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ADDRESS STUDENTS IN SPECIAL CHAPEL

Prof. Walter Horton of Oberlin College to Be Brought Here by Y. M. C. A.

#### ASSEMBLY TUESDAY AT 10 Speaker Is Author of Book Answer to Morals" ing Lippman

Walter Horton, professor of philosophy in Oberlin College, Oberlin, O., will speak at special chapel exercises to be held in the Normal auditorium next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Prof. Horton is being brought here by E. E. Looker, facul-ty advisor of the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Looker says that the speaker has written "Theism and Gód" which is an answer to Walter Lippmann's "A Preface to Morals," published published ab out two years ago. The Y. M. C. A. is planning

luncheon at Kanawha Hall at 12:30 for Prof.-Horton. Should the luncheon be given, faculty members and the cabinets of the Y. M. C. A. and

Y. W. C. A. are to be invited. Concerning Prof. Horton's stay here on Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Looker says, "No definite arrangements have yet been made, but it is expected that Prof. Horton will make worth while contacts with the stu-dents and faculty." He will be here on Tuesday only.

# Y. W. C. A. WILL GIVE PARTY

To Be Held Mar. 27 in Gymnasium For Students and Faculty The Y. W. C. A. will give a party

for the students and faculty of Normal in the gymnasium, Friday, March 27, according to the plans formulated at the meeting Wednesday night.

The president, Miss Ruth Blake, appointed a committee to make further arrangements. The members of the committee are: Miss Olive O'Dell, chairman; Misses Virginia Smith, Mildred Snodgrass, Virginia Chidester, Mary Hazel Butcher, Ruth McCray, and Ruby Edwards.

The evening will be spent in play-ing games and dancing. A small ad-

mission fee will be charged. Miss Genevieve Welch was in charge of the open forum which was held after the business meeting. The discussion consisted of problems which might be of interest to the pirls.

#### ALL-W. VA. PROGRAM GIVEN Follows Y. W. C. A. Dinner Held at

# Verona Mapel Hall An all-West Virginia program was presented by the Y. W. C. A. follow-ing a special dinner given in the

dining room of Verona Mapel Hall on Wednesday evening. All women living at the dormitory were invited to attend the program.

to attend the program. The program was under the lead-ership of Miss Virginia Chidester, and was as follows: Song, West Vir-ginia Hills; Talk, "West Virginia, the State Beautiful," by Miss Vir-ginia Smith; Poem, "West Virgin-ia," by Miss Newa Ward; West Vir-

ginia Legend, "Monongahela," told by Mirs Geneviewe Welch; and a song, Hail West Virginia."

**"DO NOT TAKE UP** President E. G. Rohrbough's nam Virginia in "Who's Who in Amer-ica" for 1930-31. He is the only per-West on from Gilmer County. Charl has the greatest number with a total of 47; Morgantown has 37, Wheel-ing 27, Huntington 17, and Clarks-

# **EIGHT ATTEND** Y. M.' CONFERENCE

Taylor Speaks at Waynesburg Meeting-Looker Member of Seminar Committee

Ralph Currey, French Jones, Eugene Deitz, Harry Taylor, Hayden Ellyson, Bruce Brannon, Claude Kemper, and Earl Looker motored to Waynesburg, Pa. on Friday to attend the Western Pennsylvania-West Virginia Y. M. C. A. Conference. The conference began Friday evening at dinner in the Fort Jackson Hotel and closed Sunday at noon.

The theme of the conference "Religion-an Individual and Social Venture." Speakers whose talks were based on this theme were: David Por ter, head of the Student Y. M. C. A. in the United States; Kirby Page, editor of the World Tomorrow; Francis D. Tyson, a student of the un-employment situation; and Henry Van Dusen, nationally known leader of the student movement.

Earl Looker, of the education de-partment of the Normal, was a member of the seminar committee which composed of faculty members and students of various colleges represented at the conference. Harry Taylor, Glenville Normal School sen-Harry ior, spoke Friday evening at the stu-dent movement dinner given for all the delegates

The local Y. M. C. A. paid part of the expenses of the Normal dele-gates. Bruce Brannon and Earl Looker donated automobiles for th trip.

