

## BOHENSKY WINS HIGH HONORS AT SPEECH FESTIVAL

College Student Gives Best Performance in "Master Patelin, Solicitor"

### MANY ENTER CONTEST

Miss Bell Accompanies Squad to Shepherdstown — Miss Dobson Is Coach

By JACK ELDER

John W. Bohensky's work in the comedy, "Master Patelin, Solicitor," was selected as the best performance of the play cast representing Glenville State Teachers College at the West Virginia Intercollegiate Speech Association tournament at Shepherdstown. Bohensky is a sophomore in the College.

Glenville was represented in the one-act play, the oration, and debate, three teams representing the College in the latter event.

Concord won two first places. Their presentation of the tragedy "The Valiant" won first place. First honors were awarded Mary Virginia Brown of Concord for her oration "Confessional."

Marshall's play "The House of Juke" placed second.

Fairmont was third with the play "The Purple Doorknob."

Quentin Ewins and William Ansell, of Shepherd, won the team debating contest from Morris-Harvey in the finals.

Miss Bessie Boyd Bell, history instructor in the College, accompanied the group and assisted in judging the debates.

Nine colleges were represented with a total of 115 students.

Many of the students visited the spots of historical interest in the eastern panhandle, some going to Washington, D. C.

The tournament will be held at Concord next year.

## OPERETTA CAST IS SELECTED

"Who Discovered America?" to Be Given May 28 by Music Department

"Who Discovered America?," a comic operetta in two acts by George Murray Brown and Keith Crosby Brown, will be presented by a chorus of forty-five voices Thursday night, May 28, in the College auditorium. The operetta, under the direction of Miss Bertha E. Olsen, instructor in music, will be presented as the first feature of the annual commencement activities.

"Who Discovered America?," a publication of C. C. Birchard and Company, Boston, Mass., is a new release and a leading operetta of the day. The costumes will be rented from Hooker-Howe and Haverhill by special arrangement of the publishers.

Tryouts for the character parts were held last night in the College auditorium. The boys reported at 7 o'clock and the girls at 7:30. Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough, Mrs. H. Laban White and Mrs. John E. Arbuckle were the judges.

Anna Marie Golden, of Clarksburg, former student, was a guest of Sylvia Leay Rader of Verano, Md., at the home of Mrs. G. W. Wall, Sunday.

### Will Broadcast Operetta

The National Broadcasting Company will broadcast the operetta "Who Discovered America?" Sunday morning, April 28, at 10:30 o'clock, daylight saving time. This is the operetta which the College music department will present May 28.

## SCHOOL OFFICIALS OBSERVE HERE

Superintendents from Gilmer, Clay and Roane Counties Visit Training School

The teacher training department of Glenville State Teachers College has invited superintendents and school principals from several counties to observe the teaching being done by students.

Superintendents who have observed in the training school include Carl McGinnis, '34, and Marvin Cooper, '12, Gilmer County; J. Therman Rogers, '27, assistant superintendent in Roane County schools, and Wayne Lawson, '33, principal of Walton grade school.

County superintendents from Lewis, Doddridge and Pocahontas will observe today; those from Harrison and Nicholas will observe tomorrow, and those from Kanawha and Braxton will observe Tuesday.

## LARGE AUDIENCE ATTENDS CANTATA

Annual Easter Program Given By Combined College Glee Clubs

A large audience attended the Easter cantata, "The Story of Calvary" by P. Schnecker, Wednesday night, April 8, in the College auditorium.

The cantata, under the direction of Miss Bertha E. Olsen, instructor in music, was presented by a chorus of 145 voices, all members of the boys' and girls' glee clubs and the choral class. Hansel Warner, a freshman, was the soloist.

Special features of the two-part program included an instrumental quartet composed of John Marra, alto horn; Nathan Callahan and Laddie Bell, trumpets; and Jack Hamilton, trombone; a clarinet trio composed of Mar. Allen, Willard Shreve and Hadsell Ball; a woman's three-part chorus, and a double male quartet; and the singing of "The Story of Calvary" by the chorus.

Virginia Vinson, S. N. '34, and Sara Margaret Fischer were the piano accompanists.

### Dr. Kirby Visits Training School

Dr. David Kirby, secretary of the State Board of Education, visited the College training school Wednesday. Dr. Kirby stopped here as a regular part of his inspection work as secretary of the board. He attended the weekly chapel exercises Wednesday and spoke briefly. While in Glenville, Dr. Kirby was the house guest of Dr. and Mrs. John C. Shreve. He left here early Thursday morning for Fairmont, where he attended a meeting of the Third Annual Council of Education sponsored by Beta Omega Chapter, Kappa Delta Pi fraternity.

Don't forget to vote in the student body election.

## STUDENT COUNCIL MAKES PLANS FOR ANNUAL ELECTION

Officers of Campus Governing Body Will Be Chosen Friday

VOTING BEGINS AT 8 A. M.

Candidates Will Be Heard in Student Body Meeting Wednesday, 4 P. M.

Meeting last night on the front steps of the Administration Building, the Student Council named a counting board for the general election to be held Friday, outlined a list of voting regulations, decided that all candidates for council offices shall be given an opportunity to address the student body, and agreed that the incoming council members should meet with the retiring officers at the next regular session. Lloyd Metheny, president, presided.

