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Professor Elected to Office

Dr. Barbara W. Tedford was elected vice-president of the West Virginia Association of College English Teachers at its recent meeting at Jackson's Mill. She served as treasurer for the past year.

Dr. Philip Bordiant, of WVU, will be the new president; and Dr. Warren Wooden, of Marshall U., will be treasurer.

Dr. Tedford first became a member of WVACET in 1960, when she was an instructor in the English department at Davis and Elkins College. She served as secretary in 1964, the year of special Shakespeare birthday celebrations, and again in 1979.

Associate Professor of

English at GSC since 1975, Dr. Tedford has presented three papers before the group at Jackson's Mill: "The Satiric Banquet in the Works of Thomas Love Peacock," "Flannery O'Connor and the Social Classes," and an analysis of a film made by Dr. Chris Orr, "The Landscape of Tartarus: A Reading of 'Sisyphus Was a Good Old Boy.'"

Glenville State College faculty have always been very active in WVACET. English professor Espy Miller, William Simmons, and Chris Orr have served terms as president. Attending this fall's meeting were professors Virginia West, Wayne de Rosset, Chris Orr, and Barbara W. Tedford.

"Roots" Class Offered

A "Roots" class designed to help persons trace their family history will be offered through the Glenville State College Office of Continuing Education. The class will meet from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 11, in Room 107, Science Hall, and from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturday, November 13. Instruction will be provided by Dr. Bruce Flack, Professor of History, who has taught "Roots" classes several times during the past five years.

On Thursday, Dr. Flack will introduce participants to techniques of genealogical research useful in tracing one's family

history. The Saturday meeting will consist of a field trip to the West Virginia Archives in Charleston allowing the utilization of both West Virginia and Virginia sources.

Persons wishing to participate should contact the Office of Continuing Education at 462-7361, Ext. 120. Enrollment is limited; persons who have not pre-enrolled will be accepted the first night of class only on a space available basis. The college reserves the right to cancel the class in case of insufficient enrollment. A fee is charged for participation.

The Pioneer Center has a Button machine that it will rent out to clubs, organizations, groups and individuals for a small fee (% of profits).

Forum Discussed

The Student Congress of GSC held a 'Student Forum' on October 28, at 12:30 in the Verona Mapel Room. The Forum was for students to come voice their complaints and opinions about campus related topics to the Student Congress. However, the turnout at the forum was surprisingly low.

One problem discussed was the 'apathy' on campus. Also, the intramural program was discussed. Ideas were tossed around for some solution to the 'apathy' or lack of interest on campus. To pull the school closer together, possibly the R.A.'s can get the floors competing and becoming interested in GSC, making it a campus-wide project. One solution to the intramural program was to have the Physical Education Majors Club get involved and to choose student committees to help plan the intramural program. Other topics brought up were the so-called 'Quiet Hours' of GSC and the health-care at GSC.

Chapter Plans Meeting

The Glenville State College Student Chapter of the Council for Exceptional Children will hold its first meeting of the semester on Tuesday, November 9, from 4:00 until 6:00 in Clark Hall, Room 101. The topic for the meeting will be: "Everything you wanted to know about teaching, but were afraid to ask!" Several teachers from nearby schools will participate in a forum and will share their experiences in setting up classrooms during the first year, discussing what to expect during the first two years of teaching, and telling about what to do when the unexpected happens. All students and faculty are invited to attend, share their experiences, and ask questions. For further information, contact Dr. Clifford Young, ext. 300.



Mrs. Banks (Raeleen McMillion) discusses getting a job with Corie Bratter (Lou Davidson).

Cast Readies Performance

Newly weds. New York in February. Eccentric neighbors. Albanian cuisine. Mix these ingredients with a late party and too much alcohol. The product is going to be disaster. This is exactly what happens in the Neil Simon three-act play BAREFOOT IN THE PARK. BAREFOOT is the first play of the GSC 1982-83 Theatre season. Performances are scheduled for 8:00 in the Auditorium, November 11, 12, and 13.

