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FISHBURNE WARNS PI DELTS TO GET PROPER BALANCE

Prominent Publisher Made Member of Pi Delta Epsilon After Banquet Monday Night.

Junius P. Fishburne, president of the Roanoke World-News and Roanoke Times, was main speaker Monday night at a banquet at the Dutch Inn of the Washington and Lee chapter of Pi Delta Epsilon. The banquet celebrated the sixteenth anniversary of the fraternity's founding. Earlier in the day the "Pideltaurus" razz sheet of the fraternity, made its first appearance this year on the campus.

Dr. D. B. Easter, assistant dean of the university, acted as toastmaster and called for several short speeches from guests, who included three V. M. I. editors and three faculty members. John Mayhew, president of the fraternity, gave a short address of welcome and was replied to by E. Kirby for V. M. I., and C. H. Hamilton, Washington and Lee, for the new members. Emmett McCorkle, editor of the Ring-tum Phi, gave a brief talk, which was followed by humorous reminiscences of newspaper work by Professor R. B. Ellard, of the journalism school.

Mr. Fishburne, in making the main address of the evening, took as his subject "Tendencies in Modern Newspapers." Interspersed with reminiscences of his own college days and subsequent experiences in the newspaper world, he told of pitfalls and joys of the profession.

"Among tendencies in the newspaper profession today two things stand out," he said, "the manner in which it is becoming 'big business,' and the fact that it is growing more and more into a real profession."

"I believe the southern newspaper men observe a code of ethics better than those in any other section of the country," the speaker declared. "This is very natural because of a condition peculiar to the south. Here we do

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SMITH NAMED QUINTET COACH

Graduate Manager of Athletics Will Handle Varsity and Coach Twombly Will Take Frosh.

Graduate Manager Dick Smith was officially named varsity basketball coach for the 1926 season by the athletic council at their meeting yesterday afternoon. "Cy" Twombly was appointed freshman mentor. Capt. Dick has had the team under his direction for the past few days awaiting the final decision of the ruling body.

Coach Smith had charge of all athletics, including basketball, while at Fishburne Military School, and with plenty of veteran material, hopes to place a creditable quintet on the floor this year.

"Cy" Twombly is a cageman of some experience, having played both at Springfield College and at Lehigh University before coming to the physical department here. No regular practice sessions will probably be held before Christmas.

FACULTY DENIES PETITION FOR EARLY RELEASE

The weekly meeting of the executive committee was held Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, with President Tilson presiding. The release of the student body on December 19 was brought up before the meeting. The petition was rejected by the faculty, and it was decided that no student will be allowed to leave the University until noon December 22, unless he has not used all cuts.

SHIFTING SHYSTERS LOSE TO COMMERCE

Tired Business Men Will Probably Adorn Commerce Library With Dick Thatcher's Jersey.

Tucker Hall's battling barristers lost their first inter-school football game in three years yesterday, when they were defeated by the Confident Commerce crew of Newcomb Hall, 18 to 0. Helpless before the dashing onslaught of the Tired Business Men, the Shifting Shysters were on the defensive throughout the game.

Thatcher scored the first points for the Commerce eleven in the second quarter when he plunged through the Lawyer's line for a touchdown. Felsenthal missed the try for the extra point.

A faded blue jersey bearing the number 33 will probably adorn the walls of the Commerce library in the near future in deference to Thatcher, who was the outstanding star of the game. Scoring another touchdown in the third quarter for the Financiers, Thatcher called it a day. The try for the extra point was again missed. In the closing moments of the game, the Barristers attempted a pass that was intercepted by Lou Palmer, who in the familiar Palmer family style, raced 65 yards for the final score of the game.

The victors will play the Academic eleven for the title next Tuesday afternoon on Wilson field.

White Begins Taking Calyx Photos Friday

Representative Supposed To Have Arrived Today Is Delayed In Indiana, Telegram Says.

