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## What We Sow...

HOW LIKE PEOPLE to lock the barn after the horse has been stolen. The voting on yearbook fees is over; the results are in. Yet this supposedly dead issue isn't. It illustrates a continuing matter of concern to thoughtful Glenville State students.

There are 608 full-time students on campus; 215 voted. The fact that 149 voted for including yearbook fees in activity fees and only 66 voted against such action is beside the point.

In the campus-wide cover girl election held recently only 234 students voted.

**STUDENT COUNCIL ELECTION IS COMING UP IN APRIL.** With most of the elections of this year over we may still have time to wake up and catch the thief. How? Why don't we vote? Who holds the power on this campus? Or is there enough interest to create a power of any sort?

### Students Comment

A number of students in an English 101 class have written papers on the subject. Following are some quotes lifted from their papers. What do you think?

"I HAVE NOT TALKED to any students who voted, but have talked to some who didn't vote. These students told me that the reason they didn't vote was they didn't care one way or the other.

Should a few student determine the future of this college. Are we going to complain about the outcome of the election, or shall we do something about it? Now is the hour for action."

"Too often the student who fails to participate in elections and other student decisions is the individual who complains most about the results."

"In this poll a minority decided a question that involved the whole student body. Why did this happen? Where were the other two-thirds of the student body while this decision was being made?

For three weeks prior to this poll notices and posters had been prominent on bulletin boards. Every student should have been well aware of the impending decision."

### Amendment Desirable

"I don't think that the constitution of the student council of GSC states a law whereby a minority can not rule on any question. There is an amendment to this effect in order at this time. On the other hand, if an amendment to this effect is passed there will have to be more emphasis placed on the voting privilege that we students so freely ignore.

On the top floor of the dormitory in my section not a one of the eleven boys voted for or against the yearbook question or any other election so far this year.

Most of them did not know anything about the election; what it was about, where it was held or how its outcome might affect them and students in the years to come at GSC.

### Effect of Freshmen Rules

I think that the freshmen rules had some influence on the voting of us freshmen. Since we could not vote during the first

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## Development Conference Is April 15; Dr. Paul Miller Is Keynote Speaker

Dean Delmer K. Somerville recently announced that the fourth annual Educational Development Conference will be held on campus Wednesday, April 15. Dr. Somerville director of the conference, also announced the confirmation of the main speaker.

Keynote speaker for the conference will be Dr. Paul Miller, vice-president of Michigan State University. Dr. Miller's address will be given during the morning session which is scheduled to begin at 10:00 in the auditorium.

Also during the morning session reports will be given by various chairmen on Little Kanawha Drainage Area study. The afternoon session will consist of group meetings: agricultural, educational, business, human resources and natural resources.

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## Pioneer 4-H's To Sponsor Mix Fri.

Pioneer 4-H Club is sponsoring a student mix in the Student Union March 13, from 8 until 10:30 p.m. announces Erseline Gainer, president.

Folk and square dancing, slow dancing, fast numbers and polkas are on the agenda for the evening.

### Club Is Big Brother

The Pioneer Club is playing big brother to the Glenville Community 4-H Club. Pioneers are helping with programs, demonstrations, and speeches for the younger club members.

The club plans to help the Glenville Woman's Club in their city beautification program this spring.

Mrs. Flora Pribble is club adviser.

## Combined Choir Will Present 'Requiem'; University Soloists Will Be Featured

Set For March 19;

Robinson Is Director

Brahms' 'Requiem', under the direction of John D. Robinson, will be presented Thursday, March 19 at 8:00 by the organized combined choir of community, faculty and students. The 'Requiem' is a choral work suitable for the Lenten season.

According to Robinson, assistant professor of music at GSC, soloists from West Virginia University will be featured in the presentation.

Harriett Phillips, Morgantown, and Richard Coffman, Grafton are the soloists; Miss Phillips is soprano, Coffman is a baritone. Both sang with the University Choir in a performance of Brahms' 'Requiem'.

Miss Phillips and Coffman have made public appearances in Morgantown; Coffman has done professional radio and television work. His solos will be "Lord, Make Me to Know" and "Here On Earth Have We No Continuing Place." Miss Phillips will sing "Ye Now Are Sorrowful."

