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Education Conference Set For GSC Campus, April 18

"The Role of Higher Education in Community Service" will be the theme of the annual Rural Education conference, to be held on Campus April 18, according to conference director, Dean Delmer K. Somerville.

Highlight of the April meeting will be the opening address by Julian E. Butterworth, professor of education administration, emeritus, Cornell university. Group discussions on industry, agriculture, business, education, and human and natural resources, will follow Butterworth's address.

19 Counties Represented

The conference, which will be represented by 19 counties, is co-sponsored by the college and the state department of education. Assisting the college in planning the conference is O. H. Archer, coordinator of W. Va. continuing program in education leadership, H. Cliff Hamilton, state supervisor of instruction, and Walter G. Gumbel, soil conservationist for the Monongahela power company.

Counties participating in the conference will be Randolph, Upshur, Barbour, Wood, Pleasants, Gilmer, Calhoun, Roane, Ritchie, Pocahontas, Braxton, Jackson, Lewis, Tyler, Doddridge, Nicholas, Wetster, Wirt, and Clay.

Will Be Annual Affair

Leaders in industry, business, agriculture, and education from the 19 counties that make up the college service area will be invited to participate in the annual affair.

The purpose of the conference is (Continued on page 2)

McAvoy Attends Registrar's Meet

Registrar Rogers McAvoy will go to Charleston, April 4, to represent the college at the annual spring meeting of the W. Va. Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admission officers.

Discussion of problems confronting registrar and admission officials will make up part of the program. Representatives from all the colleges in the state will participate in the meeting, according to McAvoy.

5 GSC Women Are Princesses For Festival

Five Glenville State College students, Billie Jean Curry, Jeffery Lee Harbour, Carolyn Miller, Josephine Brannon, and Patty Jean Bonnett, were chosen princesses to represent Gilmer county in the state Strawberry Festival last week at the county's third annual Strawberry Festival pre-venue. Peggy Rymer, Troy, was chosen alternate princess.

A forerunner of the state festival to be held in Buckhannon, May 31 and June 1-2, the pre-venue was planned by a three-member committee representing the Rotary club, which is over-all sponsor of the event. Members of the committee include Roy Fogleong, Harlan B. Hogue, and Prof. Wendell Hardway.

Miller Is MC

Prof. Espy W. Miller acted as master of ceremonies for the festival, and contest judges were Senator Raymond Vassar, Richard Ralston, editor of the Buckhannon-Record; and James Saylor, District Governor of Rotary International. Other dignitaries introduced were Robert Combs, director of the state strawberry festival, and Robert Tetric, president of the Strawberry festival association.

An address explaining the purposes of the festival by Roy Fogleong, Rotary club president, opened the evening's activities. Candidates for princess were then introduced on stage, four at a time, and a talent show was presented.

Twenty-four business places and (Continued on Page 2)



THE LIFE of an Easter bunny just isn't what it used to be, or so we might surmise by the appearance of the real gone rabbit in the photo. But what rabbit ever had it so good? The rabbit doll was supplied by the G & D Rexall store which is featuring this week a special sale of the famous line of Tussey cosmetics. The other doll in the picture is Midge Nicols. The Mercury presents this picture to illustrate the lighter side of Easter. But above all, don't forget the true meaning behind the Easter season. (Mercury photo)

Rev. Robert B. Engle Speaks In Annual Easter Assembly

Annual Easter assembly will be held in the auditorium tomorrow morning at 10:10. Guest speaker for the service will be the Rev. Robert B. Engle of the local Methodist church.

Rev. Engle has chosen for the subject of his discussion, "The Lost Weekend."

Group singing of traditional Easter music will be led by Dr. Harold Orendorff, accompanied at the organ by Prof. Bertha Olsen.

Assembly is under the direction of the Student Christian association. John James is president of this organization; Patsy Greene, vice president; Phyllis Given, secretary; Evelyn Given, treasurer; Harold Barker and Nancy Barlow, commis-

sion chairmen; and Yvonne Hart, program chairman.

Combined Services

As has been the custom in past years all the churches of Glenville have combined their pre-Easter services during Passion Week.