BAREFOOT IN THE PARK is one of Neil Simon's early Broadway successes along with THE ODD COUPLE. The play is a zany comedy about a young New York married couple consumed with passion. They bounce from the passion of romance to the passion of illogical argument. Mike Dotson, a freshman English Major from Parkersburg, and Lou Davidson, a senior English and Oral Communications Major from Williamstown, play Paul and Corie Bratter, the newlyweds. The role of Paul was created on Broadway and in the Hollywood film by Robert Redford. Corie was originated on Broadway by Elizabeth Ashby and on film by Jane Fonda.

Corie's mother, Mrs. Banks (Ethel to her friends) comes to life on the GSC stage in the able body of Raeleen McMillion, a senior English major from Summersville. Mrs. Banks wakes up in the third act on the thick rugs of Victor Velasco's attic apartment. Velasco, the eccentric neighbor, lives frenetically through the

physic and physiognomy of Danny Bayer, a senior education major from Parkersburg.

The cast is rounded out beautifully by the cameo performances of Joe Stephens, a sophomore English Major from Parkersburg, and Bill Anderson, a junior from Summersville. Stephens plays Harry Pepper, a breathless telephone repairman who is becoming leary of long distance. Anderson appears, also breathlessly, as a sixty-year-old Lord and Taylor's delivery man.

Tickets for the three performances go on sale Thursday, November 4, in front of the auditorium and in the lobby of the Pioneer Center.

Director Mrs. Linda McKown has been enthusiastically assisted by props chairman, bookholder, and stage manager Lois Miller, a senior business major from Shock, West Virginia.

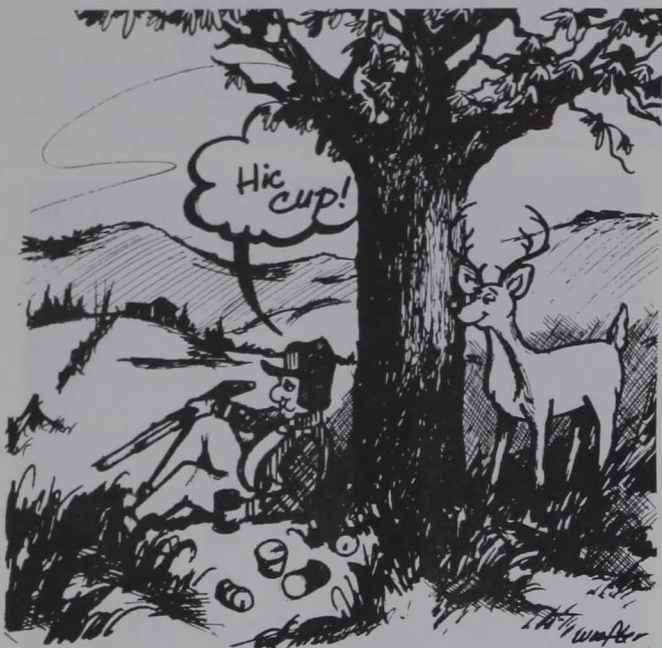
Literary Publication Schedules Meeting

The editorial personnel of **Trillium**, a publication of poems and short stories by Glenville State College students to be published in March 1983, is now selecting material from what has been submitted.

There will be a meeting on November 4, and on November 18. Those interested in attending should check the bulletin board outside of the Language Division in the Administration Building for the time and place.



Rehearsing a love scene from Act I of "Barefoot In The Park" are Lou Davidson and Mke Dotson.



Hunters: Review The Basics

As the slow rising fog elevates from a sleeping campus and a cold chilly morning leads to the promise of snowy days in the future, hunters of Glenville State College gather their gear and travel to a favorite hunting spot. Hopefully, after a few hours of hunting, they will return to the campus with their desired prey.

The scene I have just described is one of serene calmness but with a pull of a trigger or a slip of a foot it could turn into a nightmare of terror, the idea of being careless while hunting should always weigh heavily on the mind of an experienced hunter. It seems that every year a human being is needlessly shot or killed by a faultless hunter. This kind of tragedy is one our campus need not experience.

I hope that all hunters of Glenville State College take time to review the basic safety rules of hunting and use these safety tips wisely. Remember hunters, your life is more important than a trophy to hang on a wall!

