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Morris Harvey President Is 1947 Baccalaureate Speaker

Graduating Class Will Hear Leonard Riggelman, Holder of King's Medal

Dr. Leonard Riggelman, LL.D., DD.Ms., of Charleston, president of Morris Harvey college, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at 10:30 a. m. Sunday, May 25, in the college auditorium.

President D. L. Hought will introduce the speaker, whose subject has not been announced as yet.

The British Embassy recently advised Dr. Riggelman that he had been awarded the King's Medal for outstanding service during World War II.

He has written several articles on rural life and church-related colleges. A native West Virginian, the speaker was born in Randolph county.

Named as Morris Harvey President

Dr. Riggelman has been president of Morris Harvey college since 1931. He holds degrees from Morris Harvey college, Southern Methodist university, Kentucky Wesleyan college, Davis and Elkins college and West Virginia Wesleyan college. He, also, has done graduate work at Northwestern university and Michigan State college.

He was president of the State Ministers' conference for several years. He served as Governor of the West Virginia Kiwanis District in 1939, and was a member of the Executive Committee of the General Board of Christian Education, College section, former M. E. Church, South. He has been a delegate to the General and Jurisdictional conferences of the Methodist church, and he is a member of various civic committees and boards.

Riggelman Was Pastor at Milton

Dr. Riggelman has taught in special schools conducted by Vanderbilt university, Duke university, Scarritt college, and he has lectured at institutes held at V.M.I., University of Virginia and University of Kentucky.

From 1924 to 1926, President Riggelman was pastor at Milton.

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Mercury Musings

BY FONDA WELLINGS

Announcement that Dr. Leonard Riggelman will deliver the baccalaureate sermon awakens every one to the fact that the past few weeks have been speeding and soon this semester will end. With graduation seniors will give a sigh of relief and a sad good-bye to college days here.

Seniors who plan to teach school are getting anxious to know where they'll be next winter. Some few already know. Lyda Farnsworth will teach math at Wirt county high, and Helen Marks has accepted a position in junior high at Ellicott City, Md. Evelyn Finster and Janet Boggs find it hard to decide.

Sunday is Mother's day. It really wouldn't take much time to write or tell one's mother a few words of appreciation. It isn't expensive, and here's guessing that it might mean even more to her than a gift.

Delegates Talk With Wilson

History students might be interested to know that Dr. Howard Wilson, well-known world authority on UNESCO, discussed it over coffee with Miss Bell and Eddie Kennedy at the International Relations club conference.

Here's a date for every student to write in his date book. It's 8:15 p. m. on Tuesday evening, May 13, to see "January Thaw." According to reports, it should be good.

Miss James wants to thank every

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3-Act Drama To Be Given

Next Tuesday Is Date Set For 'January Thaw'

"January Thaw," 3-act play, will be presented Tuesday evening, May 13, at 8:15 p. m. in the college auditorium. Royce Bode, Betty Gainer, Charles McElwee and William Rexroad will play the leading roles.

Opal Vincent, speech instructor, has announced the following technical staff: state manager, Olston Wright; business manager, Elta Jane Judge; publicity, Sue Carroll; make-up, Margaret Ulom; costume, Eula Ferguson; prompter, Ruth Beverage; stage crew: Robert Cressey, Peter Rippe, Joe Cain and Francis Cain; lighting crew: John Hamilton and Harold Ferguson; and properties: Carl Duke and Ellis Cutright.

For approximately four years, "January Thaw" ran on Broadway. It was presented at the Golden theatre in 1946 by Michael Todd. The leading characters were played by Robert Keith, Lula Mae Hubbard, Helen Carew and Charles Middleton.

Critics Are Favorable

New York critics raved over it. The Post said, "Sparkling with frequent and explosive chuckles... the lines crackle across the footlights, setting off a panic of laughs in the audience." Commented the Daily News, "... the local critics laughed hard enough last night to make 'January Thaw' a winner."

"January Thaw" by William Roos, adopted from the novel by Bellamy Partridge, is the first major dramatic production since 1942 when Alpha Psi Omega-Omnigobow players presented "Letters to Lucerne" by Fritz Rotter and Allan Vincent.

This production will climax the year's dramatic activities. Three groups of one-act plays were presented during the year. Admission will be 25 and 35 cents.

College Registrars Convene in Denver

At the 33rd convention of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars which Dean Robert T. Crawford attended last week at Denver, 45 states and at least three other countries were represented.

Six representatives were present from this state which included West Virginia university, Fairmont college, Marshall college, Concord college, Salem and Glenville State.

In commenting upon the future of the colleges of the United States, John Dale Russell, of the U. S. Office of education, department of statistics, predicted that the now increased enrollment because of the large number of veterans attending, will not be reduced in the future. He based his statement upon facts which show that college attendance is on the upgrade.

