

Sixteen Straight Tourney Wins

## Forensics' Streak Is Extended

The Glenville State College forensics team, under the direction of Katherine J. Leisering of the speech department, kept its sixteen straight tournament winning streak alive this past weekend by finishing two of just five entries at the first annual Eagle Invitational Tournament at Morehead State University, Morehead, Ky. The team, led by Brenda Henthorn and Barbara Stemple, scored thirty-nine sweepstakes points on only five entries to beat such schools as Western Kentucky University, Marshall University, Eastern Kentucky, and Morehead State University.

Brenda Henthorn in her first tournament since her recent transfer from Lorain County Community College in Elyria, Ohio, placed first in After Dinner Speaking and sixth in drama duo with Barbara Stemple in a chilling cutting from Maxwell Anderson's 'The Bad Seed.' Ms. Henthorn and Ms. Stemple have now qualified for the National finals in those categories.

Narrowly missing a finals position in Oral Interpretation of Prose and Poetry were Glenville's remaining tournament entries, Mark Hickman and Tina Crump. Between them,

Mr. Hickman and Ms. Crump in their very first tournament added ten sweepstakes points to Glenville's total and placed first or second on 8 of their 12 ballots.

The next tournament for Glenville will be the Mid-East Invitational at Parkersburg Community College, November 7-9, where the following people will compete: Brenda Henthorn, Mark Hickman, Tina Crump, Barb Stemple, Dorothy Wright, Judy Ditlow, Art Wilt, Delbert Conley, Jim Anderson, Mary Lou Farnsworth, and Brenda Miller.



Pictured above are Forensics Team members: Tina Crump, Mark Hickman, Barbara Stemple, and Brenda Henthorn.

## trick or treat tonight ? ?

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## Mary Prather to Sing Her Senior Recital

An interesting and varied program will be presented in the auditorium next Thursday evening, Nov. 6th. Mary Prather, pupil of Dr. Raymond Jones, will sing her Senior Recital program. Miss Prather's program will include two operatic arias by Verdi, from *Otello* and *La Traviata*. A work from the late Baroque is by Pergolesi, and the lieder selection is a group of three songs by Schubert on text's by Sir Walter Scott. By far the most demanding of the program selections is a contemporary work by Samuel Barber, "Knoxville: Summer of 1915". This is a musical setting written to a poetic-prose piece by James Agee.

Mr. Paul Dworak of the music faculty will accompany Miss Prather's recital next Thursday evening at 8:00 p.m. in the auditorium. Everyone is welcome.



Who's Who recipients pictured are: seated, Cayla Hess, Barb Stemple, Ann Hamric, Cindy Bennett, Pam Lipscomb, and Jeanie White. Standing are Gordon Allen, Joe Mills, Patti Sparks, Janet Cunningham, Bill Riffle, Denise Shiflet, Randy Hess, Ken Wilson, Steve Nichols, Dev Yeman, Dorothy Wright, Susan Martin, Vicky Romano, Sherry Helvy, Sue Schurick, Robin Kennedy, Becky Potasnik, and Latonya Caldwell.

## FHAers Visit GSC Nov. 1

Saturday, November 1, the Western Regional Chapters of FHA (Future Homemakers of America) and HERO (Home Economics Related Occupations) will hold their regional meeting in the GSC auditorium. Twenty-seven chapters of FHA and HERO will attend, with Mrs. Lavaugh Bouch, Home Economics teacher at Gilmer County High School, presiding as Western Regional Advisor.

The theme for the meeting will be "Celebrate," playing up the Bicentennial. The meeting will open with an official welcome by Dr. D. Banks Wilburn, President of GSC. Mr. Charles Hopkins, Executive Vice President of the W.Va. Retailer's Association, will be guest speaker at the meeting. (cont. on p. 4)

## Job Opportunities:

The Placement Office has received applications for Summer Camp jobs from the Association of Private Camps.

Attention December Graduates! Several positions are available for social studies teaching jobs at Richwood High School, a home economics position for Petersburg High School, and an Early Childhood position in Grant county.

