



Pictured are some members of the award-winning MERCURY staff: (front, l - r) Lisa McHenry, Belinda Nichols, Mike Putney, Yvonne King (advisor), Cheryl Keenan, Tammi Igo, (back, l - r) Scott Kitchen, Jackie Mullens, and Steve Keenan (editor).

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Mercury Captures First Place

THE GLENVILLE MERCURY has been awarded first place in the American Scholastic Press Association Awards. This marks the first such honor in recent years.

The contest was entered by 1100 high schools and colleges across the country. The papers were judged on areas such as page design, art, creativity and editing. Cheryl Keenan, guest editorialist, won a special award for Best Editorial

for writing on "The Day After."

Some of the good comments made about the publication involve the "timely and relevant" articles. One judge stated, "You have a very good publication. . . have worked hard to produce such a professional newspaper." The paper received 875 points out of a possible 1000 points.

Perfect scoring was received in the categories of: originality, campus aware-

ness, individual effort, factual research consistency, design, and proofreading.

Staff members for both the fall and spring semesters include: Steve Keenan, Jackie Mullens, Cheryl Keenan, Tammi Igo, Jim Weidemoyer, Bill Anderson, Mitchell Moore, Belinda Nichols, Lisa McHenry, Lisa Walker, Scott Kitchen, Mike Barrick, Joe Webb, Pam Tisa, Mike Putney, Mitzi Whited, and Kent Woofert.

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Three Honored For Services

Three people have been honored this year for 20 years of service at Glenville State College.

Jean Adams-Smith started her career here in 1963 as Supervisor of Student Teachers and as an instructor in elementary education.

Named as Outstanding Faculty Member at the 1980 commencement, Mrs. Adams-Smith also developed and still maintains the curriculum lab, a ma-

terials and media center for teachers in training. She has served as a State Technical Advisor for the Right to Read Program, has sponsored Kappa Delta Pi and is active in continuing education workshops for student teachers.

When asked about student attitudes through the years, she said that her students are more serious now than in the past because teaching has become a more compe-

titive field. She has always found it rewarding to work with prospective teachers, and is delighted to see many of her students become competent professionals.

Also honored were Geraldine Taylor and Duffy Bush.

Mrs. Taylor lives on Stewarts Creek Road right outside of Glenville. She started working here in 1964 as a cashier and kit-

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Zinn And Gillespie Selected

The Executive Alumni Council has selected Dr. Lynwood D. Zinn as the recipient of the 1984 Alumnus of the Year Award. The Clarksburg, WV cardiologist is a 1933 graduate of Glenville State College having received a bachelor's degree.

He completed a pre-clinical study at West Virginia University before matriculating from The Harvard University Medical School in

1937.

Dr. Zinn completed his medical residency at the Hospital for Women of Maryland in Baltimore.

Following his residency, he entered private medical practice in Clarksburg in 1941. In 1973 he co-founded Associated Specialists, Inc. and has served as the group's president since 1973.

Dr. Zinn cited the organization and development of

the coronary care units in Clarksburg hospitals and the instigation of the external cardiac pacing programs to be the outstanding events of his medical career.

He is a member of the Harrison County Medical Society, West Virginia Medical Association, Fellow of the American College of Physicians, Fellow of the American College of Chest Physicians and Certified Diplomat of the American Board of Internal Medicine.

He resides in Clarksburg with his wife, Ruth Blake Zinn. They are the parents of two sons, Dr. David Zinn and Dr. Stephen Zinn.

Loyal alumnus Dr. David M. Gillespie has been selected to receive the Alumni Association's 1984 Alumni Service Award.

A native of Webster Springs, WV, Gillespie is a 1964 cum laude graduate of Glenville State College. He holds a master's degree in

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Russell L. Isaacs, Commencement Speaker.

Speaker Is Named

Mr. Russell L. Isaacs, chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Hecks, Inc., has been named speaker for Glenville State College's May 13 Commencement exercise. Mr. Isaacs is a member of the Board of Regents, director of McJunkin Corp, Union Boiler Co. and Bank of Dunbar.

Born in Wheeling, Isaacs presently resides on Edgewood Drive in Charleston where he is a member of Edgewood Drive County Club, Elizabeth Memorial United Methodist Church, and a certified public accountant. He formerly served as Executive Vice president of Wheat First Securities, Inc.; partner in Isaacs Funkhouser & Co. investment bankers; was director of Clay Communications, Inc., Kanawha Banking and Trust Co.,

Teays Valley National Bank and Shoney's, Inc. He serves as trustee of United Methodist Charities of WV, ex-trustee of WV Wesleyan College and former director of WV Foundation.

Mr. Isaacs will be honored at the 2 p.m. Commencement by being awarded The Distinguished Pioneer Award, Dr. William K. Simmons, president of GSC and acting chancellor of the Board of Regents, will make the presentation.

He is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi, Beta Gamma Sigma, national business honorary, and received the Erwin Award in Accounting and Beta Alpha Psi Scholarship Award.

The Reverend Edward Bayer of Vienna will deliver the invocation and the benediction for the class of 321, which includes his son, Daniel Bayer.



Dr. David Gillespie, Alumni Service Award.



Dr. Lynwood Zinn, Alumnus of Year

Organizational News

Sigma Sigma Sigma
The Delta Alpha Chapter of Sigma Sorority held its last meeting of the year in the second floor lounge on Williams Wing, at 4:30 Monday evening. Sisters were reminded to attend Spring Ritual on Wednesday, May 2, at 9:30 in the Wesley Foundation. Remember to wear your white gowns. Sisters were also reminded to attend the Outstanding Women's Banquet if possible. The sisters will be selling raffle tickets to a Junk-Box the rest of the week. The drawing will be at 12:30 on Friday in the Student Union. Contact any Sigma sister if interested or tickets will be on sale in the Pioneer Center for \$.50 during the noon hour. New committee members were also elected for next year and the sisters decided to hold Retreat on July 27, 28, and 29 in Parkersburg. The dance was held this past Friday at the Wagon Wheel and everyone seemed to have a good time. Sisters of the week include: the Dance Committee, Jackie Myer, and our wonderful advisors Janet James and Deb Wildman. Cultured Pearls are extended to Debbie Tice, Allison Johnson, Jackie Myer, Kelli Jamison, and Susan Smith. Sweetheart award goes out to Jesse Stephenson for doing such a great job at the dance. Sisters are reminded to attend the final get together Sunday at 4 p.m. at the Rec Center. The sisters of Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority wish everyone a safe and happy summer.

Delta Zeta
The Theta Xi Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority held a formal meeting on Monday at the house. Congratulations to our new/initiates who attended their first meeting - we love ya!! Retreat will be held this summer on July 13 and 14 at the house. A rummage and bake sale will be held at the house on Friday and Saturday - everyone is welcome.
The actives' party was held last week - thanks to all the girls who held it. We had a great time! Senior ceremony will be held on May 6 - everyone should attend. Congratulations to Tammy Stalnaker who did an outstanding job for GSC at the forensic meet.
We will stuff care packages on Saturday and deliver them at 8 p.m. on Sunday.
Sandy Moyers won best scrapbook and Lorie Jimison won outstanding pledge - good job girls. Awards for the week are: Pig Pen - Teresa, Study Turtle - Becky and Wilted Rose - LuAnn and Kim.
Good luck to everyone on finals and have a nice summer.

Tau Kappa Epsilon
The Iota Omega Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon held its final meeting of the school year Sunday, April 29 at 6:30 p.m. in the Wesley Foundation. There was a formal officers' initiation and all the new officers took over. Congratulations to all the new officers and the old officers for the fine job they did all year.
All fraters are reminded that Court Ball will be held Saturday, May 5 at the Holiday Inn in Parkersburg. Those fraters who still wish to attend may buy their tickets at the door. It will be TKE's 20th anniversary at GSC the same day.
There will be a TKE party on Wednesday, May 2 for all fraters and dates and OD's at Cedar Creek starting at 3 p.m. The theme will be a safari party and a group will meet in front of Pickens Hall at 3:00 to leave for the safari.
All new officers should meet in room 411 Pickens Hall at 2:30 on Wednesday, May 2 to discuss plans for next year.
There will also be a hoagie sale the week of finals all around campus. All fraters should meet at the cafeteria Sunday at 6 p.m. to help make hoagies. The cost will be \$1.50. Congratulations to frater Kenny Osborne and Kelly Davis for their engagement. We wish you all the best.
Finally, the Iota Omega Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon would like to thank everyone who made this year so successful for us and we wish everyone the best luck during finals week. We hope that your summer vacation will be a safe and happy one and we hope to see you again next year at GSC.