Community and GSC faculty members who belong to the choir are Patricia Adams, Mary Barker, Donna Campbell, Elda Campbell, Jane Davis, John Davis, Luella Dye, Ruby Massey, Sondra Moore, Charles Patterson, Edith Robinson, Grace Stalnaker, David Wallace, Agnes Watson, Roberta Williams, and Pauline Windon.

Student members of the choir are Elaine Allison, Carmen Amos, Francis Angelos, Mary Battin, Stanley Burns, James Buck, Mabel Carpenter, Doris Conkle, Mary Cleavenger, Shirley Conrad, Sue Davidson, Ron Eaton, Shirley Hager, Clarence James, George Kerr, Margaret Kuhl, Charles Massey.

Harold Metz, Joan McCoy, Edward McKown, Larry Proctor, Carol Reed, Robert Row, Joyce Rule, William Shinn, Roma Starcher, Mary Taylor, Sharon Tenney, Arminia Tucker, Mary Wigal, Carolyn Wince, and Betty Yoak.

Miss Bertha Olsen will accompany the group on the organ.

Joyce Waybright, freshman elementary education student from Green Bank, has replaced Joan Furr Hewitt as a majorette in the GSC Band announces David Wallace, director.

## GSC Will Share In Shaw Trust Fund

Glenville State College, along with three other W. Va. state colleges, will receive part of the trust fund benefits provided for by recently deceased John C. Shaw, former principal of Glenville State Normal School, according to Dr. Harry B. Heflin, GSC president.

Shaw, principal here from 1901-08, left the trust fund with Wheeling Dollar Savings and Trust Company of Wheeling, Wesleyan, A. B., and West Liberty will also receive portions of the funds. Shaw was principal at West Liberty from 1908-1919.

### Terms of Trust

First distribution will be made Feb. 1, 1960. According to the terms of the trust agreement, awards may be made to "West Virginia students of the Caucasian race, . . . in need of financial assistance, whose health, intelligence, character and habits promise commendable careers." Each student may be awarded up to \$75 a semester of \$150 a year.

In addition to the above specifications, the beneficiaries "must agree to abstain from the use of tobacco and alcoholic beverages

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## S. Council Election Planned For April

Plans for the annual Student Council election are being made by the Council states Ray Ellis, president. Any eligible student wishing to run for a Student Council office shall submit his name, with a written platform signed by any ten students who think he is a good candidate for stated office, to the Student Council no later than April 1.

Each candidate shall have an opportunity to present orally his platform before the student body in a special assembly called by the Student Council.

### Nominees Listed

The list of nominees and their platforms shall then be posted before the student body, and the election shall be held two weeks

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## Business Meeting Set for March 19

First session of the Small Business Management Institute will be March 19. Topic of the meeting will be Sources of Information for the Small Businessman.

This session is designed to help the manager or executive of a small business to become more familiar with the sources of information and aid. Marvin T. Ball head of the Procurement and Technical Assistance Division of the Small Business Administration Regional Office at Richmond Va. will conduct the first session.

### Weekly Meetings Held

A meeting will be held each week on Thursday evenings in Room 101A through May 7 beginning at 7:30 each evening. Each meeting will continue for approximately two hours.

To register for the Small Business Management Institute

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## Rowe Is Treasurer Of Science Academy

Gene Rowe, junior from Sissonville, was at Alderson-Broaddus College Saturday for a meeting of the Executive Committee of the State Collegiate Academy of Science.

Purpose of the meeting was to work on revision of the Constitution of the Academy and to plan the program for the annual meeting to be held at Marshall College in April.

Rowe is treasurer of the State Collegiate Academy of Science. Dr. Max Ward, who is doing research work at Harvard University, has served as adviser to the Collegiate Academy; James T. Handland, professor of biological science at Potomac State College will replace Dr. Ward this year as adviser.



COLLEGE-COMMUNITY choir who will present Brahms' 'Requiem' next week in the college auditorium. Director John D. Robinson and Accompanist Bertha E. Olsen are pictured above.

(MERCURY photo by Dixon)



## What We Sow . . .

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term we think that the student body got along without our vote then and they can get along without it on any other question during our freshman year. I think that the rules should be altered in some way to correct this feeling among the freshmen."