Tonight at the Baptist church, John Mullins will conclude the series of sermons preaching on the subject "The Resurrection and Victory." At the same service the Baptist church will present its Easter cantata, "God's Only Son," directed by Dave Arbogast.

"When Christ Arose," an Easter cantata was presented Sunday night at the Methodist church with Tom Reed directing the choral presentation. Soloists were Marita Reed, Martha Hall, Mrs. Robert Engle, Nancy Hinkle, Walter S. Rhodes, and Tom Reed.

'Mardi Gras' Theme Chosen

Traditional New Orleans Mardi Gras will be carried out in the theme of the dance sponsored by Kappa Chi Kappa and Kappa Sigma Kappa to be held April 7, from 9 to 12 p. m. in the old gym.

Masks, designed and prepared by the women, will be worn by all couples. Everyone present will receive favors which are being prepared by the sorority. Refreshments consisting of homemade cookies and punch will be served.

Decorations for the dance will consist of multi-colored balloons and clown faces. A large clown will be placed in the middle of the floor. The bandstand will be in the form of a float.

Queen of the Mardi Gras will be chosen by the fraternity and will be crowned following intermission.

Alumni Members Invited

Susan Arnold has been asked to write invitations, to the faculty and administrative staff. Barbara Burke and Marvin Stemple, corresponding secretaries of the two organizations, are sending invitations to the alumni members.

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Five Seniors Finish Work

Five Glenville State College students, Martha Anne Marsh, John Cutlip, Everett Cooper, Bernard McKown, and Robert Weaver, will finish work on Bachelor of Arts degrees at the end of this term, according to Assistant Registrar Erma Edwards.

Miss Marsh, from Walkersville, has home economics as her major. She is a member of Alpha Delta Epsilon and Kanawha hall governing board.

Serving as sports editor for the MERCURY, Mr. Cutlip is a social studies and English major from Gassaway. He is a member of Sigma Tau Gamma, Student Christian association, and 4-H Club.

Mr. Cooper will receive a degree in secondary education that will qualify him to teach biology. He is from Troy.

Mr. McKown will receive his A.B. in the field of mathematics. He is from Arnoldsburg and is a member of Kappa Sigma Kappa.

Receiving a degree in physical education and business, Mr. Weaver is from Parkersburg. He is a member of the varsity basketball team, G-Club, Student council, Alpha Delta Epsilon, and is president of the senior class.

Easter Vacation Begins Tomorrow at Noon

Easter vacation at Glenville State College will extend from 12:15 p. m., Thursday, March 29, until 8 a. m. Tuesday, April 3, announces Dean Delmer K. Somerville.

The MERCURY will be published next Wednesday, April 4, but will not be published April 11.

Second term of the second semester begins Tuesday, April 3.

Last day for changing classes is April 5, and April 9 is the last day for dropping classes.

Annual Senior Day Set for April 26; 45 Schools Invited

Preliminary plans for the annual high school Senior day, to be held on campus April 26, are underway, and 45 central West Virginia high schools have been asked to participate, according to Registrar Rogers McAvoy.

McAvoy commented that some schools have taken an early interest in participating and have already made reservations for the annual event. In past years the number of students taking part was between six and seven hundred.

"Senior Day gives high school seniors an opportunity to visit a college campus while classes are in session which gives them a better understanding of the college student's life," commented Registrar McAvoy.

Activities set up for the day include a general assembly program, campus tour, swimming, buffet lunch, baseball game, and open house by all departments.

Work Begins On Musical

Rehearsal for "Paint Your Wagon" began last Wednesday, according to Prof. William S. E. Coleman, speech instructor.

This musical consists of singing, acting, and dancing and is under the direction of Dr. Harold S. Orendorff and Prof. Coleman, of the music and speech departments.

May 9 and 10 have been chosen as the dates for the presentation of the drama.



FIVE OUT OF FIVE gives a pretty good percentage figure. All five girls chosen to represent Gilmer county at the Strawberry Festival in Buckhannon are students at Glenville State college. In front are Josephine Brannon and Patty Bonnett; center Carolyn Miller; back, Jeffery Harbour and Billie Curry (Photo by Cawthon, mat courtesy the Glenville Democrat)

Easter! A Time of Joy

As we approach another Easter, we take a look at the world around us. Spring is officially here, and the earth is taking on a new look. Grass is becoming greener, and flowers are peeping out from under the ground. Each year at this time, we imagine that the earth has dressed up for Easter, as its people do.

