

Pioneers Win First Under Nick Murin, 27-12

Fisher to Head Minstrel Cast

Presentation
Scheduled Nov. 18;
Endmen Are Named

By Patsy Friend

Norman Fisher will be the interlocuter in the annual G-Club minstrel which will be presented at 8 p. m. on November 18.

Directing the spirited musical will be Prof. Joseph Riggs, speech instructor, and Frank Holbert, sophomore from Oak-land. Mary Faith Holbert will be the musical director for the minstrel as well as accompanist for the numbers. The task of lighting technician will be handled by Donald Stalnaker.

Displaying their numerous talents as endmen will be the following performers: Donald Hammon, Hingham; James Davis, Lassus; Donald Smith, Tambo; Byron McKnight, Misery; Robert Gaine, Sambo; and Edsel Ford, Snow-kill.

Plans for the minstrel are as incomplete. Members of the chorus have not been selected, but they will be featured along with their talent.

The minstrel is an annual affair, but because of technical difficulties it was not presented last year. However, the club plans to make this year's show the merriest minstrel ever presented on this campus.

In addition to the evening performance, a matinee will be given on Nov. 18 at 2 p. m. for high school and elementary students. Tickets for the performances are 50 cents for the matinee and 75 cents for the evening.

Cutlip, 4-H Agent, Student, to Lead Mix Entertainment

Harley Cutlip, Braxton county 4-H club agent and a student at Glenville State College, will have charge of the recreation at the Halloween mix sponsored this weekend by the Home Economics Club.

The gym will be decorated in usual Halloween fashion with witches, black cats, and fiddler heads dominating the scenery.

Gingerbread and witches brew will be served by the club members.

In a recent club meeting the annual Christmas card sale was begun with Martha Ann Marsh as general chairman. Clara Mae Hull was in charge of sales in Kanawha hall, and Beth Huddkins is head of Verona Mapel sales.

During Homecoming, open house at the new home management house proved quite successful with people touring the halls.

Plans were made for the Alumni Newsletter which will be sent to all former club members. Genevieve Hunter and Charlene Cole have charge of this.

K. Hall Float Ruined; Used to Haul Cement

The Kanawha hall entry in the Homecoming parade failed to appear in the parade this year. The float was decorated in the garage at Claude's Auto Sales the night before the parade. However, the truck was used to haul bags of cement out of the garage. The decorations were not removed before the truck was loaded. The girls of Kanawha hall found their float parked on Lewis Street, completely ruined.

Another float which didn't make it to the parade was that of the Xi Beta Tau sorority. The girls had decorated their float, and it had been moved from the garage when the water began to rise. The truck which they had decorated failed to start when time for the parade came.

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Entertainment Planned For VMH Open House

Council Appoints Committees; Sets Policy on Mixes

The student council met in regular session Tuesday, October 19, at 6:15 p. m. with the following members present: Marvin Stewart, Edward Tekiel, Olga Pashkevich, James Hamrick, John Shock, Jack Tennant, Gail Boggs, Daniel Dobbins and Mike Ferrell.

On a motion by Daniel Dobbins, seconded by Ed Tekiel, it was voted that the Who's Who election be held Thursday, Oct. 21, from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. The following students were appointed to serve on the Who's Who Committee: Nora Ann Kennedy, Virginia Harris, and Oliver Hunt.

Following is a list of basketball games that the cheerleaders may attend when played away: Morris Harvey, Davis & Elkins, Alderson-Broadus, Fairmont, West Virginia Wesleyan, and Salem. The council decided that, if the cheerleaders have the money, they may attend the tournament at Buckhannon.

President Stewart announced that the total cost of the freshman float is under \$25.00. Unless the payment can be made from the reserve fund, it will have to come from the student activity fund.

During the meeting, the following committees were appointed: Assembly Committee: Kathleen Quinn and Norman Fisher; Lye-cum committee: Janette Prather and Shirley Chaney; Library committee: William Atkinson, Karen (Continued on page 2)

BOARD PAYMENT

Second payment of room and board, in the amount of \$87.21, will be due and payable not later than November 1, 1954. However, payment may be made at the business office at any time before that date.

26 YEARS OF SERVICE

Prof. Bell Recalls Campus Changes Since '18

By Rita Pickens

Prof. Bessie B. Bell says there are many changes on campus since she first started teaching here in 1918. Professor Bell has the longest service record among the present faculty members.

From the information received from Professor Bell, the program of Glenville Normal School, in 1918, was teacher training, preparation for college, and general education, where now it is teacher training, vocational training, and a broad general education.

In 1918, daily chapel attendance was required, and card playing was forbidden. In contrast, two or three years ago the faculty promoted a bridge tournament held in the lounge.

Students who entered Glenville in 1918 were expected to do the work, even though their age of entrance was usually thirteen or

Wave Overwhelms Wesleyan Behind Improved Line Play

By JIM ROBINSON

The Glenville Pioneers have arrived!! Playing their finest game of the season, Nick Murin's aroused White Wave football eleven notched their first win of the campaign Saturday when they dropped Wesleyan 27-12 before a near-capacity throng at Rohrbough field.