INTERVIEWS ARE FREE: The Placement Office is located in the Pioneer Center.

Rish Equipment Company will be interviewing on campus November 14 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. If interested contact the Placement Office prior to November 14.

The Kanawha County School System will be interviewing on campus November 13 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. If interested contact the Placement Office prior to November 13.

## Sadie Hawkins Day Is Almost Here ! !

You can tell when it's coming, the leaves on the trees turn colors and a crisp odor of autumn seems to hang in the air, and every eligible bachelor is running for his life because SADIE HAWKINS DAY IS ALMOST HERE. November 15 is the day that the GSC campus will follow all the Theta Xi's to the 4-H grounds where the activities will begin at 12:30 p.m.

This year's Mayor of Dogpatch, Paul Jackson, the president of Theta

Xi Fraternity, will kick off the activities which consist of fun times such as: sack race, tug-of-war, turnip eating contest, piggy-back races, log toss, hollering contest (to determine who has the best set of lungs on campus), three legged races, tobacco spitting contest for accuracy and distance, wheelbarrow races, throw-a-pie-at-a-Theta-Xi, and the apple bobbing championships of the Eastern United States.

All of the aforementioned activ-

ities are complete with prizes for the winners and a weeping towel for those who don't win. Now if all these activities aren't enough there will be a dance in the Ballroom featuring Haird Traveling Band. Admission will be one penny per pound of body weight (or \$1.50 for those of you who possess a "more corulent anatomy").

Lil' Abner and Daisy Mae will be chosen by popular vote in the (cont. on p. 2)

## Deadline? Halloween!

A scheme is afoot in Calhoun County to extend the spirit of Halloween this year.

Seneca Books, Inc., of Grantsville has been in a race against the clock to deliver its newest title to bookstores in time for Halloween but, in the unpredictable manner of ghosts, spooks, witches and other eerie creatures, the logistics are uncertain. Therefore, perhaps to bolster its own spirits, the publishers announced to anyone who cared to listen that this year Halloween would go on and on, bolstered by the persistence of the printed page.

All this fuss about Halloween was inspired by the newest title published by Seneca Books—Witches, Ghosts, and Signs: Folklore of the Southern Appalachians, by the renowned folklorist, Patrick W. Gainer.

The author is founder of the Glenville Folk Festival, and is Professor Emeritus of English at West Virginia University.

The book consists largely of ghost stories and tales of witchcraft, gathered by the author over a period of fifty years. Additionally, there are sections dealing with the speech of the mountaineers; traditional activities and customs of the old days; folk cures; nature lore and rules of planting by the signs; and superstitions.

The material in *Witches, Ghosts and Signs* was gathered in many parts of West Virginia. Among the ghost stories are such tales as "The Ghost of the Peddler on Third Run," "The Headless Horseman of Powell Mountain," "The Poltergeist of Petersburg" and "The Dog Ghost of Peach Tree."

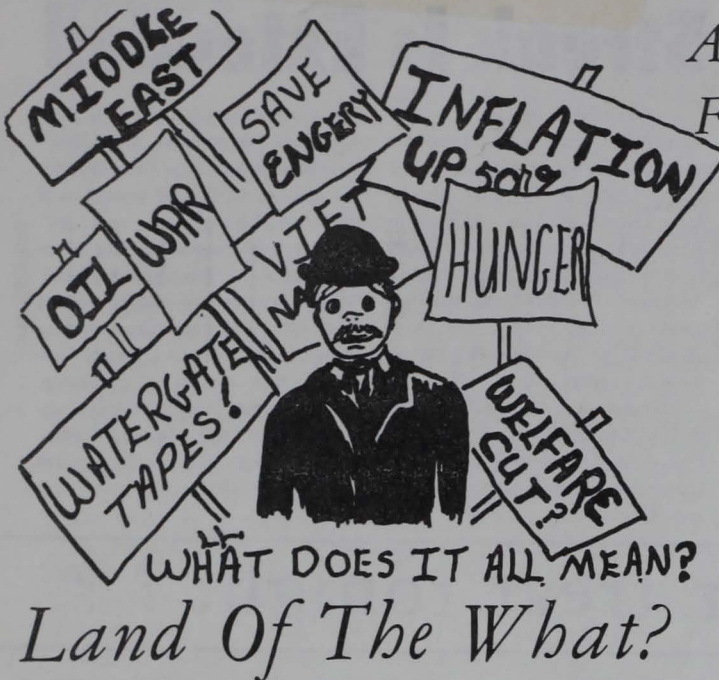
Among the tales of witchcraft are "The Witch of Booger Hole," "The Witch of Buck Run," and "The Witch of Wood County."

