

SUZANNE FISHER WILL SING

FOURTEEN HIGH SCHOOLS ENTERED SPEECH CONTEST

Sutton, Normantown, Pennsboro and Calhoun County New this Year

46 CONTESTANTS ENTERED

Competition Said to be Keener than in Former Years; Many Alumni Attend

Forty-six contestants and twenty-one coaches were here Saturday for the district high school literary contest.

Fourteen schools were represented, which is four more than were entered last year. Among the new schools to enter the contest were Sutton, Calhoun County, Pennsboro and Normantown.

Also represented in the delegation here were several College alumni who are now principals or teachers in the central West Virginia schools.

From Elizabeth came two alumni, Truett Waldo and Floyd Conant; from Normantown, Miss Hazel Fisher; from Sand Fork, Miss Oneta Arnold; from Roosevelt-Wilson, Louis Bauld, and from Glenville, Miss Helen McGee.

Contestants and judges agreed that competition in the four events was the keenest in years.

A list of high schools, coaches and contestants follow:

Speakers: Coach, Miss Emma Boggs; contestants, Sylvia Runnion, Eleanor Foster, Johnnie Gerrard, Beverly Brannon.

Unidis of West Milford: Coaches, Mrs. Laura Coffendaffer and Mr. E. L. Marvum; contestants, Sam Cox, Elizabeth Law, Ella Margaret Rapping and Ruth Strother.

Roosevelt-Wilson of Clarkburg: Coaches, Miss Evelyn L. Bonar and Mr. Louis Bauld; contestants, Marjorie Ebb, Richard Frye, Laurence Wolfe and James Stuart.

Wirt County: Coaches, Truett S. Waldo and Floyd Conant; contestants, Quentin Dantz, James Mills, Lester West and Dennis Prather.

Pennsboro: Coach, Mr. Avery Dotson; contestant, Hugh Ashby.

Sand Fork: Coach, Miss Oneta Arnold; contestants, Mary McIntyre and Laurene Radcliff.

Sutton: Coach, Mrs. Ella Swisher; contestants, Bonnie Hoover, Hugh Bosly, Brady Randolph, Jr. and William Davis.

Normantown: Coaches, Miss Hazel Fisher and Mr. James Bramlett; contestants, Ronald Stump and Gerald Broeze.

Glenville: Coaches, Miss Helen McGee and Earl R. Boggs; contestants, Madelyn Conrad, Paul Beal, Jane Wilson and Ruddle Reed.

Harrisville: Coaches, Miss Opal Vincent and Miss Julia Jett; contestants, Marcella Zeifus, Geo. Davis, Robert Cunningham and Russell Beil.

Calhoun County: Coach, Miss Alberta Woodford; contestants, Edna Mae Wolfe, Drexel Hall, Leland Strader and Carlton Weaver.

Parkersburg: Coach, Miss Wanda Mitchell; contestants, Ellen Cozzen, Betty Bohem, Betty Ann Reider and Anna Jennison.

Victory of Clarkburg: Coaches, Miss Mary Bond Showalter and Miss Lucy M. Bailey; contestants, Mary Kathryn Brown, Maxine Baxter, Flora Lemon and Bill Lockhart.

Salem: Coach, Mrs. Dorothy Bell Davis; contestant, Mary Finn.

EIGHT NEW EXHIBITS ARRIVE

Mineral Products From Tennessee and Idaho Among Receipts

Eight new exhibits have been added the past week to the hundreds that will be on display on All-Science Day, April 8 and 9.

Those received the past week include: A chart of electromagnetic radiation, by the W. M. Welch Scientific Company; oils used in making cosmetics, by the Stance Distributing Company; exhibit of chemicals, by the Hartman-Leddon Company; mineral exhibits from Tennessee and Idaho; sponge display, from DuPont Company; two kinds of limestone, by Indiana Limestone Institute, and an exhibit by the Polarized Product Corporation.

The University of Minnesota, one of the largest U. S. state universities, last year spent \$10,000,000. Students of the Teachers College of Connecticut are preparing to film a movie of life on the campus.

Virgil B. Harris



President of Central West Virginia Round Table

GLENVILLE PLANS BUSY WEEK-ENDS

Central West Virginia Round-table and All-Science Days to Draw Large Crowds

Glenville's busiest three week-ends in several years are now in progress. The past week-end students and coaches from fourteen West Virginia high schools were here for the nineteenth annual meeting of the district literary festival.

Coming next, April 1 and 2, is the annual meeting of the Central West Virginia Round Table, which is expected to attract more than 1000 teachers, school administrators and others. Principal activities in connection with the meeting will be held in the College auditorium.

Then after the Round Table visitors have finished their work, the College will get ready to entertain more than 1000 high school students and teachers who will be here on April 8 and 9 for the seventh annual All-Science Day, sponsored by the Chemistry Club assisted by other departments of the College.

This week the Democrat, county paper, will be a sixteen page special edition and next week, on April 1, the Mercury will publish an eight-page edition carrying regular College news and four pages of pictures and stories concerning the Round Table.

SAYS "TOO MUCH MACHINERY"

University Professor Decries Elementary Work in Colleges

PROVIDENCE, R. I. (ACP)—The American educational system has "too much machinery, too much teaching and too little learning."

This was the charge made recently by Prof. Kiropp Lake, of Harvard University. Continuing his denunciation he said:

"It simply infuriates me to see our universities having to give courses in elementary French or German, taught by young scholars who ought to be doing advanced work of their own. The languages should be taught our children in the lower school."

"We would get better results by enticing men to learn than by the whole army of 'baby teachers' in this country."

Mrs. John R. Wagner spent the week-end in Cincinnati visiting a brother who is ill.

We call your attention this week to a drastic change in the makeup of the editorial page. It is the last word in so called "streamlined makeup." If you don't like it let us hear from you.

It is our desire in making this change to live up to the editorial page... endeavor to make it more readable for our subscribers. You will notice also that it has been shifted from page two to page four — John W. Mowrey, Jr., managing editor.

