

# Plans Are Going Forward For Religion in Life Week

Dr. Walter Warrington White, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of South Charleston, will be the main speaker for the "Religion In Life Week" program, it has been announced by the program executive committee.

The week of religious emphasis on the college campus and in the college classrooms, which has been scheduled for April 7-11, will bring to Glenville State College several widely-known authorities who will speak to students concerning the Christian approach to courtship and marriage. The program will be actively concerned throughout the week with carrying out the adopted theme, "The Ring and the Book."

Altended Davidson College Dr. White, a native of Richwood, aftended elementary and secondary schools in Nicholas County, He attended Davidson College, Davidson, N. C., for one year; Davis and Elkins College, two years; and holds his B. A. Degree from Concord College.

The pastor attended Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va., from which he was graduated in 1933. The Doctor of Divinity Degree was conferred upon him by Dayis and Elkins College in the spring of 1953.

From 1933 to 1940, he served as pastor of the Porter Street Pres-

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# Rabbi Volkman Visits Here Next Week; Lectures Are Set Hold Meeting

Rabbi Samuel Volkman of the Virginia Street Temple in Charleston, will visit Glenville State College on Wednesday,

While here Rabbi Volkman will deliver a series of lectures on the topic, "The Jews in the United States." He will speak in Prof. Bessic Bell's class at 11:15 a.m., in Dr. James G. Jones class at 1:00 p.m., and in Prof. Nicholas Murin's 2:00 class. Any student may attend any of these class-room, lectures room lectures.

Rabbi Volkman was ordained from the Hebrew Union College in Cincinnati in 1934. He received a Master of Hebrew Letter degree the same year. He did post-graduate work in oriental language and literature at the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago while acting as a spiritual leader of the Liberal Jewish Synagogue.

Buring World War II the Rabbi

During World War II the Rabbi Begin Testing

States Navy. After his release he occupied the pulpit of the Madison Avenue Temple, Scranton, Pa. He came to the Virginia Street Temple in 1952.

He will visit Glenville under the auspices of the Jewish Chatauqua Society, an organization dissemulation authentic information about Judaism as a part of an education and the services of the services of the Jewish Chatauqua of March, announces President Judaism as a part of an education and the services of the serv

Article for PTA

The Kindergarten Parents Clubplans to meet March 19 in the education room of the Administration Building for its regular program. Plans for the program have been made and will feature Mrs. William Griffith who will present an article on child care. There will article on child care. There will attend and a complete record of also be a discussion of the characteristics of the "five year old."



The program, which is being conducted on a state-wide scale as a pilot project, is being carried on by every state and private college. Each institution is assigned certain schools in which colleges will administer the tests to the high school juniors.

Colleges that will act as scoring.

# Principals

Approximately 46 principals and supervisors attended the regional meeting of the West Virginia Secondary and Elementary Principals Commission, which was conducted on campus last week in Louis Bennett Lounge.

Discussion for the day revolved around the teaching of arithmetic and mathematics from the viewpoint of the elementary school.

of the elementary school panel discussions were conducted, one in the morning session and one in the evening session.

GSC Graduates active

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William Underwood, a recent
graduate of Glenville, served on
one of the panels. Underwood is
now teaching grade six at Gassaway Grade School, Another recent
graduate who attend the meeting is
John F. Short, principal of Erbacon School in Webster County.
Principals and supervisors who
attended the all-day meeting were
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### Miss J. Elliot Presents Lyceum Tomorrow Night

"One Woman Theatre" starring Miss Judith Elliot will be
presented in the GSC Auditorium tomorrow night at 8 p.m.
Miss Elliot is known on Broadway an an actress, director, and
a monologist, but she is especially known for her dramatic
presentations.
She was born in Europe and

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She was born in Europe and came to this country at an early age, bringing with her a traditional family dedication and love for the arts. Miss Elliot has appeared on radio, in the legitimate theatre, and recently on television. She has produced and directed plays in the little.

felevision. She has produced and directed plays in the Little Theatre movement. This is the fourth number in the current lyceum series; The series will close on April 11 with the performance of Levin and McGraw piano duettists.

