

EIGHT OF THE ELEVEN honor graduates of the 1958 class of Glenville State College can be seen above discussing future plans with President Heffin. To be graduated with honors a student must have maintained a 3.2 average through his four years of study. Randolph Stein will be graduated Summa Cum Laude. Other honor graduates pictured are Christine Hyer Bush, Virginia Boggs Frymier, Winnetta Bowman, Lee Kessinger, Connie Sams, Joyce Jackson and Rose Marie Gwinn. Absent when the picture was taken were Jim White, Paul Hughes and Burke Hathaway.

(MERCURY photo by Cottrill)

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### Eleven Seniors Will Be Graduated With Honors From Glenville State

seniors will lead the graduation procession progresses from the Student Union to the college auditorium Monday morning and take their places as honor graduates at the head of the Glenville State College 1958 graduationg class.

Summa Cum Laude (with highest praise) honors will be be-stowed upon Randolph Edward Stein, a native of Cumberland, Md. Stein, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stein, is being graduated with a non-teaching A. B. degree in English and

Magna Cum Laude (with great praise) honors will be be-stowed upon Joyce Carol Jackson, James Harry White, Alice Winnetta Bowman, and Christine Hyer Bush.

Miss Jackson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Jackson of Valley Chapel, its being graduated with an A.B. Degree in mathematics and physical education. Jim White, the son of Mrs. James A. White of Parkersburg, will receive an A. B. de-

gree in mathematics and speech.

Miss Bowman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil E.
Bowman of Weston. She will receive a B.S. degree in mathematics and chemistry. Mrs. Bush, the daughter of Mrs. Pearl Hyer of Glenville, will receive an A.B. degree in physical education and English.

Cum Laude (with praise) honors will be bestowed upon Paul Monroe Hughes, Rose Marie Gwinn, Constance Sue Sams, Virginia Boggs Frymier, Burke J. Hathaway, and Mary Lee Kessinger.

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Wednesday, May 21, 1958

# Summer School Registration Harold Orendorff | College Concert Commences

Enrollment for the summer school will be June 2 with the first term running until July 11 according to Dean Delmer K. Somerville. First term will last six weeks while the second term will continue for only five weeks with classes meeting six days a week.

Second term registration will be on July 14 and will continue through Aug. 16. students who wish to enroll for another course in addition to one

Dean Somerville has announced

The class will meet from 10:40 until 12:10, and from 1 until 3, Monday through Friday. Speech Workshop Is Set

A special workshop for teachers, Speech 375, concerned with radio and television, will be taught by William Coleman for three hours

This workshop will include a survey study of the radio and telesurvey study of the radio and television media in relation to their use for educational broadcasts. Tapes for broadcasts will be made during laboratory hours, and field trips will be made to radio and television stations. The class will meet from 10:40 until 12:10 and from 1 until 3, Monday through Friday. Prerequisite for entrance to

Dr. Harold S. Orendorff, professor of music at Glenville State College will direct the college choir in its last presentation for the year May 22 at 8:00 in the auditorium. This will also be the last appearance of Dr. Orendorff before the student body of Glenville State.

Dr. Orendorff has accepted the

# Will Be Held June 2, July 14 Leads Choir Finale Tassel Transfer Terminates

Tomorrow marks the beginning of the graduation festivities at Glenville State College, as many end-of-the-year activities turn the campus into a whirl of events, culminating next Monday with the transfer of tassels, which will officially end the college career of 118 seniors. | morrow morning at 10:10 in the

The senior class appropriately opens the graduation festivities to
Dick Duncan Wins

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Glenville State College Choir will Army Appointment present the second event of the current cap and gown series with Dick Duncan, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Duncan of might at 8:00 in the auditorium. Sutton has been accepted to West Point Academy. Duncan took the series of tests in March that are given to each prospective applicant Glenville.

#### Alumni Banquet Is Saturday

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Graduation activities continue
Saturday night as old graduates
of Glenville College revisit their
Alma Mater for the Alumni Banquet, which will be held at 6:30
p.m. in the college dining room.

Featured on the banquet program will be the presentation of the Alumnus of the Year Award to Miss Bessie Boyd Bell. Miss Bell, former history instructor at Glen-ville, has been associated with the college, either as student or in-

Structor, for half a century.

