

Students Prepare for Homecoming

QUEEN IS CENTER OF ACTIVITY AS GSC MAKES READY FOR GAME

By JUDY MUSGRAVE

Saturday, October 2, has been slated for the Thirty-Second Annual Glenville State College Homecoming activities according to Mr. Frank Toth, assistant professor of science and general Homecoming chairman, Mr. John White, associate professor of mathematics and Alumni Secretary, and the Student Council who were responsible for co-ordinating plans for the day.

Miss Patsy Ruth Brake was chosen by the student body to reign as Homecoming Queen. Hailing from Canva, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brake, and is a 1962 graduate of Nicholas County High School in Summersville. Miss Brake has occupied a throne before as she was chosen Miss Nicholas County of 1963 and Miss Women's Hall for Homecoming Activities during that same year.

A senior vocational home economics student, Miss Brake's other collegiate interests include membership in Phi Delta Phi, Wesley Foundation, junior class secretary, Collegiate 4-H Club and the West Virginia 4-H All-Stars, and placing in semi-finalist competition in the 1963 Campus Cover Girl Contest

which is sponsored annually by THE MERCURY.

The senior class selected Miss Janet Sue Gregory to represent them as their Homecoming Princess. A graduate of Sutton High School with the class of 1962, she is the daughter of Mrs. Virginia Gregory of Heaters. Miss Gregory, an elementary education student, is a past vice-president of Women's Hall and member of the Governing Board, and was Miss Verone Mapel Hall in 1964. Other campus activities include membership in the Student Education Association and Delta Zeta Sorority.

Serving as junior class Homecoming princess is Miss Patty Joanne Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gray of Parkersburg. A history and political science student, she was the Women's Hall representative in the 1965 Campus Cover Girl Contest, and is presently serving on the Women's Hall Governing Board.

She is a 1963 graduate of Parkersburg High School.

Miss Marilyn Sue Strickling will represent the sophomore class as their princess at the annual activities. She is an elementary education student, a 1964 graduate of St. Marys High School, and the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Crandall Strickling. Delta Zeta Sorority and the GSC College Concert Choir are two of Miss Strickling's area of campus interests, while she is also a member of the West Virginia 4-H All-Stars.

Representing the freshmen class as their Homecoming princess is Miss Gloria Jean Halbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Halbert of Parkersburg. Miss Halbert is a 1965 graduate of Parkersburg High School and is anticipating majoring in elementary education at GSC.

Beginning Saturday's Homecoming Activities will be the traditional parade. The theme, "Pioneering Spirit," will be evidenced in various fashions by the forty or fifty expected entries which are being assigned parade positions by Mr. Lonnie Fitzpatrick, a local Glenville resident who has served in the capacity of parade chairman for the last several years. With the first entry starting at the corner of College and Main Streets, the parade is slated to begin at 10:00 a.m.

Immediately following the parade will be the Coronation of Homecoming Queen Patsy Ruth (Continued on page 4)



Patsy Ruth Brake, the 1965 GSC Homecoming Queen.
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Federal Exam Given For Placement, Advancement

The Federal Service Entrance Examination for 1966 will be given on Saturday January 15, 1966. The deadline for application is December 15, 1965. The examination is designed as an avenue through which young people with promise may enter the Federal Service.

Over 200 kinds of home positions are filled through this examination, as well as a limited number of overseas positions. The opportunity for advancement through the Merit Promotion Program is excellent. To qualify for the examination one must have a college education or the equivalent experience.

The written test consists of a verbal ability and a quantitative reasoning test. A writing ability test is also required, but the grade does not affect the general test, it is used for placement purposes for

some positions. Time required for the tests is 2 and three fourth hours in the morning and one and a half hours in the afternoon. The candidates for management intern will take an additional test on administrative problems and public affairs; time required is an additional 2 hours in the afternoon.

For further information contact the Dean of Student Affairs or the Mercury Office.

STUDENTS TEACH IN FALL TERM

First term student teachers have been placed in schools in the Glenville area. Thomas Hawkins is teaching in Buckhannon-Upshur High School while Nancy Blake does her directed teaching at Burnsville High School.

Coraletta Houck, Bessie Eberbaugh, and Crystle Hamilton have been assigned to Criss Elementary School in Parkersburg. Two seniors are finishing their requirements at Gassaway High School. They are David Coffman and James Murphy.