The commercial aspect of the Easter season, is becoming quite evident, too. In all stores, public buildings and throughout our country, we see reminders of Spring and the holiday season. Children everywhere are eagerly anticipating the day when they will receive Easter baskets, rabbits, chickens, or chocolate eggs. Older people rather expect flowers, candy, or books, and everyone likes to purchase a complete outfit and join the Easter parade.

College students often regard the Easter season as the opportunity for a much-needed vacation—the last until the end of the school year.

A foremost thought in the minds of most able-bodied citizens of today is the meaning of Easter. We regard this holiday as the Resurrection and the symbol of rebirth.

In our opinion, Easter is, next to Christmas, the most delightful holiday of the year. There is something about this day that fills each human heart with an inner satisfaction. Somehow, this feeling is not for one day only—but for the days that follow. Maybe this can be accredited to the presence of Spring or perhaps it is because of what Easter really signifies.

As we of American heritage, with bountiful blessings and opportunities galore, face the 1956 Easter season, we have the faith to believe that it will be the most inspirational and spiritualistic of our time. May we join with the millions who, on Easter morning, will pause as they enter the door of their church to murmur "Christ our Lord is risen today. Hallelujah!"—Yvonne Hart.

We Are All Americans

"America is the melting pot of the world." America is as German as the name Wagner, as Irish as the name O'Kelley, and as Italian as the name Tuccani. In reality we are all Americans, working towards the common good of society.

Broadly speaking, we are not Jews, Catholics, Protestants, Moslems, or Buddhists, but we are citizens of that great land that has no barriers against religion, race, color, or creed.

Rabbi Joseph Levine, who was visiting the campus last week, said "American democracy encourages all religions, all people, all immigrants. We believe in unity and diversity—not unity in amalgamation."

Rabbi Levine's words might well be applied to our philosophy of life. Despite recent conflicts derived from integration, religion, and politics, the word "democracy" outshines all prejudice and ill feelings.

In an informal discussion concerning science and religion, Rabbi Levine, told students, "Religion is serving as a great force in America—all churches are working together for the progress and betterment of America." Not only is religion working for the progress and betterment of America, but it is also serving to unify its people. This is of vital importance in the period of profound change that society is going through today.

"Today, let us look to a century of peace," stated the Rabbi when asked what he thought of the world situation. These are not the words of one of Jewish faith, but they are the words of an American who has faith and confidence in his country. Words such as these relieve our minds and souls of the world's pressing problems. Rabbi Levine says that a century of peace will be the fulfillment of God's promise to man and in return, man's promise to God.

In closing the Rabbi stated, "I have faith in the future of America, and I believe the world is getting better." It is up to the individual to form his own opinion about the world of today—that is one of our inherited freedoms. But we can never forget that we are all Americans—"United we stand; divided we fall."—Connie Sams.

Sorority Simmerings

By SHIRLEY BROWN

Shirley Chancery and Edsel Ford presided over the last joint meeting held by Kappa Chi Kappa and Kappa Sigma Kappa.

Mardi Gras Ball, which will be held April 7, in the old gym was the main item of business. The decorating committee met last week and formulated plans concerning the dance. Everyone attending the dance will receive favors and refreshments will be served. Admission will be \$2.50 per couple. The fraternity will select the queen of the Mardi Gras, who will be crowned during intermission. Members of the two organizations voted to have either the Little Count orchestra from Oak Hill or Howie Chapman from Athens, Ohio, play for their dance.

Susan Arnold was appointed to send invitations to all faculty members and the administrative staff.

Jackets were ordered last week by the sorority. These jackets bear the new crest which was designed by Shirley Chancery.

XI Beta Tau

Joyce Bourn, vice president, conducted the last meeting due to the absence of Anna Radabaugh.

Money from the tickets to the dance was turned over to Nancy Greenleaf, treasurer. The success of the Sock Hop was discussed.

