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Gala Homecoming Features Set For Weekend

Queen Shelia Wilmoth Will Reign Over Event

By Judyth Mayhew

Queen Shelia Wilmoth will reign over the pageantry and activity of the 28th Annual Homecoming at Glenville State College, Sept. 30. Miss Wilmoth will be crowned by President Harry B. Heflin on the CSC campus Saturday morning, immediately following the parade.

QUEEN SHELIA is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thurl Wilmoth of Millstone, Calhoun County. She will be escorted in the Homecoming activities by Harold Metz, president of the GSC student body.

Composing the Queen's court will be Carolyn Berry, senior princess, escorted by Fred Smith; Mary Helen Swisher, junior princess, escorted by Gary Waggoner; Judith Thomas, sophomore princess escorted by Douglas Watt; and Julie Flemming, freshman princess, escorted by Leon Goutierez.

MISS BERRY is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Berry of Walton, she is a member of Xi Beta Tau.

MISS SWISHER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Swisher of Lost Creek, is also a member of Xi Beta Tau and Phi Delta Phi.

MISS THOMAS is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas of Grantsville.

MISS FLEMMING is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Flemming of Grantsville.

Crownbearer for the coronation ceremony will be Barbara Ward,

daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Ward of Glenville.

Parade Begins At 10:00

Queen Shelia's one-day reign will begin with the Homecoming Parade scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Mr. Lonnie Fitzpatrick of Glenville will serve as parade chairman. Mr. Frank Toth, GSC assistant professor of science, will serve as general chairman of the Homecoming activities.

A main feature of the parade will be a float, constructed by the 1961-62 freshman class, bearing Queen Shelia and her princesses.

First, second, and third prizes will be awarded to campus organization floats.

Bands Participate

At MERCURY press time, bands expected to participate in the parade include Clay County, Wahama, Weston, Wirt County, Cairo-Harrisville High Schools and the GSC band.

Glenville State College band will present a short pregame show. At halftime all visiting bands will form a "G" and play the "Alma Mater."

Following the parade, the GSC campus will be the site for the coronation of Queen Shelia.

Louis Bennett Lounge will be open for informal gatherings following the coronation; coffee and doughnuts will be served. Miss Pearl Pickens and Miss Bessie B. Bell will serve on the welcoming committee.

Dance Begins At 9 P. M.

Johnny Vass and his Orchestra
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Carolyn Berry
Senior



Mary Helen Swisher
Junior



Judy Thomas
Sophomore



Julie Flemming
Freshman



Queen Shelia Wilmoth

Eight New Faculty Members Join Glenville Staff For Current Year

By Patricia Mullins

Eight new members have been added to the GSC faculty for this year announced President Harry B. Heflin.

Mr. Benjamin Bast, assistant professor of history, is replacing Mr. John A. Davis, who is teaching at Adrian College, Adrian, Mich. Mr. Bast has attended George Washington University, received his BS degree from Slippery Rock State College, Pa., and his ML from the University of Pittsburg, where he is doing his doctorate work.

Mr. Bast has taught for the past five years at Avonworth, Pa. He is member of Phi Alpha Theta, Phi Kappa Alpha, and the American Historical Association.

Mr. Jesse Lilly, instructor in health and physical education, will replace Mr. Leland Byrd who has taken a sabbatical leave of absence to complete his doctorate degree.

Born in Beckley, W. Va., Mr. Lilly will coach basketball and be assistant football coach. He has coached and taught for 13 years at Elkview, W. Va.

Mr. Lilly received his AB degree from GSC and his MA from West Virginia University.

Dr. Harold Wesley Traister, professor of education received his BS degree in Education, his MA and his Ed.D. from the University of Pittsburg.

A native of Mahoning, Pa., Dr. Traister has previously been employed as Superintendent of Schools in Grove City, Pa., Director of College Center at McKeesport, Pa., and was also employed as professor of education and head of the Department.
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Ronald Stoops Named Pioneer

Ronald Stoops, senior from Parkersburg, was selected by the student body to serve as Pioneer for the 28th annual Homecoming.

