

ATHLETES TO CROWN MISS G CLUB III

Ceremony Will Be Held
In Connection With Letter-
men's Annual Dance, Friday
Night

Miss G Club III, queen of the Pioneers, known in real life as Arlene Workman, a sophomore in the College, will be crowned with pomp and ceremony at the lettermen's annual ball Friday night at approximately 10:45 o'clock in the gymnasium. Miss Workman will be attended by Miss Ruth Annabel Hull, a sophomore, and Miss Rose Agnes Gregory, a freshman.

Dr. E. G. Rohrbough, president of the College, will do the crowning, and will be assisted by Ralph Mendenhall, president of the G Club and Earle Bickel, vice-president, who will be the crown bearer.

The queen and her attendants will be escorted to the throne, which will be located on the northern end of the gymnasium, by the officials through a passageway down the center of the floor by the G Club's entire personnel. After the queen and her party have reached the throne, the lettermen will in turn take their places on either side.

Prior to the actual crowning President Mendenhall will render words of welcome to the visitors and introduce Dr. Rohrbough, who will give a brief address and then crown the queen. After the crowning the G Club members will file out in a double column, and the queen and her attendants will remain to reign for a special queen's dance.

Miss Workman will wear a white satin dress with a black skirt and jacket and silver slippers.

President Mendenhall announces that Miss Yvette Beal will be in charge of the decorations for the affair. Miss Beal has decided to use an aquatic setting, the entire gymnasium being a huge ship with the saildresses showing waves, water, and fish.

17 Rotary Clubs Invited to Open Forum, May 15

Seventeen Rotary Clubs in Central West Virginia have been invited to Glenville's first open forum, which will be jointly sponsored by the Rotary Club and the College. The event will be held Monday, May 15, at 8 p. m., in the College auditorium.

Guest speakers will be Dr. Carl M. Frasure, of the University, and Dr. O. D. Lambert, of Wesleyan College. In discussing international relations, Dr. Frasure will advocate the policy of international cooperation, while Dr. Lambert will present the opposing view of the traditional policy of isolation. Both political and economic phases of the national policy of the United States in international affairs will be stressed.

The Rev. J. C. Mauser will preside. The forum will take the place of the Club's luncheon meeting on Thursday.

May Nominate Supreme Court Members Tomorrow

Nominations from the floor for Supreme Court members will be the purpose of a special student meeting tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. If necessary, a primary election will be held Thursday and a general election next Tuesday.

The Supreme Court, which will become a functioning part of the student government next year, will be comprised of two students, two faculty members and Pres. E. G. Rohrbough.

The following students have been named by an election committee: Rhoda Ann Bell, Barbara Hauman, Woodrow Maxwell, and Woodrow Shown.

N.Y.A. REPORTS DUE MAY 15

N.Y.A. time reports for the eighth month will be due not later than noon on Monday, May 15. Reports may be left in Room 107 or instructors may give them to Wayne Williams, assistant N.Y.A. supervisor.

Miss G. Club III



Miss Arlene Workman, sophomore, of Gassaway, will be crowned Miss G Club III, Friday night. See Page 4 for pictures of her attendants.

Dormitory Girls Elect Barnett And Frymier

Marjorie Barnett of Wheeling and Virginia Frymier of Richwood will direct the activities of the House Governing Board next year in Verona Chapel and Kanawha Halls. Miss Barnett, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Barnett, and a junior in the College, and Miss Frymier, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Frymier and a junior in the College, were elected the past Tuesday evening at general house meetings.

Mary Betty Kidd, a freshman, of Burnsville, will be vice-president in Kanawha Hall, and Edna Crummett, a freshman, of Harrisville, will be secretary-treasurer.

In Verona Chapel Hall, Louise Gullett, a junior, of Philippi, and Eloise Pennington, a freshman, of Weston, will be vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively.

Other members of the Board, the class representatives, will be chosen next fall.

Miss White, Mr. Holt to Play at Spring Concert

Miss Eleanor C. White and Mr. Charles W. Holt will be assisting artists in the concert to be given by the College music department, May 25. Miss White, an alumna of the College and a graduate of West Virginia University, School of Music, will offer selections on the violin. Mr. Holt, Lewis County band instructor, who is now teaching in the College, will play a trumpet solo.