FAMOUS OPERA SINGER PLANS SONG RECITAL

Will Appear in College Auditorium the Evening of May 13, at 8:15 O'Clock

IS A SUTTON-BORN GIRL

Arrangements for Concert Made by Artists' Course Committee; Announced Today

Susanne Fisher, the Sutton-born soprano, who sang her way into the Metropolitan Opera Company, and made her debut in New York City two years ago, is coming to Glenville for a song recital in the College auditorium, it was learned here this morning.

The tentative date for her concert is Friday, May 13, at 8:15 p. m. Arrangements for the concert were made by the College Artists' Course Committee and particularly through the efforts of Miss Bertha E. Olsen, instructor in music.

Miss Fisher, who in private life is Mrs. Clifford Mann, has been with the Metropolitan Opera Company for two years and only the past Saturday was heard here over the radio when she sang the role of "Micaela," in George Bizet's "Carmen," the opera of the "passionate story and hot-blooded music."

She is now traveling through the West and Middle West on a concert tour. She plans to drive here with her husband and probably will reach Glenville a few hours preceding the time for her recital. Her accompanist will come here from New York.

Her appearance in Glenville will be one of the few times she has sung in her home state.

Miss Fisher is a cousin of Mrs. Mary Freed, wife of Raymond E. Freed, professor of English and instructor in the social sciences.

TO DEBATE PRESSING TOPICS

Harvard University Will Use Similar Plan as Employed at Oxford

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., (ACP)—A new extracurricular organization to debate and vote on pressing topics of modern social and economic conditions has been formed at Harvard University.

Modeled after the Oxford University Union, the Harvard Congress will meet every three weeks to give opportunity for extemporaneous speaking, practice in the technique of legislative bodies and clarification of undergraduate social thinking through open discussion of issues.

College Zoology Students Cut Their Way To A Feline's Heart

By Mary Allen Boggs

Seventeen lives have been sacrificed in an effort to further scientific knowledge!

Gray heads, black heads, but alas, no blondes—gave themselves up to chloroform—the first step towards martyrdom.

They lay on their backs in a classroom, and with the faint reminder of "I know I'll faint or get sick," students snatched by to "pay their respects."

The waiting dissectors were 27 students in the Vertebrate Zoology class taught by Mr. E. R. Grose. The extremely large martyrs are a type of mammals known to the scientific minded person as Felis domesticus.

They were shipped here the past week from Ward's Supply House in Rochester, N. Y. Of the seventeen cats nine are males and eight are females. Fourteen are double injected; three of them are triple injected. The triple injected ones (those whose venal-portal system, arteries and veins are injected with different colored fluid), are to be used by the class in studying the venal-portal system and certain arteries that would be lost if dissected

TO MEET MORRIS-HARVEY COLLEGE

College Team May Go to Wesleyan and Davis and Elkins for Contests

Speakers for the negative on the College's debating team will meet the Morris Harvey College team Thursday night in the auditorium, announces Miss Kathleen Robertson, coach representing the College will be Helen Heater, Vorley Rexroad and Denzel Garrett.

Matches with West Virginia Wesleyan College and Davis and Elkins College are planned for next week with Frederick Bell, Vorley Rexroad and Denzel Garrett representing the College.

The contest here Thursday will be the seventh this season. A few weeks ago the College debaters met Salem, West Liberty and Waynesburg there, Waynesburg here, and Morris Harvey and Concord there.

COLLEGE ENTERS SPEECH FESTIVAL

Will Participate in Annual Contest to be Held in Fairmont

Glenville State Teachers College will enter the debate and one-act play contests at the West Virginia Inter-Collegiate Speech Festival on March 31 and April 1 and 2 under the auspices of Fairmont State Teachers College, announces Miss Kathleen Robertson.

Chosen to represent Glenville in the debate are: Vorley Rexroad, Denzel Garrett, Frederick Bell and Helen Heater. A judge from the Carnegie Institute of Technology will select the best speakers from among those participating in the Oregon plan of debate, and those chosen will in turn participate in another debate which is to be conducted on the Chicago plan.

The College will present the one-act play, "Hospital Fancy," on Saturday afternoon. Members of the cast will be Marjorie Craddock, John Bohensky, Newton Cooper and John Barnett.

Miss Robertson says the play probably will be given in assembly here on Wednesday, March 31 before the cast goes to Fairmont.

Hardman, Have Baby Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Linn J. Hardman, of Widen, recently announced the arrival of a baby daughter, born at Charleston General Hospital. The mother is the former Miss Bonnie Rollins. The father received the Standard Normal certificate here in 1931, and is now teaching in Clay County.

PARKERSBURG, VICTORY, SALEM AND UNIDIS HIGH SCHOOLS TAKE FIRST PLACE HONORS IN LITERARY CONTEST

Gilbert Reed



Treasurer of Central West Virginia Round Table

URGES REVISION OF INSTRUCTION

President of University of California Says we Must Adjust Ourselves to New Age

Berkeley, Calif., (ACP)—Democratic principles in the United States can only be saved by the immediate and drastic revision of the organization and instruction in American universities.

This is the prediction of Dr. Robert Gordon Sproul, president of the University of California, who maintains that "our educational institutions today are pioneering in a strange and unfamiliar world, and the old charts are no longer altogether reliable guides."

Continuing, Dr. Sproul said: "The present problem is of our continual adjustment of our institutions to the needs of a new age. But even the changes that may be made now to meet the needs of our constantly changing national life are no assurance that additional needs will not have to be met later."

"In every great transition period, the teachers of men have tried to face squarely the problem of what people needed to know and to do to live happily in the environment of their time and place."

A. F. Rohrbough is Speaker

A. F. Rohrbough, coach and director of athletics in the College, was the principal speaker at a banquet given Friday night at the Baptist Church in honor of the Glenville High School basketball squad. The Rev. J. C. Musser, pastor, presided as toastmaster. C. D. Wilfong, high school coach, spoke briefly and introduced each member on his squad, who in turn responded with a few remarks.

Mrs. Ivan H. Bush and her daughter, Marjorie, a student in the College, were week-end visitors in Philippi.

TONSORIAL ARTISTS GIVE FREE HAIRCUTS; IS LIKE MERCURY AD

(By Richard Dyer)

There are more ways than one to honor a winning basketball team, but this one is extraordinary. Agree?

