

Players Prepare For Year's First Appearance

Two Dramatic Groups Reorganize Clubs

An evening of one-act plays was planned by the Ohningohow Players at their organization meeting last week. Students of the dramatics class will serve as directors of the productions while members of the Alpha Psi Omega and Ohningohow will make up the cast.

Gray Barker is president of the Alpha Psi Omega; Paul Heckert is vice president and Evelyn Finster is secretary. Nina More will lead the Ohningohow Players. Other officers are: vice-president, Charles McIntosh, and secretary-treasurer, Isabelle Clark.

Tryouts for membership in the player's clubs will be held Thursday night in 110 Administration Building at 7 o'clock. The committee in charge includes: Helen Cox, chairman, Evelyn Finster and Gray Barker.

Mercury Musings

By GRAY BARKER

AS THE hillbilly announcers on the radio say, "The weather man has been playing tricks on us lately." First it gets cold and damp—then damp and cold. And we are tempted to say, "Let it rain and be damp!"

ALMA GRACE Douglas takes this week's quick quip prize for her remark in an English class about things that disgust her. Said she, "It isn't the smallness or the quality of Campus men that disgust me—but the SMALLNESS of the QUANTITY!"

WELL, our second publisher folded up his presses and notified the Staff he could print no more Mercuries. At the time we wrote this a deal is cooking with The Randolph Enterprise, at Elkins.

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COX IS DELEGATE

Helen Cox, junior, was elected by the members of Y.W.C.A. to be a delegate from the college to the Area 8 conference of the Student Christian Movement of the Middle Atlantic Region at Jackson's Mill the week-end of November 16. Miss Cox was elected at the regular meeting of the Y.W.C.A. which was held a recent evening in the College Lounge.

Junior Class To Present 'Sadie Hawkins' Day

At a meeting of the Junior class recently, Janet Boggs, president of the class, appointed the following committees to make plans for a Sadie Hawkins Day party which will be held November 10, and sponsored by the Junior class:

Recreation committee, Kathrine Hall, chairman, Evelyn Finster, Helen Cox and "Jake" Fitzpatrick; decoration committee, Leona Williams, chairman, Ada K. Wilson, Lydia Farnsworth, Grover Weaver; refreshment committee, Maxine Riddle, chairman, Isabelle Clark, Betty Lydick and Mary Jo Ellyson.

Seniors Will Order Rings, Announcements

Senior rings and announcements are to be ordered soon. Nina Moore '46, president of the class, called a meeting of the class recently at the conclusion of convocation to discuss the matter.

Later the same day a committee from the class received a sample ring and sample announcements from Mr. Charles Hollingworth, representative of the Merrill Company of Clarksburg.

ELECT ORDERLIES

At a house meeting of the Louis Bennett Hall men Monday night, October 22, Clyde Bush and Raymond Taylor, freshmen, were appointed orderlies by Mr. William Whetsell, now in charge of the dormitory.

Duties of the orderlies will include assisting inspector on cleaning days and enforcing rules.

Plans Are Made For Programs

Assembly Calendar For Semester Released

A committee composed of students and teachers has planned the following programs for Convocation periods for the first semester:

Nov. 1—Art Week, program directed by Miss Margaret Kenney.
Nov. 8—Armistice Day, Mr. H. L. White in charge of the program.

Nov. 15—Education Week, films to be shown.
Nov. 22—Thanksgiving recess, no program.

Nov. 29—The Student Council will have charge of the program.
Dec. 6—The speech department, under the direction of Miss Opal Vincent, will present a program.

Dec. 13—A program given by the Student Council.
Dec. 20—Christmas Music. Miss Bertha E. Olsen will arrange the program.

Jan. 10—No program arranged.
Jan. 17—Student Council in charge of program.

Jan. 24—Final Examinations, no program.

Bailey Named President International Group

Hastings Bailey, sophomore, was elected president of the International Relations Club at a meeting which occurred last Thursday at 4 p. m. Ellen Welch, sophomore, was elected secretary. They are the only officers to be elected.

Mr. H. L. White, head of the department of English, spoke to the group about the purpose of the organization and the benefits which they should receive from being members of the club.