Former Student Succumbs In Clarksburg Hospital

Marjorie Estell Craddock, 29, former student at Glenville State college, died at 7 a. m. Tuesday, April 29, in a Clarksburg hospital, following an illness attributed to nephritis.

Miss Craddock graduated from Glenville State college with an A. B. degree in 1939. She taught for a short time at Glenville high school.

Ivy Lee Myers spent a recent week end visiting Representative Joseph Mansfield of Texas, a relative, who is ill, in Washington, D. C.

GC-WC Box Score

| | Wesleyan | AB | R | H | E |
|--------------|----------|----|---|---|---|
| Lurick, 2b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wise, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Myers, 3b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Witek, 1b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Donley, rf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Takacs, ss | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Michals, cf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Poling, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Humphreys, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |

| Totals | 37 | 4 | 6 | 2 | |
|---------------|----|---|---|---|--|
| Glenville | AB | R | H | E | |
| Greenleaf, ss | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | |
| Gainer, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |
| Ball, rf | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Stump, 2b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | |
| Cristo, 1b | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | |
| Hankins, c | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | |
| Lilly, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |
| Keenan, cf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | |
| Adams, p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | |

| Totals | 34 | 5 | 7 | 4 | |
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| Glenville | 000 | 201 | 100 | 1-5 | |
| Wesleyan | 000 | 301 | 000 | 0-4 | |

IRC Students Review Meet

According to four student delegates who spoke in assembly last Thursday, major decisions reached at the Ohio Valley Conference of International Relations Clubs at Hiram, Ohio, were: The "Truman Doctrine" has by-passed the U. N., the use of the veto in the Security Council should be limited, the U. N. should be given military power.

Other important items discussed at the conference were: The Palestine question, the good neighbor policy toward Latin America, the problem of China, relations with Russia, problems of the peace settlement, the occupation of Germany, the occupation of Japan, achievements of the Economic and Social council.

Four Members Speak

Introduced by Bessie B. Bell, faculty advisor, four members of the local International Relations club spoke on different phases of their trip to the conference. Charles McElwee, club secretary, told about talks given by Dr. Jerome Davis, and Dr. Brooks Emery. He also recounted the resolutions of Round Table, section I.

Bayard Butler, club president, spoke on the papers read and decisions reached in the other three sections of the convalesce and stressed the highlights from the speech of Dr. Howard Wilson UNESCO authority. Kathleen Saunders talked about the unusual incidents and events "outside the line of duty" on

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Your Mom, My Mom, Whistler's Mom Are Honored By May Day, Stamp, On Sunday

By Fonda Wellings

"In after life you may have friends, but never will you again have the inexpressible love and gentleness lavished upon you which a mother bestows."—Macaulay.

Sunday, May 11, has been designated as Mother's Day. The wearing of a flower—white for the dead, colored if one's mother is living—is one way in which mothers are honored on this day.

If one's mother is living, now is a good time to tell or write to her a few words of appreciation and love. Also affection is often expressed by boxes of candy, flowers, or other gifts.

Whistler Prints Are Given

A reproduction of Whistler's portrait of his mother is a popular gift to mothers. Over five million reproductions have been made.

Mother's Day was first suggested in May, 1907, by Anna M. Jarvis, a

Pioneers Eke 7-6 Victory, Downing Fairmont Falcons

Collins Named Council Head

Foutty, Foreman, Adams Fill Other Positions

James Collins, '48, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd C. Collins, of Norman-town, World War II veteran, member of the Kappa Sigma Kappa and the Veterans' organization, was elected president of the student body for 1947-48 in an election held here last week.

Collins was named president over Hastings Bailey, '48, of Spencer, who formerly served as acting president of student council, and a third candidate, Cornelius Williams, '48, of Glenville, a write in. Voting in the general student election was light. Allan Foutty, '49, of Elizabeth, was proclaimed vice-president; Joanne Gawthrop, '49, whose home is at Hookersville (Nicholas county) was named secretary.

Foreman Elected Treasurer

Jo Ann Foreman, '49, of Porter, (Clay county) was elected treasurer; and George Adams, '49, of Auburn, W. Va. member of the Pioneer football and baseball teams, also a pledge to Holy Roller court, was elected sergeant-at-arms.

President-elect Collins will succeed Frank Bowles, '48, of Follansbee retiring president of the student body. Bowles was elected at mid-semester to fill an unexpired term which occurred when Nicholas Murin, '47, of Glenville, resigned to become coach at Glenville high school.

Collins, a social science and english major, completed 30 missions over Germany during World War II as radio gunner on a B-17.

Marshall College Is Host to Journalists

Marshall college will be the scene of the re-organization of West Virginia Intercollegiate Press association May 16-17 in which THE PAR-THENON, student newspaper at Marshall, and the John Marshall Press club will be hosts.