The book, consisting of 192 pages, available through bookstores or from the publisher. It is priced at \$7.95. Its official publication date, naturally, is October 31st.



Sadie Hawkins: A day of fun, games, and axle grease.





America continues to be the land of many freedoms, opportunities and choices. Throughout its history, traditional values of the "old world" and east Asia have faded in the U.S. This has allowed Americans to expand the energy of seemingly endless grain fields and natural resources to fit new ideas and needs.

But, of course, all is not well with the land or its people. A sharp upward economic trend after the Great Depression, through following decades, and consistent military victories in the past have created for the citizens a surplus of ideals as well as materials. However, this surplus has equated arrogance, softness, and complacency.

This decadence has been realized by many American people quite startlingly with the recent near collapse of American foreign policy in Asia (primarily the defeat of arms as well as purpose in Vietnam) along with the expose of vast inner-corruption of the government concerning the affairs of Watergate, the F.B.I. and the C.I.A. The nation of the "American Way" has evolved in recent decades into a corporate-welfare state of new paranoias, conflicting values, and a wastefulness never witnessed before in the history of humankind. This unnecessary consumption has become evident in the repression/oil crisis we have just endured.

Yet, there is some light. The "innocent," anti-propoganda, form of propoganda most Americans have been taught did not stop the eventual nation-wide protest of the Vietnam War, or demand of action in the Watergate incident. Sincerity was not always the case in these outcries of the American people, but the overview reveals that the freedoms still exist in a high degree, relative to other nations. With a tighter belt, opportunities still exist, and we must strive to continue to make the right choices, while correcting the iniquities as they occur.

Donnie Cuppett  
Co-Editor

## A Word From T. Montrose

Dear Mr. Wilburn,

Sorry I haven't written sooner, but would like to say how much I appreciate the award you are giving in my son's honor.

Your letter didn't reach me in time to attend, as I am making my home now with one of my daughters.

My intentions are to be there next year, and am sorry that I was not present this year. My congratulations to "Bob" and "Tom".

Thank you very much for always thinking of me.

Always,

Mrs. Teresa Montrose

The following letter was written to President Wilburn, from Mrs. Teresa Montrose, the mother of Frank Montrose, in whose honor the annual award is given.

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## Annual Fete Held For Area Alumni

The Washington, D.C. Alumni Association held their Alumni Dinner Saturday, Oct. 25th. Eighty-four area alumni attended the dinner, which was held at the Holiday Inn of Tyson's Corner. Attending from this area were: Dr. and Mrs. Delmer Somerville, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Langford, Mr. and Mrs. James Meads, Dr. and Mrs. Byron Turner, and President and Mrs. D. Banks Wilburn. At the informal dinner, President Wilburn brought greetings to the group from GSC and told them of the school's latest activities. Mrs. James Meads also spoke to the guests about the plans and objectives of the Alumni organization. A slide program was also shown, featuring scenes from homecoming and around campus. At the conclusion of the dinner, it was decided to begin a Washington, D.C. Alumni Scholarship Fund. The recipient of this award will be chosen by the campus Scholarship Committee and must be a resident of Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, or Washington, D.C.

