

From the sound of the work being done in the basement of the gym, by partitioning off part of the girls' dressing room, we are really going to get a student center. Unless I am just behind on the news, no one has decided just what the place will be called: student center, recreation center, or perhaps something else. It is understood that a snack bar and a soft drink dispenser will be installed.

We can't complain about the place not having a name with all the good work being done by the committee appointed to work on the project. Things are really progressing and that is what we all like to see.

**G. L.'s Are X-Rayed Again**  
All you former G. L.'s had another fling at the old X-ray machine last week and perhaps recalled many things that happened in the past. I hope they were all happy recollections.

The test schedules have been published and have been better than any other single item placed on the bulletin board for a long time anyway. Well, read them and weep because they are what you have been either looking forward to or dreading to see come, but regardless they are here, and the best way to make the time go fast is to go up and read the date of your first exam and the days will really fly.

**New Manager Is Here**  
I see that former editor Gray Barker is now managing the local theaters, so now maybe we will have some better movies. Gray is well informed on movies and he should have some say as to what plays, at least that is my idea of what a manager would do.

While we were having a vacation the janitors were doing plenty of work and the most noticeable is that of oiling the floors. Some may not realize it but if it were not for the janitors, classwork would not go along very fast, especially some of these cold mornings.

## Dr. Genevieve Brown Is Ill At Wheeling

Dr. Genevieve Brown, who has been seriously ill for the past several weeks, continues to remain unimproved at the Wheeling Clinic.

Miss Mae Beale, of Glenville, is substituting for Doctor Brown and according to Dean Robert T. Crawford, she will continue for the remainder of the semester.

## Noted Pianist Will Aid Fresh Air Fund

Miss Stell Andersen, internationally acclaimed pianist who recently returned from a concert tour abroad, has made plans to contribute ten per cent of her earnings to the New York Herald Tribune Fresh Air Fund. She also contributed to relief work in Holland and other countries.

Miss Andersen will begin a nationwide tour this month.

She appeared here for a concert in the college auditorium two years ago.

## Tuberculosis Test Given GSC Students

Technicians from the State Department of Health were in Glenville last Tuesday with a portable X-ray machine, and examined students of Glenville State college.

Tuberculosis tests were given free of charge to students, faculty, and employees of the college.

## Announce Board Cost Increases

An increase in the price of board and room has been necessitated by rise in cost of food-stuffs and dormitory service, President D. L. Haught announces. The new figures effective for the second semester are: \$28.56 per month for men, and \$26.52 for women.

Approximately \$2,000 has been lost by the dormitories since beginning of the term, Lloyd Jones, financial secretary, states. Inflationary increases in the cost of food have accounted for this loss and the subsequent increase to students.

Average rise in cost of dormitory staples since 1939 is 124 per cent, with beans, beef, and butter high on the list at 308, 193, and 197 per cent respectively. The only food that has decreased is flour, which is down seven per cent.

This change will not affect the standards or policies in the dining halls, Mr. Jones asserts. However, meat supply will be increased because of new refrigeration facilities and contracts with Swift packing company.

## Council Committee Studies Recreation

At the request of Pres. D. L. Haught, Hastings Bailey, student council president, recently appointed a committee consisting of Katherine Hall, Ross Morgan, and Kathryn Elliott to meet with Dr. Haught for the purpose of formulating plans for a student recreation center on the campus.

As yet, no definite plans have been made, although it has been suggested that a room in the basement of the administration building, formerly used as a physics laboratory, might be used.

## Crawford And Clark Go To State Meetings

Dean R. T. Crawford and Prof. H. Y. Clark of the education department were in Charleston the past week to attend state education meetings.

Mr. Clark attended meetings of the State Board Committee on Teacher Education and Teacher Recruitment Committee, at which a report was made by the college education committees concerning the work done on the curriculum change in teacher education.

Dean Crawford attended a meeting of the Committee on Adult Education and Extension Work.

## Dean Shurtliff Gives Address For Assembly

Of the five significant steps in the progress of man, the last of which is yet to be realized, was outlined by Dean Oliver Shurtliff of Fairmont State college as being America's acceptance of a position in world leadership in chapel last week.