Stoops, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stoops of Parkersburg, is a physical science major and a member of the Holy Roller Court.

He will begin his services as Pioneer Friday evening, Sept. 29, by leading the snake-dance. He will join the festivities by escorting Queen Shelia's float in the Homecoming Parade. He will also be in attendance at the football game Saturday afternoon.

Stoops is the 22nd GSC Pioneer. He will attire himself in the traditional Pioneer fashion: coonskin hat, buckskin clothing, muzzle-loading rifle, and a three-month growth of whiskers.

Pioneer Stoops will have the same opportunity to earn a letter sweater as did last year's Pioneer, William Simmons. To earn his letter Stoops
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GSC Pioneer Ron Stoops



FORMER QUEENS, PIONEERS

We Salute You

First Annual Homecoming at Glenville State College was Oct. 14, 1931. Alumni and friends of the College have returned to the campus each year since 1931 for this annual event except during the war years 1943, 1944, and 1945 when Homecoming was suspended.

Charles Barnett was the first Pioneer named. The year was 1933. Millard Cunningham (1936) was the second Pioneer. The first Queen selected was Mrs. Lois Mason Mace in 1938.

Since 1939 the students have selected a Queen and Pioneer. The complete list follows:

- 1939 Jean McGee (Queen), Robert Brooks (Pioneer)
- 1940 Ruth Annabell Hull (Queen), Johnson Burke (Pioneer)
- 1941 Madelyn Conrad (Queen), Billy Adams (Pioneer)
- 1942 June Wilson (Queen), John Tyson (Pioneer)
- 1946 Katherine Hall (Queen), John Fidler (Pioneer)
- 1947 Ella Mae Scott (Queen), James Lilly (Pioneer)
- 1948 Jo Ann Foreman (Queen), Peter Rippe (Pioneer)
- 1949 Alfreda Taylor (Queen), Charles Adams (Pioneer)
- 1950 Nadine Clark (Queen), Glendale White (Pioneer)
- 1951 Doris Perkins (Queen), Jack Lilly (Pioneer)
- 1952 Dorothy Terrill (Queen), Holt Gray (Pioneer)
- 1953 Frances Elaine (Sally) Waggoner (Queen), Harold Butcher (Pioneer)
- 1954 Elaine Bell (Queen), Bill Rumbach (Pioneer)
- 1955 Susan Arnold (Queen), John Lazear (Pioneer)
- 1956 Mary Lee Foster (Queen), Ronald Rokisky (Pioneer)
- 1957 Rose Marie Gwinn (Queen), Marvin Stemple (Pioneer)
- 1958 Leona Hampton (Queen), Bob Eakins (Pioneer)
- 1959 Flora Ann Dyer (Queen), Jim Brabham (Pioneer)
- 1960 Mary Ann Graham (Queen), William Simmons (Pioneer)

Dr. Max Ward Continues Research in Botany Here

Dr. Harry B. Heflin has announced that a \$14,000 grant has been made by the National Science Foundation for support of a program of basic research in botany being conducted by Dr. Max Ward, chairman of the division of science and mathematics at GSC.

The grant is for a two-year period, and it will permit employment of a full-time technician for the program and provide funds for equipment and other expenses. Mrs. Masli Dobson (AB, Glenville, 1960) of Vienna has been approved by the West Virginia State Board of Education as technician under the research program.

The research program is a continuation of work carried on by Dr. Ward while he was Research Fellow on the faculty of Harvard University from 1958-1960.

The research program deals with problems in pure, basic research in botany, centered about study of single cells and very small groups of cells in certain plants.

Being sought are answers to questions which concern the forces causing cells and cell units to grow, develop, and behave as they do — a part of a general research in many living things to determine forces that cause normal growth and behavior as related to forces resulting in aberrant behavior, associated in one extreme to the cancerous action of plant and animal tissue.

The type of research program involved is not directed immediately to the solution of practical or technological problems. Instead, it is intended to gain completely new insights into the basic behavior of living things — factors hitherto unknown in the field.

