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MUSINGS A Column of Highlights From Here And There And Everywhere

(By E. Frances Myers)

Everyone is busy—teriffically, ussy. Even long-winded persons re-heard to give short answers; and dividuals, or groups of persons, asy be described as "in a dith-r"; pressure to finish all written rork is internal as well as external. And in the midst of it all, tudents, occasionally forget about class until it is over.

Tradition was broken at Marshall when a girl was elected student body president the past week. If the percentage of men in institutions of higher education is as much less in the fall of '43 as it proposes to be in '42, a sim illar change may be made in many colleges.

This is a week of "lasts!" In it is the last class for this semester; for many, the last class in the Col-lege; for some, the last class as a student role; for a few, perhaps,

a student role; for a few, perhaps, the last class. This week is held the last mest-ing of most of the clubs for this year; the last dance; the last confibed last dance; the last coffball game. During this week, close friends may have their last good talk, their last long walk; early next week may be their last "hello."

Loraine Con reflects the student frame of min.l about "Semester Exams" in the following verse:

When all the rooms are lit
And everyone is in,
We at once come to know
That tests will soon begin.
We loaf and play and idle
Until the week before;
Then we have to cram our brain
Until our heads are sore.

We read the tests and wonder Where we heard this one before; We begin to tear our hair And read the test once more. But, when they all are over, Before our grades are given, we sing and loaf and whistle; It seems to us like Heaven.

When we have heard our grades (We passed, but nothing more), We go about the College life Just as we did before. Oh, would that all of us would be Like some few remaining yet— They study well from day to day And have no need to fret.

But we each may have our choice But we each may nave our choice Read and learn as we go along To study as we may; Or do it all on testing day. Whether we be loafers, Or workers true and strong, We only hope that we can learn To work as we go along.

Seniors Expected To Give Assembly Program Tomorrow

Plans for a senior assembly program tomorrow, the last program to be given this year, are still indefinite, but included on the program probably will be a senior prophecy, read by Brooks Golden, a will read by Jack Miles, and a class peem read by Lillian Hefner.

Beanna Gainer and Sarah Malcolm may sing solos, and a preview of one of the commencement plays, "Star Struck," may be given.

NEW COUNCIL IN SESSION TO MAP PLANS FOR YEAR

Will Not Publish Handbook But Will Mimeograph Rules; Propose Cap Changes

Glenville's newly-elected Student Council vrasted little fime in getting started on plans for next year's campus activities and in ironing out routine matters that must be settled before graduation day comes along on June 3.

If caps are available, freshman boys of next year will be wearing girls' caps and vice-versa. This decision was made at a meeting of the new Council the past Tuesday. The Council also decided that there will be no handbook because of the high price of paper.

Play Casts Hold Dress Rehersals For 1-Act Dramas

Members of the cast of the tw Members of the cast of the two one-act Commencement plays, "Star-Struck" and "Workhouse Ward," scheduled for presentation Tuesday night, June 2, at 8:15 o'clock in the College auditorium, went into dress rehersals yesterday.

James Heater, College senior, who has been named head uwher, has not yet announced his assistants.

Advance ticket sales started this week. Admission is 30 cents, including federal tax. Seats will not be reserved.

Mrs. Butcher, Miss Willock Will Teach Here During Summer

Two new teachers will join the summer school faculty. Mrs. Roland Butcher, wife of the assistant country superintendent of schools, will teach courses in secretarial science; Miss Mary Frances Willock, now teaching in Montgomery High School, will teach art in the absence of Miss Margaret D. Kenney. Miss Willock taught at Shepherd College the past summer. She has a B. S. degree from New York University, an M. A. from Columbia University, She will be here the first six weeks term. Mrs. Butcher will teach all twelve weeks.

Yearbook Payments Are Due This Week

For reasons beyond control of the "Kanawhachen" staff, the delivery date of the annual will be delayed until May 30. Since a few students will be out of school at that time, it is necessary to make collectings for the final payment this week, take addresses, and send the book to their homes. If possible, the Staff would like to have payments from all students completed this week. Those who have not yet ordered books, and wish to do so, are asked to see those collecting final payments, which may be made in Administration hall until Thursday neen.

Glenville, West Virginia, Tuesday, May 26, 1942 They'll Meet Again On June 3





Council also decided that there was be no handbook because of the high price of paper. Instead of the handbook, freshmen will receive mimeographed pamphlets containing such information as rules, orientation program, constitution and College yells. Other information previously found in the dandbook will be found in the College catalog. No appropriation was made for an annual next year because of wartime conditions. The Council met Thursday and made a temporary budget for next year. Gienville Seniors, other students, is members of the faculty, townspeople the and other visitors will welcome a in distinguished American educator in a tip person of U. S. Senator Joseph un Rosier here Wednesday, June 3, at M. Rosier here Wednesday, June 3, at Senator Joseph Rosier When

Campus Visitor Gives First-Hand Story of Pearl Harbor Bombing of December 7

(by E. Frances Myers)

First-shand accounts of the December 7 bombing of Pearl Harbor came to the campus Sunday when Mrs. W. R. Yingling, Jr., wife of a mariner, visited Mrs. Inogene P. Bennett.

"We lived just two blocks from the harbor, and sirplanes flew so low over our house that we could even see the helmets on the Japanese pilots," recalled Mrs. Yingding, "We saw airplanes shot down and ships blown up, and since the harbor on Sunday.