Mary Greenleaf, Mary Massey, Betty Morris, Ella Roby and Virginia Bise are doing their directed teaching at Glenville Elementary, while Gary Alfred, Mary Benson, Earl James, and Michael Sakole are at Glenville High. Clyde Brewer and Barbara Wilcox are teaching at Hamilton High School while Ernest Haynes went to McKinley Elementary.

Michael Samson, William Sheets and Paul Wigal are doing their student teaching at Parkersburg High while James Houck is working at Roosevelt. (Continued on Page 3)

Dean of Student Affairs, 17 Others Added to Faculty

Eighteen new members have been added to the GSC faculty, six in newly created positions and 12 as replacements. These new members represent 31 percent of the faculty.

Perhaps the most outstanding of the new positions is that of Dean of Student Affairs, which is now being filled by Dr. Alfred F. Billips, Jr., from Athens, Ga. Dr. Billips received

his B.S. degree from the University of Tennessee and his M. Ed. and D. Ed. degrees from the University of Georgia. Besides performing his duties of Dean (Continued on page 2)

New Sex Morality Topic of Study

Rev. Robert M. Fuqua, a Glenville minister, is conducting a study group on "Christianity and the New Morality." The group is reading the book Crisis in Sex Morality. Some of the discussion topics will be, "Why Wait till Marriage?" and "How does one build a system of morality?"

One of the highlights of the discussion will be the examining of the philosophy of Playboy magazine. This study group is meeting in the old faculty lounge in the Student Union lobby every Tuesday night for six weeks from 6:00 to 6:50. Books will be furnished by Wesley Foundation. All students are invited to participate in the discussions.



Homecoming Queen Patsy Ruth Brake, is surrounded by the GSC Class Princesses: Gloria Halbert, Patty Gray, Janet Gregory, and Susie Strickling.
(MER-photo by Dougherty)

Social Worker Visits Campus

Miss Louise Weeks, who is a social worker at the Bethlehem Community Center in Memphis, Tennessee, will visit our campus, October 2-3, to talk with students about the relationship of the Church to the world today. Her talks will focus on the nature of personal involvement in mission in order that this relationship may be a vital one.

She will discuss the ways through which our commitment to Christianity can be meaningfully and realistically expressed, and will discuss some of the experiences of her own work. She will meet with persons interested in knowing more about the opportunities for service with the Church in area of concern in the U. S. and overseas.

Miss Weeks has a rich educational background with undergraduate work at Oklahoma State University and Scarritt College, graduate work at Scarritt College, the University of Tennessee, at the American University and the University of Hawaii.

She cites her major concerns as "the plight of minority groups in every aspect of our society... and the inability of the Church in their world." She says, "All of these begin with another concern—our 'country club' churches."

During the thirteen years at the Bethlehem Community Center in Memphis, Miss Weeks has geared the Center's program toward preparation for integration. She writes, "Right now my major interest is centered on the Negro (in general) and my Negro friends (in particular) as they try to become integrated into our rapidly desegregating Southern ways of life. This, of course, means a great interest in the way we white southerners are able to accept desegregation and move to integration." Her visit will be sponsored by the Wesley Foundation.

TKE Hersey Goes To Toronto, Canada

Robert L. Hersey represented Iota Omega Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon at the thirty-third Biennial Conclave which was held recently in Toronto, Canada. One of the most important phases of the conclave was the Leadership Training Conference. The Grand Officers of TKE were also elected, and TKE rush programs were reviewed.

Three new active members were initiated Monday night, September 20. They were: Charles T. Fulmer, John C. Pease, and Tom Dailey.

New advisors for Tau Kappa Epsilon are Larry Smith, geography instructor, and Mr. H. Leobner, sociology instructor.

Sorority Honored At Summer Picnic

Marietta-Parkersburg Alumnae Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority honored the Parkersburg area members of the Theta Xi Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority of Glenville State College with a picnic this past August in Parkersburg. Those attending from Glenville's Chapter were: Karen Boston, Lois Burgess, Joan Richmond, Loretta Dwell, Cynthia Summers, Sue Eddy, Cynthia Bennon, Stephanie McCully, Susie Strickling, Karen Moore, and Jean Goudy.

A rummage sale is in the planning stages for October.

Counter checks will no longer be cashed at the Student Union, Mr. Silas Hicks, Student Union Director, announced recently. To receive cash a student must present a standard check bearing the name of the bank upon which it is drawn.



