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The Concert Royal will perform at 8:00 p.m. on March 7 in the auditorium of GSC. The group will present "RACHanalia"

Concert Royal To Perform March 7

Concert Royal will present the "BACH-analia" at 8 p.m. March 7 in the auditorium on the Glenville State College campus. The concert is sponsored by the Glenville State College Cultural Affairs Committee and the West Virginia Arts and Humanities Council.

The "BACHanalia" pays tribute to the 300th anniversary of John Sebastian Bach.

Concert Royal features five instrumentalists and a soprano performing musical masterpieces of Bach and George Fredrick Handel.

The Thursday evening performance will feature "Trio Sonata in B Minor," Sonata in C Minor," "Two Sonatas for Harpsichord Solo," "Paris Quartet in E Minor," and several arias for soprano and instruments

Members of the Concert Royal include James Richman, artistic director and harpsichordist; Sandra Miller, flauto traverso; Julianne Baird, soprano; Loretta O'Sullivan, baroque cello; Kenneth Slowik, viola; and Nancy Wilson, baroque violin.

The concert is free and the public is welcome to attend.

"Crimes Of Heart" To Be Performed March 21,22,23

"'Crimes' is a Prize hit, that's all Heart"-Clive Barnes, The New York Post.

"'Crimes' is heartwarming...the best work to reach (Broadway) since 'The Fifth of July.'" The New York Daily News.

"Miss Henley...mines a pure vein of Southern Gothic Humor worthy of Eudora Welty and Flannery O'Connor..."-Frank Rich, The New York Times.

Why all the fuss over Crimes of the Heart?
Why has playwright, Beth Henley, won several coveted awards for it even though it was the first play she wrote?
Come and find out for yourself as the Glenville State College Theater Department brings audiences this semester's offering, Crimes of

the Heart, on March 21, 22, and 23.

The play deals with the reunion of the three Magarth sisters-Lenny, Meg and Babe. Why the sisters come together and the action that ensues, brings to light the Crimes of the Heart. It seems that the voungest sister of the clan, Babe, has gotten into a scrape with the law--she has just shot her husband. reason? "I didn't like his looks...just didn't like his stinking looks."

"A comedy you ask? Most certainly-and let's not forget the local lady with the tumor in her bladder; about the neighbor with the 'crushed leg'; about the nosey cousin's children who 'eat their paints'; and about the sudden death of Lenny's pet

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Shown above is Tammy Stalnaker rehearsing for CRIMES OF THE HEART, while Tim Mace looks on.

Mid-Semester Grades To Be Reported

In accordance with academic policy at Glenville State College, the faculty will report all grades of "D" or "F" at mid-semester, March 6, 1985. Students earning either a "D" or "F" at mid-semester will have a grade report mailed to them at their permanent address, or they may secure a copy from their advisor.

The last day to drop a class without earning a punitive grade will be March 13, 1985.

Students dropping a

class prior to that date will be awarded a "W" and will not suffer any damage to their grade point average. After March 13, 1985, students will not be permitted to drop classes except for medical reasons or severe extenuating circumstances. Any student who is permitted to drop after March 13, 1985, will be awarded either a "WF" or "WP" whichever is appropriate. The "WF" grade will

be figured into the grade point average. Students who stop attending classes without dropping will be awarded the "FIW" grade.

Literary Society will be meeting Thurs., March / at 6:30 in AB301. We will be discussing "The Importance of Being Earnest" in THE PICTURE OF DORIAN GRAY AND OTHER WRITINGS by Oscar Wilde.

Organizational News



D's and F's Sent Home

Grades Policy Discussed

Mid-semester is this week and after completing all of those papers and exame, which took many hours of preparation, many students will be relieved that they are finally over. Are they really over?

No, if a student has a 'D' or an 'F' the grade will be sent to their permanent address and to their advisor. Shouldn't the student also receive a copy of his grades, and is it fair to send the grades home to parents when some students put themselves through school? I don't think so. Also, shouldn't all of the grades be reported to let the students know how they are doing in all of their classes?

I welcome response to this policy that now stands and extend a good luck to everyone on the remainder of their exams.

Jackie Mullins Editor

Letter To The Editor

Dear Ms. Editor:

I believe that it was courageous of James M. Payne to apologize (February 27th issue of THE MERCURY) for any inconvenience he may have caused by throwing a water fountain out of a window of Louis Bennet Hall. May I add, in passing, that he can take comfort from the thought that even greater inconvenience would have resulted had HE been thrown out of the window.

Respectfully yours, Carl A. Kerr Language Division (Ret.)

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Lambda Chi Alpha

The brothers of Lambda Chi Alpha, Beta Beta Chapter, held their March formal meeting Sunday at 8:00 in the Wesley Foundation.