"After the planes left the first time, the women and children went to the church recreation hall and Y. W. K. A. building for shelter, When they came again, many ran into the sugar cane."

"Since the first bombing." Mrs. Yingling said, "There has been continual blackout, and no civilian is allowed out of the house after 9 o'clock at night. For the first infraction of these regulations, the here this summer.

Pres. Rohrbough Tells Gassaway Seniors

Music Planned For Exercises Here On May 31 And June 3

The women's chorus of the Choral Class and the College band will have parts on the music program for the baccalaureate sermon and the commencement exercises, announces Miss Berths E. Olsen.

For the baccalaureate sermon. Sunday merning, May 31, the Chorus will sing "Ave Marie" by Aredeit and "I waited for the Lord" by Mabel Daniels.

For the graduation on Wednesday, June 3, the chorus will offer Mabel Daniels' "June Rhapsody" and the band will play Hayes' "Determined Overture."

76 SENIORS WILL GET A. B. DEGREE

23 Will Meet Requiremen for Secondary Work; 53 for Elementary

Glenville seniors, other students, members of the faculty, townspeeple and other visitors will welcome a distinguished American educator in the person of U. S. Senator Rosier taught at Glenville, members of the faculty, townspeeple and other visitors will welcome a distinguished American educator in the person of U. S. Senator steps the Glenville State Normal School, and their visitors will welcome a distinguished American educator in the person of U. S. Senator to serve a two-year the services which will mark the close of another College granduation exercises which will mark the close of another College by an description of the Service of the Senator Rosier in secondary deduction and their subject fields include: Billy Adams. mathematics, physical and general science, and biological and general science, and biological and general science, social studies; Rosantar of the Salen public schools from 1891 to 1893, later was superintendent of the Salen public schools from 1891 to 1893, later was superintendent of the Bailty and the secondary deduction and social studies; Rosantar Senator Rosier with the district of Rosier students of the Salen public schools from 1891 to 1893, later was superintendent of the Bailty of the Salen public schools from 1891 to 1893, later was superintendent of the Bailty of the Salen public schools from 1891 to 1893, later was superintendent of the Fairmont city schools from 1890 to 1915, when he became cudence of June 3 who will consider Senator Rosier a stranger. He may be to Dr. E. Grown and the service of the Salen public schools from 1890 to 1915, when he became cudence of June 3 who will consider Senator Rosier and the service of the Salen public schools from 1890 to 1915, when he became cudence of June 3 who will consider Senator Rosier as stranger. He may be to Dr. E. G. Robrator Rosier was superintendent of the Fairmont city schools from 1890 to 1915, when he became cudence of June 3 who will consider Senator Rosier and the service of the Salen Public Schools from 1890 to 1915,

all read by Jack Miles, and a class poem read by Lillian Hefner.

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MUSIC CONCERT WILL BE GIVEN SATURDAY NIGHT

Guest Soloists Will Be Eddie Chapman And Miss Roanna Gainer

The College music department, with Eddie Chapman, former stud-ent, and Roanna Gainer, College senior, featured soloists, will present a Spring Concert Saturday night at 8:15 in the auditorium under the direction of Miss Bertha E. Olsen, music instructor.

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night at 8:15 in the auditorium under the direction of Miss Bertha E. Olsen, music instructor.

The College band will open the concert with the following numbers: "Pilgrim's Chorus," (Tannhauser) by Wagner; "Bohemian Girl," by Balfe; "The Morry Widow," by Lehar; and "The Old Timer's Waltz," arranged by Lake, Trumpet Solos by Charles Heasley will be "Lieblestraum," by Lisat, and "Viennese Echoen," by Strauss.

The chorus will sing "Land of Our Hearts," by Chadwick; "The Townsman," by Holliday; and "The Hundred Pipers," a Scottish song.

The women's chorus will follow with "A Prayer," by Redman, and "Our Heroes," by Tachakicwaky.

Mr. Chapman's first two solos will be Schubert's "Ava Maria" and Strauss' "Major and Minor." His last will be "The Corps," dedicated to the U. S. Marine Corps.

Two women's chorus numbers, "Massa Dear," by Dvorak, and "Under The Silver Stars," a Cuban song arranged by Loomis, will preceed solos by Miss Gainer, who will sing "Sylvia," by Speaks; "Only a Rose," by Frim!; and "When the Roses Bloom Again," by Kent.

"In the Time of Roses," by Lewis; and "The Home Road," by Carpenter will be sung by the full chorus.

Concluding the program will be John Philip Sousa's "The Liberty Bell by the Chorus and the band.

Everett Withers Is Chief Speaker At Press Banquet

biological and general science; Eugene Williams, English and social studies.

Al complete list of candidates for the A. B. degree and their home address appears elsewhere in this issue that the same appears of Mercury Published During 1941-'42 Year

With this issue, the Mercury will complete publication efforts for the second semester.

Twenty-eight issues have appeared during the year, September to Jupe, and the circulation has been approximately 790, including a 100 per cent distribution to students and faculty.

Free copies have gone weekly to about 75 high schools, state and out-of-state colleges and to graduates and former students now serving in the U. S. armed forces.

Though not all graduates and former students now serving in the U. S. armed forces.

Though not all graduates and former students in the service have received copies weekly, the staff members have tried to compile as complete a mailing list of these persons as possible.

Plans for publishing a paper during the Summer School, which will open June 8, are incomplete at this time.