Other important phases in the history of man as cited by the visiting lecturer are: Birth of Christ, the renaissance, discovery of America, and the development of democracy.

## Coming Events

**TUESDAY—10 a. m., Assembly:** West Virginia State College Strings.

**WEDNESDAY—6-8 p. m., Open house in VMH lounge.** 7 p. m., Holy Roller court meeting.

**THURSDAY—6-15 p. m., YWCA.**

**FRIDAY—8 p. m., Open house in LEH lounge.**

**MONDAY—7 p. m., Veterans club meeting.**

## Miss Bell Hears Foreign Affairs

Bessie B. Bell of the history department and sponsor of the International Relations club of Glenville State college heard Secretary of State James F. Byrnes and Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, co-authors of the bi-partisan, foreign policy, address the Institute of Cleveland Council on Foreign Affairs at Cleveland, Jan. 9, 10, 11.

Secretary Byrnes and Senator Vandenberg concluded the sessions with re-statements of what the United States is trying to accomplish in the United Nations, the Council of Foreign Ministers and other organizations devised to make or keep the peace.

Among the foreign speakers present were Premier Aleid de Gasperi of Italy, Maurice Schumann of France, and Uruguay's Foreign Minister Eduardo Rodriguez Laretta.

The United States' views were voiced by Cardinal Spellman, Navy Secretary Forrestal, Sumner Welles, and James Carey, Secretary-Treasurer of the CIO.

Mayor Thomas A. Burke appointed a committee of 84 leading citizens of Cleveland to welcome the Institute and its speakers.

Russia made no response to her invitation to attend the Institute.

## Three One-Acts To Go On Boards

One night this week the play production class, under the direction of Miss Opal Vincent, will present three one-act comedies, with a charge of admission.

"Boy Meets Family," under the direction of Betty Gainer, is composed of the following students: Eleanor Mills, Ruth Mearns, Alan Foutty, Betty Gainer, Bill Rexford, and Ethel Radcliff.

"Grandma Pulls the String," directed by Nelson Smith, is portrayed by the following: "Jackie" Walker, Kathryn Wilfong, Mary Lou Law, Marie Furr, Betty Waybright, and Winston Collins.

"Box and Cox," directed by Eunice W. Cox, is composed of Mary Kay Shumate, Bob Galford, and James Keeney.

Dale Davis is stage manager, and is assisted by Olsten Wright.

Mrs. Eunice W. Cox spent a few days recently in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Miss Maxine Wright recently spent a few days in Ohio.

## Registration Begins Today With 12 New Courses Given

## Cancer Study Is Contest Subject

West Virginia Cancer Society, Inc., an affiliate of The American Cancer Society, Inc., is sponsoring an essay contest on the subject "The Cancer Problem." Theme of the essay is to be "Why and how you can best educate the people of West Virginia to cancer."

This contest is open to any student enrolled in West Virginia university or in any college in West Virginia.

The essay is not to exceed 1500 words and should be typewritten on one side of the paper only. First prize in the contest is \$200, second prize \$100, and third prize \$50.

The contest closes at midnight, March 31, 1947. Entries should be sent to West Virginia Cancer Society, Inc., State Headquarters, 1101 West Virginia Building, Huntington 1, W. Va.

## Holiday Program Is Given By Musicians

Under the direction of Miss Bertha E. Olsen, a mixed chorus of 23 voices presented a Christmas program of musical selections in Assembly prior to the holidays.

Among the number were: "The Birthday of a King" by Neidlinger and a Cantata, "Child Jesus" by Clokey-Kerk.

Pres. D. L. Haught read the Christmas story from St. Luke and Prof. Hunter Whiting read passages from Charles Dickens' beloved "Christmas Carol."

Jean Nottingham, College junior, was accompanist and Norman Sheets soloist. Band selections were also presented.

## Strader And Reedy Still Leading WAA

Lou Strader's and Gay Reedy's teams in volleyball and aerial darts have taken the lead in WAA games so far this year.