# HISTORY TEACHER APPOINTED

Miss Minnie Boyd of Columbia to Join Spring Term Faculty Miss Minnie C. Boyd of Hartford,

Ala., has been appointed to the Glen-wille Normal School faculty for the special spring term which begins April 23, President E. G. Rohrbough has announced. Miss Boyd will teach history.

After being graduated from Agnes Scott College, Decatur, Ga., Miss Boyd entered Columbia where she is now a student. She has completed the work for a Ph. D. degree.

Taylor Has Wreck in Pennsylvania

On March 5, while returning from a Y. M. C. A. meeting in Pennsyl-vania, Harry Taylor, who was driving a Nash sedan belonging to E. E. Looker collided with another car. The engine of Mr. Looker's car was sohved back and the car was badly smashed. The damages will probably amount to about \$390, but i will cover all repair bills, Mr. Looker bies

#### Mr. and Mrs. Rohrbough See Tourney

President E. G. Rohrbough and Mrs. Rohrbough attended the state basketball tournament at Buckhan-non Friday afternoon and evening.

MEDICAL VOCATION **TO BECOME RICH"** A. M. Cross, M. D., Tells 'Y. M.' Group His Is Poorest Paid Profession

COLLEGE COURSE COSTLY

Says Degree Means Six Years of ooling and Aver of \$20,000 verage Cost

When you are lying on the operating table waiting for the doctor to begin his work, you may at least have the satisfaction of knowing that you are not the first to fall victim to that doctor's knife; for, as Dr. A. M. Cross explained in his talk Thursday evening, before any surgeon is allowed to practice in any hospital, he must have previously performed two major operations while still a student in the medical college.

Dr. Cross, who was the guest speaker on the second of a series of rocational talks, has just recently moved to this town having previously been on the medical staff of the

state hospital at Weston. "If you wish to become a doctor of medicine," said Cross, "you must specialize while in college in biology, chemistry, or some other medical science. The average length of time required to get a degree in medicine is six years. The cost of a thorough medical training is approximately \$20,000. The U. S. Army or Navy offers good opportunities to a young doctor, because each pays good wages and affords plenty of chance

for advancement. "A country doctor," said Cross, should be the best prepared of any because he is called upon to render almost every kind of medical aid. His working hours are long, his pay poor; but he renders a great servic to mankind.

"Don't go into the medical fession for money," he advised. cause good doctors don't work for money alone—they work because they like too. In my opinion the med-ical profession is the poorest paid of all

Ten persons attended the meeting.

BAXTER TALKS TO STUDENTS

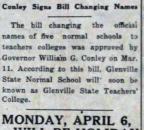
#### Says Each Person's Life Affect This Institution

The Rev. J. F. Baxter, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Glenville, conducted devotional exercises in chapel on Wednesday.

In his talk he said, "Our life's duty is to minister and to serve others. Our time and energy is limited, and we must begin right now, if we have not done so before, and go straight through. Three things are necessary to lead a straight life and to build a strong character. They are a way to God, a truth to reach, and life and strength to see it through

"Remember this school is affected by each individual's life and contact. People are watching the students to see how each one is representing his school.

Hunter Whiting, assistant to the president, had charge of chapel in the absence of President E. G. Rohrbough



Graduation Exercises to Be on

Monday after Easter is a regularly scheduled holiday, President E. G. Rohrbough announced to the Mercury Saturday. Classes and work missed on that day will not have to be made up.

The Easter recess begins after classes on Friday afternoon, April 3, and ends at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, April 7.

In regard to Commencement Week, President Rohrbough said that there will be a slight change from previous years. Graduation exer cises, instead of being on the last day of the semester, will be held on day of the semester, will be need on Monday, June 1, and most of the ex-aminations will be given between the first and the fifth, Friday, when the semester closes. A few examinations, however, may be scheduled for the week prior to June 1.