A reminder to all brothers that the chapter consultant will be here this week. All officers need to set up an appointment with him if you have not already done

The quilt raffle was a success. Congratulations to the winner. We hope you'll enjoy the quilt!

A reminder to check the Chi board for intramurals or see Jeff Squires for times and days. Good luck in the games!

Delta Zeta Pledge Class

The 1985 Spring Pledge Class of the Delta Zeta Sorority held their first meeting on Monday, Feb. 25, 1985 at 10:30 p.m. Liz Travise brought the meeting to order.

We are sponsoring the cutest couple contest the week of March 11-14. All couples must be members of Glenville State College. The entry fee is \$5.00 and the deadline is March 7, 1985. Dates and time will be posted at a later date. For more information Contact: Liz Travise, Melody Melrose, Helen Carl, or Jennifer Vincent. Meeting was adjourned.

Phi Beta Lambda

Phi Beta Lambda met Wednesday, Feb. 27, 1985, at 4:30 p.m. in the Wesley Foundation for their pizza party and meeting. We had a good attendance of 25 and we had a good time.

We voted to sell pizzas again this month, and the orders should be given to Lea Ann Sharp or Joy Moore by 9 p.m. on Tuesday, March 12. The orders will be called in on Wed., March 13, and they will be delivered on Thursday, March 21. We challenge all members to sell at least 3 kits each. Our candy bars have been ordered; they should be in within the next 2-3 weeks.

Friday was our deadline for dues. We how have 32 active members. Our next meeting will be Wednesday, March 13 at 4:30 p.m. in AB100.

Pi Gamma Mu The West Virginia Zeta Chapter

of Pi Gamma Mu, the international honor society in Social Sciences, will meet Wednesday. March 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Verona Mapel Room. The documentary award-winning film "Bitter Cane" will be shown. The film, about Haiti and U.S. business located there, also contains footage on workers at the Kellwood Plant in Spencer discussing "run-away" industry. The meeting is open to the

public. We hope that current members and anyone who is interested in joining or who would like to know more about Pi Gamma Mu will attend. Sigma Spring Pledge Class

The Sigma Spring Pledge Class of 1985 held their second meeting on Monday, February 25, 1985 at 9:30 p.m. in the Sigma lounge. The meeting was brought to order by the Pledge Class President. Veronica Walker. Sam Unger went over items in the meeting with the pledges and Sandy Bleigh presented an Education Program to the pledges. The program was organizing study time. Veronica Walker took over the rest of the She and the rest of meeting. the pledge class discussed items concerning the activities the pledge class will do during their pledge period. After all items were discussed, the meeting was adjourned.

On Sunday March 3, 1985 at 10:15 p.m. the pledges were glad to find out who their Big Sisses were: Gina Anguis - Camella Tenney, Genice Bell - Sandy Bleigh, Mary Kay Jones - Kassie Conley, Veronica Walker - Tammy Maynor.

We love you actives!

Delta Zeta

The Theta Xi Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority held an informal meeting Monday, Feb. 25, 1985 at the Delta Zeta House at 4:30 p.m.

Weekly awards were presented and were as follows: Clean Room - Brenda Kinnison, Mindy Gutberlet and Angie Boles; Pig Pen - Tina Hunt; Wilted Rose -Vickie Smith, Leisa Samples and Becky Langford; Study Turtle -Doretta Pugh and Tina Hunt.

Girls are reminded to pay their bills as soon as possible.

Lisa Blankenship, our province Collegiate director, visited this past weekend, we enjoyed her company and hope she will visit Glenville again. We'd like to thank Julian Sulgit for speaking at our reception for Lisa Friday night.

A standard's program was given Saturday in the Media Center of the library, congratulations to Peggy Spencer on a job well done!

Our Big Sis Ceremony was held Thursday night at the Delta Zeta House, everyone had a great time. Little Sisses and their Big Sisses are as follows: Jennifer Vincent - Sandy Moyers; Liz Travise - Theresa McClure; Melody Melrose - Becky Langford; Helen Carl - Mindy Gutberlet.

We love you little sisses and we're ready for a great semester!

Delta Zetas going on the Daytona trip are reminded to attend the general meeting tonight at 6:00 in the Ball Room.

Liz Travise was nominated and chosen as the Press Reporter for the Spring Pledge Class.

Birthday wishes this week go to Doretta Pugh, Theresa McClure, and Tami Allen. Happy Birthday girls, we hope they're good ones!

Our next meeting will be held Monday, March 10, 1985 at 4:30 p.m. at the Delta Zeta House! See you there sisters! Sigma Sigma Sigma

The Delta Alpha Chapter of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority held a casual dress business meeting February 28 in Sigma lounge.