"I wouldn't do it again for \$10,000."—Capt. R. E. Agee, of Chateau, Mont., who led foot-sore group planting Stars and Stripes on Japan's Mt. Fujiyama (12,965-ft.)

Kenny Will Deliver Talk On 'Washington'



Miss Margaret Kenney, instructor in art, will present an illustrated lecture on "Washington and Its Planning" Thursday, at 10 a. m., at the weekly convocation.

This will be conducted in accordance with National Art Week which begins November 1. A series of slides in technicolor will be shown by Gray Barker.

Dean Crawford Attends Clarksburg Meeting

Dean Robert T. Crawford attended a state-wide meeting of admission officers from all West Virginia colleges on October 25, 26 and 27, at Clarksburg, to set up credit standards for returning veterans.

Dr. J. D. Williams, president of Marshall College, was chairman of the meeting.

SHOWS PICTURES

Gray Barker '46 projected three comics in the auditorium Wednesday of last week for the entertainment of the Glenville Grade School children in grades one to six.

'Army' And 'Navy' Take Over Campus At Annual Play Day

The "Army" and "Navy" took over the Campus and "occupied" it for the entire day Wednesday when four students from each of the five Gilmer County high schools were guests of the Department of Physical Education and the College in the first annual "Play Day," an activity connected with class work in Club Leadership, a two-hour course there.

The class, instructed by Miss Rose Funk, included five students, William Whetsell, David Fitzpatrick, Rosalee Stalnaker, Kathryn Hall, and Nina Moore, who planned and supervised the activities.

The twenty students, selected by the high schools from classes in physical education, first were "processed," or classified, into "Army" and "Navy," at the "induction centers" (College Gymnasium), at 9 a. m., there being five boys and five girls on each team.

At "Promotions" Bob Arnold, Glenville, and Rolla Garrett, Sand Fork, were elected captains of the Navy and Army respectively, by the students from each. Then a "dress parade" was conducted, in which Kermit Britton and Mary Cole, both of the Army and also both from Troy, won the award for best posture. In relay games—

'The English Duo' Lyceum Number, April

Misses Anderson, Morris Appear Here In Spring

The English Duo is the first Lyceum number to be contracted for this season, according to Mr. Hunter Whiting. The Duo will appear here Tuesday, April 2, 1946, at 8:15 p. m.

The members, Miss Morris and Miss Anderson, were born in Australia. They met when they were studying in a conservatorium in Melbourne; but it was later, when they were studying under the same teacher in London, that they decided to give up their work as soloists in order to devote their talents to duet singing.

Their notable success in Great Britain and in America has justified their decision and they have won critical acclaim wherever they have appeared.

"An ideal pair, as delightful as unusual"—The Times, London.

"Flawless taste, admirable musicianship"—Herald Tribune, New York.

FORMER STUDENT SPONSORS ELIZABETH HIGH PAPER

Jane Bingham, former student, has been hired to teach English, speech and geography at Elizabeth High School. She has become the faculty adviser of the school paper, "The Elizabethan." Miss Bingham attended Tanner High School, Glenville State College, and graduated from West Virginia University with the class of '45.

Sadie Hawkins Is Coming



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Witches? Goblins?

No one needs to tell you that Hallowe'en is just over. You have been well aware of the goblin's work—the soaped windows, juxtaposition of familiar objects, scattered paper, and all the other bits of evidence left in their wake.

Of course, some people have been so foolish as to call these happenings the work of children playing like goblins, but the thoughtful, the understanding person knows the correct perpetrators.

And witches? Of course there are witches. Who has not seen witches traversing the streets on Hallowe'en or even with a flash of greater imagination, observed figures flitting darkly past the full moon—and we always have a full moon on Hallowe'en.

Then, too, some literal minded folk tell us again these are natural people dressed in curious garb, masquerading; but are they sure? Did they ever creep with stealth and pull off the dark garment and really see? Of course not! If they had they likely would have found only a little wisp of darkness, and found themselves dragged downward into the stygian depths of Hecate, to be boiled in witches' brew!

There is no more doubt about witches, goblins, ghouls, and the other ectoplasmic entities appearing on Hallowe'en than there is about Santa Claus on Christmas. Both are real and true only so far as a kind heart makes them. Santa Claus stands for the joyous spirit of giving, Hallowe'en for the great American spirit of fun.

