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#### MERCURY **MUSINGS**

Column of Highlights From Here and There And Everywhere

By Albert Woofter

BACK HOME AGAIN

DACK to visit the Mercury office
came three former staff members the past Saturday, Max Ward,
nanaging editor the past year and
present instructor in Calhoun
County High School, dropped in
long enough to pass the time of
day, Marjoric Hardin, former Mercury reporter, stopped long enough
to read a galley of proof, and
John W. Mowrey, Jr., whose colamn I rest with interest when I
wag a freshman and he a senior,
was pleased with the office equipment.

STRAWBERRY QUEEN
DLOND Jeanne Strickling, of
Clarksburg, was selected queen
of the Central West Virginia
Strawberry Festival at a preview
the past week in the Wesleyan College auditorium. She is a freshman
at the University.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

R. W. H. S. White, brother of
Dean H. L. Write and president of Stepherd State Teachers
College, will be commencement
speaker at both the Gratton and
Flemington high schools. He began his teaching career as principal at Flemington.

IT'S IN TIME
A PICTURE of the wreckage of
the Pennsylvania Central Airlines plane which crashed near
Charleston recently and a background story of the wreck is on
page 16 of the April 28 issue of
Time Magazine.

POLICE HEAD DIES

H. GRUMPECKER, 69-yearJoid supervisor of the state
police, died Thursday of a heart
stack in a Charleston hospital.
He was also chairman of the West
Virginia Democratic Executive
Committee. He had been ill since
April 17, when he suffered an attack of coronary thrombosis while
on an inspection tour of strikeridden Widen with Gov. M. M.
Seely, Mr. Crumpecker had held
office since April 1, when he succeded C. C. Tallman.

ROWAN HAS BIRTHDAY

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OL. Andrew S. Rowan, who
won world-wide fame by carrying the message to Garcia before
the outbreak of the Spanish-American War, celebrated his eightyfourth birthday Thursday in a vetreans' hospital in San Prancisco.
A native of West Virginia, Col.
Rosn is the true-life here of the
book, "A Message to Garcia,"
which has been translated into
many languages and is read
throughout the world.

SHELL SHOCK CURE

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THE possibility that adrenalin,
a chemical which is produced
by the human body, may be used
to aid sufferers of shell shock was
announced recently before the
American College of Physicians in
Reston.

#### **COUNTY TEACHERS HEAR ADDRESSES BY** PROF. R. E. FREED

College Instructor Explain Schools' Part in Defense; Hall Named President

Raymond E. Freed, instructor in the social sciences, explained the part schools can play in national defense when he spoke before the Gilmer County teachers who met Friday night in the College auditorium. The program, presided over by Charles Maxwell, A. B. '40, president of the teachers' association, included also the election of officers, music by more than 250 elementary school children under the direction of Mary Louise Lewis, county music supervisor, and a panel discussion on recent school legislation, led by Mr. E. J. Bush, Gilmer County member of the West Virginia House of Delegates.

In about a thirty-minute address, and in mational defense. These he listed as:

H. Y. CLARK IS SPEAKER AT F.

listed as:

(I) Improvement in quality of present democratic teachings, (2) better vocational guidance, (3) better health program, (4) greater emphasis on physical education, (5) a more realistic study of courses in government, (6) a more vigorous attack on such probolems as illiteracy unemployment and immorality, (7) establish habits of clear thinking in order to guard against propaganda, and (8) a better program of adult education.

ducation.

He cited France as an examp
(Continued from page 3)

#### 10 Students Attend Christian Meeting At Jackson's Mill

The annual regions al Christian Leadership Training Conference held at Jackson's Mill, April 25, 26, 27, was attended by ten students and one adviser from the College chapters of the YMCA and YMCA. Those attending from Glenville were: Geraldine Petty, Wilma Stannard, Jessie Riffle and Olga Young of the YMCA, and Ralph Cox, Donson of the YMCA, Mr. Hunter Whiting, faculty adviser for the YMCA attended a part of the program Sunday.

STUDENT ACTIVITY PICTURES ON SALE IN MERCURY OFFICE

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Reprints of student activity pictures taken on the campus a few
weeks sgo are now available, says
H. J. Pears, of Glenville, who has arranged for the Mercury to take and
fill orders.
Persons desiring reprints of any
or all of the nictures may leave ordcrs, which must be accompanied
with cash, in the Mercury office on
Wednesday, Thursday or Friday afternoons. Larger reprints are 10
conts each: smaller ones, 6 cents
each.

#### About 100 Couples Accept Subpenas and Whisk Along 'Home' for Court Dance

By Jean McMillian
Subpens issued by the clerk at
acted a good crowd from various
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Prof. R. E. Freed



# SPEAKER AT FTA **CHAPTER MEETING**

Cleo Berry, Senior, Represen Glenville in Student Panel Discussion

H. Y. Clark, instructor in educa-tion, told the Morris P. Shawkey chapter of the Future Teachers of America, teachers from at least six colleges, and students that from any profession four things can justly be

profession four things can justly be expected.

Occasion for the speech was a meeting yesterday at Wesleyan Col-

meeting yesterday at Wesleyan College.