Literary Society
At its April 26 meeting, the Literary Society held elections for the 1984-85 officers who will be as follows: President-Paula June Brown; Vice President-Donnie Howell; Secretary-Kevin Cain; and Treasurer- Sally Lockard. All members please remember the Agatha Christie movie on Thursday, May 3 at 6:30 p.m. in the Media Center. Bring your own beverage. Also, the picnic will be Monday, May 7 at 5:30 p.m. at Cedar Creek. If any changes are made, you shall be notified. Congratulations to the new officers.

Phi Beta Lambda
Phi Beta Lambda will have an officers' initiation Thursday, May 3, 1984 in the Verona Mapel Room at 7:30 p.m.

The new officers are: President-Chris Lilly; Vice President-Teresa Lambert; Secretary-Kevin Cain; Treasurer-Crystal Loudin; Reporter-Lisa Hudson; Historian-Dawn Parsons; and Parliamentarian-Doretta Pugh.
Congratulations and good luck to these new officers!

Lambda Chi Alpha
The Beta Beta Chapter of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity held the last formal meeting of the 1983-84 school year Monday at 7 p.m. in the Wesley Foundation. The meeting was held directly after the IFC banquet which was at 5 p.m. Monday.
At the IFC banquet Cecil R. Chapman was named the outstanding young man of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity. All the brothers would like to congratulate and thank Cecil for all the work and leadership he has shown in the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity.
We would also like to thank the Ladies of the White Rose for the Easter Banquet that was held April 18.
The Brothers of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity would like to extend a good summer to students and staff, and we hope to see you next fall (with a good tan).
Have a good and safe vacation.

Ohningohow Players
All Players are reminded that informal initiation will be held Friday, May 4 at 5 p.m., followed by a picnic at Cedar Creek. Formal initiation will be Sunday, May 6 in the ballroom following the annual drama awards banquet, which begins at 5 p.m.
We would like to wish our pledges, Anita Stephenson and Tim Pittman, good luck with their test and initiation.
We would like to wish everyone a safe and happy summer vacation.

Alpha Psi Omega
Members of Alpha Psi Omega are reminded that initiation will be on Tuesday, May 8 at 7 p.m. in the auditorium, with a reception for the initiates following.
Good luck to our pledges with their test and initiation. Our pledges are: Timothy Mace, Joe Stephens, Steve Keenan, Scott Kitchen, J.D. Benson, Mitzi Whited, and Kelly Davis.

Roommate wanted. Reasonable rent. All utilities included. Available May 15. Call 462-8901.



Editor Says His Farewell

Since the spring term is rapidly drawing to a close, this edition of the MERCURY will be the final one for the semester. And since I will be graduating in a little over a week, this will be my final editorial as a member of the MERCURY staff.

I'm not going to waste my time preaching, or trying to persuade you to accept my ideas. I want to make my peace with Glenville State College and thank some people who made this job and my entire stay at GSC much easier.

First of all, I thank Mrs. Yvonne King. As my advisor and friend, she offered much-appreciated guidance while showing me the ropes. Next, I thank the staffs with which I've been associated, even though they're crazy, for putting up with me. Finally, I thank Glenville State College for enriching my life for four years. Sometimes I complain but it's been a great experience.

Putting out a college newspaper with such limitations as small staffs, lack of experience, etc. is tough, but we try. I hope that my work with the MERCURY has helped you in some way. I have enjoyed writing for you.

Good luck and God Bless.

Steve Keenan
Editor - in - chief

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I would like to thank everyone who voted for me on April 16-17, for Mr. Pioneer for 1984-85. I hope that I can be as good a Pioneer as the Pioneers we have had in the past. A lot of people have asked me "Can you grow a beard," and the answer is yes. When August gets here I will have a beard and a lot of spirit to support our athletic programs. Once again, thanks for your support and confidence in me.

Yours truly,
Eddie Mazzella

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Homecoming Theme Chosen

The 1984-85 Glenville State College Student Congress is currently involved in making plans for next year's Homecoming week. Homecoming will be held on September 22.

Student Congress president, Shelly Morris, has already appointed committees to plan for next year. The Congress has already

decided upon a theme. It will be "Go For The Gold," to go along with the 1984 Olympics. Organizations are asked to think of the theme in terms of floats, banners, etc. over the summer. Also, everyone is to be reminded that Homecoming elections will be held almost as soon as the fall term begins.

Gillespie

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library science from Indiana University and a doctorate in library science from Florida State University.

Having served as director of Glenville's Robert F. Kidd Library since 1968, Gillespie has been an active 16-year member of various campus and community organizations. He began his stint with the Alumni Association in 1972 and served as its president from 1981-83. A three-year member of the Alumni Foundation, Gillespie spearheaded the 111 Anniversary Celebration, coordinating many of the activities and raising an additional \$11,000.

Currently serving in his

second term as mayor of the city of Glenville, Gillespie is a representative on the Region VII Planning and Development Council.

Having penned many professional research articles, Gillespie holds membership in the American Library Association, the West Virginia Library Association, the Southeast Library Association, the West Virginia Historical Society among many others. He is listed in Personalities of the South and Who's Who in the South and Southwest. He recently was named the recipient of the Glenville Rotary Club's Service Above Self Award.

Gillespie resides with his wife, Yvonne, and daughter Erica in Glenville.

Honorees

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chen helper. She has three daughters and her son, David, is a sophomore here at GSC.

Mrs. Taylor has seen many changes during her 20 years here, but the most memorable is that during the Vietnam era, the cafeteria served twice as many students as it serves now.

Prior to coming to GSC, Mrs. Taylor worked in the glass plant here in Glenville

during World War II, making decorative glassware, and later transferred to the Weston glass plant.

Duffy Bush also came here in 1964. He is currently the head custodian for the Administration Building. Mr. Bush lives at Duck Run and has three children.

Before starting his job here, he worked in the coal mines and also cut timber.

Education Forum Slated

"What do you currently see as the greatest strength and weakness of the school system in Gilmer County?" This and other questions will be addressed in a campus/community forum sponsored by the Wesley Foundation Thursday, May 3 from 12 noon to 1:25.

Everyone is invited to a sandwich lunch from 12 to 12:30 to meet the candidates for election to the Gilmer County Board of Education. Following

lunch, Dr. Kristin Sjostrom will moderate a forum in which the candidates will make brief presentations and then answer questions from the audience.

The director of the Wesley Foundation, Julian Sulgit, and the chairman of the professional development committee of the Faculty/Administrative Organization, Dr. Barbara W. Tedford, are coordinating the arrangements for the forum.

This forum is planned especially for GSC faculty and staff to meet the candidates for the school board, but students and townspeople are welcome to attend and to participate in the luncheon and the question and answer session.

Students may sell used books on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 8 and 9 from 8:30 - 4 at the bookstore.



Dr. Bruce Flack, vice president of Academic Affairs, and Mr. Tex Gainer, Director of Calhoun-Gilmer Vo-Tech Center are shown as Flack signs the recent agreement. (Photo courtesy of Public Relations Office.)

Flack Signs

Business-Vo.Tech Sign Agreement

The Glenville State College Division of Business and the Calhoun-Gilmer Vo-Tech Center have entered into an agreement which will benefit students in three different areas of study.

Vo-Tech students completing a program in clerical, stenographic or accounting studies may enroll at Glenville State College in the Division of Business and receive a maximum of 14 hours of advance standing credit after completion of one college semester.

During the first semester of the freshman year at Glenville State College, stu-

dents must petition to the Chairman of the Division of Business stating the program of study completed at the Vo-Tech Center. The chairman will conduct an evaluation and assign credit.

The advance standing credit will facilitate a student to complete an associate degree in business in less than two years.

"This is an excellent opportunity for students to continue their education beyond the high school level," said Vo-Tech Center Director Tex Gainer. "We expect many students to take advantage of this new agreement."

The signing of the agreement culminated one year's negotiations between the two schools.

"The Division of Business is pleased to be providing this avenue as an incentive for students to continue their education at Glenville State College," said Division Chairman Ernest Smith. "The Division of Business recognizes that this agreement fulfills a long time need for Vo-Tech students in the three business related fields."

