

# THE *Glenville Mercury*

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## Position Filled

A new family physician, Dr. Judy J. Petersen, has begun her medical practice in the Glenville and Weston communities, according to an announcement by officials at the Stonewall Jackson Memorial Hospital (SJM) in Weston. To serve both areas, Dr. Petersen will have offices at both the Gilmer County Medical Clinic in Glenville and Physician's Office Building II in Weston. She now becomes the sixth new physician to begin a medical practice with SJM in the past six months.

A Mullens native, Dr. Petersen is a 1976 graduate of West Virginia Wesleyan College in Buckhannon where she received her Bachelor of Science in Biology. In 1980 Dr. Petersen began her physician training at the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine in Lewisburg, where she was awarded her Doctor of Osteopathy degree in 1985. Dr. Petersen subsequently completed two years of medical internship and residency training at the Ohio Valley Medical Center in Wheeling prior to relocating to Lewis County.

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David Weese sings his version of "Silent Night" during the auditions for Threepenny Opera. The casting will be posted Tuesday afternoon.

## INTERVIEWS HELD

The following interviews will be conducted on campus during this semester. Prospective May and August graduates wishing to participate in these interviews should stop by the Placement Office (in the Pioneer Center) *this week* for further information and scheduling.

United States Army  
Sherwood Capital Inc. -  
Virginia/Washington, DC

area - Stockbroker Trainees  
United States Navy -  
Business and Liberal Arts  
graduates - 3.0 or above GPA  
Internal Revenue Service  
(Parkersburg office) - IRS  
Agent positions - Accounting  
major (or 24 hrs. in  
accounting) 3.0 average in  
accounting required

Teacher Education Inter-  
views - West Virginia and  
other state school systems.

## Election '88 Heats Up

Election '88 is soon coming upon us. Do you know for whom you are voting?

Thursday, February 18, 1988, from 7:30 pm - 12:00 pm, the Democratic candidates will present their views. On Friday, February 19, 1988, from 7:30 pm - 12:00 pm, the Republicans will present their side.

The program will be presented both evenings in the Student Union. There will be an exclusive preliminary broadcast

featuring Hodding Carter, as the host. He will discuss with students what they should look for in the debates. At 8:00 pm the formal debate begins. It is moderated by Bill Moyer. The debates will touch key issues facing college students. Carter and Moyers will summarize the night's activity at 10:00 pm. Candidates will join Hodding Carter to answer questions posed by students.

## R.A.'s Onboard

The residence halls of GSC have witnessed the placement and loss of a few R.A.'s. Deidra Burrows who is student teaching, and Denise Elkins were bidden adieu at the end of last semester from Pickens Halls. The two new R.A.'s are Kristi Barnard, a music ed/elem. ed major, and Linda McMillion, an elem. ed major. Kristi is located on 6th floor, while Linda is on 4th floor. Rhonda Simmons is the new Head R.A. for PH. She is located on 1st floor.

In Wagner Wing, Mike Fling is serving as the new R.A., filling the loss of Steve Hall. Lewis Woodard is also a new R.A. in Louis Bennett Hall.

Although there have already been a few mishappenings in the residence halls, it has been nothing earth shattering, or nothing our new R.A.'s could not handle.

Many students are unaware of the responsibilities and the sacrifices that are made by the R.A.'s. The term R.A. seems to carry a negative connotation with students, but as one R.A. stated, "The initials R.A. stand for resident assistant. Students think the R.A. is always out to catch them doing something wrong. But as our title says, we are here to assist the residents with any problem...whether it be classes, relationships, or if they are just in the mood to chit-chat. We're not out to get people, sometimes you just run up on someone doing something wrong."

The new R.A.'s seem to be taking their jobs seriously, and we hope they have a successful semester. For the most part, they all appear to agree with one new R.A. "If I didn't want to be R.A. I wouldn't be sacrificing my time and privileges for the betterment of the residence halls."



