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## Collegians Will Furnish Music for Leap Year Dance

Semiformal Affair Will Be Held in Kanawha Hall; Girls Will Invite Men

Brent Cool's Collegians will furnish the music for the semi-formal leap year dance to be held from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Feb. 29, in Kanawha dining hall.

In keeping with the tradition of leap year the girls will invite the men and will pay, although men may come stag. This dance, sponsored by the girls on the campus, is for students and people on campus only.

Tickets for the dance are \$1.50. Those on the decorating committee are Joyce Georgealls, Margaret Westfall, and Jane Myers. Refreshment committee includes Mabel Moore, Marlene Brown, Maizie Hughes, and Dorothy Brannon.

This is the first leap year dance to be held here in recent years and the first dance to be held in the dining hall. It is to be held there in honor of the painting of the dining hall.

Boys will call for girls to take them to the dance.

## Biology Majors Have Access to New Course in Research Problem

Research Problem, Biology 490, is being offered this semester for the first time. The purpose of the course is to enable biology majors or those students who have had a considerable amount of biological work, to conduct and observe their research problems throughout the semester. The students may get either one or two hours credit for the course. This class is experimental, meeting at any time convenient for both the students and instructor, Dr. Max Ward.

Three students currently enrolled are Bob Hoffman, who is attempting to isolate methane-producing bacteria for later experimentation; Ernest Tustin, who is studying various aspects of the physiology and morphology of *Rhizopus*, a species of bread mold; and Kenneth Pratt, who is making a comparative study of several plant meristems.

## Xi Beta Pledges Get 'Help Week'

Pledges of Xi Beta Tau, social sorority, are performing projects designed to benefit the campus during their "Help Week". As a part of their informal initiation the pledges are asked to appear neatly dressed and pass inspection before breakfast. Two days a week they wear the sorority colors—green and white. As a help to the campus, the pledges will clean Louis Bennett lounge and kitchen.

Two days a week they carry waste baskets and pick up trash on campus. Each evening before dinner, pledges sing the sorority song, which was written by Elsie Elswick, a Xi Beta Tau active. At all times the pledges carry banners with Xi Beta Tau written on them.

Plans are being made for the formal initiation which will be sometime within the next two weeks.

## Commercial Art Class Works on Office Signs

Signs are being made by the commercial art class, instructed by Prof. Julia Nutter, for the new English office, located in the new division of the Administration building.

Students taking the course are: Joyce Georgealls, Darrell Morris, Bob Hoffman, Joe Arbogast, and Carol Hughes.

## Memorial to Be Erected Here

Pillars Will Be Built In Memory of Firestone

The committee appointed to select a memorial for the late George Firestone met last week and has announced their selection.

The committee approved the construction of two brick pillars similar to the ones standing in front of Louis Bennett hall. The memorial will be erected near Verona Maple hall and will have a plate on it with the following inscription engraved: In Memory of George Firestone, Faithful Janitor, Glenville State College.

The fund, which was set up several years ago, now totals more than \$107.

## Dignitaries To Attend Building Dedication Here

Ceremonies to Be Feb. 28; Platform Guests and Other Representatives Invited

Several groups of dignitaries have been invited to attend the dedication of the new Health and Physical Education building Feb. 28, according to an announcement by President Harry B. Heflin.

Platform guests who have been invited include the Board of Public Works, State Board of Education, a representative of the State Nurses Association, a representative from the State Department of Health, past presidents of the college, and local representatives in the state legislature.

Other guests who have been invited are: all area legislators, all state college presidents, representatives from all college health and physical education departments, county superintendents of the 17 county college area, high school principals in the area, representatives from physical education departments of area high schools, and editors of all daily papers in the area.

## Bell Attends IRC Conference Feb. 16 At Marshall College

West Virginia International Relations clubs held their First South-Western sectional conference on February 16 at Marshall college. Prof. Bessie Boyd Bell attended the conference as the representative of Glenville State. The other member colleges that were in attendance were Morris Harvey, West Virginia State, West Virginia Tech and Marshall.

The day was taken up by a tour of the campus, movies, roundtable discussions and the highlight of the day was the address by Borge Rosing, vice-president of the West Virginia Steel and Manufacturing Company. Mr. Rosing's address was about Western Europe.

## Terrill Named Chairman To Write Sorority Song

Dorothy Terrill was appointed chairman of a committee to write a song for the sorority at the Kappa Chi Kappa's meeting February 6. It was decided to have regular meetings at 6:05 p. m. The coming annual dance was discussed, and Ruby Cromwell was appointed to investigate and report on open dates before committee.

## Frankel-Ryder, Professional Dance Team, to Give Lyceum Program Here



## Team to Give Artistic Show; Students May Get Reserved Seats

Emily Frankel and Mark Ryder, professional dance team, will be featured in the second Lyceum program Feb. 25 in the Glenville State auditorium.