Vo-Tech students may contact Mr. David White at the Vo-Tech Center for further information.

Final Exam Schedule

8:00 MWF
8:00 TTh
9:00 MWF
9:30 TTh
10:00 MWF
11:00 MWF
11:00 TTh
12:00 MWF
1:00 MWF
1:30 TTh
2:00 MWF
3:00 TTh
3:00 MWF
4:00 MWF

Monday at 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Thursday at 10:10 - 12:10 a.m.
Tuesday at 10:10 - 12:10 a.m.
Tuesday at 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday at 10:10 - 12:10 a.m.
Thursday at 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Monday at 10:10 - 12:10 a.m.
Tuesday at 3:10 - 5:10 p.m.
Wednesday at 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
Monday at 3:10 - 5:10 p.m.
Monday at 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday at 3:10 - 5:10 p.m.
Tuesday at 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.
Thursday at 10:10 - 12:10 a.m.

Class Announced

Glenville State College will be sponsoring a bookkeeping with computer literacy class beginning May 14. All persons attending the class must meet Job Training Partnership guidelines. The class will

be held from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday through Friday and will last six weeks. Enrollees will be paid \$1 per hour while attending class. For more information contact Janet Gainer, ext. 101.

Theatre Nominees Announced

The annual Glenville State College Theatre Awards Banquet will be held on Sunday, May 6 at 5 p.m. in the ballroom of the Pioneer Center. The annual banquet is held to honor those students who have worked on the theatre productions throughout the year.

During the banquet, several acting awards, as well as other types of awards, will be presented. Awards in the following categories will be presented for both the fall productions and the spring show: Best Actor, Best Actress, Best Supporting Actor, and Best Supporting Actress. For the fall productions, a Best One Act award and a Best Technical Production award will also be presented to the student director of the show chosen as the winner. An Outstanding Ohnimgohow award will also be presented to the senior member of the Ohnimgohow Players whom the members of the organization feel has contributed the most to the good of the organization.

Following is a list of the nominees in each category. Nominated for Best Actor-Fall are: Tim Brown as Alan in STRANGE ROAD; Timothy Mace as James Dyke and Joe Stephens as Warden Holt in THE VALIANT; Randy Harper as Daddy in THE AMERICAN DREAM; Mike Dotson as Billy Warren in "Visitor from New York"-CALIFORNIA SUITE; Gary Ross as Marvin Michaels in "Visitor from Philadelphia"-CALIFORNIA SUITE; Bill Anderson as Sidney Nichols in "Visitors from London"-CALIFORNIA SUITE; and Timothy Mace as Mort Hollander and Tim Pittman as Stu Franklyn in "Visitors from Chicago"-CALIFORNIA SUITE.

Those women nominated for Best Actress-Fall are: Cheryl Keenan as Mrs. Talbot and Lisa McHenry as Annie in STRANGE ROAD; Lou Davidson as Grandma and Mahala Strauss as Mommy in THE AMERICAN DREAM; Kris Bush as Hannah Warren in "Visitor from New York"-CALIFORNIA SUITE; Kelli King as Millie Michaels in "Visitor from Philadelphia"-CALIFORNIA SUITE; Kelly Davis as Diana Nichols in "Visitors from London"-CALIFORNIA SUITE; and Tammi Igo as Beth Hollander and Mitzi Whited as Gert Franklyn in "Visitors from Chicago"-CALIFORNIA SUITE.

Nominated for Best Supporting Actor-Fall are: Mitchell Moore as Father Daly and Steve Keenan as Dan, the Jailer in THE VALIANT; and Tony Leonard as the Young Man in THE AMERICAN DREAM.

Nominees for Best Supporting Actress-Fall are: Kelly Boggess as Mrs. Kadan in STRANGE ROAD; Cara Keenan as Josephine Paris and Paula Brown as the Attendant in THE VALIANT; Beth Krantz as Mrs. Barker in THE AMERICAN DREAM; and Pam McVey as Bunny, the body, in "Visitor from Philadelphia"-CALIFORNIA SUITE.

Each student-directed act play was nominated for both the Best One Act award and the Best Technical Production award. Those plays in both categories are: STRANGE ROAD, directed by Kent Woofert; THE VALIANT, directed by Tammi Igo; THE AMERICAN DREAM, directed by Bill Anderson; "Visitor from New York"-CALIFORNIA SUITE, directed by Jack Kalmar; "Vis-

itor from Philadelphia"-CALIFORNIA SUITE, directed by Mark Kozlowski; "Visitors from London"-CALIFORNIA SUITE, directed by Randy Harper; and "Visitors from Chicago"-CALIFORNIA SUITE, directed by Joe Stephens.

The spring 1984 production was YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU, directed by Linda McKown. Those men nominated for Best Actor-Spring are: Mike Dotson as Paul Sycamore, Joe Stephens as Grandpa, Tim Pittman as Mr. DePinna, Scott Kitchen as Ed Carmichael, and Timothy Mace as Boris Kolenkhov.

Nominated for Best Actress-Spring are: Cara Keenan as Penny Sycamore, Lisa McHenry as Essie Carmichael, and Tammi Igo as Alice Sycamore.

Best Supporting Actor-Spring nominees are: Lloyd Willis as Donald, Randy Harper as Mr. Henderson, Mitchell Moore as Mr., Anthony Kirby, Tim Brown as The Man, Steve Keenan as Jim, and Fred Penturff as Mac.

Nominated for Best Supporting Actress-Spring are: Cassandra White as Rheba, Bobbi Nicholson as Gay Wellington, Anita Stephenson as Mrs. Kirby, and Lou Davidson as Grand Duchess Olga Katrina.

Judges for the 1983-84 GSC Theatre season were: Dr. Jo Cleek, Dr. Beverly DeBord, Dr. Mildred Disko, James Eaton, Dr. Joe Evans, Dr. Bruce Flack, George Harper, Cheryl McKinney, Lucie O'Brien, Dr. Mary Jo Pribble, Virginia West-Judge Emeritus, and Elma Jean Woofert. Diane Bach serves as the organization's "Price-Waterhouse."



New initiates of Kappa Delta Pi are shown as they take their oaths during the annual banquet - initiation ceremony.

Honor Graduates Named

This year's Honor Graduates have been announced by the office of Academic Affairs. Those students in the Baccalaureate Program who have attained an overall average of 3.8 to 4.0 are: Sharon L. Westbrook, Loretta Suzan Marple, Francis Mae Blake, Catherine C. Bryce, Charlotte Fay Starkey, Patsy Dare Wriston Fincher, Jenny Ann Lewis, Vicki Lynn Kimsey, Sabrena Taylor Watson and Joyce Marlene Forrester Hilgenberg.

Students who obtained an overall average of 3.5 to 3.79 are: Dina Lynn Darby, Sandra Davis Lemming, James Alan Meadows, Alice C. Hess, Patricia Ann White, Jeanetta Marlene Mick, Marquita Ann McIntyre, Ting Yik Leung, Donna Robin Crist, Penny Lea Clutter, Mark Allen Price, James Carlton Watson III, Roberta Lynn Barrows Davis, Michael J. Bowe, Kelley Lea Hartshorn Houchins, Douglass James Swearingen, Connie Coen Yoak, Donna Lynne Shaver, Susan Faye Harshberger,

Willima Robert Cain, Jason A. Hartman, Cynthia Lynn Stewart, Judy Lynn Kemp, Sandra Lynn Furbee, Michael M. Barrick, Kevin Lynn Campbell, Francis Robin Lewis Moore, and Mary Hickman Starcher.

Students who have attained an overall average of 3.3 to 3.49 are: Mary Jane Fallon, Steven Wayne Campbell, Sylvia Kay Lambert, Carol Christine Wilson, Carole Anne Norton, Kathleen Roedersheimer, Theresa Jean Westfall, Debra Lynn Judy, Stephen Thomas Roberts, Timothy Wayne Bennett, Po Han Angelina Lee, and Jeffrey M. Lantz.

In the Associate Degree Program, Damita Jo Nutter obtained an overall average of 3.8 to 4.0.

Those students in the Associate Program who attained an overall average of 3.5 to 3.79 are: Dina Lynne Darby, Arthela B.C. Johnson, Kelley Lea Hartshorn Houchins and Tammy Kay Knopp.