## BUNNER SELECTED

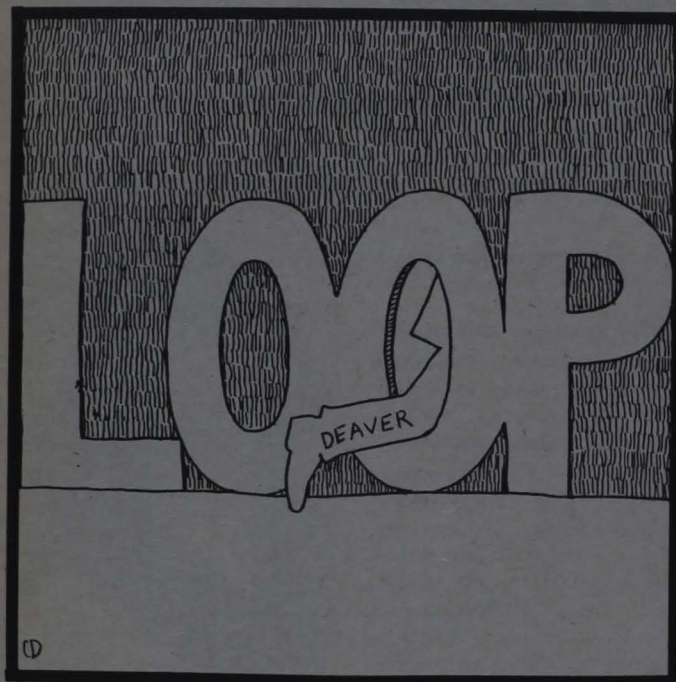
Deborah R. Bunner, a senior at GSC, has been selected to receive the Judith A. Herndon Legislative Fellows Program. The Program is a one semester internship sponsored by the West Virginia Legislature for fulltime undergraduate students of all majors and disciplines. It provides an opportunity for a few chosen students to participate in a 16-week assignment with the Legislature, beginning in January. Students receive a \$150 weekly stipend and earn academic credit. The primary goal of the Program is to instruct selected students in the theory and operations of legislatures and legislative bodies in their multidimensional aspects and roles. Students will be assigned either directly to a legislator or a legislative agency, performing research and various staff functions.

*Those individuals or organizations wishing to enter the Ms. Kanawhachen competition may submit their names and \$10 fee to The Kanawhachen, 3 Clark Hall. The last day of entry is Friday, Feb. 5.*

*Elections will be held Feb. 10, 11, and 12 and the winner will be named at the Heart Dance on Wednesday Feb. 17.*



# OPINION



## FLIGHTS OF FANCY

An event has occurred in recent weeks which should give us all a chill. The U.S. Supreme Court has intimated in a 5 to 3 ruling that the Bill of Rights is stamped "adults only." In *Hazelwood School District v. Kuhlmeir*, the court ruled that a high school publication, the *Spectrum*, produced by students at Hazelwood East High School was subject to censorship, particularly from the school principal.

The *Mercury* acknowledges that student publications are of necessity subject to boundaries of good taste, legality, and fairness, particularly as they may represent the academic institution to the public. Previous guidelines from the court had acknowledged administration control over content "poorly written, inadequately researched, biased or prejudiced, vulgar or profane, or unsuitable for immature audiences" and common sense indicates guidance is necessary for journalists learning their profession; however censorship is a dirty word of its own kind.

The *Mercury* believes enlightened guidance does not require censorship and once the monster is allowed to escape its cage, perhaps the *Washington Post* has something to fear. We base our future on lessons from past experience and we should feel chilly.

*Pat Ireland*

## ORGANIZATIONS

### Lambda Chi Alpha

The Beta Beta Chapter of Lambda Chi Alpha held their weekly meeting, Sunday, January 24. Initial steps for this semester's fund raisers were taken at this meeting. Our Epsilon has begun to put together a spring formal for the Brothers and the Ladies of The White Rose.

Any girl interested in becoming one of the Ladies of the White Rose contact Sheila Ware. For those men wishing to know more about Lambda Chi Alpha, there will be a rush party for you and your friends Wednesday the 27, 9:00 p.m. in the Pioneer Center. Come up and get a small taste of our fraternity.

Awards for the Brothers this week are: Wino - Jeff N. P.O.W. Rodney "Rise 'n Shine" Dingess, A.H. and W.O.F. - Jeff N.

### Delta Zeta

The Theta Xi chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority held an informal meeting on Monday, January 18th. Plans were discussed for joint rush and the Delta Zeta's would like to urge all girls to participate.

A spaghetti dinner with videos was held afterward on Monday, January 25th. We would like to thank those

who attended, and to extend an open invitation to visit the house anytime.

Congratulations to the following Delta Zeta's who maintained a 3.00 average or better last semester: Sherry "Sherbear" Burke, Helen Carl, Kim Gould, Anita Hess, Lorie Jimison, Teresa Knowlson, Mary Alice Maher, Allison "Tiger" Miller, Paula Rexroad, Sandra Simers, Rhonda Simmons, Violet Smith, and Amy Stewart. Both sororities and fraternities maintained excellent grade point averages. Keep up the good work!

