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President and Mrs. D. Banks Wilburn extend Christmas Greetings to GSC students. (MER-photo by Dougherty)

Greetings From The President

As you are now about to leave the campus for the Christmas vacation, I wish you much happiness and extend to you, your family, and friends at home my best wishes for a joyous Christmas season.

All of us have many blessings which we can bring to mind at this Christmas season. We are living in a country in which the importance of education for young people is being recognized more and more each day as a necessity for all. Provisions are being made increasingly as the months come and go for greater numbers of young people to be able, through education, to prepare themselves better for service to mankind. Specifically, we should be thankful that more young people than ever before are having the good fortune of being able to attend Glenville State College. The citizens of the State of West Virginia, including members of the Legislature, the West Virginia Board of Education, and State Government are seriously considering the needs of our College which are necessary to provide you and thousands of young people who will be here in the years to come a first-rate education. Specific evidence of the interest citizens have in Glenville State is revealed in the positive action of providing additional faculty for a growing College; new buildings, such as the Pioneer Center and the new Robert F. Kidd Library which is now rising on the campus.

I am certain that you feel it to be a privilege to be a student at Glenville State College. You, too, must feel a growing pride in what you, the faculty, and all who are a part of the College are doing in order that the pride of all of us in the College will continuously grow. May all of us look upon our experiences at Glenville State as a most rewarding time in our lives. You and I can make it so, if we but strive earnestly to do so, and in the doing, we shall not only enrich our lives but countless others.

I hope that all of you will have time this Christmas season to give some thought to those, your friends and relatives, and thousands with whom you have had no acquaintance who are in far distant places performing many kinds of efforts the objectives of which are to bring about a better way of life for many, many more people. To be able to express our concern for others wherever they are is a blessing which we do not always recognize.

Now, for a final personal note. Do as much as you possibly can to guarantee that you will have a safe journey to your homes. During the vacation, keep foremost in your minds in all that you do the safety of others as well as yourselves.

Best Wishes for the Christmas Season.

Cordially yours,

D. BANKS WILBURN
President

Assembly GSC Students Are Listed in Who's Who Is Today

By JUDITH MUSGRAVE

Classes will be dismissed this morning from 10:05-11:15 so that all students may attend the campus Christmas Assembly, planned by the GSC Choir, in the auditorium.

Dr. D. Banks Wilburn, GSC President, will open the assembly by reading the scripture. Following this the choir will present several numbers, two members will give a special performance, and group singing, accompanied by the brass ensemble from the concert band, will conclude the assembly.

Anne Smith and Patrick Snyder, both freshman choir members, will sing "The Virgin Mary," a folk song, and Miss Smith will play guitar accompaniment. Both are graduates of Parkersburg High School.

Some of the numbers the choir will perform are as follows: "Bring a Torch to Queen Isabella," by Shaw; "Jingle Bells," by Ray Charles; "The Night Before Christmas"; "Cry Out and Shout," by Nysted; "O Come Emmanuel," by Elmore; "Carol of the Drums," by Davis; "A Boy Was Born," by Britten; and "Lost in the Night," by Christinasen.

Hardway Given State Office

Dr. Wendell Hardway, Chairman of the division of education and psychology, was elected State President of the West Virginia Association for Student Teaching held at Concord College on Dec. 3 and 4. Others attending the conference included Mr. Nelson Wells, Mrs. Jean Adams, Mr. James Brown, Mrs. Lillian Chaddock, and Mr. John James.

As President of the State Association Dr. Hardway will be the

Mr. H. Pettus Randall, Editor of WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES, has announced that twenty students have been selected from our campus to have their names listed in the publication.

Students recognized by this organization each year are nominated from approximately 800 colleges and universities across the country. A student's scholarship, his participation and leadership in academic and extracurricular activities, his citizenship and service to the school, and his promise are the criteria used by local campus Who's Who committees who then refer their recommendations to the national publication.

The organization awards each member a certificate of recognition which is presented by their own school. Also, it provides a placement or reference service to assist members seeking employment, scholarships, fellowships, or other recommendations.