Harry Baker, a graduate of
Glenville with the class of 1923,
will preside at the Alumni Dinner. Honored classes this year will be those of 1926 and 1951. Special invitations are being sent to all members of these two classes. Sermon Set Sunday

Sunday morning at 10:30, the Baccalaureate Sermon will be held in the college auditorium. The Rev. Harry H. Kruener, a native of Brooklyn, N.Y., will deliver the Baccalaureate address. Reverend Kreuner is dean of chapel at Denison University, Granville, Ohio. The Baccalaureate speaker has re-(Continued on Page 4)



HAROLD ORENDORFF, Glenville State College music professor, directs the 20-voice chaptesent its second performance of the year tomorrow night at 8:00 in the College Achoir made its first appearance of the year with the presentation of Handel's "Messient body and public are invited to the concert tomorrow night. (MERCURY photo

### Lest We Forget

As we prepare to leave Glenville State College:

LEST WE should forget that college is work, we would remember the midnight-oil we have burned, the no-doze pills we have consumed, the days and right we have consumed, the days and nights we have spent in studying and running (more of the latter, less of the former), the all-night drill sessions we have spent before comprehensives and finals, and the hours of labor we have spent in term papers and projects.

LEST WE should ever forget that collge is fun, we would remember the bull-sessions in the dorm, the ball games, the dramatic and musical events, the dances, picnics, parties, and even the classes in which we experienced clean wholesome fun.

LEST WE should forget the friendships we have found here, we would remember the times when we have completely failed in our relationships with others in such a way that we were entirely unworthy of the friends who refused to like and trust us any less and who insisted upon the continuance of a friendship which we had betrayed.

LEST WE should ever fail to appreciate our college education, we would remember the sacrifices made by our parents and families in order to send us to school, nor would we forget the pride they have taken in our successes during our four years here and in our graduation.

LEST WE should feel that college is of little benefit because of low teacher income and prestige, we would remember the faculty members who stayed in a little college set in the hills of West Virginia and taught, simply because they loved to teach and loved young people.

LEST WE, in the glory of graduation and the conceit of our newly found occupations, should ever forget our own ignorance, we would remember the times when professors have quizzed and we have failed as well as the times when dormitory friends have questioned and we have been without answers to their searchings.

FINALLY, LEST we should forget the responsibilities we are assuming upon receiving our degrees, we would remember the privileges we have been granted in its reception.

THESE THINGS, among countless others, we would remember, lest we forget all that Glenville has been to us.

# Glenville Students Receive Honors In Poetry, Oration, Drama At Mill

Glenville State College's entry into the 20th annual speech festival of the W. Va. Intercollegiate Speech Association resultded in commendations in poetry interpretation for Beverly Mc-Comis and in drama for the "Rondo" cast, a third place in oratory for Lee Kessinger, and the election of Associate Pro-fessor William Coleman to two offices. Mr. Coleman declined re-election to his previous post as State Chairman of Extemperaneous speaking so he could serve more actively as State Chairman of Drama during the 1958-59 school

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Mr. Coleman. Jim White was selected for the All-State Cast for
his portrayal of Alec, an impressive achievement because he had
rehearsed mainly for the part durrehearsed mainly for the part durging the third quarter. Glenville's
play was one of two to receive a
lengthy ovation from the Festival
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and other special equipment for
their normal pursuit of knowledge.
There are 815 blind students in
audience. The other play was West
Virginia Tech and West Liberty.

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The critic-judge, Prof. Harry Wright of Kent State University, noted that Miss McComis received method and difference "tremendous audience response" and also cited her "complete loss of herself in her reading and a complete use of the poetry's imagery."

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# Benedum Offers

ceived \$1000 from the Claude Wor-thington Benedum Scholarship nouncement made recently by Dr Harry B. Heflin.

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Four entering freshmen have already been granted a Benedum Scholarship. They are Margaret Rossi, Coalton High School; Carol Sue Reed, Roosevelt High School; Loulah Belle Whegy, Sand Fork High Scrool; and Winona Stewart, Sutton High School.

The Claude Worthington Bene um Scholarship Fund was estabished at Glenville State College in has been received from the Foun-dation. Five scholarships of \$200 each are awarded each year, with \$100 being paid to the student at the beginning of each semester. These awards are made to West Virginia students only, and are good for one year only. West Virginia Board of Educa-

tion scholarships have been Marretta Russel of Cowen High School, Rebecca Shawver of Rich-School, Rebecca Shawver of Richwood High School, and Delores Radelitf of Sand Fork High School in elementary education. State Board scholarships in secondary education have been awarded to Doris Hosey of Sutton High School, Doris Conkle of Clear Fork High School, and Willa Wells of Gienville High School. The West Virginia Board of Education High School.