Congratulations to both the Pioneers and the Lady Pioneers on their victories this past weekend.

Last, but certainly not least, we would like to congratulate Paula on her recent engagement to Brian. Also, to Jennifer Vincent, we would like to let her know our thoughts and prayers are with her. Welcome back to everyone.

### Kappa Delta Pi

There will be a meeting of Kappa Delta Pi in the curriculum lab of Clark Hall at 12:30 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 28, 1988. All members are urged to attend.

### Tau Kappa Epsilon

On Monday, January 18, The Iota Omega Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon held their weekly meeting. New officers were elected to the offices of Vice President, Grammateus, Histor, and Hypophetes. The officers are Kevin Davisson, Michael Phillips, Mark Romano, and Mark King, respectively. Also elected as the new O.D. Coordinator was Bernie Barley.

To all those men who are considering pledging this semester, we will be having a rush party Wednesday, January 27, at 7:00 p.m. in the Vandalia Room of the Pioneer Center. You are also invited to our next meeting Monday, February 1.

All fraters are reminded to dress-up on Tuesdays and wear your letters on Wednesdays.

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## LETTERS

Several changes can be seen this year, in the services being rendered by the Pioneer Center staff. Among them are, the way milk is being dispensed (no longer are individual cartons of milk being served, cutting

down on the complaints of sour milk and also cutting down on the amount of milk being carried out of the cafeteria. Peanut butter and jelly sandwiches are being served in the snack bar, and

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### THE GLENVILLE MERCURY

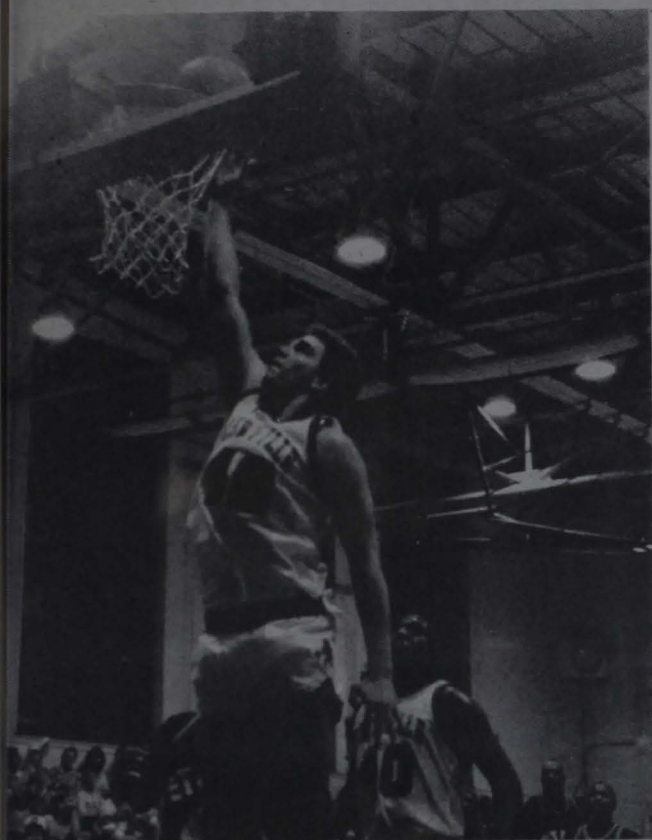
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# SPORTS



Dave Hall scores 2 of his 22 points against State in last Wednesday's game.

Kris Rogers

## DAN THE FAN



Mercury Sports Editor: Danny Ray

O.K. So, I was wrong. Holmes didn't go the distance with Tyson. Iron-Mike K.O.ed Larry in less time than it would take to make pour-a-quiche. Don't feel sorry for Larry. With 3 million dollars in his pocket, I'm sure that he will be miling all the way to the bank. I witnessed another heavyweight title fight this past weekend. Forty-six year old Burt Hays unsuccessfully tried to lift the W.V. heavyweight belt from the 6-7, 263-pound Sam Scaff, a man 15 years his junior. The fight was stopped in round four. Scaff was too big and Hays was too old.

The Pioneer cheerleaders have made some changes. The addition of two males, Eric Mitchell and Gordon Stevens, gives the squad a new look. Keep up the good work guys.