This approach is contrasted with the science of technology and application uses are sought from the

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Foreign Film Program Set By Alpha Psi

Mr. W. E. Coleman, associate professor of speech and drama, has announced that Alpha Psi Omega will again sponsor the foreign films program on campus. In this program, five or more foreign films will be shown to closed membership.

The first film will be "Gate of Hell," a Japanese film of historical adventure, in color.

Additional films being considered are "Forbidden Grass," a French film concerning children in wartime; "M," a German psychological drama with Peter Lore in his first role; and "Seven Deadly Sins," with all of the important actors in the world. In addition, there will be one English film.

The films will be shown twice on a Monday, at 3:35 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. The location and date of the first film will be announced later.

The member will commit himself to a fee of \$5.00. He may reserve his membership with a fee of \$2.50, the remainder to be paid at the second film.

This payment will guarantee the member at least five films. A membership of over fifty might give the member six to eight films for this fee. Members may attend either or both showings of each film.

Married couples may join for the combined fee of \$7.50.

Members cannot drop out of the series, or receive a refund. Joining commits to full payment. If a film is missed, no money will be refunded. The two showings are designed to give all members a chance to see each film.

The films selected will generally be in foreign language, but all will have English sub-titles.

Each member may bring one paying guest (\$1.00) to each film. This money will be returned to the members, if it is enough, in a bonus film.

Membership drive closes with the first film. Any student or faculty member interested in membership will please contact Pat Horner, Linda Lambotte, or Judy Hays.

GSC Enrollment Reaches New High

Enrollment at Glenville State College for the first semester has reached a total of 740 full-time students, 51 part-time students and 53 extension students to bring the over-all total to 844 when the MERCURY went to press.

Registrar Carson L. Cottrell did not have the number enrolled in an extension class at Webster Springs. This number, no doubt, will bring the total to 860.

Leading the full-time students is the freshman class with 326. Sophomore class is next with 182; juniors have 120 listed; and the seniors 112 students. In the freshman class there are 191 men, 135 women; sophomore class 94 men, 88 women; juniors 63 men, 57 women; seniors 58 men, 54 women.

Of the full-time students there are 406 men and 334 women.

The 52-member Glenville State College Band, under the direction of Dr. David K. Ernest, will attend the Mountain State Forest Festival at Elkins, Oct. 7. The band will take part in the Festival parade.

GSC Cheerleading Team



FOUR GLENVILLE State College co-eds were chosen cheerleaders in a recent student election. In the above picture from left to right are Mary Jo Nocida, sophomore of Glenville; Sherry Sherwood, freshman, Norantown; Rita Patterson, sophomore, Parkersburg; and Sandra Miller, junior, Basselle. (MERCURY photo by Frederic)

Glenville Choir Lists 96 Members

The Glenville State College Choir, under the direction of Mr. Alexander Zerban, is beginning a new year with 96 members.

Officers of the choir are: Clarence James, president; Elaine Allison, secretary-treasurer; John Jones and George Kerr, managers; Virginia Gill and Kay Strosmider, librarians; Patty Dent and Jane Leverage, robe custodians; and John Kalmecker, historian.

This year a special small choir was chosen from the large choir. It will sing more difficult music a cappella. The small choir has 26 members and nine alternates.

Groups Named

Three small singing groups were also chosen from the choir: the Varsity Quartet, a girl's quartet and the Glenechoes.

Varsity Quartet members are Mack Samples, John Jones, Darrell Messenger and Douglas Watt. Girl's quartet includes Kay Strosmider, AnKara Miller, Sherry Sherwood and Mary Stephenson.

Janet Sutton, Sondra Moore, Elaine Allison, Patty Dent, Paul Wigal, Alexander Zerban, William Snyder and William Spelbring comprise the Glenechoes.

Heflin Attends Meet

President Harry B. Heflin will attend and serve as a committee-member at a meeting of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education in Chicago, Oct. 4-9.

Topic is "The Dimensions of American Society: Some Economic, Political, and Social Parameters."

Meeting will be financed by the Ford Foundation.