Proprietors of a local barber shop who are ardent Pioneer fans extended an invitation the other day to Coach A. F. Rohrbough, Manager Paul Collins, Publicity Director Richard Dyer and the entire squad to come in and get haircuts—all on the house.

And the tonsorial artists have been busy ever since. The invitation brought almost as much new business as an ad in the Mercury.

William Lockhart of Victory Wins Debate for Second Consecutive Year

LUNCHEON AT KANAWHA

Miss Pearl Pickens is Chairman of District; Faculty Members are Judges

By L. M. and E. H.

Victory, Parkersburg, Salem and Unidis high schools will be represented at the literary contest at Morgantown on April 19, as a result of the district contest held here Saturday.

William Lockhart of Victory High School, won first place in the debate for the second consecutive year, and other winners of first places were: Betsy Zane Boehm, Parkersburg, oration; Mary Flynn, Salem, poetry interpretation; Ella Margaret Rapping, Unidis, extemporaneous speaking.

Winners of second and third places in these events were: Debate, Ellen Cozzen, Parkersburg, and George Davis, Harrisville, tied for second place; and Paul Beall, Glenville, third; oration, Russell Beall, Torrville, second; Richard Frye, Roosevelt-Wilson, third; poetry interpretation, Elizabeth Law, Unidis, second; Anna Katherine Jennison, Parkersburg, third; extemporaneous speaking, Hugh Bosly, Sutton, second; Laurence Wolfe, Roosevelt-Wilson, third.

Forty-six contestants from fourteen high schools participated in the contest, which was the fifth consecutive one to be held here, and the nineteenth in the district. The contestants here were greeted by Dr. E. G. Rohrbough in the College auditorium, and were guests of the College at a luncheon served at Kanawha Hall where Miss Kathleen Robertson, instructor in English and speech, introduced the coaches and their delegates and other guests, including Dr. E. G. Rohrbough, Miss Willa Brand, Dr. J. C. Shreve, Miss Ivy Myers, Hunter Whitting, Linn H. Hickman, Miss Bessie Boyd Bell, Miss Bertha E. Olsen and Raymond E. Freed.

Miss Pearl Pickens, principal of Troy High School, was chairman of the festival. Judges for debate and extemporaneous speaking were Dean H. Laban White, Raymond E. Freed and Miss Kathleen Robertson, and for oration and poetry interpretation, Miss Bessie Boyd Bell, Miss Willa Brand and Hunter Whitting.

Forty-four students, representing eleven districts, will compete in the finals at Morgantown. A four year scholarship to the University will be given the winner in each of the four events.

Judges will be Miss Marja Fear, James B. Lowther and Blaker Herrod, all of the University faculty.

John Bohensky's Niece Dies

Funeral services were held at 9 o'clock Saturday morning in Holy Trinity Church for Delores Ann Swenski, small daughter of Mrs. William Swenski, of Madison Street, Parkersburg, and a niece of John Bohensky, a senior in the College. The Rev. Father J. E. Duda was in charge of the services and burial was made in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Campus Weather

Tomorrow, cool; Thursday, cool; Friday, windy; Saturday, windy; Sunday, cool; Monday, pleasant; Tuesday, warm.

Tomorrow the sun rises at 6:01 and sets at 6:14.

	Max	Min	Max	Min
March 13	40	22	63	42
March 14	63	23	65	46
March 15	70	32	72	43
March 16	72	44	74	51
March 17	49	32	74	49
March 18	35	28	52	40
March 19	48	32	77	28
Rainfall: 3.07		Rainfall: 1.60		

GLENVILLE'S ALL-STARS WIN STATE MEET, THURSDAY

Martino, Cottle, Bennett and Wolfe Play in Tourney at Clarksburg

FINAL SCORE IS 48-46

Three Former Pioneers Play With Local Five; Dorsey Hines is Referee
46 CONTESTANTS, 21 COACHES

By Richard Dyer

The Glenville All-Stars, comprised of present day Pioneer aces and stars of yesteryears, trimmed a stubborn Tenney Gulf Oilier team by a 48-46 score Thursday evening to win the West Virginia state championship independent tournament at Clarksburg.

After rapping the Watring five, 36-35, in the tri-final round Wednesday evening, the All-Stars rose to great heights in their first game Thursday night by dusting off the highly-touted Morgantown Coca-Cola team, 33-36, in the semi-final round. The Clarksburg Coca-Cola team, another favorite to go to the finals, was set back by the Tenney aggregation, which had thumped the Wheeling entry the previous evening.

Strengthened by the acquisition of Stanley D'Orazio, former Glenville and West Virginia University ace, the All-Stars jumped into an early lead against the Oiliers and were ahead throughout, holding a 10-7 margin at the quarter, and a 25-17 advantage at intermission. Continuing to dominate the game in the second period, Glenville, through the spectacular shooting of Marra, D'Orazio and Martino, held a 39-33 margin at the third quarter. In the final stanza, the Oiliers, paced by Gray, spurred, and came within a single point of knotting the count on two occasions, but the All-Stars soon checked this rally, and were on the long end of the count at the final whistle.

David Gray, burly Oilier forward, grabbed a lion's share of the scoring honors, sinking 12 buckets for a total of 24 points. Marra led the All-Star scorers with 11 points, followed closely by D'Orazio with 9 and Martino with 8. Bennett, Combs and Wolfe turned in good floor games for Glenville, while Labay and Lawman were the bulwarks for the losers.

At the conclusion of the final game, Fred Riley, Morgantown official, presented the winning team and the runners-up with individual trophies. Riley also announced the all-tournament team, composed of Gray of the Oiliers and Haggerty of the Clarksburg Coca-Cola at forward, Hodges of the Elkins team at center, and Martino of the All-Stars and Labay of the Oiliers at guard. Albie Colebank of Morgantown was awarded the trophy for the most valuable man to his team.