The group voted to play a basketball game with Kappa Chi Kappa sometime after Easter.

Judy Vaught, Nancy Greenleaf, and Barbara Royce were appointed to prepare hot dogs for Verona Maple hall last week and Rosemary Hammond, Virginia Davis and Shirley Lambert for Kanawha hall.

Conference Set

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to determine some of the social, economic, and cultural problems of the area, according to Dean Somerville. He also stressed that the conference officials will attempt to find out what services the college might provide for the people of the central West Virginia area.

Pres. Harry B. Herlin commented that the conference is a developmental program to determine what

Frat Chat

By JERROLD MURPHY

HOLY ROLLER COURT

The final decision concerning jackets was reached by the Holy Roller court at their regular meeting on Monday, March 19. In addition to this, the final arrangements were made for the holding of the annual class tournament. Pledges were discussed by the members and a number of prospective pledges were invited to attend the March 26 meeting of the Holy Roller court.

KAPPA SIGMA KAPPA

A number of prospective pledges were present at the last meeting. After the introduction of the pledges and a general getting acquainted period, the group adjourned to the meeting-place of the Kappa Chi Kappa, sisters of the Kappa Sigmas, where work was done towards completion of plans for the annual dance which this year is being sponsored collectively by the Kappa Sigmas and Kappa Chis.



DR. CORMA MOWREY

Miss Mowrey Speaks Monday Night; IRC Civic Club Sponsors

Miss Corma Mowrey, nationally known educational leader and now director of the division of professional services of the WVEA, will be on campus Monday, April 2, at 8 p.m. where she will serve as principal speaker at a special program co-sponsored by the International Relations club, and the Glenville Civic club.

Named "West Virginia's Daughter of the Year" for 1955, Miss Mowrey is active in WVEA, NEA, and CTA work. A native of Harrison county, she holds an A.B. degree from Salem College, the M. Ed. degree from Duke University and the honorary degree granted her at Salem.

Past President of NEA

She has served as president of the National Education Association and served on numerous state and national education committees and education study groups. As guest of the West German federal government, she made a four week study tour of that country last year.

The visitor will speak on some of the highlights of her European trip and also show slides of Germany. The meeting will be open to the public.

'Mardi Gras'

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According to Shirley Chancery, president of the sorority, posters are being made by the commercial art class. Admission to the dance will be \$2.50 per couple.

Committees working on the dance are as follows: Orchestra, Barbara Burke, Marvin Stemple, Richard Stewart, Mike Ferrell; favors, Thelma Strader, Betty Jo Lewis, Reta Jo Vannoy, Carolee Singleton, Dorsey Scott; refreshments, Jean Loyd, Doralee Bell, Sally Ziegler, Alice McCullough; tickets, Susan Arnold, Dave Posey; publicity, Ada Cox, Gall Boggs, George Cook, Bill Lowe and Jearl Stump.

Decorations, Barbara Clark, Judy Kennedy, Paul Caltrider, Kathleen Kennedy, Carolyn Jackson, Steve Cooper, Dennis Bull, Jack Campbell; intermission, William Deel, Trent Busch, Bernadine Gregory, Eleanor Conley, Al Reich, and Ron Rokisky.

The college can further do to serve the people of this area.

Two Professors In New York; Attend Meeting, See Plays

Two Glenville professors, Mrs. Lillian Chaddock and Miss Julia Nutter, recently returned from New York.

Professor Chaddock attended the North Atlantic Home Economics Educational Regional conference which was held in Barbizon-Plaza hotel, New York City.

Theme of the week long conference was "The Place of

Choir Presents Choral Concert

Easter Choral concert was presented yesterday at 8:15 p.m. in the college auditorium by the College choir, under the direction of Dr. Harold S. Orendorff.

Selections which were included in the concert were: "O Sing You Songs," "Day of Judgment," "Brother James Air," "No Man Is An Island," "I Am a Poor Way-faring Stranger," and "One God." "Jerusalem Triumphs," "Lilies of the Dawn," "This Glad Easter Day," "Emittie," "You'll Never Walk Alone," "I Heard a Forest Praying," "Vanka and Tanika," and "Low Down, Hoe Down."

