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**DR. HARVEY W. WILEY
UNIVERSITY SPEAKER**

**Distinguished Chemist Makes
Stirring Appeal to University Men**

On Saturday the first University Assembly since the Christmas holidays was the occasion of a splendid address by Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the distinguished head of the division of chemistry, department of agriculture, at Washington. Dr. Wiley has been with the Department since 1883, and his work there has been remarkably successful in the results attained. No one man in the United States has accomplished more for the promotion of health than has Dr. Wiley, the passage of the national pure food laws and their enforcement being due almost entirely to his efforts. The rare opportunity of listening to such a distinguished speaker was fully appreciated by the students, and Dr. Wiley was enthusiastically received.

Trauerer was played by Faredon and Eley as the faculty came into the chapel with Dr. Wiley. The Scriptures were read and prayer was offered by Dr. Currell, after which Dr. Denny introduced the speaker.

Dr. Wiley selected as his subject, "What the university man owes to society." He said that the world owes nothing to the college graduate. The diploma he receives is merely a card of introduction. Competition for positions is much greater now than it used to be. The first thing the college graduate should determine to do is to work. His diploma does not specify the kind of work its owner is to do. The second thing is to perform his work well. Dr. Wiley told of his experiences as a lecturer to the young ladies in their schools. He told them to work, to cook, to wash, to cut wood if necessary (as this was as good for development as golf). He said that cooking was a neglected art and that he would rather be a good cook than a poor lawyer. No work should be looked on as drudgery, but as an art. It will then be a pleasure.

This is the age of commercialism, the age in which money and business are put before everything else. This spirit is one of the drawbacks at the age. The dollar is made a means to life by the majority of the people today. Life and service should be the means to the dollar. It should not be the idea of an educated man to be a millionaire; he should do something useful.

Treaties are always made along commercial lines. The open door in China and the Newfoundland fisheries are examples of this fact. Struggle and conflict are necessary. An era of everlasting peace would make us mollycoddles, while the merchants would reap the benefits. The political parties are divided upon taxation and tariff questions. Dr. Wiley said that if two parties were formed, one for "Honesty in trade" and the other for "Dishonesty in trade," everybody would support the former. He said that the public men are honest

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**WASHINGTON AND LEE
SWAMPS ROANOKE COLLEGE**

**Record Score of 119 to 5—Roanoke Did Not Cage a Basket for Over
15 Minutes—Boyd and Glasgow the Stars**

Washington and Lee's University basketball team opened its local season by swamping Roanoke college by the large score of 119 to 5 in the skating rink on Friday night, Jan. 13th. This is not only the largest score ever run up by a Blue and White team, but is also a record for an inter-collegiate game, as no college ever defeated another by over a hundred and ten points. Roanoke was at no time in the running, but was so completely outclassed and swamped, that for over 15 minutes of fast play they were unable even to score a single basket, while every man on the Blue and White team was credited with two or more baskets and the quint was leading the Garland City collegians 56 to 0. At this point Glasgow dribbled the entire length of the floor and narrowly missed a basket; the ball bounced into the hands of Anderson, who made a long pass to McGuire, who was unguarded, since Glasgow had not had time to return to his position. The former shot an easy goal, which ended their scoring for the first half. Washington and Lee kept up the terrific scoring pace until after 20 minutes of play the time keepers' whistle closed the first half. Score, Washington and Lee, 65; Roanoke, 2. In the first half Captain Stone-seifer, the collegian's six foot center missed four foul throws and Boyd missed one, while Captain Hannis threw the only other foul called on Roanoke. After less than 20 seconds of play Bear caged the first goal of the second half. After this the collegians seemed to hold and kept the Blue and White forwards well guarded, until Glasgow dribbled the length of the floor and shot a pretty goal. Following this Hannis threw two goals, one bordering on the sensational.

After the Blue and White quint had scored 17 points, Captain Stone-seifer brought forth the applause of the spectators by caging a pretty basket, thereby doubling his team's

score. About the middle of the half Boyd clearly showed his ability as an accurate goal thrower by caging five straight baskets. This was a feat that is seldom seen on any floor. The scoring of baskets continued in fast succession, Glasgow making the score 99. The lot of passing the century mark fell very appropriately to Captain Hannis, who shot the 49th basket for the Blue and White quint amid great outbursts of applause.

