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Lisa Huffman



Nila Golden

Contest Scheduled

The 1982 Baby Beautiful Contest sponsored by this semester's Delta Zeta pledges, Shelly Morris, Karen Scott, Carolyn Hannaman, will be held on November 1, 2, and 3, from 11-2 p.m. The voting will be a penny-a-vote, and the money will go to the Delta Zeta Sorority. Contestants participating this year are as follows: Lisa Huffman, sponsored by Sigma Sigma Sigma; Nila Golden, sponsored by Delta Zetas; Eddie Mazzella, sponsored by the TKEs; and Leisa Samples, sponsored by Order of Diana.

The first baby is Lisa Huffman. Lisa, a sophomore business major, is from Belleville, W.V. and a Sigma Sigma Sigma pledge. Her sponsor is the Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority.

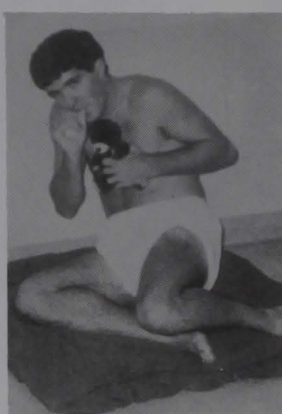
Next on the baby list is Nila Golden. Nila, a sophomore art major, is from Charmco, W.Va. and a member of the Delta Zeta Sorority. Her sponsor is the Delta Zeta Sorority. The third baby is Eddie Mazzella. Eddie, a sophomore physical education major, is from Uppergrade, W.Va., and is a TKE pledge. He is sponsored by the TKEs.

And last but not least, the fourth baby is Leisa Samples. Leisa, a freshman who has an undecided major, is from Corton, and is a pledge to the Order of Diana. Her sponsor is the Order of Diana.

Student Congress Sponsors Forum

A Student Forum will be held Thursday, October 28 at 12:30 in the Vandalia Room. The Forum, sponsored by Student Congress, is being held in hopes of dealing with problems related to student life.

Students are urged to attend and voice complaints dealing with student life, such as the cafeteria, student-teacher relations, and absence policies. Also suggestions for future Homecomings, GSC Week, and Miss GSC are appropriate for the meeting.



Eddie Mazzella



Leisa Samples

Deadline Extended

Mack K. Samples, Dean of Records and Admissions, has announced that the date to drop a class has been extended from Wednesday, Oct. 27, until Wednesday, Nov. 3, 1982. This extension will give students ample time to drop a course if their mid-term grade indicates that they are failing the course. Students who drop a course before the deadline will be assured of a "W" in the class, regardless of the grade they received at mid-

term. Drop slips should be secured and approved by the student's advisor and then brought to the Registers Office. It is the sole responsibility of the student to make sure that the drop process has been completed.

The drop date has been extended for one week because mid-term grades were late getting mailed. No drops will be approved after November 3, 1982 except for medical reasons.

Glamour Girl Competition Slated

Glamour's Top Ten College Women Competition 1983 is set to begin. National recognition is given for the top ten winners and their colleges in the August College Issue of *Glamour* and in media throughout the country.

A panel of *Glamour* editors will select ten outstanding young women on the basis of their solid achievement in academic studies and/or for achievements in personal, campus or community activities. Requirements for the contest are: fill out an entry form and send it to the *Glamour* Magazine office in New York; each candidate should write a 500 to 700 word essay

describing the most meaningful and stimulating achievements of her college career; and a photograph of the applicant should also be submitted.

Any woman enrolled in courses leading to an undergraduate degree is eligible to enter, provided her application is approved and signed by the appropriate members of her school's faculty and administration.

All material must be postmarked no later than December 1, 1983. Be sure to meet the deadline as there will be no extension.

For added information and entry blanks, see Mrs. King or any member of the Mercury staff.

Financial Aid Forms Delayed

The 1983-84 Financial Aid Form (FAF) will not be delivered according to the traditional calendar. The delayed distribution of the 1983-84 FAF is a consequence of continuing federal indecision about the structure, requirements, and operation of Multiple Data Entry (MDE) in the upcoming processing year, according to Rick Simon, GSC Financial Aid Administrator, who was informed

by the College Scholarship Service (CSS). However, the CSS and the College Board are working hard to speed up this delay and to have the FAF delivered in time so that students can receive their aid. The CSS and the College Board informed Rick Simon that the FAF should be delivered to the schools and available to the students if possible no later than mid-January 1983.

Mid-Term Grades Sent Home

Mid-semester grades are being sent out to all students in their courses for the first time at Glenville State College. Dean of Academic Affairs Lowell Peterson has stated that this new practice is being started to eliminate the workload on the instructors and secretaries, who must distribute and ar-

range the D and F slips.

This new process will give students a chance to see where they stand in each of their classes.

Grade report sheets will be sent to each student's permanent address. These will probably be mailed on Tuesday or Wednesday of this week.

John Waldeck won the 8-ball Tournament played the 19th and 29th of October in the

games room of the Pioneer Center. John played best out of five matches. His prize was a Pool Cue.