Miss Weeks

Horner, Bates Lead SEA As Oct. Plans Shape Up

H. Y. Clark Chapter of SEA held its first meeting Sept. 14 and welcomed several new members. The officers for this year are: president, Martha Horner; vice-president, Anna Bates; secretary, Helen Gould; treasurer, John Husk; librarian, Janet Ocheltree; historian, Johanna Coleman; reporter, Joyce Edens.

The fourteenth annual delegate assembly and conference of the West Virginia SEA-FTA will be held at Jackson's Mill Oct. 22, 23, and 24. Martha Horner and Regina Boggess were chosen to represent the Glenville College SEA at the conference. The GSC chapter is in charge of pledge of allegiance and flag raising Saturday mornings. Mr. Nelson Wells will provide transportation to the banquet Saturday evening; anyone interested in going should contact Martha Horner or Mr. Wells.

SEA will sponsor a membership week Sept. 27-Oct. 1. The membership committee—Jerry Stover, Joan Ward, Joyce Edens, and Paul Derico—will set up a table in the various buildings on campus; any-

one wanting to join is asked to sign up at one of the tables.

SEA will sponsor a float in the Homecoming Parade. Janet Ocheltree and Dudley Mullins, co-chairmen of the Homecoming committee, are in charge of planning the float.

Dr. Turner will be the guest speaker at the next SEA meeting, Oct. 5. He will show slides which he took while in Europe. Dues must be paid by Oct. 5.

Dean of Student

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of Student Affairs, he also teaches education.

Another Georgian, Mrs. Ruby Charles Higgenbotham, from West Point, is Dean of Women. She graduated from Alabama College with an A.B. degree and completed her work for her M.A. at George Peabody College for Teachers.

Mr. Albert Paul Carson joins the teaching staff as librarian. He is from Milwaukee, Wis., and received his B.S. from the University of Wisconsin and his M.S. L.S. from the University of Kentucky.

Two persons have been added to the education department. Mrs. Emma Jean Wright from Bluefield and Mr. John Edward James from Parkersburg are both assistant professors of education. Mrs. Wright did her undergraduate and her graduate study at Marshall University, and Mr. James, whose position in elementary education was added this year, is an alumnus of GSC and received his M.Ed. from Ohio State University.

Mr. Howard Warren from Athens is a new instructor in economics and business. He graduated from Concord State College with the B.S. degree and from Virginia Polytechnic Institute with an M.S.

Others new to the business department are Mr. Bill R. Roberts, assistant professor of business education, and Mr. George Lucas, assistant instructor of business education. From Morehead, Ky., Mr. Roberts received his B.S. and M.A. degrees from Morehead State College, and Mr. Lucas, who is from Chesapeake, O., has a B.B.A. from Marshall University.

A new position as assistant professor of English is being filled by a Glenville resident, Mrs. Goldline Hickman. She attended

Where Shall I Live

By LARRY R. HALL

If this be life
If the aching chasm
in my torn heart
be love,
If the despair and
loneliness that clouds
my mind and soul
be part of life,
Then where do I belong?
Where shall I live?

I have seen
the lean and shallow
face of time
tear away insignificant
seconds of life,
Seconds that have
no meaning
Parts of a destitute
existence.
Infinitesimal segments
of a shattered dream.
Man may live in dreams,
But a poet, in his own way,
must face reality.
Reality
Reality
Reality,
In the imagination
there is stunning reality.
So where do I belong?
Where shall I live?

If my bitter tears
be the staff of life,
If the searing anguish
of vague and slowly
disappearing memories
be instruction,
Then where do I belong?
Where shall I live?

I will live nowhere,
I will be no one
I will exist only
as the offspring of Time
Uncaring, answering when
Nature beckons.

Marshall University where she received her A. B. and then went to West Virginia University for her M.A.

Mr. Bill J. Harman, who received his A.B. at Concord State College and his M.A. at Marshall University, is an instructor in English and Philosophy. Mr. Harman is from Bluefield.

Instructor in geography and history, another new position, is the job of Mr. James L. Smith of Nitro. He did undergraduate work at Morris Harvey College for his A.B. and earned his M.A. at Marshall University.

A vacancy in the sociology department brings Mr. Hugh Gene Loebner to GSC from New York City. He holds an A.B. degree from the Johns Hopkins University and an M.A. from New York University.