Striking with devastating swiftness, the Gee Men tallied early in the first period when "Dynamite" Jack Tennant tossed a 25 yard scoring pass to Dick Barrett in the end zone for the "Fairview Flipper's" 20th scoring pass of his career. Barrett split the uprights for a 7-0 lead.

The Pioneers, playing their final 1953 game before the home crowd, struck again in the second session when they drove from their own 30 yard line to pay dirt in 15 plays with Barrett scoring again, this time from the one-foot line. Eddie Armstrong, freshman halfback from Meadow Bridge, was the big ground gainer in this drive, gaining 30 yards in three efforts.

The Gee Men scored again in the early minutes of the third canto when Dick Barrett recovered a Bobcat fumble on the visitor's 19. Three plays later Eddie Armstrong scooted around left end on a nine yard touchdown jaunt. Jack Tennant's first extra point effort of his career was true, and the Gee Men were in the van, 20-0.

Pertain Blocks
Huge Avis Pertain provided the Wave with another break only minutes later when he blocked a Wesleyan punt on the Bobcat 12 with Jim Davis falling on the ball on the 2 yard line. On the first play, Ron Godfrey scored his second six-pointer of the season. Tennant's placement was true and the Gee Men held a 27-0 margin.

Nick Murin inserted the reserves at this point and they held the Bobcats the remainder of the third period. Wesleyan came alive in the final period when, after recovering a Pioneer fumble on the Glenville 22, Joe Talbert pitched to Bill Chaney in the end zone to make it 27-6.

The Bobcats capitalized on another Pioneer bobble five minutes later when they recovered a loose ball on the Wave 55 yard line. Five plays later, Charlie Stobart passed to Ken Burton from the two-yard line to end the scoring for the afternoon.

Line Awakes
The victory can largely be credited to the huge Pioneer line. The slumbering Giant, awakened for (Continued on Page 2)

Attendance Assn. Present Photo to Glenville State
The Attendance Workers association of West Virginia presented a large photograph of Harry B. Hefflin, president of Glenville State College, to the college Aug. 10. The group has held a workshop on the campus every summer for 7 years. They gave the picture in appreciation of the cooperation they have received from the college through Dr. Hefflin.

H. Cliff Hamilton, State Supervisor of instruction and curriculum, presented the picture. A part of his speech says: "The attendance workers have sought a way to express their high esteem for you as a leader and as a friend. About a decade ago we came here without status and esteem and you took us in. We had an ideal and you helped us to dream a dream of professional services to boys and girls. You gave us a new concept, I think, of the role of the college. I find it difficult to express my feelings. As a token of that esteem and that high regard in which we hold you, we want to present something that will be a token of our esteem and will be, I hope, appreciated by you and Mrs. Hefflin."

In reply, Dr. Hefflin stated: "I, like others, often dream of other positions which I would like, but tonight I would rather be president of Glenville State College than anything else." The picture is hanging in Louis Beunett lounge.

Veteran's Annual Talent Show Is Scheduled Nov. 23
The talent show sponsored annually by the Veterans club will be presented Nov. 23. Commander Avis Pertain expressed the belief that this should be a very entertaining program as much of the local talent will be participating.

Mary Faith Holbert will provide music for the program, but she will not compete for honors. She has won first place honors for two years. One of the feature attractions will be vocalist Hon Shik Min. He appeared on the freshman assembly program and was called back to sing another song.

Byron McKnight will assume the responsibility of being the master of ceremonies. This spot was handled last year by Sam Ballato.

The physical structure of the campus consisted of the Administration building and Kanawha hall with no Student Union or social room. The campus had one janitor and an occasional carpenter.

Sports in 1918 were about the same as now. The school had tennis, baseball, basketball, football, and folk games. Along with these sports, there were two literary societies. These were the only organizations on campus then.

The President's office was the (Continued on page 2)



PROF. BESSIE BELL

China In UN?

The newly-formed debate team has decided on a very timely topic for this season, one that should be of interest to everyone. The subject is whether or not Communist China should be admitted to the United Nations; and whether we like it or not, the decision of the UN on this matter is going to have a great effect on all of our lives.

Some noted public figures are openly and heatedly against China's admission. Probably the loudest voice of dissent was heard in far off California where Senate majority leader, Bill Knowland vowed that if the UN should decide in the affirmative, he would, personally, introduce a bill in the Senate asking for the United States to withdraw from the UN.

Such a strong statement from a man in such an influential position is indeed noteworthy. Several Republican leaders tried to cover up Knowland's remarks because they would have adverse political complications, but the Senator from California is a determined man and would not be hushed.

Perhaps Senator Knowland was recalling a similar act in the early 1930's when the United States gave official recognition to Russia. Or, maybe he was remembering the way the Communist regime ruthlessly took over the Chinese mainland shortly after World War II. Then, again, Senator Knowland may have had a son in Korea on Thanksgiving day, 1950, when the Chinese Reds entered the Korean war just when the United Nations forces were approaching the Yalu, and final victory.