ENTERS NAVAL TRAINING.

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College Graduation Still An Achievement Worth Mentioning

For four years the members of the present graduating class have "foutht a good fight." They are now about to receive the tangible reward for that effort, a diploma. Their real gain, however, is far more significant and of greater value than any material designation. The personal development that they gradually obtained through the period of their college years, what we team becoming educated, is what makes the time, effort and money spent really worth while.

It has become increasingly common within the last few years for people to get a college degree. For that reason, there is a tendency on the part of some to look toward the consummation of college training as being of less importance. That view is unfortunate, for in the world today a college degree is more of an essential than ever before. If the world is to be made to abound with freedom and justice and kept that way it will have to be done by those who through training and ability are equipped to do the job.

The parents of the present seniors should feel proud of their sons and daughters as they see them graduated. The members of the graduating class are justified in at least a momentary feeling of pride in achievement. Couple with that the realization that they are to be graduated into a world of responsibilities that will call for the application of the utmost of their skill and training, and you have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accomplishment that graduation real have a picture of the accompl

Tire Rationing May Be Boon To Higher Grades, Better Work

After next week, college students, what next? One is faced with many choices if he is not eligible for militarly service; in case he is, his decision is already made. A closely defined single path lies before him.

Whatever one chooses to do, wherever he or she chooses to be, it is certain that conditions will be vastly different from those of a year ago. We are faced with conditions of a total war; a war that demands our first consideration and best efforts at home, on the farm, in the factory, or in college. To saly we must make sacrifices seems almost trite, and it is not wholly truthful. Sacrifices will be made on the battlefields, but if we do not give of our time, our money, our essential materials, our blood even now, real sacrifices for all of us may come later.

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We are undergoing a necessity restriction that is one of insidious outgrowths of a war forced upon a democracy, the rationing of daily necessities. We have begun to look upon our automobiles as absolutely essential for the normal functioning of our daily lives, but without these or gasoline they will become, as they formerly were, an unnecessary liability for the average citizen. Will this unsatisfactory condition not have its compensating good?

In the past it has been the custom for many college students to either drive a car or hitch-hike home for the week-end vacations. This was enjoyable to the students, but it seriously detracted from their study time in many instances, and resultad in poorer college work. The lack of ready automobile transportation may force future students to spend more time on the college campus, which will result in a relative [greater time for studies. This should be conducive to a higher level of work in general, and certainly a greater interest and participation in campus organizations. Thus may come a virtue out of necessity.

Now Is The Time For A Heart-To-Heart Check-Up

The end of the school year with its accompanying examinations makes this season an appropriate one for a personal inventory of growth and progress. The months have passed, the time spent. Has this time been wasted or has it been used to develop a deeper intellecutual and spiritual background than existed a year ago? To determine this, one might ask himself some of the following questions:

Is my understanding of and appreciation for good or beautiful any wider?

Am I more tolerant of the ideas of others and more charitable toward associates?

Has my sense of responsibility toward doing a thing well become greater?

Are the interests which I have now more mature? Will they be worth-while ten years from now?

Have I given back to the world as much as it has given me?

Have I put enough of myself into my work to merit the honors I have reieived?

Has my culture deepened so that my speech and manners are all in good taste?

are all in good taste?
Is my self-control stronger?
Am I sincere with others, and, above all, with myself?
Such a check-up, if made in good faith, may prove just
availuable for successful living as the tests of knowledge
which seem so important just now.—P. D. R.

Her Collegiate Record Proves Her Faith In This Philosophy

"Wise man, is there any way
That I can stretch the edge of day?
Wisdom lies in how you fit
Life into the days of it."
These four lines written by Kieth Thomas and quoted by
Marjorie Harden, former Mercury news editor, at the third
annual Mercury banquet Friday night contain a very real
truth for her and for all who heard her quote them. Having
just completed a year of teaching in a one-room school composed of, to quote, "the dearest children in Roane County."
Miss Harden has often felt the need of stretching the edge of
day, but wisdom has always come to the rescue, and life has
been well fitted into the days of it.

Miss Harden has earned her second-class collegiate elementary certificate in the College and plans to continue work
here periodically until she receives the A. B. degree. She is
one of the few students who made all A's her first semester in
the College.—E. Frances Myers.

Lapers

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A Column of Spice And
Life for College Males
And Females

Reynolds Brooks puts the pressure on Sue Brown as the year comes to a near end . . . J. Westfall has her Inderstudy, G. Bustfall has her Inderstudy in the region of C. Underwood . . Robert Fidler has been slowed up by the rain but thinks he will be able to make hay when the sun shines . . Jack Conrad has made application for a job at Charleston. M. J. Bush will be living in the large city this summer.

Steryl Brown is trying out the field of College girls but seems unable to make a choice . . . Charlest Wilson int's seen on the fill as often since Imogene Hamkrick moved over Camden Flata way . . . Sammy Wilson keeps right on expressing his wants for the lovely E. Oskome . . . John Tyson restream to school after another round with some branch of the service . . . Waitman Balles settles down to the redhead and lets the rest of the world flicker on. Winston Shelton hasaft time to play softball because he myslay tennis with the fair Alice Lee Marple . . . Madelyn Conrad is in her seventh heaven as school ends at West Virginia University and Bill Kidd returns home for a short stay . . . If Clyde Dotton wrote is sane editorial in the paper the past week, then I don't know what Brisbane is talking about . . . What has happened to the Kan of Korn?

