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H. S. Art Show Organized

The art department of Glenville State College is sponsoring its twelfth annual high school art exhibition. The exhibit is to be held from April 10 thru 14, 1989, in the Ballroom at the Pioneer Center. All high school art students are eligible. Each school is allowed ten entries of which five or more should be junior and senior artwork. Categories are:

I. Drawing: 1. Pencil, 2. Charcoal, 3. Ink, 4. Transparent wash

II. Painting: 1. Tempera, 2. Oil, 3. Watercolor, 4. Acrylic

III. Printmaking: 1. Linoleum, 2. Callograph, 3. Wood block, 4. Multi-color, 5. Lithographic-paper

IV. Sculpture: 1. Terra Cotta, 2. Wire, 3. Plaster, 4. Wood, 5. Stone

V. Crafts: 1. Ceramics-pottery-glass-tile design, 2. Weaving, 3. Basket making, 4. Lapidary and jewelry casting

VI. Photography: 1. Black and white, 2. Color

VII. Mixed Media

All schools are encouraged to attend the exhibition on Friday, April 14, 1989 to view the works and participate in the awards presentations. Awards will be presented at 1:00 pm. Following the presentations students and instructors may remove their entries before leaving. The exhibition will be open the entire week of April 10-14, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm daily and 5:00 to 8:00 pm on Wednesday evening.

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Science Fair

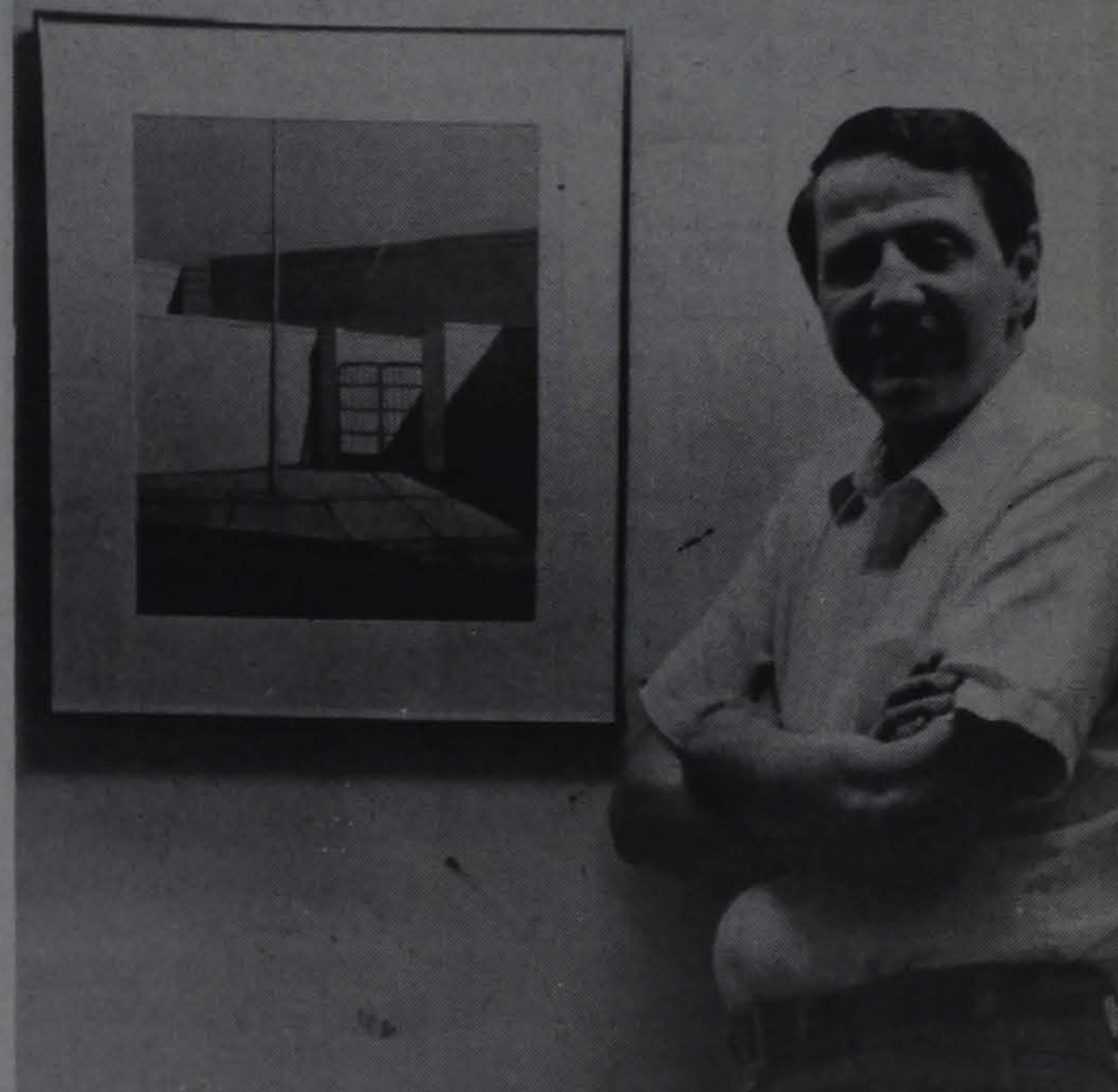
On April 7 and 8, 150 high school students and 60 teachers will be on the Glenville State College campus to participate in the 36th Annual W.Va. State Science and Engineering Fair.

Exhibits are to be erected Friday afternoon at which time separate business meetings will be held for the faculty sponsors and the high school students. Judging of the exhibits will occur at 7 p.m. In addition to the judging, structured activities will be provided for both students and their sponsors from 7 to 11 p.m.

On Saturday morning, the finalists will be judged and two West Virginia students will be selected to represent the state at the International Science and Engineering Fair to be held in Pittsburgh, May 7 through 13.

Paper presentations describing the research conducted by each student also will be judged Saturday morning. The exhibit areas will be open for public viewing from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at which time the awards luncheon will be served and awards presented.