China dared UN retaliation by her entry in a war in which she was technically a neutral. The intervention of Red China prolonged the war three years, and cost the UN thousands of men who would otherwise have been spared.

China's recent attacks on British and United States planes in the Hong Kong area are additional examples that Red China is showing off her newly-found muscles as a world power. Attacks on islands now held by the deposed Chinese Republic off Formosa are also an illustration of the Communist objective—total conquest of the Far East.

Senator Knowland is not the man to soft-pedal such action, nor does he forget as quickly as many others do. We have no way of knowing his political ambitions, but we know, as he must, that he is seriously jeopardizing them by his outspoken objections to Red China's admission to the UN.

Nevertheless, he has proven himself an American first, and a politician second. China is just as much an enemy of the free world as Russia; they are just as much the aggressor in the cold war as her northern ally.

Admittance to the UN would recognize a national regime conceived on murder and aggression. Admittance would welcome China as an equal member of an organization that supposedly stands for world peace. Red China's actions for the past seven years have indicated anything but a nation striving for a peaceful world.

As has been the case in the past, the UN would not carry the brunt of the mistakes if China is recognized. The good old United States will be called upon to straighten things out. We got ourselves into a mess in Korea and were left holding the bag. If we are going to have to fight, let's decide in our Congress, not on the floors of the UN.

If Red China is admitted to the UN, we go along with Senator Knowland's thinking of withdrawing from that body. We have been the scapegoat for so long, its getting monotonous. JIM

Council Appoints

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Harris, Peggy Jo Welch, Sue Leach, Harold Cline, and Genevieve Hintz.

It was decided to have Jim Robinson, editor of The Mercury, publicize the \$5.00 that the student council gives each organization who sponsors a student mix, provided that no charge is made for admission.

Plans will be discussed on Saturday morning, October 23, to draw up a student council constitution.

Discussion was given as to installing a washer in the boys' dormitory. No decision has been reached thus far. President Stewart is to write several washing machine companies to get estimates

on a machine.

Stewart reported that an inventory on the merchandise at the student union will be taken on Nov. 1.

Use of Louis Bennett lounge by the boys was given attention. The council decided to ask William Rumbach to appear before the council and give this matter further discussion.

CHEERLEADERS JUDGE CLINIC
Dottie Lanham, Barbara Wright, Nancy Hall, and Jo Ann Spicer, cheerleaders, will go to Victory high school, Clarksburg, Nov. 13, to judge a cheerleading clinic.

The clinic is sponsored by the Spirit committee of Victory high school. The contestants will be judged in squads and as individuals.

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ALUMNI NOTES

Sid Adelsburg, '52, YMHA Athletic Director

Gilmer Students Increase 38% Over Last Sept.

By Connie Sams

Gilmer County once again leads the list of students enrolled at Glenville State College. The county has a total of 128 students, an increase of 38 percent over last year's total.

Next in number is Lewis County with 44 students, Calhoun with 39, and Braxton county follows close behind with 38 enrolled. Kanawha county is in fifth place with 35 students.

Coming down the line, Nicholas county has 32 enrolled, Roane 29, Wood 22, Webster 21, Ritchie 18, Fayette, Greenbrier, and Upshur 13 each, Clay 12, Harrison and Jackson 10 each, Logan and Pocahontas seven each, Barbour and Doddridge five each, Marion and Tyler four each, Pleasants, Putnam, and Wirt three each, and Boone, Brooke, Hancock, Marshall, Ohio, Mingo, Mercer, McDowell, and Wetzel each have a representation of one.

Nine out of state students are also enrolled.

Sorority Simmerings

By NORA ANN KENNEDY

KAPPA CHI KAPPA

Sorority members discussed the coming pledge period and rush parties. Nothing definite was planned. All members were urged to pay dues as soon as possible. The sorority voted to sell hot dogs in Louis Bennett hall Thursday nights. Virginia Johnson, Norita Ballato, Barbara Given, Charlotte Feltner, Wyne Bush, and Shirley Chancey will make and sell the hot dogs this week.

Xi BETA TAU

Fred Holbert announced that sorority rushing officially begins the second week of the second term. No plans have been made.

Nora Kennedy was elected president of the Alumni association which was formed Oct. 15. Other officers are: Sally Waggoner, vice president, Mary Helen Sommerfield, secretary-treasurer, and Jean Ingham, circulation officer.

Prof. Bell Recalls

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seat of government for the student body. The school did not have a dean, registrar, or financial secretary. The school did not give scholarships, they did not have faculty meetings, and they did not have written contracts with the teachers.

In the spring of 1918, Glenville Normal had 16 faculty members, while now it has 32. Enrollment during that year was 256 where now it is 600.

It is interesting to note the faculty members that have had classes to Professor Bell. They are Professors Denver F. Arnett, Helen Brammer, Stanley Hall, Harry B. Hefflin, Robert E. Higgins, James Gay Jones, Byron J. Turner, Nicholas Murin, Nelson Wells, Elma Jean Woofert, Erma Edwards, Lloyd Jones, and Mrs. Don Barker.