Representing Glenville State will be Kathleen Saunders, Glenville managing editor; Fonda Wellings, Troy, feature editor; John Fryatt, Stouts Mills, sports editor; and Espy W. Miller, adviser.

The two-day meeting will be climaxed by a banquet at which Raymond Brewster, editor of the Huntington Herald-Dispatch and president of the association, will preside.

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Fairmont Muffs Victory; Stump Leads GSC Batting As Adams Nets Five SO's

BY JOHN FRYATT

Glenville State Pioneers notched their first baseball victory of the campaign Tuesday afternoon with a two-run ninth inning rally to cop a 7-6 win over Fairmont Fighting Falcons.

Trailing 6-5, going into the ninth Greenleaf walked and went to second when Riley's grounder was fumbled, both men being safe. Ball then struck out for the initial out and Bennett Stump lined a hard single through second for his second hit of the day, driving Greenleaf across the plate for the tying run, Riley stopping at third.

On Paul Hedrick's first attempt to pitch to Cristo, Stump started for second and was tagged for the second out, Riley scoring standing up with the winning tally.

Glenville Takes Early Lead

Glenville took an early lead in their first time at bat when Greenleaf walked and "Doc" Riley drove one of Comko's pitches to deep left for a round tripper. They pushed another one across the plate on Paul Hankins line double along the left field chalk.

Fairmont scored one in the first and neither team could score during the second or third innings. The Falcons scored two in the fourth when Lilly threw wide at first on Cole's grounder and Blosser tripled to right. Milyak's long fly scored Blosser, tying up the ball game.

Singles by Stump, Cristo, Lilly, and Keenan netted two Pioneers runs in the sixth and led until Fairmont scored three in the seventh and took the 6-5 lead which they were holding into the ninth.

Adams Starts Pitching

George Adams, starting hurler for the Pioneers, registered five strike-outs and Rengers forced the final Falcon batter to fan the breeze. Bennett Stump, Pioneer left

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Glenville State Student Endures Hardships As POW

Editor's note: Following is the third and concluding article dealing with a Glenville State college student who was a German prisoner of war.

By Herbert Smith

Often the Germans would have the boys gathered around railroads or trains as decoys. Dewees stated two specific incidents of such operation. First, upon being unloaded from a truck in a park for a stop, while enroute from Starvation Hill to Alecan, American planes knocked out a railroad near them.

At Alecan they were loaded into a boxcar. The guard was fenced off to himself as he kept watch over about forty men. Upon stopping during an air raid the Germans would all flee from the train but the prisoners were left aboard.

One time the planes destroyed a section of the train on which he was riding as a prisoner. This trip lasted about four or five days until they reached Stalag in Poland.

POWS Used in Work Details

At Stalag they were sent out on work commands after having been there for nearly five months. Their working hours ranged from eight to 10 hours a day and six days a week. They received for their salary a Mark (normally worth about 40c), but what need had they of money as there was no where to go nor much they could buy?

Of course, they were permitted to purchase a few Polish cigarettes, but

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EDITORIALS

Could Communism Be On The March?

The aftermath of war creates conditions that make people hungry, cold, shabby, tired and hopeless. This misery breeds desperation and revolution, which are by-products of the fear and uncertainty that follow in the wake of major catastrophes.

From the sidelines, we watched Hitler build toward the results that we are now witnessing all over the world. We saw him grab power in the depths of the depression, when those that were hungry, cold, shabby tired and hopeless, felt that he offered them a way out of the morass in which they were struggling and held aloft a torch to bring them to a better way of life.

Europe today is characterized not just by the scarcity of foods, but by a shortage of everything that people need to make for civilized living. Communism is offering them, by slogan, bulletin, speeches—both printed and spoken—all that they now lack.

Where unemployment is rife, any promise of betterment for the working man gives these people hope of employment. Desperate as they are, they are not taking the time to weigh and evaluate what lies back of the promise, nor are they taking the time to study the countries where communism is now the way of life.

If, in some manner, we could make it possible to alleviate the bodily needs, so that the mind could have time and comfort in which to look into and size up the countries controlled by communists, no doubt the sweep of this doctrine could be slowed up.

We know that it doesn't work, but on an empty stomach, it has a pleasing sound. If we, in this country, can help fill those empty stomachs, we may be attaching the problem of controlling communism from the right angle.

Here may be our chance to sell our product, democracy, and place an entering wedge where a high pressure salesman has already left his calling card.

Esther Harrison

Mother's Day, Love or Commerce?

In 1907 Ann Jarvis, who was born in Blueville, a suburb of Grafton, West Virginia, asked a small group of her friends to join her in observing the anniversary of her mother's death by wearing a white carnation. The next year the churches of Philadelphia sponsored a city-wide Mother's Day.

