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Dual Track Meet

HELD AT LYNCHBURG

Washington & Lee Wins from Randolph-Macon.

On last Tuesday a dual track meet was held at Lynchburg with Randolph Macon College, of Ashland Va., and resulted in a victory for Washington and Lee, the score being 58 to 48. The meet had been scheduled for Monday but was postponed on account of rain. The contest took place on the grounds of the Interstate Fair Association and was witnessed by a fairly large crowd. Dr. James Anderson and Messrs. W. S. Bell, R. C. Blackford and Butler Pages were the official judges and time-keepers.

The team of the two institutions were composed of the following men:

Washington and Lee—H. B. Morse, (captain,) C. F. Bagley, (manager,) J. W. Claudy, H. R. Axleroth, D. L. Anderson, E. Sullivan, R. L. Hutton, C. L. Rowan, D. W. N. McCluer, W. E. Offutt, E. C. Taylor, A. I. Miller, and W. W. Oliver.

Randolph Macon—E. E. Smith, (captain,) P. Jernigan, J. E. Wallace, E. B. Tankard, L. J. Martin, S. P. Duke, S. L. Sylvester, W. N. Nance, W. W. Barrow, M. V. Bishop, C. C. Bush and S. L. Dumville.

The two most noteworthy incidents in the meet were the pole-vaulting of Anderson, who broke his record made recently at Charlottesville, by going 10 feet 9 inches; and the two mile run of Offutt who made the good time of 11 minutes 18 seconds.

The results of various entries were as follows:

First Event, One Hundred Yard Dash—Entries for Randolph-Macon, Jernigan, Smith, Tankard and Wallace; for Washington and Lee, Bagley and Oliver. First winner, Tankard; second, Jernigan; third Oliver. Time, 10 1-5 second.

Second Even Pole Vaulting Entries, Martin for Randolph-Macon; Anderson for Washington and Lee. Winner, Anderson. In an exhibition jump, Mr. Anderson made a new record for the Southern athletic Association, climbing over 10 feet 9 inches.

Two-mile Run—Entries for Washington and Lee, Taylor and Offutt, for Randolph-Macon, Bush. Winner, Offutt; second place, Taylor.

Bush dropped out at the end of the third lay. Offutt made a fine run, finishing strong and making the good time of 11 minutes 18 seconds.

High Jump—Entries for Washington and Lee, Anderson; for Randolph-Macon, Martin, Smith and Duke. First winners, Martin and Smith; second, Anderson. Height, 5 feet 6 inches.

Half-mile Run—Entries for Randolph-Macon, Barrow and Dumville; for Washington and Lee, Axelroth and McCluer. Winner, McCluer; second, Barrow; third, Dumville. Time 2 minutes, 13 1-5 seconds.

Shot Put—Entries for Washington and Lee, Miller, Taylor, Rowan and Anderson; for Randolph-Macon, Smith, Sylvester and Jernigan. Winner, Miller, 31 feet 6 inches; second, Sylvester, 31 feet 1 1-2 inches; third Rowan 31 feet.

Two Hundred and Twenty Yard Hurdles—Entries for Randolph-Macon, Tankard, Wallace and Smith; for Washington and Lee, Morse and Anderson. Winner, Morse; second, Anderson; third, Wallace. Time, 18 seconds.

One Mile Run—Entries for Washington and Lee, Offutt, Hutton and McCluer; for Randolph-Macon, Bush, Nance and Bishop. Winner, Offutt; second, Hutton; third, Bush. Time, 5 minutes, 11 3-5 seconds.

One Hundred and Twenty Yard Hurdle—Entries for Randolph-Macon, Smith, Duke and Tankard; for Washington and Lee, Morse. Winner, Tankard; second, Smith; third, Morse. Time, 16 3-5 seconds.

Hammer Throw—Entries for Washington and Lee, Anderson, Miller and Rowan; for Randolph-Macon, Sylvester, Duke and Smith. Winner, Sylvester, 75 feet 10 inches; second, Anderson, 75 feet; third, Rowan, 68 feet.

Running Broad Jump—Entries for Washington and Lee, Oliver, Morse and Anderson; for Randolph-Macon, Smith, Jernigan, Tankard and Duke. Winner, Duke, 19 feet 7 1/2 inches; second, Anderson; third, Oliver.

Two Hundred and Twenty Yard Dash—Entries for Washington and Lee, Morse, Oliver and Claudy; for Randolph-Macon, Tankard, Smith, Wallace and Jernigan. Winner, Oliver; second, Tankard; third, Smith. Time, 23 seconds.

Relay Race—Entries for Washington and Lee, Anderson, Sullivan, Bagley and Claudy; for Randolph-Macon, Barrow, Dumville, Bishop and Tankard. The Washington and Lee team won this event, making the run in 45 1/2 seconds.

Baseball Season Ends

GAMES OF PAST WEEK

The George Washington University ball team which defeated Washington and Lee at the National Capitol some days ago, got all that was coming to them in the two games played here this week. Washington and Lee played good ball in both games. The George Washington boys never had a chance in either contest. The first game was played Monday and under rather bad conditions. The day was cold, making it hard on the pitchers, and the field was extremely muddy so that the players were necessarily slow in moving about. The features of the game were catches by Porter in left field, and Anthony's throwing to second.