"SOME OF THE STUDENTS, especially the ones that are commuting, probably didn't know about the election. I know by experience because I am just one of the student that do not stay in the dormitory, and I didn't know about the election until one of my friends asked me if I had voted. I think there should be some other method of letting the students know when these elections are being held and why."

"This simply means that a majority of the students did not vote. Why? Were the students unconcerned or did it take too much effort? Perhaps one reason is that they didn't know about the election. Maybe the college needs a better method of letting such information be known to the students."

"The short time that I've been enrolled in this school, I've noticed the lack of unity among the student body in general."

THERE ARE MANY MORE INSTANCES where the student body has failed to rally together. In elections though, we are better able to measure the number of students who seem interested in school affairs.

From these elections I've come to the conclusion that only one-third of the student body cares one way or another about events that will affect their school life."

"Students' not voting may be the result of a lack of publicity. College freshmen especially could overlook an election of this kind since such a subject is not always talked over outside of class as are social or sport activities."

"The thought of purchasing a year book had occurred to me, but if the decision had been left in my hands I would not have gotten one."

"Friends, Romans, Students, lend me your ears . . . as I have come to dig up a Caesar that is already buried. The Caesar I am referring to is the past student election, where we decide to make it mandatory to buy a yearbook every year. I wonder how many of you are praising or burying this Caesar today."

To those of you students, who for one reason or another failed to cast your ballot, I must say you have no reason to either bury or praise this Caesar, as you took no part in the voting. To you, the neglectful 393 students who failed to vote, I offer a plan to keep from paying for a yearbook. Just don't enroll next fall."

—Dorothy Butler

## Ex-libris

The Ugly American (285 pp.) William J. Lederer and Eugene Burdick; W. W. Norton and Company, New York; 1958.

In The Ugly American Lederer and Burdick have used a series of fictional characters in situations which might easily have been factual. Americans, reading of the snobbish and foolish attitudes of some of our diplomats, will squirm with embarrassment and chagrin.

The authors show that, in nouveau riche style, Americans abroad conduct themselves as arbiters of custom in countries where they are barely tolerated. Their conceited ignorance leads them to believe that all is well whereas the Communists undermine them and the United States at every turn.

Ambassadors and envoys appointed because of political expediency go to their positions unprepared: they know little of the language, laws, customs or religion; furthermore they do not try to learn. They ignore the people below government level, and they live far beyond the status to which they are accustomed in the United States.

### Russians Prepare

The Russians, on the other hand, prepare for their jobs by intensive study of the country to which they are assigned. It is no accident that Russian servants are brought in and that they speak the language of the country. The Russians defer not only to the governing but also the governed.

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## NOTICE

Final room and board payment for the second semester, in amount of \$97.87, will be due and payable on or before Monday, March 23, 1959

Lloyd M. Jones  
Business Manager

## S. Council Election

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after the list has been posted, the election being under the direction of the Student Council.

President of the Student Government Association shall be a member of the junior class at the time of his election. He shall have been a full-time student of the college for a period of at least one year. His scholastic record must show an average of 2.5 or higher. He must be carrying at least 14 semester hours of work. He must be one who has never been charged with a major violation of school regulations.

### Further Qualification

Vice president shall be a member of the sophomore or junior class at the time of his election. Other qualifications are the same as those for president.

Other Student Council officers shall be full-time students at the time of their election with scholastic records showing an average of 2.0 or higher. No SGA officer shall succeed himself in office.

Portions of the above story are quoted from the Constitution of the Student Government Association of Glenville State College.

## 12 GSC Seniors To Complete Work

Twelve candidates will be eligible for AB degrees in education in March Dean Delmer K. Somerville, chairman of the education department stated this week.

Leoma Boggs, Big Otter, business education and English; Edward Chesser, Summerlee, social studies, physical science; Charles Robert Crews, Beckley, physical education, non-academic; Jean Hogue Cronin, Cairo, home economics; Robert K. Cutlip, Gassaway, elementary; Henry M. Gandee, Clendenin, physical education, non-academic.