Brooks Golden and Dorothy Queen stay in the groove and wait for the finals to roll around Jack Stalnsker and Nina Snyder have the edge on the rest of the couples when it rains . . . Janes Shumate and Goldie Tawney stay on the narrow path and under the lights . . . Lois Sheline has made a choice at last, Earle Speneer . . . Flash Payne stbys strictly to her home work and lets her night work side . . . Lillian Hefner has bought a season ticket to the bus to Charleston since Duck has been miployed at the capital to the bus to Charleston since Duck has been employed at the capital to the bus to Charleston since

Student Presidents Expect Interesting Summer Experiences

What are the Saudent Council presidents going to do this summer? Both of them, Robert Fidler, retiring president, and Steryl Brown new president, are now in Uncle Sam's forces, though on the inactive list. Since this is so, Fidler looks forward with anticipation to his service in the Naval Air Corps where he will go soon after June 3. He was sworn into sorvice in March in Washington, D. C., and granted leave to finish his college work.

work.

Brown, now in U. S. Marines, was given his oath of office May 15 and placed on the inactive list until he is graduated next spring. Because of his duties as president next year, he would like to attend Summer School, but does not expect to. He will be working this summer, instead. Just what he will do, he doesn't know, but he probably will be employed in Washington, D. C.

Dean White Speaks At Graduation For Circleville Seniors

Circleville Seniors

Dean H. Laban White spoke at the twelfth annual commencement at Circleville High School the past Thursday night on the subject "Then Conquer We Must."

Other highlights of the program were addressed senior at a discovery of the program were addressed by Hugh Hendrick and Dwite Arementroht, salutator, ian and valedictorian, respectively, presentation of award, and diplomas by Floyd J. Dahmer and H. Mahlon Lambert, special music by a girls' chorus, and a duo-piano quartet including Mrs. Cornelia F. Dyhre and Elfelda Judy and Walter B. Judy and Hubert Raines.

Dean White was the principal apeaker at Wirt County High School Friday morning, May 15, and addressed seniors at Eleanor High School the evening of the same day. His subject at both place, was a student at the U. S. Navil Resident of the Why".

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Bantz were to Norfolk, Vo. last say, "High weeks which takes week for ten days of duty and to be physics in five weeks which takes week for ten days of duty and to be physics in five weeks which takes



The Robert F. Kidd Library

When the children in the grades give their book reports, they tell part of the story and say, "You can read and see what happens." This artrile is supposed to tell just enough to get you interested. An Oxford don (teacher) and his very attractive young wife are chosen for a dangerous mission in Germany, in the summer of 1939. They are selected just because they are taking their usual sammer vacation on the continent, and can act like ordinary tourists, while following out their work. Their mission is to discover the whereabouts of an Anti-Nazi agent. What happens to likeable Fran and Richard in "Above Suspicion" by Helen MacInnes is for "you to read and find out."

"Dragon Seed", another book we paul Rukk is the took of the second of

"Dragon Seed", another book by Pearl Buck, is the story of a Chinese family that has at least one peculiar member. One of the brothers loves his wife very dearly. The other men of the family ridicule him for his love. Another son owns a store. Patriotic Chinese raid and destroy his store when he sells Japanese merchandise. What happens to this Chinese family when the Japanese invade China? "Read and find out."

he reads "Windswept", the story of a house on the Maine coast. It stands on a high promontory overlooking the sea. The Marstons built the house in the early 1880's and thereafter made it the cherished center of their lives. The book is a chronicle of the fortunes of the family, their friends and relatives, from before the building of Windswept to 1939.

"My Friend Flicka" by Mary O'Hara is the story of a dreamy ten-year-old youngster growing up on a western ranch, where his father, an ex-army officer, raised blooded horses. Life became real to Ken when his father gave him a colt, a filly named Flicka. But Flicka had a wild strain in her blood, and—"read and find out."

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Answers to questions found elsewhere in this issue may be found in "The Oxford Companion to American Literature." Designate to serve as a useful companion for student, and general readers of American literature, this book provides ready references, not only to material concerning the written word in America but also to many allied subjects. Included in it are: Biographies, novels, stories, essays, poems, plays, literary awards, book collectors, printers, magazines, and anthologies.

OTHER EDITORS

We Need Recreation

We Need I We Need I We with the likelihood of gasoline rationing reaching into West Virginia July I, just after most drivers had thought they had gained a respite, the "talk" among city council members at the meeting Tuesday night about cleaning up Lowndes park and installing fire-places there was encouraging. With no gas, hundreds of Clarksburgers who normally pile the family into the old buggy for a spin along the highway will find the garage the proper place for cars now. And if the government comes along with tire requisitions—a move which is not to be lightly dismissed—then recreation will have to be based on Shank's Mare.

It is a pity, of course, that Clarksburg, the fourth largest city in the state, has not seen fit to develop a public park system;

with ovens and fireplaces, picnic benches, and a swimming pool; breathing spaces for city dwellers. Lacking these facilities, we are now faced with the necessity of making some provision for summer recreation. The city park commission has no money, but thas a wonderful piece of property in the old fairgrounds. Lowndeapark needs cleaning of underbrush and building of fireplaces. These two pieces of property call for community enterprise. Other cities, through their park commissions and elected officials, have called upon the citizens of the town to help chity this parks. Donations of labor and time and cash have made them proud of their park systems. We need the same spirit here.—From The Clarksburg Exponent, Thursday, May 21.