George Post, Ruby Thompson, Woodrow Wolfe, Lloyd Metheny, Thomas Pierce, Catharine Wilson, and R. E. Freed, council adviser, were named to serve on the counting board, which will meet immediately after the polls close Friday at 4 p. m. Voting will begin at 8 a. m. Ballot boxes will be placed in the Administration Building, as was done in the primary.

The council asks that there be no electioneering within twenty-five feet of the polls. Names written on the ballots will be disregarded.

A general student body meeting will be held tomorrow evening at 4 o'clock in the College auditorium. All candidates are asked to attend so that they may have an opportunity to submit their platforms for consideration.

## CANTERBURY CLUB TAKES PILGRIMAGE

Members Tell Stories Taken From Chaucer's "Canterbury Tales"

Twenty-seven members of the Canterbury Club, with Miss Willa Brand, club sponsor, made their fifteenth annual pilgrimage Wednesday evening, following a special program at 7 o'clock in Miss Brand's classroom.

Following an established custom, members on the program told stories selected from Chaucer's "Canterbury Tales." The stories told were: "The Clerk's Tale," Velda Betts; "The Man of Law's Tale," Vada McCutcheon; and "The Knight's Tale," Max Ward.

At the conclusion of the program, the members, with Miss Brand, retired to the Crystal restaurant where a number of informal talks were made and a club dinner was served.

### Mercury Offers Art Service

The Mercury calls attention to special art service appearing for the first time in this issue. Drawings were made by Miss Margaret Christie, art instructor. The service will be made a regular weekly feature in this paper.

Tomorrow: Chapel, 10 a. m. Speaker, J. A. Jackson, superintendent of Harrison County schools. Student body meeting, 4 p. m., College auditorium.

## SIXTY-ONE SENIORS ARE CANDIDATES FOR A. B. DEGREE—COLLEGE WILL HOLD COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES ON JUNE 1

Commencement May 28 to June 1

President E. G. Rohrbough has announced the following schedule of commencement activities:

Thursday, May 28, operetta, "Who Discovered America?"  
Saturday, May 30, senior play, "Holiday."  
Sunday, May 31, baccalaureate sermon.

Monday, June 1, commencement address.

Speakers for the baccalaureate sermon and the commencement address have not been named. Congressman John Kee, '90, was the commencement speaker last year.

## DORMITORY WORK GETS UNDER WAY

First Load of Brick Moved in the Past Week — Rock Wall Being Built

Work is progressing rapidly on three construction projects on the College campus this week. Besides the excavating work for the new dormitory for boys, work on a stone wall to be built along the east side of the campus, and a concrete walk from College Street to the old administration building, was started the past week.

The excavating is being done by the Clarksburg Excavating Company and is supervised by C. W. Loar, project foreman for Baker and Combs, the Morgantown firm that was awarded the building contract.

A small frame building to be used as offices and store rooms by the contractors and W. P. A. officials while construction work is being done, was erected on the campus the past week. The office rooms will be occupied by C. W. Loar, foreman for Baker and Combs, and George Dieringer, W. P. A. labor inspector.

The first load of bricks to be used in the new building arrived on the grounds Thursday and work was started on the foundation of one wing of the structure.

Labor for the minor projects is furnished by W. P. A. and is supervised by Allie Yerkey.

### STUDENTS COMPLETE READING

Mr. Freed Says He Is Well Pleased With Social Science Experiment

Raymond E. Freed, instructor, announced that 132 students enrolled in his classes have completed their collective reading in social science to date.

Mr. Freed stated that he is pleased with the way the students have cooperated in doing the outside reading. He said that he believes the system is more successful than any he has used.

### Will Give Commencement Address

Dean H. Laban White has accepted invitations to give commencement addresses at three West Virginia high schools. The speeches will be given at Greenbank High School, Delbarton High School and Lenore High School in Mingo county.

More Than 220 Students Will Receive Standard Normal Certificates

### LIST MAY BE INCREASED

Class of 1936 Is Largest Group to Complete the Four-Year Course

Sixty-one students in Glenville State Teachers College are expected to receive the A. B. degree, either in elementary or secondary education, at the sixty-third annual commencement exercises to be conducted Monday, June 1, it is announced by Carey Woolter, College registrar. This is an increase of nineteen over the past year, when forty-two students were graduated.

More than 220 students are candidates for Standard Normal certificates, an increase of thirty-four over the past year. This year, for the first time, Standard Normal seniors will not receive diplomas along with the A. B. seniors.

### Twelve Students From Glenville

Glenville will have the largest group of graduates. Twelve from this city are scheduled to receive the A. B. degree. Weston with four is second, and Charleston is third. Almost every other section of the state will be represented by one or more graduates.

Mr. Woolter said yesterday that he expected both the A. B. and Standard Normal graduate lists to be increased before commencement time. Several persons, he asserted have not answered inquiries sent to them concerning graduation. A few (Continued on page 6)

## G CLUB DANCE TO BE HELD FRIDAY

Ed McGraw's Cleveland Band Will Play From 9 P. M. Until 1 A. M.

The spring social season will get under way Friday night when the G Club members sponsor their annual dance, featuring Ed McGraw and his ten-piece orchestra from Cleveland.

The dance will begin at 9 p. m. and continue until 1 a. m. and will be a program affair. Invitations have been sent to 225 former students and to faculty members. Chap-erones for the occasion will be President and Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Rohrbough, Dean and Mrs. H. Laban White, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Freed. Admission will be one dollar and a quarter per couple.