At this point Bear retired, Boyd shifted to center and Moore was sent in at right forward. Burke was also substituted by Dr. Pollard for Craig at right guard. Moore, playing under the basket, caged three goals in less than three minutes, and Burke threw two. With only a few seconds to play Campbell was substituted for Glasgow at left forward.

Boyd and Glasgow were the particular stars for Washington and Lee, the former throwing 21 field goals and two fouls, while the latter caged ten, which is an unusually large number for a guard. Captain Hannis played a steady game at forward and Craig is a valuable man at guard, owing to his passing. Bear was a little nervous at center, as this was his first inter-collegiate game. The prospects for another winning team seem bright, although Roanoke put up very little resistance and therefore the game was scarcely more than a good workout. The final score was 119 to 5.

The next game on the schedule is with the fast St. John's team of Annapolis, to be played in Lexington on Jan. 20th.

W. & L.	Position	Roanoke
Boyd, Moore	R. F.	Mayhew
Hannis, capt.,	L. F.	McGuire
Bear, Boyd	C. Stone-seifer, capt.	C. Stone-seifer
Craig, Burke,	R. G.	Sessler
Glasgow, Campbell,	L. G.	Anderson

Score: First half—Washington and Lee, 65; Roanoke, 2. Final score: Washington and Lee, 119; Roanoke, 5.

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**1911 FOOTBALL
MANAGER NAMED**

**R. W. Pipes Elected by Athletic
Committee—F. W. McWane
and W. L. Webster As-
sistant Manager**

Randolph Windsor Pipes, '12, academic, of New Orleans, La., was elected by the Athletic Committee as manager of football for the season of 1911. At the same meeting Frederick William McWane, '13, academic; of Lynchburg, Va., and William Leonidas Webster, '12, academic, of Jackson, Tenn., were named as assistant managers for the season of 1911, to assist Manager Pipes.

Pipes is well trained for the position of manager. He was assistant manager to manager Thach during the past season, representative of the Freshman class on the Student Body Executive committee, 1908 and 1909, is on the Executive committee of the Tennis club and won the University tennis championship in singles and doubles in 1909. He is a member of the Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity and the S. B. C. Ribbon Society.

McWane is President of the Sophomore class and assistant manager of the Ring-tum-Phi.

Webster is well qualified for the position of assistant manager. He was manager of the scrub football team the past season, and outfielder on the 1910 Varsity baseball team, is Executive committeeman for the Junior class and a member of the Ring-tum-Phi board. He is a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity and the S. B. C. Ribbon Society.

SOPHOMORE MEETING

On Monday afternoon the Sophomore class met in the English Room to discuss the cotillion, basketball, and other things of immediate interest. It was voted that on account of the cotillion being really a before Xmas dance, the class would go by the Freshmen Rules, and in that case no Freshmen would be invited to the event.

Out of several candidates for manager of the 1913 basket ball team, S. B. Harper was elected, and issued a call to the candidates to report on his notice to get ready for a good season, and to elect a captain.

An Athletic Committee was then elected, composed of R. A. Smith, chairman; Harry E. Moran and Harry M. Satterfield.

After discussion of several unimportant matters the meeting adjourned.

Football at Princeton last season, according to a report just issued by the general treasurer of the Athletic Association, gathered in the tidy sum of \$42,588, with disbursements which left a balance of \$16,838. The profits from the Yale game were \$25,497, and from the Dartmouth game \$8,664. The training table cost \$2,180 the coaching, \$5,333. The baseball receipts were \$26,832, and the balance at the end of the season was \$10,850.

Basketball Schedule

- Dec. 27—Lynchburg Y. M. C. A., 35; Washington and Lee, 18.
- Dec. 28—Asheville Athletics, 35; Washington and Lee, 36.
- Dec. 29—Asheville Athletics, 41; Washington and Lee, 14.
- Dec. 30—Charlotte Y. M. C. A., 22; Washington and Lee, 30.
- Dec. 31—Charlotte Y. M. C. A., 38; Washington and Lee, 19.
- Jan. 13—Roanoke College, 5; Washington and Lee, 119.
- Jan. 20—St. John's College, at Lexington.
- Jan. 27—Maryland Agricultural College, at Lexington.
- Jan. 30—University of Virginia, at Charlottesville.
- Jan. 31—Maryland Agricultural College, at College Park.
- Feb. 1—U. S. Naval Academy, at Annapolis.
- Feb. 2—Swarthmore College, at Swarthmore.
- Feb. 3—Franklin and Marshall College, at Lancaster.
- Feb. 4—Mt. St. Mary's College (afternoon) at Emmittsburg.
- Feb. 4—Frederick Athletic Association (night) at Frederick.
- Feb. 10—University of Virginia, at Lexington.
- Feb. 17—University of Tennessee, at Lexington.
- Feb. 24—V. P. I., at Lexington.
- March 4—V. P. I., at Blacksburg.