Jo Ann Foreman's hotshots did hold the lead, but they lost to Strader's team. Foreman's team is second with Betty Hardman as third.

Betty Lydick, Jewell Cain, and Helen Marks are running close for third position.

There will be three more games played this semester. Than WAA will begin their basketball games.

## Leon Reed Marries Laura Belle Eck

Mrs. Icy Pritt, of Walkersville, has announced the marriage of her daughter, Laura Pritt Eck, to Leon Reed, of Glenville. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McPherson of Burnsville.

The couple plans to reside in Glenville. Both are former students.

Betty Lydick spent last weekend in Parkersburg visiting friends and relatives.

Visitors in Charleston during the vacation were: Frances Lawrence, Thelma Ryan, and Etta Jane Judge.

While Monday, Jan. 27, is officially scheduled for beginning of registration for the second semester, students may begin advance registration today at noon, Dean R. T. Crawford told THE MERCURY last night. Registration will be on a "first come, first served basis."

Among the courses listed on the class schedule for the second semester are found 12 new courses which will be offered during the spring semester.

Because of postwar swollen enrollment and in an effort to meet the requirements of the present group of veterans attending Glenville State college, a number of new courses have been added to the schedule. They are:

**Courses Added To Study**

Geography 212, Political Geography; Geography 304, North America, Stanley Hall.

Home Economics 311, Advanced Nutrition, Emma Speir. Physical Education 301, Sports, Carlos Ratliff.

Art 202, Design and Decoration, Mrs. Harold Beaver.

Political Science 402, Political Parties; and Political Science 304, Comparative Government, Dr. Genevieve Brown. Speech 202, Advanced Speech, Opal Vincent.

Biology 322, Evolution, Clodie James.

Home Economics 309, Clothing Selection; and Home Economics 302, Problems in Interior Decorations, Mrs. Harold P. Scott.

Physics 304, Problems in Physics, John R. Wagner.

Miss Rosamond Allen spent part of the vacation in Charleston, Wheeling, and Morgantown.

Anna May Heater, sophomore from Weston, spent Christmas in Charlotte, N. C., with relatives and friends.

Marie Fleming of Webster county, spent her vacation in Connecticut.

## Mary Casto, Cecil Davis Wed Recently

Mary Helen Casto, '49, of Glenville was wed to Cecil Davis, Jr., also of Glenville, in a single ring ceremony at Glenville Presbyterian church during the holiday season. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Casto, parents of the bride, announced recently.

To be wed the bride wore a street length blue dress with black accessories and a pink and white camelia. Both are graduates of Glenville high school.

## Student Center Is Begun In Gym

In response to demand for a student union, or comparable building on Glenville State college campus, work was begun during the holiday season on a recreation center to be located in the basement of the gymnasium.

Workers are at present remodeling a section of the basement previously given over to a girls dressing room.

No date for the opening of the student center has been announced at this time.





## Editorial

### Government Must Promote General Welfare

In fact, this legal struggle which is going on between the Government and the unions which will be climaxed in the Supreme Court decision today is only an initial step in the long term issues involved. It has become a war to determine whether the government's "protection of public welfare" can be used to check organized labor's threat to it, or whether the unions must eventually take this in hand. If the latter course is undertaken, it may change the scope of power of our democracy, but if the former view sustains, it will likely be many months or even years before another labor leader attempts to do what John L. Lewis failed to do.

This may well be in the nature of a personal duel between President Truman and leaders of labor like Lewis in its immediate perspective. Both are men of great power. The chief executive, however, has the nation behind him,

as he will in cases of public welfare.

In the end, either one force or the other will prevail. Either we must turn over the direction of the effort to protect public welfare to the labor unions, which would vastly alter our system of democracy, or the authority must rest with the government, backed by public opinion, to "promote the general welfare." This latter course seems more logical and more secure for our freedom, but remains for us to decide which shall prevail.