All letters and articles should be error free. We are not responsible for mistakes. We print them as is.



Harper Exhibits Art

Mr. George Harper, associate professor of art at Glenville State College, has had two paintings accepted for inclusion in this year's Three Rivers Arts Festival Juried Exhibition in Pittsburgh. The exhibition will run June 1 thru 18.

The two accepted paintings are acrylics on paper. One is titled "Smithville School II" - from a series of the elementary school where his wife teaches in Ritchie County. The second is "Mall Walls" -

from a series of views of the Meadowbrook Mall in Bridgeport, WV.

The second painting was just exhibited in the 36th annual exhibition of the National Society of Painters in Casein and Acrylic, at the National Arts Club in New York March 9 thru 19. One of the jurors for this year's show was Philip Pearlstein, international figure painter. Mr. Pearlstein has been published in many art books and publications and is in many major museum collections.

Sec. of State to Speak

By Sally Robinson

West Virginia's Secretary of State, Dr. Ken Hechler will be speaking to Glenville State College students April 11. Dr. Wesley Phelan and the State and Local Government Class will host the event in the Verona Mapel Room of the Pioneer Center from 11:00 a.m. until 12:15 p.m.

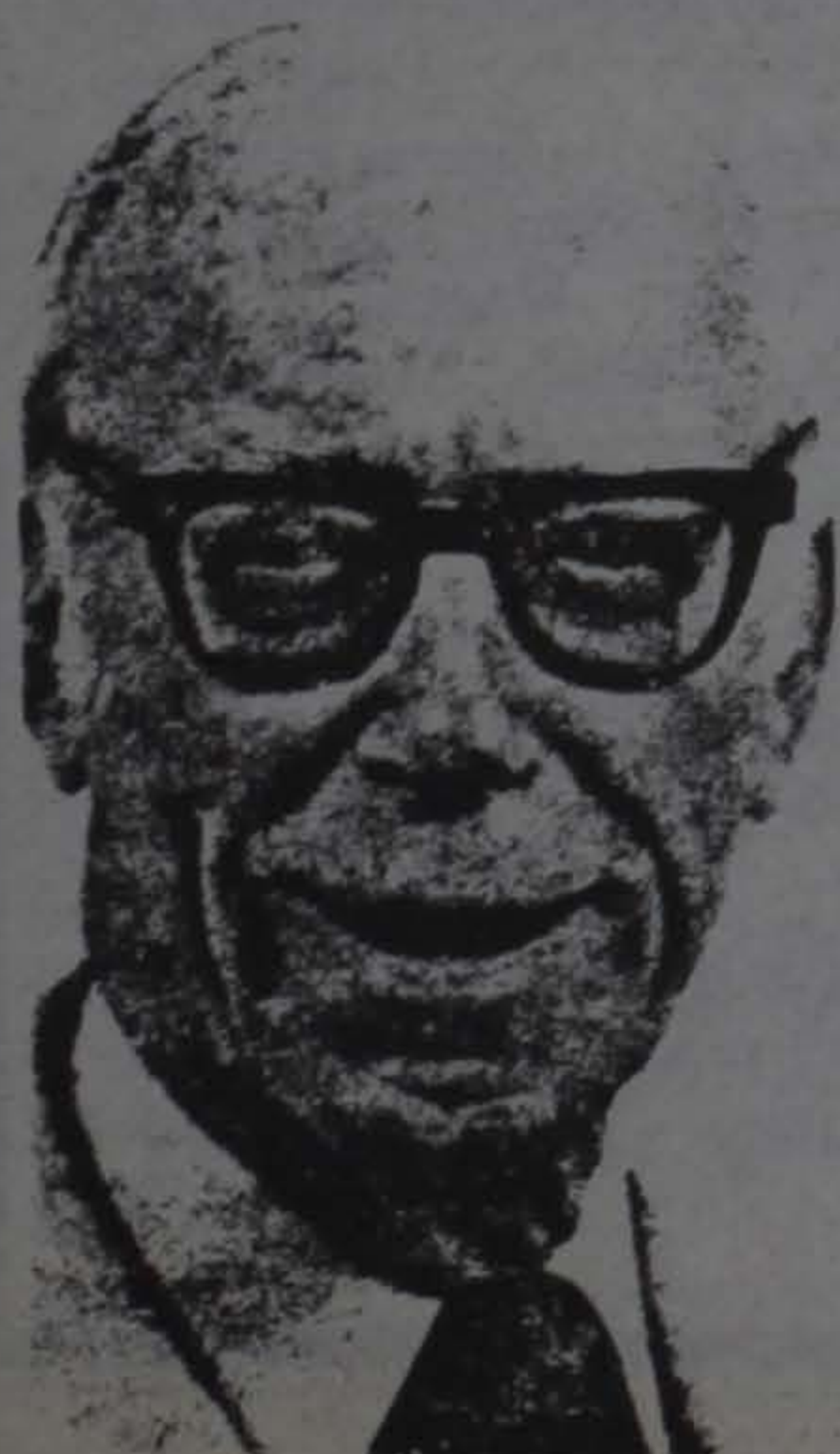
Dr. Hechler is a graduate with both a M.A. and Ph.D. in Political Science from Columbia University. He has been an instructor of

Government at Columbia and Barnard College, and Professor of Political Science at both Marshall and Princeton Universities. Also, Dr. Hechler has acted as assistant to Judge Samuel Rosenman and President Franklin D. Roosevelt in editing and annotation of The Public Papers and Addresses of Franklin D. Roosevelt, and as a special assistant to President Harry S. Truman.

Dr. Hechler served as a member of the United States House of Representatives from 1959-1977 and has served as Secretary of State since January 1985.

The topics Dr. Hechler will discuss at Glenville State College will be the duties of the Secretary of State and the September 9, 1989 Special Election which will decide if his office will continue to be an elected position.

All interested persons are welcome to attend this event.