Among those sixteen seniors and four juniors selected to be listed among Who's Who are: PATSY RUTH BRAKE, GSC's 1965 Homecoming Queen, who is a senior home economics student from Canvas. In 1963 Miss Brake was Miss Women's Hall, and a semi-finalist in the Campus Cover Girl Contest. Currently she is a member of Wesley Foundation, Phi Delta Phi, GSC Collegiate 4-H Club. Last year she served as secretary of the junior class.

official West Virginia Representative to the National Conference of the Association for Student Teaching in Chicago on February 16 and 29 and to the South-eastern Regional AST Meeting in Norfolk, Virginia next fall.

CYNTHIA BENNON, junior elementary education student from Parkersburg, is a member of Delta Zeta Sorority and Greek Council. During her sophomore year Miss Bennon was class princess in the Homecoming activities, secretary of Women's Hall, and "Sweetheart" for Tau Kappa Epsilon. She is also a member of the Student Education Association.

DIANA RAE CAMP is a senior mathematics and library science major from Parkersburg. For two years Miss Camp has served on the Women's Hall governing board. She is currently treasurer of Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority, a member of the Student Education Association and the campus Activities Committee.

JOHANNA COLEMAN, social studies and English student from Williamsstown, was GSC's 1963-64 Campus Cover Girl. She is past member of the Activities Committee, KANAWHACHEN staff member, Literary Society member, and recipient of the ASA Elizabeth Bird Small Award. Currently she is the historian of Student Education Association, scholarship chairman of ASA, member of campus Assembly Committee, and proposed charter member of Kappa Delta Pi National Education Honorary Fraternity.

LORETTA ALICE DWELLE, elementary education, English and speech student from Parkersburg, has served for four years on dormitory governing boards, currently as secretary of Verona Maple Hall. Miss Dwelle has been a member of the GSC Choir for three years and treasurer for the last two years. She is also a member of the Glen-Echoes. She serves as historian for Delta Zeta Sorority and is a member of the Student Education Association.

Miss Dwelle is a member of Oh-
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Faking a Christmas carol on the steps of Louis Bennett Hall are GSC's Who's Who representatives: Nancy Wilson, Patsy Brake, Johanna Coleman, Martha Horner, Diana Camp, Frances Hays, Nancy Reed, Sue Eddy, Sue Murin, Cynthia Bennon, Loretta Dwelle, Sharon Meade, Judy Musgrave, Bob Minnieweather, Allen Pyles, Bill Meade, Ellis Wallenberg, and Butch Hays. Not present were Bill Sheets and Betty Joan Ward. The youngest member of Who's Who is Brian Meade, in the foreground, who comes by his title through heredity.
(MER-photo by Dougherty)

Letter to the Editor

To The Editor:

I would like to praise the action of Mr. Monk in writing his article for the *Mercury* in which he quite plainly commits himself to certain views about drama and the Glenville State College campus. His action is representative of the very thing which this campus needs very much, that is, people who are not afraid to commit themselves to an idea, policy, and or action. Apathy and carelessness are two of the major malaises of this campus; our students are afraid to commit themselves seriously to any position with which they feel other people will disagree. Our students are afraid of responsibility.

I found his essay very interesting, stimulating, and at times confusing. He says that he has "Heard cries for overused shows like *Antigone*, outmoded plays such as *Mother Courage*, and sophisticated comedies such as *The Leader*," and then he asks whether the theatre should attempt to please its audience by giving them "what they want" or whether it should attempt to challenge them intellectually. His answer to his question is: "... In present day theatre, a performer must not lower himself to play to an audience—at least not to a noticeable degree. The theatre has come of age; it is not being educated. Instead, it is educating." Again, he says that "the real responsibility of the theatre" is to interpret life seriously.

I will have to disagree sharply with him concerning his judgments about *Antigone* and *Mother Courage* and similar plays. First, these plays are still having both critical and popular success in today's theatre. Both Anouilh and Brecht are still considered good box office today and are extremely popular in the college and university theatre circuit. For example, Brecht's *Caucasian Chalk Circle* was recently produced at Ohio University and was received quite well. I understand the next production is to be Beckett's *Waiting for Godot*. Where are these plays and dramatists "overused" and "outmoded?" Certainly not here at Glenville State, for most of our students have never heard of Ionesco, Brecht, and Anouilh, not to mention Ibsen, Chekhov, Strindberg, Synge, O'Casey, Pirandello, Hauptmann and others. Not only have they not heard of these people, they have not had the opportunity to see *Ghosts*, *The Sea Gull*, *The Playboy of the Western World*, and many other fine pieces of drama. Incidentally,



Delta Zeta Pledges are: Shirley McIntyre, Debbie Dietz, Linda Walker, Gloria Halbert, Patsy Kinkaid Alice Dofin; second row: Sherrill Nichols, Becky James, Kathy Stroup, Karen Bailey, Anne Smith, Carolyn Lightner. Not pictured are Janet Barclay and Janet Lantz. (MER-photo by Dougherty)

Chekhov, and Synge are still considered to be quite good box office material. Secondly, then, these plays would not be outmoded in the least here at Glenville even if they were elsewhere in the United States.