A telegram received this morning from Mr. Thoma, photographer from White's Studio, who was scheduled to arrive today and begin taking pictures for the Calyx tomorrow, was to the effect that he was delayed and cannot reach Lexington until tomorrow night. He will begin his work of making individual pictures Friday morning on the second floor of the gymnasium. Appointments which were scheduled for Thursday have been shifted until Tuesday of next week. Those holding appointment cards for Thursday being inconvenienced by the change are requested to secure a change of appointment with the member of the staff stationed in Newcomb Hall.

Work on the Calyx is progressing rapidly, much of the material being in final form now. The editor requests the co-operation of the students in avoiding the rush of the last few days the photographer is on the campus.

GYM TEAM TO PRACTICE AFTER XMAS HOLIDAYS

Coach "Cy" Twombly has announced that practice for the gym team will start immediately after the Christmas holidays. Practice will be held every afternoon in the gym from 5 to 6. A notice will be posted in the near future for those interested in the gym work.

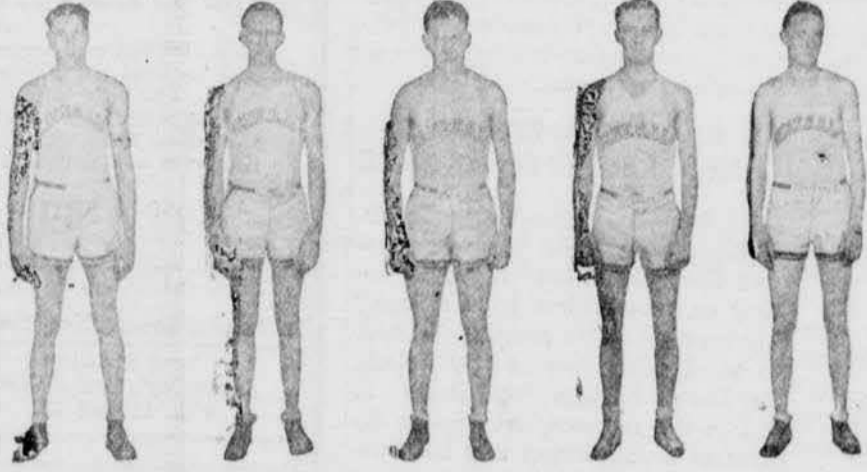
DEPUTATION TEAM GOES TO MASSANUTTEN M. A.

A deputation team of five members from W. and L. went to Massanutten Military Academy Saturday and Sunday, December 5 and 6. The members of the team were R. C. Smith, Zeb Herndon, Frank Charlton, Harris Butler and Karl Zerfoss.

HOLT AND RAUBER SPEAK AT STAUNTON

Maynard Holt and "Ty" Rauber spoke on "Clean Sportsmanship" Friday night at the S. M. A. banquet at which the football letters were presented. They spoke under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

QUINTET PROSPECTS LOOK GOOD



These five veterans from last year's varsity quintet will be the nucleus around which Coach Smith will build his 1926 team. From left to right: Van Horn, Herndon, Capt. Wilson, Lane and Little.

DASHING BLADES ARE WEARING DERBIES

Rumored That One Local Merchant Donated Two Dozen Derbies To Campus Beau Brummels.

Is Washington and Lee still the citadel and shrine of the South or have her hallowed halls been suddenly transferred by some mystic genius into the fair portals of "dear old Oxford?"

Recently a number of dashing young blades vaulted over the conservative conventions of our proud institution, and ignoring the conventional campus vogue, appeared attired in "round toppers," or to be more explicit, J. B. Stetson's derbies.

Campus tongues were immediately set wagging and one did not have to be unduly curious to hear such remarks as: "Where'd they come from?" "Pretty hot, eh?" "Well I suppose we may expect the Oxford 'bags' next," and such remarks. It has been rumored that one local merchant donated two dozen derbies to various beau brummels on the campus in order to introduce his wares to the student body. At present the fad is raging and seems firmly established. Time alone will show the extent.