One of the faculty members, Prof. Denver F. Arnett, recalls that in the course "The Development of the British Empire", he was asked to tell the cause of the Sepoy Mutiny in India. He said it was a new kind of "catridge". He

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Wednesday, Oct. 27, Swimming.
Thursday, Oct. 28, Verona Maple Hall Open House 8-10 p. m.
Friday, Oct. 29, Halloween Mix, 8-10 p. m.
Saturday, Oct. 30, Swimming

Frat Chat

By JOHN CUTLIP

HOLY ROLLER COURT

Judge Richard Barrett stated that the last meeting was designated as entertainment night with the pledges being in charge. The new members are: Robert Weaver, Keith Prit, Albert Kokoski, Joe Rhumbach, Brooks Harris, Haymon Boggs, Sam Morehead, Jim Warton, and Ray Rardin. The Clerk, Albert Groves, announced that the order for jackets has been received by the company, and had already been shipped.

Judge Barrett also reported that the interfraternity swim meet had been a huge success.

SIGMA TAU GAMMA

President James Mullins announced that mock court was held for the pledges at the last meeting.

It was decided to have "Hell Night" last Wednesday night in honor of the pledges. The new pledges are: Robert Gainer, Clarence Hamilton, Denzil Stillwell, Junior Boyles, Robert Reed, Gary Smith, Richard Jones, Larry Seargent, James Bickerstaff, James Gregg, Paul Takash, Robert Hoover, Fred Flesham, Vernell Litton, and Kermit Taylor.

Pioneers Win

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the first time this season, opened massive holes on the offense and formed an unyielding stone wall on the defense.

Frank Vincent and Avis Partain, both playing their last game at Rohrbough field, provided the spark that aroused the "7 Back Breakers" into giving their finest performance of the year.

On the offense, the Gee Men were led by a quartet of determined backs. Dickie Barrett, starting his first game of the year, gained 65 yards overland and caught two passes for 36 yards; Freshman Sensation Eddie Armstrong was immense, gaining 72 yards on eight attempts for a 9 yard average; The "Calhoun Express", Ron Godfrey picked up 22 hard-earned yards and scored one touchdown.

Jack Tennant hit on every one of his six passing attempts for 66 yards, but quickly corrected his error, but that did not prevent the teacher's saying, "Never let me hear you say 'catridge' again".

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By Yvonne Hart

Sidney Adelsburg, '52, is now assistant physical education and athletic director at Young Men and Women's Hebrew Association in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Adelsburg formerly attended Duquesne university and was in the Navy for two years.

While at Glenville State, he was an active part in athletics, playing both football and basketball. During his senior year, "Sid" came captain of both teams. He was a member of the Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity and the O-chi Adelsburg was also selected to be All-WVIG basketball team in 1952.

During Homecoming week, many old "grads" and former students were seen around campus. Some of these were: Myron "B" Mason, who now teaches in Ohio; Fred Marks and Bobby Joe Smith, who attend West Virginia University; Muriel Whaling, a teacher at Charles Town; Jean Ingham, who teaches in Wood county; Mary Helen Somerville, an instructor at Wirt Co. "high school"; and Lou Clendenin and Doris Spivey, teachers in Gauley Bridge.

Elmer Takach, last year's student union manager, was recently married to Nancy Slade of Swanton. Takach is now a student at Concord college. He was elected treasurer of the sophomore class in the spring election at Glenville State.

Virginia Vinson Cunningham, who holds an A. B. degree from Glenville, completed requirements and was granted an M. A. degree from Ohio State University in August.

Elsie Elswick, '52, is assistant supervisor of music in Shepherdstown, Jefferson county.

Bob Whiting, a former Glenville student, has taken over ownership of the Rexall drug store in Glenville.

yards, and gained seven yards overland to become the game's leading man in total offense.

Glenville had a wide edge in the statistics, picking up 12 first downs to Wesleyan's five; 183 yards rushing to the Bobcats' 20. Only a passing offense did the visitors edge the Wave, with the Bobcats hitting on eight out of 15 attempts for 68 yards.

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Fairmont, Wesleyan

Glenville's suddenly-powerful Pioneers, fresh from their finest performance in two seasons, open the last half of their 1954 football schedule Saturday night when they journey to West Union to battle Salem's up-and-coming Tigers in a WVIC battle at Doddridge county field . . .

Glenville football followers are still talking about last Saturday's performance when the inspired Gee Men rolled up their highest score since they overwhelmed Salem, 28-6, in 1952. In beating Wesleyan, 27-12, the home forces never looked better. The powerful Glenville line, regarded as the state conference's finest in pre-season tabulations, came to life for the first time this season, and almost single-handedly provided the Pioneers with their first grid triumph of 1953, and the first win for Glenville's hard-working coach, Nick Murin.