Marie Reese Hall, Buckhannon, vocational home economics; Basil Harrah, Man, business education, social studies; Eva Doris Rodgers, Montgomery, elementary; Virginia Hardman Staats, Ravenswood, elementary; Gary Sumpter, Burnsville, physical education, biology; Betty Reaser Tustin, Bridgeport, elementary.

## Parkersburg Band To Play for Dance

Nick Scott and the Big Beats of Parkersburg will provide the music for the annual Kappa Sigma Kappa ball, Saturday, April 4.

Harry Hull, fraternity secretary, has indicated that the dance this year will begin at 9:00 p.m. and close at midnight.

Theme for the dance will be "Blue Heaven." Committees have been appointed by Ray Boggs, Kappa Sigma president, to prepare for this dance the first Saturday after Easter.

A sorority sweetheart will be selected to reign over the dance. The "Queen of the Ball" has in past years been crowned during intermission.

## Alpha Psi Omega Mix Is Set for March 21

Saturday, March 21, the week before Easter vacation, the Alpha Psi Omega fraternity is staging special entertainment, music and dancing centered around a dramatic theme.

This presentation will be in the form of a "student mix". The mix will begin at 8:00 p.m. in the Student Union, announces Beverly McGomis, president of Alpha Psi Omega.

## GSC Will Share

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during such period of time as they are receiving financial assistance from the John C. Shaw Scholarship Fund."

### Scholarships Are Renewable

Each scholarship is subject to two or three renewals. In case a student proves unworthy of the scholarship it will be cancelled. Scholarship recipients will be selected by the college Scholarship Committee.

Over a period of time several scholarships will be available each school year. Applications for these scholarships will be made in the same manner as other scholarship applications.

Up to this time the most money given to the college has come from Michael Benedum in the form of scholarships and loan funds.

## — KAMPUS KARTOON —



Pop, can I use the dinosauria tonight?

## Palette, Brush Club Has Art Exhibit; Displays Wood Carving, Oil Painting

## Glenville Bulletin Lists Loan Funds

February issue of Glenville State College Bulletin, published bi-monthly by the college, features scholarships, loan funds, and workshops available to prospective and present GSC students.

Scholarships listed are W. Va. Board of Education Scholarships, Claude Worthington Benedum Scholarships, Legislative Scholarships in each county, and the most recent fund, John C. Shaw Scholarship Fund.

Loan funds available are Benedum Loan Fund and the National Defense Student Loan Program. High School students interested in this loan should contact Dr. Robert E. Higgins, dean of men. Loans are also made by the Knights Templar Educational Foundation. For further information about this program write Paul C. Thomas, Happy Valley Farm Bluefield.

Persons wishing to apply for a scholarship or workshop should write a letter of application to the Scholarship Committee, Glenville State College, and ask for an application blank. Get complete information from a counselor or school principal. Fill out the application form and be sure it reaches the Committee not later than April 15.

The Palette and Brush Club has recently sponsored two exhibits in the Administration Building Lobby. An exhibit consisting of wood carvings collected by James Bredon who was in the Marine Corps stationed on an aircraft carrier, was collected during a world cruise in 1954-1956.

The first carving collected was the Haitian woman, Bredon's favorite of all the carvings. This statue is lacquered black and metal earrings were placed in her ears by the carver.

Bredon brought statues from all the countries he visited. In addition to the wood carvings he has sculptures in stones, in chalk from England, chalk from Hawaii and metal.

Three carvings by Sterling Spencer — also in the exhibit are all carved from native woods; a sparrow in wild cherry, sleeping deer in butternut wood and a crane in walnut. Last year Spencer's carving entry won second place at the West Virginia State Fair.

### Carvings in Native Wood

All the carvings are done in woods native to the country from which they came. Haitian woman was bought in Port-au-Prince, Haiti, as was the mahogany ash tray; Conquistadores, Mexico City; God of Good Fortune and God of Wealth, Japan; a teak wood carving and a water buffalo from the Philippines; a metal and wood cigarette

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# Cheering Section Wins WVIAC Award

For the fourth consecutive year the White Wave cheering section was chosen as the most outstanding one in the WVIAC Tournament held recently at Buckhannon.

The best cheering trophy was won on the basis of the outstanding cheering displayed by Glenville's cheerleaders and fans during the Alderson-Broadus, West Virginia Tech, and Wesleyan games.