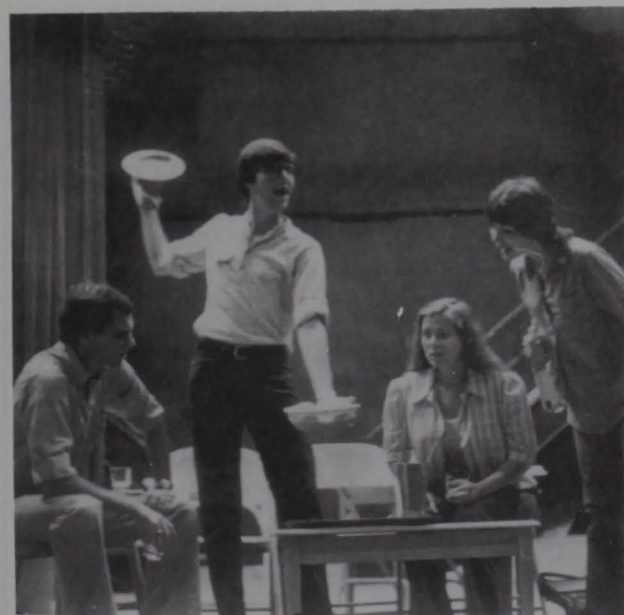
Tickets Go On Sale

Mike Dotson, a native of Parkersburg, is now portraying the character Paul in *BAREFOOT IN THE PARK*. Mike was chosen to replace Kent Woofert as a result of Kent's illness.

BAREFOOT IN THE PARK, GSC's first theatre production this season, will be produced November 11, 12 and 13. The play, a three-act comedy by Neil Simon, revolves around a

newly-wed couple in New York. Other cast members include Lou Davidson, Raelen McMillion, Joe Stephens, Bill Anderson and Danny Bayer.

Tickets for the show may be purchased in front of the auditorium or in front of the cafeteria during the week of November fourth. Prices are one dollar per student and three dollars for all others.



Victor Velasco (Danny Bayer) serves dinner to the cast of "Barefoot in the Park."



Tuesday, November 2, 1982 will dawn with the opening of the Election Polls throughout the United States. The American people will on this day elect approximately 33 senators and 435 delegates along with several state and local government officials. How can you, a student of Glenville State College, contribute to the making of this new government? By taking a few minutes on November 2 to cast your ballot at the polls.

The right to elect a new government is a privilege only democratic governments can provide. As a part of a democracy, each student should utilize the opportunity to vote. Even though you may feel your ballot plays no significance in the overall election results, think again! Your vote can decide whether an official is re-elected to an office or departs from the political path.

The freedom to choose and select government officials is granted by the United States Constitution.

In order to make this right work for the American public, one must use it to its fullest potential. Vote this Tuesday and partake in the selection of a political system which will decide the future of the United States.

Betty Wells
Editor

From The Wesley Foundation

The Coffee House for October 28 will feature James Gay Jones. The program entitled "Stories of Halloween" will feature West Virginia ghost stories. Dr. Jones is a noted writer and historian.

The Community Help Project still needs volunteers. The work can be done on weekends or after noons during the week. Stop by and see Julian Sulgit for futher information.

The Evening Worship Service will be held on Sunday evenings at 8:30 pm. Please pass the word that the weekly Worship Service has started meeting again.

Letter To The Editor

I am an Inmate here at the Clinton Correctional Facility at Dannemora, New York. I am writing to you with the hope that you will publish my letter; I do not receive much mail and a pen pal correspondence would sure brighten my days in this dismal environment. I am not in here for a serious crime, nor do I have much time left to do.

A little about myself: I graduated college in 1980 finishing of dean's list standing, computer engineering being my major. I also attended school in West Virginia for a short period of time. I enjoy music, participation in sports, swimming and roller skating.

I am single, 28 yrs. old, 5'8," brown eyes, dark brown hair, 170 lbs, and I am of Italian descent.

Thank you very much for your time.

Sincerely yours,
John Privitera, 81-A-4231
Box B
Dannemora, New York 12929

Organizational News

As of October 18 the Greek News Column has been changed to Organizational News. The change was done in order for all organizations to submit news. Organizations should submit their news by 12:00 each Monday or before.

Phi Beta Lambda

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be this Thursday, the 28th, at 4:00 in room 101 A.B. We will have a guest speaker so we urge all members to please attend.

10 members and 3 advisors went to the Regional Leadership Conference in Virginia Beach. We feel that through the workshops we learned many ideas that will benefit our organization.

Ladies of the White Rose

The Ladies of the White Rose would like to invite everyone to a Halloween Dance, October 28, 7:30 - 10:30 in the ballroom.

There will be kegs of refreshments, as well as soft drinks and munchies. Admission is \$1.50 in costume, and \$2.00 without costume.

There will be a prize of \$10 for the best overall costume, and a prize of a six pack of your choice for 1st and 2nd runner up.

Music will be provided by L.S.D. Hope to see you there. Happy Halloween!

Programming Committee

The Programming Committee, a committee that discusses and considers activities to make the student body more interested and involved in the Pioneer Center, met and decided upon officers. Janine Howley was voted in as Chairman and Brian Payne was voted in as Co-Chairman.