A program of humorous, fantastic, and dramatic dances will be presented by the young duo who are currently touring the country. Their program will consist of several unusual dances, some of which are: People and Things, a satire on people who become possessed by possessions; Haunted Moments, a humorous and horrible fantasy of people and sounds; and Chaos and Counterpoint, a striking, cartoon-like dance.

Emily Frankel was formerly a member of the Charles Weidman Dance Theater, and Mark Ryder an important soloist in the Martha Graham Dance Company. At the time the couple met, the two schools were different in dance style and contest. After their marriage, however, they felt they wanted to work together rather than in separate companies, so they started work on a program of their own. Today, at the Frankel Ryder School in New York, they are hard working dancers and choreographers, as well as teachers of their own technique.

Students may exchange activity tickets for reserved seats this week.

## Mercury Musings

By BILL BORAM

If everything works out as planned, the next issue of the Mercury will be a special dedication-anniversary sheet—probably 8 pages.

The month of February is turning out to be a full month socially after all. Contrary to past custom, the dances, parties and other events scheduled for the end of this month will present a rather full social program for campusites.

We hear rumors to the effect that the famous faculty basketball team is planning a South American tour with the renowned Harlem Globetrotters. Led by highscoring aces "Easy Epsy" Miller, "Mighty Mike" Josephs, and "Big Byron" Turner the speedy quint expects to cut through all foreign opposition in the same way they have their American foes.

Movies slated to be shown at West Liberty college during the second semester include: "Oliver Twist", "Cyrano de Bergerac", "The Red Badge of Courage", "Teresa", "On Moonlight Bay", and "The Day the Earth Stood Still". Admission price for their movies is 45 cents. The obvious question arises: If they can do it, why can't we? That would be a rather cheap price to pay for the privilege of sitting in a clean place such as our auditorium and watching such film masterpieces.

From last week's Clarksburg Telegram we learn that scientists have discovered that smoke will make good drinking (Ethyl) alcohol. Anyone who has ever visited some of Louis Bennett hall's smoke filled rooms realizes the tremendous possibilities this news has for Glenville State men.

## GSC Debate Team Engages Fairmont

Glenville State college debate team journeyed to Fairmont February 15, where they competed with Fairmont State college debate team.

Question for debate was: Resolved that the United States Government should establish a permanent wage and price control board.

Under the instruction of Prof. Marjorie Skelton, members of the Glenville team were: Alex Jokay, Taylor Phillips, Jack McCarty, and Gerald Kress.

## Kappa Sigma's Sponsor Dance

Johnson's String Band To Play for Evening

Glen Johnson and his string band from Grantsville will provide the music for the square dance, which is to be sponsored by Kappa Sigma Kappa fraternity from 8 to 12, February 22, in the old gym.

There will be several callers for the different sets throughout the evening. Between the sets, music will be provided for round dancing.

Tickets are on sale now and can be obtained from any member or pledge or at the door the night of the dance. The price of admission is 50¢ a person and the public is invited.

## Louis Bennett Has Public Inspection Valentine's Day

Residents of Louis Bennett hall held their traditional open house for the students, faculty, and public on Thursday evening, Feb. 14, from 8 to 10 o'clock. Entertainment was furnished by Brent Cool's Collegians and the Chordbusters. Myron Mason provided a solo on his saxophone.

Punch, candy, cookies, and nuts were served to the visitors by Mrs. Don Barker and Mrs. Floyd Miller. Decorations portraying the spirit of Valentine's day were under the direction of Darrell Morris, member of the student body. Guides served in each section to direct the visitors to the different rooms.

The reception committee was composed of: Jack Lilly, president; William Ice, vice-president; Carlyle Key, secretary; Don Barker, hall director; and G. Gordon Kingsley, dean of men.

## New Plumbing Being Installed in VMH

A complete set of copper plumbing is being installed in Verona Maple hall since the former plumbing was getting rather old and the pipes were filling with rust. When this is completed, the girls on third floor will have all the water they need.

The work started January 10, and will take approximately 6 to 8 weeks. Doy Fitzpatrick and Ruby Wiserman of the college maintenance crew are supervising the work.

## Martha Bonar, State Hot Lunch Director, Is Visiting Campus

Miss Martha Bonar, state supervisor of the hot lunch program, is now visiting at Glenville State college. She arrived yesterday and will remain for a three-day visit.

While here, Miss Bonar will speak to the community nutrition class on, "The Equipping and Administration of an Effective School Lunch Program."

Any student doing elementary or secondary work and interested in the operation of a school lunch program, is invited to meet with this class on these mornings at nine o'clock in room 105, Science hall.