GSC Week Events Scheduled

By Carmen Wager

A fun-filled week of events has been planned for GSC Week to be held April 17-22.

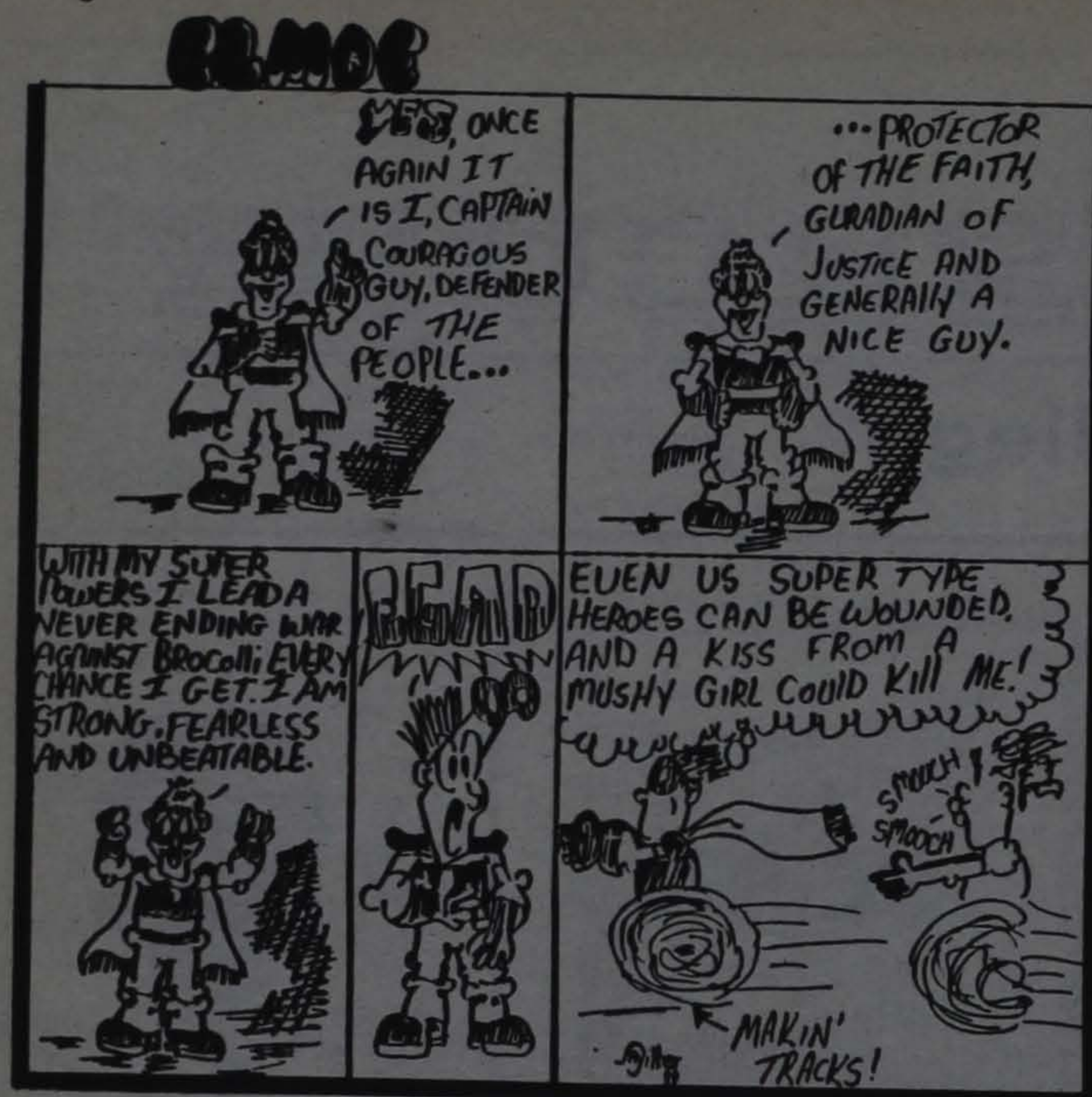
The activities will begin on Monday with a Mexican Fiesta sponsored by PCPB. Delicious Mexican food will be served Monday-Friday from 11 am - 1 pm in the PC Lobby. Free ice cream and balloons will be given away in the amphitheatre from 1 pm-3 pm every day except Thursday. Music will be played in the amphitheatre

12 pm - 7 pm daily.

If you enjoy gambling, a Casino will be set up in the Verona Mapel Room from 5 pm - 7:45 pm on Monday. Several prizes will be awarded to those who hit it lucky. To conclude the days events the Elmer Isler Singers, a 20-member choral group sponsored by the Cultural Affairs Comm., will perform at 8 pm in the auditorium.

Tuesday, bring your t-shirts to the PC Lobby and have

the GSC logo, which was designed by Doug Jackson, put on them free of charge. Volleyball will be played in the gym between 3 pm - 5 pm. One of the most popular events, "Game Show Night," will be held from 6 pm - 11 pm in the Ballroom. Come and try your luck at "Name That Tune," "Win, Lose, or Draw," "The Roommate Game," "Pioneer Feud," and "Wheel of Fortune." You must sign up in



ORGANIZATIONAL NEWS

Delta Zeta Sorority

The Theta Xi chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority held their weekly formal meeting Tuesday March 28, at 9:30 pm. We talked about State Day which was held this past weekend, April 1st and 2nd at Cedar Lakes in Ripley. We all had a real good time and met a lot of new sisters in other chapters.

We won an Award for holding a continued Academic Success for the past 5 years. We were all very proud, our grade point average has remained at a 2.8 for all this time. An individual award was given for Model Pledge and Chris Jamison received it for being involved in other campus activities, keeping a high grade point average through all this plus being in the Sorority. We're proud of you, Chris and we love you!!!

Also we decided on having another Spaghetti Dinner, April 25 and 26 at the Sorority house from 6:00 to 8:00 pm.