The next meeting of the Committee is planned for Wednesday, October 27 at 4 pm in the Verona Maple room. A discussion will be held concerning a time to meet on a regular basis.

Physical Education Club

The Physical Education Majors Club met Monday, October 11 at the gym. A four man volleyball tournament will be sponsored soon. The entry fee will be \$4.00 a team. Watch for signs of this upcoming event.

Also discussed at the meeting was recruiting new members, designing uniforms for P.E. Majors and sponsoring a dance.

Any P.E. major wishing to join the club, please contact Coach Hunt or attend the next meeting. Yearly dues are \$3.00.

There will be a Literary Society meeting on Thursday, October 28 at 6:30 p.m. in the Vandalia Room.

Lambda Chi Alpha

The Brothers of the Beta Beta Chapter of Lambda Chi Alpha held their regular weekly meeting Sunday in the Library.

The brothers would like to thank the following groups of people who helped make our haunted house this past week a great success, they are: the make-up crew; the Ladies of the White Rose; and all people who attended.

The brothers are reminded of this week's activities: Halloween Party at Old Folks Home, Wed. from 7:00 - 8:30; Ladies' Halloween Party Thur. 7:30 in the Ballroom.

The brothers would like to extend a formal hearty welcome to our five associate members for this semester. They are, along with their big brothers: Ronald Eugene Carpenter, his big Bro is Mike Phillips; Mark Steven Phillips, his big bro is Sheldon Sturm; Michael Shane Simpson, big bro is Keith Enoch; Thomas Andrew Weaks, big bro is Steve Ware; and last but not least Richard Craig Worl, and his big bro is Larry Ross; and again a big hearty welcome.

Awards: KCUF - Haunted House Crew; WINO - 48 hr. party; A-H - "Coy," Honorary - Carder - C.V.; POW - "Mr. P.," "Stow," "Franz."

Sigma Sigma Sigma

The Tri-Sigma Sorority held a regular grub meeting in the Sigma Lounge October 25.

All sisters working with the TMR Center students are reminded to meet Mary Flaherty on Sigma floor at 2 pm Wed. The Tri-Sigas will also be selling popcorn balls Wednesday night at the Film Festival in the Ballroom.

We would also like to wish Lisa Huffman the best of luck in the Baby Beautiful Contest.

Good luck to the GSC Pioneers in the upcoming game with Fairmont.

Delta Zeta

The Delta Zeta Sorority held a formal meeting October 18. Regular business was discussed.

In remembrance of our founders of Delta Zeta, the sorority held a Founders Day Dinner and Ceremony at the House October 21.

The sorority is having a Halloween Party at the Wagon Wheel October 30 from 9-2. Sisters and their special guests are invited. Costume required.

Clean Room award went to Mary Grose. Pig Pen went to Helen Davis, Donita Cox, Becky Beall and Nila Golden. Study Turtle went to Nila Golden.

Good luck to the Pioneers Saturday against Fairmont.

Order of Diana

The Order of Diana would like to thank all the TKEs for attending the Little Brother party held on October 21. A good time was had by all and now there is a special memory that will last forever. Thanks guys! We would also like to congratulate all the new pledges both TKE and OD, for lasting through the week.

Student Education Association

On October 19th the SNEA held a meeting in Clark Hall with Cindy Stewart presiding.

Tentative plans for a bake sale were made. Dena Darby will be finalizing the plans and contacting people to make something for the sale.

The SNEA Fall Workshop was held October 16th at Jackson's Mill. Elections were held for delegates to the State and National Conventions. Those attending the Conference were Cindy Stewart, Keith Enoch, and Vicky Gaston.

A membership drive has been planned by the PR Committee and some signs have been posted. Anyone interested in the SNEA (Student National Education Association) is welcome to come to our next meeting. Look for the signs as to where and when.

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keenan's korner

If anyone has wandered into the gym in the evenings lately in hopes of getting involved in a good pick-up game of hoops, he's probably been disappointed. This is a good sign that basketball season is near.

Yes, the fall sports are still "in" across the state, but not for long. While the football players, cross country runners and volleyball players are winding down their respective seasons, the GSC men's and women's roundball teams are hard in preparation for the upcoming 1982-83 season, which is closer than some people think.

As a matter of fact, Coach Jesse Lilly's men's squad will see some action this Sunday in an exhibition game in the GSC gym. The opponent will be a little bit different from what the Pioneers are used to seeing, though.

The Pioneers will go up against a team from the Republic of China this Sunday. Although just an exhibition, the game should offer the fans a different look at the game of basketball. Also, it will give the GSC guys someone to play against besides themselves.

The men will begin their season in less than a month, and the women will begin about two weeks after that, so you should get used to the sound of a bouncing basketball - you'll be hearing it soon enough.

Steve Keenan



The 1982-83 GSC men's basketball team is as follows: Front row, L-R; Steve Linville, Scott Ludwig, Steve Morris, Randy Anderson, Deon Lanier, Bob Bolen and Rich Moore. Second row, L-R; Tim Moore, Mgr., Asst. Coach Gary Nottingham, Clay Young, Trent King, Kenny Taylor, Gerald Perrin, Kenny Osborne, Mgr., Head Coach Jesse Lilly. Not pictured is Jeff Propps, statistician.