Saturday, Nov. 8 is the date set for the Ohio area get together for GSC alumni and friends. The social hour and dinner will be held at Tangier Restaurant and Cabaret in Akron, Ohio. Those attending from this area are Miss Pearl Pickens, GSC's first Dean of Women; Miss Clarissa Williams, a former Phys. Ed. & Health instructor from 1947 to 1964; Miss Bertha Olsen, a past member of the GSC Music Dept.; President and Mrs. D. Banks Wilburn, Dr. and Mrs. Byron Turner, Mr. and Mrs. James Meads, and Alumni Assoc. President, Herbert Shimer.

## Inter-Varsity To Attend Fellowship Conference

Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship will hold its Fall Conference at Ev-UnBreth Acres Methodist Church Camp the weekend of November 14.

Robb Huff, an Inter-Varsity staff member from Morgantown, attended last week's Christian Fellowship meeting and extended an invitation to the conference. "God's View of Training" is the theme of this year's meeting. Application blanks are available from Jim Kelly.

The cost of the weekend is \$19 which includes housing, a snack on Friday, three meals Saturday, and two meals Sunday.

Mr. Don Fields, an Inter-Varsity staff member since 1963, will be the speaker. Topics for discussion will include "A Biblical Basis for Training", "Growing Up Into Christ", and "Where is Your Heart?"

### SADIE HAWKINS DAY

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Student Union. Nominations are 25 cents and votes are a penny apiece. The couple with the most votes at noon on November 12 will have the honor of being Dogpatch royalty for a year. A running tally of votes will be kept in the Student Union.

Sadie Hawkins Day was originally brought to the GSC campus in November of 1947 when the Kappa Sigma Fraternity (now Theta Xi) sponsored the activity to stimulate student interest on campus. This activity has been a fun-filled tradition for some twenty-eight years.



Pictured above are Theta Xi pledges Fred Copley, Steven Fisher and Sam Sommerville. Absent from the picture is Jan Gooding.

## Theta Xi Fraternity Featured

Plans for Sadie Hawkins Day are the number one thoughts in the minds of the brothers of Theta Xi. If you would like to nominate a Lil' Abner and Daisy Mae, it will cost you 25 cents and 1 cent a vote. Wednesday, November 12th at a noon will be the last chance to vote.

The Sadie Hawkins House Party will be held November 14th. Bring your own refreshments and dates.

A Christmas party for underprivileged children is being planned by the brothers. This will be held at the house. Places and bands are now being discussed for Closed Ball.

Big Brother Day will be held after the last home game, November 8th. Games, food and other refreshments will be furnished at the House before and after the game.

Theta Xi's finished third in intramural softball and are looking forward to the stiff competition in volleyball.

Jerry Zaferatos was estatic upon being presented the Academic Tro-

### DELTA ZETA

Theta Xi Chapter of Delta Zeta held an informal meeting on Tuesday, October 28.

Thursday evening a Halloween Party was held at the House including relay races, skits, and prizes.

All sisters should remember pictures for the yearbook are to be taken Monday, Nov. 3 at 5:00 at the House. Wear your shirts.

Some of the sisters would like to extend a special thanks to all those friends contributing to their recent field trips. It is hoped that someday their kindness can be repaid.

### TEKE

The fraters of Iota Omega chapter Tau Kappa Epsilon would like to congratulate the newly weds, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drainer.

Plans are being made for the upcoming Concord game. Chances are available from any pledge for the game ball. The fraters are also planning to sell buttons before the game.

Awards to be given this week include those to the Porter Power for their numerous contributions to the fraternity. Terry Rollins received the Load Award and Westy Westbrook, the No Hope Award. The House kept the B.H.O.S.A. which Karl Kebler received.

phy for the first half of the semester for his great achievement in passing a Dr. Dollgener test for the first time in two years. A.J. Rogers was equally overcome when he was presented the S.L.O.T.H. Award for the first half of the semester due to his enthusiastic endeavors to get out of everything.

Upon his return from his recent Forestry Trip, Ron Moxley could only utter the words, "Payback is a ..."

### TRI-SIGMA

The sisters of Sigma Sigma Sigma held Secret Sis week for Halloween and the mystery sisters were revealed last night at the Halloween Party. The Chili Dinner was a great success and the chapter would like to thank all those who bought tickets.