Sophanos who appeared in the concert were: Alpha Coberly, Jane Thompson Weekly, Mary Sue Davidson, Wilodene Campbell, Glende Bick, Janet Swisher, and Ruby Elder. Altos were, Doris Marks Snort, Alice McCullough, Beverly Clark, Barbara Clark, Mary Jane Cleavenger, Yvonne Hart, Carolyn Miller, Patsy Garrett, and Ruth Ellen Hogue.

Tenors participating in the performance were, David Arbogast, Tom Howard, Fred Batten, and Raymon Ayers; bass, Joseph Arbogast, Thomas Reed, Kent Duffield, George Gray, Curtis Flesham, Otis Boyles, Rolland Coberly, Gene Elmore, and Jack Kaufman.

GROUP CHOOSES ADA COX LEADER

Ada Cox, junior, was elected chairman of the youth group of the council of Southern Mountain Workers conference to be held Feb. 23, 1957, at Gatlinburg, Tenn.

The election took place at the recent conference at Gatlinburg. Miss Cox attended the conference with Mary Ann Busch, state 4-H leader.

Miss Cox is a member of Kappa Chi Kappa, WAA, Wesley Foundation, and FTA, and is an elementary major.

Two hundred adults and one hundred youths attended the recent meeting. Thirteen states were represented, and West Virginia had nine delegates.

Kanawhachen Staff Completes Deadline

According to Doralee Bell, associate editor of the Kanawhachen, the second deadline for the yearbook has been met. Thirty six pages were sent to the publisher at the completion of this deadline.

Anyone who has snapshots for the yearbook is urged to give them to any member of the staff or the subscription agents immediately.

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Pioneer Nine Opens Card Apr. 5

Glenville Golfers Lift Lid On 1956 Schedule April 17

Coach Robert Higgins' up-and-coming linksmen will make to the fairways April 17, when they open their 1956 golf schedule against West Virginia Wesleyan on the local course.

Glenville's divot diggers will engage in six more matches following the lid-lifter against the Bobcats before they journey to Wheeling's Oglebay Park for the conference tournament slated for May 14 and 15.

After meeting Wesleyan, the Pioneer golfers will travel to Fairmont on April 20, play at West Virginia Tech the following day, then hit the road for three matches—Davis-Elkins, April 28; Wesleyan, April 30; and Tech, May 4—before closing the regular season with a return match here against Davis-Elkins, on May 11.

Last year, the Pioneers finished fifth place in the state tourney, coming in behind Fairmont, West Liberty, Tech and Bethany, respectively. In the regular season, the locals failed to do any better.

Juniors Capture Trophies in Class Tournament Play

Basketball came to an official close here at Glenville State College Thursday night when the two junior class teams rolled to victories in the class tournament staged by the Holy Roller court.

In the men's division, the victors opened their drive to the championship by beating the Sophomores, 65 to 54 count, while the Freshmen were busy in edging by the seniors by a 90 to 88 score for a berth in the finals. In the final round of the tourney, the Juniors came out on the long end of a 63-41 tally in a nip-and-tuck battle with the Freshmen.

In the girls' division, the Seniors set via the forfeit route to the freshmen while the Juniors were wasting to an easy 75 to 29 victory over the Sophomores. After a hard-fought battle, the Juniors captured the division championship by trouncing past the Freshmen, 58-47.

Girls' Enter Competition
An annual event, the single-elimination tournament was first held in 1914 as an all-male affair, as the women then were considered too delicate to participate. In 1937, the girls were given their first chance, but they caused such confusion that they were forced back into the sidelines. They made a successful comeback in 1946, and have managed to stay in the competition since that time.

The winning quint in each division of the tournament—both Junior teams this year—will have its name engraved on one of the two trophies that are on display in the student union.

Proceeds from the event are used by the Holy Roller court for various activities it sponsors throughout the year.

Davis, Foster Lead WAA Scoring List; Softball Is Planned

Mary Margaret Davis, freshman flash from Weston is now leading WAA basketball scoring with a total of 56 points in four games, giving her a 14 point per game average. A member of Jackson's "Jack Rabbits," currently in last place in team standings, Davis has been the most consistent scorer in the tourney.