Nocida Is Named Head Cheerleader At Glenville State

Mary Jo Nocida, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carmelo Nocida of Glenville, was named head cheerleader in a recent campus election. Miss Nocida, a sophomore, is a physical education and business student.

Sandra Miller, a junior and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Miller of Rainelle, also a physical education student and alternate cheerleader last year, is a member of the squad.

A sophomore, Rita Patterson, and a freshman, Sherry Sherwood, complete the cheering squad. Miss Patterson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter of Parkersburg. She is also a physical education student and a member of Xi Beta Tau.

Miss Sherwood is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sherwood of Norantown and a business education student.

Selected as alternate cheerleader was Barbara Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Wright of Parkersburg. A sophomore, Miss Wright is a physical education student and a member of Xi Beta Tau.

Committee Cancels Lyceum Programs

Because the college auditorium has been closed for renovation there have been no Lyceum programs scheduled for the 1961-1962 season according to information released by Professor Carl Kerr, chairman of the Lyceum committee.

Mr. Kerr adds that the committee hopes to be able to schedule programs as usual next fall.

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Sorority News

PHI MU GAMMA

Phi Mu Gamma officers for the year are Sue Skidmore, president; Connie Coffindaffer, vice-president; Alyce Griffith, recording secretary; Margy Simmons, corresponding secretary; Carol Ellison, treasurer; Pat Horner, assistant pledge mistress; Eileen Kapalla, sergeant-at-arms.

The sponsors of the sorority are Mrs. Carson Cottrell and Mrs. Stanley Hall.

The sorority sponsored the first dance of the year with the theme "Autumn Leaves."

XI BETA TAU

Mrs. Benjamin Bast and Mrs. Charles Scott are serving as sponsors of Xi Beta Tau for the current year. Mrs. John White and Mrs. Bryon Turner are serving as patronesses.

Officers are Phyllis Valentine, president; Mary Marjie Kramer, vice-president; Sue Ellen Garrett, recording secretary; Joyce Jackson, corresponding secretary; Carolyn Berry, treasurer; Winona Stewart, parliamentarian; Joyce Dulaney, chaplain; Sondra Elmore, herald; Sandra Stump, sentinel; Rita Patterson, historian.

Ronald Stoops

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must be in attendance at a number of athletic events. The events are to be determined by the student council and the letter awarded by the student council.



CAPTIONED ABOVE IS THE 1961 EDITION of the Glenville State Lions who will meet the Concord Mountain Lions Saturday afternoon in the 23th annual Homecoming clash at Rohrbough Field. First row, left to right: Galt, Sumners, R. Williams, Proctor, Clarke, Shinn, Spencer, Buck. Second row: Simmons, Post, Smith, Napolitano, Davis, M. Williams, Pottmeyer, Hammett. Third row: Brown, Nichols, Kinzer, Daughtery, Howell, Drake, Gunnoe, Anderson, Boggs, Basso. Fourth row: Rogers, Steib, Taylor, Erwin, Legg, Gossman, Downey, Lustig, Duncan, Quintrell. (MERCURY photo by Frederick)

Pioneers Fall Before West Liberty In Opening Contest By 13-7 Score

The West Liberty Hilltoppers struck early and held on in defeating the Glenville State College Pioneers 13-7 Saturday Sept. 16, at Rohrbough Field.

The offensive attack of Bob Scheutz, Jack Scheutz, and Roy Kasnikas were the wrecking crew of a strong Hilltopper team which led 13-0 before the stunned Glenville eleven could muster a suitable defense.

Early in the game Bob Scheutz cracked over from the two-yard line. The conversion was blocked by Vince Post and West Liberty led 6-0. Minutes later Bob's brother Jack threw a five-yard scoring toss to end, Bob Zwalinski, the conversion was good and Glenville trailed 13-0.

G-Men Threaten

Neither team threatened seriously until the fourth quarter when Pioneer quarterback Bob Basso hooked up with end Bob Summers on an 18-yard touchdown pass. Larry Legg added the point after

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and West Liberty led 13-7. The scoring ended this way as a last-minute attempt by the Pioneers to score was halted on the Hilltopper 20-yard line by a pass interception.