Out On Time

"Mr. H—, you are ten minutes late. Please don't let it happen again." Some students are greeted at the beginning of each class period by such a statement. The instructor does not ask the cause of his tardiness, but reprimands him for being late.

In some cases the tardiness may be due to carelessness on behalf of the student, but usually it is because his previous instructor failed to hear the clock strike, or was talking about something important and hesitated to pause; and as a result the student must suffer because of an oversight on the part of the instructor.

Each instructor should remember that his time allotment is 55 minutes and when he fails to dismiss the class on time he is using a part of another instructor's class period.

Good Sportsmanship

We believe that one of the highest compliments a person can receive from his friends is the statement that he is a good sport. Good sportsmanship is not inherited, but cultivated through association with one's family, friends and classmates.

Now, you may ask, "What is a good sport?" "What qualities does he possess?" A good sport plays the game fair and square; neither is he a quitter; he completes every job he begins. He does not depend upon the other members of his team to win the game, but he "pitches in" and helps and "gives it everything he has."

A good sport takes part in all social activities and tries to do everything in his power to make this activity a success, whether it may be a meeting of the W.A.A., Y.W.C.A., or just a weekly dance. He does his class assignments and does not wait until ten minutes before class and borrow his pal's homework. He is familiar with all rules and regulations and strives to obey them.

In short, a good sport is an "all around student" and is the person "most likely to succeed" in any task he undertakes.

PROVERBS

By ADA K. WILSON

Let us do or die.—Burns.
One foot in the grave.—Beaumont and Fletcher.

As clear as a whistle.—Byron.
Dark as pitch.—Bunyan.
Living from hand to mouth.—Du Bartas.

Out of sight, out of mind.—Googe.

A new broom sweepeth clean.—Lyly.

You shall never want rope enough.—Rabelais.

A rolling stone gathers no moss.—Syrrus.

Bread is the staff of life.—Swift.

Familiarity breeds contempt.—Syrrus.

The game is up.—Shakespeare.
Brevity is the soul of wit.—Shakespeare.

ON THE CAMPUS

By H. BAILEY

We have here a little test to see how dumb you are. Don't leave any finger prints on the paper. We can tell who you are by the signature, if you can write. Don't start until the examiner yells, "Let 'er rip," and don't stop until he squeals, "Tally ho!"

Underline the words which make the following true:

1. Washington crossed the Delaware in—(a) desperation, (b) 1776, (c) a canoe, (d) in order to get on the other side, (e) in order to see "Lulu."

2. Paderewski plays on the—(a) linoleum, (b) flying trapeze, (c) Giants, (d) jews-harp.

3. Most college professors are—(a) dope fiends, (b) skinny, (c) high school graduate, (d) New Dealers.

4. You can fool some of the people all of the time, and all of the people some of the time, but you can't fool—(a) Dr. Haught, (b) Abe Lincoln, (c) with nitroglycerine, (d) with me, kid!

5. Cyrano de Bergerac didn't get his woman because—(a) he had coffee nerves, (b) he had a protruding proboscis, (c) he failed to see his dentist at least twice a year, (d) even his best friend couldn't tell him.

6. When riding uphill in a car to reach the top one should—(a) get a horse, (b) put a rock under the wheel, (c) get out and push, (d) Andrew Jackson was called—

7. Andrew Jackson was called—(a) the father of Noddism, (b) The



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Notes From The ROBERT F. KIDD LIBRARY

Attention was called to National Picture Week of art, music, and religion, Oct. 21 to Oct. 27, by a library display of the following books: "Art and Fashion," Marcel Vertes; "Pictures to Grow Up With," Katherine Gibson; "Master Drawings," edited by Bryan Holmes; "World Famous Paintings," edited by Rockwell Kent; "Modern French Paintings," Jan Gordon; and "Portrait of America," Diego Rivera.

Among the non-fiction books which have been recently added to the library and which may be found on the reading table are:

"The Economics of Peace," Kenneth E. Boulding; "Economic Problems of War," G. A. Steiner and associates; "Money and Banking," Peterson, Cawthorne, and Lohman; "Public Finance," Alfred G. Buehler; "Conservation of American Resources," Charles N. Elliott; "Conservation of National Resources," George T. Renner; and "Principles of Business Law," Dillavou and Howard.