# Reta Jo Armstrong Captures Roto Campus Cover Girl Title



RETA JO ARMSTRONG

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Reta Jo Armstrong won the campus cover girl contest held here last week. The contest was sponsored by the MER-CURY in connection with the Roto Magazine section of the Pittsburgh Press.

Mrs. A rm stroing is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Vannoy of Normantown. Her husband, Eddie, is a sophomore here. She is an elementary education major, and a member of Kappa Chi Kappa, Last year she was a college cheerleader and at the WVIC tournament at Buckhannon was named one of the three best cheerleaders. cheerleaders.

One hundred thirty-four students voted in the election in which Mrs. Armstrong was selected. This number consisted of nine seniors, 28 juniors, 48 sophomores, and 49 freshmen.

Mrs. M. Miller

Writes Winner

Mrs. Mildred Miller, wife of Floyd W, Miller, librarian, is one of a host of state club women who were honored at the 51st annual convention of the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs at White Sulpher Springs recently. Some 800 women from all parts of the State attended.

Mrs. Miller, a member of the Glenville Civic Club, submitted a short story entitled "Magna Cum Laude" which won first place honors in the literary and drama classifications. The setting of the story is in a small college town.

Two years ago Mrs. Miller won the short story honor with "Love Feast." Each time the award carries with it a \$10 cash remuleration. Mrs, Miller has also had this first short story published in the Sunday magazine section of the Charleston Gazette. In addition to (Continued on page 4)

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### Slant of the Sun

Some have speculated that migrant birds and spring flowers time their vernal activity by the moving angle of the sunlight. This is easy to believe in March, when even

the sunlight. This is easy to believe in March, when even humans are virtually forced to leave their calendar-watching long enough to look at the sun. It streams almost directly in the east windows now in the morning, and in the evening it is full in the windows to the west. It scarcely seems to be the same sun that inscribed a small arc in the southern sky in January.

Duration of daylight is involved, of course; sunrise and sunset, are now almost eleven and one half hours apart. But that is considerably less than the whole story. The sun strikes the earth at a new angle, and that makes all the difference. There is now more warmth in an hour of sunlight than before. It penetrates the soil instead of glancing off; and whether we are conscious of it or not, it penetrates a little deeper into human beings too. One of these days, and not too many weeks hence, it will penetrate deeply enough to generate a case of spring fever.

But it's the look as well as the feel of sunlight now. And that may, be one of the factors in bird migration. The light is different morning and evening. The shadows fall a new way, The whole aspect of the world is changed, and not even a new snowdrift or a new coating of ice on the brooks and rivers can much alter that.

The sun itself has moved into March and toward April, and the sun will not go fact to its old slant until another sun.

The sun itself has moved into March and toward April, and the sun will not go back to its old slant until another summer has passed. One doesn't have to look at the calendar to know that. One merely has to live with the seasons for a few years, as the birds do. The birds know it in the marrow of their bones. (From The New York Times)

Where Is The Answer?

Why does the educational system of West Virginia rank forty second in the nation?

This is a serious question that has come face to face with us as native West Virginians, and a specific answer could probably never be stated. But are we see the summer of the Future Teachers have assumed the duties of keeping the books in the education properly arranged.

This was part of their scheduled program at the last meeting and Prof. Jewell Matthews, sponsor, announces that this will continue to be part of the club activities for which members may receive points. Each member receives points or various duties performed during the year. The sun itself has moved into March and toward April, and the sun will not go back to its old slant until another sum-

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First of all, he has a contagious enthusiasm.

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Taxes are what we pay for civilized society-Oliver Wendell Holmes to the subject of the summitty—and he dosn't boast about it.

STUDENT GROUP

TOURS BUILDING

Student Council, accompanied by President student Council donated an electric clock to the livery the student Council from the Dr. Pepper company, was repainted by the art department before it was intrough the building they returned stalled in the library.