Betty Wells
Editor

Ferguson Concert Reviewed

How does one describe the Maynard Ferguson concert? TOO GOOD! The band was a group of professional musicians from different states and he proved to us how he became wealthy and famous.

The selection of music was good (with the exception of too many solos) and the sound was terrific. The sound and the high notes that came out of Ferguson's trumpet were awesome. The band played numbers from their two new albums, "Hollywood" and "Storm." They also went back in time and played some of the popular, older songs. The biggest hit came when they left us "with a few words from Sylvester Stallone" by playing "Gonna Fly Now" (Theme from Rocky).

Maynard himself did act personal with the audience and seemed to be a common and entertaining person. Most of us liked this. He didn't put on airs and sit on a pedestal. As far as I am concerned, Maynard Ferguson is welcome here any time.

Janice Boggs

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Organizational News

Delta Zeta

The formal meeting of the Delta Zeta Sorority was held Monday, November 1. New Executive Officers were installed and they are as follows: Pres. - Lora Park, Vice-Pres. of Membership - Doretta Pugh, Vice-Pres. of Pledging - Tina Hunt, Recording Sec. - Sandi Gainer, Corresponding Sec. - Susie Ballengee, Treasurer - Becky Beall, Historian - Nila Golden. Good Luck Girls and Congratulations!

The winners of the "dollar bill raffle" and the "wine flask" were announced at the GSC-Fairmont Game, Oct. 30th. They were Tim Moore and Gary Nottingham. The Halloween Party held at the Wagon Wheel was a big success. Those who came had a great time and those who missed should try to make it next year. Also a special thanks to Joe Drahnak for a needed contribution! A reminder the DZ hay ride will be Wednesday, Nov. 3 for all active sorority members. Dress warmly and be at the house around 6 o'clock. Pioneers, let's see you stomp Concord this coming week-end. It can be done! Good Luck, Big Blue!

Sigma Sigma Sigma

The regular meeting of the Delta Alpha chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority was held November 1 in the Ground Floor Lounge. All Sigmas are reminded of the pepperoni sale that is to be held November 15.

We would like to wish the Pioneer Football team the best of luck on the upcoming game against Concord.

Congratulations to Kay Barnett for winning the Album from the Towne Bookstore.

Ohningohow Players

All Players are reminded of informal initiation, which will be held Wednesday, November 3 at 4:30 in the Little Theatre. Actives should be in the Little Theatre by 4:00. Pledges are reminded that you must have all the actives' signatures at informal. Good luck!

Also, anyone interested in working on the house crew and selling tickets for the play should contact Tammi Igo or Tim Brown or sign up on the paper on the auditorium door.

Tau Kappa Epsilon

The fraters of Iota-Omega Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon held our weekly meeting Oct. 28. Discussed were plans for our bi-annual bread sale, dances, intramurals, and associate member activities.

Congratulations to fraters Dave Powell, John Huxley, Kreig Sayre, and Wayne Huffman for their hard fought game against PCC last Saturday.

A late thank-you to the ODs for the party two weeks ago. A good time was had by all, Thanks girls!

Finally, a reminder to all fraters to get their dues in as soon as possible. Vacations must be paid for!

Ladies of the White Rose

The Ladies of the White Rose would like to give a special thanks to LSD for the music at the Halloween dance and a big thank you to Don for the use of his stereo equipment. Thanks, also, to everyone that showed up for the dance.

We would like to welcome the women who are pledging our auxiliary this semester. They are Donna Baker, Jenine Carpenter, Diane Conley, Susan Harshberger, Arnie Headley, Pam Perry, and Shelley Staats. Good luck girls!

Lambda Chi Alpha

The Brothers of the Beta Beta Chapter of Lambda Chi Alpha held their regular weekly meeting Sunday in the Library. Upcoming events for this month are: Ladies Thanksgiving Dinner Nov. 10th, Formal Meeting Nov. 18th, Car Wash Nov. 5th, 6th, Tentative Smoker Dec. 2nd.

The brothers would like to congratulate Alumni Brother Doug Miller and his family on the arrival this week of a new baby boy.