In the field of physical and mental health, we find these books: "Personality and the Behavior Disorders," edited by J. McV. Hunt; "Mental Hygiene in School Practice," Fenton; "Health and Safety in the New Curriculum," Payne and Schroeder; "A Modern Physical Education Program for Boys and Girls," Blanchard and Collins; "Achievement Scales in Physical Education Activities," Czens, Cubberley and Neilson; "Physical Education Facilities," Houston; "Physical Education for Classroom Teachers," Dorothy La Salle; "Modern Principles of Physical Education," Jackson R. Sharman; and "Corrective Treatment for Unadjusted Children," Shoobs and Goldberg.

Other books from various fields are: "The Bible and the Common Reader," Mary Ellen Chase; "Teaching the Social Studies," Edgar Bruce Wesley; "Juvenile Delinquents Grow Up," Sheldon and Eleanor Glueck; "The Guidance of Learning Activities," Virginia Nottingham Burton; "Curriculum Principles and Social Trends," J. Minor Gwynn; "The Story of the Physical World," Cheronis, Parsons, and Ronneberg; "Developmental Reading in High School," Guy L. and Eva Bond; "Living and Learning in a Rural School," Genevieve Bowen; "1001 Christmas Facts and Fancies," Alfred C. Hottes; "Etiquette," Emily Post; and "Educators Guide to Free Films," compiled by Harkheimer and Diffor.

Tennessee Shad, (c) "tube", (d) and had two kings and an ace.

Well, that is enough nonsense. Let's get down to something worth-while. So, if you want to remember things, tie a string around your finger, and if you want to forget things, tie a rope around your neck.

They say that all is fair in love and war. Well, it seems that all love affairs are war. How about that?

Through The Files

October, 1944—Dr. D. L. Haught, college president, was guest speaker at an annual meeting of the Gilmer County Farm Bureau Saturday at the court house. He discussed the relationship of college life to rural life.

October, 1943—College seniors got together the past week to map their plans for what they predict will be "the social event of the semester" and the deciding factor in whether they or their understudies, the juniors, win the prize for sponsoring the best entertainment of the semester.

Naturally, reference here is made to the forthcoming Hallowe'en party to be held in the gymnasium October 29, when pent-up energies that could have gone in packing off porch furniture and reverting to pranks of former Hallowe'en seasons will be spent in one big evening of fun and merriment.

October, 1940—Led by Dr. Erich Sorantin, famed Viennese violin virtuoso-conductor and composer, the Chicago Little Philharmonic Orchestra played a variety program ranging from music of the classics to work of modern composers in the first Lyceum program of the year.

October, 1939—The following delegates from the Student Council will attend the West Virginia Federation convention at Shepherdstown: Harold Noroski, senior; James Heater, sophomore; Ruth Anabel Hull, junior; and Teresa Butcher, junior.

October, 1938—In a christening and dedication exercise held in the College auditorium, State Superintendent of Schools W. W. Trent officially presented the new men's hall to Glenville State Teachers College. The name of the new building, Louis Bennett Hall, approved by the State Board of Control, was announced by President E. G. Rohrbough.

October, 1937—Miss Susan Summers, a sophomore, was voted to membership in the Canterbury Club at a recent meeting. Stories were told by Grace Summers, Denzel Garrett, and Lois Mason.

October, 1936 — Otis Rexroad was elected editor-in-chief of the College yearbook. Thomas Dotson was chosen business manager and John W. Mowrey was named advertising manager.

October, 1935 — George Firestone, veteran janitor at the College, was unanimously voted an honorary membership in the Holy Roller Court.

October, 1934—Led by Tom Pierce, acting captain, the Pioneers tore at the Concord Mountain Lions to smatch a 14-6 victory.

October, 1933—Death came to Mrs. Verona Mapel Brannon, the only woman to be principal of Glenville State Teachers College. Verona Mapel Hall, the dormitory for women at the College was named for Mrs. Brannon.

Inquiring Reporter

What entertainment would you like to have on Saturday night at the College Gymnasium?