'TRY TO BROADEN YOURSELF WITH A LIBERAL ARTS EDUCATION IF YOU ARE GOING ON TO PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL,' ADVISES DR. LYNWOOD ZINN, A. B. '33

Son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Zinn, Complete Intern Work in July

By Max Ward
A number of students plan to do graduate work eventually, and perhaps have had occasion to wonder about the problems facing the professional student.

Lynwood Zinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Zinn, of Glenville, has a more definite view of this matter than when he received his A. B. degree here in 1933. Subsequent years he has spent in completing a course in medicine. The past few weeks he spent in and about Glenville, visiting his parents and friends. His was a vacation from intern duties in the Hartford, Conn., Hospital. But before intern work comes a little preparation.

To Complete Work in July
Zinn attended the W. V. U. Medical School two years, and then spent two years in Harvard Medical School. He was graduated from the latter in 1937, and began forthwith his hospital work. His work in Hartford will be completed in July. At this time he will become resident physician at the Baltimore Women's Hospital for another year's work, making a total of three years of hospital service prior to independent practice. An 11-year period stands between his high school and earning

ENROLLMENT FOR 1938-'39 WAS 705

Four States Represented:
Braxton Sends 68; Calhoun,
Nicholas and Roane 55 Each

Resident student enrollment for the school year 1938-39 was 705, according to figures compiled by Carey Woolfer, registrar.

There were four states represented, West Virginia with 700, Pennsylvania with three and Maryland and Ohio with one each.

As for the enrollment by counties Gilmer led with 167 students; Braxton followed with 68. Three counties, Calhoun, Nicholas and Roane, had 55 each. Lewis was next with 42.

Enrollments from the other remaining counties were as follows: Wirt 35, Kanawha 34, Clay 29, Ritchie 29, Webster, 23, Harrison 17, Doddridge 11, Jackson 10, Payette 8, Randolph 7, Wood 6, Upshur 5, Wetzel 5, Greenbrier 4, Logan 4, Pendleton 4, Pocahontas 4, Preston 4, Pleasants 3, Taylor 3, Tyler 3, Barbour 2, Boone 1, Hampshire 1, Mason 1, Mingo 1, Ohio 1, Raleigh 1, Tucker 1, and Wyoming 1.

WHITMAN JOINS STATE POLICE

Samuel J. Whitman, A.B. '37, of Camden-on-Cornwall, has resigned his teaching position in Cowen High School to become a member of the state police. Mr. Whitman is one of the new members who will serve a six-months' training period at the Company A headquarters at Fairmont before being assigned to regular posts.

A Mercury 2-Minute Biography

Ersel Martin, of Montrose, Will Get Degree And Be Graduated With the Class of '39

Elkins High School, class of '33, reads the high school record of Ersel Martin, senior, of Montrose. He entered the College the following fall, and his college education, when completed at the end of the summer term here, will have been done in three different schools. Five semesters and one summer term here will have been supplemented by two summers at Davis and Elkins College and one at Duke University (1938).

Three and one half-years of teaching experience have been interspersed between sessions of Martin's college work. He taught one year in Pocahontas County and two and one half years in Clay, where he will return this fall. He finished half a term of school in the latter county just prior to his enrolling in the College for this semester.

Martin was a member and secretary of the Y.M.C.A. when a student here in '33-'35. He also was a member of the social committee for one

Forum Speaker



Dr. Carl M. Frasure, above, is one of the two principal speakers scheduled to appear here Monday night, May 15, at Glenville's first open forum on international relations. He is assistant dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at West Virginia University and since 1935 has been acting head of the department of political science at that school. He holds B.A., M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Ohio State University, has attended the University of Chicago and Cambridge University, England and has written numerous articles in the field of international relations.

Members who participated in the program were Madeline Boston, Simon Hall, James Furr, Louise Stonestreet, Artie Engle, Cora Satterfield, Pauline Rogers, Virginia Summers, Monta Beal, Paul Beal, Dorothy McClung, Leon Casto, Mary Betty Kidd and Teresa Butcher.

He is fond of most sports, and participates in several. He is an ardent follower of baseball, football and basketball.

Martin's grades have been distinctly above average. He has been on the honor roll here for three semesters, as well as the summer terms at Davis and Elkins College and Duke University.

His Bachelor of Arts degree will be earned in elementary education. He lacks but little in completing certification requirements in secondary education, social studies and biology. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Homer D. Martin, of Montrose.

Paul B. Powell was at his home near Grantsville over the week-end. James Parks, Jr., was a week-end visitor in Spencer.