TANK CALL RESULTS IN 33 CANDIDATES

Twenty-four of This Number Report For Frosh Swimming Team; Twombly Says Divers Plentiful.

Swimming practice for both freshmen and varsity started Friday with a large number of men out for both teams. Men out for varsity are: Dix, Gage, Glickstein, Hood, Latham, Letcher, A. Moffett, Porter, and Rennie. A number of men who were on the football and cross-country squads are also expected to report.

Those out for the freshman team are: Bevel, Boyd, Bush, Day, Frost, Holloway, Harral, Harrington, Harrison, Ladd, Lanier, Lynn, Miller, Miner, R. Moffett, Pharr, Schlossberg, Simmons, Smith, Taylor, Turk, Watson, Wilkes, and Wisdom. According to Coach "Cy" Twombly, there is some good material among the freshmen, especially in the dives. The varsity has two meets pending with Virginia and the Navy.

ONLY TWO IN CONFINEMENT

Two students are in the hospital at present, H. E. Eagan, '29, and H. J. Efron, '29. Both men are confined with slight attacks of the grippe, but are expected to be discharged at an early date.

ALABAMA PLAYS WASHINGTON ON NEW YEAR'S DAY

Alabama's Crimson Tide will meet the University of Washington, Pacific Coast conference champions, in the annual "Tournament of Roses" game in Pasadena, New Year's Day.

Fishburne Donates Two Subscriptions

School of Journalism Recipient of Gift By Editor of Roanoke World-News After Visit Here Monday

Lee Memorial School of Journalism of Washington and Lee University received its first Christmas present of the year today, when subscriptions were received to the New York World and Baltimore Evening Sun. The donor was Junius P. Fishburne, editor of the Roanoke World-News.

Mr. Fishburne was a visitor to the university on the occasion of the banquet of Pi Delta Epsilon, national journalistic fraternity, at which he was the main speaker. In going through the school of journalism he noticed that his favorite two papers were not on the rack, and gave subscriptions to them.

FOUR GENERALS STAR WITH FLORIDA PROS

McVay, Potts, Perry and Hawkins Command Headlines As Brilliant Lakeland Scorers.

Playing with the Lakeland, Florida, Wildcats, four former Washington and Lee grid stars commanded the headlines of the papers carrying the story of last Saturday's game. Johnny McVay, "Daddy" Potts, "Duke" Perry and "Red" Hawkins are the former Generals appearing in the line-up.

McVay Prominent Star.

McVay made the outstanding play of the game when he drove through guard, eluded several tacklers, and raced 23 yards before being downed by his opponent's secondary defense.

"Duke" Perry played fullback for the Pros. He scored the first touchdown of the game in the first half, after a 12 yard gain through the line.

Daddy Potts Comes Back.

"Red" Hawkins and "Daddy" Potts, the latter a star on the local eleven several years ago, led in the offensive and defensive play of the Lakeland line.

Swan Holds Crowd In Sex Lecture

"Sex Hygiene" was the subject of a lecture delivered in the Doremus gymnasium Monday by Dr. Eugene L. Swan, of the American Social Hygiene association. About four hundred and fifty students were present at the lecture.

In his address, the eminent physician asserted that in the past the sex question has usually been discussed from the wrong point of view.

He declared that "the true love of a man for a woman is the loveliest and the sweetest thing in the world."

As supplements to his speech, Dr. Swan presented two motion picture films at the New Theatre. "The Gift of Life" was depicted on Monday afternoon and "The Open Road" was shown yesterday.

FIVE LETTER MEN IN SQUAD OF 25

Quint Prospects Look Good With Promising Material From Last Year's Frosh Team On Hand.

SQUAD WILL BE CUT SOON

Maryland and Catholic University Will Furnish First Opposition On 18th and 19th.