We all learned a lot of new ideas from State Day and we're ready for a good ending of the Semester and a fresh new year starting the Fall of 89!! We're really excited about it!!!

Pam, I hope you got a new tire for your car so Alice won't have to hold a tire next time she rides with you anywhere!! We love you!!!

GSC Staff Council

The Glenville State College Staff Council is raffling off a Dahlia designed quilt made by Mrs. Wilmoth of Normantown, to enhance the funds for the Spring and Fall Scholarships for the members of GSC employees to attend classes.

Tickets are being sold for 25 cents each or 5 for a dollar. Tickets are being sold by the staff members. The drawing for the Dahlia quilt will be held during the Folk Festival on June 17 in Glenville.

The quilt can be viewed in the lobby of the Administration Building.

Ladies of the White Rose

The Ladies of the White Rose held their weekly meeting Thursday March 30, 1989 at 5:15 in the Wesley Foundation.

April 6 from 8:00-11:30 Chi Formal will be held in the Ballroom. If you are going to help set up be there at 6:00.

We will hold a Bake Sale April 18-19-20 in the Pioneer Center from 11:00-1:00.

Thanks to Beth Bragg who was appointed as our second advisor.

Awards for the week: LW-Cindy Skiles, Stacey McCallister, Missy Burdette. BROW-Eugene Deem; LOTW-cont. on pg. 3

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

We wish to thank Richard Bowers, GSC Student Congress and the GSC Maintenance Dept. for acting on the raised problems and needs of the Picas, (Pioneers in Commuter Activities Society).

By doing so, you have tripled the locker space available; provided a copier and microwave in the Pioneer Center; and have placed a picnic table outside the bookstore.

For these, and your support, we thank you.

Sincerely yours,
Ruby Collins
President, Picas

To the students of GSC: As growing adults, we tend to do one of two things when confronted with a problematic situation. The first route we may take is that of observance and neutrality. The second alternative is that of action. This action may involve simply voicing one's opinions—although I feel this is not real action—or by actually taking a step toward what you feel the solution should be or may still have the potential to be. What we must remember is that by voicing our opinions in either letters or protests or in any form, we are crossing that line of neutrality. We decide to team with the side we believe—or think we should believe in.

Am I being vague and skirting the issue at hand here? I guess I still don't know exactly where I stand on this situation. The problem I am referring to is the recent Pioneer Center Director's vacancy. Throughout the last few months, I have heard various stories about how it happened, why it happened, whose fault it was, and so on. I think we all can and have become victim of small-town gossip. However, throughout the whole ordeal, I have maintained a stance of non-committment on either side of the issue at hand. This surprised me, really, because it is very easy to believe everything you hear and to jump right on the cont. on pg. 5

From the Editor's Desk

Well I hope everyone had a good break and got back safely. The weather sure has been crazy lately: one day it's 80 degrees and the next it's 40 degrees. It makes you wonder.

It looks like Exxon really messed up this time. The Governor of Alaska is now threatening to close the Alaskan pipeline unless he can be assured that the oil industry is capable of responding to another major oil spill.

Alaska is the largest shrimp producer in the world and this oil spill may have seriously crippled their shrimp and fish industry for years to come, at a cost of millions of dollars.

Exxon has been telling

them for years that they had the equipment to handle a major oil spill, but, fell short when it occurred. Exxon of course assumes full responsibility for the spill, (as if they had a choice); and fired the captain of the Valdez, who was said to have been drunk at the time when it ran aground.

The captain of the Valdez had apparently been reprimanded more than once before for this. So, why wasn't he fired long ago? Around 85 percent of the United States oil comes from Alaska. What will happen if they do shut it down and would they be wrong in doing it?

Editor
Bill Church



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Lisa Dolan, Sharon Rose; FOC-Jerry Burkhammer, Beth Bragg!

Remember shirt day is Thursday. We love you Chi's!

Panhellenic Council

The Panhellenic Council held their scheduled meeting March 30.

We discussed the Outstanding Young Woman's Banquet April 27. All women who are nominated please keep this date in mind.

Mary Alice Maher, this year's president was elected our Outstanding Young Woman.

The Council is once again selling Care Packages for Final's Week. If you would like to purchase one for yourself or a friend please contact a sorority member.

Phi Beta Lambda

Phi Beta Lambda held their regular scheduled meeting on March 28, 1989.

At the meeting, the members voted on an amendment to the constitution regarding an attendance policy and it was passed by a majority vote. A special reminder to all those competing at PCC. Please be at PCC by 6:00 p.m. on April 7 and 6:30 a.m. on April 8. Also, please wear business attire.

Officers for the fall 1989 and spring 1990 were also elected. Congratulations to: President, Scot Montgomery; Vice-President, Cheryl Amos; Secretary, Kristen Edman; Treasurer, Gary Williams; Reporter, Carla Cutlip; Historian, Lisa Dolan; and Parliamentarian, Kathy Sealey.

All members remember pizza orders are due on April 3, 1989 and the next meeting is on April 11, 1989 at 12:45 in room AB 302. See you there!

Pi Gamma Mu

Pi Gamma Mu members held their Spring Initiation Banquet March 28, 1989 in the Verona Maple Room. A candlelight ceremony was observed as new members took their pledges. Dr. Paul Lutz, former Glenville State College history teacher, returned as the guest speaker. He enlightened members with the import-

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ance of Pi Gamma Mu and the role it plays here at Glenville State College.

Those members and faculty attending were: Ms. Ladonna Childers, Dr. Gary Arbogast, Dr. James Hilgenberg, Dr. William Dean, Sandra Bowen, Allen Brock, Renee Chadwell, Traci M. Chapman, Ryan K. Haught, Darrin Jones, Maryalice Maher, Renee Robinson, Ms. Suzanne Tomey, Robert Wilson, and Arson Workman.

Pi Gamma Mu's next meeting will be held Wednesday April 5, 3:00 pm Room 335 in the Social Science Division.