Nowhere on earth is labor so protected as in this country. Being sympathetic by nature as well as gullible, we are and have been extremely pro-labor. Whether we should continue is secondary. Republican leaders have more than hinted that the 80th Congress which convened January 3, is going to do something toward solving this situation. — by Jack Rader.

### There's Still Time To Study

Although there is need of study all the year, with examinations due before long there arises a more apparent need for studying. Not only the students who have low grades but those who want to derive the most from their work.

There are many kinds of students and there can be no set way in which to study. There will be as many different ways as there are students.

All the different kinds will fall under a few groups though and it is possible to give a few suggestions to each group and let each student determine where he belongs. There is the student who studies a little each day and does a little reviewing for examination and gets by without too much trouble.

Another type of student is the one who never opens a book until

the night before a big test. Many variations of these two types will also be found.

It is late to mention study habits but a few suggestions may help. The student already knows how to study but a few reminders will not hurt.

First, don't put off any longer. Go through the text and pick out the most important items. Next, the time allotted to the subject should be divided in such a manner that some time can be given to each part of the text.

Don't try to " cram " the night before the examinations. If it is at all possible obtain a good night's rest.

To change an old adage slightly in content but not in meaning, "if the course is worth taking, it is worth all the effort required to master it." — by Robert Reed.

### Accent On Youth

New York Herald Tribune, November 13.—The average age of the 17 new Republicans and five new Democratic members (of the Senate) is almost exactly fifty years, contrasted to the 58.41 years for the forty hold-over Democrats and 58.06 for the thirty-five hold-over Republicans.

Even while life expectancy is growing, (it has increased more than 12 years since 1900) and the percentage of oldsters in the population is progressing steadily, accent is being placed on youth.

Not only government officials, but also elevator operators, colonels, and executives of almost every type are more youthful than ever before. Men in their teens and twenties are in control of aircraft companies, advertising agencies, theater groups, and manufacturing and distributing companies. The only group that is collectively older is the col-

lege man.

To what can we attribute this juvenescent trend? To greater intelligence and education? Or to a general abhorrence of senility and senescence? And, if these be the causes, from what did they develop? Some may attribute this to maturity rapidly acquired during war years, to serious expression and furrowed brow which sit strangely on smooth, boyish faces because of experience belying their years. Another inexplicable facet of this trend toward youth is, that while younger men are being seated in the Senate, the nation is swinging to conservatism, traditionally the forte of more ancient legislators.

Can it be that the entire nation, including its youth, is moving to the right, while the remainder of the world is almost unanimous in its liberal trend? — by Richard Workman.

### Film Critic Picks Year's Best Movies

The ten best movies of 1946, as judged by Bosley Crowther, film critic for New York Times, are: "Open City," "Road to Utopia," "The Green Years,"

"Henry V.," "Notorious," "Brief Encounter," "Well Diggers Daughter," "The Best Years of Our Lives," "My Darling Clementine," and "Stairway to Heaven."

It is interesting to note that of the movies listed three are from Britain, one from Italy, and one from France.

### On The Campus

By Janet Boggs

#### Tiber Is Reversed

Spring may be the poet's idea of the time when a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love, but evidently winter works just as well, according to the number of holiday marriages and engagements there were among Glenville students and former students.

The question of the day as far as four people are concerned is who gets "Ducky" Shelton's Kanawha Hall room when he leaves at semester's end—Blackie Garcia or Ray Watson.

#### Runners Are Flying

Rumors are flying that Tony George and June Reedy are feeling matrimonially inclined, too—we haven't heard yet when the date for that one is exactly.

From the education department comes Dr. Underwood's question, "Who's Spike Jones—a Painter?" And would we call him a follower of the old Masters or a surrealist?

#### Can't Resist Cupid

We didn't think Clyde Bush could resist Cupid's temptations much longer—Esther Hinzeman's really got that boy snowed under, it seems.

Ruth Beverage finally must have found the man she's been looking for—she's been with nobody but Charles Berry for a long time now.