Replacements Help

Although the team has suffered more than their share of injuries, the fine play of the replacements has been one of the outstanding features to date. Saturday, for example, the fine performances turned in by first-year men Hammond Boggs and Eddie Armstrong were instrumental in the team's first conquest of the season.

Boggs, a native of Glenville and a transfer from West Virginia University, played a leading role in the Pioneers' fine defensive stand against the Bobcats, in addition to providing the hard-running backs with some unaccustomed down-field blocking.

Armstrong Celebrates

Halfback Armstrong celebrated his first starting assignment in great style by gaining 72 yards, the best mark obtained by a Pioneer back this year, beating John Shock's 66 yards gained in the opener against Shepherd.

Sitting out Saturday's encounter were first-line men Bob Weaver, Eddie Miller, Jack Sizemore, John Shock, and Mike Snyder. Miller and Sizemore are not expected to return to duty this week, and Weaver is only giving a 50-50 chance. Snyder and Shock may be given the green light by Murin if their injuries continue to heal.

No Soft Touch

Unlike previous seasons, the Gee Men will find no soft touch in this year's edition of the Salem Tigers.

After losing the first four games on the 1954 schedule and running the loss streak to 30 games, the Tigers have bounced back in recent weeks to win over Wesleyan, 14-0, and Fairmont, 12-7.

Although the Wave has won the last three meetings between the two clubs, Salem boasts a series edge with nine wins, seven defeats, and two ties since the teams first met in 1922.

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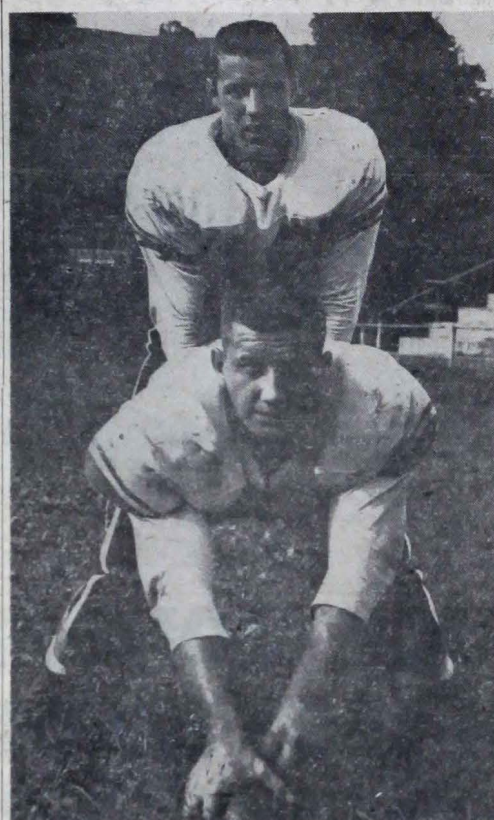
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Pioneers Among National Leaders in NAIA Release

Although they failed to win a game in their first three starts, Glenville's 1954 football eleven is currently rated as the fourth best defensive team in national small college circles, according to the latest NAIA statistical release.

The Gee Men have given up an aggregate average of 134.6 yards per game over the first three games. Ashland (Ky.) is the current pace setter in the defense department, yielding an average of 80 yards per game.

Jack Tennant, Glenville's ace quarterback, is ranked in two important departments in the latest release. Tennant is ninth in passing offense with an average of 90.3 yards per game. Dick Schrier of Indiana Central is the leader in this department with a fabulous 172 yard average for four games.

Tennant ranks 17th in total offense with an average of 100.6 yards per game. Schrier is also the pace setter in this department with a 171.5 game average.

Thanks mostly to Tennant's passing, the Pioneers rank 19th in passing offense with an average of

102.6 yards per game. New Haven (Conn.) leads this department with an almost unbelievable 218.5-yard average for two games.

Other WVIC performers that were ranked in the NAIC release are: Ike Hartman of Morris Harvey, eighth in scoring with 37 points; Delmar Dixon of Tech, 10th in scoring with 34 points; Morris Harvey, 15th in total defense with a 172.5 average; Morris Harvey, 18th in total offense with a 286.1 average; and Morris Harvey, 13th in rushing offense with a 235 average.

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WVIC FORECAST

Concord's Hope of Crown Depends on Pot. State Game

Concord and Potomac, the only teams left with a mathematical chance of overhauling Morris Harvey's front-running Eagles, meet at Romney this Saturday in one of the season's most important WVIC battles.

The favored Mountain Lions registered their third straight this week end by drubbing potent West Liberty 20-6 behind the devastating offensive thrusts of the irrepressible Danny Crane who tallied two of the winner's scores on runs of 59 and 22 yards, bringing his season's total to 12 touchdowns. The victory was Concord's fourth in conference play against a lone 26-7 setback suffered at the hands of Tech early in the season.

"Horse" Lough's Potomac eleven continued to surprise by upsetting Shepherd 13-7 in the final minute of play in Potomac's annual Homecoming battle Saturday. Quarterback Bob Connally was Potomac's man-of-the-hour as he scored one touchdown and passed for the clincher, running the Catamount's winning streak to three straight. Potomac's only conference defeat was also suffered at the hands of Tech in the season's opener, 20-8.