Plans were discussed for our Chili Dinner which will be held March 13 from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. in the Pioneer Center Ballroom. Tickets may be purchased from any Sigma. The cost is \$2.50 for adults and \$2.00 for children under 12 years of age. Tickets may also be purchased at the door for \$3.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12 years of age.

Our intramural basketball team has two games this week on Tuesday and Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

We are taking orders to deliver singing telegrams. They can be sent for any occasion and orders may be placed until May 1. To place your order, contact Tracy Daugherty in Room 210 Williams - ext. 258.

A reminder that our membership rush chairperson, Donna Skidmore will be visiting us the weekend of March 8-9-10.

April 11 at 8:00 p.m. is the tentative date for initiation for our Spring Pledge Class.

Big Sis/Lil Sis ceremony was held Sunday evening in Sigma lounge. Big Sis - Tammy Maynor, Lil Sis - Veronica Walker; Big Sis - Sandy Bleigh, Lil Sis - Genice Bell; Big Sis - Kassie Harsh, Lil Sis - Mary Kay Jones; Big Sis - Camella Tenney, Lil Sis - Gina Anguis; Big Sis - Angie Conley, Lil Sis - Terry McEachron.

Happy Belated Birthday to Veronica Walker. Hope you had a nice one.

Sisters of the week are Genice Bell, Sandy Bleigh, Pam Mullens, Anita Stephenson and Veronica Walker.

Cultured Pearl goes to Angie Conley and Lisa Waggy.

Sigma Sweethearts are Melody Hopkins, Darla Keenan and David Walker (thanks alot).

Ladies of the White Rose

The Ladies of the White Rose Auxiliary of the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity held an informal meeting, Tuesday, Feb. 26, 1985, in the Wesley Foundation at 5:00 p.m.

We'd like to congratulate and welcome the new ladies to Ladies of the White Rose. The new Ladies are Jane Cogar, Cindy Cowger, Patty Hardin, Sara Oliver, Kedrin Queen, Becky Rose, and Veronica Walker.

Big Sisses are reminded to keep writing letters to their little bros.

To our little brothers - Keep guessing, you only think you know who we are, we really have you snowed! We love you little brothers.

To Lambda Chi Alpha - We love you bunches and best of luck to Lambda Chi I and II with intramurals.

Pioneers Go 1-1 In Tourney Action, Finish Seventh In W.V. Conference

The GSC Pioneers made it past the first round of the West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference tournament for the first time since 1981, and finished in seventh place in the conference standings.

GSC 72, Salem 68

Glenville held off a late rally by Salem College in Wednesday night's first round action to post a 72-68 win over the Tigers. The Pioneers quickly got on top and held Salem down, leading by 22-8 midway through the first half, and building that to 38-21 by the intermission.

With just under four minutes remaining in the game, however, Salem began to pick away at the 62-51 GSC lead. The Tigers scored six straight points in the next minute to cut the score to 64-57. After four straight missed GSC free throws, Salem

pulled to within four at 68-64. That was as close as the game ever got, though, as Matt Bullet and Rudy Watts hit two foul shots each to ice the win.

Bullet scored a gamehigh 21 points to pace the Pioneer scoring attack, while Watts poured in 18 and grabbed 10 rebounds. Steve Linville added 14 points and nabbed 5 steals in the effort, and Kenneth Taylor, WVIAC Player of the Week for February 18-23, pumped in 13 markers. The squad hit 28 of 44 field goal attempts for a .636 percentage while holding Salem to only 26 of 65 for just 40%.

UC 99, GSC 71

It was all the Pioneers could do in Thursday night's quarterfinal action to keep the University of Charleston under 100 points. The Golden Eagles literally stifled Glenville early in

the game and went on to knock the Pioneers out of the tournament by a 99-71 score.

Glenville managed to keep up with UC for the first 10 minutes of the game, but by halftime the Pioneers were looking at the low end of a 59-29 score. The second half did not look much better for GSC, as they battled to stay within 30 and to keep UC from breaking the century mark. Charleston was stopped in at least two scoring attempts in the last

attempts in the last minute of play as the GSC defense and Pioneer fans did all they could to hold the Golden Eagles at 99.

Bullet, Watts, and

Bullet, Watts, and Taylor led the Pioneers in scoring with 17, 13, and 12 points, respectively. Coach Gary Nottingham's squad finished the season with a 12-17 overall record and went 9-14 in conference action.

In other quarterfinal action, West Virginia Wesleyan slipped past



Rudy Watts (34) and Matt Bullett battle for a rebound in first round action in the WVIAC Tournament as Kenneth Taylor (44) looks on. Taylor was named the WVIAC Player of the Week for Feb. 18-23.