A profession, said Mr. Clark, must provide a living wage, contribute to social welfare, demand respect and confidence and provide an outlet for one's particular talent.

"If one has entered the profession (of teaching) in order to gain a live-lihood and finds himself unfit, one can always divorce himself from it," Mr. Clark concluded.

Ross Bonar, Upshur County superintendent, declared that administrators have a right to expect of the beginning teacher: Reasoned judgment, accurate reports and records, punctuality, a fair degree of mastery of subject matter, health, enthusiam, patience, good disposition, willingness to accept responsibility for one's mistakes and good discipline.

pline.
Student representatives from Alderson-Broaddus, Pairmont, Glenville,
Davis-Elkins and Wesleyan participated in a panel discussion on "What beginning teachers should do about the problems they meet," Clee Berry, senior, spoke for Glenville.
The chapter received a charter, presentel by Mr. David Kirby, secretary of the State Board of Education.

#### College Represented At Science Academy Meeting in Phillipi

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wagner and John Hunter Williams attended the eighteenth annual meeting of the West Virginia Academy of Science Thursday and Friday on the Camous of Alderson-Broaddus College, Phillippi. Exhibits and telks of the Junior-Academy of Science were in the Philippi High School auditorium.

The Senior Academy is composed mostly of coleige and university scimoce teachers and a few intustrial scientists. The Junior Academy is composed of high school science clubs and their sponsors.

Bach club sponsored an exhibit or gave a talk on some phase of scientific development, showing its early history and rete at which it has advanced.

FITZPATRICK RESUMES WORK

Doy Fitzpatrick, College electrician, returned to his work here yesterday after being absent several weeks, during which time he was operated on for appendicitis in a Charleston hospital.

Earle Spencer, sophomore, now in the General Hospital, Morgantown, will return to College Sunday. He is receiving treatment for an injured knee.

#### **G CLUB MEMBERS ELECT QUEEN AND** TWO PRINCESSES

Catherine Withers Will Rule Over Annual Lettermen's Ball on May 17

Ball on May 17

Miss Catherine Withers, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Withers of Glenville, was named queen yesterday to rule over the annual G-Club lettermen's ball, May 17. Selected princesses were Lo rraine Skeen, daughter of Captain and Mrs. G. H. Skeen of Charleston, and Gwendollyn Beall, daughter of Mrs. Leorna Beall of Glenville.

Miss Withers is also the sophomore class president-elect.
Harold Scott, G-Club president, also announced yesterday that George Hall and his orchestra had been contracted to play for the May 17 event, which will climax the College's spring social calendar. Pres. E. G. Rohrbough will again conduct the coronation eeremonies. By virtue of yesterday's election, Miss Withers becomes Miss G-Club V, having been preceeded by Lois Jarvis of Grantsville, Wilma Bransford of Walton, Arlene Workman of Gassaway and Olive Myers of Glenville.

#### YMCA TO SPONSOR **SERIES OF FORUMS**

Beal and Dotson To Assist R. E. Freed at Open Meetings Starting May 1

A series of open discussions on Democracy will be sponsored by the College chapter of the YMCA in the Louis Bennett Hall lounge, beginning may 1 at 8 p. m. In charge mainly will be R. E. Freed, instruction of the third of the

#### Five Students Attend Alpha Psi Meeting

Five College students attended one day of the Third Annual Tri-State Convention of Alpha Pai Omera held at Fairmont State Teachers College the past week-end. Those attending were: Helen Heater, Clyde Dotson, Gwendolyn Beall, Agres Weinkt, and Richard Harper.
Highlights of the convention were: Choral reading in dramatics by West Virrinia University students; a silent nevie of "Great Actreeses of the Past," and experiment in mood lighting—Archibald MacLeish's "Air Raid," raids transcription; and three

the Fast," and experiment in mood lighting—Archibald MacLeish's "Air Raid," radio transcription; and three meant plays by Marshall College, Keat University, and Fairmont State Teachers College.
Convention delegate, were guesta Friday night at a dance at Melody Manor, which featured Joe Laroza and his orchestra and a floor show by Fairmont students.

EARL BOGGS SPEAKS TO ROANE COUNTY TEACHERS

Earl R. Boggs, principal of Glen-ville High School, spoke before a meeting of the Roane County teach-ers at Spencer Saturday on "The Evaluative Criteria Used for Rating High Schools in West Virginia."

DON HINKLE WILL ATTEND CONFERENCE AT RICHW

Don Hinkle, College senior, will go to Richwood Thursday to attend a Methodist Conference of the Lew-isburg District. The conference will begin Thursday and close Friday evenine.

### COUNCIL DISCUSSES ALLOCATION OF STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND NEXT YEAR; **HUNTER WHITING SPEAKS AT MEETING**

To Hold Special Student Body Meeting Tomorrow To Talk on Yearbooks and Changes in Constitution

By ALBERT WOOFTER

Hunter Whiting, chairman of the Lyceum committee, told a joint session of the old and new Student Council last night that \$378.99 of the student activity fee was spent this year for four Lyceum numbers and said that an \$380.00 appropriation for next year would maintain the present quality of the Lyceum course.