Students who attained an overall average of 3.3 to 3.49 are: Debra Judy and Clarita Dawn Evans.

Wesley Foundation

In cooperation with the Professional Development Committee of FAO, the Wesley Foundation will sponsor a campus/community forum for members of the GSC faculty, staff, and students to meet with the candidates for election to the Gilmer County Board of Education. Everyone is invited to a sandwich lunch from 12 noon to 12:30, today when they may talk with the candidates informally. From 12:30 to 1:25, Dr. Kristen Sjostrom will moderate a forum in which candidates will give brief position statements and answer questions from the audience.

On Friday, May 4, at 8 p.m., Paul Skyland will appear at GSC in concert. Sponsored jointly by several campus groups, Skyland will present his music in the auditorium of the Administration Building. Everyone is welcome.

Next week, the Wesley Foundation will provide a late study service for students. Beginning Sunday evening and extending through Tuesday evening, the Foundation building will be open each night until 2 a.m. Students are invited to come over and study in a quiet setting.

Letter To The Editor

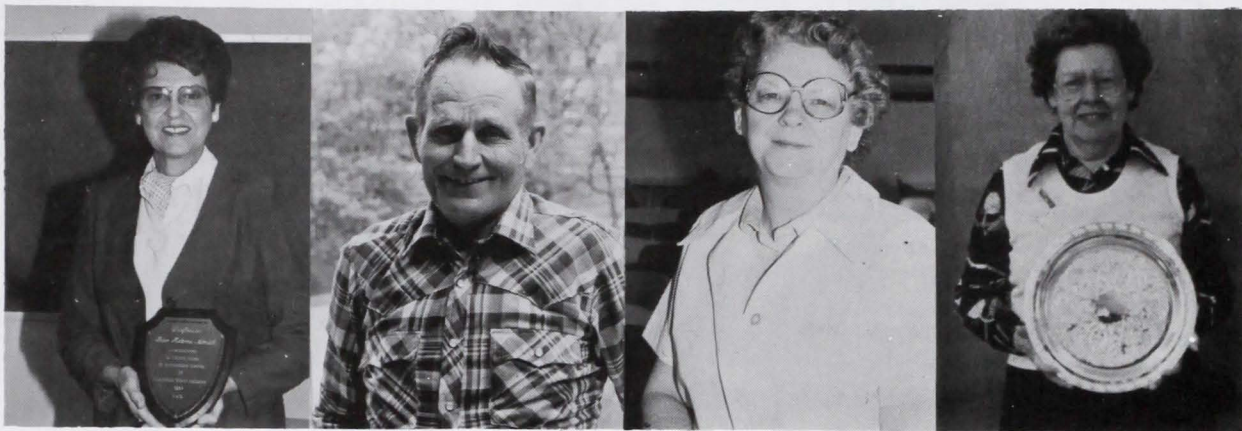
Concerning the editorial which appeared in the April 18 issue of THE MERCURY, I would like to offer an explanation. This editorial was written strictly for humor and was not intended to offend anyone. I realize that had the editorial been taken seriously, methods of teaching at Glenville State College might have been questioned. Viewed satirically, the editorial represented a need for planning rather than an opposition to planning.

My apologies to anyone who was offended.

Sincerely,
William E. Anderson



Cutest Couple winners Dave Nowell and Teresa McClure.



The above personnel of Glenville State College are being honored for their service. Left to right are Jean Adams-Smith, professor; Duffy Bush, custodian; and Geraldine Taylor, Food Service Employee, all 20-year-employees. Also Elma Jean Woolter, associate professor, 30-year professor.

Student Awards To Be Given

The recipients of the 1984 outstanding student awards have been selected by the departmental faculty.

The awards and their recipients are as follows: Peterson Library Award-Patricia White, Cross Lanes; Brand English Award-Jenny Lewis, Point Pleasant; Turner Science and Math Award-Barbara Ledoux, Grantsville; Toth Science and Math Award-George Frank Crum, Ripley; Wagner Science and Math Award-Kevin Campbell,

Glenville; Ratliff Health and Physical Education Award-Larry G. Taylor, St. Marys; Eberle Land Surveying Award-Richard L. Haveron, Glenville; Eberle Forestry Award-Sharon Roxann Smith, Carmichaels, PA; Somerville Education Award-Dina Darby, Summersville; and Whiting Art Award-Donna Bumgardner, Glenville.

The awards presentation will take place on Friday, May 4 at 11 a.m. in room 102 Pioneer Center.

Champions Are Crowned

The 1983-84 intramural competition has concluded and champions have been crowned in both the men's and women's categories.

The Loads won the overall men's competition with 833 total points and a record of 36-9. Members of the Loads are Steve Williams - captain, Chuck Lambert, Steve Linville, Chuck Taylor, Jay Fiber, David McCreary, Billy Hamilton, Joe Birk, Mark Hash, Rod Aleshire, John Buffo, Steve St. Clair, Jim Frame, and Jeff Shriner.

Winners of the overall women's competition were the Winkies with 628 total points and a record of 23-0. Members of the Winkies are: Bunny Taylor - captain, Sonja Bailey, Cathy Starcher, Judy Niday Batten, Maria Lothes, Marsha Shrader, Kim Maynard, Tina Burkhamer, Wilga Lothes, Jeanette Mason, Minta Lothes, and Diana Sharpes.

Bible study will be held at 8:30 p.m. Thursday in the Wesley Foundation.



Delta Zeta trophies which they won on State Day are shown 'at home' on their mantle.

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Ginsberg Appointed

The West Virginia Board of Regents recently announced the appointment of Dr. Leon H. Ginsberg as Chancellor. At an April 16 press conference, Board President John W. Saunders introduced Dr. Ginsberg and expressed the pleasure of the Regents at being able to attract Ginsberg back to the field of education. Until 1977 when Governor Rockefeller appointed Dr. Ginsberg as Commissioner of Human Services, most of his professional career had been in the field of education. Most recently, he was Dean of the School of Social Work and Professor, School of Social Work at West Virginia University, positions he held for nine years. During that time he was also a Fulbright Professor and while on sabbatical in 1974 taught Social Work Management in the country of Colombia. While there, he also served as a consultant to two Colombian universities.

The new Chancellor will be the fourth since the Board was created in 1969.

Dr. William K. Simmons, president of Glenville State College, has served as acting chancellor since Ramsey resigned and will continue to serve in that capacity until June when Dr. Ginsberg takes control.

Spring Concert Presented

The annual spring concert by the Glenville State College Choir was presented on Sunday evening, April 29, at 8 p.m. in the college auditorium.

This year's program featured a large work by Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)-his Opus 52, the "Liebeslieder Waltzes," written in 1868. This work consisted of eighteen songs, based on the poetry of Daumer, written for voices and accompaniment for two pianos. The two-piano accompaniment on Sunday was played by Mildred and Gerald Snyder. The Snyders enjoy a wide reputation as one of the world's outstanding duo-piano teams. Mr. Snyder is a member of the GSC music faculty.

These waltzes reflect the fact that Brahms spent much of his life in Vienna where waltzes were a part of the musical life and fare. They are, in fact, playful, gay Viennese waltzes for voices and piano.

A second part of the program highlighted music from the current popular category: Duke Ellington's "Mood Indigo"; the favorite song from THE WIZARD OF OZ, "Over the Rainbow"; one of the hits from the musical, CATS, "Memory"; and a hot, sizzling work called "Steam Heat."

Leesa Holder was pianist for the group of "pop" numbers. She is the choir's rehearsal pianist. Dr. Raymond Jones is the director of the choir.

Members of the GSC choir are: Connie Adams, Salem; Ty Beadle, Massillon, OH; J.D. Benson, Vin-

cent, OH; Guy Boggs and Radonna Rickman, Williamstown; Robert Burns, Exchange; Vickie Butcher, Summersville; Cheryl Curry, Chardon, OH; Tracy Daugherty and Mary Jones, Elkview; Richard Dorsey, Rupert; Melanie Dutt, Sugar Grove; Patricia Edwards and Robin Tallhamer, Parkersburg; Robin Foreman, Mason; Debra Foust, Plainfield, IN; Leesa Holder, Belpre, OH; David Ingram, Weston; Dennis Jarrell, Gasaway; Debra Kerns, Beverly; Scott and Russell Nelson, Marietta, OH; April Love, Ravenswood; Jamie Martin, Sissonville; Mark McFadden, St. Albans; Eric Mellen, Mill Creek; Gregory Metz, Orma; Thomas Miller, Cowen; Sean Milliner, Durbin; Frank Mitchell, Owings, MD; Gary Mullenax, Upper Tract; Pamela Mullins, Chapmanville; Jackie Myers, Huntington; Jeff Nestor, Parsons; Kenneth Pack, Moorefield; Pamela Perry, Cutler, OH; Terry Phillips, Cameron; Robin Rhodes, Harmony; Gayle Stanley, Glenville; Timothy Taft, Morgantown; Sherilee Unger, Chester; Betty Wagner, South Charleston; William Weed, Smoot; and Yvonne Youngblood, Hambleton.