More than 25 candidates for the varsity basketball team answered the initial call for practice Monday and are now holding regular practice sessions each afternoon in Doremus gymnasium from 5 to 6 o'clock. Under their newly appointed coach, Dick Smith, the squad has started the long grind that will take them through a season of many hard battles, ending with the Southern conference tournament in Atlanta.

Led by Captain Henry Wilson, the quintet will undoubtedly round into form in an amazingly short time, due to the presence of four other varsity men from last year, Van Horn, Little, Herndon and Lane, as well as promising material from last year's frosh team in Spotts, Shupp, Howe, Rucker, Smith, Nance and Eglebach. Funk, one of the mainstays of the 1924-25 team, did not return to school this year, being enrolled at the University of Oklahoma.

Cut Squad in a Few Days.

Fundamentals of the game have been the only work given the candidates thus far, and before many days a cut will be made in the size of the squad in order to give the coach a better chance to watch the progress of the team and give each man more individual attention.

Maryland and Catholic U. First.

Maryland and Catholic universities will be met by the Generals on December 18th and 19, and with only ten days in which to develop a smooth working combination, Coach Smith will necessarily have to keep his charges going at top speed in order to cope with the strong opposition that will certainly be furnished by these fast stepping quintets. The managerial reins are in the hands of C. J. Allison, manager, and F. B. Jackson and J. D. Carter, as junior assistants.

Georgia Tech Back On Grid Schedule

First Meeting of Teams Since 1919 When Generals Won By Tune of 3-0.

Georgia Tech's Golden Tornado has been added to the 1926 football schedule of the Fighting Generals, according to an announcement from Graduate Manager Smith's office yesterday. The game will be played in Atlanta, Georgia, on October 23.

Not since 1919 have these two teams met on the gridiron, and at their last meeting Washington and Lee was victorious by the small margin of 3-0, the points being registered by the educated toe of Jimmy Mattox. Other stars, such as "Bullet Joe" Silverstein and Lindsay Moore, were playing for the Blue and White in that epoch-making contest.

Georgia Tech can be counted upon to have a strong and dependable team next year, although they are hard hit through graduation, losing their star fullback, Wycoff, through this route. Finishing fourth in the Southern conference race this year, the Techmen are a dangerous and powerful eleven at all times. They recently closed with Notre Dame for a game on their 1926 schedule.

CHICAGO WILL MEET MARYLAND AND FLORIDA

University of Chicago's 1926 football schedule includes games with Florida, Maryland, Pennsylvania and five Western conference teams.

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The New Journalism.

Those members of the student body who heard Mr. Junius P. Fishburne, of the Roanoke Times and World-News, speak at the Pi Delta Epsilon banquet Monday night were given some insight into the new code of journalism which has sprung up among the newspapers of the United States.

The fact that many of those present were not full-fledged newspapermen, and hence lacked insight into the intricate details of newspaper work, made them realize more than ever before the great changes which have taken place since the beginnings of American journalism under such men as Greeley, Dana and Watterston—how the profession has grown into a great modern business, how it is becoming more an exact science, and how great is the need for trained men from the journalism schools of the country.

Among many laymen the idea seems to be prevalent that the business of gathering the news and spreading it properly among the people of the country is merely a slipshod, helter-skelter process, during which reporters madly dash off stories, utterly unaware of facts, editors write headlines on these fabrications, the linotype man sets them up and the finished products go into the paper. When the sheet appears it cares nothing for morals, ethics or the better things of life. This is what journalism used to be in certain sections of the country.

Not so now. Journalism has grown into a well established business institution worth hundreds of millions of dollars and employing thousands of men with the utmost system and regularity. More important than growing into a recognized business, is the tendency to put the press on the highest possible plane by adoption of recognized codes of ethics by the leading newspapers and press associations of the country. These tend to build up the profession like nothing else has done. Of course as pointed out by Mr. Fishburne one of the best codes of ethics of the country is the one given to his reporters by William Randolph Hearst of political and journalistic prominence. His is a case where the policy of the paper does not always fit the code, but in most cases adherence to the code has brought greater honor and prestige to the press.