## Entrance Exams Being Offered

For the fifth consecutive year Glenville State college is offering a testing service program to all the high schools in 17 central West Virginia counties. The psychological examination is prepared by the American Council on Education and is required for entrance to college.

These tests are being administered by members of the tests and guidance class. Students assisting Prof. H. Y. Clark, director of field services, and Prof. Stanley Hall, are: Ann Brannon, Marilyn Black, John Brooks, Frank Fullinier, Edmund Janiszewski, Betty Langford, Charles Marks, Robert Prunty, Nannette Skinner, and Donald Weaver.

The tests were started February 11 and will be concluded March 21. The schedule is: Feb. 4, Glenville; Feb. 5, Normantown; Feb. 11, Troy; Feb. 12, Sand Fork; Feb. 13, Tanner; Feb. 14, Jane Lew; Feb. 19, Burnsville, Sutton, Gassaway; Feb. 20, Sistersville, St. Marys, Middlebourne; Feb. 21, Widen, Clay; Feb. 25, Harrisville, Cairo, Pennsboro; Mar. 4, Spencer, Walton; Mar. 11, Ripley, Ravenswood, Gilmore; Mar. 17, Summersville, Richwood; Mar. 18, Marlinton, Greenbank, Hillsboro; and Mar. 20, at Cowen and Walkersville.



## Last Year's Promise

With the showing of Somerset Maugham's *Quartet* last week in the school auditorium, a promise which was made last year has finally been made good.

The film marked the first showing of such a production in the auditorium this year. According to Prof. Byron Turner, who secures and shows the films, others will be presented during this semester if a demand for them is evidenced. There was not a large crowd present for the showing of the first movie. However, this can probably be explained by the fact that the presentation date was not announced until two days before and many students already had made plans to go home for the week-end. It was noticed, though, that almost every student who remained on campus that week-end attended the movie. We feel that if the date of the next movie is publicized early enough, a large percentage of the student body will stay on campus to see it.

Those who did stay to see the movie were rewarded by the excellent selection. If the calibre of picture remains as high, some outstanding film fare is in store.

It seems rather strange that no motion picture has been shown until now. Surely it was not the matter of finances that held up the presentation of movies. It doesn't seem likely to us that any student would hesitate to pay at least as much as is charged down town to see a movie in a clean theater where it is possible to see and hear the performance. Also, the last thing that should hold up presentations in a campus theater is the competition that they would run with the local cinema. We owe the local concern nothing. Receiving the amount of business they do from the school, and still making no attempt to make the theater a modern, pleasant, comfortable place, the last thought that should enter our minds is a feeling that we might be taking business from them.

The showing of more movies in our own auditorium, even as often as a weekly presentation, would seem to be an ideal way to give a lift to our lagging social program. It would be making use of a lot of valuable equipment—and would further make good on last year's promise.—BB.

## Duck That Bottle—Mayor Enrolls, Now Living in LBH

By DARRELL MORRIS

THE MERCURY learned today that L. D. Mills, mayor of Elizabeth, Wirt county, had resigned his post to complete credits needed for his A. B. degree in elementary education at Glenville State. He is rooming in Lewis Bennett hall. Mills became Mayor of the Wirt county city in April 1951.

Mills submitted his letter of resignation to the city council during a regularly scheduled meeting held on February 5. His unexpired term was filled by Woodrow Wilson, editor and publisher of the Wirt County Journal. Wilson also served as alderman.

Named to fill Wilson's vacancy was J. P. Strickland, former town clerk and a graduate of Glenville college.

Mills' letter of resignation was:

Elizabeth, W. Va.  
February 2, 1952

Town Council  
Town of Elizabeth  
Elizabeth, W. Va.  
Gentlemen:

Since I am out of town attending school (Glenville State College), I am unable to fulfill my duties as Mayor of Elizabeth, W. Va. Please accept my resignation effective February 5, 1952.

I wish to thank members of Council and employees of Town for your fine cooperation during my term as Mayor.

Respectfully,  
/s/ L. D. MILLS

## Georgalis Is Designer Of Bulletin Board Displays

Two bulletin board displays, designed by Joyce Georgalis, for the purpose of stimulating interest in reading books in the library, have been placed in the student union and in the entrance to the library. The displays consist of book covers arranged with eye-catching slogans.

Pray to God for a good harvest, but continue to hoe.—Slovenian Proverb.

## Frat Chat

By C. MAZE, JR.

### KAPPA SIGMA KAPPA

Donald McCartney, general chairman of the dance sponsored by the Kappa Sigs last Friday night in the old gym, discussed final plans at the meeting held last week.

After the discussion, a letter from the national secretary concerning the new year's activities, was read and plans were discussed.

Pledges then entertained the old members for the remainder of the meeting.

### SIGMA TAU GAMMA

Pledges to the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity were guests at their meeting last Thursday night in Louis Bennett lounge, at which time trial for misdemeanors was held. Several pledges were rewarded for their efforts.