Wesleyan Drops GSC Gridders

The West Virginia Wesleyan Bobcats scored 31 points in the final three quarters of play to overcome an early, 7-0 Glenville lead and record a 31-7 victory in a West Virginia Conference battle Saturday. After GSC's Byron Brooks dashed 81 yards to paydirt for the opening score, the game was all Wesleyan.

The 'Cats, who scored 12 points in the second period, six in the third, and 13 in the fourth, accumulated 428 total yards against the Pioneer defense, which was the stingiest in the WVC going into the game.

While the Bobcat offense was racking up the yardage, their defense was holding GSC to 176 total offensive yards and five first downs. Brooks, a sophomore who was fourth in the NAIA rushing stats heading into the contest, was a big part of GSC's entire offensive effort. He gained 135 yards and scored a touchdown in 23 carries.

The Pioneer defense was on the field for a big part

of the game. Terry Kendall again led the defense's effort. He totaled 16 tackles (4 tackles and 12 assists.) Rod Abrams added six tackles, nine assists, a quarterback sack and a blocked pass.

Also for Glenville, Mike Payne was in on 12 tackles and blocked a pass; Mark Hash and Bernie Bertus were in on 11 stops apiece; Andy Marchal had ten stops; Fred Parsons had a quarterback sack; John Atkins recovered a fumble; and Scott Taylor blocked a pass.

For GSC, now 3-4-1 overall and 2-3-1 in the WVC, the road ahead is tough. But, as Coach Frank Vincent acknowledged, "They're all tough!" The Pioneers must defeat their final two opponents, Fairmont State and Concord College, to finish with a winning record.

This Saturday, Oct. 30, at 7:30 p.m., the Pioneers will play Fairmont in the final home game at Pioneer Stadium for 1982. Come on out and support the Pioneers in their bid to upset Fairmont.

If you intend to hunt on Glenville State College property (out of the city limits), it will be necessary for you to get written permission from a campus policeman. Unauthorized hunters will be considered trespassers and will be prosecuted.

B & B HEADS STANDINGS

The standings after the fifth week of play for the Wednesday Night Student League are: first, B & B, 36-4; tied for second, the Terrific Trio and the Johnston Jaugars, 22-18; third, Tonkins' Tokers, 20-20; fourth, Funny Farm, 12-28; and fifth, the Steamrollers, 8-32.

The top three high games for the men were: Anthony Cochran, 179; Lavern Tonkin 176; and Bill Weigel 162. The top three high games for the women were: Andrea Clifton 132; Susan Johnston 129; and Crystal Loudin 109.

High team series this week goes to the Terrific Trio with 496. High team series with handicap goes to B&B with 658.

Pioneer Keglers Participate In Mountaineer Invitational

The Glenville State College bowling team recently competed in the Mountaineer Classic at Morgantown. The Pioneers had both an "A" and a "B" team in the 17-team match.

The Pioneer "A" team, consisting of Jeff Stanley, Dan Braud, John Waldeck, Ron Carpenter and Anthony Cochran, finished ninth in team event and 13th overall. Braud dropped 1611 pins, an average of 179, to lead GSC. Stanley dropped

1579 pins (175 average), Waldeck dropped 1445 pins (160 average), Carpenter dropped 1419 pins (157 average), and Cochran dropped 1390 pins (154 average).

Glenville's "B" team wound up 17th in team event and overall standings. The "B" team was as follows: Earle Belle, Roddie Brown, Wes Johnson, Jim Weathersbee and Larry Skidmore.

Brown's average of 158 paced the "B" team. Belle recorded a 155 average,

Johnson 151, Weathersbee 135, and Skidmore 121.

The Pioneers will bowl in their next tournament, the Pepsi-Holiday Lane Intercollegiate Tournament, on Nov. 6-7 in Weirton.

The coach of the team, Gary Kight, remarked about the team's future schedule, "If things work out, we may be bowling part of our conference matches on the GSC lanes for the first time. If so, it will give the students a good opportunity to see us in competition."

Chinese Tilt Set

The GSC Pioneer men's hoop team will play the Republic of China in a special exhibition basketball game this weekend. The game, originally scheduled for Monday, Nov. 1, has been changed to Sunday, Oct. 31.

Game time is 7 p.m. in the GSC gym.

The team from the Republic of China is on a tour of the United States, with seven West Virginia Conference schools on the agenda first.

Glenville is the third WVC school that the Chinese team will face. They will play West Virginia Tech and Bluefield State before GSC and West Virginia Wesleyan, Salem, Fairmont State and Davis and Elkins afterwards.

Some major college foes for the Chinese on their tour are George Washington

University, Evansville University, Indiana State and Xavier University.

Ten players, including five returning lettermen, will perform for coaches Jesse Lilly and Gary Nottingham against the Chinese squad.

Seniors Randy Anderson and Scott Ludwig, captains for the 1982-83 team, junior Clay Young, and sophomores Rich Moore and Bob Bolen return from the 1981-82 season.