This past week the brothers sponsored a Halloween party at the new Rest Home in Glenville. Everyone who attended had a great time and everyone should watch for upcoming pictures of this event.

Phi Beta Lambda

Our next regularly scheduled meeting is this Thursday, Nov. 4, at 4:00 in Room 101 AB. Mr. Leon Cooper will be our

guest speaker. Leon is the coach for the PBL state parliamentary procedure team.

All members are asked to please remember to get your picture taken at Glenville Photo this week for the group composite. You may go between 9 a.m. and 9 p.m. on Tuesday through Saturday.

Thanks goes out to Tim Loudin for speaking to us at our last meeting.

PBL will sponsor a dance on Thursday, Nov. 11th from 8-11 in the ballroom. Music will be provided by "The Joes."

There will also be a special meeting on Nov. 11 at 4:00 in Room 101 AB. This meeting will be held to share information from the workshops held at the RLC in Virginia Beach.

We wish the Pioneers good luck in their season finale this Saturday at Concord.

Cultural Exchange Club

Tuesday, October 19, 1982, the Cultural Exchange Club held a meeting in the Wesley Foundation.

Craig Parker, an American student, was present as well as most of the Foreign members of the club. Some of the ideas discussed were: the family structures in different countries, how foreign students feel in USA, the minorities in different countries, and some religious and racial questions.

The next meeting will be held on November 16th at 7 p.m. in the Little Theater and we wish to see many American students present. Everybody is invited. See you all then!

PCPC

During the last meeting of the P.C.P.C. held Oct. 27, possibilities of using local talent were discussed. Each member was assigned the duty of talking with various local people and asking them to give a talk or demonstration on their special areas.

Those members in attendance were Bryan Payne, Joe Drahnak, Shirley Williams, Maria Catlett, Paul Scott, Brenda Reynolds, Chuck Rose, Larry Skidmore, Melanie Greene, and Pat Lewis.

From The Wesley Foundation

The Coffee House for November 4 will feature Bill McCoy from the Wheeling area. Mr. McCoy plays the guitar and sings folk and contemporary songs. Bring a friend and come out for an enjoyable evening.

A forum, "The Status of Black Leadership in W. Va." will be held on Nov. 17 at 6:30 p.m. Please mark this date on your calendar and make plans to attend.

A reminder that the basement of the Wesley Foundation has a ping pong table and a TV that are available to everyone.

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The last week of October brought us many things - less daylight hours in the evening, mid-term grades (I'm sure many of you would rather not be reminded), and nearer to the completion of the fall athletic season.

GSC's three major fall intercollegiate athletic squads - football, cross country and volleyball - will compete in their last regular season action this weekend.

The Pioneer football team, after nearly pulling off an upset of top-ranked Fairmont, will finish its season this Saturday at Concord. Although GSC is already out of the running for a playoff berth, it would be a feather in the Pioneers' cap if they defeat Concord, another tough WVC foe. Also, it would give Glenville a total of four victories, a big improvement on last year's total.

Glenville's men's cross country team will run in its conference meet this Friday at Oak Hill. The winning team will advance to the NAIA meet. GSC appears to be a good bet to repeat as WVC champs this season, as the top seven runners form probably the strongest unit among WVC schools.

Finally, the women's volleyball team will participate in its conference tournament this weekend at Alderson-Broaddus.

Although the Lady Pioneers haven't produced a winning record this season, they could jell just in time to have a successful tourney.

Steve Keenan

All men interested in running track during the indoor and/or outdoor season should attend a meeting on Mon., Nov. 8. The meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. in room 209 of the Health Building.

Women's track meeting 12:00, Nov. 16. Meet in Health Building Room 208. All women interested in participating in track please attend.

Falcons Slip By GSC

A missed extra point attempt by Jim Weidemoyer, his first miss of the season after 12 in a row, proved to be the margin of defeat as GSC fell to Fairmont State, 17-16, Saturday.

The extra point attempt came with 1:27 to go in the game after Byron Brooks had scored on a 25-yard run to make it 17-16. Earlier, Weidemoyer had nailed a 40-yard field goal to pull Glenville to within 17-10.

GSC's other touchdown, in the second quarter, was supplied by Brooks, who struck paydirt from six yards out.