PIONEER FOOTBALL AND BASKETBALL CAPTAINS WILL BE NAMED AT ATHLETIC BANQUET THURSDAY EVENING

Commencement Calendar

Spring Concert, Thursday,
May 25, 8:15 p. m.
Senior Play, "Cook Robin,"
Saturday, May 27, 8:15 p. m.
Baccalaureate Sermon, Sunday,
May 28, 10:30 a. m.
Commencement, Monday,
May 29, 10:30 a. m.
Alumni Reception, Monday,
May 29, 9:00 p. m.

4-H Club Members Entertain With Campfire Program

Sixteen members of the College 4-H Club entertained Wednesday in assembly with a campfire program. Songs and music included "Boon! Boon! Ain't It Great to Be Crazy," "Do Your Ears Hang Low?" "This Little Light of Mine," "Hand Me Down My Bonnet," "Down by the Old Mill Stream," "In the Gloaming," "Rhododendron Song," "Little Sir Echo" and "Brightly Beams Our Father's Mercy."

Five members gave scout reports including meaning of the 4-H emblem, 4-H colors and motto, organization of clubs, project work, and recreation.

The 4-H ladder showed the various steps in the rise of a member in the club, each step represented with an emblem.

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29 ENROLLED FOR SIX WEEKS COURSES

Seven new students enrolled the past week for the spring term to bring the total to twenty-nine. In the group are Paul S. Black, of Parkersburg; Ralph Fisher, of Ravenswood; Ruth Holbert, of Ripley; Ila Henderson, of Parkersburg; Edwin Parsons, of Liverpool; Beulah Pickens, of Liverpool; Dwight L. Walker, of Reedy.

The Arkansas legislature has passed a law requiring all of the state's higher educational institutions to teach nature study and conservation.

A. F. Rohrbough, Dr. H. F. Withers and R. E. Freed Will Arrange for Program

The naming of football and basketball captains for next year's Pioneer athletic teams will be the chief feature of the annual all-sports banquet to be held Thursday evening in Kanawha Hall. The banquet will be sponsored by the Rotary Club of Glenville and each member of the club will have as his guest, his wife, as well as members of the football and basketball squads of the past year.

At last week's meeting the Club made tentative plans for the banquet and selected a committee consisting of Coach A. F. Rohrbough, chairman, Dr. H. F. Withers and R. E. Freed.

In previous years the announcing of football and basketball captains has been done at the annual G Club dance.

Coach Rohrbough announced that all plans for the dinner have not been completed at this time but indicated that a guest speaker would be named.

Faculty Members To Address High School Seniors

At least three high school graduating classes in West Virginia this month will hear addresses made by members of the College faculty.

Dean H. Lahan White will speak at Lenore High School, Mingo County, May 17, and again at Auburn High School, May 24. Mr. White has not decided what his subjects will be.

Mr. Raymond E. Freed will address the seniors at Rosedale High School, May 18. Woodrow Wolfe, A.B. '36, is the principal at Rosedale.

Dr. C. L. Underwood, of the chemistry and education departments, will address the graduating class at Tanner High School, Thursday night, May 18, at 8 p. m. Nine seniors will be graduated there.

Last night A. F. Rohrbough addressed members of the Columbian Club of Clarksville, at a banquet in the Stonevale Jackson Hotel. Called upon for brief remarks were Louie Romano and Frank Martino.

Friday night Linn B. Hickman, instructor in English and Journalism, spoke to the juniors and seniors of Normantown High School at their annual banquet, held in the school gymnasium.

Date For Reading Recital Changed; Will Be Given May 16

The date of the reading recital which will be given by the second-year speech interpretation class has been changed to Tuesday, May 16, at 8:30 p. m.

The program will include plays, a short story, and humorous and serious readings. Marjorie Craddock will read "Patterns" by Amy Lowell, and "Columbine," a play by Colin Campbell Clements. "Silence" by Edgar Lee Masters and "Lilies" by Amy Lowell, will be read by Eva Amos. Madeline Moore will read Edna St. Vincent Millay's "Memorial to D. C." and "Wealth and Wisdom," a play by Elephant Downs.

"For the Love of Michael," a play by Glenn Hughes, will be read by Louise Gullett. Max De Hinkle will read "Go Lightly Wind" by George Carroll and "Warm Babies" by Keith Preston.

The program will conclude with Jo Reeder reading a short story entitled "Effie Whittlesby" by George Ade.