Celebration of this day grew until in 1914 President Wilson issued a proclamation urging national observance. Since 1925 the governor of West Virginia has been authorized to issue a Mother's day proclamation each year.

All this sounds fine and lofty as, indeed, it would be, if the original intentions were carried out today. But, as with other nationally observed holidays, class commercialism has almost obliterated the original significance of the day.

Why should love for one's mother, admittedly a noble sentiment, be subordinated to the desire to "keep up with the Joneses" in the presents given to mother on the celebrated day? Why give stale candy and slightly wilted flowers to someone who wants other things, perhaps good food or clothing?

One may say that mothers appreciate the candy and flowers and no doubt they do as mothers, being what they are, would appreciate any gift from a loved child. But how much more they might appreciate something they really desire, something one might buy where the high pressure salesmanship and colorful advertising not employed to down one's resistance to shoddy, cheap goods, when coupled with the magic phrase of "your mother will like it" as the second Sunday in May draws near.

Why not find out what Mother really wants and then give it to her be it ever so humble, with a liberal portion of genuine love? Thus Mother's Day will attain its true significance.

Kathleen Saunders

So That They Died Not In Vain

German military forces surrendered unconditionally to the Allies and the U. S. S. R. at 8:41 p. m., EWT, May 6, in a little red school house in Reims, France, two years ago yesterday. This was a war to end all wars.

Two long years, and we still have no peace. Two long years since the last gun was fired; yet our leaders ponder and dispute over our plan for peace. Why? Because they are standing fast for the things for which our boys died.

This time, they are determined to houseclean in every corner. This time, we will hold the torch so they may rest. Yes, this was a war to end all wars; or is it the preface of the greatest war in history?

These men who went to war went because they believed in the true way of life, and not a life bound by chains and fear. They went to finish the job their fathers started, that remained so miserably undone.

Former students of Glenville State college who, with the thousands of others, gave the supreme sacrifice, we salute you.

Elmer Cawthon, Jr., August Kafer, Kenneth S. Starcher, Kenneth Boggs, Woodrow C. Radcliffe, Gilbert Boone, Joseph F. Riley, Robert Fidler, James K. Kendall, Irvin Conley, Taylor Keith, Samuel N. Riddle, Harold C. Cottle, David B. Skidmore, Samuel Wilson, Edna C. McQuain, Robert Haumann, Glennie H. Van Devender, Howard K. Soper, William

On The Campus

By Janet Boggs

Do you all really realize how little time there is left before we all have to start studying and cramming again and just hoping we'll pass? Just think now . . . but why think about it today when there's always next week . . .

It's all over now and past history . . . Just something to remember. The most looked forward to dance of the year, that is, You all know who took who so why even bother to comment on that . . . reet? Anyway it's really congratulations to the Court for the simply super dance they had.

Here's one that probably every other boy on the campus (or elsewhere) has already thought of, but it took Jim Keeney to say it. Speaking of lipstick, "The colors are beautiful, and it tastes wonderful." Why Jim Keeney! And incidentally who's the new love of Keeney's life? He'll merely say that she's small, dark, and with glasses. You guess now.

There's no doubt about it . . . Coach Ratliff will be signing up some of the WAA softball players for his baseball team before much longer now . . . and when Delores McCloud starts knocking homers for the Pioneers, they're sure and certain to win every game all year.

It must be contagious again, or something . . . the new diamonds being flashed around since not very long ago. There are at least three new ones, namely Jo Hammond, Gay Reedy, and Geraldine Gainer.

Now just take a look at some of these golden brown suntans being flashed around the campus . . . well, if they aren't noticeable yet, it isn't through any fault of the would-be brown co-eds who return for their sun baths day after day. If only the weather would offer a little more cooperation.

And wasn't the person about right when he said that it was getting to be a novelty to see a car around town with a West Virginia license plate. Boom town!

Now what brought all this on? Just why are all the other fellows calling Russ McQuain "Big Time Charlie"? And have you all heard about the new and different method he uses for making points with his teachers? Well, it isn't apples he takes to class.

Screen Sketches

By Nina Craig

Pictureland theatre, tonight and tomorrow, "Two Smart People" starring John Hodiak and Lucille Ball. The setting for this story is New Orleans during Mardi Gras.

Suspense is built up as Ball, Hodiak and Elsha Cook Jr. are set to obtain stolen bonds and at the same time keep track of the other two and keep from being double-crossed.

Thursday-Friday, May 8-9, "Ladies' Man" Eddie Bracken will be on the screen at the Pictureland. Eddie, an Oklahoma farmer, strikes oil and heads for Manhattan with his fortune.

