneers were trailing 32-33. There was a jump ball at center. Vass tip-ped the ball to Hines who, from near the middle of the floor, looped in the winning goal for the Pioneers.

#### Vass Is Closely Guarded

Vass la Closely Guarded Vass, Pioneer center who always figures greatly in the scoring ram-pages, was held to two field goals and two free throws. He was covered every minute, and an open shot for him was a luxury.

Along with the two high scoring forwards was Burk, the little Sand Fork boy, who played a great game during the short time he was in. For Morris-Harvey, Cremeans and Martin looked the best and were the Lineup and summary: Glenville P G Hines ...... F 5 Lindell ..... F 2 Burk F 1

Lineup and s	umm	ary:					
Glenville 34	P	G	F	т			
Hines	F	5	1-2	11			
Burk	F	1	0-0	2			
Lindell	F	5	1-1	11			
Vass	C	2	2-3	6			
Harrison	G	0	0-0	0			
Rogers	G	. 1	0-1	2			
Rafferty	G	1	0-0	2			
Total		15	4-7	34			
Morris-Harvey							
Hoff		2	0-1	2			
Cremeans		4	1-1	9			
Wood	C	- 0	0-0	0			
Martin	C ·	4	1-1	9			
Arritt	G	2	0-0	4			
Zelazo	G	3	8-3	9			
Total			5-6	33			
Referee, Wil	Referee, Wilson,			Morris-Harvey			
College.	-per	Think!					

#### Three Go To See Dick Powell Box

Edward Rohrbough, Edmund Pow ell, and Alex Regdon motored to Clarksburg Thursday night to see the Dick Powell-Patterson boxing bout. Powell is a former student of the Glenville Normal, and is a brother of Dick Edmund who is a student here. Fairmont for the week-end.

PIONEERS FACE HARP WEEK Play Salem Hore Thursday an

Concord at Athens Saturday The Glenville Pioneers are facing another hard week on the basketball court. Salem College, one of the strongest teams in this section, will the Rohrbough quintet here Thursday night. This game was to have been played at Salem, but it has recently been shifted to this city. With Glenville bidding strongest for the state conference title and the Sa-lem Tigers ranking high in college lem Tigers ranking high in conce-basketball circles, this will surely be a real battle.

Following the Salem clash, the Pioneers will set out Friday at noon for Athens where they will meet the Concord College five, or the famous Morgan brothers, on the Concord court Saturday night. This, too prom-ises to be a whizzer and will be a hard battle to win should the two Morgans get going as they often do.

MARSHALL COLLEGE

FALLS 36-32 BEFORE

**GLENVILLE'S ATTACK** 

(Continued from page one)

Glenville Stalls Near End

With only a few minutes to go the Pioneers led 36 to 30. Then Marshall

looped in another goal to raise their

count to 32. Glenville took the ball.

This victory over the Marshall Herd was the third straight win over

the Green and White unit straight win over the Green and White quintet in the four years that the present Pioneer coach has been at the Normal. One year during these four the Glenville five did not play Marshall.

As stated by some, this game was

Approximately eight hundred fans

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Mrs. Max Lynch and daughters,

Annabelle and Betty Jo, spent the week-end with Miss Wilma West, in-

structor in music, at her home in

Lindell ..... F Burk ..... F

Rogers ..... G Rafferty .... G Harrison .... G

Wilson ..... F McCoy ..... F Morris ..... F

Rogers .....

Hunter .....

Stark .....

Austin .....

Laird ..... G

Total ..... Referee, McMillan.

Total ..... 14

Vass .....

Marshall

2-8 1-5

2-2 1-1

8-16

0-0 0-0 0

1-2 1-1

. 11 10-17 32

1 0-1

2

3 1-2 1-1

2 0-2

0 0-0

0 2-2

assed it all around the Herd, shot

ward, was

from the foul line

still ringing in points

#### NEW RIVER NOSED **OUT BY 3 POINTS**

Undefeated Pioneers Win 16th Game, 32-29, Played at Montgomery

By a Staff Correspondent MONTGOMERY, March1. —After two hard fought battles with Morris-Harvey and Marshall, the Pioneers faced the New River "Bears" at Montgomery this evening, and for the second time during the season handed them a defeat. The final count

five.

office.

handed them a defeat. The final count was 32-29. The game throughout was a mighty slow exhibition of basket-ball even though at no time during the playing periods was either team far enough in the lead to stop and take things easy.