Upset Needed
A victory by Concord would enable the Mountain Lions to cop the WVIC crown by winning over Morris Harvey in the WVIC's "game of the year" next week. Even if the Catamounts should upset Concord, they could not enter the championship picture without Concord's upset of Morris Harvey.

Salem's improving Tigers, celebrating their first back-to-back victories in many seasons, will be shooting for their third straight Saturday night at West Union when they entertain Glenville in a game that will enable one of the teams to enter the conference's first division.

Under the very able direction of Paul West, the Tigers have bounced back strongly after four straight early-season defeats to beat Wesleyan, 14-0, and Fairmont, 12-7, on successive week ends. Against Fairmont the Tigers uncovered a new running threat in the personage of Ron Carey who scored all of Salem's points with scoring jaunts of 70 and 28 yards.

Murin's First
Glenville ended a four-game victory famine Saturday by topping Wesleyan, 27-12, and providing Coach Nick Murin with his first

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victory in intercollegiate play. Glenville's running attack clicked for the first time this season and enabled Jack Tennant to have a "day-off" from his passing duties. The Pioneer quarterback passed only six times, but hit on all six efforts for 66 yards and one touchdown.

West Liberty's Hilltoppers, who entered the "southland" unbeaten two weeks ago only to be beaten by Morris Harvey and Concord on successive Saturdays, returns to the friendly confines of the "north" this week to meet victory-starved Fairmont. The once-powerful Hilltoppers league leaders two weeks ago, dropped out of contention for the WVIC flag last week by losing to Tech early in the season.

Punchless Fairmont

Fairmont became Salem's second straight victim last week when they dropped a close 12-7 decision to the Tigers. The game marked the fifth straight game in which the Falcons have failed to score more than one touchdown.

Title-bound Morris Harvey steps out of league competition for a week this Saturday when they entertain high-powered Heideberg in Charleston. Once-beaten Morris Harvey will be out to avenge a 28-12 pasting handed out by the visitors in (Continued on page 4)

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By Jim Hamrick

Reit's Roosters highlighted last week's play in volleyball as they rolled to their fourth straight victory by taking Caltrider's Colts. The Roosters had to come from behind to keep their victory skein at four straight as the Colts took the first game 15-13. However, the Roosters fought back and took the second game 15-8; in the deciding match won by a score of 15-12.

The three teams in a tie for second place also continued their winning ways this past week. Mason's Masons jumped off to a big lead in their first game with Cogar's Cats and took the Cats in two straight games 15-7 and 15-4.

Cline's Cliff Dwellers also won their match in two straight games as they blasted Allman's All-Stars 15-13 and 15-4.

In order for McKnight's Knights to stay in a tie for second place they had to win and they did just that as they rolled over Wedekamm's Weasels. The first game went to the Knights 15-3, but the Weasels took the second one by a score of 15-11. In the final game the Weasels were again overpowered 15-7.

Miller's Millers picked their second win of the season as they trampled the winless Mules of Basil Mullens in two straight games. The Mules were able to score only 11 points in the two games as the Millers picked up the necessary 30 points to win.

Present standings of the teams are:

Team Captain	W	L
Reit	4	0
Mason	3	1
Cline	3	1
McKnight	3	1
R. Miller	2	2
Caltrider	2	2
Cogar	1	3
Allman	1	3
Wedekamm	1	3
B. Mullens	0	4

Concord's Hopes

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1953.

Shepherd, still smarting from the effects of last Saturday's upset victory by Potomac, step out of league competition for the fourth time this season when they meet Callaudet. The Rams have won two of three non-conference games this year.

Tech, in the throes of a three-game losing streak after winning their first three clashes, is idle this week, preparing for next week's final conference engagement with Fairmont.

THE STANDINGS

	CONFERENCE	W	L	T	For	Op.
Morris Harvey		3	0	0	99	12
Concord		4	1	0	137	56
Potomac		2	1	0	41	34
West Liberty		2	2	0	70	70
Tech		2	2	0	70	58
Shepherd		1	1	1	28	27
Salem		2	4	0	71	126
GLENNVILLE		1	2	1	41	51
Wesleyan		1	2	0	24	47
Fairmont		1	4	0	33	75
	ALL GAMES	W	L	T	For	Op.
Morris Harvey		5	1	0	174	50
Concord		4	1	1	157	76
Potomac		3	1	0	124	34
West Liberty		3	2	0	101	70
Tech		3	3	0	115	92
Shepherd		3	2	1	89	72
Salem		2	4	0	71	126
GLENNVILLE		1	2	1	41	51
Wesleyan		1	3	0	31	80
Fairmont		1	4	0	33	75

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WAA FINALS

Lipps Wins WAA Championship

By Yvonne Hart

Lipps' WAA volleyball team triumphantly held the title of champions as the present volleyball season closed last week, Oct. 19. With an outstanding record of 7 wins and only 1 loss, the team held first place; Cox's team ran second with 6 wins and only 2 losses. Cutlip, Hinder, and Rastle followed in that order.