Thomas Pierce, president of the G Club, says, "The band is one of the best in this section of the country. McGraw has been broadcasting regularly from WTAM, Cleveland, and KQV, Pittsburgh, during the past few months."

Students now enrolled in the College are eligible to attend without an invitation. Pierce estimates that more than 130 couples will attend.

Attorney C. M. Bennett, '88, of Glenville, has announced his candidacy for delegate at large to the Democratic National Convention in Philadelphia.

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## VOTE YOUR SENTIMENTS

Glenville State Teachers College students will go to the polls Friday to vote for Student Council officers.

Although this election is important to every student in the College, many undoubtedly will be inclined to ignore the importance of such an occasion and will cast their votes in haste. Many students will probably vote for the "best fellow," regardless of that fellow's qualifications or ability to serve on the council.

May we suggest, voters, that you consider each candidate on his merits only. We should not be swayed in our way of thinking by promises from affable campaign managers; nor should we allow our likes and dislikes for a person to get the better of us in making our decisions at the polls.

We should, on the other hand, vote with an open mind; and when we come away from the polls we will have the satisfaction of knowing we voted for those we thought were best qualified for the positions.—Woodrow Wolfe.

## INTRAMURAL BASEBALL

Glenville State Teachers College again comes to the front. For many years the College has been a leader in athletic circles. (Coach A. F. Rohrbough has placed strong basketball teams in the state conference races for the past four years. Football has seen the Pioneers holding their own against the strongest teams in the state.)

Now comes Coach Rohrbough with an interesting innovation. Intramural baseball is to become a part of the athletic schedule. Heretofore, basketball, softball, and volleyball have been on the intramural schedule, and now baseball will receive its initial baptism of fire this spring.

Much praise should be given Coach Rohrbough for the efficient manner that he has exercised in building up strong intramural schedules. Although hampered greatly because of a shortage of equipment, Coach Rohrbough has gone ahead and developed a program that has served the needs of those interested.

The new baseball league, composed of four teams, will give approximately sixty boys a chance to participate in the popular game. The sport will not be limited to twelve or fifteen players. We can all play ball if we elect to do so.

## LEST WE FORGET

As the spring season advances, the average student finds himself facing a double dilemma. Not only does he find himself less energetic, but he is also aware of the despairing fact that good intentions fail all too often in the face of spring's exotic charms. Will power, apparently, becomes a puppet in the clever hands of the goddess Proserpine.

Concentration upon school work under such conditions becomes seriously impaired. Psychological theories and tabulated facts become projected fishing trips and country side treks, despite good-intentioned resolves and occasional reprimands from instructors.

But should not we as students remember that this is just one more spring, and that as far as our college work is concerned it is only one such season among four? Shall we buck the line and prove that we can "take it," or shall we succumb to our weaker natures, only to experience vain regrets in after years?—Jarrett W. Jones.

## MORE ABOUT CHAPEL PROGRAMS

Education need not be painful. An hour spent in the acquisition of knowledge may be made highly enjoyable. When such is the case, educators are inclined to agree that the matter learned will be retained longer and also learned with greater ease.

Our chapel periods are designed to further the educational functions of the College. Then, of necessity, they must have incorporated in them some sound qualitative knowledge. We think they should be interesting and enjoyable.

Many members of the faculty, if given the opportunity, could hold the individual interest of the students for an hour. In the student body there must be much talent along various lines. Why could not this talent be utilized to the best interest and well being of the College? Why wouldn't it be possible to allow these gifted persons to exercise their knowledge and personality to educate and at the same time entertain the group. We suggest that a program be arranged whereby each student may be allowed to display his or her particular talent and, if accomplished enough, be given a chance to appear on the stage as a feature of the chapel program.—Avon Elder.

## Way of the World

### IN THE DAYS NEWS—

The "Gilco," semi-monthly newspaper published by the high schools in Gilmer County, received a "distinguished" rating in the fourteenth state-wide competition sponsored recently by the journalism department of West Virginia University.

In a recent survey sponsored by the Spectator, Campus daily at Columbia University, the 1936 class voted like this: Favorite dance band—Guy Lombardo. Favorite movie actor—Charles Laughton. Favorite movie actress—Ginger Rogers. Favorite popular song—The Music Goes 'Round and Around. Favorite beverage—milk. Favorite novel—Of Human Bondage. Favorite serious magazine—Time. Favorite humorous magazine—Esquire.

The students also agreed that a Phi Beta Kappa Key is preferred to a Varsity letter.

### —COMMENTS ON LIFE

If I cannot find fault with myself, there is something wrong with me.

If I am not big enough to accept a licking occasionally, then my character is deficient.

It is hard to forgive the chap who tries to make me feel like a fool in a crowd.

The "Mountaineer" in W. Va. Review.

### AND SOME HUMOR—

Restaurant Patron—Hi, waiter. I found a piece of wood in my sausage.

Waiter—Yes, sir, but I am sure that'er ah—

Patron—Don't try to stall me off. I don't mind eating a little dog when pork is high, but I'll be hanged if I am going to tackle the dog house too.

A class in natural history was reciting. The teacher asked, "Where is the home of the swallow?"

A long silence and then a hand waved.

"You may answer, Robert."

"The home of the swallow," declared Robert, "is in the stomach."

### —FRESHMAN SHOULD KNOW

Coffee isn't the only fresh thing when dated.

If college men would hold their girl friends, they should abide by the following rules, according to a professor in a northern university:

Leave off the cave-man tactics. Clark Gable may be able to get away with it, but everyone isn't a Clark Gable.