He says that the purpose of drama is to challenge the audience intellectually and to educate them. I agree with this view and also agree that our drama department should be spending its valuable time and energy working with more stimulating drama than *The Drunkard*. In addition, I think that it is Mr. Monk's responsibility to tell us what he thinks the drama department should do, not that he has told us what it should not do. What would he recommend, Osborne's *Luther*, Durrenmatt's *The*

Visit, or perhaps something by Max Frisch?

Bill J. Harman

Newman Club Reads Books

The Newman club, campus Catholic organization, recently started reading and discussing certain books. One member relates the main ideas brought out in part of the book and then the other members contribute their comments and their ideas. The members express themselves and this usually begins the discussion.

At the present time, the book being discussed is *Man's Search for Meaning* (an introduction to Logotherapy) by Viktor E. Frankl. Frankl is professor of psychiatry and neurology at the University of Vienna and president of the Austrian neurological department of the Poliklinik of Vienna. He leads what has become known as the Third Viennese of Psychotherapy.

In this book the author describes his harrowing years in Nazi prison camps. During this time he developed Logotherapy, and the crystallization of this theories as a result of those hellish experiences.

In his own words, "Logotherapy makes the concept of man into a

whole and focuses its attention upon mankind's groping for a higher meaning in life."

Another project the Newman Club took on was a "rummage sale" on December 4. The objective of the sale was not to make money for the club, but to supply the needy with clothing, most of which was received from a Parish in Cincinnati, Ohio.

G-Club Has 19 Pledges

The varsity G-Club now has nineteen boys pledging for the first semester pledge period. Out of the nineteen four earned their letters in baseball while fifteen earned their letters in football.

The boys pledging are as follows: Bill Burbank, Dale Sheets, Woody Wilson, Ralph Summers, Sterling Beane, William Frost, Eddie Snodgrass, Gene Canale, Thomas Herold, Verl Sanders, Steve Seals, Phil Pitt, Larry Alkison, Roger McLaughlin, James Potts, Larry Frisby, Orville Harper, Frank Hughes, and Eddie Andrews.

ΔΖ's Make Favors For State Hospital

The Theta Xi Chapter of Delta Zeta Sorority held its pledging ceremony in the Colonial Room of the Student Center. After having dinner the actives and pledges introduced themselves and were honored in the pledging ceremony.

Future plans of the sorority include a Christmas Party for the actives given by the pledges on Monday Dec. 13. The party will include entertainment by the pledges and an exchange of gifts. Christmas favors will be on the

HMH Plans Special Events

Lula Reynolds was the hostess for the Christmas Buffet held for the new faculty members and their wives and husbands on Dec. 11 in the Home Management house. This was one of the special activities that each girl is required to plan and to carry through during her stay in the Home Management House.

Other special events that are being planned by the girls living in the House this term are a party in honor of the basketball boys and a party for the Alpha Sigma Alpha pledges.

VERONA MAPEL HAS PARTY

Tonight between the hours of ten and eleven the girls from Verona Mapel will be visiting various places on campus to sing Christmas carols.

Tomorrow night the dormitory is holding its annual Christmas party beginning at 11 p.m. As the girls enjoy cookies, hot chocolate, and exchange gifts, they will wish each other a Merry Christmas and a safe return after the holidays—and they extend the same wishes to everyone on campus.

Alpha Sigs Have Christmas Party

This month Alpha Sigma Alpha is planning a variety of Christmas activities. On Dec. 12, Alpha Sigs plan to make a trip to St. Mary's Training School to see their "Sailor Boys" who were adopted early this fall. Refreshments and games are being planned by the pledges, while the actives are buying the sailor hats for the boys.