Instead of throwing my hat into the political ring, I will be throwing my body into the boxing ring. Yes, I have entered the Clarksburg tough-man contest. In response to this I have heard "good luck," to "you'll get killed," to loud laughter. I think it's funny myself and if I survive I will let you know what happened. A wise man once said, "Don't take statistics." So, I didn't.

## SUPER BOWL XXII CONTEST

BRONCOS \_\_\_\_\_ REDSKINS \_\_\_\_\_  
(score) (score)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

## PIONEERS WIN TWO STRAIGHT

PIONEERS swat YELLOWJACKETS

The Pioneers went to work against the WV State Yellowjackets at home defeating them 76-72. Yellowjacket Coach Chico Caldwell said, "Glenville played well, they were patient and executed a solid game plan. "After trailing by seven points, Glenville took the lead 22-21 with a David Hall lay-up and extended

their lead to eight by halftime.

David Hall scored 22 points and pulled in 7 rebounds. Clinton Hinton looked like the "Terminator" on the boards with 11 rebounds and also added 18 points. Paul Grier put in 10 points and had 6 assists. James Glover and Dwayne Williamson helped-out on the night with 5 assists each.

PIONEERS trip TIGERS

On Saturday, the Pioneers hit the road and beat the Salem Tigers 77-66. Shooting 55% from the floor, Glenville chalked-up another conference win.

Clinton Hinton amassed 23 points and 8 rebounds while Jr. guard Paul Grier netted 16 points and contributed 3 assists.

### BASKETBALL GAMES

PIONEER GAMES:

Jan. 27 WV Tech A

Feb. 1 Fairmont A

LADY PIONEER GAMES:

Feb. 1 Salem A

## LADY PIONEERS BEAT SHEPHERD

The Shepherd Lady Rams came to Glenville with a record of 9-2 and left with a record of 9-3. The Lady Pioneers trounced their conference foe 91-68.

After four early ties, Karen Wooters connected to take the lead 16-14, a lead that would not be overcome. Coach Tim Carney said, "Karen hit a lot of big shots and was hot early." Scoring 20 points, Wooters said,

"When you're at the top, everyone is shooting for you and being number one in the conference is bringing us all closer together as a team."

Monique Johnson scored 18 points while Tammy Pence had 14 and led the team with 17 rebounds. Rhonda Felder and Tami Simons hit double digits with 11 points each.

## BULLETIN: Pioneers Win 3 in a Row!

Shortly before press time, the Mercury office was informed that Gary Nottingham's boys won another game. Saturday on the "Tex Williams Show," Tex, head coach of Alderson Broadus, said that Glenville was always tough. He was right. After a 32-32 half-time score the Pioneers defeated the A-B Battlers 67-59.

David Hall led the way with 28 points and 13 rebounds. Paul Grier and Melvin Smith helped out with 20 and 11 points respectively. Dwayne Williams dished-out 5 assists.

The Mercury is sponsoring its third Super Bowl contest. To enter you must predict the outcome of the Super Bowl, team, and score. Submit your entries to The Mercury office or Danny Ray. A cash prize of 10 dollars will go to the person who picks the Super Bowl champion and comes closest to the actual game score. All entries must be in before January 29th. Good Luck!



Karen shows her offensive prowess.

Paul Biser



## LETTERS

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new carbonated drink machines have been installed in both the snack bar and the cafeteria. But most importantly, the amount of salt used in preparing the food seems to have been decreased.

True, there are several other concerns that commuting and non-traditional students at GSC have voiced which has not been resolved. But, the governing board of the Pioneer Center can not meet these concerns without the approval of the college authorities. The opinion of the individual student seems to carry little weight; therefore, an organization for each group is being planned.

The commuter group is defined as those students who are of normal college age, 18-24, and who live five miles or further from the college. The non-traditional student is defined as all other students who commute.

Those who wish to be involved in an organization for these groups contact Minnie McNemar. Even those within this definition who may not wish to become a standard member of this group should consider lending their assistance in organizing these groups because, in unity there is strength. Your unity is needed to help get your needs brought more effectively to the attention of the college governing board.

Dates for these organizational meetings are planned for some time within the next three weeks, providing enough people show interest in this project. Please contact Minnie McNemar or Bill Stackman to express your interest.

Minnie McNemar

Letters to the Editor should be signed and delivered to the Mercury office in a sealed envelope to ensure confidentiality. All letters will be printed exactly as received. Spelling, punctuation, and grammatical errors will not be corrected. Please proofread your letter to avoid embarrassment.