PICAS

Our next meeting is set for Thursday, April 6th at 12:30 in the Vandalia Room.

Reminder: All commuters can bring their lunch and friends with them!!!

Tri Sigma

The Delta Alpha chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma held its weekly meeting Sunday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the Vandalia Room. We will be selling loaves of bread during April 3 through 7. The cost is \$1.50 a loaf. Money is due when the order is placed. The bread will be delivered Monday, April 10. If you wish to place an order please contact a Sigma before Friday. Also, we would like to welcome back Gini. We missed you!!

Student Accounting Society

The Student Accounting Society will have its regular meeting for April, Thursday April 6th, at 12:30 in AB 302. Also, there will be a short Vita meeting afterwards.

TKE

Iota Omega chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon held its weekly meeting Tuesday, March 28th. Pledges will have their first voting session on Tuesday at 8:30.

Only five more weeks of regular classes. All dues should be paid before leaving for summer break.

Offices for the fall '89 semester will be made soon.

Fraters remember Tuesdays are letters day and dress up day is on Thursdays.

Classes Offered

New classes for adults and children through the Glenville State College Office of Continuing Education are scheduled to begin in April and May. These ungraded, non-credit classes are open to everyone, regardless of degree of education.

PINHOLE PHOTOGRAPHY for children ages 9-12 will meet on two Thursday evenings, April 13 and 20, from 6:30-8:00 and one Saturday morning, April 22 from 9:00-noon.

Gary Snyder will instruct a class entitled, SPRING FLORA for students ages 9-12 for three Tuesday evenings, April 11, 18, and 25 from 6:00-7:30.

The always popular REPTILES class will be instructed by Jim Meads for children ages 9-12 Wednesday, April 19 from 6:30-8:00. A one evening class stressing CHOLESTEROL FREE COOKING will take place on Monday, April 24 from 6:00-9:00.

A one day workshop that is well suited for the whole family is HICKORY/POPLAR BARK BASKETRY will meet on Saturday, May 6 from 9:00-3:00.

An adult PHOTOGRAPHY class for 5 Tuesday evenings will begin May 2 from 7:00-9:00.

To ensure your place in any of these classes, please register at least a week before the class begins by contacting Arlene Briski, Office of Continuing Education, Glenville State College, Glenville, WV 26351, 462-7361, ext. 173.

Due to a medical conference, Dr. Proctor's office will be closed on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, April 12, 13, and 14. It will open again on Monday, April 17. Dr. Villanueva will be available in his office at 4 Sumac Street in Glenville during his regular office hours, which are Wednesday 10-5, Thursday 1-5, Friday 10-5, and Saturday 9-12. His office number is 462-7056.

Dr. Allan Knowles will also be available during his regular hours in Burnsville. His hours are Wednesday 8-12 and Friday 8-4. His phone number is 853-2931.

While Dr. Proctor is gone, please feel free to call upon Dr. Knowles or Dr. Villanueva. You must, however, have your college I.D. card to be seen free of charge. As always, x-rays, lab tests, throat cultures, etc. are at your own expense.

Of course, Stonewall Jackson Memorial Hospital in Weston is always open for emergency care.



Education Students Aid Community

Community service projects can be an important part of college life at GSC. Pictured above (left to right, back row) are LaDonna Childers, Faculty Advisor, Mel Lane, Laura Stout, Laraine Rowe, Tammy Mace, Mary Conrad and Teresa Lee. These GSC students spend their Thursday afternoons providing special activities for the patients at Americare Rehabilitation and Nursing Center as a part of an ongoing after school community service program called "Joyful Noise."

A few of the Joyful Noise children pictured above (middle row, left to right) are Erick Rogucki, Justin Childers, Mary Shafer (piano accompanist), Jessica Briski,

and Julie Briski. On the first row are (left to right) Meko Boggs, Eunice Collins, Anne Ellyson, Jacob Dennison, Justin Collins and Rev. Peggy Hurlbutt.

Joyful Noise has included over twenty five community children in their activities throughout the current academic year. In addition to their trips to Americare they continue to present programs throughout the school year. The group usually meets at Trinity United Methodist Church after school each Thursday and includes children of all faiths. Next Thursday Margi Cottrill and Gail Balcourt will present "The Frog Prince," an outstanding puppet program, for the Joyful Noise.

10th Edition of TRILLIUM Available

The tenth edition of GSC's Literary Magazine, TRILLUM is now available. A free copy can be obtained from the English Department. Dr. Tedford, one of the advisors, explained, "This is the largest and perhaps the best edition. We had to reject a lot of good stories and poems because of lack of space." The other advisor for the TRILLUM is Dr. Como.

The Editor for this year's TRILLUM is Jon W. Townsend and Associate Editor is Mark Romano. The Assistant Editors are Jesse Chapman, Traci M. Probst and Sally Smith.

The interesting cover was designed by Associate Professor of Art George D. Harper.

The typists were Denise Ellyson, Chris Jamison, and Phyllis Mick.

The 14 contributors and

their stories and/or poems for this 100 page edition are as follows: Becky Baldwin: "Bills;" Bernice M. Blake: "Drought;" Clara M. Brown: "The Beauty Shop;" Jesse Chapman: "Diminished Returns," "Rough, Rough, Rough," "Frustration;" Cheryl Depue: "The Trouble With Billy;" Holly Ekstrom: "Brandon's Gift: A Christmas Story of Life;" Alex Johnson: "In Between," "It Was a Love," "Best Medicine;" Traci M. Probst: "Destiny;" Melody Sheets: "Alone;" Sally Smith: "The Christmas to Remember;" Sharon S. Smith: "Gossamer Pages," "My Dwelling Place;" Jon W. Townsend: "Dark Waves," "Words," "A Solitude," "Whoom!," "Passion and Principle," "Better the Lie;" Charles D. Vest: "Reminiscence;" and Charlotte Whipkey: "Waiting."