The date which was originally set for the pledge party has been changed to March 7 because of conflicts in the social calendar.

## Bell Is Guest Speaker At Women's Club

A dinner was held by the Clay County Business and Professional Women's club, Feb. 11, in the Methodist Church in Clay.

One of the feature speakers was Prof. Bessie Boyd Bell, whose topic was "The Advancement of Women".

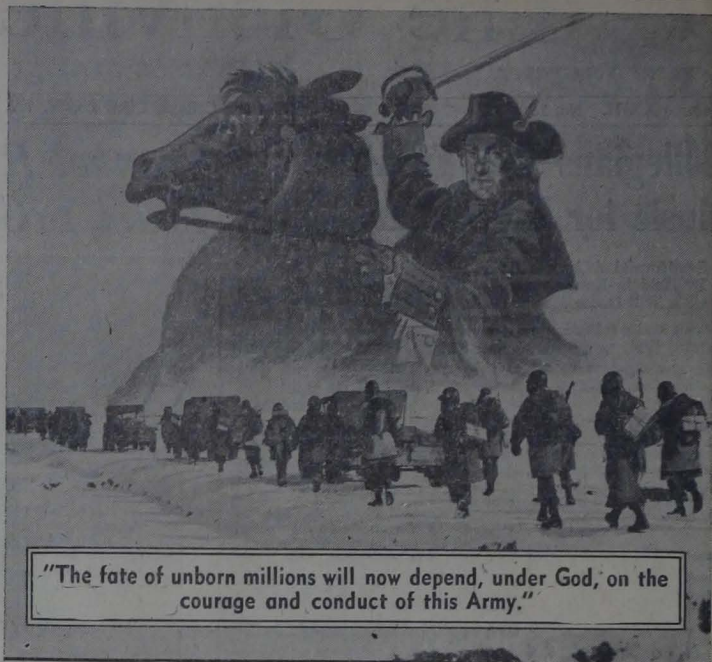
Prof. Harold S. Orendorff also attended the dinner and directed the group in singing.

Among the honored guests was Judge Duffield, who served on the bench in Gilmer county for a number of years.

## Student Conference Room Not Being Used as Yet

The conference room for student teachers is not yet being used, although the chairs and some of the tables have now been received.

The conference room, located adjoining the education department offices, contains more than one thousand books.



"The fate of unborn millions will now depend, under God, on the courage and conduct of this Army."

George Washington's words, spoken at Valley Forge during the trying winter of 1778, apply equally to our Army in Korea today. Led on by the spirit of our first commander-in-chief, that Army is fighting an enemy whose wish it is to enslave millions, born and unborn.

## Chatter

### ACROSS the TABLE

By GENELDA HARDWAY

Many campus girls are sitting around in their rooms this week acknowledging that the "Best Part" of the Sigma Tau Gamma initiation is over. Last week the Sigma Tau pledges gave the girls here a break by being forced to kiss twenty-four girls in four days. These boys brought a grand climax each night by serenading both girls dorms at 10 o'clock.

Janet Herron received several valentines last week. One of which she is especially proud contained a picture of the one and only Don Merriman. Rumors have been heard that a certain fellow from Pennsylvania named Pete is green with jealousy over this one.

Bill Waldeck has his eye on Betty Lankas these days. This fellow really gets around.

Jazzy seems to have lost his head again. The object of his affections has turned out to be petite Caroline Riddle. Jazzy can't keep up with the streets out at Camden Flats. He seems to be getting his ear rings mixed up, too.

Attention girls! The big leap year dance is to be held February 29. Now is your chance. Get in there and grab.

Wanda Taylor is proving to be a big detriment to our basketball team. How about it, Jack Tennant?

Ray Conrad has been transferred from the hospital at Spencer to his home. His condition has been improving rapidly.

Mary Frances Sommerville is in the St. Joseph hospital at Parkersburg and is not expected to return to school this term.

James Patrick "Doc" Frame, of Clarksburg, who is now serving in the United States Army, was visiting on the campus for a few days last week. James is a graduate of GSC and a former member of the Holy Roller Court.

Congratulations to Christine Hyatt. Chris is sporting a hunk of ice on her left hand which was purchased by Harry Bush, student at A-B.

### Science Club to Reorganize

A reorganization meeting of the Science club will be held Monday, February 25, at 6:30 p. m. in Dr. Byron Turner's room. Anyone interested is welcome to attend. A movie will be shown if it is available.

## Class Will Make Drapes for Lounge

New drapery material has been selected by members of the advanced clothing class, and drapes for Louis Bennett lounge are to be made by the house decoration class. The drapes, which will be lined, will be dark green with a leaf design and splashes of rose and other colors. The class expects to have them finished by the time of the dedication of the new health and physical education building.