The Glenville bright spots came from freshman Bob Basso, who replaced ailing Ollie Pottmeyer at the QB spot, and veterans Bob Summers, Romeo Williams, Bill Shinn, Vinsen Post, Pete Spencer and Keith Smith.

Basso connected on nine of 13 aerials, one a 63-yarder to Tom Gunnoe, for a grand total of 180 yards, while the glue-fingered Summers snagged four tosses for 71 yards and left-end Williams snared two completions for 20 yards.

Glenville defense which proved stronger the second half was led by middle-guard Shinn and tackles Post and Spencer. Keith Smith did an excellent job of punting for Coach Murin's forces as he averaged 42 yards a try in booting the pigskin.

West Liberty led in first downs 13-7. The rushing yardage which best determined the outcome of the game was also led by the men from the Northern Panhandle, 176 to Glenville's 18. The Pioneer's led in passing yardage 180 to 69.

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White Wave Faces Concord In Homecoming Saturday

Wilson Receives Montrose Award

Emmett Wilson, Jr., a 1960 graduate of Glenville State College, has been awarded the ninth annual Frank Montrose Award. This coveted honor is based upon scholarship as well as athletic ability.

Wilson played four years of football for GSC, and his last year was named to the All-Conference Team. He also played three years of basketball and baseball. He hit .375 in his last season as an outfielder for the Pioneers.

The recipient was a member of the Kappa Sigma Kappa fraternity and G-Club; he was graduated Cum Laude in the 1960 graduating class. Wilson is now teaching at Clay County High School.

Council Establishes Award

The Frank Montrose Memorial Award was established by the Student Council in honor of the late Frank Montrose, former Glenville student and athlete. In his one year here, 1939, Montrose established himself as an all-time Pioneer great.

In the spring of 1940 the 21-year-old Richwood youth went blind and shortly afterward, in June, died in a Baltimore hospital. It was later learned that Montrose had been afflicted with nephritis.

Former recipients of the award are Cecil Johnson, 1952; Billy Hanlin, 1953; Paul Lanham, 1954; Jack Tennant, 1955; Edward Tekiel, 1956; Robert Miller, 1957; Paul Hughes, 1958; Steven McMillion, 1959; and Charles Watt, 1960.

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Hopes Held High for Victory; Kickoff Time Is Set for 2 P.M.

Glenville State White Wave will clash with the Mountain Lions from Concord in the 23th Annual Homecoming game Saturday, Sept. 30, at 2:00 p.m. at Rohrbough Field.

Pioneers have a string of five victories in homecoming competition and defeated this same Concord team in the 1959 Homecoming game, 23-7.

Glenville squad also has another distinction over Concord in that Glenville has won the last five games played between the two schools, the last one a 19-13 thriller at Athens in which Ollie Pottmeyer and Junior Wilson teamed together on a 65-yard scoring play with nine seconds left in the game.

Team Ready To Go

The Pioneer team which lost the opener to West Liberty (Concord won over Salem 13-12 in its first game) will have fire in their eyes. Defense apparently has found itself and such freshmen as Larry Legg, Harold Erwin, John Quintell, and Joe Duncan, should be more confident with a game under their

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belts. Veterans Glen Proctor, Ed Drake and Tom Gunnoe form a solid pass defense.

Offensive line will again be anchored by Bud Hammett, Paul Anderson, John Napolitano and Bill Kinzer. The defense as in the past will be led by Phil Clarke, Keith Smith, Vinsen Post and Bill Shinn.

Backfield will have either Ollie Pottmeyer or Bob Basso at quarterback, Tom Gunnoe and Ellsworth Buck at halfback and Phil Clarke running from the full back position.

If the G-Men can put together the few remaining pieces and continue to improve as is expected, the forces of Coach Murin should wind up with a winning season.

At the time the MERCURY went to press, results of the GSC-Potomac State game, played Sept. 23 at Keyser, were not available.