Sports

Buser's Briefs

Many things are happening in the world of sports. Another fabulous college basketball season has ended. My NCAA Tournament predictions turned out to be just as lousy as CBS Sports' "expert analysts," but one individual at GSC knows how to pick them. Congratulations to Dan Engle for winning the NCAA Mercury Contest, as he was the only person to pick one of the participants in the championship game. Dan predicted that Georgetown would nip Michigan, but he was the only person to mention the Wolverines, while no one foresaw Seton Hall to be in the title game.

Just in case you are like me and have heard enough about the Pete Rose and Wade Boggs' garbage, you will be glad for the arrival of hardball 1989. Here is an interesting statistic...if the

New York Yankees do not win the World Series this year, it will be the first decade since 1910-1919 that the Yankees did not win a World Series.

Of course, I cannot overlook the biggest sporting event for the upcoming weekend. Naturally I am referring to the premier PGA Tour event, the Masters at Augusta. Will Tom Kite continue his fine play and capture the elusive green jacket, or will foreign stars such as last year's champion Sandy Lyle, or Seve Ballesteros run away with the prize for the fifth time this decade? Who knows, but one thing is certain. The greens at the well-manicured course will be just as fast and tricky as ever making the world's best linksters earn their money—well at least struggle somewhat.

Ladies Fall to Claflin

by John Buser

Thanks to their bi-district playoff win over St. Vincent, the Lady Pioneers advanced to the NAIA national women's basketball tournament at Kansas City, marking the first ever appearance at the national tournament by Glenville's women's squad. Unfortunately, GSC was matched against undefeated and top-seeded Claflin (S.C.) on Thursday, March 16, in the first round.

The Lady Panthers, runners-up at nationals a year ago, sported a 33-0 record entering the tournament, including an average of over 100 points a game. Nonetheless, Glenville won the tap and scored first when Tammy Pence hit a 10 foot jumper.

However, Claflin quickly erased the deficit, capitalizing on some uncharacteristic poor shooting from GSC, which connected on just 11-49 shots in the first half. Consequently, the Lady Pioneers trailed at the

intermission 58-22. "If we could have gotten another day of rest before we had to play, I think we could have played them much closer... whenever you travel that far, it takes so much out of your legs," said Glenville Head Coach Dr. Russell Shepherd.

In the second half, the Lady Panthers increased their lead and went on to win 114-59. Tammy Pence notched 21 points for the blue and white, while Niki Randolph added 12 markers.

With the loss, the season has ended for the Lady Pioneers, but what a tremendous season it was. In addition to qualifying for the elite 16-team field at the national tournament, Glenville posted a 19-7 overall record, including an impressive 15-1 mark in the WVC to win the regular season title. Congratulations, Coach Shepherd, Coach Cunningham and Lady Pioneers for a great year!



Front Row L to R: John Buser, Bob Sowards, Andy Batten, Jason Sutton, Coach Tim Carney. Back Row: Greg Tallman, Scott Wymer, John Pack, Ben Moore, Pat Pence.

Photo by Paul Biser

Golfers Finish 3rd at Marietta Inv.

The Pioneer golfers were busy over spring break as they competed in two tournaments. On March 20-21, Coach Tim Carney's bunch headed south to play in the Elon College Invitational.

Unfortunately, the trip to North Carolina brought frigid temperatures and much rain. Glenville's linksters found the going rough on the first day, and despite a solid effort on the second day, finished 19th out of the 24 team field. Anderson College won the tournament, while Guilford, Elon, Methodist, and Western Carolina rounded out the

top five.

Individually, Bob Sowards' two day total of 157 (81-76) led the Pioneers, followed by Greg Tallman 161 (84-77), Ben Moore 166 (88-78), Pat Pence 172 (88-84), and Scott Wymer 172 (87-85).

On March 24-25, GSC participated in the 16th annual Marietta Invitational at the Golf Club of West Virginia. Glenville's Bob Sowards fired a three-under-par 66 to take the individual lead after the first day, as the Pioneers stood at third place in the 10 team field after the first round.

Although Sowards slipped somewhat on the second

day to shoot 76, he captured fifth place individually with his two day total of 142. In addition to the strong performance by Sowards, the rest of the Glenville team rebounded from the Elon tournament to play well, helping the Pioneers hold on to capture third place (757), behind Ohio Wesleyan (732), and Wittenberg (748). Freshman Ben Moore 153 (78-75), transfer Greg Tallman 154 (78-76), and Freshman Pat Pence 156 (79-77) all showed why they were so highly recruited with their consistent play. Andy Batten 161 (77-84) and Jason Sutton 165 (90-75) rounded out the scoring for Glenville.

Linksters Claim 6th at Glenville Invitational

by John Buser

Despite heavy rains, the Glenville golf team arrived at the Oxbow Country Club in Beverly, Ohio, on Thursday (March 30th) to host the Glenville Invitational. The event went on as scheduled, although both players and coaches were surprised to find out that the club house had burned the previous night.

Nonetheless, the 19 team field began play in the rain on the already soggy course around 8:30 a.m. At the end of the first day, Glenville found itself in fourth place, although three teams failed to complete their rounds because of darkness.

On Friday, as the rains continued to fall, the three teams who failed to finish their rounds on Thursday, wrapped up their final three holes. When they had finished, it was decided the second round would be

canceled due to inclement weather.

After all the scores were totaled, Charleston, who completed their round on Friday, had won the event (377) edging Ohio University (383). Glenville, who finished sixth, received quality play from all eight players. Bob Sowards' two-over-par 72 was runner-up in the 110 man field to medalist Glen McKinney's 67 of Charleston. Coach Carney felt it was the best his team has played at Oxbow in a long time, and certainly the best his team has played this year.