CORATHERS AND WAGGONER ATTEND OFFICERS' MEETING

John Corathers and Jack Waggoner, freshmen, went to Jackson's Mill the past week-end to attend the second annual officers' meeting of the West Virginia National Guard. The Weston unit, Company E, 201st Infantry, was host to the meeting, and Corathers and Waggoner were two of the seven enlisted men invited from Company E, which includes sixty-eight men.

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Retain Only Those Who Are Adequately Prepared

The first week in May again brought pointedly into notice the matter of teacher employment and the disposal of the present year's senior classes of teacher training colleges throughout the state. One thing pertaining to the situation is clear. There are more teachers than there are positions to be filled. This has been the case for a number of years, but it is accentuated with each year's addition of graduates.

The matter here in the College may not parallel the case in other places, for it is known that a high percentage of those who graduate here succeed in finding employment. Yet, there are some among the group this year who will not secure positions. Certainly this is to be expected in a profession (if such it be) that is overcrowded.

Amidst the discontent thus brought about by the insecurity of no position after four years of training, there is another obvious consideration: Many of the teachers thus graduated are better prepared to do their work than are many who are teaching, even though they have had experience of one or more years; a number of them are not so prepared.

In teaching, as in any other work, there is yet room for him who is better prepared to teach. A simple solution to the problem of teacher employment (or unemployment) would be the retaining in the school system only those who are adequately prepared and who are truly professional in their work. The vacancy thus created by the migration to other fields wherein the misfits are more prolific would fully take care of both old and new teachers whose merits are of the best.—Max Ward.

Perplexities That Confront A College Senior

The college student is confronted with numerous academic problems during his four-year career, but at graduation his problems and perplexities do not cease. Generally speaking, his major perplexity changes from education to that of finance, or the popular question lack of jobs, "After College, What?"

There are several courses to follow in answer to this question. Educators say that if one ranks scholastically in the upper half of his college class he will profit by study in a graduate school. Another possibility (but certainly not a probability) is that a college graduate is possessed of enough originality to make a vocation for himself. Some give the advice that one should not work for a year after leaving college, but should devote his time to reading and reflective thinking. To the financial-minded this would be the height of impracticability.

However, there are two infallible axioms which give confidence to the jobless. One is that with a college education, your chances for success are above the average, and another, which sometimes seem dubious, is that there is a niche on this planet for everyone and he will find it.—Leroy Davis.

'We're Sorry to Leave You Now'

This year we are graduated. For four long years we have looked forward to this occasion with a great deal of enthusiasm. Our enthusiasm has not abated; yet, I suspect that somewhere deep within all of us we are sorry that it will soon be over. We are happy perhaps with a feeling of pride, but we are sorrowed by the thought of not again ever

having the opportunity for the close association with many fine people we have met here.

The path has not always been one of sunshine and flowers. Now and then for a brief moment a cloud has obscured our sun of happiness, a carelessly growing briar has caused us to stumble but not to fall.

Lucky indeed will be the person in the future who finds in future life as many happy moments, and as few unhappy ones, as has been his lot here.

Let us then go forth to face the world with an attitude of courageous striving, looking for happiness at all times but not afraid to face adversity.—Royce Snodgrass.

In Such a Land There Is Always Summer

To the jaded politician who has grown weary of fishing for votes and smiling for cameras, the river is diverging in the sprawling brooks of the mountains, where the genuine speckled trout plays hide and seek with the sunshine in the shoals, or sleeps in the darkening eddies, under the fragrant bloom of the overhanging honeysuckles.

To the overworked public servant upon whose head the snows that never melt have too soon fallen, bright leaping, dashing boyant mountain rivers are the symbols of youth and of happiness. On their grassy banks he may sit and listen to the singing of his reel and the swish of his line, and watch the game black bass as he leaps out of the middle of the stream, with the hook in his mouth, and flashes in the sunlight, and then darts back to make the reel sing and the line swish again. In such a life, in such a land, there is no snow upon the heart; it is always summer there.—Noel Bush.

MERRY MAIDEN'S MOVIE MOMENTS

By Marjorie Craddock

Another College student, Marjorie Bush, left a local theater one night last week with her pocketbook full of money.

The Lyric theater has for us tonight and tomorrow a comedy, "Swing It Professor," starring Pinky Tomlin.

On Thursday and Friday will be shown "Little Tough Guys in Society," with Edward Everett Horton, Mischa Auer, Mary Boland and Frankie Thomas. A pip of a picture if you can imagine six boys from the slums living with high-brows.