# Drama Meet Is KEEPER OF THE RECORDS Set March 19

# SEP REMEMBER



MRS. RUTH WOLFE and the Recordak machine the financial secretary's office. Valuable records in the financial secretary's office, Valuable records are being micro-filmed and kept in (small places) for future use. Mrs. Wolfe began her work here at the College in December, in the registrar's office. (MERCURY photo by Deel)

### College Keeps Many Records By Microfilming Process

Mrs. Ruth Wolfe of Glenville has Frat Chał been microfilming valuable records and documents at Glenville

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### Junior Men, Senior Women Win Tournaments Last Week

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Junior class came out on top in the men's division of the class tournaments held in the Health and Physical Education Building last week. The class tournaments were sponsored by the Holy Roller Court.

First round play 8 a w the 50 phomores down the Seniors, 67-54 Major factors in the will were "Doc" Stanley, Dorsey Scott and Paul McKown with 16, 13, and 12 points Pespectively. High point man for the game, however, was Dave Posey with 22 markers.

Reynolds Leads Scoring
In the second game between the Freshmen and Juniors, the thirdyear men led all the way to climb the victory, 75-59. Bob Reynolds took-Junior scoring honors by netting 27 points. Freshmen were led by Winters with 16. Winters was closely followed by Charley Watt with 15.

Tuesday night play saw the Juniors copping the championship by outpointing the Sophomores 63-50. Reynolds again led the Junior scoring attack with 22 points. Sophomores were led by Lawrence Reed with 12 points and Larry Stanley, sophomores; Reith Winters and Charley Watt from the freshman squad.

ters and Charley Watt from the freshman squad. The two Junior class teams rolled to victories last year in the Daniell Chevrolet, Inc.

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### ANASTASIA

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### CLASS TOURNEY WINNER



VICTORIOUS JUNIOR men are shown immediately following the battle of the courts last week for class championships. The third-year men beat the freshmen in their opening encounter 75-59 and then went on to down the sophomores in the finals 63-50. Bob Reynolds led the Junior scoring with 49 points for the two nights. Standing are George Cook, Gordon Palmer, Jim Dotson, David Mace, Steve Cooper, and Bob Reynolds. Kneeling in front are Jim Hannaman and Keith Pritt. (MERCURY photo by Deel)

# Estep's Five, Kappa Sigma'A' Kappa Sigma B' Kennedy with the completion of the class Lead In MAA League Play

tournaments, basketball came to an official close for the year here at Glenville State College. Attention will now be turned to spring sports, namely baseball and golf. The baseball season is scheduled to open April 10 at Buckhannon against the West Virginia Weslevan Bobcats. Baseball coach is Carlos Ratliff, athletic director.

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Posey Leads Scoring
The Kappa Simga "A" five breezed by John Kennedy's team 79-22 with each of the Kappa Sigma "A" team scoring in double figures. Dave Posey led with 22; followed by George Cook with 19. Steve Cooper 14, Dave-Weathern 13 and George Allen 10. High point man for Kennedy was Ernie Backus with eight.

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kus with eight, The Burkhouse Babies, undefeat ed until last week were knocked out of first place 35-28 by the team led by Jack Stoneking. Dean Smith was high scorer for the winners

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## GSC PLAYERS PREPARE DRAMA

The next attraction of the Onimgohow Players and the Alpha Psi Omega is "Playboy of the Western World" which will be presented April 1 and 2 at 8 pm. The play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long been hailed as one of the fine most part play is a comedy written by John Millington Synge and has long written by John Millington Synge and have the play the play have been been played to the write by John Millington Synge and have the play have been been played to the write by John Millington Synge and have the play have been been played to the write by John Millington Synge and have the play have been been played to the write by John Millington Synge and have the play have been been played to the write by John Millington Synge and have the played the play

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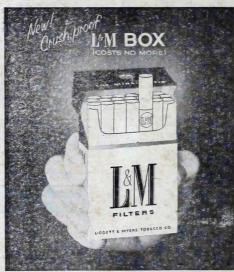
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