**RESIDENT DENNY
ADDRESSES Y. M. C. A.**

Probably the largest crowd that ever assembled in the Y. M. C. Hall in the Carnegie Library listening to the practical, useful, and interesting address delivered by President George H. Denny at 8 o'clock on Tuesday night.

Dr. Denny's subject was "The responsibility of an education," and deep study of the question was roughly manifested throughout in discourse.

Dr. Denny introduced the four divisions to his address by saying that none and healthful public sentiment constitutes one of the first and most important essentials of college life activity. The student has it in his power to create the list of public opinion. From the with college educations the nation look for their leaders and rulers as Guizot once said: That "one of the college men of Europe permanently from overwork, one from bad habits contracted in childhood, but the remaining third the crowned rulers of Europe."

Thoughts and ideals of the coldest today will be the thoughts and ideals of the country of tomorrow.

A true patriot. The state needs sensible citizens in private life as well as in public life. Some have an idea that the government is a mass of machinery in which the principal wheels are court houses, jails, and policemen, the sole use of which is to punish those who break the law, while in truth the state is a simple organization of the private citizen is a part, it stands for the protection and betterment of its people.

It would add to your life the higher and better ideals. This is the age of the young men; men are talking stocks and bonds and studying statistics. Dr. Denny said that one of the greatest things ever said was the statement of an old German who on his deathbed wrote this to his son: "My son, do not die and never expect to see gain in this world. Be poor and use poor, while others about you are attaining fortunes. Be honest about those about you are gaining."

If in such a course you have a gray, bless God and die."

And for the highest moral and intellectual standards in business, government and in society. The politician will not let this fast age which we are living turn him from the race course in life, but will conform to the dictates of his conscience and will strengthen his character by it.

God as your supreme guide and protector and as a lamp unto your feet. Young men of energy, ambition, character and consecration will follow him for their ideals.

Remember a young man to have died might have been higher and was called this a tragedy."

LAW DEBATING SOCIETY

Weekly meeting of the Goodwin Debating Society was held Friday 3 o'clock. No debate was held but the meeting was turned over to the election of officers, resulted as follows:

President, Ben Harvey.
President, C. C. Scott.
Secretary and Treasurer, H. K. Conner.
Assistant, C. O. Dunn.

Harvard and Princeton will play exhibition games with the Baltimore club of the Eastern League in

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but they are overwhelmed by the spirit of commercialism. Many merchants believe deception is compulsory in business. This was illustrated by a merchant when the pure food law was about to be passed. This merchant made a strong speech against the law in which he said that deception was an accessory to his trade.

The duty of the university man is to place everything on a higher plane. The duty of the university is to make men think. There is plenty of money for the man who will work. The one great danger is that of commercialism. History has shown that the countries fall which worship the dollar.

Dr. Wiley emphasized the fact that the college student has not fully realized the full importance of life until he has devoted part of his time to the betterment of humanity. He suggested as material for the young mind and as a duty for citizens the prevention of the recurrence of the typhoid fever epidemic which has just passed over Lexington. He predicted that within ten years typhoid fever and tuberculosis will be as rare as smallpox. Dr. Wiley said his great life work had been to make other people healthy and that this should be the aim of every true citizen. Death should not be the lingering process of disease in which both the invalid and his friends suffer, but it should be responded to promptly when the call comes. He concluded his remarks with one ringing appeal to the university men of this country to prepare themselves for duty to mankind and not to commercialism.

DR. W. D. WEATHERFORD'S VISIT

Much interest has already, at this early date, been manifested in the visit of Dr. Weatherford, who will come to Washington and Lee on Feb. 2. He will speak to the University Assembly in the morning and on the same night will deliver an address to the students. Owing to the wide reputation which Dr. Weatherford has gained as a speaker, few students will miss the opportunity given to hear him. Dr. Weatherford has visited every large institution of learning in the country and his acquaintance among college men is very wide. Few men know the college student as does Dr. Weatherford and he is always able to give an address which is both interesting and helpful. The students of Washington and Lee have always turned out in large numbers whenever the opportunity was given to hear a good speaker and it is expected that practically every student will hear Dr. Weatherford.