L. Loyd, Garnett O. Nelson, Orlan O. Hatfield, Kermit Fisher.

These or many others did not know the joy of VE-day, hear the shouting, hear the songs, but somewhere in the corners of our minds we feel they had a V-day of their own.

—Opal Tharp

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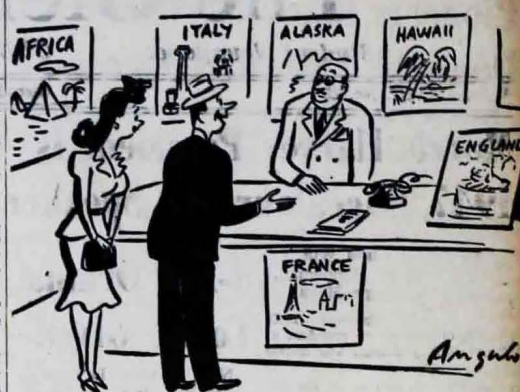
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"Haven't you any other trips? We were in the Army, you know"

Eddie Wins and Loses

He starts for Grant's Tomb but instead, meets adventure and romance when Cass Daley and Virginia Field both go for him. Eddie Wins and Loses Cass, goes broke and snags Virginia in virtually the last inch of footage.

"Spook Busters" and "South of Monterer" feature at the Pictureland May 10, with the Bowery Boys exterminating everything from bugs to crooks in the former, and the Cisco Kid stopping land grabs in the latter picture.

"Blue Skies" are here at last! Against the framework of Irving Berlin's music are told the love stories of Johnny (Bing Crosby), Mary (Joan Caulfield) and Jed (Fred Astaire).

Johnny, a happy-go-lucky singer, marries the girl, but a misunderstanding separates them. It is Jed, the dancing star, who loves Mary with hopeless devotion, who brings them back together again, years afterward.

In technicolor Sunday and Monday, May 11-12, at the Pictureland, "Blue Skies" will also feature Billy de Wolfe who gives a skit about a lady who meets a neighbor in a cocktail-lounge.

Playing at the Lyric Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday is Charlie Chan in "Shadows over Chinatown" and Chapter 8 of the serial, "The Scarlet Horseman."

Dagwood Bungles Again

Dagwood is at it again in "Blondie Knows Best" at the Lyric May 8-9. Dagwood's new neighbor, feuding with the Bunsteads, decided to sue them, and Blondie pushes Dagwood to ask for a raise as the only way of paying the suit.

Instead of Dagwood's getting a raise, he is fired for messing up a business deal. He manages to raise \$500 by submitting to a scientific experiment involving a "truth serum"—and luckily gets his job back.

"How Do-o-o-o-o You Do" with The Mad Russian Bert Gordon will be on the screen at the Lyric May 10-11. A group of radio stars, vacationing incognito at a resort hotel, ran into a murder mystery with no "murder."

EDITOR THIS ISSUE

Editor of THE MERCURY for this issue is Fonda Wellings, Feature editor.

The Editors

GLENVILLE STATE

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as they were practically all sawdust, they weren't much good. Thus most of these were used to bribe the guards, for if they would give them cigarettes the POWs wouldn't have to work so hard as otherwise. This may seem unusual to the reader, but not to one who has worked with an empty stomach.

Just before the war ended the boys were used more and more as decoys. The Germans, realizing the war was about to engulf them, desired to fall into the hands of the Americans. Therefore, a steady line of civilians were marched toward the American line. Dewees and his surviving friends marched along as decoys.

Prisoners March Across Alps

Leaving Stalag the march extended across the Alps, through the Sudeten land, and into Czechoslovakia.

Before leading the soldiers into or through a city the German guards would march them around the city two or three times, then parade them up and down the streets as they went through the cities to extend their march as decoys. As to why this was done, no information was given.

After spending more than a year as a POW in the hands of the Germans, Dewees was freed in Czechoslovakia by American troops, on May 10, 1945.

MARSHALL COLLEGE

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dent of the State Board of Education will speak.

In addition to Mr. Brewster, discussion leaders will include working newspaper men who may be of aid to editors and managing editors. For those interested in trade magazines the New York city editor of "Track, C & O magazine, will be present and offer advice in that field.

MORRIS HARVEY

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gleman was pastor of the M. E. Church, South, at Milton, W. Va., and during this time he was part-time instructor in history at Morris Harvey. From 1928 to 1930 he was rural life specialist connected with the agricultural extension division of W. Va. university, and during the year 1930-31, he served as vice president and head of the department of religious education at Morris Harvey college.

Haught, Clark, and Myers

Attend Mill Conference

Pra. D. L. Haught, H. Y. Clark and Ivy Lee Myers attended the South Atlantic States conference on Rural Life and Education at Jackson's Mills last week.

Seven states participated in this meeting including Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, Virginia, and West Virginia.