# Education Meeting

Pres. E. G. Rohrbough, Dean H. Laban White, Dr. J. C. Shreve, and Miss Bessie Boyd Bell will attend the two-day spring meeting of the division of higher education of the West Virginia Education Association at Concord State Teachers College Thursday and Friday. Miss Bell will lead a discussion on the "Development of Higher Education in West Virginia."

Catherine Howard, a Junior, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omar C. Howard, of Grantsville.

outnes, although such numbers are otherwise available.

To Make Budget
At its first meeting Thursday
night, next year's Council reached
and approved a decision that frealtimen shall wear their caps from the
beginning of school to Thanksgird ing and that a definite sum would be
set aside for purchasig Student
Council pins.

Although any final action on allection of the fund depends upon
the encollment next year, the new
Council plans to begin work on as
temporary budget, probably using
\$1500 as a basis in contemplation of
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#### Dr. Lynwood D. Zinn, A. B. '33, Will Take Up Medical Practice in Clarksburg, May 1

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#### Chemistry Day A Review Of The Past, Preview of Future

The Past, Preview of Future

Instrors to Glenville's tenth annual Chemistry Day were presented with the unique opportunity of viewing the materials of living in the past and previewing what to expect in the future.

The old clock with the wooden clog wheels and old guns of various kinds showed how early settlers in this region made a living from the raw earth and reared their families under adverse circumstances.

IThe "House of Magic" demonstration gave a glimpse of the kind of life that may be possible in the future. It showed how the human voice can control moving objects, how a moving wheel apparently can be halted so that it can be examined while in motion, how the voice can travel on a beam of hight, and many other scientific wonders.

As the demonstrator explained, it is not known for certain how many uses can be made of some of these instruments, but it is asafe to say that every demonstration which he made will some day be used for the betterment of mankind.

The man who combined these two visions, that of the past and the future, is Mr. John R. Wagner, instructor in chemistry, who founded Chemistry Day several years ago and who has been instrumental in making it an event of state-wide importance.—Albert Woofter.

#### He Would Learn How To Manage Family Budget

If the aim of education is to teach youth to do better the more desirable things they are going to do anyway, then it is reasonable to assume that colleges should offer some new types of courses. The greater number of college students will be driving automobiles after they have been graduated. Their increased earning power will enable a greater percentage of them to own and operate cars. One out of every five persons today owns and operates a car. In fact, the entire American population, if they desired, could be comfortably gliding along the roads at one time—could be a nation on wheels. Probably three out of five college students will drive, and will be forced upon the road with little or no training as to how to operate the vehicle.

and will be forced upon the road with little or no training as to how to operate the vehicle.

Many of them will, as an almost necessary life function, establish homes. They will woo and win maidens, but what then? Looking backward to their college careers, they will search in vain for some plan whereby they can make both ends meet. Nothing presents itself. The wives try their hands at cooking their first meals with the result that after a week or two the husbands are so meanly starved that they tell their wives rather impolitely that they can't cook "haif as well as Mother." The wives cry and home to mothers they go. Another match has been struck on the rock of unpreparedness fust because they were not warned to watch nor prepared to face the job.

The family budget they have to face could have been gotten in college. Many other practical subjects should be taught. These students may not be in the proper place in a teachers college, but the fact remains they will need some things they didn't get.—Cleo Berry.

#### YMCA Forums to Offer Study of Democracy

DECAUSE a grat deal of emphasis is being placed on democracy, but more on the name than on the nature of the way of life which the name denotes, perhaps, the YMCA will sponoar a series of open discussions to delve beneath the surface of this subject.

Discussions stimulate thinking. When as a result of thinking, facts and opinions are centributed by several people in a discussion, the truth has an excellent chance to come out on top. Through consideration of the fundamental reasons that lie deep in the nature of man why dmocracy is the most whole-some form of government, and through a careful scrutiny of the alleged advantages of dictatorship, the discussions should give to those who attend a better knowledge and appreciation of democracy. Such knowledge is especially needed by those who are going out to teach others.

Consideration in the discussions of internal weaknesses and outside forces that threaten democracy in America will reveal points on which we should ponder.

The discussions will be worthwhile and are not likely to fail, but the extent of success will be determined by the interest manifest by students and faculty.

To save democracy, many people are willing to die. How many are willing to think?

Paul Beal.

# Capers

When the "King of the Campus Romosa" (R. Gardner) took leave of absence the past week all faces turned to his royal predecessor and running mate, R. Tracy, who is doing time with Lola Lee B., a local high achool Miss. May your roign, Mr. Tracy, be a long and fruitful one. ... B. Altizer takes a back seat as Earle S. undergoes an operation at Morgantown. . F. White takes an early week-end start for Richwood. ... Several college males enjoyed a Saturday night jamboree at the Kafer Brothers' ranch in Jane Lew. ... S. Marchio pays the campus and B. Brannon a short visit.