# JOINS KANAWHA PLAYERS

Angelo Eagon, Alumnus, Is Highly Rated in Marshall Newspaper College

The Parthenon, Marshall newspaper, in a front-page, two-column box, prints a notice that Angelo Eagon, a graduate of the Normal Eagon, a graduate of the states, and a student here last year, is to have the leading role, in "Paris have the leading role, in "Paris Bound" which the Kanawha Players of Charleston are to produce the week of April 6. In an "ear" beside the newspaper's name is "Congratu-Barney lations Angelo Carry On." Cubbedge has this to say about Eagon :

"The work of Eagon in Franz Molnar's "The Swan" and Sutton Vane's "Outward Bound," as well as the College Theatre's latest product-ion, "Enter Madame," by Varesi, has established his as a distinct 'find' and e has shown pronounced dramatic ability in all of his appearances.

"Eagon's parts have been extreme ly varied, ranging from a home-loving American business man, a neurotic drunkard, and a young prince to his character of a young composer of ballets, which is the part he will play in "Paris Bound." All of Eagon's work has shown him to be one of the best portrayers of characters ever to appear on a Marshall stage, and it as proven that his pronounced cess in the first play was something more than a mere 'flash in the pan.' He steps into any part with a finish that lends the lie and str ge presence to any impression that may be formed from his youthful appear

"Eagon's success at Marshall College followed a similar one at Glen-ville State Normal School. He enrolled at Marshall at the beginning of last semester, after having taken part in a number of plays presented at Glenville.

Eagon is the second graduate of G. N. S. to become a member of the Kanawha Players, the other being Miss Kate Cain.

SECRETARY THINKS G. N. S. WON STATE **DEBATING CONTEST** 

# Outcome to Be Known Today When Results Are Received and Tabulated

CONCORD IS VICTORIOUS Eberle, Phillips Get 3-0 Decision

e Sti e Affirm Over Pota ative Team Here

Whether Glenville or Potomac won the State Intercollegiate Debate Contest will be decided today when complete results of three forensic meets held yesterday are tabulated and judged. However, I. F. Boughter, ocretary of the West Virginia Speech Association, said by telephone late last night that Glenville, in his opinion, won.

In the triangular debate yesterday ening Glenville won four judges decisions, Potomac three, and Con-cord two. The Normal's negative team had here a twenty-five point margin over Potomac's affirmative squad, while Potomae had a fortyfive point margin over Concord Keyser. What Glenville's point score at Concord could not be learned last night, nor was it known how the judges' decisions and the point sc will count in determining the winners. Each of the three judges may allow each debater a total of one hundred points.

Fred Eberle and Paul Phillips of the G. N. S. negative team defeated John I. Rogers and Lloyd MacMurray of Potomac 3-0.

The second round of the state elimination contest for debaters was completed on Monday eve March 16, when Paul Phillips evening and March 10, when Faul Failings and Fred Eberle, both of Gienville Nor-mal School, met Leo Lamberson and Lacy Burns of Davis and Elkins Col-lege in the Normal auditorium. The question for debate was: "Resolved: That The Individual State Should doot Some Form of Unservicement Adopt Some Form of Unemployment Insurance."

The plan for insurance is not so ary, replied the negative, as a plan for more employment. Negative Wins 3-0 Decisio

The affirmative was unable to dis-prove the strong argument of the negative with the result of a unannous decision in favor of the nega tive.

H. Y. Clark, of the Normal, pre sided at the debate. The judges, all of Weston, were Mrs. F. J. Walthrop, Attorney R. L. Bland, and the Rev. J. H. Ander

The negative team of the Normal, Warren Blackhurst and Selden Bran-non, were defeated by a 2-1 decision by Newman Falconer and Laurence Kessler, of Davis and Elkins College there on Monday, March, 16. The judges for the debate were, B. F. Kimbal, of Parsons, Stanley Dadis-man, of Philippi, and A. R. Waggoner, of Belington.

Pres. Rohrbough Goes To Charleston

President E. G. Rohrbough left ere last Tuesday for Charleston to where his going was prompted by matters concerning appropriations for the school. He returned to Glen-ville Wednesday evening.