During the pledge period the girls have certain obligations to fulfill. By doing so, they must have received a minimum of 250 merits.

Also the Alpha Sigs are looking forward to the Christmas party which will be given at the home of Mrs. Eileen Wolfe, who is a patroness of the sorority. On the way to the party, the sorority plans to go "Candle Caroling." They will begin at Verona Mapel, tour the campus, and continue caroling until they reach Mrs. Wolfe's home.

The sorority would like to thank Mrs. D. Banks Wilburn for allowing them to ribbon their sixteen new pledges at her home. After the new pledges were welcomed and the excitement died down, refreshments were served by Mrs. Wilburn. The ribboning ceremony culminated the evening's activities. Sixteen new pledges left Mrs. Wilburn's proudly displaying their new red and white sorority ribbons.

trays of the patients of Weston hospital. The sorority will consider this one of their Christmas projects.

XMAS RECESS

The Christmas recess will begin on Friday, Dec. 17 at 4:00 p.m. and will end at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, Jan. 3.

This schedule should provide ample time before and after special days so that early departures or late arrivals will not be necessary by faculty or students.

Students will be required to submit written make-up work for absences on Dec. 17 and Jan. 3.



TKE Pledges seated: Dave Board, Mike Scites, Mike Bunner, Steve Seals, Larry Frisby, Dave Bennett, Bill Harding, Tom Cox, Mike Bumgarner, Jim Moorhead, Sterling Beane, Dale Evans, Jerry Rogish, Robert Huffman, Larry Thomas, Larry McCallister, Paul Layne, Jim Sken, Charles Ritter, John Flint, Steve O'Neil, Dave Fletcher, and Ed Ball; standing are: Ron Sloan, Dale Hinkle, Lyndon Davis, Dave Keefer, Ed Dover, and Mike (MER-photo by Hodges)

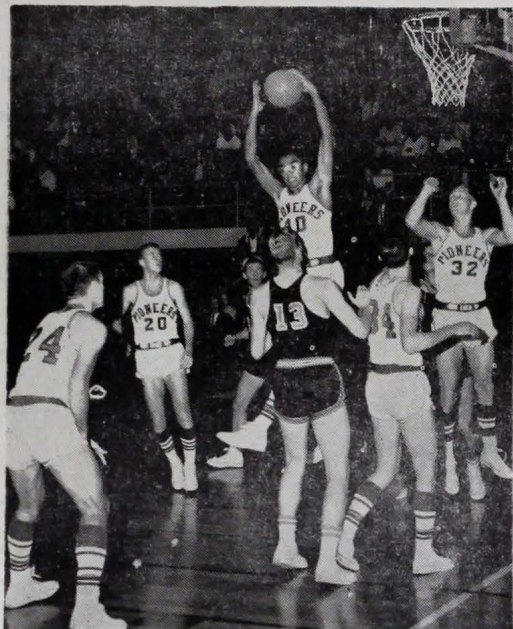
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GSC Center Bob Minnieweather takes the rebound from West Liberty in the game played here Dec. 7.
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GSC STUDENTS ARE

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ningohow Players and is pledging Theta Alpha Cast of Alpha Psi Omega, national dramatics fraternity. She has played roles in *Seagull*, *Still Life*, *This Property Is Condemned*, *Angel Street*, and *Aria Da Capo*. Last spring she won first place in the state women's radio competition at the W. Va. Inter-Collegiate Drama Festival held at Jackson's Mill.

SUE ELAINE EDDY is a senior music student from St. Marys. For three years she has been a member of MENC, a band member and head majorette for four years, member of the GSC Choir and a section leader for two years in the Choir, member of the Glen-Echoes for four years. Miss Eddy is a popular soloist through the Glenville area. She is secretary of Delta Zeta Sorority.

FRANCES LYON HAYS, an English and library science student from Charleston, is a past member of Wesley Foundation, Alpha Rho Tau, Student Education Association, GSC Chorus, and technical crew of *Dinny and the Witches*. Mrs. Hays is also past historian and scholarship chairman of Delta Zeta Sorority.

ROBERT MORRIS HAYS is a senior in social studies and physical education and a graduate of Calhoun County High School. He is past treasurer of the Student Government Association, as well as past acting president and vice-president. Last year he was elected treasurer of the West Virginia Federation of Collegiate Student Government.