Heartbreaker—J. Stalnaker and D. Queen arrive at the parting line as J. Fitzpatrick, high school lad, appears on the Verona horizon. ... "Doc" Harlan has been asked to pay rent at Verona Mapel. ... Gordon T. has class. ... H Johnson casts all lots toward home town beau ... Jamison-Satterfield: It must be love, or I wouldn't feel that way ... Maude J. expects her heart's deaire sometime Saturday. ... W. Bailes now has time to think it over as "Red" Clark is confined with a measie or two. ... B. Summers takes over the "boanner" position at Glenville's newest night club ... ... "Hob" McMillian spent the week-end in sunny Calhoun, "the garden spot" ... Troy W., plantation rooster, has been accused of chalking up another room stacking in Louis Bennett Hall.

F. Lee becomes a regular figure on the campus Friday for the Holy Roller hop. ... Familiar

Holy Roller hop. . . . Familiar faces were A. Workman, K. Kemper, M. Shumate, Mr. and Mrs. Hillis Cottle, Alice Nutter, Louis Romano, and Harold Noroski, one time Council president.—Bon Jour. D. B. et al.

# O' Wisdom \* \* \* Le Recorded In the Par By Sages and Others

Let us have faith that Right makes Might, and in that faith let us to the end dare to do our duty as we understand it.—Lincoln.

He will always be a slave who does not know how to live upon a little.—Horace.

Three sparks—pride, envy, and avarice—have been kindled in all hearts.—Dante.

The world couldn't run without ossip.—Walter B. Pitkin, in the

Traditionally, America has been . . . a melting pot, an asylum for the downtrodden; we have spread our sheltering wings over the unfortunate of the earth.—J. H. Pol-

#### CAMPUS CARTOON



COSTS



## The Robert F. Kidd Library

ET'S learn more about our big neighbor "north of the border." "Encyclopedia of Canada" is now in the Library. The general 
editor, W. Stewart Wallace, libraisn of the University of Toronto, has made the six large volumes 
especially strong in biographics, place names, natural science, social science and history. These articles are written by specialists and in most instances excellent 
biographics, are appended.

MISS Willerms White has con-

MISS Willerms White has con-ume which bears the title "The Acts of the Legislature of West Virginia at its Tenth Session Com-mencing January 16, 1872." From this unusually interesting law book the following is taken verbatim— spelling ag used.
"An Act to establish a branch Normal School at Glenville, in the

county of Gilmer. Passed February 19, 1872.

Be IT enacted by the Legislautre of West Virginia

1. That a branch normal school be and the same is hereby established in the town of Glenville, in the county of Gilmer; Provided, that a suitable building for the purposes of ,uch school be furnished by the citizens of the county, or others, without cost to the State.

2. The said branch normal school is hereby piaced on the same footing and subject to the same regulations as the other branches of the State normal school; and as soon as the board of regents shall ascertain that a suitable building has been furnished, as aforesaid, they shall immediately proceed to organize and put said school in operation."

# Right With the News

by Agnes Wright ON THE RECORD: With College students the war lise is becoming more popular every day. . . At time in passing near the dormitories one can hear the strains of a favorite



hear the strains of a favorite recording floating through anopen window. . . Old in years but new in arrangement is the favorite "Sweet Georgie Brown," (Okeh) by the Krupa band. . A purely awing tempo with Krupa, of course, going berserk with kis drums. . . A favorite for jitterbuga. . . . "Old Mill Stream" is the Geodman Chorus are tops. . . For claimet lovers It's a must buy. . . The flipover, "Corn Silk," should not be slighted with H. Forrest again vocalizing . . . A tops record here at dances is the Artie Shaw arrangement of "Begin the Beguine."

ON WITH THE SHOW: The play was the thing down Fairmont way the past week-end for five College delegates to the Tri-State Alpha Fai Omega Convention. . . Three one-cate "Sunday Costs Five Pesos," "The Count and the Wedding Guest," and "The Man in the Stalis," brought haughter and fun to the already lively meeting. . . . Incidentally "Sunday Costa Five Pesos" is one of the three plays to be presented here as a final senior activity. . . Then climaxing an evening of fun and freils Contention delegates were guests at a formal dates at Melody Manor. Featured was the music of Joe Larosa and his orchestra. . . General conclusions: Good hosts, good extertainment, good food, good time.

time.

INTERESTED OBSERVERS of the Negroes and a those who believe in affording them a higher place in radio and life will listen to the special radio broadcast of one of the NYA choral groups from the Hyde Park home of Pres. P. D. Roosevelt May 11.

As a special feature of the last day of National Music Week, Jules Bledsoe, world famous Negrobaritone, will sing a solo part dedicated to the President.

AROUND THE TOWN AND CAMPUS WE FIND:
A many liking the music of Reed Raines Friday
night. ... College students participating in Mrs.
John E. Arbuckle's music recital. ... Senior play
cast in practice. ... The entertaining Teacher's
meeting Friday night. ... Large crowd at the Civic
Club bingo party. ... And much talk of the College music concert May 8.

# MERRY MAIDEN'S

CHRISTOPHER Morley's famous novel, "Kitty Foyle," (at the Pictureland for the last time tonight), has been cleaned up considerably for the



screen, but it is still a whale of a tale. Ginger Rogers and Dennis Morgan are perfectly cast. "Information, Please," is an added feature.

The Lane sisters are here again. This time they're "Four Mothera." Pricilla, Rosemsary and Lola are at their best in this picture. Gale Page, who plays the part of the other Lane sister, does her bit in making this a grand picture. See it at the Pictureland, Wednesday and Thursday.