Nipping Davis's scoring hand is Mary Lee Foster, the junior who holds the record for the highest number of points scored in a single game. Foster, playing for Bourn's "Bears," hit 22 points against Underwood's "Unicorns" to bring her total number of scoreboard tallies to 51. This 13 point average is followed by Joyce Bourn, Carolee Singleton, and Beverly McComis's ten point one.

'Bears' Lead
With four games left to play, the "Bears" lead the standings with four wins and no losses. Bourn, captaining the "Bears," stands in second place in the highest number of points for one game.

In second place in team standings is Coe's "Cats," boasting two wins and two losses. The "Jack Rabbits" and the "Unicorns" are in a two-way tie for last place, each of the two trailing teams having only one win with three losses.

Officials for the WAA tourneys are Virginia Horner, Emilie Sizemore, Mida Bailey, Jackie Coe, Wyene Turner, and Juanita Radcliff. Beverly McComis is acting as sports leader for the games.

Softball Planned
As all eyes turn from the hardwood court to the baseball diamonds, WAA softball captains,

GSC Swimming Pool Takes River's Place For Aquatic Sports

Since 1951, when the physical education building replaced the Little Kanawha river for swimming purposes, students, faculty members, and townspeople have been engaged in aquatic sports in the Glenville College pool.

For the past five years, the pool has been used for classes, swimming meets, and pleasure swimming. This rectangular basin is now used for six hours of swimming classes each week, along with public swimming on Wednesday and Friday nights, and Saturday afternoons.

According to Athletic Director Carlos Ratliff, the pool has averaged an attendance of 40 on Wednesday nights, 50 on Friday nights, and 30 on Saturday afternoons. Open to the public for the fee of 25 cents on Wednesday and Friday and 50 cents on Saturday, the pool is frequented most often by students and families of faculty members who pay only on Friday nights. During the summer months, Friday nights are set aside as community nights.

Two life guards and two dressing room attendants are on hand during each swimming period. Life guards are Tommy Hyer, Tom Vance, Richard Jones, Jackie Coe, Connie Sams, and Bob Weaver. Dressing room attendants are Sue Pyles and George Cook.

New Term Begins Tuesday, April 4

An unusual occurrence in class scheduling this year is that the end of the third term comes just before the Easter vacation. This is the first time it has happened this way for many years, according to Dean of Women, Pearl Pickens.

Women who have made arrangements to enter dormitories for the fourth term are Barbara Taylor, Greenbank, Louise Brown, Artovale; Marilyn Rastie, and Clara Mae Hull. All four girls will live in Verona Maple hall.

JoAnn Davis, from Parkersburg, will live in Kanawha hall.

Barbara Shomo and Kathleen Quinn Harris will leave the dormitory to do their directed teaching, and leaving the dormitory to live in the home management houses will be Jackie Coe and Kathleen Barr.

Virginia Davis, Connie Marley, and Martha White, are looking over prospects for spring players.

Actual play will begin early in the final term, announces sports leader, Carolee Singleton. Teams have not been named as yet.

Pat White, who leads the horse-shoe tourneys, and Alice McCullough, head of the shuffleboard games, have not begun their lists of future games. However, these sports will be held during the coming term.

Locals Tackle Wesleyan Cats In Initial Tilt

Glenville State College's 1956 baseball schedule will get underway on Thursday, April 5, when the Pioneers open their season against the Wesleyan Bobcats at 2 o'clock on the local diamond.

With only eight veterans with which to build his squad, Coach Carlos Ratliff has been trying for two weeks now to whip his men into shape for the rugged 15-game schedule that has been set up. Two pitchers, three infielders and an outfielder were lost through graduation, but the return of Catcher George Cook and Pitcher Bob Poole from active duty with the armed forces is expected to strengthen the team.

Returning from last year's team are Ralph Holder, and Paul Stout, pitchers; Lowell Morrision, second base; Ed Tekiel, centerfield; Dick Jones, third base; and Pete Kostyk, rightfield.

Last year, after getting off to a poor start, the locals managed to win four straight games to finish the season with a .500 average, winning six out of 12 contests.