Hays is a past member of the Student Education Association and Ohnimgohow Players, and a participant in MAA. Currently he is senior class vice-president, vice-president of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, and this year's GSC Pioneer.

MARTHA LEE HORNOR is an elementary education student from Weston. Miss Hornor is a counselor at Women's Hall and a member of the House Governing Board. She is president of the Student Education Association, member of Greek Council, membership director of Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority, and the campus Supreme Court.

SHARON LOUISE MEADE, senior speech and English student from Elizabeth, was a finalist in the 1963 Cover Girl Contest. She is a member of the Ohnimgohow Players and a recipient of the "Best Debut Award" presented by Alpha Psi Omega for her role in *Send Me No Flowers* in 1963. Mrs.

Meade also worked on the technical crew of *Romeo and Juliet*.

WILLIAM JAMES MEADE is a senior social studies and speech student from Kermit. He is vice-president of the Student Government Association, president of Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, and a member of Ohnimgohow Players and the Student Education Association. In 1963 Meade portrayed roles in *Send Me No Flowers*, *Still Life*, and *Ways and Means*.

ROBERT CRAIG MINNIEWEATHER, junior from White Sulphur Springs, is a physical education and social studies major. He is secretary of the G-Club, president of the junior class, and a member of the campus Assembly Committee. Last year he was in the cast of *Still Alarm*.

Minnieweather has played basketball for two years, and is serving as this year's team captain. Last year he received an honorable mention on the All-Conference Basketball Team and was named to the 1965 Lewis County Shrine's All-Tournament Team. **SUE CARYL MURIN** is a junior English and social studies student from Parkersburg. In 1963-64 she was a varsity cheerleader; Theta Xi Sweetheart in 1964; participant in the 1964 swimming meet, and the Mother Day Sing.

JUDITH ANN MUSGRAVE is a senior English and speech student from Parkersburg. She is past vice-president of Women's Hall and member of the House Governing Board, a member of the Student Education Association, and served as 1965 Chairman of the SEA-FTA Regional Conference.

Miss Musgrave was co-director for *Aria Da Capo*, participated in the poetry interpretation competition at the W. Va. Inter-Collegiate Drama Festival as well as an educational television broadcast from the local Clarksburg station. She is a member of Ohnimgohow Players and is pledging Alpha Psi Omega National Honorary Fraternity in College Dramatics, and Kappa Delta Pi National Honorary Education Fraternity. For the past two years she has been editor of the *Mercury*.

ALLEN KENT PYLES, senior physical education and social studies student from Brohard, is senior class treasurer, member of the rush committee and co-chairman of the social committee for Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity. For four years he has participated in MAA activities, is a member of Alpha Delta Epsilon, was a member of the *Romeo and Juliet* cast. **NANCY CAROL REED** is an

Pioneers Win Two In Hardwood Play

By BOB MARSHALL

Friday evening, Dec. 3, the Glenville State College Pioneers met the Concord Mountain Lions in an 8:00 o'clock contest at the Health Building. This was the first regularly scheduled conference game for the Pioneers, and they certainly started the conference play in a fine manner.

The first ten minutes of play saw both teams matching shots as the score stood 16-15 in favor of the Pioneers. The last ten minutes of play saw the Wave beginning to build a lead. Bob Minnieweather paced the team by shooting for a fine 13 points and thus helped the Pioneers capture their 34-30 half-time lead.

The Pioneers completely dominated play in the second half. They outscored the Mountain Lions 24-19 in the third quarter of play, and 30-18 in the final stanza. Eddie Johnston led the second half attack by making good for 14 points. Coach Byrd let every man on his bench see action as the Pioneers handed the Mountain Lions a 88-67 defeat. Bob Minnieweather led the team in scoring with 27 points. Also in double figures for the Pioneers were Gary Blake and Eddie Johnston with 18 and 16 points respectively. The Wave did an exceptionally fine job at the foul line shooting 32 out of 39 or a fine 82%. Concord shot 19 out of 27 or 70%.

Tuesday evening Dec. 7, the GSC Pioneers declared war on the West Liberty Hilltoppers. This was the second regular season conference game for the Wave, and the third conference game for the Hilltoppers.

English and speech senior from Ravenswood. She is a past member of Phi Mu Gamma Sorority and a past reporter for the *MERCURY*. Last year Miss Reed was lay-out editor of the *KANAWHA-CHEN* and is serving as editor this year.