"Tall, Dark and Handsome," given a three-star rating by most reviewers, will be at the Picture-land, Sunday and Monday. The title refers to Ceaar Romero, who steps out of his Cisco Kid garb and into white tie and tails for this satrical comedy of Chicago's gaugiand of a few years back. Other leading players are Virginia Gilmore, Charlotts Greenwood, and Milton Berle.

For next Tuesday and Wednesday, Pictureland has booked a return engagement of "Alexander's Ragtime." Alice Faye, Tyrone Power and Al Jolson made this one of the best of 1940.

A ND the musicals keep coming! The next one at the Lyric is, "Dancing on A Dime." The cast includes Grace McDonald (a very popular British astress), Robert Paige, Virginia Dale, William Fraweley, Lillian Cornell (who sings), Eddie Quillan and a many others. It will be on tonight and tonorows sight.

night.
"Diamond Frontier," based on authentic incidents
during the discovery of diamonds in South America, with the subsequent lawlessness and disorder
which followed in the wake of the rush to the diggings, comes to the Lyric Theater, Thursday, for
one day only. Victor McLaglen is starred with John
Loder, and Anne Nagel.

"The Thief of Bagdad," adventure spectacle in Technicolor, is coming to the Lyric, next Sanday and Monday Sabu, plays the role of the urchinchief of Bagdad, who lives by his wits in the Arab city, Quite a bit of magic goes on. Sabu is changed into a dog, a monster emerges from a mysterious sealed bottle, and of course, there is a magic carpet. With this picture will be the short, "Greece Fightle Back." Proceeds derived from the sale of this abort will be contributed by Paramount to the Greek War-Relief Association.

Over at Providence College in Rhode Island, members of the Rev. Paul C. Perrotta's class in logic wrote their own examina-

tion. Eight per cent of them flunked.

Writers' Project Workers Would Appreciate

Material for Use in Gilmer County History

day.

The workers on this project have to pay their own traveling expenses, therefore, it is almost impossible for them to gather quite a lot of valuable information which we feel sure you could give us on all, phases of life and industry of the county.

This will be some histograms.

This will be your history, and if you will cooperate with us to the extent of sending or bringing in whatever information you might happen to have, I am sure that we

#### Acknowledged To Be A Step Forward Is New West Virginia School Legislation

By CLYDE DOTSON

By CLYDE DOTSON

Acknowledged to be progressive are the school measures enacted into law by the State Legislature. Among the measures are an actually sound retirement system for teachers, provision for non-partisan election of county board of education another step toward free text-books for everybody, revised classification of teachers' certificates, and higher salaries for better-prepared teachers.

Of primary importance to the profession is "Certification of Teachers," House Bull 104, (in effect from passage, March 6, 1941) and "Teachers," House Bull 104, (in effect ninety days from passage, March 6, 1941).

The new certificate law provides: A new certificate law provides: A new certificate saed on ninety-six seemester hours of college work, two new public school certificates valid in both elementary and high schools, elimination of certificate lower than standard normal, and elimination of the uniform state examinations. The lowest type of certificate that may be issued is based on sixty-four college houre beyond high school graduation.

The West Virginia Writers' Project, will be enabled to turn out a History of Gilmer County that we can cannot go from the garden and the Board of Education, of Gilmer County, have been working for some time gathering material for a complete History of Gille. It was the great working for some time gathering material for a complete History of Gille. It was the production of the working for some time gathering will be appreciated, no matter how terial for a complete History of Gille. It may be just what we need too verify some very important happening.

Send all information to the West Virginia Writers' Project, Glenville.

Send all information to the West Virginia Writers' Project, Glenville, West Virginia, or bring it to our of-fice at the Gimer County Court House.—Your servant, J. Archie Langford, research editor.

#### Collegians Favor Air-Corps Training

College Press Survey Shor One In Each Three Grad-uates Will Teach School

A Step Forward Is nia School Legislation

The teachers' salary law provides for basic salaries as follows: First grade certificates acquired by examination, not less than \$85.00 a month; short course certificates, mottless than \$90.00; certificates requiring sixty-four hours of college work, \$105.00; certificates requiring ninety-six hours of college work, \$105.00; certificates based on a bachelor's degree, \$125.00; for teachers with master's degree, \$125.00; for teachers with master's degree, \$135.00; for those with doctor's degree, \$125.00; for the with description of the same.

PHILADELPHA.—(ACP)—Dean hubbands descrited their wire, the past year because wives:

(1) Talked too much about their so perations; (2) came down to breakfast in curlers and negliges; (3) told in detail of children's misdeeds; (4) tried to keep up with the Joneses; (5) were too critical; and feather on the properties of the same of the properties of the properties of the same of the properties of the properties of the same of the properties of the same of the properties of the prope

**Spring Sports Program Opens** 

## DR. SHERWOOD EDDY EXPRESSES FAITH IN BRITAIN'S ABILITY TO WIN OVER HITLER MACHINE IN WORLD CONFLICT

Internationally Known Traveler, Lecturer and Christian Youth Leader Speaks Here Under Auspices of YMCA Chapter

Dr. Sherwood Eddy, author, lecturer, world traveler, and one of the saisest men in Christian Youth work today, faces the present world crisis with indomitable faith in the future.