RADIO RHYTHMS

Brief Notes About Band Leaders—Hit Tunes of The Day

By Jack Stalnaker, Bill Wheeler
This being the last issue of the
semester, we shall offer a brief,
review of the bands we have liked
throughout the year.

Glen Miller, first to get mention in this column, ends up first
in most of the polls that were held
to pick the top dance bands of the
country. He is now in Hollywood
making the picture "Orchestra
Wife" and may be heard Tuesday,
Wednecday, and Thursday ovenings at 7:15 p. m.
Guy Lombardo, who came
next with his "Sweetest Music
This Side of Heaven," is now on
tour of the theaters. Benny Godman, "The King of Swing," followed Lombardo and is also notheard on any radio program allowed Lombardo and is also notheard on any radio program and
present, but is on tour of the theaters. Next came Gene Krupa,
considered to be the best drumner
in the world except by Tommy
Dorsey fans who stick to Buddy
Rich Krupa is on tour."
"Sammy Kaye and his "Swing
and Sway" music appeared next.
At present Kaye is in Hollywood
making a picture with Sonja
heine entitled, "Teelandia." Lastweek he opened at the Essex
House in New York. Duke Ellington, leader of the only Negro orchestra featured, is probably the
greatest musical figure the Negro
race has produced. At present he
is appearing at a night club in
San Francisco. "That Sentimental
Gentleman" Tommy Dorsey was
next with probably the best of allround bands in the country today.
Not only being conceded the
smartest showman in music, he
san always, for the last ten years,
had a great band. He is now playing at the Hotel Astor in New
York.

Yew Kwar known each Wed-

ing at the Hotel Astor in New York.

Kay Kyser, known each Wednesday night as "The Old Professor." followed Dorsey. Kyser's band has little musical value, but so an entertaining band it rates at the very top. The Kyser program can be heard each night from the "Meadowbrook" at Cedar Grove, New Jersey.

Eddie Duchin, last of the banda mentioned, is expecting a call from Uncle Sam at any time. His band is now playing at the Palmer House in Chicago.

William Whetsell finds the West Benn store a pleasant place to dance, but we wouldn't recommend it to too many, for complications may arise.

Argel E. Jordon, former student, is located at the Coast Guard Training Station near Curtiss Bay, Maryland.

Robert D. Shreve, A. B. '38, is now training as an air cadet at Shaw Field, Sumter, S. C.

Carey Wootter, College registrar, received a card the past week from Kenneth Hylbert, a former student, now located at Randolph Field, Texas.

Field, Texas.

'A change of addres, received for Private James Wootter, A. B. 41, who has been transferred from Jefferson Barracks, Mo., to 23rd Technical School Squatron (Special), Fort Logan, Colorado.

How Would You Score on This?

(See "Library Notes", page 2)
Who or What are the following?
Many of them have two meanings; one in everyday language, the other in American literature.

(1) Abbe's Irish Rose, (2) Hasty pudding, (3) Moon calf, (4) Octoroon, (5) The Virginian, (6) Zury, (7) Yankee Doodle, (8) Frankie and Johnnie, (9) Dynamo, (10) Deadwood Dick, (11) Lew Sarett, (12) Judgment day, (13) Calamity Jane.

The College Commuters will hold their annual picnic tomorrow eve-ning.

eighteen in college."

The most surprising part of the course, he has written, is the difficulty and speed with which the ground classes are given. He is thrilled with flying and says, "There is nothing like it."

EVENTS of the WEET

Eight cabinet members installed at a meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Thursday night in the College leunge were: President, Ianie Bingman; secretary, Virginia Samples; treus-uer, Jean Boggs; world fellowship chairman, E. Frances Myers; pro-gram chairman, Eunice Wilfong; membership chairman, Anan Mary Mearns; and worship chairman, Car-olyn Sims.

Because of inclement weather, the club changed its outdoor marsh-mallow roast into an inside graham-cracker-marshmallow toast.

GOLF CLUB WILL SPONSOR
DANCE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3
The Glenville Golf Club will sponsor a dance to be held Wednesday
evening, June 3, at the club house.
Admission will be 25 cents as person, including tax, and the public is
invited. Committee in charge of arrangemens includes Mrs. A. F.
Robrbough, Mrs. J. Wilbur Beall,
Elmer Shaver and Linn B. Hickman.
Plans for the dance were made at
a meeting of the Club members
Sunday evening, following a picnic
arranged for members and their
families, and attended by 58 persons.

Glenn L. Brown and Miss Newland Married

Announced the past week was the marriage of Mr. Glenn Life Brown, A. (B. '40, of Weston, and Miss Pauline Newland, of Bluefield. The cemony was performed April 10, at St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Wheeling.

Wheeling.

Mrs. Brown, a graduate of Concord Teachers College, has for the past few years been principal of a graded school at Bluefield. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B.

on elementary schools, is a son Mr. and Mrs. David E. Brown.

About Sixty Persons At Junior-Senior Desnoc Approximately sixty persons danced to the record player and the strains of the Freshman Orchestra or played quiet games at the junior-senior prom in the gymnasium satural player and the gymnasium was festioned. The gymnasium was festioned with red and white stream; s and small baskets of cut flowers tacked to the pillars. Each guest received a reserved at the door.