The trophy was on display in Dr. Heflin's office and has been placed in the Pioneer's trophy case in the gym.

GSC cheerleaders are Katie Morgan and Lu Royster, freshmen; Mildred Nocida and Mary Jo Chisler, juniors.



**THIS IS GETTING TO BE A HABIT.** For the past four years the Glenville State College cheerleaders and fans have brought home the best cheering-section trophy each year. Pictured above are the 1958 cheerleaders who along with the followers of the Pioneers were loud in their support of the White Wave five. Left to right are Lu Royster, Katie Morgan, Mildred Nocida and Mary Jo Chisler. (MERCURY photo by Dixon)

# '59 Pioneers Name All-Opponent Team

The Glenville State College Pioneer 1958-59 All-opponent basketball team was announced last week by Coach Leland Byrd. The six members of this mythical crew were chosen by the Pioneers from a number of outstanding players which they faced during the season.

Heading the All-opponent team and the only member to gain unanimous support in the vote getting is Paul Wilcox, Davis & Elkins great center. Other members of the team are Clyde Eads of West Liberty, Gary Hess and Jim McDonald of W. Va. Wesleyan, Den-

# L. Barker Named to Tourney Team; Is Leading Glenville Scorer in Play

Further honors were accorded the Glenville State Pioneers at the annual Skiles of Morris Harvey and Fred Brookover of Alderson-Broadus.

There was a tie in the voting between McDonald and Brookover so both players were named.

conclusion of the WVIAC Tourney at Buckhannon with the naming of standout guard, Larry Barker, to the all-tournament team.

Barker paced the Pioneers, a team given little chance of advancing beyond the first round, to the semi-finals where they lost out to powerful W. Va. Wesleyan.

Barker, a six foot sharpshooting product of Sand Fork High School, was an essential cog in the Glenville cage machine throughout the season and capped the year with three outstanding games in tournament competition. Barker's best effort was against W. Va. Tech in the quarterfinals where he scored 24 points and his last second tip-in basket gave the Pioneers a 71-70 victory. He was Glenville's leading scorer in the tourney with 52 points and was credited with grabbing 10 rebounds, second only to Lambert in team totals.

Named together with Barker to the All-Tournament team were Hess, McDonald and Remley, all of champion W. Va. Wesleyan, Wilcox of D & E, Watson of Tech, Stover from Morris Harvey and Lark of Bluefield State.

# Service Examination Scheduled for April 30

Eligible students who intend to take the College Qualification Test for the Selective Service System should apply at once to the nearest Selective Service local board for an application and a bulletin of information.

Next administration of the test is April 30, 1959. Results of the test will be reported to the student's Selective Service local board of jurisdiction for use in considering his deferment as a student.

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# White Wave Bows to W. Va. Wesleyan In Semi Finals of WVIAC Tournament

The final chapter in the story of the "Cinderella" basketball team of GSC was written Feb. 20, 1959 as the Pioneers went down to defeat at the hands of the W. Va. Wesleyan Bobcats in the semi-finals of the annual WVIAC basketball tournament by a score of 100-66.

The Bobcats, which were to come back the following night and mercilessly maul Davis and Elkins 103-64 thus chalking up their second consecutive WVIAC tourney championship, were too much for the tired Byrdmen from Glenville.

The Pioneers, a team given little chance of advancing beyond the first round by most observers, had gamely fought their way into the semi-finals of the tournament by virtue of wins over Alderson-Broadus and W. Va. Tech.

However, the effects of the two earlier sessions were soon evident as the Pioneers quickly fell behind the fast-breaking Bobcats and were never in serious contention after the opening minutes.

With big Ken Remley clearing the boards and Jim Wilkinson expertly handling the fast break, Wesleyan jumped off to a quick lead and were in command 50-31 at intermission. The Bobcats added another 50 points to their total in the second half in thoroughly outdistancing the game but outmanned Pioneers.