Wheeling, Fairmont rallied to defeat West Liberty, and WV Tech won a thriller over WV State. Wesleyan defeated Tech in Friday's first semi-final game, and Fairmont pulled off a two-point upset over UC. The

conference championship once again went to Wesleyan, as the Bobcats won over Fairmont in the finals Saturday night. Charleston took third place honors by knocking off Tech in the consolation game.



GSC's Kenneth prepares to put up a shot against Salem in last week's WVIAC Tournament. The Pioneers defeated Salem 72-68, then lost 99-71 to UC in the quarterfinals.

Maynard 3rd, Lothes 4th In Ladies' Scoring Ranks

Kim Maynard has moved into third and Maria Lothes into fourth place on the GSC Lady Pioneers' all-time scoring list. Maynard scored 311 points this year to push her career total to 1,003 while Lothes hit for 275 on the season to raise her total to 926 career points.

Tina Burkhamer was the Ladies' high-scorer for the season, with 449 points for a 17.3 per game average. Janice Hensley was next with 429 markers on the year for an average of 16.5 per game, followed by Maynard at 12 points per game and Lothes with a 10.6 average. Rhonda Hicks had a total of 114 points for an average of 4.6.

Hensley had a total of 290 rebounds to lead the team in that category. She was followed by Maynard with 208 caroms and Lothes with 193. Maynard also topped the list in assists with 83 and steals with 57. Senior Cathy Starcher dealt out 70 assists on the year, and Hensley blocked a team-high 21 shots.

Poet To Visit On March 15

Huntington poet Liewllyn McKernan will read her poetry and meet with students on Friday, March 15. Students and faculty are invited to a public reading at 2:00 that afternoon in the Little Theatre.

McKernan will also meet with the Creative Writing class in 203 Clark Hall at 11:00 and have lunch with English majors and others interested in meeting her at 12:00 in the Verona Mapel Room.

The Language Division is sponsoring her visit. Those who would like to be guests of the Division for a sandwich and soup luncheon should make reservations with Denise Ellyson, Secretary, no later than Monday, March 11.

Copies of McKernan's book of poems are on sale in the College Bookstore for \$2.50. Both AAUW and The Humanities Foundation of West Virginia gave grants to assist her in

publishing this book, titled "Short and Simple Annals: Poems about Appalachia" (1979).

A native of Arkansas. McKernan received her B.A. in English from Hendrix College, the M.A. in English from the University of Arkansas. and the M.A. in Creative Writing from Brown University. She has continued her studies at Marshall University, where she teaches parttime in the English Department. She has attended many writing workshops conducted by such eminent writers as Mary Lee Settle, George Garrett, A. R. Ammons, and R. V. Cassill.

McKernan has received numerous awards and honors, including a fellowship from the West Virginia Arts and Humanities Commission in 1981 to produce a manuscript of poems about Appalachian women and children. She has won prizes in state and national poetry competi-

tions. Her poems have appeared in literary publications all across the United States, including The Providence Review, Nimrod, Magazine of Appalachian Women, Grab-A-Nickel, and and The Kenyon Review. She gives frequent poetry readings in West Virginia and surrounding states.

"I am pleased that Llewellyn McKernan is coming to GSC," stated Dr. Barbara W. Tedford, who is in charge of arrangements. "Her poems are very carefully constructed and written about subjects that would appeal to West Virginians. She is a fine poet."

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Students going to Daytona are reminded to attend a meeting tonight at 6:00 in the ball-room. Fees for the special trips will be collected and important information will be discussed.

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"Crimes of the Heart"

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horse-'He was struck by lightning...he was struck dead:'" (The New York Times).

Barnes continues,
"...while this play
overflows with infectious high spirits, it is
also the tale of a very
troubled family...such is
Miss Henley's talent that
she can serve us pain as
if it were a piece of
cake..." (The New York
Times).

Beth Henley, born in Mississippi, won both the Pulitzer Prize and the Drama Critic's Circle Award for Crimes of the Heart. It was initially played in the Actors' Theatre of Louisville, moving then to Off-Broadway before finally

making its splash on Broadway, establishing Beth Henley as a major voice in contemporary theater. Her second play, The Miss Firecracker Contest, is currently playing in New York to reviews comparable to these.

Again, show dates are March 21, 22, and 23, with performances starting at 8:00 each evening. Tickets will go on sale March 18. Come to see the show that has audiences and critics going wild.

"...it would certainly be a crime for anyone interested in theatre, or in life, not to see this play..." (New York Post).

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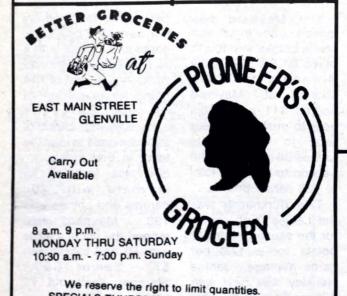
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