Newcomers are Steve Morris, Deon Lanier, Steve Linville, Trent King and Kenny Taylor. Another freshman, Gerald Perrin, may be eligible to play in the second semester.

Due to the special nature of this game, no passes, student I.D.'s, etc. will be honored. An admission of \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for students will be charged.

GSC Players Are Among Statistical Leaders

In statistics released last week by the West Virginia Conference, Glenville State College has several leaders in individual and team statistics.

Before last week's game with West Virginia Wesleyan, the Pioneers were fifth in the team standings with a 2-2-1 conference slate.

Also in team totals, the Pioneer defense was allowing the least yardage of all teams.

Individually, Byron Brooks, Steve Williams, Mark Hash and Terry Kendall were the GSC players among the WVC leaders.

Brooks continued as the league's rushing leader with 1,006 yards in seven games, a 143.7 yards per game average. Williams, GSC's leading pass receiver, was on top of the punting standings. He kicked 51

times for 1979 yards, a 38.4 average through seven games. Hash was tops in interceptions with seven. Kendall was 11th overall defensive efficiency.

Rosters for men's intramural team swimming should be turned in to Gary Nottingham by 3 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 29.

Team competition will be held on three or four separate nights. A team should consist of no more than 12 persons, with each individual being allowed to perform in as many as three individual events and two relay events. A team can enter no more than three persons in each event.

Sprains Topic of Clinic

With all of the hills and steps, to climb at Glenville, there are many students who are the victims of joint or muscle strains. This week the Kyle Clinic has provided us with some information on those strains.

Here are some general facts about sprains. Ice, not heat, is the only treatment for sprains. If you have a joint sprain and sudden swelling occurs you have a severe injury. Swelling of the affected joint will result in pain, and elevation will decrease the pain. Also, immediate care during the first 48 hours is the most important aspect of recovery.

Regardless of how major or minor, you should do the following for your sprains. Apply ice for 20 minutes every 2 hours (ice should be "crushed" and placed in a plastic bag.) The ice should be applied with an elastic "ace" bandage as tight as possible. Also, the injured part should be elevated above the level of the heart. Aspirin will also aid in the relieving of a sprain. There should be no weight bearing for lower extremity injuries or routine use of upper extremity injuries if painful for the first 48 hours. According to the Kyle Clinic the ICE principle is the hallmark of successful therapy. It is as follows:

Ice

Compression of ice to the affected region 20 minutes at a time.

Elevation of injured part.

You should call or see a doctor if you have any of the following symptoms:

If you are unable to use the affected joint after ice treatment for 12 hours, you should see a doctor. If you have a severe pain and it is not relieved by Aspirin despite ice treatment, you should see a doctor. Also, at the time of the original injury, if the affected part is greatly deformed or if the affected joint remains swollen 12 hours after ice treatment, you should see a doctor. Fractures, unless deformed or protruding through the skin, should be treated with the ICE treatment.

If you need to see a doctor, appointments can be made at the Kyle Clinic which is located on Mineral Road.

Foosball Tourney Slated Oct. 27-28

There will be a Foosball Tournament the 27th and 28th of October in the game room of the Pioneer Center at 6 pm. This will be a double-elimination tournament. The winner will be based on who wins the best out of three matches. One match is equal to five games. There will be a \$1.50 entry fee.

The winners of this tournament will be eligible to participate in an all-expense-paid ACU-I (Association of College Unions International) Regional Recreation Tournament to be held at West Virginia University on February 18 and 19. This event is being sponsored by the Pioneer Center.



Who Is That Apparition?

Many tales have been passed down through the years concerning Glenville's 'campus ghost.' One tale involved a co-ed who, after having gone for a walk in the night, while the wind whistled and the leaves rustled, was set upon by an unknown assailant armed with a shiny, deadly knife. After being stabbed repeatedly she crawled from the spot where she was attacked to her room. Her roommate, thinking that her scratching at the door was only a practical joke did not answer the door. In the morning as light streamed through the window covering the hideous night, her roommate opened her door to find her friend lying lifeless in her own blood.

Another tale involves a co-ed student of Verona Mapel Hall. This student, having difficulties at home, spent the Thanksgiving holidays in the hall entirely by herself. One dark and damp morning while taking a shower an intruder crept onto the floor and silently into the shower-room where she was taking a shower. The intruder quickly pulled back the shower curtain and while her back was still turned the intruder placed a leather belt around her neck and strangled her until her sobbing screams could no longer be heard. The shower was left dripping and the girl hung lifeless on the shower rod by the leather belt. Discreetly, the intruder left, never to be known.

Still, another tale was: Late one evening a co-ed student was returning to her dormitory from a friend's house. She started up the hill towards her dorm innocently, not knowing what was to happen before this dreadful night was over. Lurking in the bushes was a dark figure waiting for her to come closer. Just as she passed him, he leaped out behind her. She began walking faster, glancing over her shoulder, only seeing the bright gleam of a knife reflected from a far-off street-light. The figure made a sudden lunge for her, causing her to roll onto the moist grass. No sooner did she rise to her knees than he was upon her stabbing incessantly. She struggled trying to crawl up the slippery rain soaked earth only to slide down closer to her murderer, as the figure stabbed her to death. Police found her body the next day soaked in blood and stabbed an estimated seventy-two times.