### Editors Choose 10 News Stories

In the Publishers' Auxiliary poll, the nation's weekly editors selected the following as the top ten news stories of 1946:

1. Republicans sweep into power in state and congressional elections.
2. Twelve top Nazis sentenced to hang at end of Nuremberg trials.
3. Wallace asked to resign from cabinet, following speech on foreign policy.
4. Paris peace parley meets with 21 nations represented.
5. President vetoes new OPA; all controls end as law dies.
6. Navy detonates atom bomb at Bikini in two tests; third cancelled.
7. U. S. sends demands to Yugoslavia over death of five fliers.
8. Nation-wide rail strike ends when Truman asks laws to draft strikers.
9. Baruch tells first meeting of U. N. atom group that world faces peace or destruction.
10. Kidnap-murder of Suzanne Degnan, six-year-old Chicago child.

### Meet Your Ministers

Rev. Cornelius De Block, with his wife and son, Clifford, came to Glenville in June of this year to be pastor of Glenville Baptist church.

Before coming to Glenville, Reverend De Block had served as pastor in several counties of Kentucky and did some missionary work in Kentucky under Baptist Board of Missions.

He also did some pastoral work in New Jersey, his native state. Reverend De Block attended seminary at Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, Georgetown College and Southern Baptist Seminary in Kentucky, where he received his A. B. and Th. M. degrees.

### Cox, Berkhouse Wed In Glendale, Calif.

Miss Helen Cox, who withdrew from the college prior to the holidays, and Richard L. Berkhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Berkhouse of Glenville, were united in marriage at a double-ring ceremony which was read Dec. 20, at the First Methodist church in Glendale, Calif., with the pastor, Rev. K. Morgan Edwards, officiating.

The couple is residing at 2129 Hollywood Way, Burbank, Calif.

#### Sawyer, Spencer Are Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sawyer of Swan Quarter, N. C., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Carolyn, to Lt. Earl Spencer, U. S. Army, former student.

At present Lt. Spencer is stationed at Greensboro, N. C., in the physical training department of the Army Air Forces.

### On The Local Screen

Featured tonight at the Pictureland is "Courage of Lassie," starring Elizabeth Taylor, Frank Morgan, Tom Drake, and Lassie. This movie, which was filmed in technicolor, is one of the most interesting "Lassie" pictures yet produced. You'll enjoy it!

On Thursday and Friday an old favorite makes a return engagement—"King's Row." This is truly a picture well worth your time. Featured are Bob Cummings, Ronald Regan, and Ann Sheridan.

Come Saturday, "A Guy Could Change" will be shown. In this picture, Allan Lane is cast as an actor whose wife died in childbirth and who resents their child (Twinkle Watts). Twinkle will win your sympathy through the indifference of her father. He becomes strictly a "wolf" where ladies are concerned until a little gal in gingham causes him to reconsider.

'Green Years' Is Scheduled

Of foremost importance in Glenville's film fare this week is MGM's "The Green Years." This has been chosen as one of the ten best movies of the year and is the second one to be shown at a local theatre. This is a "must." It offers scenes of heartbreak, tenderness, humor, and romance, thus providing appeal for all. Starring are Charles Coburn, Tom Drake, and Beverly Tyler, a newcomer to the screen. Dean Stockwell is a scene-stealer, too. The story takes place in the early 1900's and tells of a boy who realizes his ambitions to study medicine, despite his grandfather's objections.

#### Shows Are Billed Again

The movies which were to have been shown at the Lyric last week are scheduled for this week and here's hoping they arrive as per schedule this time.

Thursday and Friday, "These Three" starring Merle Oberon and Joel McCrea, will be shown.

On Saturday and Sunday, two features will be presented—"The Bohemian Girl" with Laurel and Hardy, and "Ghost of Hidden Valley" starring Merle Oberon.

### Gym Floor Receives New Sand Treatment

Under the direction of Coach Carlos Rathiff, the College gymnasium was given a reconditioning during the holidays, with the floor being sanded and then Seal-O-Sanded to give it a fine finish in preparation for the basketball season.

The stripes on the floor were all re-painted by B. C. Rader, father of Jack Rader, MERCURY sports editor, and with the assistance of Glenville high school coach, Nick Murin, and some of his players, the bleacher seats were also given a coat of white paint.