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**GRAHAM-LEE
ANNUAL CELEBRATION**

One Hundred and Second Anniversary Exercises to Be Held in Chapel Thursday Night

The Graham-Lee Literary Society will hold its one hundred and second annual celebration in the chapel Thursday evening. The usual program of orations and a debate will be given and it promises to be more than usually interesting. The question to be discussed—that the Initiative and Referendum should be adopted by the states of the Union—is of present day importance. William M. Miller will preside over the celebration. The other officers are: B. L. Wood, vice-president; O. Adams, secretary; C. O. Dunn, chief marshal. The program is as follows:

ORATIONS
The mind of Man—R. M. De-
mazo, Va.
Equality—W. F. Blanton, Fla.

DEBATE
Resolved: That the Initiative and Referendum should be adopted by the states of the Union.
Affirmative
L. K. Dickinson, Ala.
Ben Harvey, Ark.
L. Crowley, Va. J. O. Day, Miss.

GRAHAM-LEE
Graham-Lee Literary Society met regular session Saturday night. J. F. Brown read an entertaining paper on "The Democratic possibilities in the next presidential election." Saville then delivered an oration "Our responsibilities to our resources." The question for debate, Resolved: That the United States Senators should be elected by direct vote of the people was ably upheld by Messrs. Ried and Ried. Messrs. Roland and Ried defended the negative. The judges rendered their decision in favor of the affirmative.

**INTERESTING MEETING
OF WASH SOCIETY**

One of the most interesting meetings held for some time was enjoyed by the members of the Washington Literary Society in their hall on last Saturday evening.

President-elect Ruck, delivered a very flowery inaugural address, full of hard facts and good advice. After he had taken the chair the retiring president, Mr. Boyer, made his report. He stated that the Society was in a prosperous condition, that the rolls had been full since the first of the year, and that several good men had been constantly on the waiting list, anxious to be admitted to membership. Mr. Herndon, the retiring treasurer next made his report. He showed by a statistical statement that the finances of the society were in good shape and that a neat sum was in the treasury.

Mr. Coffey delivered a very well prepared and thoughtful oration on "The Value of Man." The next orator was Mr. Werth, who spoke on the Negro problem. Of the declaimers, Mr. Sheppard delivered a selection from Sartor Resartus, and Mr. Layman read an exceptionally interesting essay on Woman. The debate: Resolved, That Capital Punishment should be abolished in the United States, was upheld on the affirmative by Messrs. Bowman and Dance, and on the negative by Messrs. Converse and Massey. The judges rendered their decision in favor of the negative.

Mr. Hundley was received into membership to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Mr. Richardson, after which the society adjourned.

Secretary E. K. Hall, Dartmouth's representative, has asked the other members to hold the annual meeting of the Intercollegiate Football Rules committee in New York the last week in January or the first in February. Mr. Hall will advocate a change to five downs, with 15 yards to gain, the idea being to give more scope and strategy to the attack.

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FROM THE MANAGER.

The management of the Ring-tum Phi hereby presents to each delinquent subscriber a bill for one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) to cover subscription in full for the current session. All subscriptions have long since been due and the management will appreciate a prompt remittance. So please remit at once to *The Ring-tum Phi*, Lexington, Va.

In the issue of November 22 there appeared a statement that no intercollegiate debates would be held this year and a criticism of the literary societies for their action in the matter. This statement was based on supposedly correct information given by a member of one of the societies. Our attention was called to its being erroneous immediately after publication and a correction was prepared for the following issue, which was not published on account of the sudden close of college. Last week the matter was overlooked. As a matter of fact negotiations were then under way for debates, but had not been brought to a conclusion

The men in charge of the matter have been successful in getting a triangular contest with Gettysburg College and Johns Hopkins University. There is no danger then, of this phase of college enterprise being abandoned this session, and we gladly state that the former editorial was founded on a mistake as to the facts.

We are further informed by leading men in the literary societies that the present session is proving one of the most successful in recent years. Attendance on the sessions has been better, interest in the program has been more manifest, and many men have been kept on the waiting list for membership. Taken all in all the societies seem to be in excellent condition.