The sisters will be selling polywogs next month for \$1 a box.

The sisters would like to thank the pledges for their entertainment provided during Monday night's meeting. Also, congratulations on the good job they are doing in their moneymaking projects.

### LAMBDA CHI

At the Monday night meeting, the Brothers of Beta Beta Zeta discussed some new ideas for the betterment of the fraternity. We would like to congratulate associate member Vance Weekly for his outstanding job with the \$100 bill raffle, which brought the fraternity \$276.

Tonight the brothers are going to Weston State Hospital to have a Halloween Party for the children in the adolescent ward. Refreshments and entertainment will be provided by the fraternity along with some Halloween goodies.

As the next money making project the brothers will be sponsoring an arm wrestling tournament. The tournament will be broken down into three weight classes, light, middle, and heavy. The rules will be posted at a later date and the registration will be in the lobby of the Student Union.

The brothers held elections for the Lambda Chi Alpha Crescent girl. The winner was Janette "Jet" Vickers from Fayetteville, WV. She has served two consecutive years as president of the Ladies of the White Rose and has aided the fraternity in many of its projects.





GATOR!!!!!!!!!!!!

## On The Bench

by John Lilly

The Pioneer football team cannot quite get things going for them this year. It seems, at least to this sports writer, that when the Pioneer defensive unit is playing a good heads-up ball game, the G-Men's offensive unit starts clicking, the defensive unit falls apart.

A good example of this is last Saturday's game between West Liberty and Glenville. The Pioneer defense had trouble stopping the Hilltoppers in the first half, but the G-Men's offensive unit stayed right with W. L. In the second half, the G-Men could not move the ball on the offensive, but the Pioneer defense held West Liberty scoreless until late in the fourth quarter when they scored their game-winning touchdown.

### Unequal Divisions?

It seems the WVIAC has a weak and a strong division in the football standings this year. In comparing last week's games, all Northern Division teams beat their Southern Division opponents.

Glenville, unfortunately, is in the Southern Division. But the good thing of the matter is the Pioneers still have a shot at the Conference championship even though their record is only 2-4-1.

In 1973, the Pioneers finished the regular season with a 9-0 record, but did not win the Conference championship because they were beaten by Fairmont, who ironically was in the same position as we are this year.

It would not surprise me one bit if the winner of the Southern Division did not beat the undefeated Salem Tigers in the Shrine Bowl this year.

### Mr. Soothsayer

Boy, did Mr. "Sooth" take a bad hit last weekend!!

It seems that everybody wants to get into the act trying to predict these Saturday gridiron contests.



Punter Bob Casto gets off one of his seven punts against the West Liberty Hilltoppers. Casto averaged 36.4 yards a punt in the game.

## Hilltoppers March To Win

The Glenville Pioneers lost another heartbreaker last Saturday afternoon when they were beaten by the West Liberty Hilltoppers 24-17 in a see-saw type scoring battle.

After receiving the opening kickoff, the Hilltoppers marched 72 yards in 13 plays to put them on the scoreboard. Terry Edwards, W.L.'s all-purpose running back, scored the TD on a 4-yard run. Dave Peluchette booted the conversion point.

The Pioneers bounced back when quarterback Chris Andersen guided the G-Men 65 yards in five plays for a TD. Halfback Don Brady scored the touchdown on a 15 yard run. Bob Casto tied the score at 7-7 when he kicked the PAT.

The G-Men came right back, after holding the Hilltoppers for a series of downs, to score their second TD in the first period. Andersen hit split end Bob Shaffer on a 38 yard pass for the six points. Casto again kicked the point after making the score 14-7.

On the ensuing kickoff, the Hilltoppers marched deep into Pioneer territory but were stopped by the Glenville defense. W.L. had to settle for a 31 yard field goal.

West Liberty, after stopping the Pioneer offense with 10 minutes left in the half, marched the length of the field to score the go ahead touchdown. Edwards again accounted for the score when he caught a 9 yard pass from Joe Pepe. Peluchette added the extra point.