Pioneers Eke 7-6 Victory, Downing Fairmont Falcons

Fairmont Muffs Victory, Stump Leads GSC Batting As Adams Nets Five SO's

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fielder, was credited with five chances without a miscue, three of them coming on sensational running catches.

Stump was also the leading Glenville hitter, getting two for five. Mike Cristo, although pitching only two thirds of an inning, was the winning pitcher and Paul Hedrick the losing hurler.

| Fairmont State | AB | R | H | E |
|----------------|----|---|----|---|
| Heffner, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| G. Hedrick, ss | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Cale, rf | 5 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Blosser, cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Milyak, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Keener, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dileptoso, if | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Adams, 3b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hammic, lb | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Comko, p | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| P. Hedrick, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Haugh, x | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cosgary, xx | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 38 | 6 | 11 | 3 |

x—Batted for Heffner in the 8th.
xx—Batted for Adams in 9th.

| Glenville State | AB | R | H | E |
|-----------------|----|---|---|---|
| Greenleaf, ss | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Riley, 2b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Ball, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stump, lf | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Cristo, p-lb | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Hankins, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Lilly, 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Keenan, cf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Adams, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Garcia, lb | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

PICTURELAND THEATER

Tues., Wed., May 6-7
John Hodiak, Lucille Ball
"TWO SMART PEOPLE"

Thurs., Fri., May 8-9
Eddie Bracken, Cass Daley,
Spike Jones and His City
Slickers
"LADIES' MAN"

Saturday, May 10
The Cisco Kid
"SOUTH OF MONTEREY"

Also
"SPOOK BUSTERS"

With The East Side Kids
Sun., Mon., May 11-12
Bing Crosby, Fred Astaire
Billy DeWolfe, Joan Caulfield
32 Top Irving Berlin Song Hits
"BLUE SKIES"

LYRIC THEATRE

Mon., Tues., Wed.
Charlie Chan
"SHADOWS OVER CHINATOWN"
Chapter 8 "THE SCARLET HORSEMAN"
Color Cartoon

Thurs., Fri., May 8-9
Giant Laugh-Movie
Three Laughable,
Lovable
Scream Features!
Arthur Lake,
Penny Singleton
"BLONDIE KNOWS BEST"

The Three Stooges
"UNCIVIL WARBOYS"
Mighty Mouse Color Cartoon

Sat., Sun., May 10-11
Bert Gordon (The Mad Russian)
"HOW DO YOU DO?"
Plus-Smith Baller
"PANAMINT'S BADMAN"

Pioneer Nine Plays Falcon

Today the Glenville State Pioneer baseball nine will tangle with Fairmont's Falcons at Rohrbough field in the second meeting of the year for the two teams.

Last Tuesday the Pioneers drubbed the Falcons 7-6 at Fairmont and handed them their fifth loss of the year. Fairmont was collegiate conference champions last season.

Saturday afternoon the Pioneers will travel to Montgomery to engage West Virginia Tech in the first baseball encounter between the schools this season. Tech has lost only to Salem in conference play and has victories over Fairmont and Wesleyan.

Their first conference defeat was handed to them last Tuesday by the Salem Tigers. Out of conference tilts were dropped to Washington and Lee and Virginia Tech.

Today's game will start at 3 p. m.

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|------------|----|---|---|---|
| Rangers, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 7 | 7 | 2 |

The line score:

| | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-------|
| Glenville | 300 | 002 | 002-7 |
| Fairmont | 100 | 200 | 300-6 |

Runs batted in—Riley 2, Greenleaf, Stump, Hankins, Lilly, Blosser 2, Cale 2, G. Hedrick, Milyak. Two base hits—Hankins, G. Hedrick, Blosser. Home runs—Riley. Stolen bases—Riley, Cristo, G. Hedrick, Blosser, Sacrifices—Riley, Ball, Lilly. Double plays—Adams to Riley, Cale to Hammic. Left on base—Glenville 8, Fairmont, 10. Base on balls—off Adams, 1, Cristo 3, Rangers 1, Comko 5, P. Hedrick 2. Struck out—by Adams 5, Rangers 1, Comko 4, P. Hedrick 1. Hits—off Adams 11 in 7 2-3 innings; Cristo 0 in 2-3 innings; Rangers 0 in 2-3 innings; Comko . . . in 8 innigs; P. Hedrick 1 1 1 inning. Hit by pitcher—by Comko (Adams). Winning pitcher—Cristo. Losing pitcher—P. Hedrick. Umpires—Demko, Cyran.

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From The SIDELINES

By John Fryatt

Eddie Dyer's, St. Louis Cardinals, have taken over last place in the National League, the first time they have held that spot since April 25 1938. That season they finished in the cellar.