The Y. M. C. A. has undertaken a new departure in the form of a weekly bulletin. The bulletin, which is to be published each Saturday afternoon during the session, will contain announcements of all meetings and social and athletic events to take place the following week. To the end that it may be complete the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. asks the co-operation of all students in sending in notices. All matter must be in hand by 6 o'clock on Friday afternoons. Copies of the publication will be distributed from various points about the University, to be announced later.

While the bulletin is primarily designed to keep the Y. M. C. A. and its work before the student body, it will fill a need which is being constantly felt by a rapidly growing University. The first number gives a hint as to the possibility of development. It is an evidence of commendable enterprise on the part of the Y. M. C. A.

The editorial staff of the Calyx is preparing to compile the material for this year's book. Having been handicapped by the loss of the month of December, the men in charge must work more rapidly than would otherwise have been necessary. The call for senior pictures, club representations, and other material will be made almost immediately. It is essential that every man concerned respond promptly and thus lighten the labors of the editors. Moreover, the sooner the material comes in, the earlier the book will come out, and getting in the material depends on you; therefore, it is to your interest to attend to your representation without delay.

Fires at Richmond College and Trinity during the holidays, by which those colleges met heavy losses, called attention to the lack of protection against that element of danger here at Wash-

ington and Lee. Should fire have broken out in any of our buildings it would have been a practical impossibility to extinguish it. Some steps were necessary in the immediate future looking to prevention of such an occurrence, and the authorities have met the need by the installation of alarm boxes in the various buildings and a system of night watches which should minimize the danger.

Now that the basketball season is under way and the various classes are organizing teams, we think it not out of place to repeat our advice of some time since. That advice was for the various class managers, with the help of the athletic committee, to meet and arrange an orderly and logical schedule which will settle definitely the class championship. The squabble which arose out of the class football games last fall will thereby be eliminated and the championship be something more than a mere paper claim. The whole question of gate receipts and eligibility should be in the hands of the athletic committee, to whom appeals should be made. In that way only can a real class series be worked out.

Editor Ring-tum Phi:

We were surprised to notice in the editorial columns of this paper last week, a revival of a matter that has already been the cause of considerable disagreeable comment, and although we realize that few in the University, outside the Junior and Sophomore classes, care who holds the class championship, we feel that we must, in defense of the Sophomore team and class, beg to state our side.

There are three ways of deciding championship games—playing a series, judging by comparative scores, and judging by relative play. And nearly all critics agree that one lonesome game often does not show the real strength of a team. There is such a thing known as an "off day" that will come to every individual and sometimes to a group of individuals.

The Junior and Sophomore teams met on November 11 and the game resulted in a tie. It is agreed by all the spectators that the Juniors outclassed the Sophomores on that day, in that one game. The fact that the usual "star" of the Sophomore team were not up to the form that they were accustomed to show, was also noted by the spectators. But the score was a tie.

Previous to that game, each of the two teams had met the Freshmen, and also Augusta Military Academy. The Sophomores defeated the Freshmen by a slightly larger score than did the Juniors. The Juniors were defeated by a slightly larger score by

A. M. A. than were the Sophomores. If the championship be judged by the relative showing of the two teams in one game that did not show the real strength of one of the teams, the Juniors win. But if it is decided by a series of comparative scores, against exactly the same teams in each case, the Sophomores should have the championship.

As to the question of Sophomores refusing to accept the challenge of the Juniors for another game to be played on the 60 and 40 per cent. basis, thereby forfeiting their claim to the championship by default," but at the same time "the Sophomores claiming that officially the teams, Junior and Sophomore, were equals at the game on Nov. 11th," we ask for permission for a few words. The Juniors first approached the Sophomores with a proposition for another game, but saying that the Juniors must have 60 per cent. of the gate receipts, win or lose. As their equals we would, naturally not consider such terms. Then they came back with the other challenge, with 60 per cent. to the winner and 40 per cent. to the loser. This arrangement had a taste of the mercenary and was an incentive to the men to play for the side bet of 20 per cent. of the gate receipts, when the main object of another game, as we understood it, was merely to decide the supremacy of the two teams. We offered to play them under exactly the same conditions as the previous game, with the gate receipts divided equally regardless of the result, as has been the custom as far as we can find out, in every class game ever played at Washington and Lee. And from every sense of equality and fairness, we ask why we haven't the same right to offer this proposition and hold up to it, that the Juniors have to stand by the terms that they made?