Lipps' team includes such players as: Shirley Chancey, Gail Boggs, Delores Hitt, Joyce Bourne, Yvonne Hart, Anna Belle McHenry, Patty Lou Snyder, Shirley Brown, and Lucille Lipps, captain.

In Tuesday night's action, Lipps won twice by defeating both Rastle and Cutlip. Both Rastle and Cox defeated Hinder.

In the Lipps vs. Rastle tilt, the final result was 44-38, while Lipps chalked up 49 points against Cutlip's 34. Cox triumphed over Hinder by an easy 44-27 margin. Rastle registered a 50-20 edge over Hinder, too.

Bush, White, C. Marley, Radcliff, and Coe officiated.

Final standings are:

Team	W	L
Lipps	7	1
Cox	6	2
Cutlip	5	3



Pictured above are the members of Lucille Lipps' 1954 WAA Volleyball champions. Front row (seated) left to right: Patty Snyder, Annabelle McHenry, Yvonne Hart, Gail Boggs, and Shirley Brown. Second row (standing) Joyce Bourne, Captain Lucille Lipps, and Shirley Chancey. Delores Hitt was absent when photo was made.

Hinder	1	7	Rastle	1
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Pioneers Win First Under Nick Murin, 27-12

Fisher to Head Minstrel Cast

Presentation
Scheduled Nov. 18;
Endmen Are Named

By Patsy Friend

Norman Fisher will be the interlocuter in the annual G-Club minstrel which will be presented at 8 p. m. on November 18.

Directing the spirited musical will be Prof. Joseph Riggs, speech instructor, and Frank Holbert, sophomore from Oakhill. Mary Faith Holbert will be the musical director for the minstrel as well as accompanist for all the numbers. The task of lighting technician will be handled by Ronald Stalmeier.

Displaying their numerous talents as endmen will be the following performers: Donald Hammon, Mashmouth; James Davis, Lassus; Donald Smith, Tambo; Byron McKnight, Misery; Robert Gainer, Sambo; and Edsel Ford, Snowball.

Plans for the minstrel are as yet incomplete. Members of the chorus have not been selected, but they will be featured along with other talent.

The minstrel is an annual affair, but because of technical difficulties it was not presented last year. However, the club plans to make this year's show the merriest minstrel ever presented on this campus.

In addition to the evening performance, a matinee will be given on Nov. 18 at 2 p. m. for high school and elementary students. Prices for the performances are 25 cents for the matinee and 75 cents for the evening.

Cutlip, 4-H Agent, Student, to Lead Mix Entertainment

Harley Cutlip, Braxton county 4-H club agent and a student at Glenville State College, will have charge of the recreation at the Halloween mix sponsored this weekend by the Home Economics club.

The gym will be decorated in Halloween fashion with witches, black cats, and fiddlesticks dominating the scenery.

Gingerbread and witches brew will be served by the club members.

In a recent club meeting the annual Christmas card sale was begun with Martha Ann Marsh as over-all chairman. Clara Mae Hull has charge of sales in Kanawha hall, and Beth Hudkins is head of Verona Maple sales.

During Homecoming, open house at the new home management house proved quite successful with 50 people touring the halls.

Plans were made for the Alumni Newsletter which will be sent to all former club members. Genevieve Hunter and Charlene Cole have charge of this.

K. Hall Float Ruined; Used to Haul Cement

The Kanawha hall entry in the Homecoming parade failed to appear in the parade this year. The float was decorated in the garage at Claude's Auto Sales the night before the parade. However, the truck was used to haul bags of cement out of the garage. The decorations were not removed before the truck was loaded. The girls of Kanawha hall found their float parked on Lewis Street, completely ruined.

Another float which didn't make it to the parade was that of the Beta Tau sorority. The girls had decorated their float, and it had been moved from the garage when the water began to rise. The truck which they had decorated failed to start when time for the parade came.

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Entertainment Planned For VMH Open House

Council Appoints Committees; Sets Policy on Mixes

The student council met in regular session Tuesday, October 19, at 6:15 p. m. with the following members present: Marvin Stewart, Edward Tekieli, Olga Paskevich, James Hamrick, John Shock, Jack Tennant, Gail Boggs, Daniel Dobbins and Mike Ferrell.

On a motion by Daniel Dobbins, seconded by Ed Tekieli, it was voted that the Who's Who election be held Thursday, Oct. 21, from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. The following students were appointed to serve on the Who's Who Committee: Nora Ann Kennedy, Virginia Harris, and Oliver Hunt.

Following is a list of basketball games that the cheerleaders may attend when played away: Morris Harvey, Davis & Elkins; Alderson-Broadus, Fairmont, West Virginia Wesleyan, and Salem. The council decided that, if the cheerleaders have the money, they may attend the tournament at Buckhannon.