GSC Started Slow

Glenville dropped its initial tilt last year to Wesleyan by an 13 to 9 count, and in a return engagement, came out on the blank end of a 21-0 tally. The Pioneers split a two-game series with Fairmont, winning the first 16-8, but falling by a close 8-7 score in the second tilt.

The Pioneers also split with A-B, losing the first encounter 13-9, then nipping the Battlers in the return bout, 3-2. Coach Ratliff's charges dropped a 13-8 contest to Concord; tripped Salem, 10-3; batted West Virginia Tech, 4-0; won a twin bill over Davis-Elkins, 4-3 and 13-3 then closed the season by losing to Morris Harvey by a 6-3 margin.

This year's schedule:

April 5—Wesleyan There

April 10—Salem There

April 14—W. Va. State	Here*
April 17—Davis-Elkins	There
April 21—Fairmont	There
April 24—A-B	Here
April 26—Morris Harvey	Here
April 28—Concord	There
May 1—Salem	Here
May 3—A-B	There
May 5—Fairmont	Here
May 8—Davis-Elkins	Here
May 12—Concord	Here
May 19—Tech	There
May 26—Wesleyan	There

* denotes pending game

Fairmont Tops Field In Intramural Meet; Locals Finish Last

Fairmont State College racked up a grand total of 32 points to walk off with top honors in the inter-staged here recently.

collegiate intramural competition. West Virginia Wesleyan scored 20 points to finish in the runner-up slot, just a half point ahead of third-place Davis-Elkins with 19½. The Glenville squad managed to eke out only 13½ points in the tourney to round out the field in last place.

Fairmont scored its victory by taking 10 points in volleyball, five each in badminton doubles, badminton's singles, table tennis doubles and table tennis singles, and two markers in basketball.

Wesleyan collected 10 points in basketball, three in badminton doubles, two in badminton singles, three in volleyball and one each in the two table tennis brackets. D-E got seven points in volleyball, five and a half in basketball, one in the badminton doubles and three in each division of table tennis play.

The hosting squad collected five and a half points in basketball, one in badminton doubles, two in badminton singles, three in volleyball and one point in each table tennis division.

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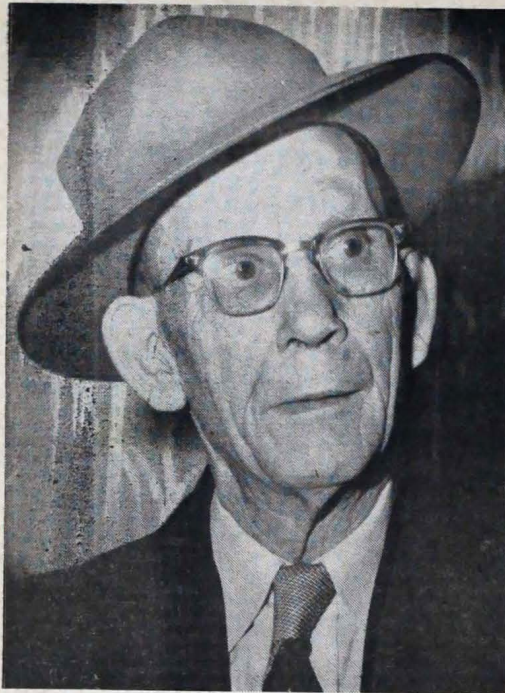
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DOY FITZPATRICK

Veteran College Employee To Retire After 32 Years

By Jack Cawthon

Is the modern college student as downright ornery as the student of 30 years ago? This question might bring a flood of answers contrasting the pros and cons of student delinquency as it does, or doesn't, exist today. But one person here at Glenville State college who should be rather familiar with the behaviorisms of collegians due to his 32 years of observation of them says the modern Ivy Leaguer is a much milder version of his predecessors.

Doy Fitzpatrick will retire this year after 32 years of general maintenance services here at the college. He doesn't pretend to be any authority on the delinquency traits of the species collegian. But he does, however, cite some examples which give weight to his case.

One year during a commencement address, the speaker was interrupted by what sounded like the wails of a young calf. The reason the distracting noise (not the speaker) resembled a calf's cry for his mother was because there had been a four-or-five-day-old calf smuggled into one of the dressing rooms in the auditorium—a clever little prank by mischievous college students.