Experts believe the one big reason for the Cardinals slump is the embarrassing, 130 batting mark of Stan Musial, last year's most valuable player.

Have you noticed the horseshoe pitchers warming up in the rear of the Administration building? . . . Hugh Boggs, Paul Mingyar, Peter Rippe, Bill Linger and all those interested in the game have been seen there. The stakes have been driven for the intramural horseshoe tournament which it is hoped will get underway this week.

Salem Breaks Tech Streak
West Virginia Tech's string of three conference baseball victories was broken recently by Salem college which trounced the Techmen 6-3 on their home grounds. The Pioneers will be down there Saturday afternoon and planning to follow in Salem's footsteps.

Those planning to watch the large universities play football this fall will find the prices are much higher than in the past. Already several universities have hiked their prices and many more are expected to follow suit before the season starts.

Jess Lilly started the table tennis tournament Wednesday with a large number of men exhibiting their skill with a ping pong paddle and trying for the championship of the college. The finals of the tournament are to be played off this week.

WAA Softball Begins

After much confusion, trying to get teams organized, W.A.A. opened the softball season last Monday evening at Rohrbough field with a large crowd on hand to witness the opening contest. After watching some of the sluggers perform, the captains of the men's intramural league have been trying to get a few new names added to contracts.

One man weather interfered with the men's intramural softball games last week and no game could be played Wednesday evening. Tuesday's game saw Ray Watson's team win their second game of the season as they smothered 'Chink' Hinkles boys 16-8.

Hinkle has won one and lost one, Rippe and Boggs lost one each and Moore and Fryatt's aggregations have three innings of their first game remaining to be played.

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Glenville State Pioneers Drop Second A-B Game, 4-0

Gerondo Nine Win Contest

By Nina Craig

Softball season began with a bang as Rose Gerondo's team won with 27 runs to Hazel Reedy's 11 in WAA Monday night at Rohrbough field. The games were called at the end of the fourth inning because of darkness.

"Tick" Lawrence and Wanda Burkhammer each made a home-run. Jeannette Hamilton kept first-base well dusted off by sitting on it each time the ball passed through her hands.

Will some one please give Jo Hammond a candle? Not noticing one of her team on thirdbase, she stole quietly to the base only to find that she was out!

Mearns Has Own Technique
Ruth Mearns really has a technique when it comes to looking balls over. She practically gets on her knees to watch the ball pass, then looks threateningly at the umpire to be certain that he agrees with the way she calls it.

The second game was played Tuesday afternoon at 4 p. m. The score at the end of the fifth inning was 17-17, and as the girls began to feel the pangs of hunger, the game was postponed to a later date.

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the trip.
Eddie Kennedy summed up the work of the International Relations clubs and evaluated their accomplishments. Judging by the enthusiasm of the speakers, each of whom had "time" called, the conference was stimulating and enlightening as well as being "lots of fun."

White Is Speaker

Prof. H. Laban White was guest speaker at the annual dinner of the Hi-Y and Tri-Hi-Y of Calhoun county high school on Thursday evening, April 24. The subject of his address was "A Perfect Building."

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Hawkins Takes Hitting Honors for White Wave; Cristo, Greenleaf Single

By John Fryatt

Glenville State's Pioneer baseball nine was unable to get more than four hits off the offerings of pitcher Marc Dunham of the Battlers and dropped a 4-0 decision Thursday afternoon to Alderson-Broadus college. Eight Glenville men were left stranded on bases but couldn't gather the power at the plate to drive them across for scores.

For six innings it was anybody's ball game with A-B leading 1-0, then the Battlers drove over three more in the seventh for the final runs of the game.

Paul Hankins led the hitting attack for the Pioneers getting two of their four hits out of four trips to the plate. Both were sharp singles down the left field line.

Mike Cristo and Lee Greenleaf were the other Pioneers to hit safely, both getting singles.

Pioneers Attempt Comeback

Only in the eighth and ninth did the Pioneers get two men on base in one inning. In the eighth Greenleaf singled to left and Riley was safe on F. Pelaez's bobbie. Gainer then grounded to Mackey forcing Greenleaf at third for the final out of the inning.

After Stump filed to Michael to open the ninth, Cristo and Hankins occupied first and second on successive singles but were unable to advance when Lilly filed to Mackey and Robinson, batting for Keenan in the ninth, grounded to F. Pelaez to end the game.