The few figures quoted by Mr. Fishburne as to the cost of publishing the two Roanoke papers alone were of such size as to stagger many people who think that newspaper publishing is not a business. It is a business, though, and one that furnishes opportunities in ever increasing numbers to the trained writer of current day events and features. It is a profession which is less overcrowded than any other one, yet few people realize its great importance and place in our daily life. Schools of journalism are continually turning out graduates, yet they are too few to supply the demand for editorial writers, reporters, and news men.

Journalism is indeed coming into a greater and more important place in the lives of the present generation. And probably much of this phenomenal growth is due to the betterment of newspaper ethics and the adoption of standard codes of policy.

OVER 1200 HEAR SWAN

The total attendance at the meetings held for Dr. Eugene L. Swan was over 1,200. The following meetings were on Monday: Assembly on "The Meaning of Sex"; picture, "The Gift of Life"; on Tuesday, talk at hygiene class; picture, "End of the Road"; and address to Biological Society. Dr. Swan was at V. M. I.

President's Paragraph

This presidential message is to express in words the mingled love and sympathy and heart-felt sorrow awakened in every heart by the sad news that George E. Barker has been so suddenly, with his Roanoke host and friend, called to his reward.

As a Christian, a magnetic friend, a loyal W. and L. man, a campus leader, and a loving son, his sudden removal fills student body, teachers, and townspeople with deepest sorrow, and to his bereaved home-circle we all tender our heart-felt sympathy and our prayers for divine companionship and support in these hours of loneliness and sorrow.

DR. EASTER TO PRESENT NEW LIGHTS ON FRANCE

On Saturday, December 12, Dr. D. B. Easter will deliver an address before the Graham-Lee Literary society on "Some Ideas from France." The meeting of the organization will, as usual, take place at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Easter traveled extensively in France this summer. All persons interested in the subject that Dr. Easter is to discuss are invited to attend the meeting.

CARD OF THANKS

The Phi Gamma Delta fraternity wishes to take this opportunity to express their sincere appreciation to the entire student body for the sympathy and attention tendered them in their bereavement.

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RING-LINGS

By TED

Pideltaurus, censored by Johnny Mayhew and expurgated by the executive committee, came out Monday morning, to delight the campus with constructive criticism, mostly taken from last year's Rebel Yell and Mac's editorials, delightful humor—from the Mink, and art studies from the Police Gazette.

Pideltaurus is a radical publication, put out by the P. D. E. goats, which boldly expresses its opinions, provided, of course, nobody has any objections.

It is a characteristic of our yellow journals, that, while they are continually denouncing the multiplicity of purposeless organizations on the campus, they are always forming new ones. Incidentally, we are going to form one ourselves.

Eta Alpha, the newest honorary fraternity, will be composed of boys we haven't liked so well since Pideltaurus came out on Monday. Members are as follows:

- C. H. Hamilton.
- D. C. Porter.
- G. B. Witherspoon.
- W. H. Bachrach.
- E. Cayce.
- I. Lebow.
- F. B. Jackson.
- R. Whitley.
- J. N. Garber.

The E. A.'s are a young organization and not yet as strong on the campus as the Firefly Fifteen or the Fortnightly Club, but they have plenty of crust and deserve to see their pictures hung in the postoffice beside the four striking poses of George (Dutch) Anderson.

BARKER'S BODY TAKEN TO WOBURN, MASS.

The remains of George Edwin Barker, a member of the student body of Washington and Lee, whose death occurred at Roanoke last Friday night, were shipped to Woburn, Mass., accompanied by his father, E. G. Barker, Jr., and brother, Barker, III. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at that place.