Because of the work being done on the gym, the Pioneers had to use the Normantown, Tanner, and Sand Fork floors for practice sessions last week.

Bob Harrison spent his vacation at his home in Folkston, Ga.

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## Pioneers To Meet Tigers, A-B Here

Two of the biggest attractions on the Pioneers home schedule will take place this week as they dig into the "meat end" of their schedule.

Tonight the Salem Tigers will come to town with a quintet of promising newcomers plus a few veterans who have been coming along nicely since the beginning of the season.

The sparkplugs of the Mallon-coached squad have been Bob Doughty, lanky freshman center, and diminutive Todd Willis, whose 58 points against A-B still stands as a state record. Much of their rebound work, however, will likely fall to Gene Brissey, 6 foot, 5 inch guard from Bristol.

On Saturday night "the game" that we have all been waiting for will be played as the power-laden Alderson-Broadbush Battlers tangle with the Pioneers.

### Overflow Crowd Expected

An overflow crowd is expected to pack the local gym to see these two old rivals play, with Coach Ratliff's White Wave expected to be "up" for this contest to avenge the three defeats suffered at the hands of Coach Rex Pyle's aggregation last season.

Sparked by big Darl Wilmoth and his cohorts, the Pelaez brothers, Floatz, Joe, and Bob, A-B will rule a heavy favorite to win, but a hard-fought contest is expected as always when these two colleges meet.

Beecher Reed, Jesse Lilly, and Bob Whiting are expected to carry a large portion of the burden on both offense and defense to offset the speed and experience of the Battlers.

Miss Peggy Sweeney, former student, was visiting friends on the campus Tuesday.

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## From The Sidelines...

By Jack Rader

Salem's Tigers match strides with the improved Pioneer quintet tonight in what shapes up as a fast-moving and hard-fought contest. No Ten-miler team has ever been a soft touch for a Pioneer aggregation, and this year will prove no exception, for Salem has been improving steadily and only recently upset Potomac State, thus reversing an earlier one-point loss.

Sparkplugs of the Mallon-coached five are tall Bob Doughty, freshman center, and little Todd Willis, who proves that good things sometimes come in small packages. Gene Brissey, 6 foot, 5 inch guard, is a bulwark on defense.

### Glenville Takes Salem

Last season, Glenville won both games from Salem by 63-53 and 57-47 margins. Incidentally, if the D-E game was any indication, then the Pioneers will certainly be backed to the limit this year by the fans as was the case in pre-war days for an overflow crowd watched the Pioneer triumph. We hope it will be that way all year, for when "ye old columnist" had to stand up, it must have been some crowd.

### Battlers Invade Saturday

The high-flying A-B Battlers will invade on Saturday in "the" game of the season for local fans. Always a smooth-working and dangerous opponent, ex-Pioneer Rex Pyles will bring a high-scoring Battler squad which has average close to 70 points per contest thus far, paced by Darl Wilmoth, husky rebound artist, and Capt. Floatz Pelaez and his two brothers.

The Pioneers must stop these A-B acts to win and avenge the three setbacks at the hands of the Philippi collegians last season.

A packed house is expected to watch these two old rivals battle it out, with A-B a heavy favorite.

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vorite to make it four straight over the White Wave, who are improving rapidly with each contest. It is a well-known fact that the Pioneers will be "up" for this game as never before.

### Hard Ace Has Back Trouble

If you hear a familiar cry, "oh, my achin' back" from down Huntington way, it's "Babe" Mazza, Marshall College hardwood star, who recently suffered a recurrence of an old injury which may keep him out of action for a while. Of course, we may have been mistaken in the source of the cry—maybe it was Duke Ridgely. Dick Hudson says he's always crying about something.

The most impressive of the Conference foes the Pioneers must face this season besides A-B have been Salem, W. Va. Wesleyan, the latter undoubtedly the strongest potentially of the three. Others like West Virginia Tech, Fairmont, and Morris Harvey may make their mark before the season is over, as well as Potomac State.