Members of the house decoration class are: Nancy Harris, Shirley Porter, Helen Brammer, Margaret Westfall, Malsie Hughes, Betty Greenleaf, Genevieve Hinter, Marlene Brown, Isabel Whiting, Arlene Johnson, and Jolene Cole. Mrs. Lillian Chaddock is class instructor.

## Chaddock Completes Work For Master's Degree at WVU

Prof. Lillian Chaddock, home economics instructor, has completed work for a Master's degree in home economics education at West Virginia University.

Mrs. Chaddock took her oral examination, the completion of her work, February 2, at Morgantown.

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FRINGE TRIM—Lovely Marie Windsor pauses in Hollywood to show us her new gown with a fringe trim and, incidentally, a pair of shapely legs. Marie will be seen in the forthcoming film, "The Sniper."

## Kindergarten Is Given PE Training

Physical education training for the kindergarten children is being conducted each morning from 10 to 10:30 in the gym. Brent Cool and Max Marshall, physical education majors, are conducting the exercises.

The games are simple ones designed to build up the large muscles in the child's body which are not exercised merely by running, states Miss Matthews, kindergarten teacher. Ropes, a trapeze, ladders, balls, and a mat are provided for the exercises.

## Dr. Byron Fleck Returns To Classes After Illness

Dr. Byron Fleck of the social science department has returned to his classes after a short illness. A throat infection caused Dr. Fleck to remain at home during February 6 to 10.

A Communist, like a shuck, is often easier to identify that catch.

## CAMPUS CALENDAR FOR WEEK

Feb. 21—Shepherd vs. Pioneers, New Gym	8:00
Feb. 22—Square Dance, Old Gym	8:00
Feb. 23—Potomac State vs. Pioneers, New Gym	8:00
Feb. 25—Lyceum Program, Auditorium	8:15
Feb. 28—High School Tournament, New Gym	8:00
Feb. 29—Leap Year Dance, Kanawha Hall Dining Room	8:15





# Wave Thumps WL 65-62 In League Upset

Glenville Shows Fight As WVIC Tourney Nears; Cecil Johnson Nets 21

By DARRELL MORRIS

Mike Josephs' white clad Pioneers showed capability of beating any team in the West Virginia Intercollegiate Conference here on Friday night as they mauled the Hilltoppers of West Liberty College to the tune of 65-62 before a meager crowd of some 600 people. The Wave's win over WL broke a seven game losing streak that started on January 29 at Montgomery when the Tech Golden Bears downed the localities 84-67.

## PIONEERS LEAD AT QUARTER

Following the tip-off in Friday night's contest WLS Tom Ackerman was fouled by Johnson. Ackerman's free throw put the Hilltoppers into a 1-0 lead. Glenville bounced back as Pioneer varsity captain Cecil Johnson swished the net for two points and GSC took the lead 2-1. On a foul and two goals Glenville ran their lead to 7-1. The score was then knotted at 7 as Ackerman spearheaded the attack. Exchanging goals the game was again tied at 9. On a foul shot by Tennant and a field goal by Deadeye Dick Barrett the Pioneers plunged into the lead at 12-9 and held a six point margin as the first quarter ended 19-13.

## HILLTOPPERS STAGE COMEBACK

Opening up a quick second period Jack Donovan popped in two goals to run the score to 19-17. Ackerman netted one and the score stood 19-19. The score was knotted again at 21-25 and 27. Barrett potted one to put the hometown leads into the lead 29-27. As the half ended the Glenville cagers held a 36-32 edge over the visitors.

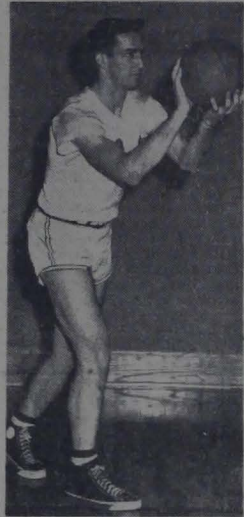
## GLENVILLE FADES

In a fast third quarter, blotted with fouls galore in the opening minutes, the score stood at 38 all. Fairview's jumpin' Jack Tennant dumped in two. Reversing the floor WL evened the count at 40. Donovan took West Liberty into the lead as he dropped in a goal. Tennant clipped the net for two and made the score 42-42. On a goal by Emil Rubcich WL went into the lead to hold it 49-44 as the quarter ended.

## JOHNSON TIES UP GAME

In the early moments of the fourth Glenville, determined not to be denied, fought back but was unable to catch the gangling orange and black until 1:35 before the game ended as Cecil Johnson pitched one in to make the score stand at 62. In the process of shooting Johnson was fouled by Rubcich and Johnson's charity toss was good and the Pioneers took the lead. With 1:27 to go Reed fouled Rubcich. Rubcich's free throw being bad the score stood at 63-62. On two straight personals by Ackerman and a successful job of ball chilling the Glenville team maintained their slim margin and with only 20 seconds left Jack Tennant pumped in one to make the final score stand at 65-62.