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# AB Choir Performs

The Concert Choir from Alderson-Broaddus College will be performing in concert at the First Baptist Church of Glenville, 217 E. Main Street on Monday, February 1, 1988 at 7:00 p.m.

Under the direction of Mr. Nolan Long, the Alderson-Broaddus Concert Choir is recognized as one of the finest collegiate choral groups in West Virginia and surrounding areas and is in constant demand in churches and schools.

Through the years, the Choir's repertoire has included inspiring and exciting numbers representing all of the great periods of choral composition, from the Latin motets of the Renaissance to the most

recent publications.

The Choir has traveled throughout most of the eastern United States from Massachusetts to Florida. They have had two summer European tours to Bulgaria, Greece, Romania, and Stockholm, Sweden, where they participated in the international choir at the Baptist World Alliance. A performing tour of Great Britain is currently being planned.

A cordial invitation is extended to the students, faculty, and staff of Glenville State College to attend this concert presented by a choir of a sister institution. A freewill offering will be received.

## Lifeguards Needed

Applicants must be U.S. citizens, 18 years old or older for jobs at Cape Cod and Fire Island and at least 16 years old for jobs at Gateway. They must have work or education experience and have a physician's letter indicating the applicant is in good health to take the test.

Information and applications are available by writing Surfguard Program, Gateway National Recreation Area, Floyd Bennett Field, Brooklyn, NY 11234 or calling the toll-free number 1-800-NP8-SWIM from outside New York City starting Feb. 12. Applicants in New York City should call 718-338-3670.

### The National Park Service

**AIDS: The Future Campus Crisis** will be telecast live Wednesday, February 17, 1988, from 2:00-4:00 in the Student Union.

The purpose of this symposium is to educate students, faculty, and staff about AIDS. John Criswell,

is accepting lifeguard applications for positions in New York, Long Island, New Jersey and Massachusetts. Pre-employment tests will be conducted in New York City, New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Tennessee, Illinois, Maryland, Alabama, Pennsylvania, Washington, D.C. and Puerto Rico.

Successful applicants will be offered surf lifeguard positions at Gateway National Recreation Area in New York City and New Jersey; at Fire Island National Seashore on Long Island and at Cape Cod, Mass. Limited summer housing will be available at each location.

an anchorman for the ABC-TV affiliate in Dallas, will be the host for the program. Questions will be taken live via telephone by program panelists who are national leaders in the identification, treatment, and research of AIDS.

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## ORGANIZATIONS-

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## Reflections

Around 70 people turned out for the overnight at the Wesley Foundation last Friday, January 15th. It was a great success because we finally got Tim Loudin on his knees. (We even got a picture). We think he really was praying, too, but no matter—he lost the game anyway.

The winner of the Alpine Sweater Contest was Jane Mason. She received a sweater bear. The winner and runner-up of the Teddy Bear Contest were Lisa Shaffer and Barbara Cottrill. Each received another teddy bear. Judges for the contest were Tim Loudin, Jim Meads, Wally Mullins and Lowell Peterson.

The games included Win, Lose, or Draw; Ping Pong Blow; Toilet Paper Wrap; Egg Toss; Balloon Burst; etc. The grand winner receiving a Bingo Bear was Brenda Duell.

A highlight of the evening was painting teddy bear name tags. Some people were quite creative.

Although the theme for the evening was Winter Wonderland, it was "bearly" noticeable.

### Ladies of the White Rose

The women's auxiliary of the Lambda Chi Alpha

fraternity held their first meeting on Tuesday, January 19, 1988 at 5:30 p.m. in the Wesley Foundation chapel. The officers were introduced as follows: President - Sheila Ware; Vice President - Linda McMillion; Secretary - Karen Ash; Treasurer - Crystal Kitzmiller; Public Relations - Lori Keaton; Scrapbook - Sherry Haught; and Song Leader - Sharon Rose.

We discussed and started plans for a fundraiser. Final details should be completed soon. Remember Ladies, that Shirt-day is on all Wednesdays; and your dues should be paid by February 16.

We want to wish everyone a great semester.

To our Wonderful Brothers, We Love You!

## SEA

The second semester meeting schedule has been set for the Student Education Association. The dates are as follows. Feb. 1, March 7, Apr. 4, and May 2. Education students are encouraged to get active in SEA and attend the sessions. At the February meeting student teachers will present a panel called "First Impressions."

The meetings are held at 4 o'clock on Mondays in room 101 Clark Hall.

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