Kathryn Wilfong: Dance.
Betty Rose Hardman: Dance.
Marion Reed: Eat, play games and dance.

Lois Reed: Talk, eat and play.
Mr. H. Y. Clark: Dance party.
Hasting Bailey: Hee! Hee!
Nelson Smith: Dance, even though I can't dance.

Amaryllis Rose: Dance.
Naurne Morrison: Dance.
Juanita Griffith: Have a formal Christmas dance.

Leona Williams: If the students are going to come, let them get out and take part in the activities and enjoy themselves.

Helen Cox: I think more of the faculty members should be present to help in leadership.

Paul Jackson: Some dancing and some circle games—a variety.

Miss Funk: Play Darts.

Homer Paul Heckert: Dance as long as the records are slow.

Marie Furr and Jackie Walker: I think it would be fun to have a theme for each party and dress accordingly.

Joe Taylor: Dance now and wait till the cold weather comes to play the energetic circle games. I think they should have more "Learn to Dance" parties. There should be different chaperones every week.

Charles Furr: Mixed games at the beginning, square dancing and also round dancing.

CAMPUS FASHIONS and FADS

By MILDRED BRAMER

Glancing over the campus for some fashion ideas, my eyes came to rest upon "Sis" Ellis. She really looks snazzy in her bowties, although she can't keep her collar straight.

Any droopy sweater can be given an extra touch by a "Peter Pan" collar and some sort of crazy pin. One pin in particular, I noticed, was a pair of wooden shoes worn by Ellen Welch.

Instead of the "Sloppy Joe" sweater and skirt, Joan Gawthrope, Verma Dean Ellis, and Lois Reed

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Mercurite

Of The Week

By H. BAILEY

H-home is at Weston State Hospital.
O-hningehow Player.

M-major in biology and general science.

E-english minor.

R-resides at Louis Bennett Hall when in Glenville.

P-resident of Student Body.
A-active secretary-treasurer of M. A. A.

U-sually goes home weekends.

L-ikes to wear yellow sweaters even if they do belong to Frederick Boggs.

H-helpful.

E-enjoys studying?

C-canterbury Club member when the club was dissolved.

K-keeps out of trouble.

E-eats at Kanawha Hall.

R-reasonable.

T-trustworthy and truthful.

Social Events of the Week

Georgia Stalnaker And Loren McCartney, College Alumni, Wed

In a simple candlelight service in the First Baptist Church of Morgantown, Miss Georgia Pearl Stalnaker of Glenville became the bride of Capt. Loren McCartney, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McCartney of Glenville.

Rev. O. O. Dietz officiated at the 8:30 o'clock ceremony, attended by a small group of relatives and friends. Miss Rachel Simons, accompanied by Lawrence Winters, sang nuptial selections.

To be married, the bride wore a poudre blue gabardine suit with white accessories and carried a small white Bible. Her flowers, a corsage, were roses.

Mrs. Lynn E. Wise of Morgantown was matron of honor, and K. W. McCartney was his brother's best man.

Mrs. McCartney is a graduate of Glenville State College and since then has been a teacher in Gilmer County schools.

Capt. McCartney recently returned to the states from 37 months' service in the South Pacific, having been located in the Netherlands, East Indies and North Australia. He went overseas as a private in the infantry and received his commission in the Pacific theater.

After graduating from Glenville State College, Capt. McCartney attended West Virginia University and was a teacher in Gilmer County schools. He has been transferred to an inactive status in the Army Reserve and is now on terminal leave until Dec. 28.

Capt. and Mrs. McCartney are residing in Morgantown.

St. Louis Girl Weds Lt. James B. Heater

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Steska, of St. Louis, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor Catherine, to Lt. James B. Heater, USMCR, son of Mrs. Fay Heater and the late Clyde B. Heater, of Weston.

The couple were united in marriage June 16 at Parkland, Md., by the Rev. Robert L. Wittenburg.

Mrs. Heater is a former sergeant in the USMCR, and prior to entering the service was a student at Missouri University, Columbus, Mo.

Lt. Heater is a graduate of this college and served as president of the student council during his senior year.

The couple is living in Frederickburg, Va.