The Pioneers outgained FSC in total yardage for the contest. GSC had 353 yards, and Fairmont had 281.

Brooks added to his impressive rushing total with 153 yards on 28 carries against the Falcons. He had scoring runs of six and 25 yards.

Jeff Metheny passed for 164 yards on 11 of 23 passing. Steve Williams caught four for 53 yards, and Joe Mullan caught three for 49 stripes.

Terry Kendall again led the Pioneer defense. The junior stalwart recorded seven solo tackles and 11 assists. Also, Andy Marchal and Gary Howe were in on 12 stops apiece. Dave Darst and Rod Abrams had 11 apiece. Marchal, Darst, Kendall and John Atkins had quarterback sacks, and Bernie Bertus snagged an interception.

The Pioneers, now 3-5-1, will finish their season this weekend with a game with the Concord College Mountain Lions.



Pam Hypes spikes a ball over the net with Leah Marlowe and Pam Minigh looking on.

Women Spikers Compete

The Glenville State College women's volleyball team has seen much action in the past two weeks. On October 20, the team travelled to Alderson-Broaddus for a triangular match with A-B and West Liberty. West Liberty defeated the Lady Pioneers 15-10 and 16-14 and the GSC women fell to A-B 9-15, 15-8, and 6-15. In the West Liberty match, scoring for Glenville was led by Pam Minigh with six points, followed by Tina Burkhammer with five; Wendy Healey, Gina Bailes, and Leah Marlowe, with three each; and Jewell Rankin and Laura Dabney, with two each. Leading the GSC scoring in the A-B match was freshman Healey with 15 points. Also scoring were Minigh with six, Dabney with five, Marlowe with three and Bailes with one.

In one of only two home matches this season, the GSC women hosted Concord and Fairmont on October 26. In their first match, the women defeated Fairmont 14-16, 15-7, and 15-13. Dabney was top scorer for this match with 11 points. Also in double figures was Minigh with

10, followed by Hypes with eight, Bailes with six, Healey with five, and Marlowe with four. The GSC team dropped its match against Concord by scores of 12-15 and 13-15. Marlowe led GSC scoring with nine, followed by Minigh with seven, Bailes with four, Dabney with three, and Healey with two. Also, Glenville, Concord, and Fairmont also gained forfeit victories when West Virginia Tech did not compete.

On October 29, the women split a triangular match against Salem and Fairmont. Salem defeated GSC by scores of 6-15 and 5-15. Only three players scored for Glenville in the Salem match. Minigh and Dabney scored four each and Marlowe scored three. Glenville topped Fairmont by scores of 15-14 and 15-5 in their second match of the evening. Hypes led GSC scoring with seven, Burkhamer, Bailes and Dabney all scored five, and Minigh scored three.

The Glenville women will compete on November 5 & 6 at Alderson-Broaddus in the West Virginia Conference tournament with nine other teams.

Pioneer Cagers Down Chinese Team

The GSC Pioneer men's basketball team overcame a nine-point deficit at halftime to hand the Republic of China a 99-91 defeat in a special exhibition game at Glenville Sunday.

Coach Jesse Lilly's Pioneers were down by a 57-48 score at intermission but battled back to out-point their opponents 51-34 in the second half of action for the 99-91 win. The game was played under

international rules.

Sophomore Rich Moore's 20 points led a balanced GSC scoring attack, which saw five Pioneers score in double figures. Two freshmen, Deon Lanier and Kenny Taylor, supported Moore with 19 and 18 points, respectively. Also in twin figures were Clay Young with 17 and Scott Ludwig with 16. Randy Anderson chipped in six, Trent King two and Steve Linville one.

Runners Win Triangular

In its final meet before the West Virginia Conference (District 28) meet on Nov. 5, the GSC Pioneer cross country team won a triangular competition at Oak Hill on Oct. 26.

GSC scored a low team score of 25 points to beat West Virginia State (43) and West Virginia Tech (67) in the race, which was run on the same course that will be the site of the WVC meet this Friday, Nov. 5.

Coach Jim Hilgenberg's team placed six runners in the top ten, with the five scoring runners placing 1, 4, 5, 7 and 8 to total 25.