College. WILL BE HOLIDAY

June 1, and Examinations Will End on Fifth

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#### COUNTY INSTITUTES

When it abolished county institutes, the state legislature of 1931 did a valuable service to taxpayers and to teachers. To taxpayers because \$400,000 a year is saved; to teachers because the younger ones will not be compelled to listen to the platitudinous palaver too frequent at the meetings. In structors were paid \$2.50 a day for the five days of the program's duration. Those persons registered to attend oftentimes tried to slip away because of boredom or because of the worthof the so-called instruction. Others, uninterested in teaching and considering it only a temporary vocation, slyly left the meeting after roll call or did not appear if they thought a check of attendance not appear if they thought a check of attendance would not be made. Just why so many school teachers -especially elementary ones-have fallen into the sere, the yellow leaf is not quite clear to us, but any one who has hard a county institute program will have to grant that such is generally true. T must back-slap to keep their positions; they Teachers must utter Polly Anna cliches on hackneved subjects so as to offend nohody. "Worth while" is the key work to their stereotyped ideas. The cause probably is that r two the avenage graded school teacher after a year has to make little or no preparation. Perhaps not, "has to" but "does not make." Because platitudes are often undetected and because no thought is required to become platitudinous, they follow this way of least effort. Abolition of institutes should prove one of the most progressive steps elementary education in West Virginia has taken.

#### THE Y. M. C. A. WAKES UP

The Glenville Normal School Y. M. C. A. which has been so active on the Normal campus this year has indeed done some praiseworthy things. The lethargy of the organization for the past few years has lead the school to believe that it was hardly worth its salt, but some helpful work has been done this year. Possibly the most beneficial of the Y. M. C. A's, ac-

Possibly the most beneficial of the Y. M. C. A's. activities is aiding those of the local community who for yarious reasons have been unable to get sufficient food and clothing for the winter months. A pledge of \$25 of which \$10 has already been paid was made to the Red Cross for aiding needy families of the community. The social service department of the organization with Bruce Brannon as chairman, has taken food and clothing to families in need. A survey was made of graded school pupils and one boy who was badly in need of eye glasses was taken to Weston at the expense of the organization, and correct glasses were purchased for him. Work of this sort is indeed worthy of the encouragement and pecuniary assistance of the community and school.

The Y. M. C. A. his supplied social and intellectual needs. Parties of various types have been held, and well-known lecturers have been and will be brought to our campus. The series of vocational guidance lectures, we feel, has justified much larger audiences than they have attracted. Persons unable to purchase tickets were admitted free to "The Foor Nut," an entertaining play which the organization gave. The basketball league organization for those who wanted to play and were not on the varsity was of special interest to a certain group of students. All of these activities have helped put spirit into the sometimes-dull student life. Our wish is that the Y. M. C. A. will continue its progressive program.

#### A DOUBTFUL TEACHING

The idea that America is the land of opportunity for everyone and that he who does not have work is too lazy to find it is still taught in the majority of American schools. It is a common remark that this or that man could find work if he really wants to. Certainly, any one who is familiar with the present

Certainly, any one who is familiar with the present situation in this country knows that America is no longer the land of opportunity for all. Some say that such is true only during such periods of industrial depression as we are now experiencing, but it is as equally true or is going to be in future normal times. It is estimated that there were from one to two millions unemployed during the period of normalcy just experienced before the present depression.

Not only is the teaching of this idea damaging to the student in his post-school life, but it has a worse and far-reaching result upon industry and society as a whole. The idea has closed and kept the door of opportunity closed for those who could and would be useful. If our schools, captains of industry, and law-making bodies were not possessed with this erroneous idea, they could and might take steps to initiate progressive and intelligent policies to bring about changes in our industrial and social order to open avenues of opportunity to all.

#### THE SPRING BLIGHT

The West Virginia High School Basketball Tournament has ended, hundreds of fans have seen a year's growth of interest reach its climax in one brief hour, and many students have returned to their dull scholasticism of spring. What harvest has this sowing of interest and its cultivation by an out-pouring of energy brought to those for whom the schools exist, the students? A blighted one.