Speaking in the College auditorium at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, nr. Eddy told his listeners that he did not despair of the future in spite of the current World War II. Pollowing this conflict there must be a peace, and the only peace that will be enduring is one based on justice, he offirmed.

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peace, and the only peace affirmed.

"There must be some form of federation in Europe—not a hash of small nations, but larger federated areas," and Dr. Eddy. He cited a proposal for a federation of the Americas and the British Empire, but thinks that it should be based upon accial order.

iess and the British Empire, but thinks that it should be based upon a new social order.

"I would hope," said be in this connection, "the dence, a dominion government like Caunda's."

Dr. Eddy's wole can with the conviction of a faith built upon forty-free years of active Christian service in far fung mission fields, when he said, "Christ laid four cornerstones for a better social order—justice, liberty, security and brotherhood for all men."

In answer to a question, "Will there be a universal religion in the new social order?" he declared: "The only religion for which there is any hope for universality is the religion based upon God the Father as manifest in Jesus Christ."

A danker side of the picture was painted by Dr. Eddy in discussing the fespic "Annerica and the World Cristie" in a forty-five minute assembly aldres, Wednesday morning.

He pointed out four steps in the background of the present conflict—Japan's success in China, Mussolha's invading Ethiopia, Germany's military activity in neighboring states and the interference by England and France.

"We are facing the most serious crisis in all the world's history," said

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Mence is no certain token
That no secret grief is there;
terrow which is never spoken
Is the heaviest load to bear.
Frances R. Haverpal.

## Dr. Sherwood Eddy



Dr. Sherwood Eddy, above, delivered two addresses on sundry phases of the current world situation here the past Wednesday.

**Sports Chatter** 

CONCORD'S Mountain Lions may be proud of the McNeish brothers, Fairmont can boast of the Owens boys and Morris Harvey will likely long remember the Pauley brothers, but the Pionters also list a pair of brothers in August and William Kafer—the last two of the long string of eight. And William Misker—the last two of the long string of eight. And William maker—the last two of the long string of eight. And William Misker—the last two of the long string of eight. And William Misker—the last two of the long string of eight. And William Misker—the last two of the long string the last properties of the last two of the line of the last properties. The last two of the long transport of the last properties of the last properties. The last two of the long transport of eight and william misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of eight and William Misker—the last two of the long transport of the last two of the long tra

glass industry to central West
AT one time Weston high's football team had the three younger
Kafers, Wookie, Gook and Rudy
on its first string. But only Wookie and Gook enrolled in college
and both earned varsity awards
in their first year with the Pioneers.

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August ("Gook"), now a jun-ing, may leave the White Wave stronghold though if he can get by a rigid examination for the Naval Air Corps. And that means Coach A. F. Rohrbough will have to start looking for someone to handle the Pioneers' kicking chores next fall.

William ("Wookie"), a sopho-more, will likely be around for two more seasons to play center for the Pioneers, since he has not reached the draft age yet. He had

Catherine Withers, freshman leader of the table tennis club, won the tournament the past week by defeating Eleanor Mace, sophomore. Girls entered in the tournament were: Nina Snyder, Marian Jacksie, Olga Young, Mary Jane Griffith, Eleanor Mace, June Taylor, Catherine Withters, Edith Pell, Evelyn Keith, Carolyn Sims and Elizabeth Rohr.

Rohr. The tennis club met the past Tues-day and elected Lorraine Skeen, sophomore, leader. Members of telub are: Pauline Burke, Reva Han-na, Jean McMillan, Helen Taylor, Eunice Wilfong, Elizabeh Clovia, Eloise McNemar, Catherine Withers, Evelyn Wagner, Lena Ruth Rymer, Mildred Wamsley and the leader.

SAND FORK SENIORS WILL 'RUN' SCHOOL TOMORROW

There won't be any faculty at Sand Fork High School tomorrow. The principal and teachers will move out to give room for a junior faculty which has been selected from the senior class.

#### Dr. J. C. Shreve Gives Rotarians Report On District Conference; Is President-Elect

Other Officers to Be Nominat-ed This Week; Will Select A Rhododendron Princess

#### County Teachers Hear Address By Prof. R. E. Freed

Prof. R. E. Freed

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democracy weakened through "internal disconsions and clash of rival groups" and emphasized that America's greatest need is to strongthen "our moral and spiritual defense."
Mr. Bush told the teachers that the 'recent Degislature "did not 'accomplish all that there is to be desired in educational reform and teacher welfare, but I do believe it made a long stride forward."
In a panel discussion with Arthur Moore and William Boggs, the interpreted the meaning of non-partisan election of school boards, the retirement fund and the Little Hatch Act in relation to teachers. Also mentioned were House Bills Nos. 7 and 104, teachers' salaries and certification of teachers.
Vöting by secret ballot the teachers elected Stanley Hall, J. C., "29, instructor in Glenville High School, president of the group, Arthur Moore, A. B. '35, vice-president, and Lucy Wolfe, A. B. '34, secretary-tressurer."