Miss Reed was a counselor at Verona Maple Hall, participant in the prose interpretation competition at the W. Va. Inter-Collegiate Drama Festival, and played a role in *Angel Street*. She is a member of Ohnimgohow Players, is president of Verona Maple Hall, and a member of the House Governing Board.

WILLIAM RANZA SHEETS from Sandyville graduated at the end of the first term with an A. B. Degree in education with fields in social studies and business principles. He was past president of Tau Kappa Epsilon, Fraternity, member of Greek Council, Student Education Association, and a participant in intramural sports.

ELLIS ALBERT WALLENBERG is a junior speech and physical education student from Parkersburg. Wallenberg was sophomore class treasurer, is president of G-Club, member of Theta Xi Fraternity, Ohnimgohow Players, and co-recipients of the Alpha Psi-Omega 1965 "Best Director" award.

In 1963 Wallenberg received an intramural wrestling championship; he is athletic trainer for both the football and the basketball teams, and is a two year letterman in football.

BETTY JOAN WARD, senior English and social studies student from Nettie, is a member of the Student Education Association and Literary Society. She is past secretary of Alpha Sigma Alpha Sorority and a past member of the campus Activities Committee.

NANCY ANN WILSON is an elementary education student from Elizabeth. In 1963 she was Theta Xi Sweater Girl, and in 1964 Tau Kappa Epsilon Sweetheart. She is scholarship chairman for Delta Zeta Sorority, treasurer of Verona Maple Hall and member of the House Governing Board. Miss Wilson is past majorette of the GSC Band.

Games Class Raises Funds

Coach Lilly seems to have a class of students out to prove that the world might not be quite as hard and cruel as people are led to believe. The Physical Education 307 class, Games and Games leadership decided some weeks back to have a Christmas party. The party was to aid the students in learning how to plan and prepare such an event for various age groups.

While the party was in its early planning stage, it was suggested that possibly some of the money being collected for refreshments be given to the underprivileged children in the area. All the students readily agreed and the money is now rolling in. This small act on the part of a few of our students is truly representative of the caliber of students that make up our student body at Glenville.

Phi Delta Phi Has Bake Sale

Phi Delta Phi had its informal initiation Nov. 29-Dec. 3. The girls were required to carry an apron and acquire all of the signatures of the active members before Dec. 3. They also were to wear a pin to signify what organization they were pledging.

At the formal initiation, Rita Cross, Karen King, Lula Reynolds, Linda Lathey, and Janet Kellner explained the purpose of the organization to the new initiates.

Phi Delta Phi had a bake sale Dec. 10. They sold chocolate fudge, peanut butter fudge, bread, chocolate chip and peanut butter cookies, cupcakes and butterscotch candy.

games of the season by scoring 14 points and having numerous rebounds. West Liberty had two men scoring in double figures. Charles Annett was high scorer with his 20 points. Next was Wayne Wells who made good for 12. The Pioneer, Hilltoppers hard wood clash left Glenville's record at 4-1 while West Liberty's record fell to 3-3.



Impatient G-Club pledges hang around new library waiting for it to open. They are: Woody Wilson, Eddie Andrews, Dale Sheets, Gene Canale, Verl Zanders, Eddie Snodgrass, Ralph Summers, Tom Herold, Sterling Beane, Steve Seals, Bill Burbank, Bill Frost, and Phil Pitt.

(MER-photo by Dougherty)

Probation Is Announced

On the recommendation of the Committee on Classification and Credits certain changes have been made in the college's policy concerning academic probation.

1. A student who has earned fewer than fifty-eight semester hours and whose cumulative grade-point average on all work attempted is less than 2.0 to the extent of minus ten quality points is placed on probation. Before this change students were not placed on probation until they had dropped to minus twenty quality points.

2. A student who has earned fifty-eight or more semester hours and whose cumulative grade-point average is less than 2.0 is placed on probation. This provision insures that when a student reaches junior standing his cumulative grade point average is a "C" or better or else he is placed on probation.

3. A student who is on probation will have his course load limited to twelve or thirteen hours each semester. Furthermore, while on probation, a student must maintain better than a "C" average each semester so that he will be making progress toward bringing his cumulative grade-point average up to a 2.0. If he does not make such progress, he will be suspended.