President Stewart announced that the total cost of the freshman float is under \$25.00. Unless the payment can be made from the reserve fund, it will have to come from the student activity fund.

During the meeting, the following committees were appointed: Assembly Committee: Kathleen Quinn and Norman Fisher; Lycium committee: Janette Prather and Shirley Chancy; Library committee: William Atkinson, Karen (Continued on page 2)

BOARD PAYMENT

Second payment of room and board, in the amount of \$87.21, will be due and payable not later than November 1, 1954. However, payment may be made at the business office at any time before that date.

26 YEARS OF SERVICE

Prof. Bell Recalls Campus Changes Since '18

By Rita Pickens

Prof. Bessie B. Bell says there are many changes on campus since she first started teaching here in 1918. Professor Bell has the longest service record among the present faculty members.

From the information received from Professor Bell, the program of Glenville Normal School, in 1918, was teacher training, preparation for college, and general education, where now it is teacher training, vocational training, and a broad, general education.

In 1918, daily chapel attendance was required, and card playing was forbidden. In contrast, two or three years ago the faculty promoted a bridge tournament held in the lounge.

Students who entered Glenville in 1918 were expected to do the work, even though their age of entrance was usually thirteen or



PROF. BESSIE BELL

Wave Overwhelms Wesleyan Behind Improved Line Play

By JIM ROBINSON

The Glenville Pioneers have arrived!! Playing their finest game of the season, Nick Murin's aroused White Wave football eleven notched their first win of the campaign Saturday when they dropped Wesleyan 27-12 before a near-capacity throng at Rohrbough field.

Striking with devastating swiftness the Gee Men tallied early in the first period when "Dynamite" Jack Tennant tossed a 25 yard scoring pass to Dick Barrett in the end zone for the "Fairview Flipper's" 20th scoring pass of his career. Barrett split the uprights for a 7-0 lead.

The Pioneers, playing their final 1953 game before the home crowd, struck again in the second session when they drove from their own 30 yard line to pay dirt in 15 plays with Barrett scoring again, this time from the one-foot line. Eddie Armstrong, freshman halfback from Meadow Bridge, was the big ground gainer in this drive, gaining 30 yards in three efforts.

The Gee Men scored again in the early minutes of the third canto when Dick Barrett recovered a Bobcat fumble on the visitor's 19. Three plays later Eddie Armstrong scooted around left end on a nine yard touchdown jaunt. Jack Tennant's first extra point effort of his career was true, and the Gee Men were in the van, 20-0.

Partain Blocks
Huge Avis Partain provided the Wave with another break only minutes later when he blocked a Wesleyan punt on the Bobcat 12 with Jim Davis falling on the ball on the 2 yard line. On the first play, Ron Godfrey scored his second six-pointer of the season. Tennant's placement was true and the Gee Men held a 27-0 margin.

Nick Murin inserted the reserves at this point and they held the Bobcats the remainder of the third period. Wesleyan came alive in the final period when, after recovering a Pioneer fumble on the Glenville 22, Joe Talbert pitched to Bill Chaney in the end zone to make it 27-6.

The Bobcats capitalized on another Pioneer fumble five minutes later when they recovered a loose ball on the Wave 35 yard line. Five plays later, Charlie Stobart passed to Ken Burton from the two-yard line to end the scoring for the afternoon.

Line Awakes
The victory can largely be credited to the huge Pioneer line. The slumbering Giant, awakened for (Continued on Page 2)

Attendance Assn. Present Photo to Glenville State
The Attendance Workers association of West Virginia presented a large photograph of Harry B. Heflin, president of Glenville State College, to the college Aug. 10. The group has held a workshop on the campus every summer for 7 years. They gave the picture in appreciation of the cooperation they have received from the college through Dr. Heflin.

H. Cliff Hamilton, State Supervisor of instruction and curriculum, presented the picture. A part of his speech says: "The attendance workers have sought a way to express their high esteem for you as a leader and as a friend. About a decade ago we came here without status and esteem and you took us in. We had an ideal and you helped us to dream a dream of professional services to boys and girls. You gave us a new concept, I think, of the role of the college. I find it difficult to express my feelings. As a token of that esteem and that high regard in which we hold you, we want to present something that will be a token of our esteem and will be, I hope, appreciated by you and Mrs. Heflin."

In reply, Dr. Heflin stated: "I, like others, often dream of other positions which I would like, but tonight I would rather be president of Glenville State College than anything else." The picture is hanging in Louis Bennett lounge.

Veteran's Annual Talent Show Is Scheduled Nov. 23
The talent show sponsored annually by the Veterans club will be presented Nov. 23. Commander Avis Partain expressed the belief that this should be a very entertaining program as much of the local talent will be participating.

Mary Faith Holbert will provide music for the program, but she will not compete for honors. She has won first place honors for two years.

One of the feature attractions will be vocalist Hon Shik Min. He appeared on the freshman assembly program, and was called back to sing another song.

Byron McKnight will assume the responsibility of being the master of ceremonies. This spot was handled last year by Sam Ballato.

The President's office was the (Continued on page 2)