Each and every tale seems to have one thing in common: a ghost which haunts Glenville State College's campus. Not much research is available on the campus ghost. However, many think that the ghost haunting our campus is the ghost of Lou "Sis" Linn. According to the book, *Appalachian Ghost Stories and Other Tales*, by Dr. James Gay Jones, there was a Lou "Sis" Linn. She was not a student but she did own a boarding house located where the old Verona Mapel Hall stood, now the parking lot in front of the P.E. building. So the story goes, Lou "Sis" Linn supposedly was murdered by an unknown assailant in the fall of 1918. Thus, her ghost haunts GSC's campus passing through Clark Hall and to the adjoining cemetery to this day.

So, if you see the fleeting figure of a woman late one dark night, it might not be your imagination tricking your eyes; it might be the ghost of Lou "Sis" Linn.

By Pat Lewis, Jackie Mullens, Jim Weidemoyer

Suggestion Box

Erected In Cafeteria

The fate of the pizza line at dinner has been decided upon by the Food Committee at their last meeting. The pizza will continue to be served in combination with regular supper on the same side of the cafeteria. This will be a change from Spring 1982 semester where both sides of the cafeteria were used for the two different types of food.

Better salads were also discussed. What could be done to improve them. What can be done to improve on the freshness of the salads was discussed by the Food Committee.

The Food Committee is a joint effort on the part of the students and staff to meet every other week in order to discuss problems in the cafeteria system and to offer suggestions for the remedy of these problems.

A suggestion is to be placed at the cashier's desk so that those not in or not able to be on the Food Committee will be able to give helpful suggestions. NOTE: this is to be a suggestion box if you have a complaint, leave a suggestion for the change or improvement of the situation.

The next meeting is to be on the 27th and 28th of October at 6 p.m. in the Vandalia Room. The subject to be discussed will be the formation of menus.

Juvenile Workshop Featured Ms. Lusk

The Juvenile workshop, sponsored by the Division of Resource and Development, under the direction of Dr. Irvin Talbott, was a success. The workshop was held on Wednesday, October 26 and featured Neva Lusk, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Kanawha County.

Ms. Lusk was rated excellent on a survey given after the workshop. Twenty-three participants representing all areas of the state and all areas of interest such as magistrate, school attendance workers, social workers, and policemen attended.

This program was started under the Title I Program (Federal Funds) which has been subsequently phased out. It is now totally self-sufficient, operating on fees paid by the participants in the workshops. The series will resume again in early spring with new topics.

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The Public Speaks Out

The historical aura of the 111th Anniversary Celebration stirred up some memories of days gone by in my own life when I was a student at GSC in '69.

The biggest issues of the day were cafeteria food and parking space. (They still are.)

In those days male students were driving their Hondas to WVU to bring back tales of eyeing the bouncing boobs of braless girls because the fad hadn't caught on yet at GSC. (It still hasn't.)

Female students whispered lusty tales of daring to kiss black men on campus never to be satisfied by white lips again and suffered alienation. (They still do.)

The only hippie on campus, Ollie, tried his darndest to introduce the drug culture to GSC's "good ole' boys" (and girls), but never quite succeeded.

I remember a nice fall day when Ollie set up his booth to protest the Viet Nam War and the "good ole' boys" who had just got back from fighting that war "politely" convinced Ollie to close up his booth and go home.

In retrospect, I think what a shame it is that Ollie and "the good ole' boys" didn't sit down at the bargaining table and negotiate - Ollie surrendering his drugs in exchange for love of country and "the good ole' boys" surrendering their guns for Ollie's philosophy of peace and brotherhood.

It seems that Glenville has always managed to protect itself from the labor pains that strike the rest of the nation, but I wonder if in the process we have denied ourselves the new birth that that kind of pain always brings.

Maintaining the status quo may make our jobs easier, but it seems to me we have some catching up to do.

Angela Boram
Student, GSC

P.S. I'm proud to be a Pioneer from Glenville, a place where even squares can have a ball!

Christmas Festivities Set

The Glenville Business Organization, along with Glenville State College, is planning a weekend of activities for Gilmer Countians to enjoy the spirit of Christmas. "Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas" is the theme for the December 3-4 weekend of activities to take place. A number of events are in the planning stages for Friday evening, Saturday morning and afternoon, and capping off the weekend with a Christmas dance that the Department of Welfare sponsors.

One of the bigger events for everyone to enjoy is the Christmas parade slated for 11 a.m., December 4 in Glenville. "We are awaiting confirmation from six bands," said Mrs. Nasia Butcher, chairwoman of the Steering Committee and the parade. "At this point, it's a matter of transportation arrangements and approval from the school boards. It's sure to be a festive parade with six bands."

"Floats are very important for parades, of course, and we are looking for support from College organizations as well as all communities. This parade is for Gilmer and county representation is important. I have already been in contact with

individuals in various communities for organizing their community for a float entry. We would like to have as many bands and floats as we possibly can," said Mrs. Butcher.