Lefty Herndon went the route for the Pioneers and allowed eight hits, while Dunham was going all the way for the Battlers and blanking the Glenville batters on four scattered bingles.

| Summary and Line-up: | AB | R | H | E |
|----------------------|----|---|---|---|
| Glenville | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Greenleaf ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Riley 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ball rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gainer lf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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GC Pioneers Drop Second A-B Game

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|------------------------------|----|---|---|---|
| Stump lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cristo lb | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Hankins c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Lilly 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Keenan cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Herndon p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| x Robinson | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 0 | 4 | 3 |
| x Batted for Keenan in ninth | | | | |
| A-B | AB | R | H | E |
| Williams lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| J. Palaez 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 |

| | | | | |
|--------------|--|-----|-----|--------|
| F. Palaez ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Mackey 3b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Bowers c | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Michael rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Wilmoth lb | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Christen cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Dunham p | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 32 | 4 | 8 | 2 |
| Glenville | 000 | 000 | 000 | —4 3 |
| A-B | 010 | 000 | 30x | —4 8 2 |
| RBI— | Pelaez 2, F. Pelaez, Wilmoth; 2BH—J. Pelaez, Mackey, Williams; SB—Michael; SH—Cristo, Bowers; LOB—Glenville 8, A-B 7; 0BB—Herndon 2, Dunham 2; SO— | | | |

Herndon 2 PB-Bowers; Unpires—Levicki, Mayle, Poling. Time of game 1:35.

Three Faculty Members Attend Academy Meeting

Faculty Members John R. Wagner, A. H. Anderson, and Byron Turner attended the West Virginia university Academy of Science meeting on the campus of West Virginia university last week.

Mr. Wagner has been a member of the Academy for several years and has attended the meetings regularly.

Campus Aquarium Is Newly Housecleaned

Friday afternoon was a trying time for the fish in the pond in front of Science hall. But housecleaning is usually a trying time for a home's occupants.

A group of industrious students helped Goldie C. James, biology instructor, "spring houseclean" the pond. They drained it, cleaned out all leaves and trash and fertilized the lilies.

After the frightening experience of being chased and captured by nest and living for a few hours in a crowded tub, the 115 fish are happily at home.

Annual Family Services Held at Baptist Church

Tomorrow night, May seventh, an annual family service will be held at Baptist church.

Since this marks the beginning of a new church year, church plans for the year will be considered.

Services will be conducted with a short devotional service followed with refreshments.

Church Group Discusses Presbyterian Tradition

"Distinctive Presbyterian Beliefs" was the topic of discussion at the recent meeting of the Young adult fellowship group of the local Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Kenneth B. Shick, Front Royal, Va., who conducted a weeks evangelical service at this church, led the group in a discussion of "The Sovereignty of God and Predestination."

WSSF Will Sponsor Funds Campaign Among Students

WSSF organization at Glenville State college has evolved a new source of cash.

Thursday and Friday of this week this organization will conduct an individual canvass campaign among students of Glenville State college.

Purpose of this campaign is to raise funds to be contributed to international student needs.

Johnson Holds Services

The Rev. Grover Johnson, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, conducted Sunday service for the Odd-fellows at Burnsville recently.

Also he took part in a conference for rural ministers which was held at the Trinity Methodist church of Glenville.

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Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Speir Attend Mill Confab

Mrs. Harold P. Scott and Mrs. Emma L. Speir attended the 10th Annual Spring meeting of West Virginia Home Economics Association held at Jackson's Mill, April 25-26.

Theme of the annual meeting was: "West Virginia's Contribution to Home Economics."

Main speakers for the event were Dr. Mattie Patterson, Home Economics Education, Iowa State college and Mary Louise Collings, Extension service, Washington, D. C.

Chautauqua Society Sends Jewish Books

Robert F. Kidd library recently received the following books of Judaica as gifts from the Jewish Chautauqua society:

"The Jewish Contribution to Civilization," Cecil Roth; "A History of Jewish Art," Franz Landsberger; "The Ceremonies of Judaism," Abraham Z. Idelsohn; "The Jewish Commentary for Bible Readers—The Book of Psalms," Solomon B. Freehof; "The Small Sanctuary," Solomon B. Freehof; and "Union Prayer Book for Jewish Worship, Volume I, Volume II."

Mercury Musings

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one who helped clean the fish pond. It's truly a beauty spot on the campus.

May has heralded all kinds of out-of-door sports. The baseball team has been busy all week. WAA members opened their softball season. Horsehoes are rivaling tennis with the courts equally close to Louis Bennett hall.

Students Practice Art
Maybe it couldn't be done, but they did it. That is, property men Carl Duke and Ellis Outright made coffee mill and spice box lamps, pokers, shovels and even a baby cradle for "January Thaw."

Wasn't it Longfellow who said, "Things are not what they seem?" We wonder... well... Lou Strader and Maxine Riddle playing marbles in front of Ad building—Fuzz Brannon and Libby Bennett with a doll.

Characteristics of spring fever victims are illustrated in color and in verse on the bulletin board on first floor Science hall. For example (movie-goers):

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"Mercury Musings" welcomes Bob Reed, regular editor, back next week. Start musing, Bob.

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