This change in the policy is particularly important for the student to understand. A student whose cumulative grade-point average has fallen below a 2.0 enough so that he has been placed on probation must do better than maintain a "C" average in succeeding semesters. Maintaining only a "C" average in the semesters after a student has been placed on probation would mean that the student's quality point total would not change.

If he continued to do no better than a "C" average for each semester until graduation, he would not have brought his quality-point total up enough to be taken off probation. In short, he would not be able to graduate. Therefore this rule insures that the student will make progress toward getting off probation, since he must get off probation to graduate anyway.

4. A student returns to good academic standing when he achieves a 2.0 cumulative grade point average on all work attempted.

This new policy goes into effect on January 24, 1966, the beginning of the second semester of the current school year. This does not mean that students will be placed on probation according to the new rules for their performance during the current semester. It does mean that students' grades for the second semester of this year will be computed in June and the students will be placed on probation or not placed on probation according to their average at that time. In effect, then, students have one semester before the new rules can place them on probation.

The new policy on academic probation raises the standards of the college considerably. More important, however, is that the new rules do no more than make the student face the responsibility he must eventually face in order to graduate. It will be no longer possible for students to put off improving their averages to the 2.0 minimum necessary for graduation. They must improve in each semester after they have been placed on probation.

With the press of increased enrollment numbers this college can no longer justify keeping students in school who slide along while more qualified students are refused admission.

22 TEACH IN AREA SCHOOLS

Twenty-two GSC students are doing their student teaching this term in the Glenville area, 15 of them in high schools, in the junior high, and in elementary.

At Franklin Junior High School in Parkersburg, Harley Wells is teaching physical education and social studies. He is a native of Parkersburg, and is the only GSC student who is teaching in a junior high school this term.

Gassaway High School has four student teachers. Ruth Brightwell from Charleston is teaching business education, and Sue Wray from Apple Grove is teaching home economics. Library science and social studies are the fields of Vicky Reale, a native of Glenville, and James Rogers from Flatwoods is in physical education and social studies.

Two students teachers have been placed at Glenville High School. Shirley Davis, who is a native of Mineral Wells, is giving instructions in English and history, and Donald Dooley of Rainelle has mathematics and chemistry classes.

Mathematics and chemistry are also the fields of Connie Sue Chapman, who is teaching at Parkersburg High School. The other student teacher at PHS is Roger Smith from Burnsville. He is teaching biology and art.

Suifon High School is where John Dolan from Orlando is teaching. He has classes in both physical education and social studies.

Judith Blake and Joan Ward are at Washington Irving High School. Miss Blake, who lives in Burnsville, is teaching English and biology, and Miss Ward from Nettie has English and social studies.

At Weston High School, Ann Heater is instructing classes in business education and English. She is from Orlando. Joyce McCarty Law, a native of Jane Lew, is also at Weston teaching music, and Frank Mays from Ripley is teaching physical education and business. Sandra Mick from Walkersville is the other student teacher at Weston. Her fields are mathematics and physical education.

Only two elementary schools are involved in the teacher education program this term. They are Glenville Elementary and Vienna Elementary School.

At Glenville are Jerry Alawot from West Milford, Virginia Smith from Spencer, Betty Jean Ware from Ireland, and Nancy Wilson from Elizabeth.

Judith Cottrill of Parkersburg and Barbara Layne of Glenville are both at Vienna Elementary School.

Kappa Delta Pi Recently Started

Kappa Delta Pi, an Honor Society in Education, is presently in the organizational stages of its establishment on the campus of Glenville State College. Twelve students along with Dr. Wendell Hardway and Miss Virginia West have petitioned for a charter and are awaiting information from the national governing body of Kappa Delta Pi.

Membership in this honor fraternity is open to juniors and seniors who have a minimum of six or twelve semester hours in Professional Education and who have a "B" average.

It must be emphasized that any students who possesses the above requirements may present himself for membership at the first induction of members. Following this initial installation, students may join only through nomination by an active member of Kappa Delta Pi. Students who wish to join are urged to contact Dr. Hardway immediately for further information.



Looking for a four-leaf clover is Sharla Gladwell, one of the delegates to the National 4-H Club Congress from West Virginia. (MER-photo by Dougherty)

Sharla Gladwell Is National Delegate

By BARBARA DAVIS

Would you like to take a week's vacation from school, travel to Chicago, and see Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey, Miss America, and Miss Teenage America?