Gambling in sports may soon become about as popular as Hitler at a Jews' Convention if all the talk about cracking down on same gets farther than the talk stage where it is at present. We endorse heartily any move to curb this situation and keep sports the clean thing that we have been proud of for so many years, and we urge our readers to aid in every way possible in this effort.

### Pet Peeve Department

Pet Peeve Dept: Those persons who persist in criticism and can never see anything good in a situation, especially in sports. Constructive criticism is welcome at any time by this columnist, but we definitely frown on the negative kind that does no one any good. As Pope said, "his hard to say if greater want of skill appear in writing or in judging ill." Constructive criticism keeps one on his toes; negative criticism retards him. Such is often the fate of the young and promising sports writer.

Mrs. Margaret Ullom, of Parkersburg, spent a few days during the vacation with relatives and friends in Washington, D. C.

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## Pioneers Crush Senators 66-50 For 4th Victory

### Packed House Sees GSC Turn Back D-E

By Jack Rader

The Pioneers scored their 4th conference victory of the season on Tuesday by scoring a 66-50 win over the Davis-Elkins Senators before an overflow crowd in the College gym.

Leading in the contest all the way, the White Wave nevertheless had trouble getting shots from close in against the tall D-E quintet, but Marra and Luzader solved this by hitting consistently from well out.

Glenville got off to a 13-7 lead at the end of the first quarter and in the second quarter got "hot" on their floor shots to boost it to 32-23 at halftime. Marra coming through with some spectacular set shots from back of the foul circle, and Luzader and Whiting chipping in with timely markers.

Meanwhile, the visitors' ace, Bill Huey, was keeping the locals in hot water with several one-handers, assisted by the lanky McClean, center.

With the insertion of Mike Cristo in the game in the third quarter, the Pioneers began to pull away slowly while tightening up their defense against the Senator rafter-scrappers, but it was in this quarter that Marra led the game on personals, however, the White Wave ended the quarter with a 48-37 lead. They added 18 more markers in the final canto even with the loss of Lilly on personals.

Pioneers Are Improving  
It was a vastly improved Pioneer quintet that scored the victory, especially in the passing department, but lack of height

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still was the big bugaboo. In the second half, however, they solved the Senators' style to perfection.

Huey, D-E forward, topped the scoring with 18 markers, while Marra and Whiting tied for scoring honors for the locals with 14 points each, and Luzader had 10. All three also played good floor games in the game in which the two officials called 57 fouls.

### Lineups

Glenville	G F T
Reed, f	3 3 9
Lilly, f	1 1 3
Cristo, f	1 4 6
Whiting, c	5 4 14
Summers, c	1 1 3
Marra, g	6 2 14
Luzader, g	5 0 10
Pritt, g	3 1 7
Total	25 16 66
Davis-Elkins	G F T
Huey, f	8 3 19
Kyle, f	0 3 3
McClean, c	2 0 4
White, c	2 2 6
Collett, g	1 2 4
Steinback, f	2 3 7
Crawford, c	1 1 3
Lang, c	1 1 3
Repair, g	0 1 1
Total	17 16 50

Referees: Wiehl and Shaffer.

## Reedy Team Leads In Aerial Darts

Teams of Lydick, Cain, and Reedy defeated Heavener, Palmer, and Marks in WAA games played Monday evening.

Betty Lydick's aerial darts team defeated Marianne Heavener by a score of 16-14. Heavener took an early lead of 12-5 but Lydick's

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## GLENVILLE THEATRES

### PICTURELAND

Tuesday, Wednesday, Jan. 14-15  
Elizabeth Taylor, Frank Morgan  
Tom Drake and LASSIE

**"COURAGE OF LASSIE"**  
Filmed in Technicolor

Thursday, Friday, Jan. 16-17  
Robert Cummings, Ronald Reagan  
Ann Sheridan

**"KINGS ROW"**

Saturday, Jan. 18  
Allan Lane, Jane Frazee  
**"A GUY COULD CHANGE"**  
and  
Bill Elliott as Red Ryder  
**"SHERIFF OF REDWOOD VALLEY"**