The Lineups

Glenville (48)	G F T
Wolfe f	2 0 4
Cottle f	3 1 7
Marra f	5 1 11
Pyles c	1 0 2
Bennett g	0 0 0
Combs g	2 3 7
D'Orazio g	3 3 9
Martino g	3 2 8
Totals	19 10 48
Tenney (46)	G F T
Gray f	12 0 24
Coleman f	0 4 4
Lawman c	2 1 5
Shaw c	0 2 2
Cutney g	10 5 5
Labay g	2 2 6
Totals	16 14 46
Referees, Dorsey Hines and Harold Smith.	

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By Richard Dyer

Grist from the Sports Mill

All-Stars Seeking Foes
Rex Pyles is Wrought Up
Boston Bees Want Andy Edwards

Seeking new foes to conquer, the Glenville All-Stars, such as Martino, Cottle, Bennett, Wolfe and Marra, in the fold, are negotiating with officials of the various independent cage tournaments that will be played in the near future. Already winner of the independent meet at Clarksburg, this troupe is finding it very difficult to get bids to other similar classics.

In our estimation, the most interesting development of the recent Clarksburg tourney was the way in which the local, all Rohrbaugh-coached material, shelled the Morgantown entry, composed of West Virginia University talent. The Morgantown team was the pre-tournament favorite, but oddly enough, Glenville trounced it more handsomely than any of the other outfits it met.

Dorsey ("Shumie") Hines, ex-Pioneer cage ace, assisted by Harold Smith, turned in a masterful job of officiating this meet, despite the fact that he was more or less on the "spot." Since graduating from Glenville, Hines has established himself as one of the valley's A-1 officials. Incidentally, Pyles and Combs of the All-Stars, were his teammates at Glenville.

REX PYLES, AIDERSON-BROADBENT MENTOR, INFORMS THIS DEPARTMENT that he is sorry and deeply hurt for the statement that Herb Welch, Telegram sports scribe, carried in his publication, stating that Coach Rohrbaugh paid him \$25 to cancel the second Glenville-A-B game. Continuing, Pyles said, "Why would he be afraid to play me? Glenville beat A-B by an 8-point margin on the Phillips court and we should have a better chance to win at home than away."

Excerpts from Parkersburg News: The Glenville Pioneer basketball team, mentored by A. E. ("Nate") Rohrbaugh, which has not been stopped in its last 39 games, is the first college team in the Tri-State section to finish a season undefeated since Pitt turned the trick in 1928. . . . Two Charleston scribes on the same paper differ as to who would win if Glenville and Marshall were to meet

. . . One picks Glenville and the other Marshall. . . . The latter says that Glenville does not have one like Rivlin. . . . But in Central West Virginia Pioneer supporters would tell you that we do not have one like Rivlin; we have five of them.

Andrew ("Andy") Edwards, tripe-threat Pioneer halfback, who will be graduated this Spring, is considering several baseball bids that he has received recently. . . . We are told by an extra source that the n.t.c. source that Edwards is being sought by the Boston Bees of the National League. . . . Andy told this scribe recently that he hoped that the College would sponsor a team this Spring, stating that several promising prospects are available in which to mould a first class aggregation.

Vignette of Sport: Coach Rohrbaugh is planning to take his basketball charges on a tour through North Carolina next year. . . . It is rumored about that Rohrbaugh is being considered as a likely successor to Sleepy Glenn as coach of the West Virginia Mountaineers next year. . . . However, Rohrbaugh denies all this, stating that he had a similar offer several years ago but declined. . . . J. Wilbur ("Wib") Beall, legal merchant, was an interested spectator at the Clarksburg Independent cage tourney last week. . . . Eight high schools will tee off Friday at Buckhannon for state scholastic basketball supremacy. . . . Wheeling, Washington Irving and Elkins appear to be the strongest, with the former the slight favorite. —Don't say you weren't informed.

NOTE: Since the above was written, Elkins, the first state high school champion and always a strong contender in each of the past seven years, was eliminated Saturday night by Grafton High, coached by Randall McKinney, former Glenville and D-E star. By virtue of the startling upset of Elkins, the Grafton high team overnight becomes a ranking favorite and occupies the state spotlight of sports for the first time since the golden days in athletics when Glenville's H. Y. Clark was principal of Grafton high school.

Girl's Basketball

The Pioneers defeated the Hicks, 15 to 5, and the Green Horns trounced the Yellow Jacketers, 19 to 17, in the fifth practice period of the Girls' Round Robin basketball tournament the past Thursday evening in the College gymnasium.

Thursday evening, the following teams will play: Hicks vs. Yellow Jacketers and Pioneerettes vs. Green Horns.

The Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Hicks	4	1	800
Pioneerettes	4	1	800
Green Horns	2	3	600
Yellow Jacketers	0	5	000

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University History Professor Is Guest of College Following Club Lecture

INTRODUCED BY MISS BELL

Story of Francis H. Pierpont Read; Speaker Also Visits With Instructors Here

By Ernestine Harrison
Francis H. Pierpont" was the subject of a talk given by Dr. Charles H. Ambler, head of the History department at West Virginia University, in an assembly address here the past Wednesday. This was the second talk given by Dr. Ambler in Glenville, and it was through the efforts of Miss Bessie Boyd Bell, instructor in history, that he was brought here.

In his address Dr. Ambler gave a biographical sketch of Pierpont, who was governor of Virginia, lawyer, teacher, abolitionist and industrialist. Pierpont was born in Monongalia County, lived near Tygart Valley and West Fork River, and later in Middletown, now called Fairmont. He was graduated in 1839 from Allegheny College in Meadville, Pa., and taught school in Harrison county. He was admitted to the bar in Marion County and became owner of a tannery and part owner of a brick yard and coal mine there.

Pierpont was married December 26, 1854, to a Miss Julia Augusta Robertson, who is said to have influenced, more than any other woman, the separation of West Virginia from Virginia. Pierpont's part in the bitterness of the northwestern part of Virginia against Virginia marked his as its leader of anti-slavery power.

When Virginia attempted to secede from the Union in 1861, Pierpont was elected governor of Virginia at Wheeling. He was aroused, in behalf of the Union, to the battle call and organized with President Lincoln, about 20,000 soldiers. Pierpont transferred the capitol from Wheeling to Richmond, and in 1868 was removed from office. He returned to Fairmont and carried on as a radical Republican. He died March 24, 1881, and was buried in

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Woodlawn Cemetery in Fairmont. "Pierpont," said Dr. Ambler, "will live because of his fight against slave power, and his work in the formation of West Virginia which was the only permanent territorial change in the United States as a result of the war of secession."