CHANGE MADE IN COU

Canterburians Enjoy Annual May Breakfast

Because of inclement weather, the Canterbury Club May Breakfast, annually held at the Beeches, was held this year in the spartment of Miss Willa Brand, club adviser. Three freshmen members of the Club told dog stories. Janie Bingman told "Ab Dog of Flanders" by Louise De La Ramee, Janette Cunningham told "Rab and His Friends" by John Brown, and Brooks Walker told "Hero" by Albert Payson Terhune.

fune.

The tradiaional menu consisting of bacon, eggs, rolls, bananas and coffee was served.

Miss Marjorie Harden, S.N. '40, a former member of the Club, was a guest.

Davis-Warfield Wedding To Be Event of June

Miss Elouise Margaret Davis, A.
B, '35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Robert E. Davis, of DeKalb, near
Glenville, will marry Mr. Harry S.
Warfield, of Vienna and Newark,
O. The event will be early in June.
Miss Davis, who also has attended
West Virginia University and Ohio
University, for the past five years
has taught in the Parkersburg
schools.
Mr. Warfield

Mr. Warfield, a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Warfield of Vienna, is employed by the Pure Oil Company at Newark, O.

SETTLE THE ARGUMENT

(From The New Yorker)
A little fact I'd like to gleam:
Do I say Stalin or Stalin?,
Which brings that knotty point again in:

Which the gain in:

Is it Lenin? Or is it Lenin,
I'll have to send a go-between
To Litvinoff, Or else Litvinoff.

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Seniors To Have Wiener Roast Friday

The Senior class will hold a wiener roast at the home of Miss Besis Boyd Bell Friday evening. Each Senior will be assessed 25 cents and only members of the Class will be admitted. The roast will start between 7 and 8 p. m. and list until 1045 p. m.

Members of Alpha Psi Omega, national dramatic fraternity, initiated four pledges, Rosanna Gainer, Helen Taylor, Lorene Lewis Wolfe, and James Dotson into the campus Theta Alpha Cast Wednesday night. The initiation took place, in true dramatic style, on the stage in the auditorium, Cast Director Richard Harper, assisted by Eunice Wilfong, Charles Heasley, Clyde Dotson, Donzel Betts and Miss Kathleen Robertson, faculty adviser, officiated.

Cox-Forman Marriage Event Of May 10

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An announcement has been received of the marriage of Mr. Leonard Cox, former student, to Miss
Gladys Forman of East Chicago,
Ind, The ceremony was performed
May 10, at Indiana Harbor, Ind.
The bride is a daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Clyde C. Forman formerly of Morgantown. At the time of
her marriage she was employed in
East Chicago.

Mr. Cox is a son of the Rev. and
Mrs. Friend H. Cox of Letter Gap
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Mr. Fox is a son of the Rev. and Mrs. Friend H. Cox of Letter Gap After attending the College, he enrolled in the U. S. Naval Reserve Officer's Training school at North-western University. At the present time he is employed as an inspector in the Standard Forgings Corp. plant in East Chicago.

Harold Pickens, a former student, was best man. A wedding supper was served by Mrs. Homer Berry, the bride's aunt, and Mrs. Hilda Pickens Gillispic, a former student. The young couple will be at home in East Chicago at 3504 Hemlock Street.

Plans for a part in the freshma Plans for a part in the freesman orientation program and other activ-ities next year were made Sunday during a Y. W. C. A. cabinet "re-treat." A civic relations chairman Evelyn Reese, was appointed.

CHANGE MADE IN COURSE OF ACADEMIC PROCESSION

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A change in the course of academic procession was announced yesterday by Dean H. L. White. Seniors, faculty, speakers, and guests will assemble at the gymnasium and march to the Hardman corner, opposite the Training School building, up College Street and will enter the old building, thence to the auditorium. In case of rain, the procession will be shortened. Formerly the procession moved from the gymnasium by way of Robert F. Kidd Library to Administration Hall.

For the baccalaureate sermon, seniors will meet in Room 209 and march in a bddy to the auditorium. Seniors will weer caps and gowss for both the baccalaureate sermon and graduation exercises: members

and graduation exercises: member of the faculty will wear caps an gowns only for the graduation.

MRS. C. P. HARPER ILL IN CLARKSBURG HOSPITAL

IN CLARKSBURG HOSPITAL
Mrs. Charles P. Harper, who was
taken to a Clarkeburg hospital
Thursday morning, is convalescing
as well as could be expected after
the birth and death of an infant
son, Thomas Lee Harper, for whom
final rites were conducted Friday at
Upper Tract, in Pendleton County.

KEITH GETS LAW DEGREE
AT WASHINGTON AND LEE

AT WASHINGTON AND LEE Jack Keith, former student, was graduated with the Bachelor of Law degree at Washington and Lee University in Lexington, Va., the past week. Keith is a brother of Taylor Keith, junior in the College.

BEST WISHES, SENIORS!

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G. Club Members To Have Banquet Sunday Evening

Members of the G Club met yes

(1) Voted to have a banquet at 6:30 p. m. Sunday at the Hotel Conrad. (2) Elected officers for the com-

ing year.

Those elected were: President, Billy Karantonis, junior of Colcord; vice-president, Earle Spencer, junior of Richwood; secretary-treasurer, William Whetsell, junior, of

er, William Whetsell, Junior, or Kingwood. All members of the Club will at-tend the banquet and guests will be Linn B. Hekman, A. F. Rofirbough, Roanna Gainer, Lois Sheline and

To Speak Here



Dr. John W. Elliott, president of Linn B. Hickman, A. F. Rohrbough, Roanna Gainer, Lois Sheline and Pauline Burke.