Sunday, Monday, Jan. 19-20  
Charles Coburn, Tom Drake  
Hume Cronyn, Gladys Cooper  
**"THE GREEN YEARS"**

### LYRIC

Thursday, Friday, Jan. 16-17  
Merle Oberon, Joel McCrea  
Miriam Hopkins  
**"THESE THREE"**

Saturday, Sunday, Jan. 18-19  
Laurel and Hardy  
**"THE BOHEMIAN GIRL"**  
and  
**"GHOST OF HIDDEN VALLEY"**  
Buster Crabbe and Al "Fuzzy" St. John  
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**"WUTHERING HEIGHTS"**



## Louis Bennett Hall Gets Hot Water Tank

During the holidays a new hot water heating system was installed in the Louis Bennett hall by the superintendent of buildings and grounds and his men.

This is the latest most up-to-date heating system manufactured at the present time. This storage tank is made of stone, cement, and metal.

The capacity of this heating system is 350 gallons and will exceed 5 gallons of hot water per minute.

With the installation of the new water heating system, it is anticipated that residents of Louis Bennett hall will no longer have cause for complaint about shivering with cold water.

The quip of the week at Creighton University was fired in Dr. Lawlor's botany class. With an eye to the fact that corn will not grow unless it is planted by someone, he asked the question: "What is peculiar about corn?" Dick Palmquist, front row center came back with the sage reply, "It grows in rows."

A government professor at the University of Texas struggled to recall the name of a Russian emigre who was charged with the embezzlement of several million dollars. He explained that the man planned to fly his ill-gotten gains to South America in his own plane. The class waited patiently while the professor thought.

"Do any of you know who I mean?" he queried.

"Yo Yo Yukon," was the unhesitating answer of a "Smilin' Jack" reader.

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## Reedy Team

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team overcame that by the forceful playing of Maxine Lowe.

Jewell Cain's team took an early lead and defeated Grace Palmer's team by a score of 15-6. Outstanding for Cain were Foreman and Cross.

Gay Reedy's team won over Helen Mark's team by a score of 15-7. Mark's team was playing under a handicap of only two players, but both girls played well. Wanda Burkhammer was outstanding for the winners.

Lou Strader's team defeated Maxine Riddle's team in volleyball. Strader's played with four girls to Riddle's seven but won by a score of 17-12. Maxine Lowe was outstanding for the losers.

Joan Foreman's hotshots won over Mary Helen Furr's team by a score of 17-2. Joan Cross and Foreman played well for the winners.

Professor: "Why don't you answer me?"

Student: "I did, professor, I shook my head."

Professor: "Well, you didn't expect me to hear it rattle way up here, did you?"

## Byrnes Is Named For Man Of Year

United States Secretary of State James F. Byrnes was named as TIME Magazine's Man of the Year for 1946 in its issue of Jan. 6.

Because Byrnes had become "the firm and patient voice of world" and because, in accomplishing the big job in 1946, he "had grown in stature more than any other public figure," Byrnes was selected over Vyacheslav Molotov, Russian foreign minister, and John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers.

"Had 1946 ended as it began, Molotov would have been the year's man. He rode the postwar Russian flood, whipping it with a hard wind of propaganda." The dam which was built in the West by resistance to the Russian flood was in large part the work of James F. Byrnes.

Villain of the year was named by TIME as Senator-Elect Theodore Bilbo of Mississippi. Theatre's and Cinema's Man of the Year was Laurence Olivier.

Epitomizing 1946, TIME said in a caption under a picture of the atomic bomb at Bikini atoll, July 1, 1946, "Drumbeats behind and danger ahead, but a happy turn through a garish pattern."

Wanted at Iowa State: The formula for the white paint used on the campus walks at homecoming. Ben W. Schaefer, superintendent of the physical plant, wishes he knew what kind of paint was used to raise enthusiasm that week-end because it has resisted the weather better than some of the paint he can get. It is not to be expected, however, that those in possession of the formula will publicize the fact.

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