The West Virginia Board of Edu-The West Virginia Board of Edu-cation scholarships pay tuition and fees and are good for four years. A student accepting one of these scholarships must agree to teach one year in West Virginia for each



NANCY WILFONG, next year's president of the Kappa Chi Sorority, and Phyllis Veith, next year's president for the Xi Beta Tau Sorority, took time out from their busy schedules last week to pose prettily for the MERCURY photographer. Miss Wilfong, a sophomore English major, is from Barton, and Miss Veith, a sophomore home economics major, comes to Glenville State from Napier.

(MERCURY photo by Cottrill)

### Veith, Wilfong, McMillion, Gandee In Major Sorority, Fraternity Positions

Phyllis Veith, Nancy Wilfong, Steve McMillion and Bob Gandee have been elected by the sororities and fraternities to head their respective groups for the school year 1958-59.

Miss Veith, president of Xi Beta Tau, is a sophomore from Napier; she is a home economics student. Miss Wilfong, an English major from Barton, will serve as president of Kappa Chi Kappa. She, too, is a sophomore.

Margaret Ratzer, junior from Elkins, was installed as president of ins, was installed as president of Student National Education Association at the installation cere-

He serves me most who serves to do a big thing, try doing small thing in a big way.

Ratzer Is Installed
At FTA Meeting

Elected judge of the Holy Roller Court is McMillion, a junior physical education student from Summersville. Gandee, Kappa Sigma Kappa president, is also a physical education student. He is a junior from Clendenin. Other Xi Beta officers are

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### Glenville State Has Tennis Team

Something new has been added Glenville State. No. it isn't a lo team it isn't a Lacrosse team polo team it isn't a Lacrosse team and it isn't a track team. If you didn't already know, it is a tennis team. Glenville is now represented by a tennis team and their first appearance was at the state tour-nament held at Olgebay Park on

nament neid at Olgebay Park on 19 and 20.

Members of the team were sin-gles, Dave Hall, Bill Tailbott and Jim Cook. On the doubles team were Jim Dyer and Lawrence An-

Also attending the athletic meet at the Park was the golf team. Participating for team score were John Fletcher, John Leply and Jack Reed. These men realized a placing of sixth behind Champion and runner-up Wes Liberty. Jack Campbell participated for individual honors.

#### Summer School

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of the workshops may do so on regular enrollment day. Students who wish to attend only one of

who wish to attend only one of the workshops may register on the first day that it is in session.

The Summer school faculty in-cludes Genevieve Butcher, Leland E. Byrd, Jean Cade, Lillian R. Chaddock, William S. E. Coleman, John A. Davis, Wendell Hardway, Stanley Hall, Virgill B. Harris, James Gay Jones, Carl A. Kerr, Jewell E. Matthews, Mabel Nichols, Bertha E. Olson, Harold S. Oren-Jewell E. Matthews, Mabel Nichols, Bertha E. Olson, Harold S. Oren-dorff, Carlos C. Ratliff, Frieda Starkey, Byron J. Turner, Charles A. Scott, Max Ward, Nelson L. Wells, Virginia West, Clarissa Wil-liams, and John White.

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#### 1958 Pioneer Baseball Squad



THE GLENVILLE STATE BASEBALL nine, coached by Athletic Director Carlos Ratliff, had collected three wins and five losses when the MERCURY went to press. Pictured above in first row: Steve Cooper, Tom Schell, Fred Taylor, Bob Gandee, Gene Mann, Jim Cox, Ray Gandee, Junior Wilson. Second row: John Chipps, Ronnie Peters, Steve McMillion, Larry Nichols, Dave Sullivan, Bob Oliver, Dwain Wilcox, George Cook. Third row: Lawrence Marks, Dave Mace, Raleigh Hall, Roger Hall, Bill Sams, Kenny Wright, Ray Ellis, Paul McKown. (MERCURY photo by Stein)

# Freshman Roger Hall Strikes Out Eleven Tigers As Glenville Pioneers Down Visiting Salem Nine 14-1

Coach Carlos Ratliff's Glenville the moundsman against the Bat- ville rallied briefly in the seventh losses with the latest win being an by allowing only six hits.

Salem Tigers, May 15 at Glenville. Freshman Roger Hall took the mound for the Pioneers and proved he has what it takes to stay up with the best as he struck out 11 Tigers and gave up only three hits in his first starting assignment on the GSC squad. Glenville collected 13 hits from Tiger-nitcher Travis. Parks. First.