"Guilty Trail," and chapter six of the Dick Tracy serial is coming on Saturday.

For Sunday and Monday is billed none other than "Idiot's Delight," starring Norma Shearer and Clark Gable. I saw this number as a stage play so now I am quite anxious to see Gable do the Charleston and Shearer with the page-boy blonde wig. Maybe you won't like this attack on war for it's odd. Anyway, there's one person I hope that doesn't miss it—that's Herr Hitler.

Coming to the Pictureland tonight and tomorrow night is "Adventures in Sahara," with Paul Kelly and Lorna Gray. A drama of a Yankee and mutiny within the French Foreign Legion.

The much-talked of "Jesse James," will be shown Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Tyrone Power has the title role, Nancy Kelly is Zerkella Mimms, and Henry Fonda is Frank James. No doubt, this movie will put you in sympathy with the renowned desperado. It's in Technicolor, has authentic background, outstanding acting, and Jesse James will always be remembered.

On Sunday and Monday is coming "Wings of the Navy," featuring George E. Stone, Olivia de Havilland and John Payne. This is a good saga of the United States Naval Air Station. Two brothers love the same girl, but true to navy style all three involved are very noble.

BOOK REVIEWS

By Barbara Hauman

"WITH MALICE TOWARD SOME," by Margaret Halsey.

Does the title of Margaret Halsey's "With Malice Toward Some" sound as depressing and sinister to you as it did to me? No words, however, could be further removed from a description of this book, for it is thoroughly and cleverly amusing.

Although the book is no doubt unfavorably criticized by many who are lovers of the English country and customs, it seems to me no person could fail to enjoy its witticisms. There are many wise-cracks about the old traditions and especially the weather of England.

This piece of writing is in the form of Margaret Halsey's diary, reminding us in that respect of the favorite of our childhood "Daddy Long-Legs." It was written during a year when her husband, Henry, had an exchange professorship at a small college in Devonshire. However, her comments are not only made upon England, but also upon Sweden, Norway and France. She gives the impression that of all the cities she visited, she liked Stockholm best which impressed her with its general cleanliness and complete absence of slum sections.

Scattered all through the diary are humorous illustrations by Peggy Bacon which add much to the sarcastic, though clever, tone of the book.

It seems to me that this diary is one of the most skillful and side-splitting burlesques I have ever read; it is ended: "Gentlemen, I give you the English University. The next time we come to this country (meaning England), I hope Henry will get an exchange with a plumber."

Also I find that Margaret Halsey's hobby is not being photographed by candid cameras.

To Speak Here



Dr. Oscar Doane Lambert, dean of Wesleyan College and professor of political science, will be heard here Monday night, May 15, on the open forum program. Dr. Lambert is a Bachelor of Arts graduate of the University of Chicago, and he received the Master of Arts degree at Chicago and the Ph.D. degree at John Hopkins University. He is the author of two books and is now completing his tenth year at Wesleyan College.

The Collegiate World

By Ernestine Harrison

(A column of excerpts from the Associated Collegiate Press and news from other colleges.)

Participation by a few individuals in many activities seems to be troubling many campuses and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology is trying to do something about it. A special committee is drawing up a new point system which will limit the number of activities in which any one student may be active. The basis of the plan is a set system of points which is allotted for each activity, and no student may amass more than a set total during any one year.

The Tech, student newspaper, summarized the advantage of the plan: "By limiting the number of activities, more men will be enabled to hold such positions; by limiting the number of such positions any one person can hold, it will prevent him from spending too much time on activities and so reduce the scholastic mortality rate among such leaders."

On the Goldfish Gulping Craze

"Gastronomical exhibitionism." "Infantile behavior." "Digestive suicide." These are just a few of the epithets hurled at the current goldfish gulping craze by the college press. And along with the name-calling, they're presenting opinions of "eminent medical authorities" that participants can expect serious ailments to follow their reversion to pelicanism.

The Wilson College's Billboard neatly summarized the viewpoint of the editorialists in this fashion: "Wouldn't it be profitable to develop a kindred interest and enthusiasm for events and tendencies of a more vital importance?"

BETWEEN COLUMNS

If We All Contribute Our Small Part The George Firestone Memorial Will Be Something Worthwhile

Friends of Glenville State Teachers College are to be given an opportunity to contribute toward the establishment of a memorial to the late George Firestone—the man who served the College more than forty-three years as janitor.