Alumnus Marries

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Lt. George M. Tharp, stationed at Gulfport Army Air Field, Gulfport, Miss., to Miss Vera Mae Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Reynolds of Ashland, Ky.

The ceremony was performed Mar. 27 at Jeffersonville, Ind.

Mrs. Tharp attended the University of Louisville, Ky., and is a member of the Delta Zeta sorority. Lt. Tharp is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Tharp of Weston. A graduate of Weston High School, he attended Glenville State College, and is now a pilot in the Army Air Forces.

Campus Bits

Joan Cross '47 took a sight-seeing tour into northern West Virginia and southern Pennsylvania the week-end of Oct. 20.

Ruth Groves '46 has returned to school after being confined to her home at Orma for a few days by a recent illness.

Opal Tharp '49 was at her home at Sutton the week-end of Oct. 20. Squirrel hunting was good, according to her report, for she was able to kill a limit for the day within two or three hours.

"Ronnie" Bess A.S. called on some of the girls of V. M. H. recently.

Marie Furr '48 spent the week-end at her home in Weston.

Billie June Looney '49 went to Spencer the week-end of Oct. 20.

Kathryn Elliott '49 spent the weekend holiday at her home in Clay.

The plant ecology class, which is instructed by Miss Goldie C. James, completed work on a plant quadrat a week ago last Thursday. The next quadrat will be one of trees.

Tuesday night, Oct. 23, was an unusual one for Verona Maple Hall. No girl signed out.

Verna Dean Ellis '49 was shopping in Clarksburg, Oct. 20.

"Jimmy" Reed '49 took his physical test for the Army, Friday, Oct. 19.

Don Shreve, freshman at West Virginia University, a former student and son of Dr. John C. Shreve, spent the week-end of Oct. 20 at his home here.

Ray King '49 was absent from classes recently due to illness.

Grace McKissic '49 went to her home at Kanawha Head last week-end. She was accompanied by Mr. Wilson Green of Canton, Ohio, who met her here.

Frederick Boggs '49 and Hastings Bailey '48 went to Charleston Friday a week ago.

Juanita McWilliams, former student, visited on the campus a recent week-end.

Jean Cross '47 motored to Washington, D. C., for the weekend.

Mary K. Shumate and Ellen Welsh of V. M. H. spent the week-end holiday at their homes in Clarksburg.

Helen Cox '47 was at home in West Union from Friday till Sunday of the past week.

Gray Barker '46, editor of the Mercury, visited at his home at Riffle the past week-end.

The Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Burns and their daughter visited in Hetty recently.

Miss Rose Funk's mother visited her at L. B. H. the week-end of Oct. 20.

Campus Fashions and Fads (Continued from Page Two)

prefer some very attractive tailored clothes.

I hear Colleen Ellyson and Mary Helen Reed make quite a few of their own clothes — some seamstresses.

Plaid skirts are still in circulation this year. Carolyn Hull and Katherine Wilfong have some nice looking ones.

Compliments of the week go to Miss Opal Vincent for the sleekest hair-do. She must have a private hair dresser.

Let's get some zip on the campus and start some new fads. New ideas always create interest.

With Other Schools

(The Daily Athenaeum)

Here is good news. College women needn't turn gray any more at the prospect of being old maids. Survey made by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company proves that the smarter a woman becomes the more likely are her chances to make a so-called "good match."

The study shows both men and women are likely to choose mates with schooling similar to their own. Almost half of the college men interviewed had married college women, and only one in sixteen had married a woman whose education had stopped with grade school.

The fair sex did even better. More than half stated that they had married college men.

The survey did not go into details on how to catch the male. Undoubtedly they feel that the college women know the hows and wherefores of the chase. (ACP)

(The Shepherd College Picket)

The biggest challenge to the people of West Virginia is found in her standing in support of higher education.

The situation is presented in two striking ways: first, in the inadequate support which the state is giving to higher education, and second, in the very low proportion of high school graduates and young people who are going to college.

The fact that we are very near the bottom of the ladder in these two things should be faced. Our state is too wealthy and has too rich resources to suffer such a situation. It reflects badly on the standing and reputation of the state.