Mrs. Butcher hinted that she had been in contact with the North Pole in trying to get Santa Clause to ride in the parade. "Mrs. Clause said that Santa and his workers were already preparing for Christmas, but would definitely see that Santa makes it to the Gilmer County parade."

Anyone interested in submitting a float or marching unit in the parade should contact Mrs. Butcher at 462-7361, ext. 123.

Members of the Steering Committee for "Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas" weekend are Mrs. Nasia Butcher, chairwoman; Mrs. Jessie Minnich, secretary; Mr. Jerry McPherson, treasurer; representing Glenville State College are Ms. Diane Bach, Associate Dean of Student Affairs; Ms. Annetta Haddox, Student Congress President; and Julian Sulgit, Wesley Foundation; Mr. Earl Nicholson, Department of Welfare; Mrs. Janet Coffman, Spirit of Fashion; Mrs. Eva Stout, Stout's Hardware; and Phil Rastle, The Towne Bookstore.

Like a B-Movie Horror Film you see the door standing open as you start apprehensively toward the corridor. You reach the doorway and glance up - AHHHH!! Roaches, all over the place. But there is no place to turn because - you don't want to lose your place in the GSC Pizza Shop line.

This terrifying experience happened to me, and it really did wonders for my appetite. The food, once I found my way out, was good enough as long as I could keep my mind off the terrible sight in the doorway. Then, just as my nausea was abating and my hunger increasing, along comes Mr. Drahnak with a napkin to crush these pests, and away went the little appetite that I had left.

I don't know how you feel about this scene, but it is true, and it happened to me. One of the cafeteria workers said that the work going on in the Pioneer Center caused vibrations which drove the roaches out of the walls not to mention the floors and ceiling, so Mr. Drahnak "smushed" them, as the worker put it. All this while I was eating, or trying to eat, my lunch.

The work in the building will be done soon, but the roaches will hide away in the darker places, waiting for another chance.

David Spurlock

III STARTLING FACTS . . . THIRD INSTALLMENT

51. It was finished in 1943.
52. More than \$130,000 was spent to build the Science Hall.
53. The Health and Physical Education Building was dedicated February 28, 1952.
54. Kanawha Hall was the first dormitory built.
55. It was a women's dorm in 1926 and held fifty students.
56. Verona Maple Hall was built in 1926 and housed the men.
57. From 1916 - 29 the President of the College lived in Kanawha Hall.
58. Firestone Lodge, a male living quarters, was constructed in 1930.
59. It was named in honor of George Firestone, faithful custodian of the Administration Building.
60. The Executive Committee had control of the school affairs until the year 1909 - 10.

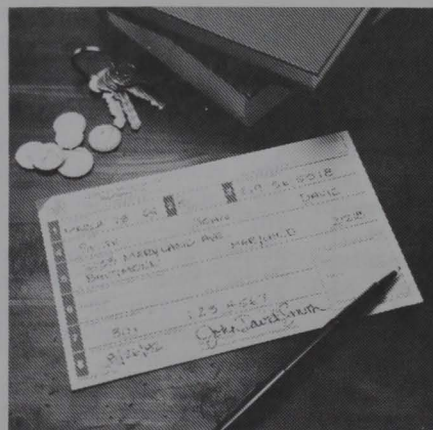
PBL Journeys To Beach

Ten members and three advisors attended the PBL Regional Leadership Conference in Virginia Beach on October 21, 22 and 23. The members attending were Jeff Borah, Joann Freshour, Lisa Pleasant, Kevin Russ, Mike Bowe, Janie Pollitt, Lois Miller, Stacy Scott, Helen Davis and Tom Davisson. Advisors attending were Rolanna Coberly, Marty Gaines and Jim Hinder.

During the three day conference, these members attended many workshops concerning such topics as appearance, motivation, jobs and job interviews, membership recruiting, planning, parliamentary procedure, and communication skills. These workshops were designed with the purpose of installing better overall leadership in PBL members.

The members who attended the conference plan to relay the experiences of the conference to the other members of PBL in hopes that they can also learn more about business leadership.

One of the easiest parts of becoming 18.



If you're about to turn 18, it's time to register with Selective Service. Registration doesn't mean you're going to be drafted. It doesn't mean you have to give up any rights to deferments. Registration just gives Selective Service a list of names our country can draw from if there's ever a national emergency.

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form and fill it out. Then hand it to the postal clerk. That's all there is to it. It only takes five minutes.

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SUMMER'S PHARMACY
PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST
8-8 PM

Reporters Poll Campus: Tylenol, Would You Take It?

Question: Have you taken extra-strength Tylenol capsules? Would you take them again?

Tammy Stalnaker, Freshman student at GSC, - "No, I would be too scared."

Jill Burkhammer, Junior at GSC, - "No, I wouldn't want to take any chances."

Kevin Wall, Freshman at GSC, - "Yes, the instance happened in Chicago and since it hasn't happened in W. Va., I'd take them."

Geraldine Taylor, Cafeteria worker at GSC, - "No, I would be afraid to."