Wesleyan displayed an evenly balanced scoring attack with four men in double figures. Jim McDonald paced the Bobcats with 27 points for the evening. Gary Hess playing an outstanding game for Coach Hank Ellis' team netted 18 points and was the man mostly responsible for Glenville's downfall in the early stages of the game with his hot shooting. Hess hit on 8 of 10 shots before fouling out in the third quarter. Remley and Wilkinson with 15 and 13 markers' each aided the Bobcat cause.

For Glenville, Fred Smith led the way with 12 tallies followed by Larry Barker and Don Nuckols with 11, 11 and 10 points respectively.

The game with W. Va. Tech in the second round was perhaps the best effort of the season for the Pioneers and a prime example of the never say die spirit shown by the White Wave throughout the

year. The effort of the Pioneers in the tourney was a fitting climax to the 1958-59 basketball season.

# Swimming Tourney Is Held on Campus

The annual W. Va. Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Championship Swimming Tourney was held in the Glenville State College swimming pool March 5-7. The tournament was under the direction of Glenville Athletic Director Carlos Ratliff.

Colleges entered in the meet were W. Va. State, Fairmont, Davis & Elkins and Shepard. Last years' winner, Bethany, did not enter this years' meet. Although Glenville was host school they did not enter the competition.

Judges and officials of the meet were the coaches of the competing teams plus Mr. Ratliff and Coach Leland Byrd.

Fairmont was a slight favorite to win the tourney, however, no results were available at the time the MERCURY went to press.

# Director Ratliff Attends KC Meet

Athletic Director Carlos Ratliff has revealed he will attend the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Conference to be held in Kansas City, Mo., from March 7 through March 15. This meeting is held annually in conjunction with the NAIA basketball tournament. Mr. Ratliff will attend the meeting in the capacity of secretary-treasurer of District 25 which is composed of the state of West Virginia.

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# Basketball Statistical Release for the 1958-59 Pioneers

NAME	GAMES	GA	GM	PCT	FA	FM	PCT	REB	PTS	AVG.
Nuckols	24	286	125	43.3	143	131	91.6	48	381	15.9
Burns	26	240	103	42.9	147	95	64.6	101	301	11.6
Barker	25	237	108	45.5	101	66	65.3	52	282	11.3
Lambert	23	182	97	53.5	129	87	44.2	180	251	10.9
Gandee	26	191	79	41.3	122	84	68.8	116	242	9.3
Smith	25	190	69	38.3	77	54	70.1	49	192	7.7
Carney	23	101	42	41.5	47	29	61.7	25	113	4.9
Bailey	22	65	25	38.4	36	16	44.4	35	86	3.0
Watt	9	38	9	23.7	17	9	52.9	10	27	3.0
McKown	19	48	18	37.5	35	16	45.7	20	52	2.7
Wilson	13	27	4	15.0	39	20	51.3	37	28	2.2
Hughes	8	8	4	50.0	14	9	64.0	9	17	2.1
Price	2	3	0	0.0	2	0	0.0	2	0	0.0
Young*	2	1	0	0.0	2	2	100.0	0	2	1.0
Chambers*	5	5	2	40.0	2	0	0.0	3	4	.8

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**DOCTOR AT SEA**  
(Brigitte Bardot)

Fri., Sat., March 20, 21  
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And  
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LARRY NICHOLS AND GENE MANN compare notes on their observations in a microscopic study. Nichols is a freshman from Belmont, Mann a junior from Charleston. Both are physical education and biology students. (MERCURY photo by Dixon)

## Louis B. Hall May Teach in Columbus

A letter addressed to "Mr. Louis Bennett Hall, Glenville State College," both confused and frustrated college officials recently.

Upon opening the letter it was found that Columbus Public Schools of Columbus 15, Ohio, were glad that Mr. Hall wrote them applying for a teaching position in their school system for the coming year.

Now here is the problem: who is Mr. Louis Bennett Hall? and where is he?

As the Dean of Men summed it up, if we get Mr. Hall a teaching position, we should never fail to place any of our graduates.

Do the thing that ought to be done, when it ought to be done whether you like it or not.

## Speech Students Present Program

"The Trial of Socrates," a special program arranged by the Speech department was presented in the Glenville Presbyterian Church, Sunday March 8, at 7:30 p.m. This program concerned the trial of the Greek philosopher, Socrates.