# Pioneer Captain



Cecil Johnson, hard-working and dependable captain for Coach Michael Josephs' Pioneers, will be playing the twilight games of his career when the Glenville team plays their last three games of the season this coming week against Shepherd, Potomac, and West Virginia Wesleyan. Johnson, a Grantsville high product, also stars on the Pioneer football and baseball teams.

## DEFENSE IS GOOD

Glendenin's Carlton Gandee, Ronnie Mills, Donald Merriman, and Bob Reed stood out in team defense. Cecil Johnson lead his team mates in scoring with 21. Jack Tennant had 20, and Dick Barrett 16. Tommy Ackerman lead the losers with 23. West Liberty's record now stands at 12-4 and the Pioneers have a 9-11 league mark. Glenville's win boosted them into eighth place and shoved idle Salem into ninth.

As the WVIC tournament nears HAS JOSEPHS' FOUND THE RIGHT COMBINATION? THIS IS THE NO. 1 QUESTION IN THE MINDS OF DEVOTED GLENVILLE FOLLOWERS.

	G	F	T
Tennant f	8	4-10	20
Gandee f	1	1-2	3
Mills f	0	1-2	1
Reed f	0	0-0	0
Johnson c	7	7-8	21
Merriman c	2	0-2	4
Barrett g	5	6-8	16
Totals	23	19-32	65

	G	F	T
Spisich f	2	0-4	4
Rubcich f	2	1-1	5

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# Marksman Fall To First Defeat In MAA Play

Loss Breaks Three-Way Tie For Loop Lead; Foul Balls, Feuders, Musicians Win

"Road Runners" took an easy 51-33 win from the previously undefeated "Marksmen" last Tuesday. The win was the fourth in a row for the "Road Runners", and broke a 3-way tie for the lead. The game was close only in the first quarter which ended 11-4 in favor of the "Road Runners." Then, early in the second quarter, the "Road Runners" broke away and led 22-13 at half time. From then on, it was only a question of the final score as the "Marksmen", playing without center Erent Cool, fell further behind. Oliver Hunt, Bill Heater, and Don Deal paced the winners with 17, 13, and 12 points respectively. Charles Marks and Rodney Spaur had 9 a piece for the losers.

On Monday night a full round was played with the "Foul Balls" nipping the "Convicts" 40-36, the "Feuders" mauling the "Alcoholics" 69-45, and the "Musicians" edging the "Bohemians" 35-28.

In the first game the "Foul Balls" held a slight lead throughout, despite spirited rallies by the Convicts. They led 24-21 at half time. Bonnell paced the winners with 18 points while Hissam dropped 13 markers through for the losers.

In the second game the "Feuders" buried the disorganized "Alcoholics" 69-45 with Jim Gainer pouring through 42 points. The "Feuders" built up a 32-16 half time lead and poured it on. Gherke had 19 in the losing cause.

In the nightcap the "Musicians" finally came through with a win by dropping the Bohemians 35-28. The winners pulled away in the last period after seeing the score deadlocked at 21-21 early in the period. Charles Dordrill had 12 for the winners while "Set Shot" Weaver sank 9 for the losers.

## Lawn Is Being Reseeded By Prof. Lane and Mr. Bell

Reseeding of the lawn in front of Verona Maple hall was done recently by Prof. Warden Lane and Mr. Beal, assistant supervisor of the college farm.

	G	F	T
Witchey f	2	0-3	4
Kiger c	3	6-6	12
Lamb c	0	0-0	0
Donovan g	6	1-4	13
Cooper c	0	1-3	1
Ackerman g	9	5-6	23
Rich g	0	0-1	0
Totals	24	14-26	62

	G	F	T
Glenville	19	17	65
West Liberty	13	19	62

Officials: Retton and Stump.

# Glenville Cagers Will End Season With 3 WVIC Games

## Hustling Senior



Big, deceptively fast, and a "hustler," Fred Gainer is a senior on the basketball squad. Gainer, although seeing limited action this season, is always ready and willing to play ball. Gainer is a graduate of Glenville high school. Last year he was a member of the junior varsity which went undefeated while competing on the hardwoods. Gainer is at his best in a football uniform at the right guard position.

## WAA Shuffleboard Will Be Played In New Gymnasium

WAA shuffleboard will be played this term in the new Health and Physical Education building every Monday night and Wednesday afternoon.

Standings of the shuffleboard league to date are:

Adams-Lanham	1-0
Marley-Moyers	1-0
Lynch-Sommerville	1-0
Lynch-Hatfield	1-0
Judy-Rasnich	1-1
Robinson-Wilson	0-1
Murphy-White	0-1
Cooper-Moore	0-1
Gainer-Brannon	0-1

A pessimist is a person who would commit suicide if he could do it without killing himself.