The library hours have been released for finals week and are as follows: Saturday- 11 a.m. 4 p.m.; Sunday-5 p.m.-10 p.m.; Monday- Wednesday- 8 a.m.-10 p.m.; and Thursday-8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Weapons Are Useful

As women attempting to capture and hold the attention of members of the male species, we must remember the physical nature of our prey. Even the intellectual man succumbs when a woman makes an appeal to his sensual side. No man can resist the curve of a woman's upper or lower torso or a pair of very long legs.

It is our job to see that we take advantage of such weapons as these. There are several things a woman can do to bring the men of the world to their knees. First, she must remember that physical appearance is of greatest importance.

Bleaching, tinting, streaking, perming, and teasing the hair is a great place to start. A woman who wears a long bleached-blond afro with dark roots is a real men-killer.

The way a woman treats her face really affects her ability to break a man's heart. Plucking the eyebrows to a thin line is a must. Heavy make-up is good, especially if the intended victim has poor vision. Green shadow from lash to brow, blocks of brown blush on the cheekbones, and purple lipstick is highly recommended.

Posture is an important factor in the mating game. The best way to improve posture is to arch the back, take a deep breath and hold it. A woman should be conscious of her posture even when she is seated. Sitting with one's legs apart while wearing a skirt or leaning far enough forward that one's bra shows while wearing a low cut blouse are particularly alluring poses to strike when trying to get a man's attention. Slumping is another popular posturing technique.

Dressing your gorgeously postured body to its most becoming state is the next important step. Falsies, padded bras, girdles, and foundations are the underpinnings necessary in maintaining a figure that will catch a man's eye. Tight clothes that show the lines of your sexiest underwear and skirts split to the waist will crush a man's resistance with no problem. Fishnet or seamed stockings, imitation snake-skin belts, shoes, and handbags, rhinestone studded cat's-eye sunglasses, and dangly feather earrings are fantastic accessories for a man-hunting outfit.

Acting like a man is a great way to get a man's attention. Many men find women who swagger, swear, act rough or crude and rub snuff, devastatingly attractive. Gargling with beer is another good way to attract this breed of man.

There are many other little things a woman can do to make herself more sexually appealing to men. Chain smoking is terribly attractive. Men love to watch a woman suck on a series of cigarettes. Chewing gum, popping it and blowing bubbles drives men wild. Filing the nails, powdering the nose, putting on lipstick, and combing the hair while at dinner in a fancy restaurant are really cute and sexy things to do. Assuming superiority over a man fascinates him. Rubbing his nose in his faults and extolling your own virtues will make him worship you. Correcting all his mistakes will make him appreciate your interest in him.

If all women would follow these directions, they would find lines of adoring men at their doors. One warning—if you follow these instructions, you may have to hire a body guard to protect you from too many amorous advances.

Mahala Strauss



Pictured are members of the women's intramural champions, the Winkies: (front l - r) Diana Sharps, Kim Maynard, Bunny Taylor, Tina Burkhamer, (back l-r) Wilga Lothes, Minta Lothes, Maria Lothes, Marsha Shrader, and Jeanetta Mason.

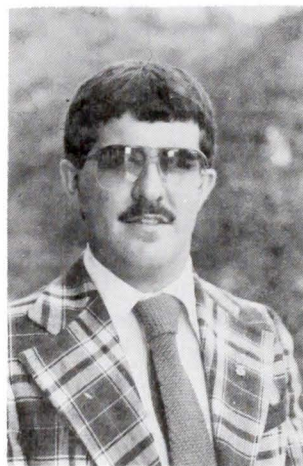
The MERCURY picnic will be held on Monday, May 7 at Mrs. King's house.

R.A.'s Named

The new resident assistants for the 1984-85 school year have been named. In Pickens Hall, Will Clark will be the head R.A. for the men, with Mike Dotson and Joe Stephens returning to their jobs from this year. Dave Darst and John Fox will be the new additions to the Wagner Wing staff.

Sandy Woods will be the new head R.A. on the women's wings of Pickens Hall, with Lisa Tinder, Maria Lothes, Pam Brown, and Terry Shockey returning. Jackie Myer has been hired as the only new women's R.A.

Heading the R.A.'s in Louis Bennett Hall will be Greg Wood. Filling the remaining positions will be Ron Lane, Donnie Howell, Tom Barnes, David Walker, and Mike Buckland.



Eddie Mazzella was chosen as the GSC Pioneer for 1984-85.

Mazzella Is Pioneer

Eddie Mazzella, a senior physical education N-K-12 and social studies 7-9 major from Cowen, WV, was recently selected as the Glenville State College Pioneer for the 1984-85 school year. Eddie will replace the 1983-84 Pioneer, Tim Brown, as the spirit booster for the Glenville athletic squads.

While at GSC, he has been active as secretary of the Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, president of the Interfraternity Council, a senator-at-large to Student Congress, and as a past member of the Pickens Hall Governing Board, the track team, and the cross country team.



Pam Carson is pictured running at the GSC Invitational.

Davis Paces Pioneers

The small Glenville State College women's track squad competed against West Virginia State this past weekend at the Pioneer Invitational. The State women won the meet by a score of 85-33.

Senior standout, Mary Davis, led the way for the Lady Pioneers, sweeping her three events. Davis brought home first-place trophies in the 1500-meter run, the 800-meter run,

and the high jump. Pam Carson won the long jump competition and placed 2nd in the 200-meter dash. Freshman Judy Jones won the shot put and finished 2nd in the javelin competition. Sharon Hayes finished 3rd in both the 400-meter run and the 800-meter run.

The ladies will compete on Saturday and Sunday in the WVIAC championships here at Glenville.

Women's Classic To Occur

The Charleston YWCA's Fifth Annual Women's Classic will be held on Saturday, May 12, 1984 at the Kanawha State Forest, 9 a.m. Come and walk/run/jog the only all women's race in the state of West Virginia. It consists of the five kilometer, 10 kilometer, and time prediction. Team competitions are encouraged for all area businesses and agen-

cies. No less than three to a team, no more than five. Team competitors must pre-register by April 23. The fastest average team time will determine the winner. T-shirt, prizes, and trophies will be awarded. The YWCA, 1114 Quarrier Street, Charleston, WV. 246-0311. Call for registration form.

Founder's Day Banquet Held

The Delta Alpha Chapter of the Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority held its annual Founder's Day banquet on Tuesday, April 24, 1984, celebrating the sorority's 86th birthday.

Several awards were presented during the banquet. Those sisters receiving awards were as follows: Loving- Louella Thomas; Sharing-Debbie Tice; Giving-Susan Smith; Sigmara-tion-Arnie Headley; Cultured Pearl of the Year-

Susan Smith; and Highest GPA-Susan Smith. Kay Barnett, past president of the Delta Alpha Chapter, was presented with the Delta Alpha Award and the Outstanding Senior Award, as presented by the Glenville alumni chapter.

Spring pledge awards were also presented. They were as follows: Model Pledge-Sam Unger; Best Scrapbook-Jackie Myer; and Sweet Violet - Tracy Daugherty.

Special Olympics Held

The Gilmer County Special Olympics was held at Pioneer Stadium on Friday, April 27. Ten Special Olympians from Gilmer County worked hard at the 50 yard dash, long jump, 440 yard walk, frisbee throw, softball throw and a 220 yard relay. Those participants were: Chuck Tkach, Gary Frymier, David Morris, Tim Altop, Virginia Curry, J R Radcliff, Nicky Roberts, Nancy Osborne, Joseph Geoff, and Ronald Brake. Special thanks are due to the following people and organizations for helping make this year's Special Olympics a fantastic success: Pam Brown for her trumpet solo of the National Anthem, Stephen Yeager for cheering and being there, Mike Chaddock and

the Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity for being buddies and huggers, the Glenville's Women's Club for providing lunch for 50 starving people, Mark Kozlowski for acting as announcer and head cheerleader, Alison Witte for donating her time giving physical examinations to the athletes, the Lions Club for a substantial donation, Tom Hamilton for his excellent job of preserving the day on videotape, members of the Organization for Exceptional Children for helping in the coordination of the day's activities, and a special thanks to Kim Maynard and Maria Lothes without whom the joy of Special Olympics would have not been a reality.