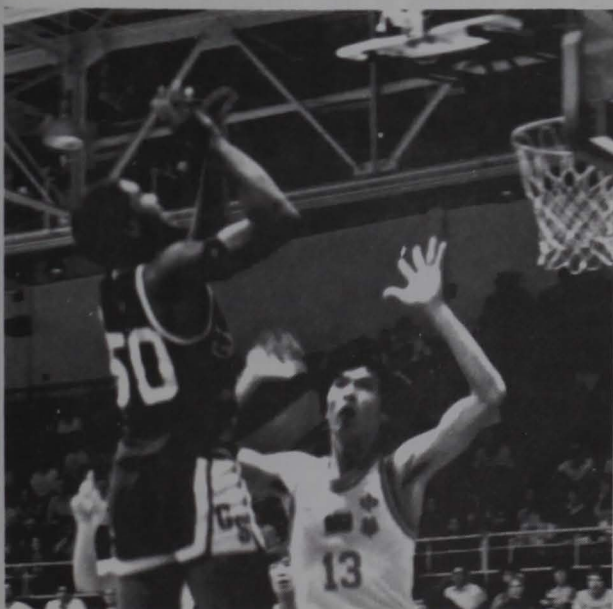
Larry Taylor was the individual winner again for the Pioneers. He covered the 5-mile course in 27:24. GSC's second finisher, Chris Keister, was fourth overall in 29:25. Third for Glenville was Steve Keenan, who was fifth overall in 29:44. Ed Iseli, seventh overall, was GSC's fourth runner in 30:17. Eighth overall and fifth for GSC was Billy Belcher in 30:32.

Pat Godfrey, Mark Price and Steve Roberts placed ninth, 11th and 16th for the Pioneers with times of 31:10, 31:52 and 33:26, respectively.

Hilgenberg was pleased with his team's effort and is looking forward to the WVC outing this weekend. He said, "Fairmont is the obvious favorite, even though we are the defending champs. There is no pressure on us. Also, our attitude is good, and we've had no injuries, so we should have a good chance of winning."

If GSC successfully defends its District 28 title, it will advance to the NAIA national meet in Kenosha, Wisconsin on Nov. 20.

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Pioneer Satellite to be Installed

A bid has been given to the Little Kanawha Satellite Corp. for the purchase and installation of a satellite receiving station. The station will be mounted on the Pioneer Center roof which is to be checked by an architect to make sure that the mounts, which will secure the Satellite, will be capable of sustaining 6,000 lbs. of wind velocity.

The screen, which will be located in the Pioneer Center Snack Bar, will be 60 inches diagonally and will be remotely controlled from the Pioneer Center. This system automatically adjusts itself for lighting in the room and also adjusts

its own color.

The Student Activities Committee will represent student interests in what is to be shown. Various stations will be offered such as Spotlight, HBO, and Showtime for first run movies and USA network for sporting events. The station can also be used for classes with such channels as CHN which is a cable health network and C-SPAN which shows the House of Representatives live.

Student Congress is underwriting the expense for the system and expects it to debut following Thanksgiving break.

Brass Quintet to Present Concert

The Glenville State College Brass Quintet will present a concert on Wednesday evening, Nov. 10, in the Little Theater. The concert will begin at 8 p.m. and there is no admission charge. The music program includes a variety of selections including arrangements of Mouret's "Rondeau" (Theme from Masterpiece Theater) and Scott Joplin's "The Cascades" (originally a ragtime piano piece) to the other side of the musical spectrum, a Brahms' chorale and a "Fanfare" from Dukas'

poeme danse "La Peri." Also scheduled to be performed are two standard pieces of literature from the brass ensemble repertoire; Poulenc's neo-classic "Sonata for Brass Trio" and the monumental composition of brass quintet literature, Malcolm Arnold's "Quintet."

This recently-formed brass quintet includes three students: Bill Wilkes and Pam Brown, trumpets; Carl Watson, tuba; new GSC faculty member Tom Heintzelman, trombone; and his wife Cindy, horn.

KDP Meeting at 4:00 Thursday in Clark Hall.