Mr. Ronald D. Ross from Wayne and Mr. Robert H. Ellis from Fairmont are the two new faculty members in the mus-

ic department. Mr. Ross, a graduate of Marshall University, is in charge of the GSC Band, while Mr. Ellis, who has an A.B. from Fairmont State College and an M.A. from West Virginia University will direct the choir and the chorus.

With B.F.A. and M.F.A. degrees from Carnegie Institute of Technology, Mr. Richard G. Shurtz comes to GSC as an instructor in art. He is from Pittsburgh, Pa.

To fill a new position as assistant professor of botany, Dr. John A. Chisler joins the GSC faculty. He holds the B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. degrees from Ohio State University.

Another new position, this one in the math department, is held by Mr. Jack Deem of Columbus, O. Having received his A.B. at G.S.C., he went to Ohio State University for his M.Ed.

Mr. Harold O. Erwin, a 1965 graduate of GSC is an assistant instructor of physical education. He is from Eleanor.

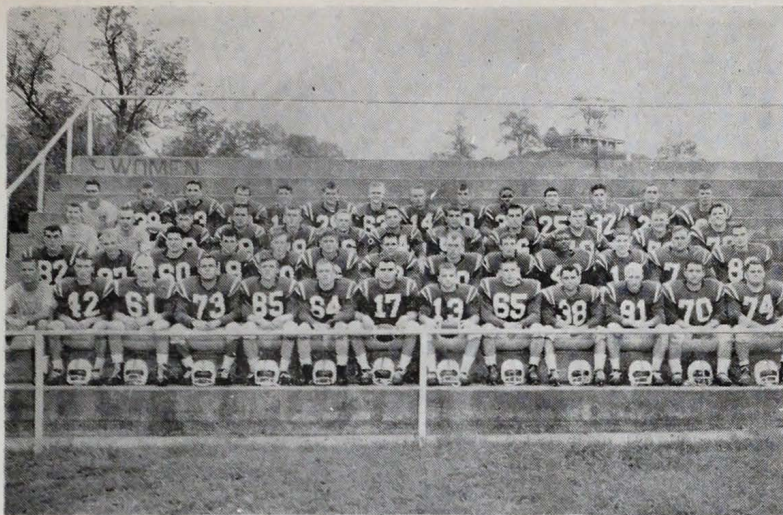
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The 1965 GSC football team. (MER-photo by Dougherty)

GLENVILLE STATE COLLEGE 1965 FOOTBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Age	Hgt.	Wgt.	Hometown
10	Summers, Ralph E.	19	5' 8"	175	Belmont
13	Ingram, Carl	19	5' 7"	170	Alloy
16	Mollohan, Jim	20	6' 1"	175	Birch River
17	Mays, Frank	22	6' 3"	205	Ripley
18	Nelson, David	18	5' 9"	170	Belpre, O.
23	Allen, Robert D.	19	5' 9"	165	Eleanor
24	Frashier, James	18	5' 11"	182	Ripley
24	Frost, William J.	22	6'	182	Belpre, O.
26	Snodgrass, Edward A.	18	5' 11"	165	Glenville
27	Flint, John	18	5' 10"	220	Spencer
32	Price, Harold Dean	19	5' 8"	175	Bim
34	Boswell, Austin	17	6'	190	Given
35	Seals, Stephen H.	18	6' 1"	204	Charleston
38	Bennett, David	19	5' 6"	170	Weston
39	Beane, Sterling P.	18	5' 11"	200	Gassaway
40	Scherr, Jim	21	6'	190	Ripley
42	Boyles, Stanley	19	5' 11"	165	French Creek
42	Hart, Reginald T.	17	6'	215	Letart
50	Canale, Gene	19	5' 10"	200	Leechburg, Pa.
51	Sheets, Dale	18	6'	180	Charleston
60	Gwinn, Charles	20	6'	200	Richwood
61	Hoover, John N.	21	5' 10"	180	Elkview
62	Herold, Thomas	19	6' 1"	235	Winfield
62	Ackison, Larry	22	5' 9"	180	Man
63	Zanders, Verl	18	5' 11"	187	Ft. Belvoir, Va.
64	Hughes, Irum F.	19	5' 11"	190	Harmony
65	Piercy, William J.	18	5' 9"	190	Weston
70	Lucas, Jon	23	5' 10"	210	Weirton
71	Totten, James C.	20	6' 1"	235	Buckeye
72	Andrews, Edward R.	18	6'	220	Charleston
73	Goff, Dike	25	5' 11"	220	Parkersburg
74	Casto, William G.	20	5' 9"	215	Bancroft
81	Blake, Gary L.	21	6' 1"	170	Craigsville
82	McLaughlin, Roger	19	6' 2"	185	Weston
83	Jamison, Rodney	20	6' 4"	190	Glenville
84	Wilson, Woodrow	21	6' 2"	170	St. Marys
85	Potts, James	18	5' 11"	180	Rock Cave
	Brumfield, George Alden	13	5' 7"	145	Wayne
	O'Neal, Stephen V.	13	5' 9"	150	White Sulphur
	Ramsey, Garry	13	6' 1"	170	Belpre, O.
	Rease, Bill	17	5' 11"	170	Buckhannon
	Thomas, Larry	18	5' 9"	180	Danville, O.
	Yeager, Terrell E.	18	5' 11"	203	Paden City