Cathy White, Freshman at GSC, - "No, it might be one of the capsules not taken off the shelves."

Cathy Stout, Junior at GSC, - "No, I'm too young to die."

Todd Hall, Freshman and a band member of GSC, "Yes, if I had a

BAD headache!"

Beth Carpenter, Junior and cheerleader at GSC, "Yes, if the cap was sealed."

Scott Ludwig, Senior and member of the basketball team, - "No, because there is a chance of it being poisonous."

Carrie Crandall, Freshman at GSC, - "Yes, I did the other day."

Walt Marria, "Yes, I have taken them and will take them again."

Mark Martin, "Yes, I have taken them but would not take them now."

Tim Brown, "No, I haven't taken them and won't take them now."

Oakie Myers, "Yes, I have taken them but would not take them now."

Steve Wright, "Yes, I have taken them and will take them again."

Sheldon Sturm, "No, I haven't taken them

but I would."

Jimmy Clark, "No, I haven't taken them and wouldn't take them."

Angela Boram, "Yes, I have taken them and would take them again."

Eric Chico, "No, I haven't taken them but would do so."

J.B. Miller, "No, I haven't taken them and I don't plan to."

Pat Stump, "Yes, I have taken them, but won't at the present."

Eddie Mazzella, "Yes, I have taken them, but I'm not sure that I would ever do it again."

Jim Kirby, "Yes, I have taken them, but won't anymore."

Betty Luzader, secretary, "Yes, I have taken them, but won't anymore."

Bob Stump, "No, I haven't taken them and won't, especially now."

Linda Wine, "Yes I have taken them but

won't again for years."

Jean Drake, "No, I haven't taken them but would."

Beth Bragg, "Yes, I have taken them but never again."

Marc Montgomery, "No, it would have to be all cleared up before I would take another bottle."

Ron Lane, "Possibly depending on whether they got everything taken care of or not."

Calvin Coleman, "Yes, and wouldn't worry about it."

Earl Clark, "No, there are certain things in life you don't gamble with and one of them is your life."

Dave Gatrell, "Yes, odds are I won't get one of the contaminated bottles."

Greg Lambert, "No, I don't think it is worth the risk."

Brett Stover, "No, I would worry about it

killing me."

Scott Taylor, "Not until they prove the bottles are absolutely safe."

Gordie Delaat, "No, I just wouldn't use it."

Byron Brooks, "No, I don't want to be a statistic."

Sam Unger, "Yes, because I feel it's a good medicine."

Nancy Hines, "No, not capsules. Wouldn't want to take a chance."

Robin Foreman, "No, I can't swallow them."

Leisa Samples, "No, because in this area I'd be the first."

Judy Young, "No, because they'll kill you."

Brenda Roberts, "No, never took it anyway."

James Frame, "Yes, doesn't scare me."

Vicki Kerrigan, "No, I'm scared."

Andrea Durnberger, "Yes, I'm not afraid, simply a madman."

Brooks Volunteers Service To Veterans

Veteran students are reminded that John Brooks, senior English major, is available to discuss problems related to the Veterans Administration. Brooks is the veterans' work-study student assisting Dean Samples and Pat Stump with veterans' educational allowance and related affairs at Glenville State College.

Brooks served twenty-three years - enlisted and officer - in the Marine Corps and has considerable counseling experience.

All veterans are encouraged to see Brooks, in room 306, Administration Building 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Monday - Wednesday - Friday. Brooks states, "Topics are not limited to veterans' education and entitlement. There are times when it is worthwhile to discuss past experiences, swap stories, etc., as veterans look back while planning ahead."

There will be a meeting of the house crew for **BAREFOOT IN THE PARK** on Thursday, Oct. 28, at 12:15 in the Underground. All crew members should try to attend, as the meeting is extremely important.

December graduates should order caps and gowns before they leave. They may be ordered at the Public Relations Office. Make all checks payable to Glenville State College. No refunds will be made except in extreme cases.

Brandon Patrick Leggett - October 17, 1982. To your parents, you bring a world full of tomorrows, rich in yesterdays.... Pamela & Patrick Leggett.

Local merchants are sponsoring a Christmas parade slated for December 4th to usher Santa Claus into town. They are looking for organizations to sponsor floats and the theme of the parade will be "Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas." For further information contact Nasia Butcher, Director Public Relations.

There will be a Yearbook meeting on Wednesday, October 27 at 6:30 pm in the MERCURY Office.

Glenville Gals Take PCC In Football

On Saturday, October 16, 1982, a group of women from Glenville State College competed with a team from Parkersburg Community College in powder puff football. The Glenville women emerged from the game victorious by a score of 14-10. Competing for the GSC team were LouAnn Pettit, Judy Niday, Melissa Simpson, Cindy Vance, Susie Ballengee, Ranay Hibbs, Beth White, Donna Sutherland, Cathy Stout and Donita Cox.

Offensive player of the game for GSC was the quarterback, Donita Cox, who gained 114 yards on the ground and passed for 101 yards. Defensive players of the game were Cathy Stout and Melissa Simpson who made five and three quarterback sacks respectively.

The GSC team was sponsored by the GSC Panhellenic Council.

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