Don't try to be a Don Juan type. Don't boast of your achievements.

Don't have the critical attitude. Remember that common faults are what make others human.

If by following this advice, you fail to have success, just console yourself with the thought that she wasn't your type anyway.

### AND SOME VERSE—

Stand up, though the way is rocky  
And burdens heavier grow;  
For the one who stands the straightest  
Brings the most in any show.

Stand up when tumult rages  
And weaker mortals fail;  
For the man who stands up straight  
and firm  
Can weather any gale.

Stand up when friends forsake you  
To let the whole world know  
That two good feet will help a man  
To give or take a blow.

Stand up when freedom falters  
And let old glory wave;  
For the homeland of our fathers  
Is the right place for our grave.  
—Allan Smyth, '36.

Don't forget to vote in the student body election.

## Glenville's Own News Reel

By S. M. F.

GLENVILLE is in a glow of radiance this week because of the forthcoming G-Club dance, Friday night, in the College gymnasium. Plans have been completed and everything is in readiness for this glorious festival. Ed McGraw and his ten-piece Cleveland broadcasting orchestra will furnish the music. So, if you wish to receive full value for \$1.25, be there.

CONGRATULATIONS to John Bohensky for receiving special recognition at the intercollegiate speech festival at Shepherdstown the past week-end. And, may we give a hearty hand to Miss Dobson and the rest of the contestants for their splendid work.

A PROMINENT local business man recently presented gifts to the members of the debating team. This gentleman is a strong advocate for the promotion of this field.—Wouldn't Coach Rohrbough be surprised to know that one of his

sturdy, strong football players once took a course in beauty culture?

EDDIE ORR, former student, now a student in the journalism department of West Virginia University, said recently, that of all the college publications received by the University, the Mercury is the most widely read.... Ann Wilson Lewis, '34, is attending the Mountain State Business College at Parkersburg.

WHEN MISS Bertha E. Olsen, instructor in music, arrived at the College auditorium Wednesday night, April 8, to direct the presentation of the Easter cantata, she found the already decorated stage adorned with two additional potted plants—beautiful, white, blooming lilies. Where they came from she knew not.... Too, it has been rumored that Miss Olsen was the recipient earlier in the afternoon of a bouquet of cut flowers. Where did they come from?

### Tumblers Exhibit At Sand Fork

Allen (Chuck) Smyth and his tumbling team gave an exhibition at Sand Fork High School, Friday evening, April 17, as a part of the junior class carnival. Those making the trip were: Andrew Edwards, Roy Smith, Marvin Lewis, Russell Hogue, and Smyth, director.

Then there's the police surgeon in Philadelphia who says that one is sober if he is able to say, "Susie sat in the soup."

## At the Library

### "I Write As I Please"

Among the most interesting books recently added to the Robert F. Kidd Library is "I Write As I Please" by Duranty, describing experiences which Duranty, as a reporter, could not write of when they happened. Now, free from censorship, he gives his frank opinions about Russia as he saw it during the past fifteen years. The book is not sensational, but is spiced with humor, and of considerable historical value.

### New Books Are Ordered

Among the books recently ordered at the Robert F. Kidd Library are: "What's The Name, Please?," Funk; "Discovery," Byrd; "American Women," a who's who of prominent women of the United States; "World Almanac," 1936 edition; "Who's who In American Education"; "Unpublished Poems," Emily Deickinson; "Man, The Unknown," Alexis Carrell; "We Who Are About To Die," David Lamson.

### Former Student Takes Honors

Mrs. Baneeta McConkey Taylor, '30, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McConkey of Copen, recently finished a secretarial course at Strayer's College, Washington, D. C., tying for second high honors in a class of 104 graduates.

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## DR. H. F. WITHERS

Dean H. Laban White, President, Presides at Weekly Luncheon

Predicting that some form of social security insurance will be provided to guarantee proper dental service for dependents, Dr. H. F. Withers spoke to the Rotary Club the past Thursday at the weekly luncheon in the Whiting Tea Room. Dean H. Laban White, president, presided.

H. Y. Clark, of the education department, will address the club this week on "The Problems of Youth."

Dr. Withers reviewed the early struggles of the American dental colleges, contrasted their growth as against that of the medical schools and declared that increased requirements are cutting down the number of students taking dental surgery.

He said the old proprietary dental colleges are rapidly giving way to the more modern cooperative university dental schools, adding that in 1901 there were fifty-seven dental colleges; today there are thirty-nine. He said the oldest dental college in the United States was established at Baltimore in 1840 and continued until 1846. This college is now a part of the University of Maryland. The second oldest dental college, he said, is The Ohio College of Dental Surgery, in Cincinnati. Dr. Withers is a graduate of this school.

He asserted that there were 11,745 students enrolled in dental colleges in 1920 and that in 1935 there were only 7,217 enrolled.



A good officer to lead the student body is necessary at this time. This officer should be selected on the basis of ability, not on popularity, loose promises, sympathy or such things. Bantz W. Craddock, Jr., is willing to give his efforts, if agreeable with the college administration, to the student body, for which desires they want and vote for. Paid advertisement.

Doris Hardin visited with Helen Curtis at her home in Weston the past week-end. Miss Hardin became ill and is still in Weston.

Talks in Chapel on Thomas Hardy and The Wessex Country

"Thomas Hardy and His Wessex" was the subject of a lecture given in chapel, Wednesday, April 8, by Miss Willa Brand, instructor in English.