Tiger-pitcher Travis Parks, First baseman James Cox had a home-run in the first that drove in three runs. Shortstop Larry Nichols also collected three RBI's for the

Beat Battlers
Alderson Broaddus was another
White Wave victim as the Battlers fell to the Ratliffmen 8-5 on May 14 at Philippi. Kenny Wright was

Congratulations

Seniors

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State baseball team has compiled tlers. Wright bound the big bats but managed to score only one run Only one regularly scheduled game remains to be played, that with West Liberty at Glenville. a record of four wins against five of the Battlers and took the win

losses with the latest win being an impressive 14-1 victory over the Salem Tigers, May 15 at Glenville.

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Fairmont accomplished the task dreamed of by every club when Fairmont pitchers Barone and Matlick combined to pitch a no hitter at the GeeMen. Oddly, the Pioneers sent George Cook across the plate as they capitalized on Fairmont errors and bases on balls. McKown took the loss for the Pioneers.

Salem squeaked by the Pioneers in a 7-6 victory at Salem on May 2. The GeeMen led in the game until a three run rally in the fifth sent three Tigers to paydirt and gave them the lead at 7-5. Glen-

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### Stanevich Seizes Softball Tourney

Delores Stanevich led her team to triumph in the WAA softball tournament. Stanevich paraded to victory after winning two close games last night. Butler was downgames last night. Butler was down-del 13-12 and Reed was defeated 19-18. Rebounding to the victory road after two upsets at the be-ginning of the playoff, Stanevich led her team to six victories and took two defeats.

torious team are Delores Stanevich, captain; Joyce Jackson, Iolene Harding, Sue Click, Virginia Davis,

Linda Mayo, and Dorthea Isch.

Dorothy Butler, Hester Reed and
Delores Stanevich were captains for the softball tournament. Jane Spray

the softball tournament. Jane Spray served as point secretary. Virginia Davis, president of WAA announced tentative plans for a weiner roast before school is out. Plans are incomplete.

Officers for the coming year will be selected at the next meeting.

#### COURT, KAPPA SIG'S BATTLE FOR HONORS

Battle For Horors

Basketball finally bows off the scene tomorrow as the MAA finals are held with the Holy Roller
Court and Kappa Sigma Kappa battling for the honor of being known as the Men's Intra-Mural Basketball League Champions. Both teams have survived the double elimination tournament which began early in April. gan early in April.

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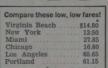
Elkins but results were not available when the MERCURY went to

Other games to be played have

been postponed from earlier in the season. Opponents for these con-

tests are A-B, Wesleyan, and Fair-

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#### College Concert

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verford College and his Bachelor of Divinity Degree at Andover-Newton Theological School. He was awarded the Master of Sacred Theology Degree by the Boston University School of Theology in Priest, treasurer of the United 1954. ceived his A.B. Degree from Har-

The president's tea for the sen-iors will be held Sunday after-noon from 3:00 to 5:00 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Harry B. home of Dr. and Mrs. Harry B. Heffin. All seniors, their families and friends, faculty, and admin-istrative staff are invited to the Sunday tea. Receiving the guests will be Dr. and Mrs. Harry Hef-lin, and Dr. and Mrs. Delmer K.

Baccalaureate Speaker Reverend Kruener and Commencent Speak

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pected to attend at least part of the senior tea. The color scheme to be used for the reception will be

present position on Jan. 27, 1953. Her scholastic achievement includes Her scholastic achievement includes an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Rider College, Trenton, N. J.; a Doctor of Science in business administration from Bryant College of Business Administration, Providence, R. I.; and a Doctor of Humane Letters from Elmira College, Elmira, N. Y.

Graduation exercises will feature the conferring of awards upon 11 honor graduates and 107 other graduates. The Monday morning exercise will end the 1958 commencement activities at Glenville State College.

#### er Ivy Baker Priess are both ex- Eleven Seniors Will Be Graduated

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Hughes, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Hughes of Harmony, will receive an A.B. degree in physical education and business education. Miss Gwinn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Gwinn of Richwood. She will receive an

Graduation exercises begin monday morning at 10:00 in the Glenville College auditorium. Ivy Baker Priest, treasurer of the United States, will speak at the commencement exercises. Mrs. Priest is the first woman graduation speaker in the history of the college.

Mrs. Priest was appointed to her present position on Jan. 27, 1953.

Hathaway, of Wallback, will receive an A.B. degree in elementary education. Miss Kessinger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kessinger of Letart. She will receive an A.B. degree in elementary education

In order to graduate with Summa Cum Laude honors, a student must have an average of 3.8. To graduate Magna Cum Laude, a students must maintain an average ranging from 3.5 to 3.79. A student must have an average ranging from 3.2 to 3.49 to graduate Cum Laude.

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