According to plans announced the past week by The George Firestone Memorial Committee, including representative alumni, students and members of the faculty, each friend of the College will be invited to contribute \$1 toward establishing the memorial.

This small sum, which might seem rather insignificant, may result in a worthwhile tribute if friends and alumni all contribute. Although the type of memorial has not been decided upon yet, any assistance will be greatly appreciated.

Through our contributions we may, in a small way, show our appreciation for a man who spent most of his life in unselfish service—a man who will always be remembered for the force of his personality—a man who was never too busy to sincerely try to help—never too tired to sympathize.—Lovie Belle Stewart.

The Melting Pot

By Imogene Dye

I wonder,
Yes, I wonder
How many people
Will continue to
Read this
When they know perfectly well
That it isn't
A poem—
Did you bite
Sucker?

Please—
Little Boy Blue
Come blow your horn
This jitterbug's dancing
All over my corn
Please play a waltz
Like they did in the eighties
And give a bit of peace
To the sweltering ladies.

We have heard—that in the spring the sap rises and chases the object of his affection.

Hoorsay—
Hoorsay, Hoorsay I'm G Club Queen
And ain't I glad my name's Arleen
With a rose in my hair
In my skirt a hoop
I'll knock the boys
For a h— of a loop.

Campus Notes—
Lots of poison ivy
Sunburn on your nose
Comes along with summer
Shy!—Nobody knows.

Blank, Blank Verse—
Twinkle, twinkle little star
You are high
And so am I.

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Paramount News

Thursday and Friday, May 11-12
Featuring Little Tough Guys
"IN SOCIETY"
Pathe News

Saturday, May 13
"GUILTY TRAILS"
Starring Bob Baker—Also Chapter Six of Dick Tracy Serial
Walt Disney Comedy

Sunday and Monday, May 14-15
"IDIOT'S DELIGHT"
Starring Norma Shearer and Clark Gable

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G Club President Will Be Among the Seniors Who Will Receive A. B. Degree Here May 29

GIRLS' TENNIS TEAM MAY PLAY SALEM LASSIES

A prominent member of the senior class who will receive his Bachelor of Arts degree in Secondary Education with teaching fields in social science and physical education this spring is Ralph Mendenhall, a graduate of Sistersville High School with the class of 1933.

Juanita Haught in Charge of Practice Sessions on College Courts

Providing weather permits and enough aspirants come out for tennis, the Women's Athletic Association plans to enter a team in the intercollegiate ranks in the near future, announces Miss Juanita Haught, tennis sports leader. The organization's officials have a tentative match scheduled with Salem College and intend to card other neighboring schools if present plans materialize.

The tennis squad, under the supervision of Miss Haight, has been practising daily on both of the College's courts. Practice sessions are held on the court in the rear of the rear of the Administration Building between the hours of three and four o'clock on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and on the court in Rohrbough Stadium at the same time on Tuesday and Thursday.

In another branch of the Association's sport program, Miss Murie Boggs, indoor sports leader, conducts a daily play hour in the gymnasium. Games listed on this program include deck tennis, badminton, shuffle board, darts, indoor softball, volley ball and horseshoes.

At the present time hiking is also a part of the W.A.A.'s program. An Association requirement is that in order to qualify as a full-fledged hiker, each girl must hike fifty miles. After this mileage is completed pins symbolic of official membership, are awarded.



At Sistersville, Mendenhall was an outstanding athlete in both football and basketball, winning letters in both sports. In his jun-

ior and senior years he was honored with the presidency of the Hi-Y Club. A major achievement of his entire scholastic career was the fact that he was never absent or tardy in twelve years.

Mendenhall came to Glenville in the fall of 1935, and has since established himself as both an academic and an athlete. Despite the fact that he has been engaged in numerous extracurricular activities and made the honor roll in his sophomore year.

His campus affiliations at the present time include membership in the G Club, of which he is president of the Holy Roller Court and social committee. He is also a past president of the junior class and past defense attorney in the Holy Roller Court. In his junior year he served simultaneously on the Student Council and Iveycom committee.

While he has participated in football, basketball, baseball, softball and tennis, Mendenhall confined his intercollegiate play to football, serving as a second-string letterman for three seasons and winning a starting berth at guard on the 1938 team.