Part of Socrates was portrayed by Jim Dotson. Other members of the Trial were Lycon, David Wayland; Magistrate, Harry Holbert; Meletos, William Sams; Anytas, William Dawson and Pausanian, James Brabham. The program was directed by Professor William S. E. Coleman who presented a similar program in the Presbyterian Church last year entitled "Everyman."

## Council President Plans Discussion

If you want to know the WHY, HOW, and WHEN on this campus be in the auditorium tomorrow, March 12, when Ray Ellis, Student Council president, will talk with the student body.

Bring your questions, your wishes, and your gripes and take part in the discussion.

## Palette, Brush Club

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box, Valparaiso, Chile; Hawaiian War God, Honolulu; Indian elephant, Hong Kong, China.

At present an exhibit of the elementary oil painting class has replaced the carvings. Still life subjects have been used. Sixteen paintings are displayed some of which may be for sale at the Palette and Brush Art Show later this spring.

Paintings were completed by General Chapman, William Dixon, Masli Dobson, Flora Dyer, Janet Fields, Mary Ann Graham, Gary Gillespie, Bobba Hanifan, Beverly Hockenberry, Frances Kesterson, Paul Takach, Sue Valentine, Gerald Woofier.

## Business Meeting Set

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ness Management Institute fill out registration form and return to W. D. Dye Gilmer County Chapter, Little Kanawha Regional Council, Glenville. Requests for registration forms or additional information should be addressed to Clarence Maze, Jr., Business Education Department, Glenville State College.

### Registration Fee

The registration fee of \$20 per person will include instruction, program materials, and a ticket for the final banquet. Please make checks payable to "Gilmer County Chapter, LERC," and send it with the registration form.

Glenville State College reserves the right to cancel this course if there is insufficient enrollment. Registration fees, under such conditions, would be fully refunded. Requests for cancellation and refund of registration fees received before

## Science Group Plans Marshall Meet; Local Students Urged to Participate

March 16 will be honored.

An official certificate, attesting to participation in the Institute and countersigned by appropriate representatives of Glenville State College, will be awarded at the final banquet.

## Ex-libris

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In this way they have pipe-lines of information which are closed to the Americans. The Asians wonder at our brand of democracy when they find our people remaining in a tight clique while the Russians are fraternizing.

With our efete diplomats we bring grandiose schemes to which the Asians agree because we do not give the simple tools which they need. Except for the lack of technical skills these people are our equals. This knowledge is their most serious lack, and we are certainly the people qualified to fill it.

The Ugly American with his friendly, commonplace wife; "The Ragtime Kid" with his beat-up harmonica; Father Finian with his gospel in independence; and Gilbert MacWhite with common sense treatment of situations all point the way to understanding and good relations.

### Change Is Needed

A small dedicated force of Americans who are willing to remember their heritage of pioneering and forget the comforts they assume abroad could completely change the diplomatic picture.

Americans who think friends can be bought, have almost lost us the friendship of the world. In no other area have we as a nation shown this colossal stupidity. Continuing in this manner, we will be thrown out of one country after another for Russia will help us all she can.

If we have become so hide-bound that we cannot change our diplomatic and technical routines, we had better entrench and prepare to defend ourselves because that will be the climax.

Dr. Byron J. Turner, professor of chemistry and acting head of the science department, has received notice that the West Virginia Academy of Science meeting will be held at Marshall College, Huntington, on April 23, 24, and 25.

The general program of the Collegiate Academy Section will be held on Friday, April 24. Any student wishing to present a research project to the Academy may obtain the necessary "Application of Place on Program" form from Dr. Turner. All forms must be returned by March 20.

### Dr. Turner Will Attend

In the past Glenville State College has been represented by several students, and it is hoped this tradition will be continued. Dr. Turner will discuss the Academy with interested students and answer any questions that they may have.

Dr. Turner plans to attend both the Collegiate section and the West Virginia Academy of Science which also meets April 23-25 at Marshall. Although plans are not complete for this meeting, Dr. John B. Conn of Merck and Company will be the banquet speaker with his topic, "The Expanding Universe of Semiconductors."

## Director Ratliff

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In addition to serving as secretary-treasurer of District 28, Coach Ratliff is also a member of the official NAIA Baseball Committee.

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