Sharla Gladwell, a GSC sophomore, did just that. She spent the week of Nov. 28-Dec. 2 in Chicago as one of West Virginia's 32 delegates to the 44th National 4-H Club Congress.

Not only did Miss Gladwell attend luncheons, lecture, and banquets, but she also heard speeches by famous guests, orchestra concerts, and well-known entertainers.

Vice President Humphrey spoke to the group and was made an honorary 4-H club member, and Jerome S. Hardy, a vice-president of Time, Inc. and publisher of Life magazine, also spoke.

Miss America, Deborah Bryant from Overland Park, Kansas, and Miss Teenage America, Colette Daiute from Paramus, New Jersey, both attended luncheons and spoke to the Congress. George L. Mehren, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, addressed the opening session, and Eddie Albert, star of the CBS-TV show, "Green Acres," welcomed the delegates at the Sunday morning worship service

at the Conrad Hilton nondenominational Central Church.

As one of 1500 delegates from the 50 states, Canada, and Puerto Rico, Miss Gladwell attended a "pop" concert by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra conducted by Arthur Fiedler. She was also entertained by the Purdue University Varsity Glee Club, featuring the Collegiate Singers, directed by Albert P. Stewart.

At one of the luncheons, the Lou Breese Orchestra and The Lively Set, a seven-member contemporary music group performed, and another time the Johnny Brewer Trio and the Four Renegades, the 1965 National Barber Shop Quartet Champions, were present. Even breakfast was a big event, for one morning the entertainment consisted of the versatile Brown Family Show from Missouri and the well-known Harmonicats.

One of the highlights for Miss Gladwell was the Flag Pageant performed by the aviation cadets of the Naval Air Basic Training Command in Pensacola, Fla. The pageant related the history of America, beginning in the fifteenth century with Amerigo Vespucci, and ending in modern times.

Many tours helped to fill Miss

Gladwell's already busy days. She toured the Chicago Museum of Natural History and the Museum of Science and Industry. Then followed a tour of the Art Institute of Chicago where American paintings and sculpture occupy 10 galleries and there is a collection of 80,000 European drawings and prints. As if this were not enough, Miss Gladwell took an optional tour of the Chicago Police Department.

The only public appearance the delegates made as a group was at the Amphitheatre Arena of the International Live Stock Exposition where they participated in the program as guests.

To be a delegate to the National 4-H Club Congress is quite an honor. Only one club member from each state may attend in any one category, so the competition is very great. A standard report form must be filled out stating all the activities and awards of the member with special emphasis upon the area in which he is interested.

Food preservation was the area in which Miss Gladwell won her trip. Her record in this field is truly amazing for she has taken nine years of canning projects and has completed three projects in food freezing. She estimates that she has canned well over 2000 jars of jams, jellies, preserves, vegetables, fruits, meats, and relishes.

She received the food preservation award in Pocahontas County for four years, and during the past summer she won a blue ribbon in the State 4-H Demonstration Contest for her demonstration on food preservation.

Food preservation is not the only field in which Miss Gladwell is interested, however, for in addition to her canning and freezing she has completed projects in clothing, cooking, room improvement, leadership, personal financial accounting, and hobbies.

An active 10-year Club member, she attended a Citizenship Short Course at the National 4-H Club Center in Washington, D. C., during June of this year. She has attended many state 4-H camps, has earned her 4-H Pin, and a few years ago, she was named the "most outstanding exhibitor" at the Pocahontas County Fair.

In 1963, Miss Gladwell was a member of the State 4-H Centennial Pageant, "A Leaf Unfurled," which was given at Jacksons Mill.

From Buckeye, Miss Gladwell is a sophomore secondary education major with fields in English and speech. She is a guard in Delta Zeta Sorority and secretary of the Glenville Collegiate 4-H Club. She is also spiritual-life chairman of the Glenville Wesley Foundation, a counselor in Women's Hall, and a member of SEA.



Staff stages seasonal siege on Santa who suffers shell shock. Sitting on Santa's lap is editor-in-chief, Judith Musgrave. Standing are Harold Dougherty, Sherel Lawson, Dennis Myers, Barbara Davis, and Bob Marshall. (MER-photo by Harman)