Will Honor Pioneers Tonight

Coach A. F. ("Nate") Rohrbaugh and his 1938 championship basketball squad will be guests at a banquet to be given at 6 o'clock, this evening at the Baptist Church.

MISS CRISLIP, MR. CONLEY MARRIED

Miss Frankie Crislip and Harry S. Conley were married the past Thursday in the parsonage of the First Methodist Episcopal Church in Spencer.

Mrs. Conley is a daughter of Mrs. Catherine Crislip and the late Dr. A. L. Crislip. She attended Glenville State Teachers College and is now employed as a teacher in the Spencer graded school.

TOURNAMENT THIS WEEK.

Round Robin Series Opens Thursday in College Gymnasium

The Girls' Round Robin basketball tournament will begin this week in the College gymnasium. Four teams—the Hicks, Pioneerettes, Greenhorns and Jellow Jacketers, are entered.

The practice tournament, which began February 17, will end Thursday evening. The practice periods, held every Wednesday and Thursday, were sponsored by Mrs. Leni Boggs, Mrs. Margaret Christie Williams and Miss Alma Arbuckle.

The two teams having the highest percentage in the practice tournament will be seeded when the drawings are made.

College faculty and students are invited to attend the final practice period Thursday evening and the final games next week.

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Little Caesar ☐

4 Which is the college student's favorite transportation?
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Any Other ☐

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MISS GROSE TO BE PRINCESS AT FESTIVAL

Miss Dora Bell Grose, daughter of Prof. E. R. Grose, of the College biology department, and Mrs. Grose, has been elected by the Buchanan Rotary Club to serve as a princess at this year's Strawberry Festival in Uphur County. Miss Grose is a senior in the Uphur County high school at Tennerton and is an only daughter. Her picture will appear later in this paper.

MISS WRIGHT IS CURRENT EVENTS CLUB SPEAKER

"The United States is encircled by a spider web of espionage," said Agnes Wright, in discussing "Jap Spies in the United States," at a general meeting of the Current Events Club at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening. Other topics discussed were: "Will Canada Quit the Empire?" Ruth Annabel Hull; "The Coming International Crisis," Dorothy McClung, and "Germany Captures Austria," Mildred Ruth Pittpatrick.

Students to Tell Stories by Poe. Stories written by Edgar Allan Poe are to be told by Ruth Annabel Hull, Ernestine Harrison and Elbert Backus at a meeting of the Canterbury Club tomorrow night in Room 1 in the Robert F. Kidd Library.

STUDENTS ENJOY TWO WEEK-END DANCES

Social events over the week-end included a square dance and a round dance.

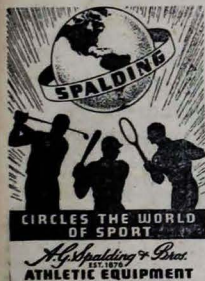
Friday night nearly sixty persons attended a square dance in the College gymnasium from 8 to 11 o'clock. Miss Bertha E. Olsen was chaperone, and on Saturday night the nickelodeon furnished music for approximately thirty couples at a round dance.

Many attempts to kill two birds with one stone result in losing both birds and the stone.

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R. E. FREED SPEAKS TO "Y. M." CHAPTER

The College Chapter of the Young Men's Christian Association adopted its first constitution at a meeting in the auditorium the past Wednesday.

The speaker of the evening, Raymond E. Freed, instructor in English and the social sciences, read an article, "Death and I," by Mary Owen. The article portrayed the reality and horrors of the World War.

Other features of the program were: Devotionals led by Dexter Dutton and club songs by a quartet composed of Denzel Garrett, Creaver Dimmick, Robert Butcher and Shirley Brown.

Personals

Kathryn Elliott, S. N. '33, of Keystone, is visiting relatives in Glenville.

Axelle Witte visited her parents at Minnora the past week-end. Garnet Reed was shopping in Clarksburg, Saturday.

Martha Jean Gawthrop was in Gassaway the past week-end.

Wynema Smith visited her parents in Elizabeth over the week-end. Pauline Walker was a week-end visitor in Reedy.

Wendell Greenleaf and June Ball were visiting friends in Grantsville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wallis Miller and small son of Windfield, Putnam County, were week-end visitors here and at Tanner. Mr. Miller, A. B. '37, is coach and instructor in mathematics in the Windfield High School.

JUNIOR WOMEN NOMINATE MRS. HALL

Hunter Whiting, instructor in foreign languages, spoke on "The Ring of the Nibelungs," at a meeting of the Junior Woman's Club the past Tuesday night at the Methodist Episcopal Church. Three musical numbers were given by Mrs. A. F. Rohrbough, cello, Miss Eleanor C. White, violin, and Miss Bertha E. Olsen, piano.

After the program a business meeting was directed by Miss Lettelle Lorentz, president.

A report of the nominating committee revealed nomination of officers for the coming year, but they will not be elected until the next meeting. They are: President, Mrs. Herbert V. Watkins; corresponding secretary, Miss Tommie Larkey; recording secretary, Miss Lillian Smith; treasurer, Miss Helen McGee; auditor, Mrs. Deward Taggart; parliamentarian, Mrs. Earl R. Borge. Miss Alice Marie Bonnett, Mrs. Philip Stewart and Miss Marie Ellyson were elected to membership in the club.

Club members also discussed plans for a style show and play to be given in a state dramatic contest at Elkins.

Because of illness, Robert Davies, a junior, was unable to attend class Friday.

A. F. Rohrbough attended the independent basketball tournament at Clarksburg the past Friday night.

Birthday Greetings

The Mercury extends greetings to: Philip Brake, March 16; Ruth Beard, March 17; Rupert G. Bennett, March 17; Dewey Berry, March 17; William Henry Given, March 17; Boyd Lamb, March 18; Earl Wolfe, March 18; Cora Satterfield, March 19; Harold Boston, March 20; Adeline Thorp, March 21, and Mrs. H. L. White, March 21.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

Officers for the coming year were installed the past Thursday night at a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church at the home of Mrs. Esty Berkhous.