Miss Ivy Lee Myers Locates Copy of Independent Star of June 11, 1890

Back when the "Gay Nineties" were just coming into their own, the Chicago World's Fair was in progress, and Benjamin Harrison was president of the United States. Glenview State Normal School was having its say through the Independent Star, a newspaper edited by the Independent Literary Society.

The June 11, 1890, issue, which was brought to the Mercury office by Miss Ivy Lee Myers, is probably typical of college newspapers at that time, devoting the majority of the front page to literary news. Headlines were few and the outstanding

front page article was on Robert Browning and his works.

The masthead was located, in the upper left-hand corner of the front page. Joe N. Craddock was the editor. Also on the front page was a letter to the editors concerning the paper. There was no editor's page. Page two devoted more than two columns to Edgar Allan Poe, his characteristics, life and works.

Paid advertisements include the announcements for county offices by some of the candidates. There were no signed columns, feature stories or by-lines.

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Canterbury Club Will Sponsor May Breakfast

Members of the Canterbury Club the past week heard three of Bret Harte's stories and made plans for a breakfast to be held Saturday, May 20.

Stories and students who told them were: "Tennessee's Partner," Geraldine McClain; "The Outcasts of Poker Flat," Jack Francis; and "The Illiad of Sandy Bar," James Heister.

James Croner Musser, secretary-treasurer, presided in the absence of the president and vice-president and named the following committees to arrange for the May breakfast: Agnes Wright and Ruth Annabel Hull, food; Paul Beal and Clyde Dotson, wood and fire.

Marjorie Harden, Clyde Dotson and Paul Beal will be on the program at the breakfast and will tell O. Henry stories.

Ainslee Chapman, freshman, was voted membership in the Club.

Current Events Club's Spring Outing, May 21

The date for the Current Event Club's spring outing has been set for Sunday, May 21, at 5 p. m. The setting will be Miss Bessie B. Bell's home. All persons who are or have been members are invited and are at liberty to bring guests.

Teresa Butcher read a letter from Coach A. F. Rohrbough, who expressed thanks to the club for its contribution to the Roane County trip.

An article, "The Ghost of Versailles," taken from the Nation Magazine, was reviewed by Eloise Gunn, and Germany came in for her share of reproach when Paul Beal spoke on "German Labor in Zenith and Eclipse." Teresa Butcher told about "Underground Germany" and explained that there are many German men and women who are not in sympathy with present-day Hitlerism.

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MISS RUTH ANNABEL HULL

Eloise Walker And Orris Stutler Married

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Walker, of Reedy, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Eloise, to Mr. Orris Stutler, of Reedy, which took place Saturday, April 29, at Catlettsburg, Ky.

Mrs. Stutler, S. N. '27, is a graduate of Glenville High School and is teaching in Roane County.

Mr. Stutler, a sophomore in the College, will receive his standard normal certificate this spring.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Stutler plan to attend college here this summer.

Students Get Red Cross Certificates

American National Red Cross certificates have been received from Harold F. Enlow, director of first aid and life saving at National Headquarters, Washington, D. C., to be awarded to those who completed the course here a few weeks ago, announced Carey Woolfer, registrar.

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Mrs. R. H. McQuain Elected President Of Glenville P.-T. A.

Mrs. Russell H. McQuain was elected president of the Parent-Teachers Association Thursday evening. Mrs. A. H. Moore, retiring president, was made vice-president, and Mary Elizabeth Young and Miss Drusilla Kidd were elected secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Earl R. Boggs, principal of the high school, presented the P.-T. A. banner to the pupils of the second grade for the best representation of parents present. He expressed gratification at the work done by the association and offered commendations to the retiring president for her part in it.

Features of the program were music by the toy symphony orchestra of the second grade and three motion pictures. The motion picture machine was recently purchased by the high school and the P.-T. A.

The pictures were Sewell's "Black Beauty," "Professor Bugs" and "The Feet." After the showing of the health pictures, Miss Bernice Criddle, county health nurse, discussed the summer clinic for pre-school children to be held May 22. She announced that immunization against smallpox will be given in accordance with the new law requiring immunization for all children before their entering school.

Madeline Moore Heads Junior Woman's Club

A junior in the College, Madeline Moore, succeeds Mrs. Mary H. Powell as president of the Glenville Junior Woman's Club. Other officers installed at the annual May Dinner were vice-president, Barbara Hannon; recording secretary, Mrs. Wayne Davis; corresponding secretary, Elizabeth Lewis; auditor, Mrs. I. N. Fetty; treasurer, Helen Wright; parliamentarian, Mrs. Stanley Hall.