Glenville Individual Scores

Bob Sowards	34-38	72
John Pack	35-42	77
Ben Moore	38-40	78
Andy Batten	42-37	79
Jason Sutton	38-42	80
John Buser	40-41	81
Scott Wymer	38-43	81
Pat Pence	43-40	83

Glenville Invitational Team Scores

Charleston	377
Ohio University	383
Walsh	386
Fairmont	387
Ohio Wesleyan	388
Glenville	390
Malone	394
Muskingum	394
Capital	403
Cedarville	404
Bluefield	406
WV Wesleyan	410
Ashland	418
Otterbein	419
Cleveland State	425
Shawnee State	426
Marietta	454
Davis & Elkins	480
WV Tech	482

Men's Track Update

On March 25, the Glenville men's track team participated in the Frail Memorial Relays at Marietta. Huntington (Ind.) won the event while GSC claimed second, edging Central State and Marietta.

Individually, Bubby Dent was named the meet's Most Outstanding Male Competitor after winning the 3000-meter steeplechase and the 5000-meter run. Glenville's long jump combination of Bernie Rees (21-9), Shannon Parsons (19-2) and Eric Mitchell (18-4) tied for first, while the Pioneers' discus team captured first (Thomas Hoffman 132-1, Gordon Stevens 117-7½, and Mike Edinger 105-4). The shot put, 4x200 relay, and distance medley teams all finished third for the blue and white.

Since the Ohio University meet was canceled due to an outbreak of measles, Bubby Dent and Mickey Grass raced in the 10K

Coonskin Classic over the weekend. Dent led a field of 106 finishing in a time of 33:32, while Grass claimed second place.

This weekend will be quite busy for the tracksters. On Friday (April 7), Glenville will host the District 28 meet at 4:00 p.m. at Pioneer Stadium. Any student interested in helping should contact Dr. Hunt or Janet James.

On Sunday April 9, three GSC runners, Bubby Dent, Andy Jarrell, and Jay Dawkins, will be part of a five-man West Virginia team in the second annual America's Ekiden road-relay race at New York. Three hundred runners, representing eight nations, all 50 states, and the District of Columbia, will be participating in the event, which will be televised on a same-day, tape-delay basis by NBC from 1:30-2:30 p.m.

All-Conf. Hoop Teams Chosen

With the conclusion of the men and women's basketball seasons comes the announcement of the WVC All-Conference teams. For the women cagers from Glenville, all five starters received mention. Seniors Kim Creel, Niki Randolph, and Karen Wooters-Holloway all received honorable mention. The trio combined to average 34 points, 16 rebounds, and 13 assists this year. Over their four year careers, they compiled a 66-38 record. These veteran's experience, leadership, and abilities will certainly be missed.

However, Lady Pioneer Head Coach Russ Shepherd will have several talented players returning including juniors Tammy Pence and Monique Johnson, who were both named to the WVC first team. Pence, 5'9 forward from Toms Brook, Va.,

averaged 20.6 points and 10 rebounds a game. Johnson a 5'6 forward from Huntington, averaged 18.2 points and 7 rebounds per contest.

Pioneer Head Coach Gary Nottingham had three of his senior players receive honors. Paul Grier a 6'2 guard from Charlotte, N.C., was named to the WVC second team after averaging 18 points and 3 assists per game. Clinton Hinton and David Hall, the inside force for the Pioneers this season, both received special honorable mention. Hinton, who is also from Charlotte, averaged 13 points and 7 boards per contest. Hall, despite suffering from back problems, pumped in 17 points and grabbed 6 rebounds a game. The excitement and skills all three of these players brought to the court will definitely be hard to replace.

Student Emergency Loans

Application for Student Emergency Loans can now only be made in the afternoons, Monday through Thursday, and all day Friday.

Repayment of loans can still be made during regular working hours, Monday through Friday, in the Cashier's Office.

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wagon with the general public. I even felt some guilt about not supporting my classmates who were expressing the attitudes of the majority. It was real hard not to fall into the simple majority and back Rich up.

I do realize that we students have an opinion, a very important one, and we have the right to express that opinion. However, to form an opinion, we must have a complete and correct understanding of the problem. I think only 3-4 people really knew the complete and correct understanding of the problem with Rich and his job, and that's the way it should have been. Administration problems are just that--administration problems--and students don't need to know everything concerning them. I do realize, though, that if that problem affects the students, then we do have the right to a voice. I guess that's why I've sort of been straddling the fine line here. But, I still stand on the premise that until you know the details of a problem, you cannot form an opinion on it. I think it also goes without saying that hearing only one side of the story does not constitute an understanding of the situation either.

One true feeling does come to mind pertaining to this situation--disappointment. I am disappointed that some people follow their noses along the trail of gossip and rumor. I am disappointed that some students don't analyze the problem fully but only conform to the simple majority. Most of all, though, I am disappointed in Rich Bowers and his handling of the problem. I don't feel that drumming up support with your side of the story constitutes professional behavior, but I can almost understand someone doing that. What I don't understand is how someone can build the student up with hope and determination and then turn right around and dump on them. A large part of this student body supported Rich which was evident by the numerous letters. To build up support by that many people and then to pull the rug right out from under-

neath them takes a very uncouth and callous person. He made us feel like we put him back where he belonged, and then he turned his back on us. This is where my disappointment lies--in the students for taking sides and voicing opinions that they only had a slanted view on, and in Rich Bowers for using those students to get back at the administration. He felt he was treated unfairly, and he may have been, but to bring the students in and use them and treat them unfairly was uncalled for.

This is why I choose to take neutral ground on a problem I actually know nothing about. It is a hard thing to do, especially if you blindly believe in one side or the other. This case indicated clearly what can happen if you choose up sides.

The purpose of this letter is not to condemn or to criticize. I also am not saying that a good way to stand on things is to opt out--to not have a conviction one way or another. All I am saying is that we should look a little more closely at things before we decide how to feel about them. Simple conformity does not lead one anywhere but to large groups who have no reason why they feel the way they do. My recommendation is to forget about this administration problem, but not totally. We can benefit from this as a learning experience as we are growing and formulating opinions for ourselves.
Heidi Christopher

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advance for these activities in the Student Services Office. Concluding Tuesday's activities will be a Pool Party from 11 pm - 1 am.