PARKING RULES, PENALTIES TOLD

Parking space has become one of the biggest problems on the GSC campus in recent years. Because of the seriousness of the situation, new regulations have been announced, and penalties for violators went into effect Monday, Sept. 27.

No freshmen are permitted to bring automobiles on the campus unless they are commuting from outside the city or are permanently disabled. All automobiles must be registered at the Office of Student Affairs and must display a parking permit in the lower left corner of the rear window.

Faculty and administration members and visitors are the only persons permitted to use the lot adjacent to the Administration Building, the cafeteria, or Verona Maple Hall. Over night parking is forbidden in the Administration Building lot and the Student Union lot.

If an automobile is illegally parked in one of the campus lots, a ticket will be put on it. Then the driver will receive a letter stating the penalty.

For the first such offense, a

GSC's Pioneers Toss Hilltoppers In Opener

BY BOB MARSHALL

Saturday, Sept. 18, the Glenville State Pioneers opened their 1965 football season by taking on the West Liberty Hilltoppers. The Wave couldn't have opened the season in a better fashion than the 20-19 victory over West Liberty. The Pioneers completely dominated the first period play by keeping West Liberty pinned in their territory for thirteen minutes of playing time.

Glenville broke into the scoring column first on a 38 yard pass play from quarterback Frank Mays, to end, Gary Blake. Freshman Ralph Summers turned his "talented toe" loose for the extra point and the Wave led 7-0 with twelve minutes playing time left in the first quarter. The Pioneer defense took over at this point and held the Hilltoppers scoreless throughout the remaining minutes of the quarter.

Early in the second quarter of play, West Liberty turned a Pioneer fumble into a tie ball game. Speedster Tom Fado slipped through the Glenville defense and raced 14 yards to pay dirt. Vance Deihl then made the extra point and the score read 7-7 with 11:37 remaining to be played in the half.

Minutes later the Hilltoppers displayed their scoring power again with Lou Leon racing 12 yards for the touchdown. This time Vance Deihl's kick was wide and the score read 13-7. Neither team could seem to get a scoring threat started and the half-time gun sounded with West Liberty still leading 13-7.

The half-time rest from the tremendous afternoon heat, along with the experienced words from Pioneer head coach Jesse Lilly seemed to be enough to in-

warning is given. The second time a person violates these rules, his car will be towed away at his expense. Anyone who is persistent enough to receive a third notice will have his automobile towed away again and will be subject to suspension.

spire the boys to an excellent second half performance. The Wave received the kick-off and marched 70 yards for a touchdown.

Quarterback Frank Mays drove the pig-skin in from the 1 yard line with 4:32 remaining in the third quarter. Ralph Summers' kick was wide and the score stood tied once again 13-13.

The Wave cooled off some throughout the remaining minutes of the third quarter but came back strong in the fourth quarter. Once again Frank Mays bulled over from the 1 yard line with 14:00 minutes playing time left in the game.

Ralph Summers made good on the kick and Glenville held a 20-13 lead. Late in the fourth quarter West Liberty made a bid for a tie ball game on a 12 yard touchdown run by Lou Leon. Leon also attempted the extra point kick but it proved wide and the Pioneers held a slim 20-19 decision. The Wave then received the ball and ran out giving the Pioneers their 20-19 victory.

Students Teach

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velt Elementary. Sutton High School has received Christine Bickel, Christine Ferrell and Franklin McKown.

Lauretta Hiney, Rosemary McCarty, Arlis Miller and Kermit Moore went to Weston Central Elementary while Lynda Beale, Thomas Brown, Diane Davis, Patsy Fields, William Umbright and Barbara Woodford are at Weston High School and Weston Junior High School.