Sports fans have been amused, sports writers have been given work, a championship has been decided, and some educators will say that the players have been taught invaluable lessons in discipline, sportsmanship. loyalty. The first three statements cannot be de nied and the fourth cannot be proved. But what about the high school students themselves? Members of the basketball squads have gone through a period of train ing and exe rtion highly destructive to their well-being. Students as a whole have been permitted, and oftentimes encouraged, to exaggerate the value of basketball. They think it, talk it, dream it, and wait for the annual tournament. Ask any one of them which holds the greater interest for him, studies or the tourwhich nament. "Why, we looked forward to the tournament all year," he will reply. Consequently, scholastic stan-dards are trying hard to maintain the level to which they have been lowered by over-emphasis of sports. This is why the harvest is blighted.

We understand that the national tournament fortunately has been abolished, and we wish to commend Morganteyum High School's refusal to enter such competition. If other high schools could dismiss the fear of not pleasing, our state tournaments would be no more.

# WHAT OTHERS SAY

#### ONE MAN OR MANY

#### From The World-Telegram

After all, a millionaire has only one stomach. He can't possibly wear more than a few hundred pairs of shoes in a year. There is a limit to the clothes he can wear, the beds he can sleep in and the yachts and automobiles in which he can ride.

There's one thing a millionaire can't do, with all his riches. He can't consume enough goods to keep enough factories working so that there will be jobs and food for the rest of the people. He may scatter banknotes recklessly here and there,

He may scatter banknotes recklessly here and there, but no matter how much money he spends it does not have the effect on industry that the same amount of money would have if spent by a hundred thousand men, or ten thousand men, for shoes and overalls, and shirts, and other necessaries of life.

That is why income tax figures just announced by the Treasury Department have such grave import. In the first eight months of 1929, 504 men with incomes of more than a million dollars a year possessed

one-twentieth of the nation's wealth. Where there had been 7,259,944 persons filing in come taxes in 1920, there were only 4,034,702 filing in 1929. And where, in 1920, six-and-a-half million

In 1929, And where, in 1920, six-and-a-half million men and women with small incomes had almost fifteenind-a-half billion dollars to spend, in 1929 the number of small income earners had been reduced to three million, and they had only a little more than eight billion dollars. In ten years the number of men with incomes of

In ten years the number of men with incomes of more than a million has been multiplied by fifteen, and the total amount of their incomes has been multiplied by twenty, while the foundation of the prosperity that made this possible has been rotting away because the people who could have kept factories humming and men and women working had no money with which to buy.

A great economist predicted years ago that capitalsm would commit suicide through greed.

Unless we are ready to see capitalism end, and with it the whole social order that we have known heretofore, the increasing concentration of wealth revealedby the Treasury Department cannot fail to alarm us.

Many a man has bowed his head and left the dock just before his boat came in.

-William L. Brownell.

Fifty fathers out of a hundred do not answer letters from a college where their boys have gotten into serious trouble—Not all the atheists in America can do so much damage as such careless homes. —Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick.

#### Students to Complete Semester in School Management Course

The standard normal directed teaching class of thirty-six students which has been doing practice teaching in the Glenville Graded School under the instruction of Miss Ivy Lee Myers, E. E. Looker, and H. Y. Clark finished its work Friday. During the next twelve weeks, the class will be enrolled in a course in school management.

The directed teaching course in the normal department is in reality a six-hour course composed of four hours of directed teaching work and two hours work in school management. Three of the' four hours of teaching is done during the fall semester, the class meeting daily. The remaining hour of practice teaching is done the first six weeks of the second semester, this class also meeting daily.

The class in school management will meet three times each week during the next twelve weeks for its two hours of credit in school management.

# CLASS TO PRESENT PLAYS

Five Dramas, Directed By Students, to Be Given for Groups Only

The play production class taught by Miss Vinco Moore is to present five one-act plays sometime during the first of April. The plays which are being directed by students in the classs are: "The Cameo," directed by Miss Mabel Morrison; "Enter the Herd," directed by Miss Katherine Hammer; "The Wisdom Tooth," directed by Miss Hazel Tinney; "Good Medicine," directed by Miss Marie Taylor; and "Three Birds and a Bluebell," directed by Mrs. Joan Haumann.

These plays are to be given in the auditorium before the members of the class in play production only.