Following a talk by Mrs. John E. Arbuckle, club adviser, Miss Moore appointed her committees for the coming year. Chairmen are: Program, Helen McGee; membership, Lucy Wolfe; civic, Jeanne Gainer; social, Mrs. Newsom McFerrin.

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MISS ROSE AGNES GREGORY

Special Music Planned For Commencement Week

Commencement music this year will include violin selections played by Miss Eleanor C. White, other instrumental music by the College orchestra and vocal selections by a choir of women's voices.

Girls chosen from the Choral Class will sing, "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" by Saint-Saens and "June Rhapsody" by Mabel Daniels, a contemporary American composer.

Elgar's "Pomp and Circumstance" will be played by the orchestra for the processional. Another selection by the orchestra will be "Light Cavalry Overture" by von Suppe.

A mixed choir selected from the Choral Class also will furnish music for the Baccalaureate service. The choir of twenty-eight voices will sing, "O Lord Most Holy" by Cesar Franck and "Holy, Holy, Holy" by Gounod.

Bald professors at Wake Forest College have formed an organization to campaign for a reduction in the prices of their hair cuts.

Marybell Summers Presides at 4-H Club Luncheon

Marybell Summers, leader of the College 4-H club, presided over a business meeting and program preceding a 4-H pin members' and leaders' luncheon at the Methodist Church, Saturday. Miss Adele Harold, county club agent, was in charge of arrangements. County agent, I. N. Fetty, was master of ceremonies.

Hazel Hersman, leader at Sand Fork, suggested means of starting a county 4-H fund, and the group voted to have each club in the county contribute one dollar or more each year from the proceeds of some club activity.

County agent I. N. Fetty listed qualifications for leadership and recommended that members of the group attend the volunteer leaders' camp to begin at Jackson's Mill on May 29. Bradford Davis discussed the summer program for 4-H clubs and Mrs. Pearl Bramlett gave suggestions for the selection of summer leaders.

Among the speakers at the luncheon were Guy B. Young, president of the board of education, Bernice Criddle, county health nurse, and Marybell Summers, who summarized the work done by the College 4-H club this year. Reports on other clubs were made by the leaders, and Miss Harpold gave a summary of what has been done by all the county clubs.

Among the College students present were Teresa Butcher, Harold Scott, Marjorie Marks and Monta Beal.

FINAL RITES HELD FOR GAY STALKER

Funeral services were held for Gay Stalker, employee in the state compensation department at Charleston, the past Wednesday at Grantsville by the Rev. S. Paris Bell, Jr.

Mr. Stalker was the father of Mrs. Geraldine Dent and Gladys Stalker, both graduates of the College, and was once a teacher in Calhoun County.

"Skipper," a University of Detroit entry, won this year's intercollegiate turtle racing championship.

GIBSON SPEAKS TO SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

Members of College Faculty Take Part in Discussion of New Course of Study

Three high school principals, six members of the College faculty, and A. J. Gibson, state supervisor of high schools, met in the lounge of Louis Bennett Hall to receive reports on and discuss further the new state course of study Friday night.

Presiding over the three-hour session was Earl Boggs, principal of Glenville High School, who called the meeting. Thirty-three high schools were expected to send representatives. The other principals who attended were Truslow S. Waldo, Wirt County High School, and D. E. Dean, Richwood High School.

Boggs and Dean gave reports on the functioning of the new course in their respective schools. Chief among the deficiencies discussed by the group were three needed additions suggested by Dean. These were high school courses in family relations, practical arithmetic and senior science.

The adequacy of the course of study, its practicability, and its flexibility and implications were discussed at some length. It was agreed that the course was purposely made flexible and subject to the discretion of the teacher of the particular course. Mr. Gibson maintained that the course (through revision) will become more definite, yet it will of necessity and desirability not become fixed. It is a rather widespread contention that the course is too indefinite.

No definite decisions were reached in the meeting, nor was any direct action proposed. It was agreed that the plan of trying out the course be continued and reports on the results thereof be made at some future meeting. A previous meeting (the past December) was called at the College in response to request from a number of high school principals.

Members of the College faculty at the meeting were Pres. E. G. Rohrbough, Dean H. L. White, Miss Ivy Lee Myers, Dr. J. C. Shreve, Dr. C. L. Underwood and H. V. Clark. Eight members of a class in education directed by Dr. Underwood were present for a part of the session.

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