Taylor Wins President's Cup

Jeff Propps, intramural coordinator, has announced that Larry Taylor, a senior physical education major from St. Marys, WV, has successfully fulfilled the required 20 out of 26 events listed in the President's Cup requirements and has won that prestigious award.

Following is a list of Taylor's accomplishments which won the award: 400-meter run--:55; 1500-meter run--4:27; 3000-meter run--9:18; high jump--5'6"; sit-ups--100; push-ups--50; arm dips--20; rope jump--750 in five minutes; rope climb--22 feet; bench step--50; bench press--200 pounds;

jogging--150 miles; cycling--200 miles; arm curls--120-3 reps; hand stand; kip; backward roll to handstand; forearm stand; and back walkover.

Taylor, a four-year track and cross country standout, is the first recipient of the President's Cup.

Division faculty group pictures will be taken on May 4 and Monday, May 7. Appointments may be made by contacting the MERCURY office.



Larry Taylor breaks the tape in one of his victories at the Pioneer Invitational Saturday.

All seniors with financial aid are reminded to make an appointment for an exit interview before graduation.

Exhibit Held

The Art 340 class is currently holding its annual exhibit. The sculptures are now being shown in the display cases outside the auditorium in the Administration Building. The exhibition represents some of the work completed this semester and includes examples of wire, clay, and stone carving.

The following students' works are being displayed: Susan Ballengee, Mindy Gutberlet, Eric Henn, Shelley Hull, Brad Keske, Brenda Kinnison, Cindy McFarland, Pam Ramsey, Tammy Stalnaker, and Donna Whipkey. All are urged to stop by and view these fine efforts.

Winners Crowned

Winners were recently crowned in the last three events in the intramural competition, according to Jeff Propps, intramural coordinator.

In the women's softball competition, the Winkies emerged as the champions. In the double-elimination tournament, the Winkies defeated the Misfits, 24-3 and 23-1, to finish in first place. Bunny Taylor was the winning pitcher in both contests. The All-Tournament team was as follows: Bunny Taylor and Tina Burkhamer from the Winkies; and Val Reynolds and Sandy Young from the Misfits.

Members of the Winkies are: Bunny Taylor, Sonja Bailey, Tina Burkhamer, Cathy Starcher, Kim Maynard, Maria Lothes, Wilga Lothes, Minta Lothes, Marsha Shrader, Jeanette Mason, and Diane Sharps.

In the tennis tournament, Randy Hunt captured first place in the men's division, while Darla Baker won the women's division. Jeff Metheny and Tina Burkhamer won the men's and women's divisions, respectively, of the racquetball tournament.



Darryl Brill passes the baton to Shawn Shockey in a relay at the Pioneer Invitational last weekend.

Pioneer Tracksters Take First

In the last action of the season before the conference tournament, the Glenville State College men's track team literally ran away from the competition at the GSC Invitational on Saturday, April 28. The Pioneers tallied 229 points, followed by West Liberty with 134, West Virginia State with 96, West Virginia Wesleyan with 64, and Davis and Elkins with 10.

Individually for GSC, Larry Taylor and Lloyd Willis pulled in two first place finishes each. Taylor captured trophies in the 1500-meter run and the 5000-meter run and Willis won the triple jump and the long jump. Willis also finished fifth in the 100-meter dash and the 200-meter dash. Other first place finishers for GSC were Mark Price in the 800-meter run, Gary Brissey in the 400-meter intermediate hurdles, Dave Antonik in the 10,000-meter run, Mark Aldridge in the pole vault, and Trent King in the high jump.

Others collecting points for GSC in the meet were: Forrest Hall-2nd in the 110 high hurdles; Brissey-3rd in the 110 high hurdles and 2nd in the triple jump; King-6th in the 110 high hurdles, 6th in the shot put, 2nd in the pole vault, and 3rd in the javelin; Antonik-6th in the 1500-meter run; Loring Hudson-4th in the 400-meter run and 3rd in the long jump; Price-5th in

the 400-meter run; Darryl Brill-5th in the 800-meter run; Todd Raines-6th in the 800-meter run, 4th in the 5000-meter run, and 2nd in the 10,000-meter run; Calvin Coleman-6th in the 200-meter dash; Shawn Shockey-2nd in the 400-meter intermediate hurdles and 4th in the triple jump; Dave Darst-2nd in the discus and 2nd in the shot put; Moochie Brown-4th in the discus, 3rd in the shot put, and 2nd in the javelin; Melvin Jackson-5th in the long jump; and Eric Chico-3rd in the high jump.

The 4x100 relay team finished in 3rd place and the 4x400 relay team finished in 2nd place.

The GSC men will be preparing this week for the WVIAC championship meet, which will be hosted by Glenville State College on Saturday, May 5 and Sunday, May 6.

Phi Beta Lambda will hold a car wash May 4-5 from 12-6 by the maintenance building of GSC. The price is \$3 a car and \$4 for trucks.

Pickens Hall will have elections for 1984-85 officers on Thursday, May 3. All residents are urged to vote.

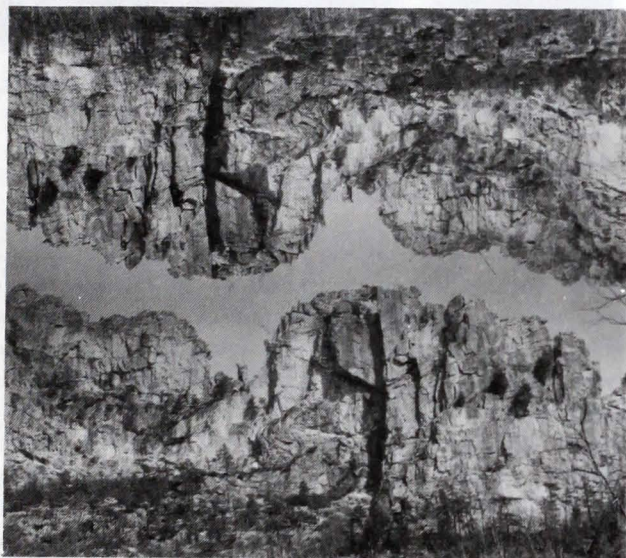
Students Study On Location

The general geology students of GSC departed at 6 a.m. on Wednesday, April 25, to cap the semester's studies of geology. Some of the more major "sights" the students "saw" were Blackwater Falls, Canaan Valley, Seneca Rocks, Seneca Caverns, Germany Valley and North Fork Mountains. Specimens of Devonian shale, Tuscarora Sandstone, Greenbrier Limestone, New Market Limestone and Pottsville conglomerate were collected. Specimens ranged in age from 280 million to 450 million years of age. Classic examples of anticlinal valley formation and synclinal mountain formation were observed. Field data was collected on dip angle and strike direction at several locations. Students which traveled on the trip include: Earl Arnold, Terry Barr, Rebecca Beall, Layne Boggess,

Steve Bumgardner, Kevin Campbell, Mark Fox, John Gency, Mark Jenkins, Sandra Jones, Patsy Kisner, Patricia Madeo, Kenneth Muncy, Kenneth Nicholas, Michael E. Putney, Julius Singleton, Brett Stover, Andy Weaks, Rick Whitehair and the instructor Mr. Ralph Bame. After a vigorous day of learning and enjoyment, the students returned to campus at 9:30 p.m.



Students are viewed collecting Greenbrier Limestone in Canaan Valley (photo by Ralph Bame).



Seneca Rocks appear to be upside down, or right side up? (photo by Mike Putney).

Dorm Closings Are Announced

The Residence Halls will be closed on Sunday, May 13, 1984 at 5 p.m. and will be opened for Summer School on Sunday, June 10, 1984 at 12 noon. The Residence Halls will be opened for Fall Semester 1984-85 on Sunday, August 26, 1984 at 9 a.m.