Miss Gainer is the G Club queen for 1942 and Miss Burke and Miss Sheline the princesses. Engraved enecklaces will be presented the queen and the princesses at the baccalaureate sermon for gleen and the princesses at the part of the princesses at the prin

Seniors, Faculty Will Attend President's Reception Thursday From 8:30 to 11:00

table.

Dining room sides will be Miss Grace Lorentz, Miss Alma Arbuckle, Mrs. C. L. Underwood, Miss Kathleen Robertson, Mrs. C. W. Post, Mrs. Arlan Berry and the Misses Evelyn and Mary Alice Wagner and E. Frances Myers.

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President and Mrs. E. G. Rohrbough will netratin at their residence with a reception for College seniors and faculty Thursday evening from 8:30 to 11:00 o'clock. Guests admitted at the door by James Dotson, a freshman, will be introduced to President and Mrs. Rohrbough by Steryl Brown, student-body president.

Mrs. Linn B. Hickman and Miss Bessie Boyd Bell will invite guests to the dining room.

Miss Willa Brand, Mrs. A. F. For the past six years he has for the past six years he has and Mrs. Raymond E. Freed will pour coffee and serve ices at the table.

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The last Y. W. C. A. Vespers will be held at 4:30 o'clock Sunday act-ternoon in the College Lounge. James Heater, College senior, will give the inspirational reading.

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A. F. ROHRBOUGH SAYS GLENVILLE MUST PROVIDE PLAYGROUNDS FOR HER YOUTH; PLEDGES EFFORTS IN STARTING PROGRAM

Rotarians Will Hear Committee Report on Project at Luncheon Thursday; Vacant Lots Already Available

A. F. Rohrbough, College coach and director of athletics, is convinced that Glenville needs now, more than ever, a recreation program that will provide playgound facilities for the community's youth, particularly youngsters between six and twelve years of age.

Speaking before the Rotary Club Thursday, he cited need for adequate recreation facilities, declaring he was interested in the program and pledged himself to work for its realization at the earliest moment.

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Rotarians approved his suggestions, referred the project to a committee of three, and President J. C. Shreve added Rohrbough as a fourth member of the committee, which was asked to study the matter, prepare suggestions to be presented at a luncheon Thursday.

Rohrbough, who prefaced his talk by reading an editorial (see page 2 of the Mercury) from the Clarksburg Exponent, emphasized local needs for recreational activities. He cited that tire and gasoline rationings have put civilians on their feet, have, and even more so will continue to cut down the customary Sunday afternoon trips into the country and to nearby parks, thereby leaving parents and youngsters to stay at home and provide an entertainment of their own.

parents and youngsters to stay at home and provide an entertainment of their own. He called attention to the many youngsters in Glenville who just now have completed a year's schooling and are ready for a summer's play. These youngsters, he said, need a supervised playground so they can get off the streets, learn to play correctly and be safe. Robrbough reminded that great recreation programs in the larger cities hed started from small beginnings such as might develop right here in Glenville. He said cooperation and a little work were about the only requirements just now, that heavy financial contributions or assessments would not be needed.

Several vacant lots in Glenville already have been offered, provided groups will be responsible for planning programs and supervising play activities.

Robrbough left no doubt in the

activities.
Rohrbough left no doubt in the minds of his audience that he plans to pursue the program as far as he can and that he intends to contact all organizations in an effort to get the activities started immediately.

Work Slowed Up

Because of unexpected difficulties in getting supplies transported, work on the new science hall is moving at a slower pace, and contractors think they may have to ask for an extension in time.

At present workers are installing salt glazed tile for the interior walls on the first floor.

Brick and back-up tile are near the roof level. Shipments of cornice and salt glazed tile, which were temporarily held up, have been released, and as soon as transportation facilities permit, deliveries will be made. Heating fixtures, plumbing and electrical roughing are almost completed.

Wood window fews.

Worth Quoting

"What is (Christianity! In the home, kindness; in business, honesty; in society, courtesy; in work fairness. For ward the weak, help; toward the pentient, forgiveness; toward the pentient, forgiveness; toward God, reverence and love."—From Presbyterian Church Bullein.

Do not keep the aliabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed up until your friends are dead.—Beecher.

RADCLIFF TAKES TOP HONORS IN LEAGUE BATTING

Freshman Athlete Sets Pace in College Softball Games; Average Is .567

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Joe Radeliff, College freshman, to Weston, bounded back into the lead for individual batting honors the past week when he had a perfect day, got two doubles and a single in three trips to the plate.

Warren Lamb, a junior, of Glensville, who has alternated with Radeliff at the head of the batters throughout the season, couected only one hit in four trips to the plate to lower himself from first place to second. Billy Karantonis, a junior of Colcord, moved from seventh to third place, while Sammy Wijliams, a junior of Spencer, received three free passes in three trips to the plate, hig batting average remaining the same, but dropped from third to fourth place in the race for individual honors.