(The Concordian)

Dr. Meade McNeill, head of the biology department, accompanied by Tom J. Perry, instructor of mathematics at the Athens High School, and David Gray '46, rediscovered the second station in the world for Phymosia remota Britt, Saturday, Sept. 22, on Peters Mountain near Narrows, Virginia. During the search the party was able to locate 207 stalks representing 100 or more specimens.

The station was first discovered in 1927 by Earl Core, professor of botany at West Virginia University. The first known station was found on a gravelly island in the Kankakee River, Illinois.

Rosa Lee Stalnaker spent the week-end at her home in Weston.

THOMPSON'S DRUG STORE

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College Band Makes Debut At Freshman Assembly Program

DR. ROHRBOUGH REPRESENTS SCHOOL AT INAUGURATION

Dr. Edward G. Rohrbough, former president of the College, represented it at the inauguration of Dr. William A. Shimer, a graduate of the College in 1914, as eleventh president of Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, on Saturday, October 20. As an official delegate, Dr. Rohrbough was the college's guest at luncheon in the Betsey Mills Club where Dr. Shimer personally introduced him to the gathering and paid tribute to Dr. Rohrbough's influence in shaping his career. Immediately following the luncheon session, Dr. Rohrbough was part of the inaugural procession which proceeded across the campus to the huge Field House, where the inaugural ceremony took place.

Hundreds of delegates were appointed by national learned societies, colleges and universities, and the service organizations, youth groups, and farm associations from neighboring communities. The day's program opened in the morning with library, laboratory, and campus exhibits that showed Marietta at work. Lecture rooms were opened to visitors, with the various departments offering discussion on timely subjects. Chief speaker on the inauguration program was Arthur T. Vanderbilt, dean of the New York University Law School, counsel for Essex County, New Jersey, and formerly president of the American Bar Association.

Dr. Frank E. Adair, who is a noted New York City surgeon and chairman of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, addressed the inaugural delegates at their luncheon session.

The college band made its debut at convocation Thursday a week ago, which was presented by the members of the freshman class and sponsored by Student Council. The following freshmen are members of the band: Peggy June Adams, Lois Reed, Carolyn Hull, Laura Heavner, "Sis" Ellis and "Bill" Rexroad. The band played two numbers, "On Parade" and "Loyalty."

"Sis" Ellis, dressed in slacks, shirt, bow-tie and G-sweater, was master of ceremonies. Devotionals were led by Clyde Bush. Rosemary Teeter, accompanied by Betty Teeter, sang "Indian Love Call."

For the second time this year Nelson Smith gained attention with his jug playing. Dressed in slacks, shirts, bow-ties and colored derbies, the "Crooners," as they called themselves, sang and dramatized "Pictures From Life's Other Side."

Amid laughter and tears, Rodney Minney, who imitated Bob Burns, told us of the death of his mother-in-law. With his patched overalls and torn shirt, and a handkerchief attached to a string which he applied at intervals to his eyes, he tried to tell the audience that he was definitely not from the "sticks."

Kathryn Elliott and Joan Foreman sang "Along the Navajo Trail" and Verna Dean Ellis played "Sentimental Journey," "A Little On the Lonely Side," "Gotta Be This Or That."

Gray Barker showed the cartoon, "Scotty Finds a Home."

Following the assembly, the junior, senior and sophomore classes held meetings.

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Crackers

WEEKLY ROUNDUP OF SPORTS

The highlights in the sport field for this vicinity lies within the college portals at the present time. They are the prospects for a basketball team for our college.

With instructor Whetsell in charge, the "infant Pioneers" are beginning to show progress. Fitzpatrick, a former athlete, will probably be the nucleus around which the team will be built.

This is but one phase of good sport news for Glenvilleites. Glenville High School took a football game from Clay October 18, adding another to their list of vanquished teams.

From Spencer comes news of another victory for their "Yellow Jackets." Also the name of one Richard Horton seems to be coming more into fame. This particular lanky "Yellow-Jacket" is nearing the state record for the number of touchdowns for one year. By the end of the season he should be well over the record.

Talents in different sports were shown in the College Play Day for chosen high school students Wednesday a week ago. On the basketball court Fultineer, Gainer, and Garrett looked very promising.