Kindness is like snow; it makes beautiful anything it covers.

Wesleyan, Potomac, Rams Clashes Will Bring Close To Tough 26-Game Season

By BILLY LILLY

Off to an excellent early season start by posting a WVIC record of eight wins and three losses for the first half of their twenty-six game schedule, the Glenville State Pioneers waded into second lap of the conference race of 1952 and tailed to uphold their record of 1951.

This was partly due to the loss of Sid Adelsberg, one of Glenville State's greatest all-around athletes, who graduated at mid-term. Also was the fact that the Pioneers were yet to play most of the higher ranking teams in the conference.

Tomorrow night at eight o'clock the hustling, hapless, and luckless White Wave will play the Shepherd State Rams on their home floor. Shepherd has already been beaten by the Pioneers once this season.

Sam Berry, captain and forward on the Rams' quintet, and one of the leading scorers in the conference, will present the Pioneers with the problem of beating the Rams. Last year in the state conference championship tournament Berry scored 45 points to shatter Glenville's Bob "Hooks" Hardman's all-time tournament record of 40 points.

Saturday night, February 23, Glenville will play their last home game of the season when they entertain the Potomac State Catamounts. Potomac won the first encounter between the two teams by the score of 67-55.

The following Thursday night will find Coach Michael Josephs' squad in Buckhannon to do battle with Hank Ellis' well-groomed West Virginia Wesleyan quintet.

This game will be the twenty-sixth and last one of the regular season for Glenville. March 3 will find Glenville in tournament play once more. If they win on the third, they'll journey back to Buckhannon once more to compete in the second round of the WVIC state tournament. Another win on the fourth followed by another win on the fifth and then, if the Pioneers can win once more on the sixth, they'll be state champions again.

The Pioneers are capable of pulling such a stunt, so don't sell them short. Although losing heavily during the latter stage of the season, the Pioneers, led by Captain Cecil Johnson, are still a hustling ball club.

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## Air Force Grants Special Leave Spencer Will Complete Degree

Captain Earl Spencer, former student and basketball player, enrolled in school here the second semester and plans to complete his work for a degree in physical education.

He has been serving in the U. S. Air Force since 1943, and was given leave of absence from his post to complete his school work.

After receiving his pilot's wings and being commissioned second lieutenant, he was assigned as aviator on a B24. He served in the European theatre from April, 1949 to May, 1945.

After having his plane shot down in combat and being held prisoner for almost ten months of this time, he was liberated by the Russian army.

When he returned to the States in June, 1945, Captain Spencer was stationed at Greensboro, North Carolina where he served as director of athletics. During this time he played center for the Air Force basketball team and was named Southeastern All Service Center for 1945-46. This same year he won the All Carolina A. A. V.-most valuable player award.

From Greensboro, Captain Spencer was transferred to New York where he held the post of All Air Defense Command. In 1949 he was sent to Japan and while there he again played on a victorious basketball team. This team, winning sixty-nine games and losing only three, has been Far Eastern Champions for the past two years. He was also voted the most valuable player for the Far Eastern Air Force for 1949-1950.

When asked whether he planned to play varsity ball, Captain Spencer said, "I am eligible to play, but I must have consent from the Air Force before I can do so."

Before going to the service, Captain Spencer was active in many college organizations. He was a member of the G Club, Holy Roller Court and the Supreme Council. He played on the varsity basketball squad and was co-captain of the team during his junior and senior years.

Captain Spencer is married and has two sons. He will return to the service after graduation and plans to make his career in the Air Force.

## Heflin Is Panel Member for Meet

President Harry B. Heflin will be a member of panel No. 1, discussing "Intervisitation and Standards" when the American Association of Colleges For Teacher Education holds its annual meeting in Chicago, February 21-23.

Representatives from 253 colleges and universities across the nation are expected to attend this the Fourth Annual Meeting of the AACTE.

The AACTE is a national organization for the improvement of teacher training, and is the accrediting agency for its member institutions. Glenville State college is a member.

## Clark and Kennedy Attend County Workshop in Clay

Professors H. Y. Clark and Eddie Kennedy will attend a county teacher's workshop in Clay county February 22 and 23 where they will act as resource persons.



**BEAR DEFIES LAW** The little guy having lunch in Washington zoo is too busy to care, but he's living in defiance of the Law of Genetics. He's the sole surviving son of parents which include one, maybe two, hybrid bears. It started 20 years ago when a polar bear set himself up as the head of a whole line of bears that "could not be."