Glenville tied the score up with one second left in the first half when Casto kicked a 32 yard field goal. It was set up on a pass interception by Rick Reidl.

In the second half, neither team threatened to score until West Liberty's Vic Woods returned a punt 33 yards to the Pioneer 25 yard line. That set up the winning touchdown by Edwards, his third of the game.

The Hilltoppers led in statistics. They had 22 first downs to the Pioneers' 11, W.L. had 265 rushing while Glenville had 63. But the G-Men threw for 194 yards compared to the Hilltoppers' 97.

The Pioneers play their last away game of the season when they travel to Institute tomorrow to take on WV State.

## Volleyball Team Loses At WVU

The Glenville Pioneer women's volleyball team came in last place last Friday night in a quadrangular meet held in the West Virginia University Colliseum in Morgantown.

The Concord Mt. Lions clawed their way to first place while the Marshall Thundering Herd, the WVU Mountaineers, and the Glenville Pioneers followed.

The Pioneers did not win any matches, but they did win one game from Concord and one from West Virginia. They lost six games.

The Pioneers' next match will be on Nov. 6 when they travel to Salem.

On Saturday, Nov. 8, the Glen-State College basketball team will play the GSC alumni at 8:00 p.m. in the college gymnasium.

If you don't have anything to do that night, come up and watch them.



Glenville's Don Brady breaks loose for some yardage against the Hilltoppers. Brady scored the first Pioneer TD on a 15 yard run.

## Pioneer Statistics

Rushing			Receiving		
No.	Yds.	Avg.	No. Caught	Yds.	
Brady	118	315	2.7	Shaffer	26 443
Hodges	43	157	3.6	Chandler	18 245
Cowan	38	138	3.7	Campbell	10 84
Lemley	24	84	3.5	Hodges	8 97
Miller	6	21	3.5	Brady	3 44
Phillips	7	14	2.0	Lemley	2 5
Passing			Interceptions		
Comp.	Att.	Yds.	No.	Yds. Ret.	
Andersen	34	54	536	Fruit	2 9
Cowan	34	70	386	Donatell	1 45
Smith	4	7	71	Reidl	1 23
Individual Scoring			Kickoff Returns		
TD	Pts.		No.	Yds.	Avg.
Casto	7-8 PAT, 3-9 FG	17	Guy	6 123	20.5
Chandler	2	12	Hodges	7 139	19.8
Brady	2	12	Brady	10 174	17.4
Shaffer	2	12			
Cowan	1	6	Punting		
Campbell	1	6	No.	Yds.	avg.
Lemley	1	6	Casto	47 1530	32.6
Smith	Safety	2			

## WVC Standings

Northern Division		Won	Lost	Rating	Overall
Salem		3	0	110.0	8-0
Fairmont		2	1	73.3	6-3
Shepherd		2	1	70.0	7-2
West Liberty		1	2	33.3	2-3-2
WV Wesleyan		0	4	0.0	3-5
Southern Division		Won	Lost	Rating	Overall
Concord		3	0	110.0	4-4
Glenville		2	0	110.0	2-4-1
WV s State		1	2	36.7	2-5-1
WV Tech		1	3	27.5	1-7
Bluefield		1	3	27.5	1-7

## Cheerleader Tryouts, Practices Are Scheduled

Cheerleading elections for two cheerleader alternates will be held on November 19, 1975. The first practice for prospective cheerleaders will be November 10 at 6:30 in the Mat Room, Gymnasium.

Qualifications for cheerleaders are:

- a) Must be a full-time student at the time of the election.
- b) Must have and maintain a

scholastic average of 2.0.

c) Must be carrying at least 12 hours a semester.

d) Must not be a first semester Freshman.

All students who are interested in trying out and qualify are asked to submit their names to Joe Mills, Student Congress President prior to tryouts.



Almost, but not quite, for Glenville's Bob Shaffer.





Dr. Everett G. Beckman

## Beckman Conducts Study For Title III

Dr. Everett G. Beckman was employed as of Monday, October 20, 1975, for the period ending June 30, 1976, under Title III, Program for Developing Institutions of Higher Education, for the purpose of making a study of existing administrative structure as it now functions at GSC. The objective of Dr. Beckman's study will be to make recommendations for changes and improvement in the structure including assignment and reassignment of duties and responsibilities.