We regret that the game could not be played, but having an equal chance for the championship as the Juniors, and noticing their air of superiority, which was all too evident, when they came to us to dictate the terms under which we must play them, we naturally felt that we had some right to arrange the terms and made them the fairest proposition that we could.

The Sophomore team of 1910 does not claim the inter-class championship for that year, but they do emphatically deny the right of the Juniors, in view of the existing circumstances, to stand on their high self-made pedestal, and proclaim to the University that they hold the championship.

(Signed)

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Tuesday, January 17, 1911

PERSONALS

Mulford Stough has returned from a business trip to Lynchburg.

"Tod" Robbins left yesterday for Brooklyn, N. Y.

Fred Gates has returned from a trip to Lynchburg and Roanoke.

Fred Hahn was a guest at "Montgomery Hall," Staunton, Va., last week.

J. F. Bullitt, Jr., '14, of Big Stone Gap, Va., has withdrawn from college.

"Roge" Bedow, is in Lexington, after a short visit to relatives in Lynchburg.

Turner Wilson, '13, of Sherman, Texas, broke the small bone in his forearm on Tuesday while working with the gym. squad.

Bland Terry, ex-'13, of Lynchburg, Va., will not re-enter college as was expected, but will be associated with his father in the shoe business.

Miss Nancy Carrington has returned after a visit of several weeks to relatives in Tazewell and South Boston.

H. C. P. Baldwin and C. A. Nolan were in Lynchburg last week to see Richard Carle and Edna Wallace Hopper in "Jumping Jupiter."

R. S. Hutcheson, B.S., '10, resident engineer for the B. & O., at McKeesport, Pa., is in town for a few days.

Dr. James Lewis Howe was in Lynchburg on the 12th and 13th, where he addressed the convention of the Christian Endeavor Society.

The Detal Taus have definitely decided upon Monday, Feb. 20th from 8 to 10, as the time for the reception to be given at their fraternity house.

FRESHMEN ORGANIZE A CLUB

Some 20 members of the Freshmen Class have formed a club which they have named the Alpha Phi Club.

The sole purpose of this organization is to encourage class feeling and bring the members of the class of 1914 closer together.

The club is not in any way meant to cope with any other organization in the University, according to statements made by members, and it is hoped this fact will be understood by all, as it is only the welfare of the Freshmen class that the organizers had in mind.

It is the desire of the club to give a dance at some future date; whether or not this will be allowed will be brought up in the meeting of the Sophomore class on Jan. 16th.

The organization has a limit of 30 members.

TRACK MEN WANTED

Manager Bootay is anxious for track men to report at once. Arrangements have been completed to take a squad to Richmond to participate in the Intercollegiate Indoor Meet which is to be held in February. It is necessary that the men get into training at once, in order to get ready for the meet. Runners, hurdlers, weight men, and high jumpers are wanted. Candidates are asked to report at the gymnasium between the hours of 4 and 6.

DATE SET FOR THE FANCY DRESS BALL

Annual Costume Affair to Take Place February 21

It has been definitely decided to hold the Fancy Dress Ball on Feb. 21, the night before Washington's birthday. This affair has now become an annual feature of the social calendar, through the untiring efforts of Miss Annie White. It has been heretofore, next to the Final Ball, the most brilliant event of the year.

In order to make the ball the brilliant success this year that it has been in the past, it is necessary to have the best and freshest costumes that are procurable. Van Horn of Philadelphia, who has always supplied these, has promised Miss White the first choice of his stock if the costumes are ordered early.

Since the ball comes on the 21st, the night before a holiday, there will be a large demand for costumes at that time. Therefore all who desire their costumes ordered from Van Horn must leave their names with Miss White before Feb. 1st.

ALUMNI NOTES

Robert T. Wright, Jr., '06, is practicing law in Chattanooga, Tenn.

John H. Steenberger, '02, is a physician in Huntington, W. Va.

Elliot T. Vawter, '07, is in the coal business at Gulf, W. Va.

John M. Woods, LL. B., '92, is a lawyer at Martinsburg, W. Va.

C. E. Denman, '06, is in the furniture business, Centerburg, O.

Frank A. Scratchley, '77, is a prominent physician of New York city.

H. L. Gage '07, is a mining geologist, 10 Eplar Building, Seattle, Wash.

Henry T. Wickham, A. B., '68, is general counsel for the C. & O. railroad, Richmond, Va.