The new officers are: President, Mrs. Esty Berkhous; vice-president, Mrs. Russell McQuain; secretary, Mrs. C. L. Underwood; treasurer, Mrs. J. Earle Arbuckle.

Social Calendar

Today: Social Committee meeting at 6:15 p. m.

Tomorrow: Assembly, 10 a. m.; Student body meeting: Canterbury Club 7 o'clock, Room 1 in the library.

Thursday: Rotary Club with Mr. Lionel Fell as speaker; girls' basketball games, 8 o'clock, gymnasium.

Students shopping in Weston Saturday were: Marnel Brown, Mabel Ellyson, Pauline Betamore, Elfreda Wiseman and Ethel Brown.

Miss Verlie Hickman, S. N. '31, Camden-on-Gauley, spent the week-end with Ethel Brown, senior in the College.

WILL HELP STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT

The Young Women's Christian Association voted to send \$10 to the Student Christian Movement at a meeting in the College auditorium the past Thursday night. The money is to be used in helping to keep the colleges and universities open during the present crisis in China.

Bible questions were discussed by members and their adviser, Miss Alma J. Arbuckle.

JUNIOR WOMEN MAY GIVE MUSICAL COMEDY

The Home-making group of the Junior Woman's Club met at the home of Miss Lettelle Lorentz the past Thursday night.

Plans were made for the presentation of a musical comedy to be given soon. Miss Lorentz, assisted by Mrs. William Lorentz, Jr., and Miss Jeanne Gainer served refreshments to the following guests: Elizabeth Lewis, Helen Wright, Mrs. Charles Gerwig, Mrs. Newsum McFerrin, Mrs. John Gilbert Cain, Mrs. Harold Burke, Mildred Reynolds, Mildred Thompson, Tommy Larkey, Mrs. I. N. Petty, Mabel Wolfe, Mrs. Jesse Bell, Jr., and the hostesses, Miss Lorentz, Miss Gainer and Mrs. Lorentz.

Ivan H. Bush III Born March 16

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan H. Bush, of Philippi, announce the birth of a son, Ivan III, born on March 16. The mother, before her marriage, was Miss Bonnie Sheppard, S. N. '34, of Reedy. Mr. Bush, A. B. '34, is an instructor in Alderson-Broadus College.

MRS. J. E. ARBUCKLE ENTERTAINS GUESTS

Guests at a six-table bridge party Friday night in Glenville enjoyed a Florida atmosphere even to the most minute details.

Special favors and high, low, and intermediate prizes came from Florida, and much of the conversation centered around the peninsula state so well known for its balmy breezes palm trees, salt water and seashore scenery. Among the party were several College instructors and faculty wives.

The party was given by Mrs. John E. Arbuckle, who, together with her husband, returned recently from a three-weeks vacation in Florida.

Mrs. J. Earle Arbuckle won first prize, and Mrs. Nora V. Roberts second, while the consolation prize went to Mrs. R. E. Freed. Galloping prizes went to Mrs. Nora V. Roberts, Miss Marybelle Summers and Miss Laura Fries.

A salad course was served at 11 o'clock to Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough, Mrs. E. W. Craddock, Mrs. R. E. Freed, Mrs. Nora V. Roberts, Mrs. J. C. Shreve, Mrs. Linn B. Hickman, Mrs. H. F. Withers, Mrs. John G. Cain, Mrs. C. L. Underwood, Miss Annie Duff, Mrs. Harry Whiting, Mrs. E. G. Rollyson, Mrs. Ruddell Reed, Miss Grace Lorentz, Miss Anti Lorentz, of Weston, Mrs. C. T. Whiting, Mrs. J. Wilbur Beall, Miss Bessie Boyd Bell, Mrs. Robert Blair, Miss Marybelle Summers, Miss Adela Harpold, Miss Kathleen Robertson, Miss Alma Arbuckle, Miss Laura Fries, Mrs. J. Earle Arbuckle.

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GOVERNMENT WATCHES YOUTH

Within the past five years the youth of America have received consideration by society to a degree hitherto unequaled in our history. Stimulated more or less by the economic depression during the early thirties, and its accompanying handicaps to the steady advancement of young people in various vocational fields, the thinking people of this country have succeeded admirably in awakening society to the realization that our Federal Government must of necessity assume more responsibility in aiding worthy young people.

Concerning this comparatively sudden change of attitude toward youth and its problems, Marvin Cox, Associated Collegiate Press correspondent who, prior to 1933, was closely associated with legislative affairs in the nation's capital, makes the striking statement that before the depression years "any such proposals to help young people would have been denounced as anything from Communism to Socialism and would never have reached a vote in Congress. . . . In the past five years, however, Federal assistance to young people is rather generally accepted as a necessary function of government." "Their problems," Mr. Cox further points out, "are being studied by experts. The effects of going without jobs has become the object of investigations; the problem of economic inability to marry has been, and is being considered."

Such assistance to college and high school youth has been administered through the National Youth Administration which has steadily gained in popularity despite scattered opposition. It seems heartening indeed to the worthy but financially handicapped youth of America that society has recognized a certain responsibility to those who will tomorrow guide the destiny of our country. In return might not society doubly profit from increased services given it by a more highly intelligent populace?—Jarrett Jones.

CAN WE HELP, MR. PRITCHARD?

To our way of thinking, West Virginia is going to sell itself to the world this summer, and the selling is going to be done in such a clever way that those who buy will not soon forget that they have made a purchase.

This summer the National Editorial Association, comprising some three to five hundred editors from all sections of the United States, will come to West Virginia for an annual meeting—the first of its kind ever to be held in this state. The editors, and there will be many of them who are anxious to see West Virginia, will be conducted on a tour planned to cover more than three-fourths of the fifty-five counties. They will start at White Sulphur Springs, travel northward to Ohio County, then sweep down through the central part to Jackson's Mill, then east to the panhandle, back to the National Forest area near Elkins, and then down the valley to White Sulphur again.