Miss Brand told of her recent visit to the Hardy country in England and described the famous shrines visited while there. She gave an account of Hardy's life and described his estate, which she visited.

Miss Brand recently delivered the same lecture to the literature group of the Charleston Woman's Club.

### MRS. O. S. WOOFER DIES

Final Rites Conducted April 11 for Registrar's Mother

Funeral services were held Friday evening, April 10, for Mrs. Orville Summers Woofter, of Bridgeport, mother of Carey Woofter, College registrar. Final rites were held Saturday morning at the Baptist church in Harrisville, and burial was made in a cemetery there.

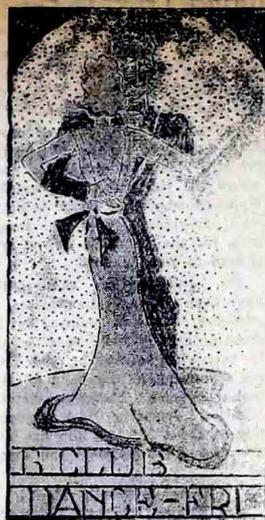
Mrs. Woofter, 77 years old, who was the widow of the late Rev. George A. Woofter, a Baptist minister, collapsed at the door of the Baptist church, Tuesday evening, April 7, as she was on her way to a meeting of the Woman's Bible Class.

Surviving relatives include two sons, Carey Woofter and Henson Woofter, the latter of Houston, Texas; and a sister, Mrs. Dossia Hickman, of West Union.

### Nachman Injured in Baseball Game

Isadore Nachman, a senior in the College and a member of the Mercury staff, was painfully injured yesterday afternoon when he attempted to catch a hard, base drive at Rohrbough Field during an intramural baseball practice session. His right hand was torn between the third and fourth fingers, requiring several stitches to close the wound. He was treated by Dr. E. R. Cooper.

## G Club Dances



This is how the College couples will look Friday night at the annual G Club dance, outstanding social function on the campus. Ed McGraw's orchestra, direct from the Cabin Club in Cleveland, will furnish the music.

### Miss Brand Visits In Washington

Miss Willa Brand, preceptress of Verona Mapel Hall, returned the past week from Washington, D. C., where she was a guest of her cousin, Mrs. David Wing, during the Easter holidays. While in Washington Miss Brand visited the Folgar Shakespeare Library and saw Walter Hampden in "Cyrano de Bergerac" by Cameron Rogers.

Plans for securing an orchestra for the annual Holy Roller Court dance to be held May 15 were discussed at a meeting Tuesday evening, April 14. No definite arrangements have been made, but there is a possibility that a Negro band may be engaged to play.

STADFORD DAVIS, EDITH COOPER MARRIED APRIL 10

Miss Edith Cooper, '38, of Glenville, and Bradford Davis, '33, of DeKalb, were married Friday evening, April 10, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Cooper, of Northview, with the Rev. W. D. Winters of the Methodist Episcopal Church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Davis are teaching in the elementary schools of Gilmer County.

### KATHLEEN RINEHART WEDS ALVA SAUNDERS

Kathleen Rinehart, '30, and Alva Saunders, of Let, were married Sunday evening, April 12, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erley Rinehart, of Let, with the Rev. J. C. Musser, of the Glenville Baptist Church, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders will make their home in Colorado.

Don't forget to vote in the student body election.



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## Miss Christie Writes of Week's Recent Trip to Nashville, Tenn.

By Margaret Christie

Along with 2500 other members it was my pleasure to attend the joint convention of the Western and Southeastern Arts Association held in Nashville, Tenn. on April 1. As a member of the General Exhibit Committee, most of my time was consumed in compiling a report of the twenty-five commercial, thirty-five educational and ten special exhibits.

There were two types of exhibits emphasizing the convention theme, "Utilitarian Arts." Exhibits of the first type had to do with the use of art in industry. An attempt was made to give a picture of what happens in industry when a new product is manufactured. An example of such an exhibit was one of Libbey Glass sent by the Toledo Museum of Art. It showed the designing of glass and bottles as it is done in the School of Design classes together with the actual glass manufactured from these designs. This display contained designs for products such as catchup, olives, and pickle bottles.

### Sees Selective Exhibits

Exhibits of the second type consisted of work done by students of members of the two associations. This was a selective exhibit representing the best work in elementary, secondary schools, teacher training institutions and art schools. These exhibits showed the finished piece of work with information which should enable the person viewing that piece of work to gain some conception of the educational processes involved in its creation. One of the outstanding exhibits of this group came from Superior State Teachers College, Superior, Wis. This display showed the progressive development of the individual pupils demonstration of large muscle manipulation and the acquisition of a bold and expressive technique resulting from the integration of music, drama and art rhythms. An invitation was extended to the members of the two associations to visit the children

working in art activities at the Peabody Demonstration School art workshop.

There were three special exhibits brought to Nashville during the week by local organizations desiring to honor its guests. The Centennial Club had an exhibit of paintings by teachers of art in colleges and universities of Kentucky. The Nashville Woman's Club sponsored a display of wood cuts, etchings and lithographs, by members of the American Artists Group, Inc., New York. The Studio Club presented an exhibit of modern paintings by American artists.