# New Supplies Bought for Dining Hall

Miss Grace Lorentz, dietitian of the Normal, has begun muking plans for the special spring students who eat at Kanawha Hall. New dishes and table linen have been bought. There the now twenty-one tables in the dining room, and more persons are expected than can be taken care of. At the present time there are 80 persons eating at Verona Mapel Hail and 149 at Kanawha Hall.

### 85 Attend Weekly Woolworth Ball

In order to receive better radio dance programs, the regular weekly Woolworth Ball was held Friday from 6:15 to 8:15 o'clock in the G. N. S. gymnasium. Reception was poor, and the phonogruph was used. Eighty-five persons attended. Faculty members present were Misses Willa Brand, Vinco Moore, and Alma Arbuckle.

# Five Students III at Annex, Lodge

During the past two weeks, there has been much sickness at the Annexand the Firestone Lodge. Glenn Hammer, Herbert Rose, and Jenneth Barnett have had mumps. Hammer returned to school Thursday, and Barnett and Rose yesterday. At Firestone Lodge, Fred Wilson and Edwin Deem have been bedfast for a numtier of days with influenza.

# G. N. S. Debaters Receive Gifts

Lionel Fell, of the Glenville Midland Company, gave each member of the debating team of Glenville State Normal School a tie, in appreciation for work done in debating this season. The members of the team are Paul Phillips, Fred Eberle, Selden Brannon, and Warren Blackhurst.

CLASS FINISHES TEACHING CHORUS GETS NEW MUSIC

#### Instructor Says Violin Class Is Making Splendid Progress

Although the Glenville Normal School orchestra has not yet played before the public, it has been practicing regularly and Miss Bertha Olsen, instructor in music, says that it will make its first appearance in chapel soon.

"We have had our new music only two weeks," explained Miss Olsen, "and since the majority of the persons in the violin section are inexperienced, they will require a little time to catch up with the rest of the orchestra."

According to Miss Olsen, the violin class of beginners which is composed of five girls is making splendid progress and the members will be able to join the orchestra soon.

New music which has just arrived for the mixed chorus includes, "Sunshine in Rain Road Valley" by Bernard Hamblem; "Over the Summer Sea" by Verdi; "Pickaninny Sand Man" by Sarah Talbert; "Carmena" by Lane Wilson; "Melody of Love" by Engelman.

# 16 Attend Extra History 8 Class

Miss Bessie Bell is teaching an additional class in History 8 for an hour each Tuesday afternoon for those who have had History 5. Because History 8 is largely a duplication of History 5 that has been given here in the past, the students who already have credit for History 5 must attend this class in addition to the three hours of regular work each week. Sixteen students are attending it.

#### Y. M. C. A. Buys Glasses for Pupil

The Normal Y. M. C. A. has pledged \$25 to the Glenville chapter of the Red Cross to help needy famlies of the community; \$10 of this pledge has been paid. The social service department of this organization with Bruce Brannon as chairman made a survey of the pupils of the Glenville Graded School with the object of aiding any pupil who was in need of food or clothing. One student was taken to Weston and fitted for glasses at the expense of the Y. M. C. A.

# Faculty Asked to "Y" Policy Meetin

A Y. M. C. A. policy meeting of the organization's present cabinet and the men members of the school faculty will be held Monday evening. The purpose of this meeting is to get a prospective of the purposes and advantages of a school Y. M. C. A. in a state teachers' college. The Y. M. C. A. urges that all the men members of the faculty attend this meeting as their experience of past campus life and their vision of future college life should aid in the progression of the meeting. Laban White, of the education department, will be the chairman.

### Former Student on W.V.U. Team

Isaac Lewis of Fairmont, who was a student at Glenville State Normal School during 1927-28, was elected captain of the West Virginia University Wrestling Team last week. While at Glenville, Lewis was a member of the football and basketball squads.