Edwin A. Sturgis, '85, is cashier of the Provident National Bank, Waco, Tex.

C. C. McNeill, B. A., '00, is Y. M. C. A. secretary at the University of Texas, Austin, Tex.

J. S. Wampler, M. A., '06, is professor of Mathematics at the Peabody Normal College, Nashville, Tenn.

J. J. Beitel, '07, and Albert Beitel, Jr., '07, are engaged in the lumber business in San Antonio, Tex.

Lawrence A. Anderson, '07, is now an attorney at law, with offices in the Law Building, Lynchburg.

Herbert S. Moore, B. S., '04, and Walter Dunlap, B. S., '06, are with the Virginia Bridge Company, Roanoke.

Frank Henry Rudkin, LL. B., '06, is chief justice of the supreme court of Washington and resides at Olympia, Wash.

S. L. Showalter, LL. B., '08, is with the law firm of Stokes & Bronson, Williamson, W. Va. S. D. Stokes, senior member of the firm is also an alumnus of Washington and Lee, being a member of the class of '96.

Mr. Kemper Yancey, for three years fullback on the University of Virginia football team, has been appointed coach for next fall. Yancey was head coach at Hampden-Sidney College last fall.

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- Yale, Howe, quarterback.
- Princeton, Hart, fullback.
- Brown, Sprackling, quarterback.
- Navy, Dalton, halfback.
- Army, Hyatt, quarterback.
- Carlisle, Burd, guard.
- Trinity, Howell, tackle.
- Michigan, Conklin, tackle.
- Colgate, Thurber, tackle.
- Georgetown, Daly, guard.
- Vanderbilt, Morrison, quarterback.
- Rutgers, Alvenson, tackle.
- Virginia, Bowen, end.
- Lafayette, Dannewer, quarter-back.
- N. Y. U., Brennan, tackle.
- Bowdoin, Hurley, end.
- Williams, Linder, halfback.
- Wesleyan, Mitchell, guard.
- Case, Roby, quarterback.
- Wash. and Jeff., Tibbens, halfback.
- Dickinson, Bashae, guard.
- Ursinus, Thompson, tackle.
- De Paw, Stoussell, tackle.
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- Gallaudet, Birch, fullback.
- Boston C., Hurid, tackle.
- St. Mary's, Wynard, ———.
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- Alabama, Baumgardner, halfback.
- Clemson, Bissell, halfback.
- Lehigh, Wylie, centre.
- Haverford, Murray, end.
- Holy Cross, Joy, end.
- Louisiana State, Thomas, guard.
- Syracuse, Fogg, tackle.
- Rensselaer, Church, ———.
- Franklin and Marshall, Bridenbaugh, guard.
- Vermont, Daley, end.
- Bucknell, Lowder, center.
- Otterbern, Lambert, guard.
- Colorado, McFadden, end.
- Auburn, Bonner, guard.
- Purdus, Faney, halfback.
- Notre Dame, Kelley, guard.
- Union, Sellnow, guard.

ANNUAL STATEMENT OF RHODES TRUST FUND

The annual statement of the Rhodes trust for 1909-10 shows that 174 Rhodes scholars have been in residence at Oxford during the past year. Seventy-nine of this number were from the British colonies, 83 from the United States, and 12 from Germany. In the report the present occupation of scholars who were in residence from 1903 to 1906, is given as follows: law, 50; education, 62; religious work, 10; civil service (Germany), 1; civil service (United States), 2; British government service, 3; medical profession, 8; business, 7; journalism, 3; secretarial work, 2; mining, other forms of work, 8.

Raymond Kenny, '08, is studying law at George Washington.

Abram P. Staples, Jr., and wife of Roanoke, are visiting at the home of Professor A. P. Staples.

Mrs. George Cross and Miss Elizabeth Cross have returned to Lexington, after an absence of a month spent in New York.

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Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, head of the division of Chemistry, Department of Agriculture, of Washington, D. C., gave one of the best lectures ever delivered before the Chemical Society on Friday night at 8:30. Dr. Wiley has been especially distinguished as the leading spirit in the great reforms in the food and drug laws, canned goods, advertising, which have taken place during the last few years. He has in his employ over 500 men, 300 of whom are chemists; his work extends over 50 laboratories. His address was on "Chemistry, the Leading Science."