Ken Shroyer's quintet pretended to be the underdogs and wanted the Glenville lads to think that they had no chance to capture the game; ever, the Pioneers were too slick for this foil and did not give them any easy shots or leave open the shooting zone so that they might score at ran dom. It was easy to see that the four previous days' journies and the two recent games with the Morris-Harvey Eagles and the Thundering Herd of Huntington had taken a lot of the Pioneer pep out of the Rohrbough five and their playing was by no means up to par

Vass, Pioneer center, although not going in stellar form, looped in three two pointers for the Pioneers and and shot two free tosses out of a like number of chances to give him a total of eight points for the evening. Dur-ing the second half Vass was eliminated on personals and was replaced by Rafferty. Rogers and Harrison handled the

from the center of the floor, held the ball, and continued to do as they pleased, it seemed. During the few guarding work in fine shape but were not able to mark up any goals. Line pressed, it seemed. During the rew remaining minutes of the fraces the Pioneers were so far ahead of Marsh-all in their floor work that the crowd, knew the game was another one for the Pioneers. dell, Burk, and Hines took care of dell, Burk, and Hines took care of the forward berths and at times worked nicely, however their shoot-ing was not so good as usual. At the half the score was 19 to 12

in Glenville's favor. At the end of the third quarter New River had pulled their count to 23 while Glenville's was 27. During the latter part of th game some good playing was exhibi-ted, but it did not last long. Glenville had the lead until late  $i_n$  the last As stated by some, this game was a deciding factor in determining the conference winner. Whether it was or not, it was truly the greatest bat-tle of the season thus far and was just as hard fought as one might wish to see. quarter when the Shroyer five raced up to tie with the Pioneers. A tie always spurs the Pioneers to action; so it was with the Saturday night game. They got the final lead and held it until the whistle blew

Stewart Kincaid, and O'Brien for New River looked best and were rehooped and yelled, and at times the cheering for the Pioneers was as loud as that for the losers. sponsible for the major portion of th. scores.

	Lineup and summ	ary:		
Т	Glenville P	G	F	Т
12	Hines F	3	0-1	6
D	Lindell F	2	1-1	5
2	Burk F	2	3-3	7
6	Vass C	3	2-2	8
1	Harrison G	0	0-1	0
7	Rogers G	0	1-2	1
3	Rafferty G	2	1-2	5
36	Total	12	8-12	32
	New River			
10	mineary	4	0-1	8
	O'Brien F	3	6-9	12
0	Fout C	1	1-4	3
4	Stewart G	2	0-2	4
9 7	Wickline G	1	0-0	2
0 2	Total Referee, Roggow.	11	7-16	29

Miss Opal Blackwell and Miss Gen Daugherty spent the wee their homes in Clarksburg.

Edward Hood and Robert Dayton went to Clarksburg Friday to see the W. I. and Victory game.

Ralph Boyles spent the week-end at his home in Clarksburg. Harold Simmons and Kahle Vin. cent spent the week-end in Spencer. Miss Eva Beeson, cook at Kanawhs structor in many at his nome in the sector of the sector o



Monday, March 3, 1930 The Glenville Mercury:

#### Architect's Drawing of Robert F. Kidd Library



The fair weather of the past week has enabled the work on the Robert F. Kidd Library to advance rapidly. Much of the brick and nent work on the basement is finished. Already the basement partitions have been placed, and the brick work is completed above the window frames of the basement.

#### N.E.A. HEARS OF TODAY'S STUDENT

# President E. G. Rohrbough Is Attending Convention at Atlantic City

President E. G. Rohrbough is now attending the sixieth annual conven-tion of the Department of Superin-tendence of the National Education Association at Adlantic City. At the Wednesday meeting a re-port was submitted by a committee composed of three Michigan educa-tors S. M. Brownell, E. M. Conklin,

tors: S. M. Brownell, E. M.Conklin, and H. T. Rankin. The report states that there is less drinking among students today than in 1917. However, there is more sex delinquency. Automobiles, movies, dance halls, and magazines now outrank prohibition in juvenile delinquency. Stealing is on the increase

Other conclusions of the report show that high school students have less respect for lay and their parents than before 1917. They show much more ability in self direction and self control, show better sportsmanship, amount of mo and conduct themselves better at duce the play. ocial gatherings and are more interested in school.

Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, Secretary of the Interior, addressing the edu-of the Interior, addressing procedure Now on Sholf of the interior, acaressing the cou-cators, told them political procedure is not sufficient for settling most of the major problems of this country, making it imperative that educational progress be strengthened.

Speaking more specifically of the aining of children, Dr. Wilbur und that in this age "it is very training found that in this age difficult to bring up children with that sense of responsibility which is important. Our environmenta has forced many of the things change a child normally likes out of his life

Concluding, he said, "We may be wrong, but we think that the industcenter and the city are not the wholesome places to bring children up. Yet we are going for-ward in the industrial age in this country at a rate that is surprising, if not alarming."

Miss Virginia Chidester and Miss Mary Hazel Butcher spentt the week-end at the home of Miss Helen Snodgrass at Sand Fork.