On Wednesday, the Mexican Fiesta, music, free balloons and ice cream continue and t-shirt silk screening will be done from 2:15 - 3:15 pm in the PC Lobby. Bingo will be played in the Ballroom between 3 pm - 5 pm with several cash prizes awarded to the lucky winners.

A new GSC Week event, "Blizzard of Bucks," will be played in the Ballroom from 6:15 pm - 7:45 pm. Contestants will sign-up as they come in the door and names will be drawn to determine who participates in each round. Winners receive \$25 and advance to

the finals. The top winner will be put in a plastic booth with money being blown about. The player will get to keep all the "bucks" they can grab in the "blizzard." The evening will end with a concert performed by GSC's Jazz Band in the auditorium at 8 pm.

Thursday features the most popular event of the week - the Spring Carnival and Picnic - held at the practice field beside Pioneer Stadium. Several games will be played - a Belching Contest, Cracker Whistling, 4 Legged Race, Skin the Snake, Diaper Relay, Wheel Barrow Race, Pyramid Building, Forward Roll Relay, Balloon Toss, Jello Eating Contest, and Fire Truck Ball - just to name a few. Any 10-member team may sign-up in the Student Services Office. Students can also take a break from cafeteria food and enjoy the picnic. From 9 pm - 12 am an outdoor dance will be in the library parking lot or the Ballroom in case of rain. Free refreshments will be available.

On Friday, along with the Mexican Fiesta, music, balloons and ice cream, prizes will be awarded to those who can accurately predict the horseraces. This activity will be held in the Ballroom from 7 pm - 9 pm. For those students who enjoy watching movies, "Movie Madness" will be held in the Snack Bar from 9 pm - 2 am.

Closing out the week of fun will be the Spring Ball featuring "Top Secret." The semi-formal dance will be held Saturday in the Ballroom from 9 pm - 12 am and will cost \$2 for singles and \$3 for couples. Come dance the night away and enjoy the delicious refreshments.

If you have never participated in GSC Week, plan to do so this year. It is one of the most enjoyable events held on campus.

To get into the spirit of the upcoming events, you can get a pair of royal blue sunglasses with "GSC" in gold lettering on the frames. The sunglasses can be purchased for only \$4 in the Student Services Office (ext. 224) and any additional information about GSC Week activities can be obtained there, also.

Two Glenville State College students are seeking election as delegates to the National Education Association Representative Assembly, NEA/RA, to begin June 30 in Washington, D.C.

The two candidates are: Gina D. Rice who represented the students of West Virginia at the State Delegate Assembly, and JoAnn Sabatino who has been SEA Member-At-Large.

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Barbara Forinash offers these observations about Interview Day. "There were very few cancellations in spite of the flood. Out-of-state interviewers were very popular for good reasons. Job opportunities, except for Science, Math, and Special Education, are nil in the area."

Another interview day will occur in the fall. Teacher candidates should take every advantage of interviewing whether their intention for a job is in the interviewer's area or not. The experience is insightful and enlightening. Some candidates get good jobs by being interviewed on interview day.

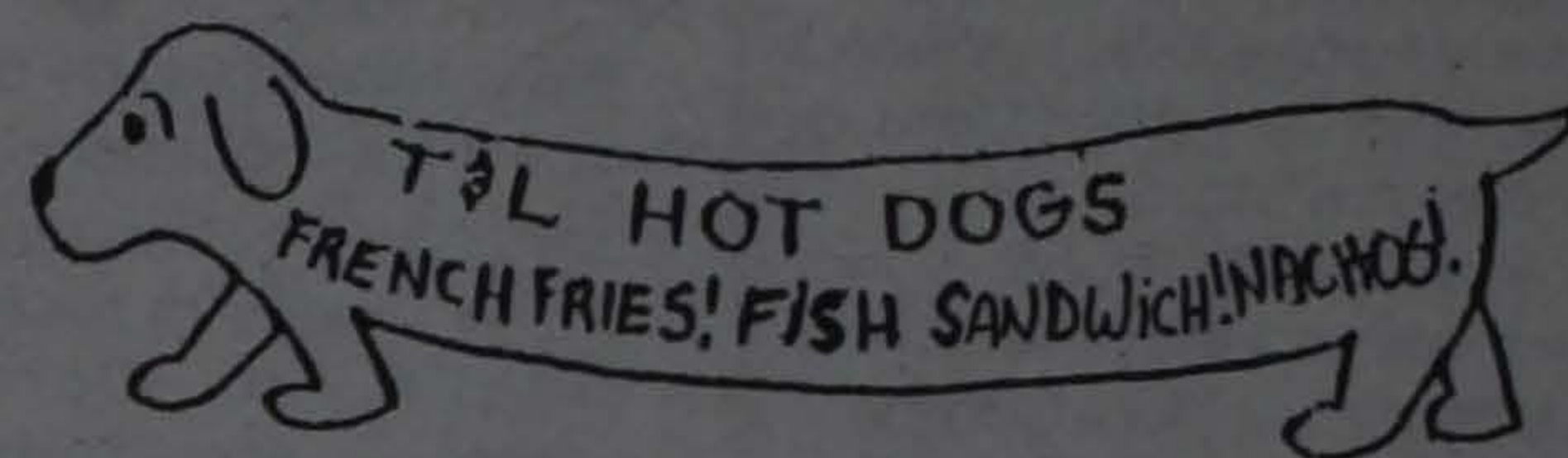
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scholarship to study art at Glenville State College is the major award. This award will be presented to a graduating senior who has maintained a 3.0 in his/her high school grades and intends to enroll as an art major at Glenville State College. Seniors interested in this scholarship should enter a two-dimensional and a three-dimensional piece. Merit Awards will be presented in all media categories. These awards will be a blue ribbon and be of a monetary value or gift certificates. A number of Honorable Mention ribbons will also be presented. Each

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