Tuesday, Nov. 16 at 8 p.m. is the time set for the ACU-I 8-Ball Tournament. The Pioneer Center games room is the place and it will be a double elimination tournament. Winner will advance to Regionals on Feb. 18 and 19 at WVU Mountainlair. There is a \$1.00 entry fee.

Wanted: girl to share furnished house with college student; within walking distance of college; good neighborhood. Phone 462-7057.

Joe Brannon and Steve Phares swept the football tournament held Oct. 27 at the games room in the Pioneer Center. Joe and Steve won all games played. Each of them received a T-shirt designed by state-renowed artist, Robert Paugh of Sunshine Shirts, Hodgesville, W.Va. as their prize.

Dotson Speaks On Law

Lyn Dotson, Associate Dean and Adjutant Professor of Political Science at West Virginia University's school of Law, was on Glenville State College Campus October 28, in the Vandalia Room.

Mr. Dotson gave an informal speech about Law School at WVU and had a question and answer session at the end of his speech. One of the areas covered was qualifications considered for acceptance into WVU's Law School which are academics, LSAT scores and activities in school and community.

Academics are broken down into grades per

semester, grades in courses, how electives are chosen (do they support major/minor) and everything else on the transcript. The average LSAT score accepted last year was 598 and all college activities/honors and work experience are considered.

Some statistics given about the Law School revealed that 41-42% of the students are women and the average age is 25.5 years.

Mr. Dotson stressed that the application is the interview so make it comprehensive and that the most important skills are the ability to read and write proficiently.

Pianists To Hold Concert

Mildred and Gerald Snyder, dual pianists, will perform in the auditorium on November 16th at 8 p.m. Their selection will feature such great composers as Milhaud, Brahms, Reigger, Mozart and Shostakovich.

This concert was co-financed by the West Virginia Arts and Humanities by a matching grant provided for this purpose.

The husband and wife team graduated from the

Cleveland Institute of Music where they studied under Beryl Robenstein and Arthur Loesser. Upon graduation they joined the piano faculty at the same institution and taught there for five years.

Their debut as a piano team was made in January of 1958. Since that time they have performed in countless recitals and played with many orchestras. In addition to private teaching,

Bible Study Invites Students

The Student Bible Study cordially invites everyone to a revival. The revival will be held Monday through Thursday (November 8-11) in the Wesley Foundation at 7:00. The Reverend Dabney will be present to lead the revival. Restoring to vigor and activity the word of God is a function of a revival. "... blessed

are they that hear the word of God and keep it." (Luke 11:28). Regardless of one's denomination, everyone is sincerely asked to attend and participate in the praising and thanksgiving to God. "For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." (Romans 10:13)

The entry deadline for contestants entering the Glamour Girl competition is Dec. 1, 1982. All material must be approved by the appropriate members of the faculty.

More information may be obtained from the Mercury Office.

Student Loan Payments Discussed

Do you know what an NDSL is? An NDSL stands for a National Direct Student Loan. This loan is a low interest loan that is designed to assist students to help pay for their education. Most students think that when they receive an award letter saying that they have an NDSL, they don't have to pay it back. But, they are wrong because students with an NDSL have the responsibility to repay their loan.

Students need to understand that an NDSL is a loan and when they sign the promissory note, they have a legal obligation to repay the amount they receive. According to Connie Roberts, NDSL

accountant of GSC, they have had problems in the past collecting NDSL payments.

When students don't repay their loans the government can take measures such as attaching wages of federal employees who have delinquent loans and in California and other states the government is impounding vehicles in an effort to collect loans that are not repaid. The reason that the government and the schools across the nation are bearing down is because of the cuts in the federal funds.

Students with NDSL loans have six months after graduating from school to begin payments on their

loans. A thirty dollar minimum monthly payment is required. If students do not meet these requirements, the government and the schools which they attend will take measures to collect the delinquent loans. At Glenville State College, the measures taken are as follows: The school goes through the IRS on a skip-trace service to get the student's current address. The school also uses outside collection agencies which specialize in collecting delinquent loans. And, finally, as a last measure, the school will go through legal proceeding to collect delinquent loans.

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