## Officiating Class Will Referee WAA Basketball Games

W. A. A. basketball games began yesterday at 6:15 in the old and new gymnasium. Members of the officiating class were the referees and umpires for the games. Members of the class are Nancy Harris, sophomore; Marilyn Hartenstine, sophomore; Christine Hyer, sophomore; Martha Mick, senior; Jean Reed, senior; and Sally Waggoner, sophomore.

Time keepers and score keepers are needed for the games. Anyone interested in one of these positions, should see Betty Sue Sims, basketball sportsleader.

The girls are divided into two leagues—those who have not played before, which is made up of four teams called the Amateurs; and those who have played before, which is made up of six teams called the Professionals.

The Amateur league played two games in the old gymnasium. The Professional league played three games in the new gymnasium. In the new gymnasium the regular court was divided, and two games were played at the same time length-wise across the regular court.

Teams of each league will play each other at least once.

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## Pioneers Drop 7th Straight In AB Defeat

League Title Hopes Fade For Sinking White Wave As Record Falls to 8-11

By DARRELL MORRIS

League title hopes continued to fade away for the Glenville Pioneers as they dropped their seventh straight WVVC game to the Battlers of Alderson-Broadus college, 79-63, in a contest played at Philip on February 12.

### BARRETT NETS 18

Again, as in the Pioneer's last game with West Liberty, it was Dick Barrett, sophomore guard, who sparked the Wave in their losing cause. Barrett clipped the nets for 18 points in his evening's outing. Jack Tennant racked up 16 with Ronnie Mills getting 12.

The Baptist cagers dominated the playing court throughout the contest as they jumped into an early lead and were never overtaken. A-B's ace, Jack Greynolds, former Tanner high school standout, was held to 17 points. Another Tanner boy, Ronald Bush, added 10. Hartman captured evening scoring honors with 28 points.

After a close first quarter A-B slowly pulled away from the Josephsmen as they pitched in 16 more in the second quarter, 24 in the third, and 21 in the fourth. It was this same "Battlers" team that snapped front running West Va. Tech's 28 home game winning streak in a game played at Montgomey.

Line-ups:

ALDERSON BROADDUS (79)	G	F	T
Greynolds	4	9	17
Pauley	0	0	0
Hartman	14	0	28
Whiteman	1	0	2
Maxwell	1	0	2
Bush	3	4	10
Snodgrass	3	1	7
Tenda	0	0	0
Coyne (c)	1	2	4
Adams	3	1	7
Niewarner	0	2	2
Meadows	0	0	0
	30	19	79

GLENVILLE (63)	G	F	T
Tennant	7	1	15
Gandee	0	1	1
Mills	4	4	12
Reed	1	0	2
Johnson (c)	3	2	8
Boole	2	3	7
Merriman	0	0	0
Riddell	0	0	0
Barrett	7	4	16
Bainer	0	0	0
	24	15	63

Score by quarters:

Glenville	16	11	19	17	—63
A-B	18	16	24	21	—79
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## 'Testslingers' Drop Two Close Ones In Cheerleader Benefit Doubleheader

The "Rascals" and the "Bohemian Stormtroopers" took a volleyball-basketball double header from the faculty in games played for the "Sweaters For Cheer Leaders Benefit." It was reported that the enthusiastic students and faculty chipped in about \$27 to see these two events.

In the opening affair the "Louis Bennett Hall Rascals" edged the faculty in a volleyball game. The scores of the sets were 15-10, 15-12. Both sets were well played.

In the main event, the internationally known "Bohemians" bolstered with one new player from

Africa and two from Lower Slobbovia, came from behind in the final period to win. The faculty led 5-4 at the quarter, 17-14 at the half, and 30-27 at the 3rd period. But "youth must be served," and the "Bohemians" poured through 20 points in the final period while the tiring faculty could register only 9.

Bill, "The Black Ace" Lilly and Josef Buck paced the "Bohemians" with 18 and 14 points. Dr. Mike Josephs and Prof. Espy Miller had 13 apiece for the game faculty team. Prof. Joe Hall played a great defensive game and chipped in 6 points.

## Ticklers

By George



"Go back; you forgot the olive!"

## Dean's List Includes 56 Girls; Grades Reach All-Time High

Fifty-six girls were on the Dean's list for the semester. Miss Pickens stated that the fewest number of below C-averages were made this semester than any other time since she has been here. Only ten dormitory students failed to have a C average; two of those ten students failed only by two points. Three girls made a straight A average for the semester.

Miss Pickens had this to say concerning the girls' achievements, "I should like to congratulate the 56 girls who are on the Dean's list, as well as those who 'almost made

it" and those who had a particularly difficult course or two and failed to make as good marks as usual. We feel toward those with a C average as Lincoln did about the poor when he said, 'God must have loved the poor or he would not have made so many of them.'"

The heart of a fool is in his mouth, but the mouth of the wise man is in his heart.  
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