You must elect one of two options before you leave the residence halls. 1) You must complete a renewal form to continue your room confirmation into the next college session; or 2) you must complete a refund request form to receive your \$50 room deposit less damages. If you have the slightest doubt you may not return to Glenville State College next fall, we recommend you play it safe and request a refund.

Failure to complete either a renewal form or a refund form will result in forfeiture of the entire \$50 deposit to Glenville State College. Completion of these request forms is important! "Don't leave college without it!"

Before you leave campus for the summer vacation, please be sure to do the following: 1) Complete the sign out list when it is posted by your RA; 2) Move all your belongings from your room, close and lock the windows, turn off the lights

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A spectacular view from the Gremman Valley overlook on North Fork Mountain (photo by Ralph Bame).

and lock the door; 3) Get an RA and have them check you out of your room with your room check card. You are responsible for all damages or missing articles until your room is checked. Your room must be left clean (all trash, empty pop cans, etc. must be disposed of properly). If your room is dirty a \$5 cleaning fee will be withheld in addition to general damages from your \$50 deposit, 4) Sign out and turn in your key at the Residence Hall Office; 5) Be certain you have completed a Renewal or Refund Form; 6) REMEMBER - The Residence Hall closes promptly

at 5 p.m. so your packing should be done in advance. Those who are not participating in Commencement or attending Commencement will check out of the Residence Hall by Thursday, May 10. Those staying for Commencement should notify their Resident Assistant.

Seniors are reminded that caps and gowns may be picked up in the Alumni Office and announcements may be picked up in the bookstore.

TWO MINUTES

WITH THE BIBLE

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TRUE BLESSEDNESS

It has been said that the word "blessed," in our English King James Bible, simply means happy. Thus the "blessed man" of Psalm 1 is a happy man and the "blessed God" of I Timothy 1:11 is a happy God.

To say the least this is a superficial understanding—or misunderstanding—of one of the most wonderful words of Scripture. A fool can be happy, a drunkard can be happy, a wicked man can be happy, but none of these are truly blessed. For one who is blessed has a deep and true reason to rejoice.

Thus Psalm 1:1,2 says that the man who shuns "the counsel of the ungodly," "the way of sinners" and "the seat of the scornful" and meditates and delights in the law of God, is well off and has good reason to rejoice. Few, of course, would dare to claim that they have fully lived up to this passage in the Psalms, but God's Word has good news even for such. In Romans 4:6-8, St. Paul de-

clares:

"David also describeth the blessedness of the man unto whom God imputeth righteousness without works, saying, Blessed are they whose iniquities are forgiven, and whose sins are covered. Blessed is the man to whom the Lord will not impute sin."

This blessedness is not a mere feeling of happiness. It is rather the state of being well off, with a deep and abiding reason to rejoice.

Thus Psalm 40:4 says: "Blessed is that man that maketh the Lord his trust," and when the Galatians stopped trusting completely in the Lord and began leaning on their own works, the apostle asked them: "Where is then the blessedness ye spake of?" (Gal. 4:15).

To be truly blessed, then, is to be well off, with the greatest possible reason to rejoice. This is why the believer in Christ, saved and eternally safe in Him, is like God Himself, "blessed forevermore" (II Cor. 11:31).

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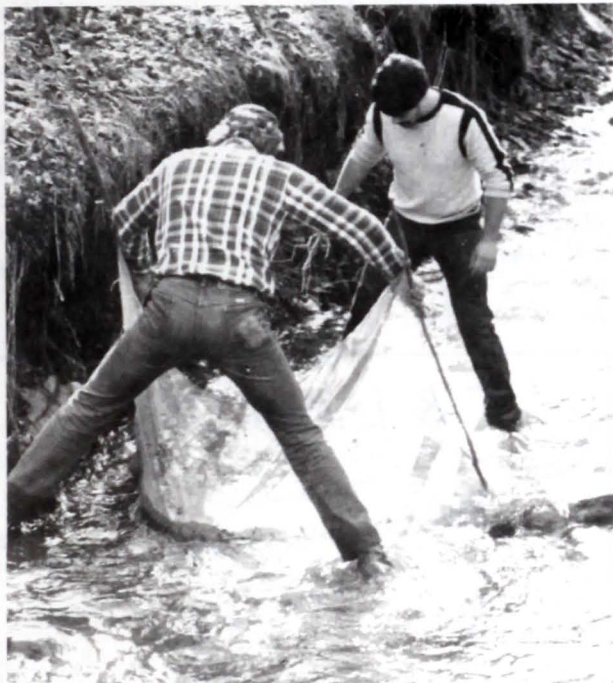
Morris Ends Internship

Shelly Morris, the president of the Glenville State College Student Congress, recently concluded a 16-week internship with the West Virginia Legislature and the Department of Corrections. As an intern in the Judith Herndon Fellows Program from January 1 - April 20, Morris learned the inner workings of the state legislative system and the entire business of politics. During her stay in Charleston, Morris was assigned to Robert "Chuck" Chambers, D-Cabell.

While on the staff at this year's legislature, Morris' main purpose was to observe. She attended committee meetings, public hearings, sessions of the leg-

islature, and receptions, among other duties. During her short stay at the Department of Corrections, Morris visited the state penitentiary at Moundsville and the Salem Industrial Home for the Young. She performed other duties, also.

Morris had these comments concerning her participation in the Fellows program, "I wish everyone could do this. But I do realize that not everyone is cut out for it, because a lot of people have no interest in politics. I really enjoyed myself, and I believe that I benefitted from it. I would like to thank Dr. Joe Darnall for helping me secure this opportunity."



Martin Arbough and John Barton demonstrating seining technique on field excursion.

Field Trip Reviewed

The Glenville State College field zoology class conducted their second field excursion on March 23-25. The field studies camp was established at Watoga State Park located in Pocahontas County.

Saturday morning was devoted to cave exploration. The group was able to observe quite a variety of cave formations in the Greenbrier limestone. The animals in the cave were plentiful and very diverse. This was a good opportunity for the zoologists to contrast the Pocahontas County cave system. Bowden Cave in Randolph County was the group's first major study area in February.

In the afternoon the group carried out their field studies at three specific sampling sites along the Greenbrier River and its tributaries. Saturday evening concluded with a night hike along the Greenbrier River Trail.

On Sunday, the Glenville crew traveled along the Highland Scenic Highway stopping for a brief walk through the red spruce forest. The blossoms of the skunk cabbage were evident as the group toured the Cranberry Glades Natural Area.

The next study area for the field zoology class will be centered in the Dolly Sods Wilderness Area on

Pickens Hall will hold a dance from 8-11 p.m. Thursday in the main lounge.

Darnall States Election Tallies

The results of the Mock Presidential election conducted by Dr. Darnall's American Presidency class have been released. On the Democratic ticket, Gary Hart took 218 votes to beat Walter Mondale (172), Jesse Jackson (60), Alfred Timinski (3), and Lyndon LaRouche, Jr. (1) in the race for the presidential nomination. In the Governor's race, Chauncy Browning was the campus' choice with 155 votes. Browning beat out competitors Clyde See (126), Warren McGraw (81), Dusty Rhodes (26), Powell Lane (7), E.E. Cumpton (6), and Glenn Mullett (3). Jay Rockefeller won 208 votes to lead the race for United States Senator while Lacy Wright took 78 votes, followed by Ken Auvil with 72 and Homer L. Harris with 50.

On the Republican ticket, Ronald Reagan beat Harold E. Stassen 188-10. Arch Moore took 188 votes as the only candidate for Governor, and J. Frank Deem took 84 votes to win over John Raese (24), E.B. Basham (19), Samuel Kusic (19), Hank Vigliance (13), and Fred Weiland III (9).

The winners of the Primary election ran against each other in a Mock General election on May 1 and 2. Results were not available at press time.

The next meeting of the Glenville State College Board of Advisors will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 17, 1984, in the Verona Mapel Room of Pioneer Center.

April 27-29. Those individuals on the Pocahontas field excursion were Jim Meads, Joe Hickman, Martin Arbough, John Barton, Tim French, Wes Johnson, Terry Mullooly, Doug Payne, Cathy Ramage, Hiroko Suzuki, Bill Thrasher, Rick Wickline, and Virginia Wilson.