FOOTBALL

Sep. 18	West Liberty	H
Sep. 25	Fairmont	A
Oct. 2	Concord (HC)	H
Oct. 9	W. Va. State	A
Oct. 16	Wesleyan	A
Oct. 22	Salem	H
Oct. 30	Westminster	A
Nov. 6	W. Va. Tech	H

Tryouts Open On October 4

"Cave Dwellers" by William Saroyan will be presented November 11, 12, and 15 by Alpha Psi Omega and the Ohmngohow Players of Glenville State College under

Theta Xi Will Hold Annual Open House

On Sept. 11, the newly chartered Alumni Association of Kappa Eta Chapter held its first board of directors meeting with president Donald Fulton presiding. Finance, investments, and legal committees were appointed with the approval of board members.

Oct. 2, Theta Xi will hold its annual open house at the fraternity house in Camden Flats. The public is invited.

Advisors for Theta Xi are Coach William Douglas and Mr. Frank Toth. Returning for her second year as house mother is Mrs. Dorothy Florence from Parkersburg.

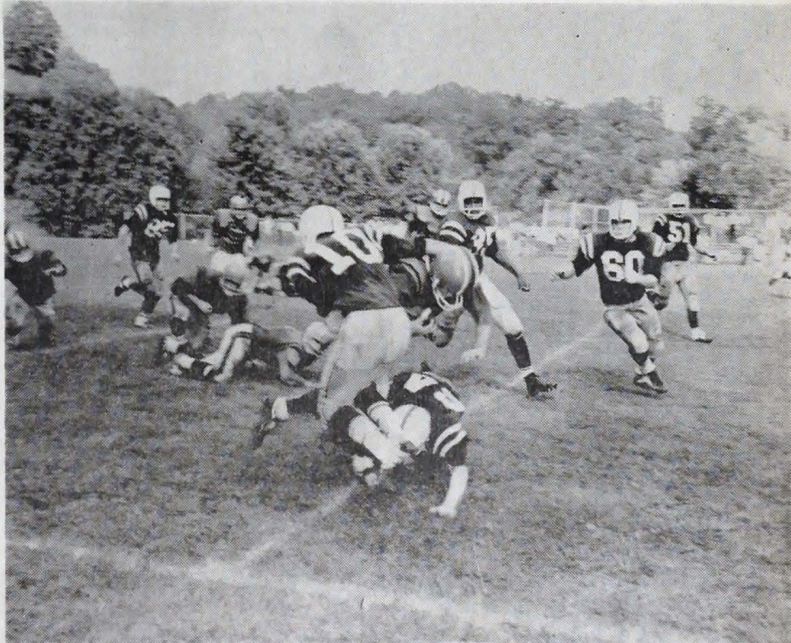
the direction of Mr. J. Rodney Busch, instructor of speech and dramatics.

Tryouts for "Cave Dwellers" will be October 4, 5, and 6, in the GSC auditorium from 3:30 to 5:00, and anyone is eligible to audition.

Characterizations include: Duke, a stout former boxer; The Girl, who is lost in the world and is pretty; The Queen, an old arthritic actress who like the King dwells on past successes. The King is a former clown; the Father who has a trained bear, Gorkey; A mother, who bears a child to add to the miseries of the group; The Silent Boy, a deaf-mute, with whom the girl falls in love; and last the Wrecking Crew Boss, who is in charge of tearing down the old dwell in which these people dwell.

Script may be obtained from Mr. Busch.

Students who have enrolled in the Student Accident and Sickness Insurance Plan with the Pilot Life Insurance Company may pick up their identification cards from Mrs. Mary A. Fest, R.N., at the Infirmary in the Health and Physical Education Building.



Ralph Summers and Irum Hughes stop Hilltopper ball-carrier as Charles Gwinn and Steve Seals come up to assist in the first game of the 1965 season. —(MER-photo by Dougherty)

New Musket for Pioneer Aim of Midnight Canvass

BY BARBARA DAVIS

If someone knocked at your door at 1:00 a.m. and asked for a contribution to the "Pioneer Gun Fund," what would you do?

When the residents of Louis Bennett Hall were faced with this situation a couple of weeks ago, the reactions were quite diverse. Some became upset at having their sleep disturbed; some asked earnestly, "Who's the Pioneer?"; and others fumbled sleepily for some change without any protest. Almost all of them, though, contributed to the cause, and a total of more than \$67 was collected.