The building will cost \$50,000 The building will cost \$30,000 and will be 90 feet by 46 feet. The first floor will contain a large reading room 88 by 25 feet. In the rear will be stack rooms that will extend from the first floor through the second. The second floor will contain classrooms. This building is situated to the rear of the administration build-

SCIENCE CLUB TO GIVE PLAY

## Series of Chemical Experiments Will

Be Interspersed With Fun The Wagner Science Club will give a three-act play sometime soon. A comedy dealing with chemistry is to be changed to suit the production requirements of the club and will consist chiefly of a series of experi-ments. There will be no delays in the course of the performance, for all parts will follow closely after the

preceding part. Each member of the club will take part in the production. The regular meeting hour will be devoted to prac-tice from now until the play is given. A small admission will be charged.

The club selected the play at its meeting on Tuesday night. The cast is not yet chosen as it is not certain which members will take the differ ent parts. The cast has not been fully decid.

ed upon yet, although Roland Butch er will probably be an alchemist, and Trell Reger his assistant. There may or may not be admission charges. This will depend upon the amount of money required to pro

## LIBRARY ADDS SIX VOLUMES

Six new books, among them Ernest Hemingway's "A Farewell to Arms," have been received at the library, ccording to Miss Alma Arbuckle librarian

The others are "The Decline of th West," a treatise on the philosophy of history, by Oswald Spengler. This the first volume, was published about the next volume, was published about eight years ago; a second volume ap-peared last year. "The Golden Bough" by Sir James Fraser deals with the superstitions and their de-velopment. "Litterary Criticism" is by Philo Buck, Jr., of the University of Wisconsin."The Romance and Rise of the American Tropics" by Samuel Crowther was sent "at the request of the United Fruit Company," so the wrapper says. "Now It Can Be Told" is a revelation of the workings of propaganda and censorship during the World War and is written by Sir Philip Gibbs, perhaps the greatest war correspondent.

ing at the side of Verona Mapel Hall. It is to be dedicated, "The Robert F. Kidd Library" in honor of Senator Robert F. Kidd of Glenville, a member of the state legislature for nearly 40 years and, who has been an untiring worker in behalf of Glenville State Normal School

### 332 ENROLLED IN EDUCATION

**Professional Department Is Per**haps Largest in School

Education courses perhaps have greater enrollment than any other courses in Glenville Normal School. In figures just supplied by Miss Ivy Lee Myers and H. Y. Clark, instruct-ors in education, 332 are enrolled in the various courses. Many of the stu-dents were counted twice, for some

are enrolled in two classes. In Mass Myers' section there are 37 taking directed teaching, and 113 enrolled in the teaching of reading. The majority in Mr. Clark's group is taking arithmetic. Mr. Clark ha class in tests and measurements and classes in directed teaching. The education department offers

one course in Directed Teaching, two courses in Directed Teaching 2 and school management, four courses in arithmetic, three in reading, and one in tests and measurements.

## RHEA JOHNSON HEADS CLUB

Dramatic Organization Elects New Officers and Four Members The Dramatic Club met Thursday

night at 7:30 o'clock and elected Mrs. Rhea Kee Johnson as president. Other club officers elected were Maynard Young, vice-president, and Miss Cleora Deitz, secretary-treasurer. Three new members, Maynard Young, Misses Goldine Woodford, and Marie Taylor, were initiated into the organization.

At this meeting a discussion took place in regard to the admission of members into the Delta Psi Omega dramatic fraternity. Some of the people in the Ohnimgohow Players are eligible to the dramatic fraternity, and plans are being made to admit them into the organization within the next week or so. Rings will then be purchased for all the members.

The club is hoping to work on some one-act plays soon, although in all probability they will not be given. Other organizations are planning en-tertainments this spring, and the club may have to give up their plays ecause of conflicts in practicing.

Misses Genevieve Kelly and Macel Daugherty spen the week-end at their their homes at Walton.

#### Players, Orator to Leave Friday

Glenville Normal School represen atives in the West Virginia Intercol-legiate One-Act Play Contest and in the Intercollegiate Oratorical Contest will leave here Friday morning for Fairmont. Contests begin the same day. Those going are Miss Vinco Moore, instructor in charge, Mrs. Rhea Kee Johnson, Warren Black-hurst, Fred Eberle, Dale Henderson, and Maynard Young, May

#### Male Quartet Sings at Church

A male quartet composed of Fred ilson, Fred Wolfe, H. Y. Clark, and Seldon Brannon, sang at the union meeting of young people at the Methodist church on Sunday evening. Miss Wilma West accompanied then at the piano.

Miss Irma West, Mrs. Max Lynch,

to the play, "The Queen's Husband," that was presented on Friday night by the Little Theater Players at Buckhannon

Dr. Cato Speaks to Seventh Grade

Dr. T. E. Cato, county health officer, spoke on "Keeping Fit" to the seventh-grade class in Hygiene Wedsomething nesday. In order to provide something new for her students, Miss Grace Probst, a student in directed teaching in the Normal and instructor of the class, got Dr. Cato to give the lecture.



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