"In the study of any science or language," said Dr. Wiley, "the old Latin slang expression 'Quo bono?' occurred to him. 'What's the use?' Chemistry is too often looked upon as a means to an end and not in its more important aspects—those of mind building, furthering of progress and industry, and exposition of frauds. Chemistry is now given in the curriculum of any college of any import. Astronomy is the chemistry of the infinitely large, and chemistry is the astronomy of the infinitely small. Mathematics, chemistry, and astronomy are exact sciences.

One of the first things that chemistry does is to establish the fact that this world is ruled by law.

The next thing is to make a man out of the chemical student. It trains the mind, makes a man honest, and in doing so makes a nation honest. As Virgil once said "Dux femina facti" so in the great world of industrial science chemistry is at the foundation. Consider the work of Davy, Lavoisier and Gilbert. Statistics have been recently gathered to ascertain who are the thousand men in the United States who are in the first rank. Fifty per cent. of these are chemists. Of the ten best out of this thousand the majority are chemists.

Chemistry is a science which leads to honesty. The man who cheats at the balances will never make a chemist; he knows what he will get when he treats a bargain salt with sulfuric acid, and he realizes the moral when he sees that chemistry will not lie. Of the men who have gotten the degrees of doctors of philosophy in the last ten years over 50 per cent. have been chemists. The majority of the members of scientific societies of this country are chemists, and the majority of the men in the scientific societies of the world are chemists. The number of chemists engaged in the industrial arts of this country are overwhelming. Six of the leading universities of the country have chemists as their presidents. To honesty chemistry adds keen perception.

One of the great things that chemistry is going to do in the next few years is make a moral nation out of this and other countries. Chemistry, more than any other one science, detects fraud. The chemist is the one man who can detect fraud in food, drugs, drinks, taxes, tariffs and advertising.

Dr. Wiley received appreciative attention throughout the lecture. Members of the faculty and the chemical class of the V. M. I. were present.

After the lecture a "Chemical Spread" was given to Dr. Wiley and the members of the Chemical Society in the Chemical Library. While Dr. Wiley entertained with interesting experiences, sandwiches and coffee were produced from the laboratory. Large watch glasses took the place

cupa. Lump sugar was transferred with forceps and thoroughly stirred into the coffee with stirring rods. Cream came forth from 500 cc. beakers. All apparatus was thoroughly sterilized and all foods and drinks were chemically pure and guaranteed under the pure food and drugs act. Cigars and cigarettes were served last. M. M.

SENIOR CLASS MEETING

A joint meeting of the Senior Academic and Engineering classes was held Saturday at 3 o'clock in Newcomb Hall, at the request of H. W. King, president of the Engineering class. President Brown presided over the meeting. The first business which came up was the election of a valedictorian to represent the two classes at commencement. On the first ballot, there was no majority, but A. H. Hopkins of Virginia was elected to this office, as the result of the second. The resignation of H. C. McGavock as historian of the Academic class was read and was accepted. V. E. Manor was elected his successor.

The matter of a Senior banquet was taken up but nothing definite was decided upon further than empowering the Presidents to make recommendations as to the form of banquet to be held and to submit these recommendations at the next meeting of the classes.

JAMES ALBERT MOELICK

Whereas God in his infinite wisdom has chosen to take from us our classmate, James Albert Moelick, whose untimely death at the most promising stage of a strong and useful life has been a great source of sorrow to all of us who have been associated with him throughout his college career, therefore be it resolved:

1st: That we, the members of his class in Senior Engineering at Washington and Lee University convey to the stricken father our heartfelt expression of sympathy with him in his deep bereavement.

2nd: That this resolution be published in our college paper, the Ring-tum Phi.

L. McC. KINNEAR,
Sec. Sen. Engin.

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5. Goals: Boyd, 21; Hannis, 10; Glasgow, 10; Bear, 10; Moore, 3; Craig, 2; Burke, 2; Stoneseifer, 1; McGuire, 1. Goals from fouls: Boyd, 2; Hannis, 1; Stoneseifer, 1. Referee: McCreedy, V. M. I. Umpire, Moore, V. M. I. Timekeeper: Hyde, Washington and Lee. Scorer: Baldwin, Washington and Lee. Twenty minute halves.

Ingersoll, quarterback on the Dartmouth football team, with a record of 51 seconds for the quarter, is out for the relay team under Harry Hillman, late of N. Y. A. C.

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