The names of ten leading hitters of the league follow:

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Radcliff	37	21	.567
Lamb	39	200	.513
S. Williams		15	.470
Cross	26	11	.423
Armstrong	37	15	.406
Wheeler	35	14	.400
Reed	36	14	.388
Lilly	37	14	.378
Marra	35	13	.374
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Pioneers Will Play Eagles In Football

A football game previously scheduled with Shepherd, November 7, has been shifted to November 14, and in its place the Pioneers will play Morris Harvey at Charleston. Coach A. F. Rohrbough says the 8-game schedule will be carried through unless more serious complications arise, which is not likely. The schedule is as follows: September 26, Potomac State, (away); October 3, Bethany (away); October 3, Bethany (away); October 31, Fairmont, (here); October 24, West Virginia Tech (away); October 31, Fairmont, (here); November 14, Shepherd (away);

On Science Hall White, Cross Are Leading Pitchers

Forest White, a senior, of Web-ster Springs, and Ralph Cross, Soph-omore, of Lost Creek, are the two pitchers who turned in the most im-pressive records in the current soft-ball season. White and Cross each finished the past week with four wins and one loss. Only other pitcher in the league to have more wins to his credit is Beecher Reed, freshman, of Glen-ville, who won five and lost four to get an earned-run greater than White or Cross.

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Sports Chatter

(By William Whetsell)
"Hook", "slice", "dub", "birdie", "par", and "putting", lingo
heard on any golf course, made
an enthusiastic debut into College circles the past week as students visited Glenville's golf
course, later discussed the results
of their initial try-out there.
After attending morning classes and lunch, many students
courght rides to the Glenville
course, one mile northeast of
town, and tried their skill on the

tourse, one mine northeast of town, and tried their skill on the rolling fairways and sand greens. Frominent among Glenville golfers are Dean H. Laban White, Coach A. F. Rohrbough, and R. E. Freed. Coach Rohrbough, usually a portside hitter, shifts his game from left to right with ease, and gets fairly good results. Dean White, a lover of the game, can make it tough for any one on the local course; and, Mr. Freed, a man who likes results in the classroom, gets results on the golf course, too.

College students, who have joined with the young golfers of

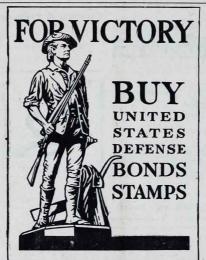
Jr., Mark R. Smith, an up and coming young girl golfer of the town, and Peggy Adams, are: Jack Miles, Jack Keister, William William William Lake Fitzpatrick, Clar-ence Underwood, George Tharp, Robert Fidler, and Joe Rodriguez.

Golf, a fascinating game, af-fords exercise and access to two elements most important to health—sunshine and fresh air. The faculty of the College, realizing the importance of golf as a means of healthful exercise, offers golf in the summer on the physigolf in the summer on the physi-cal education program. To make it more convenient to students' finances, local golf club officials cooperate with the faculty by re-ducing the fee for students at-tending the summer term.

tending the summer term. College students in the future will, more than likely, be able to perticipate in intercollegiate golf along with such other sports as footbell and basketball. At least, that is the hope of the writer of this column.

the town, namely, Goff Summers, Jr., Mark K. Smith, an up and

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SPENCER AND LAMB CLINCH LEAD IN SOFTBALL LEAGUE: TWO GAMES RAINED OUT: FINAL CONTEST TODAY

Forest White Pitches Shut-Out Ball As Lilly and Radcliff Down Golden And Reed, 9 to 0

And Reed, 9 to 0

Intramural softball, Team No. 2, Spencer and Lamb, having already clinched the championship, will come to a close this evening when the champions will play the runners-up Team No. 4, Lilly and Radcliff, in the final scheduled game. The champions clinched the title with a win over Team No. 3, Whetsell and Marris, the past week. Results of the past week's play were: Monday, Lilly and Radcliff over Golden and Reed, 9-0; and Wednesday, Spencer and Lamb over Whetaell snd Mara, 13-4. Two games were rained out, one Wednesday, one on Thursday.

In clinching the 1942 intramural championship, Spencer and Lamb smothered Whitesell and Marra with thirteen hits and thirteen runs, while the latter were being held to eight hits and four runs by pitcher, while the latter were being held to eight hits and four runs by pitcher, Warren Lamb, who is co-captain with Earle Spencer. Lamb allowed only two hits until the sixth inning, the hast being the sixth in the condition of their eight hits. Playing the last in ming in a light downfall of rain, Lamb tightened up his defense and he pet thing, well under control in allowing only one hit to rotire the side.

Lilly and Radcliff, with Forest White, one of the two leading pitchers in the league, pitching a shutton of Monday, 9-0. White held the losers to six hits while his teammates were collecting 10.

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Spencer and Lamb	. 8	, 3	.728
Radeliff andLilly	6	5	.546
Golden and Reed	5	6	.45
Whetsell and Merra	. 3	8	.273

Miss Goldie C. James, instructe entertained her Health 203 class

For Summer Sports

A summer program of intramural sports will get under way soon after June 8. Summer School enrollment date, according to Coach A. F. Rohrbough, had of the physical education department of the College, who says he plans to have tennis, horse-choes, softball, archery, and golf in progress us soon as students can get settled.

AUGUST KAFER HOME
ON 10-DAY FURLOUGH
August Kafer, U. S. Naval corps
ensign and former student, received
his gold wings the past week at
Miami, Fla. Kafer, who entered the
service the past June, has been
spending two weeks at his home in
Jane Lew, and expect to visit
friends on the College campus this
week. He is a brother of William
Kafer who will enter the same
branch of service, June 5.

at a local confectionery the past Tuesday morning after they had completed special work learning games to use in correlating health and recreation.

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