Naturally they will see West Virginia at its best, for West Virginians are determined to put on a show—not just an overture. And when they see West Virginia they will remember it. But in case they should be inclined to forget, they will be printed literature, rotogravure sheets and plenty of historical data to take with them. Then, too, some of these pictures and many of these stories will be printed in the papers "back home."

Will that advertise West Virginia? Well, we can't see any better way to do it.

Of course this is a hasty and extremely amateur insight into the program that is actually planned. There is a man only twenty-eight miles from here who really knows the story. He has been telling it and we believe he is going to prove it in June.

Just as a little puff for one who is never going to get the full credit that is coming to him, we mention the name of Mr. Robert Pritchard, editor of the Weston Democrat, and the West Virginia. If you don't think he means to advertise this man who is responsible for the N. E. A. scheduled visit to state, then talk to him a few minutes.

Mr. Pritchard, the Mercury would like to help you hang out the latch string.—L. B. H.

And Some Poetry

Miss Olive Myers, freshman, recently received recognition through "Cargo," a Methodist Episcopal publication, for her poem, "To a Cobweb." Miss Myers is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. Myers, Richmond, Va., and a niece of Miss Ivy Lee Myers, director of elementary teacher training in the College. The poem follows:

You are one with fairies in the spring
On meadow grass,
But when the winter comes you
move inside.
Where are the fairies that you used
to clothe?
Now winter imps and Jack Frost's
are they all hid away to wait the
spring?
Frost, summer, silvery cobweb
threads—
Are you not lonely here?
Do you not dream of warmer days
with fairies, trees and flowers?
Cobwebs:
Are all the fairies dead?

Raymond Buzzard was in Gassaway
the past week-end.
Aven Cleaver was visiting in
Glennville, Saturday.

Campus Frantic Antics

Spring brings an increase of the sick list. Lardy and Speedy take turns carrying each other's meals. Davies and Weaver spend most of the week in bed. Andy shuts himself in for a brief recuperation then walks with Mildred. From the pest house to the square dance, we find Frankie and Butch are the best callers. Fred is subject of conversation at Verona Mepel. He finally winds up with Laura Mae. FLASH! Carl and Peggy get affectionate. Adeline peeps from behind the columns. Shown comes out of hiding. Dexter asks [with] to bark the moon. Miss Olsen enjoys herself at the stompfest. Bill and Sibyl are seen here and there. Cliff displays battle flag. NO-TRICE! Decided and Yodley goes into the crystal to predict post-graduate days. They both talk of going somewhere to get a new start. Lucille and Loise go to town for hamburgers at 12:30 Saturday. From Ballyhoo comes this piece of reasoning. "A wise man is a thinker. A thinker speculates about various things. A gambler is a gambler, and to gamble is foolish. Therefore it is folly to be wise." OVER-HEARD! "Why should I write to him; for two cents more I can have an ice cream cone." Bill and Jean finally reconcile. Night birds in the new hall sit up to listen to horror stories. Nate and Jean dance cheek to cheek. Jim and Dink make the night rounds. Zela gets independent. ATTENTION! J. Arthur helps Helen up steep hills. In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love and baseball. See you at the Victory Ball Friday night.—Innocent Abroad.

Campus Questionnaire

1. How many cardinals of the Roman Catholic Church are there in the United States? 2. What does "You Have Seen Their Faces" mean? 3. What is handwriting or penmanship, in general, known as? 4. What is the name of the peninsula containing Spain and Portugal? 5. How many signers of the Declaration of Independence were there? (Answers will be found on Page 3)

Tulsa Hinkle's Grandmother Dies

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning for Mrs. Frances Taylor, of Walton, Roane county. The Rev. S. E. Mundy was in charge and burial was made in the Phillips cemetery. Mrs. Taylor, who was 66 years old, is the grandmother of Tulsa Hinkle, a junior in the College.

Mr. Wagner to Speak at Grantsville

John R. Wagner, instructor in physics and mathematics, has accepted an invitation to give a demonstration lecture at the Calhoun County High School in Grantsville on Thursday, April 21. The demonstration will be similar to the one he gave recently at Troy High School.

300 Apply for Nieman Scholarships

More than 300 newspaper men throughout the United States have applied for scholarships provided for under the will of the late Mrs. Lucius M. Nieman, wife of the founder of the Milwaukee Journal. Although more than \$1,000,000 will be used to create scholarships in journalism, fewer than a dozen applicants will be selected this year.

Laban White, Jr., A. B. '37, instructor in Gassaway High School, was a guest here over the week-end.

College Humor



The average college coed's conception of most any phase of outdoor life. Climb up the rod and stab it!

WHO?



Dyer or Garrett

Merry Maidens' Movie Moments — Harrison - Mason

What you'll see at the theatre: Tonight and tomorrow night, "High, Wide and Handsome," with Irene Dunne, Randolph Scott, Dorothy Lamour and Ben Blue, and "Melody on the Plains," with Fred Scott. The first is about a carnival songstress and a Pennsylvania farmer during the earliest oil boom in America. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, "Back in Circulation," with John Blondell and George O'Brien; Sunday and Monday, "Second Honeymoon," with Loretta Young, Tyrone Power, Claire Trevor and Stuart Erwin. It's about two people who fall in love, part in Reno, meet under a Miami moon and fall in love all over again. SO THEY SAY: Carole Lombard reads the comic page of a newspaper first. . . . Joan Crawford likes to eat everything with a spoon. . . . No Napkin-Tucker-Inner of Hollywood is Wally Beery. He prefers it in his collar instead of in his lap. . . . Sonja Henie's stand-in is a man because no girl in Hollywood is capable of doing her skating tricks. . . . George Raft's shoes cost \$45 a pair. . . . Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy now make \$7,000 a week—a year ago they made \$260. . . . The first thing Fred Astaire likes to do when he gets home from anywhere is to take off his shoes.

SUPERLATIVES OF 1937-1938: Joan Crawford and Clark Gable, most imitated; Betty Grable, best figure; Greta Garbo, biggest salary; Dorothy Lamour, longest hair; Robert Taylor, most fan mail; Shirley Temple, best box-office; Adolphe Menjou and Kay Francis, best dressed; Mary Maguire, smallest shoes; Anita Louise, most beautiful; Francis Dee, most publicity shy.