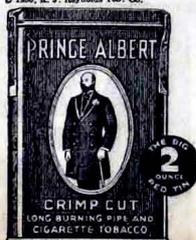
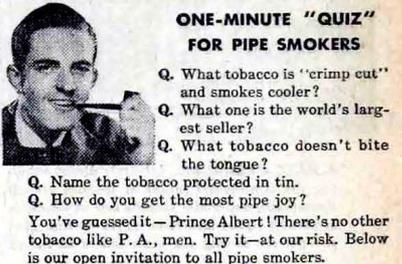
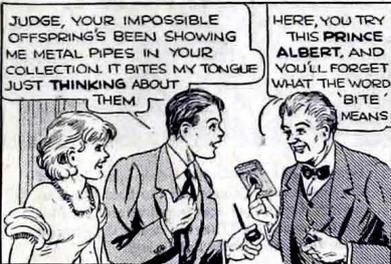
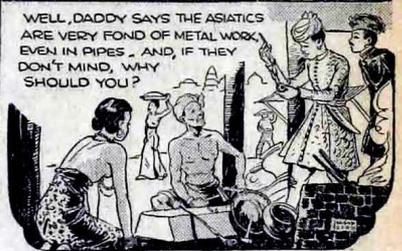
### Local Stores Cooperate

The business firms in the city of Nashville arranged window displays portraying the latest development in merchandising and package design. For the very special benefit of the "Yankee" members there was an exhibit of the old art of beating bread. Biscuit blocks, beaters and brakes were demonstrated by Florence Wright Mattheas who manufactures beaten biscuits and promotes American Folk Cookery. As a background for the beaten biscuits Wiles Photographers exhibited a large collection of photographs of the typical old Southern Negro and Negro cabins.

The outstanding social event was the Dinner Dance given by Southeastern Arts who could think of no greater treat to give their guests than the chance of feasting and dancing to the best tradition of the famed Maxwell House, which for many years was the center of political and social life. This landmark stands, stately and strong, still catering to some of the descendants of the belles and beaux of antebellum days. It was none other than President Theodore Roosevelt who originated its famous slogan, when at a banquet he asked to be served another cup of the coffee that was "Good to the last drop."

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# Story of "Vagabond Trip" to Greece

By Isadore Nachman

"I came over to graduate with my class," declared Mrs. Demarchus Brown, of Indianapolis, world traveler and lecturer, at the outset of her fourth lecture here in as many years, Thursday night, April 9, in the College auditorium. Her talk marked the conclusion of the 1935-36 artists' course. Mrs. Brown was presented by Lloyd Metheny, president of the student body.

During her lecture of an hour and a half, Mrs. Brown described vividly her "vagabond trip" which she took the past summer, accompanied by her traveling companion, Mrs. Mary Beach, of Indianapolis. Mrs. Brown received a hearty welcome and was given a tremendous ovation as she came to the stage and greeted her audience. She responded with her customary "prize-fighter's handshake."

### Likes To Travel

Justifying her unrestrained desire to travel, Mrs. Brown declared,

"We can't live to ourselves anymore—we cannot isolate ourselves from the rest of the world. We must mix and mingle with humanity."

She painted word pictures of the little nation of Greece, stating that "it is a land of exquisite color, where the sea is beautiful sapphire blue and where the water is dotted with vari-colored isles that form a walk for the Gods to travel from Greece to Asia Minor."

She discussed the changes that have been wrought in Greece the past few years and pointed out the disadvantages of the recent increase in population caused by the Turkish oppression at the hand of Mustapha Kemal, Turkish dictator. "Greece, formerly with a population of about 200,000, now has more than 1,500,000 people," she asserted.

### Kemal Is Crueliest Man

Mrs. Brown pictured Mustapha Kemal "as the cruelest man that I know" and asserted that "as much

see of them the more I pity them." She said the greatest thrill of her recent trip was "seeing the wall of Troy." She insisted that sights such as the ancient battlefield of Marathon were too picturesque for words. On were too picturesque for words.

Declaring, "I am not an intellectual snob or a prig," Mrs. Brown revealed many of the amusing incidents which occurred during her voyage on a "tramp steamer." She frequently referred to the amusing remarks overheard among the passengers, many of whom, she suggested, had had little schooling or else they had not learned to use their heads.

### Greeks Love Education

She said, "The Greeks love education and they will go without almost anything in order to become educated. They have modern schools for refugee boys and girls. Most of the students want to study English." She added, "The Greeks are the most brilliant people in the world today."

Mrs. Brown came to Glenville from Parkersburg. She remained over night and Friday went to Hunt-

ture similar to the one given here. She was accompanied by Mrs. Nell Warren, of Indianapolis, who was making her first trip into West Virginia.

Don't forget to vote in the student body election.

"Club Attendance" is the subject of a talk to be given by Dean H. Laban White at a district Rotary convention at Wheeling, May 4-5. Mr. White was invited to speak by Mr. Lon Kelly, of Charleston, district governor of Rotary International.

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# INTRAMURAL BALL TO HEAD SPRING ATHLETIC EVENTS

Fulks, Edwards, Martino and Riddle Are Appointed Captains

## FOUR TEAMS WILL PLAY

Games Will Be Featured at Rohrbough Field Four Days a Week

Four captains were elected and teams were organized for the first college intramural baseball league. A meeting in the gymnasium Wednesday afternoon. The four captains elected are Paul Fulks, Weston; Andrew Edwards, Wheeling; Frank Martino, Clarksburg; and Theodore Riddle, Tanner. The meeting was called and presided over by Coach A. F. Rohrbough.