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Gala Homecoming

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tra, Union, Pa., will provide the music for the Annual Homecoming Dance to be held in the college gymnasium from 9-12 p.m. Saturday. Tickets will be \$1.00 for couple; \$2.50 single.

Johnny Vass Orchestra, one of the top dance bands in the tri-state area, has appeared at West Virginia University, Fairmont State College, Pa., and Waynesburg College, Pa., and various clubs and high schools throughout the tri-state area. Bill Moser is vocalist with the group.

Officers of the 1961-62 Alumni Association are Harley Cutlip, Jackson's Mill, president; Mrs. Linwood Zinn, Clarksburg, vice-president; and John V. White, Glenville, secretary-treasurer.

Dr. Max Ward

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accumulated findings of pure or basic research.

Dr. Ward has MA and Ph. D. degrees from Harvard University, and is the author of six articles in botanical research published in international journals. He is a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Botanical Society of America, the New England Botanical Club, the Bryological Society of America, and he has served three years as secretary of West Virginia Academy of Science.

Dr. Ward has been invited to participate in an international symposium on botanical research in London in April, 1962.

He was graduated from GSC in 1940, and he has been of the college faculty since 1948.

Allman, Buck Lead GSC Band

Carolyn Allman, senior from St. Mary's, will lead the Glenville State College Band as drum majorette and James Buck will, for the second consecutive year, be drum major.

The majorettes and twirlers are Joyce Waybright, senior from Greenbank; Rose Smith, sophomore, Cairo; Pam Westfall, freshman, Jane Lew; Sharan Piper, freshman, Summersville; and Patty Burch, sophomore, Grantsville. Not shown in the picture is Joyce McCullough, freshman, Mountain.

Other members of the band are Darrell Messenger, Jerry Wilson, Prentiss Snyder, John McLaughlin, Kay Strosnider, Bill Snyder, Connie Holcomb, Dan Kuhns, Harley Wells, Mike Wilson.

Kenneth Shalap, Deanna Byrd, Floyd Elder, Sandra Elmore, Dan Allman, Kenneth Frederick, Bob Wright, Denver Barnett, Clarence James, Paul Wigal, Sharla Cunningham.

George Kerr, Mary Stephenson, Gradene Kellar, Gloria Bennett, Joyce McCullough, Judy Mattison, Carol Davis, Yvonne Row, Carol Wolfe, Carol Norman, Mary Henderson, Elaine Allison, Linn Davis, AnKara Miller, Andy Poling, Lois Cornell, and Carol Burrows.

The alternates are Kay Patterson, Donna Maxwell, Harold Lucas, Rosalie Ayers, and Drema Stewart.

Band is directed by Dr. David J. Ernest, assistant professor of music.

Eight New Faculty

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ment of Education at California (Pa.) State Teachers College from 1947 to 1957.

Mr. Kent B. Monroe of Uxbridge, Mass., has been employed as instructor in the business department. He received his AB degree from Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, Mich., and his MA degree from Indiana University in 1961.

Mr. Al Richard Moldroski, assistant professor of art is from Terre Haute, Ind. Mr. Moldroski received his BS degree from Indiana State College and his MA degree from Michigan State College.

His teaching background includes positions at Flint, Mich. Public Schools, Flint Junior College, Michigan State University, and Southern Illinois University.

Dr. David John Ernest, chairman of the division of fine and applied arts and assistant professor of music, received his BM degree from Chicago Musical College, his MS degree from the University of Illinois, and his Ed. D. degree from the University of Colorado. He also attended Sorbonne, University of Paris.

Dr. Ernest has previously been employed by Illinois Public Schools and the University of Colorado.

Mr. Richard C. Brooke, instructor in science, received his BS degree from West Virginia Wesleyan and his MA degree from The John Hopkins University in 1961.

A native of Lumberport, W. Va., Mr. Brooke is a member of the Methodist Church and Theta Chi Fraternity.

Wayne H. Scott has joined the faculty as an instructor in English. Mr. Scott received his MA degree from the University of Pittsburgh. He replaces Miss Roberta Williams who is now doing graduate study at the University of Denver.