A glimpse of how the people of this region a century or so ago reared their families, furnished food, clothing and shelter and strove for recreation was furnished by displays of antiques at Glenville's annual Chemistry Day, May 19.

On display in the office of Carey Woofter, College registrar, were: A clock with wooden wheels, 160 years old and still running; a bear trap brought to the right-hand fork of Steer Creek in 1812; county histories, and contemporary books of the Givil war, a picture of students and texchers in Glenville State Normal School in 1881, abowing Miss Verona Maple and a Peruvian vase shout 250 years old from the Hearst collection, now the property of Miss Goldie C. James.

In Dr. J. C. Shreve's classroom were thirty-sic Currier and Ivea prints, collected and arranged by Mr. Woofter.

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Exhibits of antiques by Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Ball, of near Grantsville, included: Two spinning wheels and a reel, genuine blunderbus, Australian Bushman's war club; a ballot box used when Gilmer County was formed, numerous pistole, guns, and candle molds, and a quilt, handworen by Mrs. Ball's grandmother. Other exhibits included: West Virginia products, glassraare, pottery, exhibits in manufacturing the Kelly axe, chemicals produced in the estate; visual education equipment from several companies, a biology demonstration showing the dissection of a cat, demonstration of physics equipment, and physical education demonstrations, in cluding square dancing.

The librarians had a special book display, and the College dormitories held open houses throughout the afternoon.

A teacher who can arouse a feeling for one single good action, for one single good poem, accomplishes more than he who fills our memory with rows and rows of natural objects, classified with name and form.—You Goethe.

Optimism is the madness of maintaining that everything is eight when it is wrong. Voltairs.

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## PIONEER TENNIS **TEAM WILL MEET** TECH THIS WEEK

Match of Five Singles And Two Doubles to Be Played At Montgomery

Glenville's Pioneers will jump in-to the intercollegiate sports picture again Thursday afternoon when the White Wave tennis men head for Montgtomery to engage West Vi-ginia Tech in a match consisting of five singles and two doubles. The match is the first of the eight sched-uled matches recently amounted by

five singles and two doubles. The match is the first of the eight scheduled matches recently announced by Athletic Director A. F. Rohrbough. The schedule is as follows: May I.—West Virginia Tech at Montgomery; May 2, Fairmost at Glenville; May 3, West Virginia Tech at Glenville; May 9, Westeyan at Buckhannon; May 10, A.B at Philippi; May 16, A.B at Glenville; May 24, Fairmont at Fairmont.

Talent aplenty is available in the Pioneer net department, but practice sessions have been limited because of unfavorable weather. A tentative lineup for the Pioneers in the opener Thursday includes Fred Shreve, Bob Armstrong, Jack Miles, Arthur Short, Harold Scott and Robert Johnson:

Every intellectual product must be judged from the point of view of the age and of the people in which it was produced.—Walter Pater.

### L. HEFNER'S TEAM WINS 1ST GAME IN SOFTBALL LEAGUE

The College intramural softball league, organized the past week with Ted Hollot, Joe Marra, August Kafer and Lloyd Heffner, captains, got into action yesterday when Lloyd Heffner's nime defeated Ted Hollot's team, 7-3, at Rohrbough Field.

Guy Harris was on the mound and Lloyd Heffner behind the plate for Heffner's team. For Hollot's team, William Kafer pitched, Brooks Golden caught. Sammy Williams was the umpire. Early in the game, William Wolfe knocked a home run for the first score.

If the weather is suitable there will be a game every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, Games scheduled for the first round are Heffner vs. Hollot, Marra vs. Kafer, Hollot vs. Marra, Heffner vs. Kafer, Hollot vs. Kafer, and Heffner vs. Marra.

SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS TO BEGIN ON FRIDAY, MAY 30

Semester grades for seniors exempted from final examinations will be due in the office of the registrar May 21. Final class recitations for the semester will be May 29. Examinations will be held May 30 and 31 and June 2 and 3.

A woman is the most inconsistent compound of obstinacy and self-sacrifice that I am acquainted with.—Ritcher.



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# CIAL EVENTS of the WEEK

Dr. Eddy Speaks At YWCA Tea. Wednesday

To Harley B. Reger

The engagement of Miss Goldie Reynolds, A. B. '38, to Harley B. Reger, A. B. '36, of Ireland has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Reynolds of Glenville, parents of the bride to be. The wedding probably will take place in June.

Miss Reynolds, who teaches in Ganton, O., is a sister of Gladys Reynolds, College senior. Formerly she taught at Sand Fork.

Mr. Reger, a teacher in Walkersville High School, has done graduate work at Duke University. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reger, of Ireland.

## Ruth Berry To Marry Thomas Jennings Lawton

Mr. Thomas Wade Berry of Ad-ams Avenue, Clarksburg has an-nounced the engagement of his daughter, Ruth, to Thoma, Jennings Lawton of Jacksonville, Fla. Miss Berry, a former student in the College, was graduated from the Bullevue School of Nursing in New York.