And you can imagine the fright of townspeople when one morning they found a human skeleton hanging from a tree limb alongside the main thoroughfare. The skeleton was the property of the college biology department, and it was unmercifully "lynched" by student delinquents.

Shoveled 16 Tons

Mr. Fitzpatrick came to work here at the college in 1924. The fabulous George Firestone was the only other maintenance worker here at that time. There were only two buildings then on the campus. The buildings were lit by gaslights and the heat

was obtained by coal-fed furnaces. This, Mr. Fitzpatrick recalls with a groan, was the hardest work of all—to keep the homefires burning.

The beginning pay was 90 dollars per month. The working day was 12 to 14 hours long. "Quite a change today," the veteran college employee mused. The state now provides shorter work days, better pay, a pension plan, and just recently, social security.

The eccentric George Firestone, seemingly well loved by all who knew him, is a topic which provides many fond memories for Mr. Fitzpatrick. He recalls the day when the weight on the tower clock broke loose and plunged to the ground floor, smashing everything in its path. No one was injured, but the elderly Firestone, who had just finished winding the clock, was pretty well "shook."

Fabulous Firestone Dies

Firestone resided in a small room in the administration building. When he was stricken with a heart attack, which was to prove fatal, Fitzpatrick stayed with him most of the time until his death. George Firestone had few relatives. So, the Fitzpatricks had his body brought to their home to lie in state. One of Fitzpatrick's most cherished treasures is a watch given to him by George Firestone.

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Political Pot Now Boiling

By Joyce Jackson

MacArthur's famous words, "I will return," were paralleled last Wednesday when Dave Posey gave forth the long awaited announcement, "I will run."

The entire campus has been waiting for over a month for this momentous decision by Posey. These three words were packed with force as his announcement kindled a new flame of interest in council politics. When questioned concerning the policy of his platform, the presidential hopeful would not incriminate himself, saying that he preferred to reserve comment until he had worked out his program in its entirety.

Deel Announces

Even as the walls echoed Posey's statement, three other politicians made final decision to seek office. William Deel, who has kept prophets and reporters alike guessing, announced that he will definitely be on the ballot for vice president. Deel, who was unavailable for last minute comment, will likely reveal his platform to reporters in the near future.

Yvonne Hart, who had previously decided to run for veep, is bogging down in her political aspirations, in the face of Easter vacation and other outside interests. When asked for some statement, the Clay miss replied, "A council race—what a chase." Someone said her mind was not on politics.

der the supervision of four college presidents. "There was always a feeling of regret when a new president took office," he said. But he added that he has had "fine working conditions" under all the college presidents during his tenure of service, and "they've all treated me good."

The veteran maintenance worker remembers when the ice room in the basement of Verona Mapel hall provided the ice for ice cream and other refrigerant needs. "I've made as high as 300 to 350 gallons of ice cream during the summer months," Fitzpatrick said. With the installation of the automatic ice cube maker in the kitchen, the ice room has become obsolete.

But the job which the veteran maintenance employee looks upon with most pride and joy is the caring for the flowers on the president's lawn—a task which he has performed since the construction of the president's house.

Yes, he's pretty well run the gamut of general jobs, Fitzpatrick reckons. Supervisor of the college farm, custodian, mechanic, plumber, ice cream maker and the other assorted jobs which comprise "general maintenance" have provided Fitzpatrick with a busy 32 years.

And now that this is his last year, does he look with regret toward the day when he will officially retire from active duty? "I'll be very glad to leave when the time comes to retire," Fitzpatrick said. And there wasn't any sadness in his voice.

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Junior politician, Ray Carson, running for treasurer, is now in the midst of rounding out his platform, the major plank of which will be an emergency loan fund for students.

White Sets Up Program

Submitting finally to the continued urgings of his fellow students, Jim White began work on his sergeant-of-arms program post.

White was very tight lipped about the whole affair, refusing to give a comment at the present time. Rumor has it that a school-shaking platform will be revealed in time.

Thus far it looks as though the elections may prove to be one-horse races, as all but one office remains unopposed. No candidate has yet been stirred up for the secretarial post.

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