Plans for an eight-team league were dropped when it was seen that not enough boys were interested in the diamond sport to put that number of teams in the field. Each team will have fifteen men. Games will be played four days a week and all games will begin at 3 p. m. Umpires will be the two captains whose teams are not playing.

Rohrbough Field, the scene of all the games, is being put in shape by those who will play in the league. Coach Rohrbough plans to have the diamond reconditioned and the backstop reinforced before play begins this week.

The College is furnishing balls, bats, first baseman's mit and catcher's equipment. Boys who play will furnish their own shoes.

# IN THE SPORTLITE

By ISADORE NACHMAN



PLAY BALL! ECHOED throughout the nation Tuesday as the major league baseball season began. . . Early indications show the Boston Red Sox, of the American League, and the New York Giants, of the senior circuit, leading the way. . . Detroit and Chicago, last year's pennant winners have taken a few lusty thumpings in their early games. . . "Buck" Newsome pitched superbly to win over the New York Yankees and "Lefty" Gomez in the season opener at Washington. . . President Roosevelt tossed out the first ball at Washington and the Senators again won for the nation's "First Man." Never has the President seen Washington bow in defeat. . . "Lefty" Grove came through with a mid-season performance when he shut out the once mighty Yankees with two bingles, both by Gehrig, Friday.

FOLLOWING THE MAJOR league opening, the College intramural baseball league was formally organized. . . Paul Fulks, Frank Martino, Andrew Edwards, and Theodore Riddle will lead the four teams scheduled to begin play early this week. . . Rohrbough Field has been the mecca for future "Babe" Ruth's and "Dizzy" Deans during the past week-end. . . At least twenty-five future "greats" were out for a two-hour workout, in football weather, Saturday afternoon.

DID YOU KNOW that Dorsey (Shumie) Hines, one of the highest scoring basketball players to ever don the court equipment for the Pioneers, was married recently? The lucky girl is Frances Hamrick, of Webster Springs, somewhat of a basketball player herself. . . Work will begin this week on the tennis courts. . . Rohrbough Field is their new home. . . Karney Tinney, a former student, and at present manager of the Kanawha Dairy Farms, Charleston, has been made president of the Kanawha Valley baseball league.

### A. Leeber Announces Candidacy

Anthony P. Leeber, '33, coach at Trap Hill High School, Raleigh County, has announced his candidacy for the House of Delegates. Leeber is running on the Democratic ticket. It is his first venture into the political field. While enrolled here, Leeber was a member of the football squad for four years.

school desks served until the wonderful appropriation of 1815 for \$5000 for a house (how small and insignificant this amount sounds now in the heyday of the wealth of these modern years) was transformed from paper and promise into walls of brick and mortar and a local habitation for the school.

Since then "Pelion has been piled upon Osa," houses have been built and torn down, and rebuilt; books by thousands have been gathered in; a time keeper stands sentinel above, a muscle-hardener gets in some work below, and 'L Allegro spreads abroad and tots and shouts and yells till one might imagine seventeen Cyclops were being born.

### No Geggaws Then

But in those older days, some facts were learned. There were no geggaws to scare the crows then; we had to take them by the tail to keep them from pulling up the corn; and, if the tail-feathers did come out, that crow never pulled any more corn. He knew better evermore.

A Lincoln learned by a pine-knot. It is not in books nor buildings, nor teachers, nor "Castles in Spain," that learning is got, it is in one's own think-tank properly operated, with small but never ceasing constancy, that the knowledge, the wisdom, the power, the valuables and coveted superiority of men may be obtained.

Brilliant brunettes may know more today than beaming blonds did yesterday, but three times three are only nine today just as was then-nearly forty years ago.

T. Marcellus Marshall Stout's Mills, W. Va. May 20, 1909

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## Candidates for President of Student Council Offer Their Respective Platforms

### Craddock's Statement

I am a candidate for the office of president of the student body.

I feel that certain matters should require the approval of others as well as the approval of the student body. Because of this, I am not stating a definite platform, other than that I do promise to do my utmost in the interests of the students.

I will appreciate your influence and vote.

Signed: Bantz W. Craddock Jr.

### Barrett's Program

1. Glenville State Teachers College needs a yearbook.
2. More and better freshman rules.
3. Social activities should be given more consideration.
4. Every student should be on an equal basis.

If elected, I promise faithfully to support the constitution and act in the interests of the students.

—JOHN W. BARRETT.

### Biology Students Go on Field Trip

E. R. Grose and about fifty Biology 101 students went on their first field trip of this semester, Saturday morning at 6 o'clock. Mr. Grose pointed out several different kinds of birds, trees and shrubbery to his students. The group plans to take more field trips before the semester closes.

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### Try-Outs for Senior Play Are Held

Try-outs for the senior play, "Holiday," by Philip Barry, were held yesterday at 4 o'clock in Room 204. Final try-outs were held today from 3:30 to 5:30 p. m. The cast will be announced later.

### VOTE FOR

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## Story by the Late T. M. Marshall Gives Early History of Glenville Normal School

[This story was written by T. Marcellus Marshall and appeared in "The Independent Star," issue of June 7, 1909. We reprint it from a copy furnished by Dean H. Laban White. The story is reprinted exactly as it appeared in the original. The Editors.]

"Mo' rain, mo' res'," "What's that you're sayin' nigger?" "Mo' rain, mo' grass, Massa."

It rains today; I am trying to comply with your request of yesterday to write about First Things of the Glenville State Normal School.