High schools of the county and of surrounding counties who do not have a football team are waiting patiently for the arrival of basketball. Schools such as Tanner, Sand Fork, Normantown and Troy are not in the sport news now simply because they do not have a football team. With the arrival of basketball season they will, undoubtedly, come into the foreground in the sports world.

M.A.A. NEWS

The Men's Athletic Association met Wednesday evening, October 24, at 6:30 p.m. Two volleyball games were played, both between Reed's team and Boggs' team. Boggs' team proved superior, winning both games, the last one by a score of 21-5.

The standings at present are:

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Boggs'	7	4	.637
Reed's	4	7	.363

Tennis has gotten under way with the assistance of the tennis sport leader, Raymond Taylor. No contests have been played to date but here is the schedule:

Fred Boggs and Ray King vs. Homer Heckert and James Reed.
Charles Fluharty and Grover Weaver vs. Robert Marshall and Edsel Moss.

Paul Jackson and Hastings Bailey vs. William Rexroad and George Hall.

James Anderson and Charles McIntosh vs. Russell Slack and Billy Facemire.

MERCURY MUSINGS

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but we know not whether or not this ever reaches the public eye.

MEIN KAMPUS: Hannah Lou Garrett in dramatics class made up as a beautiful damsel, Bob Marshall as an old man. Just practicing application of make-up. . . . Rodney Minney, whose performance as "Bob Burns" at the freshman convo was worthy of praise. . . . Congratulations, too, to all the other freshies, and the frosh that blew the horns and beat the drums. . . . The animated cartoon at the program's end was projected with the usual unexcelled competence of the writer.

FORMER and still "Pioneer" William Whetsell has a good point in predicting a large flow of war

Evolution of a College President



Dr. William Allison Shimer, former student, who was inaugurated as eleventh president of Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, Oct. 20, is pictured above during many stages of his varied and successful life.

In the center he is pictured in his new role; upper left: Merchant E. E. Shimer, "Willie," Frances (Mrs. C. E. Webber, Puyallup, Wash), Mother, and Dossia (Mrs. Charles B. Haley,

Huntington, W. Va.) pictured during the early days in Freed, W. Va.; upper right: In World War I Apprentice Seaman Shimer found himself at the Officers Training School, Boston Harbor, while in World War II (lower right) Lt. Shimer, U. S. N. R., saw service as commanding officer of a V-12 unit in a Virginia college. Lower left: "Bill" Shimer as he was graduated from Glenville Normal

School (before it became a four-year college) in 1914, before leaving to enter Harvard University from which he later received degrees of A.B., A.M., and Ph.D.

Mr. H. L. White, head of the English department, and Dr. Edward G. Rohrbough, president emeritus, attended the inaugural ceremonies at Marietta, finding there Velda Betts, A.B. '42, a delegate from a farm group.

'ARMY' AND 'NAVY'

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D. L. Haught, placed the visitors "on the carpet" in the College Auditorium, ordering them to continue having "fun the remainder of the day." Then the group saw three cartoon-comedy motion pictures. Nina Moore led group games from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., after which "decorations" were made and the group was "mustered out."

The Army drew the laurels for the best cheering section, with Betty Rose Hardman, Glenville, of that team, being elected the best cheer leader.

Students attending the meet

pus lassies have stored away their rollers. . . . Little children no longer ask, "Mother, what is a cigarette?"

"Women cannot be regimented."—IVAC Cpt. Barbara F. Holmes, of Homestead, Pa.

W.A.A. NEWS

Boggs' badminton team outplayed Lydick's girls 15-12 in the first game Monday night. This proved to be a close race until the last minute of playing when a neat job of returning the "birdie" brought Boggs' team to the front. The next game was a fast moving game with Groves' girls taking the lead from Riddle's team. Some of the new students are just now catching on to the tricks that are used in badminton.

In the first volleyball game, "Sis" Ellis' girls overtook Boyce's team 15-5. This game was greatly one-sided but plenty of competition was offered by the good returning that Boyce's team did. In this set Ellis, with eight points, was the high score player. A grand job of serving was demonstrated by Hannah Lou Garrett when she served 13 points in succession for Furr's team, which defeated Hardman's girls 16-2. Your reporter wishes to take this opportunity to say that Garrett certainly deserved the praises she received for her outstanding serving which was the feature of the evening.

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