Survey Results Listed

Over the last two weeks, Mrs. King's Public Relations 421 class has been conducting a survey in hopes of getting the students' viewpoints on certain issues regarding GSC. Following are the results of that survey:

Concerning the Library, 144 students were satisfied with the current library hours, while 155 were not. The results also showed that students thought it necessary to have the library open longer hours during midterm and finals weeks by a margin of 268 to 31. When asked what library hours would be more accessible to them, the general consensus was that the library should be open longer, especially on weekends. Popular suggestions included 8 a.m. - 11 p.m. and for 8 a.m. to 12 midnight daily.

Results of questions directed at administrative policies showed that 205 students were not pleased with the attendance policy, as opposed to 92 who were. The response was 177 to 119 that attendance should be left to the discretion of the instructor. Suggestions for alternate policies reflected a feeling that attendance should be left up to the individual student. Minimum GPA's to determine class attendance was another suggestion. A very popular response was, "We paid for the classes, why can't we miss if we want to?"

As far as student involvement in administrative decisions, 239 respondents felt that students should be more involved in such decisions, opposed to 30 who disagreed. The overwhelming majority of responses to the questions asking for effective ways to increase involvement was that students and administration should meet to discuss problems and contrive solutions. One student said, "We should be made more aware of problems facing the administration."

Other questions concerning the administrators showed a 228 - 66 response favoring turning all midterm grades in to advisors. Also 268 people felt that there is a lack of communi-

cation between the student body and the administration while only 28 did not.

Social questions returned a 282 - 13 margin favoring the reinstatement of the pizza/sub shop, a 150 - 137 preference to change the cafeteria hours, especially by lengthening them at breakfast and on weekends. Longer weekend preferred 253 - 38, and 268 students would like to see the pizza/sub shop serve danishes, fruit, coffee, etc. during the morning hours as opposed to 13 who would not. GSC social events were generally rated as fair (149), while 79 people felt they were good, 52 said poor, and only 2 said that they were excellent. 230 respondents would support weekend social events while 56 would not. Social events were generally considered not varied enough by a margin of 205-74. The Wesley Foundation was considered useful to 219 students responding as opposed to 59 who did not, and 177 did not feel that the chapel should be reserved strictly for religious purposes while 102 did.

The responses to questions concerning the residence halls were generally against present procedures. When asked if they thought the sign in / out rule was necessary, 147 students said no while 133 said yes, and 253 opposed signing parents into dorm rooms while 28 favored it. As for dividing the dorms into intervisitation and non-intervisitation areas, 151 favored the idea while 121 opposed. Finally 189 students responding favored installing phones in individual rooms, 133 were for permission to paint their rooms, 124 wanted kitchens on every floor, 140 wanted lounges on every floor, and 189 preferred the lounges to be open 24 hours.

All prospective members of next year's Cross Country Team should meet with Coach Robert Hays on Thursday, May 3 at 6 p.m. in Room 209, Health Building.

DZ's Attend Confab

On Saturday, April 14, 31 members of the Theta Xi Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority travelled to Montgomery, WV, to participate in Delta Zeta State Day at West Virginia Tech. There are seven Delta Zeta chapters in West Virginia and all participated in the conference.

The Glenville Delta Zeta's returned from Tech with numerous awards, both for the chapter and for individuals. The Theta Xi Chapter was selected as the Outstanding Chapter in West Virginia, as well as receiving the Outstanding Philanthropy Award for their work with the hearing-impaired and the Outstanding Attendance Award.

Individual awards to members of the Glenville chapter went to Tina Hunt for Outstanding Pledge Trainer and to Doretta Pugh for Outstanding Rush Chairman.

Of the six chapter awards given in the state, the Theta Xi Chapter received three and of the five individual awards, members of the

Theta Xi Chapter received two.

The Glenville chapter's CCD, Nancy Bernola, also received an award and Angie Boles received the Spark Plug Honorable Mention for the girl who is not an officer and who displays the most enthusiasm.

The chapter was also selected from among all the national chapters to prepare a pamphlet on pledging to be used by all the national chapters during their rush periods.

Members of the Theta Xi Chapter attended workshops on leadership, open rush, and ways and means at State Day.

The 1984 Delta Zeta sponsored Cutest Couple contest was held this past week. Winners are as follows: third place - Kim McCutcheon and Jim Frame; second place - Robin Foreman and Mark Aldridge; and first place - Theresa McClure and Dave Nowell. The contest, which was held to raise money for the organization, made over \$8.

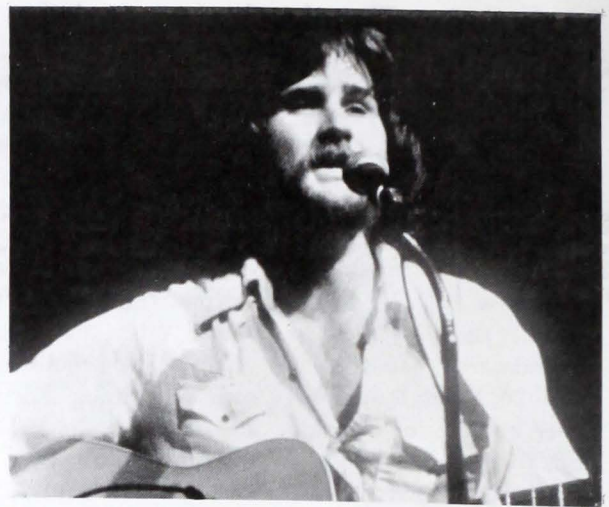
There will be game room nights both this weekend and next weekend. The events will be conducted on Friday and Saturday from 5 p.m. - 1 a.m. on both nights. For \$2, you can play all the pool and bowl all you want.

Sophomore Orates

Tammy Stalnaker, a sophomore from Letter Gap, has been chosen to attend the Interstate Oratorical Contest in Lincoln, Nebraska. The contest is for the top two persuasive speakers from each state. Miss Stalnaker departed Thursday for Nebraska and accompanying her is Bobbi Nicholson, coach of the forensic team.

APPLICATIONS

Letters of applications are now being accepted for Mercury and Kanawhachen staffs for next fall. Letters will be received until Thursday, May 10. Please state qualifications and desired staff position. Send the letters to Mrs. King, Mercury Office.



Musician Paul Skyland will present a concert on May 4 at 8 p.m. in the GSC auditorium.

Tedford Presents Paper

Dr. Barbara W. Tedford, Associate Professor of English, presented a paper, "Teaching Poetry to Elderhostlers," at the 15th annual conference of the College English Association, held at Clearwater Beach, Florida, recently.

She described her experiences in the three poetry courses she designed and taught in the summer Elderhostel program at GSC. Her presentation was part of a session on "The Art of Teaching: Adults

and Non-Traditional Students," chaired by Phyllis J. Scherle, of Indiana University.

In addition, Dr. Tedford attended sessions on new approaches to teaching composition and women's studies. The featured luncheon speaker for the conference was poet Donald Justice, and a special poetic theatre program, "Faces of Modern America," was presented by two Florida English professors.

Author Visits Eng. Classes

On April 26, writer Denise Giardina visited Glenville State College. At 9:30 a.m., she spoke to the Creative Writing class and at 1:30 p.m., in the Little Theatre, she delivered a public reading from her novel in progress.

Ms. Giardina has worked as a hospital clerk, substitute teacher, and community activist. Formerly she was a member of the staff of U.S. Congressman Bob Wise. Currently, she lives in Charleston, where she is

a full-time writer. She is a guest editorialist for the CHARLESTON GAZETTE.

Her first novel, GOOD KING HARRY, is being published by Harper and Row this spring. The book tells the story of England's King Henry V from childhood until his death from dysentery at 35. Not just a biography, the book asks political questions. To recreate the atmosphere of medieval England, Ms. Giardina read every available biography of Henry

and visited English and French sites associated with him. Told in first person, the novel has Henry himself describing his experiences, particularly those in the constant warfare in which he engaged from his teens onward. "What I was trying to do was show this incredibly likeable person who ends up doing all these awful things, a sympathetic person who went out and killed lots of people," Ms. Giardina says. The novel shows Henry's character deteriorating from the effects of the constant killing. Reviewing an advance copy, PUBLISHERS WEEKLY praises the book highly, describing it as "deft and colorful," a novel which "alerts us to a noteworthy addition to the ranks of historical fiction writers."

Ms. Giardina is now at work on a second novel, this one about the union organization of West Virginia coal miners at the beginning of the twentieth century.



Seated left to right are Martha Keating and Denise Giardina, visiting author.

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