CAMPUS ROMEOES AND JULIETS AT THE THEATRE: Ione and Noel, Wilma and Newton, and Mildred Ruth and Albert.

The Collegiate World

In order to keep students from eating too fast, the dietician at St. John's College, Maryland, has installed a radio phonograph in the dining hall to slow eating to waltz time. There is a professor at the University of Iowa, understanding the undergraduate mind, declares that he will sleep through class and then proceeds to do so.

Oxford university is said to have been founded by King Alfred in 872. A grandson of Sun Yat-Sen, "father of the Chinese Republic," has enrolled at the University of California. He had been studying political science at Shanghai until Japanese bombs destroyed the institution. A new gambling game at the University of Indiana makes use of the card catalog. One student pulls a card and if the book is not out he collects.

Dr. Joseph M. Gwinn of San Jose State College believes the government should subsidize college marriages. The University of Colorado next fall will offer a two-year course for the 53 per cent who spend only that amount in school. Commonwealth College has no paid faculty. John D. Rockefeller, who gave the University of Chicago more than 34 million dollars, visited that institution only two times in his life. Temple University undergraduates defeated their faculty elders in a spelling bee. Final score: Student errors, 22; faculty errors 29. Basketball has taken to striking as a means of attaining its ends. City College of New York joined with the strikers in boycotting N. Y. U. City College came out on the short end, however. At the University of California at Los Angeles 7,846 students drive to school daily in 4,654 cars. A larger proportion of the Oglethorpe faculty is in "Who's Who" than any other college in America.

Some Quotable Quotations

"It is probably the prevailing conservatism of our colleges and universities which is in part responsible for their reputation for radicalism. Far from being red, or even liberal, they are, on the whole, strongholds of conservatism and important agencies in maintaining the status quo." University of Michigan's President, Alexander Ruthven believes this conservatism should "give grave concern to every person interested in human welfare."

"Good English is that which will pass current in any part of the English speaking world, will please cultivated listeners and will not disclose too much native or geographical origin." This is the opinion of Northwestern University's Ralph Dennis in a speech standardizer.

From the College Exchanges

By John W. Mowrey, Jr.

This Wise Man Sez. "Tight clothing," offers Dr. Ling Poo, "does not stop circulation. The tighter her clothing," he says, "the more a girl circulates."—Colgate.

About Puns

This business of thinking up jokes Has got us a little bit daunted. The ones you want we can't print, And the ones we print aren't wanted. —McGill Daily.

Daffy Definitions

Homework: That which silly people think college students do. Club pin: That which makes an ugly male look handsome.—Silver and Gold.

A Lecturer Says

"Potts was a great man. At his death three towns were named after him: Pottsville, Pottstown, and Chambersburg.—Pell Mell.

Desperation

"I hear your friend has a job." "Yes, ain't it a shame what some folks will do for money."—Banter.

Is This Funny?

"Are you a college man?" "No, a horse stepped on my hat.—Kangaroo.

A Letter to the Editors

To the Editors of the Mercury:

I am in receipt of a letter from Max Fullerton, chief of the Associated Press Bureau of Charleston, and Mr. Fullerton is anxious to get picture of the various May Queens of the various colleges for all the AP papers.

He feels sure that Glennville College would rise well among the rest. And since other papers have made similar requests, I am inclined to agree that such selections should be made.

Editors here is a chance for you to use your paper to promote a real worthwhile campaign. Why don't some of the organizations of the campus promote such a move?

I think the G. Club is to be commended for taking a similar forward step, and I feel sure that this organization would cooperate wholeheartedly with the movement. It should not, and I don't think that it will conflict with the plans of the G. Club.

May I suggest that we choose a May Queen, and invite the chosen "most beautiful girl" from about fifteen or twenty of the surrounding high schools as princesses, and have an appropriate May Day celebration on the campus in front of Verona Mepel Hall.

Here is an opportunity, editors, to help place GSTC on the map, and to promote an occasion that we will all enjoy.

Yours for a better Glennville College,
DENZEL R. GARRETT.

Campus Politics Come to the Front

By Vorley Rexroad

College students have again become active to the fact that another student body primary election and general election are in sight scheduled for Tuesday, March 29, and Tuesday, April 12, respectively.

Campus propaganda indicates there will be no excitement in the primary for the reason that only two offices will be contested for. There is considerable speculation as to where Richard Dyer and Clifford Garrett, candidates for the presidency of the student body, will get their support in the general election. Denzell Garrett pulled almost solid support from the commuting students and also went in heavy for the campus vote. This year it seems commuters will be a political factor in swinging a majority vote. Naturally all candidates are taking this factor into consideration.

We find that all candidates will be making every effort to obtain a solid vote from Verona Mepel Hall. A split in the athletic vote, the New Hall and Kanawha Hall will have to be considered by all candidates. Solid support for any candidate from Verona Mepel or the New Hall would almost mean election.

In the primary the hottest race will be in the fight for the vice-presidency nominations. With a field of four to divide the vote, we can do nothing but guess. Rogers is evidently sure of a good turnout in his home precinct, the New Hall. Ralph Mendenhall and Earle Bickle will have to divide the athletic vote, but we observe that each has strength in other sections of the student body.

Ernestine Harrison and J. Arthur Butcher, candidates for treasurer, are mixing among students in their own districts, Kanawha Hall and New Hall, respectively. It has been said that both Miss Harrison and Mr. Butcher will draw heavily upon the commuting vote.

The contest for nomination in the sergeant-at-arms race is wide open. The winners in this five-cornered race will have to demonstrate their ability as politicians. We are informed that Earl McDonald will receive a large Freshman vote. Harold Noroski, Sterling Cunningham and James McMillen will have to split the athletic vote, and rumor has it that they will seek a backing from the campus and town vote. Woodrow Shown will make a strong bid for the campus vote. He is not known well among the commuters.

We consider the race between Susan Summers and Marjorie Craddock for secretary a tossup. Your guess is as good as ours.