Dr. Beckman will be conferring with administrative officers, division chairmen, members of the faculty, and students from time to time as he goes about his work.

Dr. Beckman has had his most recent experience in higher education with Wesley College, Owosso, Michigan, and the Minnesota Higher Education Coordinating Commission. He is a native West Virginian with his home county being Preston. He holds an A.B. Degree from Bridgewater College; M.A. Degree from West Virginia University, and the Ph.D. Degree from the University of Pittsburgh.

## Applications Are Made Available

Applications are now available for the West Virginia Scholarship Program at public and parochial high schools throughout the state for students who seek assistance for their college educational expenses in the 1976-77 academic year.

John Thralls, Director of Student Services for the Regents, said it is important students keep in mind the deadline is March 1, 1976 for submitting applications. The deadline also applies to students currently being assisted by the program who must reapply for the next academic year.

"There were approximately 1,100 qualified applicants for the scholarships for the 1975-76 academic year who could not be assisted because funds were depleted before their applications were received," Thralls said.

He said current appropriations total approximately \$1,800,000 for scholarships from the state of West Virginia and the State Student Incentive Grant Program of the U.S. Office of Education. This amount will be distributed among approximately 3,600 students in scholarships which will range from \$100 up to a maximum of \$1,243 per academic year, Thralls said.

"The scholarship program was initiated in 1968 by the Legislature and approved by the Governor to enable needy students to further their education. Data tabulated by the Board of Regents show that 9,250 West Virginians have received assistance of \$3,319,348 since 1968," Thralls said.

The impact of the scholarship program was significantly broadened in 1974-75 when 3,646 students received assistance. During that period, the program received a Legislative appropriation of \$1,500,000 and a first-year grant of \$144,348 from the federal incentive program for a total of \$1,644,348. This compares to \$500,000 allotted to the program in the previous year.

Thralls said the monetary awards are granted, within the limits of available funds, to qualified undergraduate students who show need, for financial assistance to attend public and private colleges and universities in West Virginia. Award amounts may not exceed tuition and

fees at the West Virginia public or private college or university of the student's choice. The scholarship awards are sent directly to the institution in the name of the student.

To be eligible, a student must be a citizen of the United States; have been a resident of the State of West Virginia for one year immediately preceding the date of application for a scholarship or for a scholarship renewal; require financial assistance to pursue a college education; be a person of good moral character; have academic promise as well as academic achievement and enroll as a student in an approved West Virginia college or university of his or her choice.

Robert E. Long, a member of the Regents' staff and coordinator of the scholarship program, said additional information on the West Virginia Scholarship Program is available from high school counselors, college and university financial aid offices or by writing directly to the West Virginia Scholarship Program, West Virginia Board of Regents, Institute, West Virginia 25112.

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The business meeting will be held at 1:30 in the afternoon, after a guided tour of the GSC campus. Reports will be given in the afternoon meeting by the different chapters, with a Bicentennial style show also being given.

One of the main points of the afternoon discussion will be whether to reorganize FHA & HERO into one group, or to leave them as separate organizations.

Any person who has had one semester of Home Ec. is eligible to join FHA or HERO. Anyone interested in doing so, contact Mrs. Adkins in the Home Ec. dept., located on the first floor of the Science building.

The Music Department will be holding this semesters' Senior Recitals in the Auditorium at 8:00 p.m. on the following dates : November 6-Mary Prather (Soprano); November 9-Sherry Home (Flute) and Rick Hickman (Percussion); Nov. 13, Jane Harry (Alto) and David Harry (Trombone); Nov. 16- Catherine McWhorter (Piano). Everyone on campus is invited.



A GSC cook is shown preparing for the students' next meal.

## Inside GSC's Food Service

by Laura Mueller

"Well, you can't be 700 mothers. No way," exclaims Mr. Wayne G. Harkins in response to comments he has overheard about cafeteria food. It's a wonder GSC's Food Service Director has time to be one father with the responsibility the service entails.