# Y. W. C. A. Has Dance for 15 Guests

The Y. W. C. A. gave a radio dance in the gymnasium Thursday evening from 7 until 9:30 o'clock. The dance was given for the Y. W. C. A. members and their guests. Thirty couples were present. Miss Vinco Moore was chaperon. The Glenville Mercury: Tuesday, March 24, 1931



# Six Teams May Enter "Y's" 1st Annual Independent Bas-ketball Tournament

This afternoon the drawings for the Little Kanawha Valley Independent Basketball Tournament which is being held by the Y. M. C. A. will be made. The tournament will be held in the Normal gymnasium on Saturday, lasting one day. The plans for the tournament are

three sessions: preliminarys on Sat-urday morning 8 to 12; semi-finals, Saturday afternoon 2 to 4; and fin-als Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

According to Wetzel Brannon of the Y. M. C. A. many trophies are to be given: individual gold basket-balls to the winners; individual silver basketballs to the best forward, center, guard, and best sportsman; and probably other trophies.

Brannon has not received definite information but he is expecting the Ark, Burnsville A. C., Troy Indepen-Ars, Burnsville A. C., 1roy Indepen-dents, Grantsville Independents, Sand Fork Independents, Norman-town Independents, Tanner Indepen-dents, Y. M. C. A., and probably Glenville High School to enter.

Admission for each session will be 25 cents, or 50 cents for a season ticket. Each team entering the tournent has to pay an entry fee of \$1.50.

# VOLLEY BALL TOURNEY OPENS

Physical Education Classes Divided

Into Teams for Match Play Coach A. F. Rohrbough has oranized his physical education classes into volley ball teams to play a tournament. Each class is divided into as many teams as there are players with six men on a team. In them according to their ability to play. On the first team were placed the best, on the second the next hest and so on until all players had been placed.

The system adopted for the rating of this tournament is based on per centage. The A players of each class play the first team of 'every other class until three matches have been played. The second, third, fourth, and fifth teams play their equals in like manner. A match consists of three games

After each team, according to its ability, has played three matches the percentage is taken, and the one having the highest wins the tournament. On Thursday the 10:00 o'clock section opened the tourney by defeating the 11 o'clock A team. It is believed, that such a plan will

create interest among the students and make physical education a plea-

#### ATTENTION CALLED TO RULES

H. L. White Sends Letters To All Correspondence Students H. L. White, director of corres-nondence in the Normal, has sent the

following letter to all correspondence students. "For your information and

safeguard your interests, we wish to call your attention to the fol-lowing regulations: (1) No one may do correspondence work for credic in this school while he is doing work of correspondence in another school, or when he is enrolled for residence work in this or another school; (2) work in this or another school; (2) all correspondence work must be finished by June 1; and (3) no cor-respondence work will be given dur-ing the summer term."

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Rohrbough, and A. E. Harris and Robert Craw-ford attended a part of the tourna-ment in Buckhannon on Friday. Miss Claudia Kelley spent the week-end at Spencer.

ENGLISH ENROLLMENT IS 500 Probably The Largest in History of G. N. S. The English department of Glen-

ville State Normal School with 500 students probably has a record enstudents probaby has a record en-rollment this semester. No figures are just now available with which to compare the present registration to registrations during other semesters, but it is used to be the Enclosed ut it is likely that the English department at present is the largest it has ever been. The 500 students in English en-

rolled in 18 classes to seven teachers are distributed thus: English 1, 61; English 2, 154; total in freshman composition 215. In English 18, children's literature; English 27, and 28, or survey courses in English

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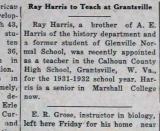
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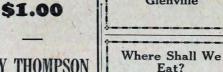
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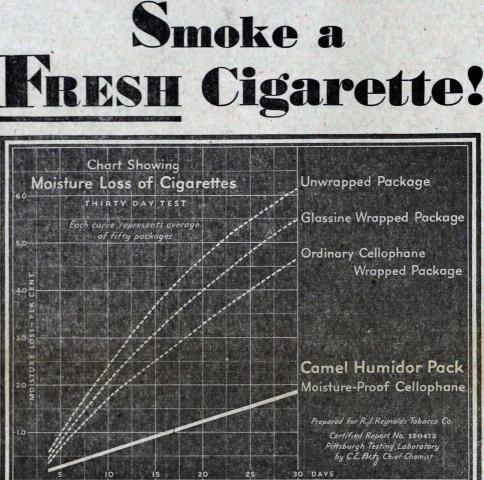
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