Garnet Hamric, president of the Fellowship Forum group at the Presbyterian Church, conducted a song period using the new hymnals Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. Re-freshments consisted of cake and

## Miss Arbuckle Adviser To Sorores Amicae Club

Officers and members of the newly organized Sorores Amines (friendly sisters) Club are: President, Nina
Snyder; vice-president, Lucille Ton,
kin; secretary, June Taylor; treasurer, Lorent Lewis; Sue Brown, Tereas Butcher, Elma Emrick, Lucille
Kemper, Helen Light, Rems Strickland, Rose Marie Taylor and Catherine Withers.
Miss Alma Arbuckle, librarian, is
sponsor.

#### G Club Oueen



Three of Geoffrey Chaucer's Can-terbury Tales were told at the an-nual pilgrimage held by the Can-terbury Club Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

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The club met in Room 1 at the library, where Helen Heater told the Knight's Tale, Paul Beal, the Pardner's Tale and James Heater the Nun's Tale. The Pilgrimage ended at the Conrad restaurant, where refreshments were served. Place cards were drawn of the original Canterbury Pilgrims.

## Students Attend Party At Methodist Church

At Methodist Church

About twenty persons, most of them College students, atended a party at the Trinity Methodist Church. Thursday evening. Paul Beal and Mildred McClung directed games and Edna Lambert, Alia Blake and Maude Jones served refreshments. Chaperons were Mr. John R. Wagner, College instructor, and the Rev. G. J. Johnson, pastor.

## Maud Jones Leads Epworth League Program

Maud Jones was leader at an Ep-worth League program at the Trin-ity Methodis Church Sunday eve-ning. Brief talks on broadening the church training were given by Nancy. Lee Murphy and Alia Blake. Scrip-ture was read by Olive Myers.

#### In State Contest



Named queen to rule over the G Club ball here May 17 is Miss Catherine Withers, College freshman.

Canterbury Tales Told
At Annual Pilgrimage

Miss Gwendolyn Beall, above, of
Glenville, has been named by College
students to enter the race for "West
virginia's Loveliest College Girl"
and become queen of the annual
Springs.

Springs.

## Mercury Press Banquet To Be Held May 23

Journalism students are again this spring planning a Mercury Press banquet, scheduled for Friday, May 23, at the Whiting Tea Room. This will be the second of its kind, and more than fifty persons, including staff members and guests, are expected to attend.

pected to attend.

The following committees have been appointed: Program: Gwendo-lyn Beall, Clyde Dotson, Cleo Berry, Delis Blake; Decorations, Elizabeth Frysat, Earl Soencer, Jean McMillan, and Paul Beal; Tickets and finance, Earl MeDonald, Albert Woofter, and Don Hinkle.

ATHENS, GA.—(ACP)—University of Georgia co-eds think "There's son thing about a soldier" and accordingly 60 per cent voted that male students be required to take four years of compulsory military training.

The men, however, didn't take to the idea with the zest of the females. Only 40 per cent voted for the proposal.

EVANSTON.—(ACP) — North-western's Purple Parrot told of a student who urned in a 20-year-old term paper from his fraternity's files. He got an A minus, and a note from the prof, which, roughly, ran like this: "This was an A paper when I wrote it, and by golly it's still, worth an A minus!"

#### Tentative List of A. B. Seniors

Autumn Amos, Burnsville; Eva Amos, Burnsville; Aldrey Amos, Burnsville; Aldrey Basch, Weston; Goldia Bailes, Clay; Denver Ross Barnett, Burnsville; Audrey Basch, Weston; Gwendolyn Beal, Glenville; Cleo Delmer Berry, Vicars; Raymond Bodkin, Orton; Albert Brake, Auburn; Paul Brannon, Spencer, Marjoric A. Bush, Glenville; Johnson Burke, Cedarville; Robert Jackson Butcher, Cedarville; Toresa Butcher, Cedarville, Lowes, Studley, Walton, Marian, Midred Ruth Fitzpatrick, Glenvilles, Burnsville; Gerald Mason Cummings, Walton; Oskford Deitz, Richwood; Ross Allen Dever, Ansted.

Beulah Ellen Farnsworth, Linn, Midred Ruth Fitzpatrick, Glenville; Marger Edeliffe, Cairo; Josephine Coff, Haselgreen; Sarah Margaret Golden, Weston, Nay S. Hathaway, Waltback, Helen Maxine Heater, Weston; Charlotte Hefner, Burnsville, Margery Hefner, Burnsville; Theima Pierson Hill, Clay; Ruth Arohabel Hull, Cleavils, John Wesley Husk, Richwood; Kenneth Charles Hutchinson, Dun ca an; Augustine Hyre, Burnsville; Dixie Andrew Hyre, Burnsville, Dixie Andrew H

Agnes Wright, senior, taught y-rday in the Training School for iss Virginia Hall, who was ill. Ruth Fleming and Sarah Malcoh aited relatives and friends in Buck annon yesterday.

#### Lyric Theater

Tues., Wed., April 29-30
"DANCING ON A DIME"
Grace McDonald, Robert Paige,
Virginia Dale, William Frawleys,
Peter Hayes and Lillian Coroell. M. G. M.SHORT—PARAMOUNT NEWS

Thurs., May 1—One Day Only Victor McLalen in "DIAMOND FRONTIER"

Friday, Saturday, May 2-3
Gene Autry in
"RIDIN' ON A RAINBOW"

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