The "Gun Fund" was for the purchase of a new antique musket for the Pioneer, GSC's mascot. Purchased from a gunsmith in Arnoldsburg, the 150-year-old gun is almost identical to the one that has been used by the Pioneer for many years. It is loaded by tamping powder back into the barrel.

Because the old gun was broken so badly last year that it had to be taped together, the senior class decided to take donations for a new one. When they collected only \$12.30 at their class meeting, it became apparent that they would need outside help. Therefore, four class members—Bob Marshall, Sam White, Ed Bond, and Allen Pyles—knocked at every door in Louis Bennett Hall and asked for contributions.

"Immediately before the drive was started, we held a meeting for dormitory occupants to discuss some dorm problems," commented Sam White, president of Louis Bennett Hall. "To get their attention, we had to speak harshly to some of them and give them a speech about freshmen rules; so they all knew who we were when we came around later, and they didn't feel as if they were giving their money to complete strangers."

One fellow gave generously to the fund after being awakened. The next morning, however, he discovered, to his dismay, that he had groggily given away all

the change that he was planning to use to call the girl back home.

Another guy contributed three times. The first was when they collected in his room on first floor. He then went to second floor to get a coke, was stopped there, and gave some more money. When the four collectors reached fourth floor, that same L.B.H. resident was standing in the hall talking to a friend. Once more he was relieved of some change.

Not everyone was so willing to contribute, though. When the four seniors disturbed a card game to ask for money, they were surprised to note that one of the players kept nodding toward the open door. Finally they peered behind the door and found "a loyal freshman football player, who was hiding to save his money."

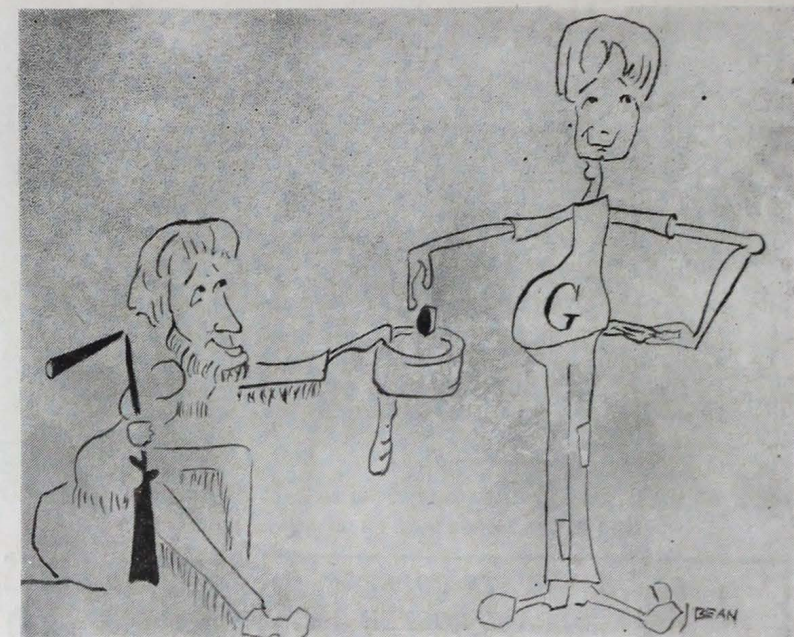
Several of the more helpful students in the dormitory offered suggestions as to the type of gun that should be purchased. A 22-automatic with a scope, a Thompson automatic, and an M-1 military rifle were some of these suggestions. One poor guy even offered to sell them a fog horn to use instead of the gun.

After collecting so much change that they had to use an old felt hat to carry all of it, the seniors discovered they had enough money to pay for the new musket. Now, however, they have decided to collect more money to pay for the cost of mounting the old gun and to buy a plaque commemorating the senior class of 1966. Both the gun and the plaque will be hung in the Student Union.

Students Prepare

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by President D. Banks Wilburn on the college campus at 11:15. Escorting the Queen to her throne will be Robert Allen Marshall, student body president. The senior business administration and history student is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Marshall, and is 1961 graduate of Parkersburg High School.

Marshall was president of his



Think of it as doing your part to make Glenville safe for democracy.

freshman class, treasurer of the sophomore class, and vice-president of the junior class, past chairman of the Louis Bennett Hall Governing Board, 1965 co-editor of the KANAWHACHEN school yearbook, and a member of Ohnimgohow players.