For starters, he keeps the huge storeroom stocked with all the supplies that go into producing each of the menus. This is no simple task since everything he buys must be approved by the State Purchasing Department. Various companies vie for bids to supply certain items and the department decides which price they will accept. Because food prices continue to climb, meat bids are presented every 60 days and vegetables and frozen foods every 90 days. Orders must be planned at least two weeks in advance due to the roundabout procedures.

In addition to this responsibility, Mr. Harkins hires the staff, works with the chef in planning and supplying menus, determines serving figures by studying daily records kept on the number served, and in general, keeps over 600 students fed.

Mr. Harkins hails from Cherry Tree, Pa., a small mining town 40 miles north of Pittsburgh. After his stint in the service, he began his food service career in the kitchen of a drive-in/restaurant while attending the University of Kentucky in Louisville. From there he worked for the Veterans' Canteen Services and moved into retailing from there. After working as a salesman for Swift's in Cleveland, he decided to leave retailing and go back into food service. He worked at various Pennsylvania colleges until 1963, when he moved to West Virginia to work at Davis & Elkins for eight years. He has been at GSC for four years, commuting from Elkins for three of them. Last year the Harkins family moved to Glenville.

One of the director's biggest concerns is rising food prices. For instance, in just two months, his meat prices have increased 20 percent. Contrary to popular opinion, the cafeteria receives no appropriations from the State. It runs entirely on board costs received from the students. This situation necessitated the lay-offs of twelve staff members earlier this year.

However, Mr. Harkins is doing his best not to let such factors influence student satisfactions. He solicits comments and suggestions for improving the menus and service. The Buffet held every two weeks "breaks the monotony" he says and "everyone gets all he can eat" although it "hurts us". The food service also took the burden for the 14 and 19-meal plans instituted this year. Previously, all students were required to buy 21 meals regardless of whether or not they ate here on weekends. Mr. Harkins feels students should not have to pay for food they don't eat, although this certainly has cut the operating budget. Of the boarding students, 57% chose the 14-meal plan and 43% chose the 19-meal plan this semester.

The director and his staff not only feed GSC students, they also plan and produce an average of four banquets per month for campus and community businesses, clubs and organizations. They are kept very busy in June during the folk festival.

Assisting Mr. Harkins with purchasing, delivery and other essentials as he learns the ropes is Jim Pritt, a junior Business Administration-Management major. Jim hopes to minor in food service management.

Chef Leroy Walters, who worked with Mr. Harkins at Davis & Elkins, is the master behind the evening meal, and he usually cooks for banquets. For breakfast and lunch, Chef Whiteman Sandy employs his culinary skills.

Irene Riffle supervises the entire dining floor and the student help. She takes care of all banquet arrangements outside of the food.


Twenty-two more full-time staff members keep the food lines moving. Cooks include Goldie Carpenter, Bess Garrett and Maxine Mathis. The salad department head is Evelyn Jarvis. Working on the serving line are Madge Hickman and Erma Sangford who are usually in charge of desserts. Others on the line include Blanche Frymier, Madge Townsend, Dorothy Walters, Gladys Wilson and Sylvia Osborne, who is also found in the dishroom. Other dishroom workers are Geraldine Taylor, Vi Moss, Leona Ball and Richard Linger. Richard often serves as cashier, along with Helen McHenry and Shannon Bailey. Included in general utility are Alice Murphy, Mike Sandy and Phyllis Marks.

Workshop students manning the dishroom and serving lines during meal periods are: Marilyn Armstrong, Terry Boone, Pat Boyles, Norris Estep, Kenny Fisher, Paul Harkins, Bob Hinchman, John Okwudike, Sirous Pazhouhanden, Cathy Posey, Dave Ramsey, Eugene Richards, Steve Ross, Wayne Sanders, Kay Slaughter, and Becky Steidl. Of these, Terry Boone, Paul Harkins and Becky Steidl are Food Service Management majors.

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