In November or December 1872, while I was studying languages at Marshall College, Huntington, W. Va., after having taken its diplomas in the "Normal Training Course," and in the "Higher Normal Course," the two curricula then offered by the Board of Regents of Normal Schools of West Virginia, I received a telegram from R. F. Fleming. "Come to Charleston; business important." I went and found that I had been appointed First Assistant Principal of the State Normal School at Glenville, with orders to go there and open a School of the Prophets, alias a school for prospective pedagogues and pedagogues.

### I Sent To Wilderness

The Israelites of Egypt had at last to gather their own straw and make the usual tale of brick daily. Though too young to be appointed principal, for I had no beard on my face, yet I was sent to the wilderness where there was neither house nor ground nor money in which, on which, nor with which to locate or maintain a school.

A course of study was named by the Regents, but textbooks had to be chosen by the acting Principal, and all the other things, special and routine, had to be given form, feature and place. The institution act not only made no provision for any

of these fundamental things, but on the contrary had definitely and forcefully decreed that there never should be an appropriation made by the State of West Virginia, for ground or for buildings. It was because of this saving of all future expense in that line that the careful legislation of that jejune day in W. Va., history and existence permitted by their votes the privilege to us of having our teachers taught at State expense. But,

"Great oaks from little acorns grow. And men the future do not know; What man does can be undone; What man makes can be destroyed; What man decrees does not bind a free future."

### Father Gives \$5000

So after thirteen years of waiting and furnishing its own straw, the Normal School secured through the Hon. R. R. Marshall, my Father, an appropriation of \$5,000, for a house.

"Tell it not in Gath, publish it not in Ashkelon," the decrees of the Solons of the past decades had been reversed.

The Normal School Association of Gilmer county had subscribed \$300, for really, the "Old Courthouse," had been loaned for use during the scholastic year 1872-1873, the present site had been bought, the two-story frame house built upon it had had its partitions and stairway removed below and outside stairs built, giving an assembly-study-recitation hall below and recitation rooms above. In the "L" of this building, another room, ordinary as it was, had been fitted up for a recitation room.

### Legislature Appropriates \$500

One appropriation of \$500 for books and apparatus was made by the Legislature. With this money an economic selection of dictionaries, gazetteers, and physical apparatus was bought. These, the old house, and some good modern pupils'

**Sixty-One Seniors  
Are Candidates for  
The A. B. Degree**

(Continued from page 1)  
students may fail to graduate because of a deficiency in their honor points.

**The List of Candidates**

Students expected to receive the A. B. degree are: Oneta Arnold, Glenville; Clay M. Bailey, Cox's Mills; Alva M. Bennett, Doddrell; Christine Burns, Oak Hill; Roy D. Byrd, Weir; Thomas B. Cain, Big Bend; Naoma Catlette, Richwood; Bradford W. Davis, DeKalb; Omo Malinda Ellyson, Charleston; Mabel Fitzpatrick, Glenville; Matthew A. Gay, Roanoke; Hazel C. Gerwig, South Charleston; Coral May Guleutz, Philippi.  
Roy Robert Hale, Weston; Har-

old Hall, Philippi; Iva Holden Harrison, Weston; William Emmett Hull, Glenville; Mary Eileen Jarvis, Weston; James Gay Jones, Walton; William Paul Jones, Richwood; Drusilla Kidd, Glenville; Lestelle Lorentz, Glenville; Iva Carrie McCartney, Burns-ille; Norvie Myrl McClung, Webster Springs; Vada McCutcheon, Mt. Lookout; Muriel G. McGinnis, Glenville; Pearl Maxwell, DeKalb; Wanda McCutcheon, Clintonville; Jason Meadows, Montrose; Lloyd J. Metheny, Terra Alta; Alice Muir, Burnsville; Isadore Nachman, Glenville; Maude Rader Patterson, Parkersburg; Thomas John Pierce, Chester; Louise Rosalie Preysz, Elkins; George Washington Post, Simpson; Blenda Lena Proudfoot, Grantsville; Ruth Ramsey, Central Station.

**Harley Reger Among Group**  
Ruby Ramsey, Central Station;

Bruce Reed, Pinch; Harley Reger, Ireland; Helen Shaffer, Parsons; Leroy Sheets, Greenbank; John Harold Simmons, Weston; Esther Pauline Smith, West Union; Fred E. Smith, Clay; Gwendolyn Anne Smith, Glenville; Paul Edisan Strader, Crawford; Benjamin Tatterson, Reedy; Carlton Wagner, Belmont; Mayfield West, Glenville; Bonnie Eakle Westfall, South Charleston; Ruby Westfall, Letter Gap; Fannie Lonowen Williams, Rupert; Catharine Wilson, Cowen; Woodrow Wolfe, Glenville; Audra Lewis Woolfer, Glen-ille; Donald Young, Glenville; Henry Young, Clendenin; and Ruby Young, Clendenin.

We guess the people in the eastern floods must be wailing: "Water we going to do?"  
Don't forget to vote in the student body election.

**Contest Play Given in Chapel**

"Master Patelin, Solicitor," a French farce in one act, and the College's entry in the one-act play contest of the speech festival held at Shepherdstown, was given in chapel the past Wednesday. Dr. David Kirby, secretary of the State Board of Education, was a guest at the chapel exercises. He was introduced by President E. G. Rohrbough and spoke briefly following the presentation of the play.

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