During the summer of 1964, Marshall was selected as outstanding undergraduate in Kappa Eta Chapter of Theta Xi Fraternity. Last year he was elected to have his name listed in "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities." For two years he has been a letter winner on the GSC varsity wrestling team. Marshall is presently serving as sports editor of THE MERCURY, a position which he also occupied last year, and as head counselor in Louis Bennett Hall.

Senior class president, John N. Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoover of Elkview, will escort the class princess, Miss Gregory, in the procession of the Homecoming Court. Hoover is a

1962 graduate of Elkview High School and resides at Pinch with his wife, Linda.

During his four years at Glenville, Hoover was secretary of his freshman and sophomore classes, and president of the junior class. He also was selected to have his name listed in "Who's Who", is a member of Chi Beta Phi, and the G-Club. For four years he has played football and has received three letters for this sport and two letters for varsity wrestling. He is a mathematics and physical science student.

Robert Craig Minnieweather, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Minnieweather, will be escort to Miss Gray, junior class princess. Some of his campus activities include membership in Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, vice-president of his freshman class, past secretary of the G-Club, two years of varsity basketball, and president of the junior class. Minnieweather is a physical education and social science student, and a 1963 graduate of White Sulphur Springs High School.

Sophomore class president, John Sivak, will escort Miss Strickling in the coronation ceremonies. A physical education and social studies student from Belle Vernon, Pa., and a 1964 graduate of Ros-traver High School, Sivak is a member of Newman Club and Theta Xi Fraternity in which he is assistant pledge master. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sivak of Belle Vernon.

Erven Rowan, newly elected freshman class president, is serving as escort to freshman princess Miss Halbert. The son of Mrs. Ruth Rowan, he is a 1965 graduate of Sutton High School.

Serving as a chief figure in not only the Homecoming parade, coronation, and football game, but also as representative of student spirit and togetherness will be Pioneer Robert Morris Hays. Election to the position of Pioneer is the highest honor that the student body can confer on a senior male student. A graduate of Calhoun County High School, he is married to the former Francis Moses who is also a senior.

Hays, a physical education and social studies student, is treasurer of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, a member of the Montrose Award Committee, Ohnimgohow Players, and vice-president of the senior class. He is past treasurer, acting vice-president, and acting president of the student council. He also served a term as treasurer of the West

Virginia Federation Collegiate Student Government.

Highlighting the afternoon's activities will be the Homecoming football game at 2:00 p.m. at Rohrbough Field. Here the Pioneers will face the Concord Lions.

As the final event of Homecoming activities, a dance will be held in the college Pioneer Ballroom from 9-12 p.m. Music is being provided by the "11 Men Swingin'" a group which hails from the Clarksburg area, and has a reputation for catering to homecoming dances and proms as a specialty. Of the eleven members, eight are high school band instructors and one is a college band instructor. Admission for the Homecoming dance will be \$3.50 for couples or \$2.00 single.

With these activities and plans in mind, it is anticipated that the Thirty-Second Annual Glenville State College Homecoming will be something to remember.

ASA ACTIVITIES GET UNDERWAY

Gamma Kappa Chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha has opened with the prospect of having the most profitable year yet. On Thursday, Sept. 9, the Alpha Sigs helped model for the freshmen girls' style show that was sponsored by the Greek Council. After modeling fashions to be worn to various campus activities, the freshmen were served refreshments in Women's Hall lounge.

During the week-end of Sept. 10 the Alpha Sigs attended their annual retreat at Wolfe's Den near Elizabeth, West Virginia. At this retreat plans were made for the sorority's activities during the coming year.

On Friday evening, Sept. 17, a very successful mix was sponsored by Alpha Sigma Alpha in the ballroom. The annual Autumn Leaves Dance was to be held on the following night. A social hour from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. for all Alpha Sigs and their dates preceded the dance. All who attended the dance felt that it would have been an even bigger success had the band appeared. Alpha Sigma Alpha wishes to take this opportunity to thank all those who attended the dance for their understanding the embarrassing situation.

At the present time, Alpha Sigs are busily planning their 1965 Homecoming activities. Also in the planning stages is the 1965 rush season.



Pioneer Robert Hays guards the 1965 GSC Cheerleaders from our photographer. The cheerleaders are: Hazel Kuhl, Grace Noc da, Donna McQuain, and Sandy Whiston. (MER-photo by Dougherty)