R. U. R. Is Set For Late October; Coleman Will Direct Futuristic Play

'R. U. R.' Rossum's Universal Robots, is a science fiction play by Karel Capek, English version by Paul Selver and Nigel Playfair. The futuristic play will be presented arena style under the direction of Mr. William S. E. Coleman, associate professor of speech, in October. The play consists of three acts and an epilogue.

Eight students will be making their three-act debut in this fantastic melodrama: Patricia Mullins,

Margaret Hofmann, Larry Wolfe, Michael Eberbaugh, Robert Irany, Rodnal Skaggs, Arthur Coughlin and Edward Nichols.

Five veterans of previous productions will be seen in this production.

Majorie Roth will portray Helena Glory, a girl who has come to the island to liberate the robots and Larry Wolfe will play the part of Harry Domin, the General Manager of R. U. R.

The managers of R. U. R. will be portrayed by Robert Irany as Dr. Gall; Rodnal Skaggs, as Dr. Fabry; William Spelbring as Dr. Hallemier; Harry Luncy as Mr. Alquist and Arthur Coughlin as Consul Busman.

Margaret Hofmann will be Nana, Helena Glory's maid.

James Booth will be Radius, a leader of the robots. Janet Hall as Helena, a robotess, and Edward Nichols as Primus, a robot, will perform in the epilogue.

Stilla, a secretary robotess, will be played by Patricia Mullins and Marius, a servant robot, will be played by Michael Eberbaugh.

Other robots will be chosen at a later date from those attending try-outs.

Linda Lambiotte will be assistant director.

Students Begin Directed Teaching

Seventeen students are now doing directed teaching as announced by Dr. Delmer D. Somerville, chairman of the education department.

Robert Bruce Berdine is teaching in the Glenville Elementary School. Teaching in Glenville High School are Phyllis Lee Harvey, social studies and English; William R. Sams, speech; Edwin M. Sweeney, social studies and English.

Taking positions in Burnsville High School are Billy Earl Bee, social studies and library science; Dale Doddrell, physical science and mathematics; Timothy Weaver, library science and social studies.

Wilda Cathryn Godfrey is teaching business education and library science at Buckhannon - Upshur High School.

Assigned to Calhoun County High School is Erselene Gainer teaching home economics.

Teaching at Parkersburg High School are William Levi Jennings, speech and physical education; Donald Dale Smith, speech and physical education.

Taking positions at Weston High School are Gene Alkire, social studies and physical education; Denzil Barker, social studies and physical education; Ray Gaudes, business education; Roma Starcher, music 1-12; and Robert L. Williams, biology and physical education.

Student teachers in elementary education are supervised by Mrs. Eileen Wolfe and those in secondary education by Dr. Wendell Hardway and Mr. Nelson Wells.

Freshman Class Elects Officers

William J. Duncan, son of Mrs. Mable Duncan of St. Albans, will serve as president of the 1961-1962 freshman class. Duncan's field of study is physical education.

Other freshman officers elected were Robert Basso, Peekskill (N.Y.), vice-president; Joan McCay, Parkersburg, secretary; Michael Wilson, Buckhannon, treasurer.

Miss McCay is a business student, while Basso is in psychology, and Wilson is in music.

GSC Art Students Enter Exhibit

Mr. Charles C. Scott, assistant professor of art, announced that three members of the art department have entered the 16th Annual Clarksburg Art Exhibit.

Ruth Murin, Roger Nancarrow, and Mr. Scott have entered oil paintings in the exhibit to be shown Sept. 24, 1961.

It was also announced that the art department will sponsor a series of free films connected with the art field.

These films will be shown free of charge to all art students and interested students in the art room.

The first film will be Sept. 27, entitled "Color Magic". Additional films will be Oct. 4, "Modern Magic"; Oct. 11, "The Art of Growing America"; Oct. 18, "Homes of Growing America"; Oct. 25, "The Belgian Art of Linen"; Nov. 1, "Down to Earth" (American Auto Age); Nov. 8, "Fall and Winter Fashions Design."

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