In the first inning only three of the visitors got a chance at the bat. Titus was thrown out at first by Johnson, Bradley was caught out trying to steal second, and Senior was thrown out at first by Chatham. Washington and Lee, on the other hand, did most of her scoring in the first, five men crossing the home plate. Thomas who was in the box for the visitors had to be taken out before the inning was over, and Carr twirled the remainder of the game. Score 5 to 0.

The second inning brought no better luck to our opponents, three men up being three men down. For W. & L. the first two men were retired; then Bagley got his base on balls, stole second and scored on Luhn's two base hit. Pipes followed at the bat and was thrown out at first. Score 6 to 0.

The visitors scored their first run in the third inning when Walsh put one over the left field fence. Luckily there were no men on bases. W. & L. did not score. Score 6 to 1

Again in the fourth George Washington scored. Bradley made first on balls, Senior got a single, Campbell was thrown out at first, but Burkett followed with a single on which both Bradley and Senior scored. W. & L. failed to score. Score 6 to 3.

No more scoring was done until the seventh. In that inning Bagley got to first on an error, stole second and came home on a fly knocked to left field by Pipes and muffed by the visitor's fielder. The game ended with the score as it stood at the end of this inning, 7 to 3 in favor of W. & L.

Score by innings: H. R. E. W. L. 0 2 1 0 0 0 3 x—12 13 9 G. W. 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—3 2 7

Summary: Struck out—By Johnson, 5; by Carr, 4. Base on balls off Johnson 3; off Carr, 3. Pitched ball—By Carr, 1. Home run, Walsh. Two-base hit, Luhn. Earned runs, W. & L., 3; G. W., 2. Stolen bases—By W. & L., 13; by G. W., 0. Batteries: For W. & L., Johnson and Anthony; for G. W., Carr and Stevenson. Umpire, Cadet Goodloe of V. M. I.

The game of Tuesday was played under better condition; the diamond was good and hard and the day was not so cold. In the beginning of the game it looked as if the visitors would put up a better fight but Carr got wild and had to be replaced by Thomas who was scarcely any better. As was the case in the first game W. & L. stole bases with ease.

In the first inning neither side scored, but W. & L. managed to bring two across the rubber in the second. Porter singled, made second on error and stole third and home. Temple got to first on balls and later scored on Johnson's single.

The visitors scored their first run in the third inning. Bradley got to first on balls, made second on a passed ball and scored on Campbell's hit. Two first up for W. & L. were retired; then Pipes got his base on balls and was forced to second by Anthony getting first in the same manner. Carr was then taken out of the box and Thomas put in. Porter singled, bringing Pipes home. Temple fanned, ending the inning.

The fourth brought nothing to either team, but W. & L. landed on Thomas hard in the fifth, scoring six runs. The visitors also made one in this inning. Bradley came to the bat for G. W. and made first on Foard's error, advanced to third on Senior's hit and came home on Chatham's error. For W. & L., four singles, three stolen bases and a few errors, wild pitches and pitched balls by the visitors netted us six runs.

No more scoring was done until the eighth inning when W. & L. got three more runs. Foard got his base, stole second, went to third on Bagley's single and walked home while the visitors' pitcher was asleep. Bagley went to second on an error and scored on Pipes' single. Pipes came home on Anthony's two-bagger. This ended the scoring, the final score standing: W. & L., 12; G. W. U., 2.

Score by innings: H. R. E. W. & L. 0 2 1 0 0 0 3 x—12 13 9 G. W. 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—3 2 7

Summary: Struck out—By Porter, 6; by Thomas, 4. Base on balls off Porter 4; off Carr, 4; off Thomas, 1. Pitched balls—By Porter, 1; by Thomas, 1. Wild pitch—By Carr, 1; by Thomas, 1. Stolen bases—By W. & L., 13; by G. W., 2. Batteries: For W. & L., Porter and Anthony; for G. W., Carr, Thomas and Bradley.

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L. J. DESHA
Business Manager

Communication

In reading the plan for the future government of the RING-TUM PHI, which was approved by the Board, I was much pleased with the prospect. But there is one point which needs correction, or at least explanation. Is it the intention to have the editor and manager elected by a board which has never served? Such action would seldom give the best results. No men, be they ever so able, are competent to judge of a man's qualifications for an office, unless they are familiar both with the man and the duties of the office. This knowledge the RING-TUM PHI Board can not get by pure intuition, but only by experience. I therefore suggest the following change:

Allow the board to elect the editor and manager for the year after they serve rather than for the year during which they are going to serve. Thus a board elected in June of one year would serve during the following year, and at the end thereof elect the officers for the next year. Instead of two electors chosen for this special purpose allow the retiring editor and manager to vote. By this means you secure the election at the hands of men who are thoroughly qualified by experience to choose for the best.

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Graham—Lee Literary Society

The society met Sat., 8 o'clock p. m. May 5, president Staples in the chair. The program was postponed and we went to the Washington Society's hall to talk up in joint session the election postponed from the week before. President Staples was courteously invited to occupy the chair. The object of the joint meeting was then formally stated to be the election of the editorial staff of The Southern Collegian for the next year. The results were as follows:

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