Rev. Churchill Gibson, rector of the Robert E. Lee Memorial church, in the presence of immediate friends last Saturday night, conducted a short service in the Oakey undertaking parlors at Roanoke.

Eldridge Barker, III, will not return to the university until the close of the Christmas holidays.

MANY NEW NOVELS BOUGHT BY LIBRARY

Miss Rockwell, head librarian, announces that a number of new books have been bought within the last month. These books have been placed on the shelf entitled "New Books."

Among the new books are the following: three volumes of plays by Henry Arthur Jones, three volumes of social plays collected by Piner; "What's o'clock," by Amy Lowell; "Tolerance," by Hendrick Van Loon; the last volume of Walter Hines Page's letters, and several books of Eugene O'Neill's plays. Among the novels recently acquired are: "Mr. Petrie," by Hillaire Belloc; "Women," by Booth Tarkington; Benefield's, "The Chicken-wagon Family"; Wigan's "The New Decalogue of Science"; "The Perennial Bachelor," by Anne Parrish; "The Portrait of a Man with Red Hair," by Hugh Walpole, and "The One Increasing Purpose," by A. S. M. Hutchinson.

SPECTATOR TRIES TACKLE

Football players make poor spectators. Such is the opinion of the Ohio Wesleyan team.

But during the Ohio-Ohio Wesleyan game, Carlisle Dollings, former Ohio University grid star, supplied spectators with a thrill when he leaped from his seat in the bleachers and attempted to tackle a Wesleyan man running through a broken field for a touchdown.

The runner straight-armed Dollings and an Ohio safety man fell on the intruder until his opponent crossed the goal. Dollings apologized and the game continued.

SOUTHERN CONFERENCE NAMES FLETCHER AS COMMITTEE HEAD

Washington and Lee Coach Heads Committee To Draft Uniform Rules for Matmen and Pugs.

Forest Fletcher, director of athletics, has returned from the meeting of the Southern conference, which was held last Friday and Saturday at the University of Georgia, Athens.

No radical changes were made by the conference in existing regulations, although a number of clarifying rules were passed. Chief among these was an order empowering the executive committee of the conference to eject any member school found guilty of violating any rules of the association.

The athletic associations were given permission to pay the pre-season training expenses of all men reporting for early fall football practice, although training was forbidden prior to the first Monday in September.

Upon the suggestion of Coach Fletcher, a committee was appointed to draft uniform rules to govern boxing and wrestling contests in the conference. Coach Fletcher was named chairman of this committee.

An order was entered declaring any man who signed a contract to play professional baseball ineligible for further conference competition from the date of his signing.

North Carolina University was named as host for the annual conference track meet, which will be held the third Friday and Saturday in May at Chapel Hill. The fall cross country meet will be run over the course at the University of Georgia the Saturday before next Thanksgiving.

Nance Named Harrier Head

J. B. Nance of Alamo, Tenn., a sophomore in the Commerce school, was elected captain of the 1926 cross-country team. This was Nance's first year on the team, although he won his numeral in track last year. He was also awarded a numeral in basketball last year. Nance is a member of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, and White Friars.

More than 3,000 students at the University of Minnesota have signed a petition asking that military training be made optional for freshmen and sophomores. The campaign against compulsory drill is raging at the Universities of Washington, California, Kansas, Nebraska, and Georgia, and also at Boston University, Northwestern University, Syracuse University, and Pennsylvania State College.

Two Maryland lacrosse players, Gomer Lewis and John Hough, were given places on the All-American twelve as selected by L. D. Cox, editor of the Intercollegiate Lacrosse Guide. The Old Liners last year won the championship of the southern section of the Intercollegiate League.

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THE COLLEGE WORLD

Freshmen at Agnes Scott College are forced to wear their hair brushed up from the forehead and ears and screwed into a knot on top of their heads, wear green poke bonnets, bows of green cheesecloth on their left wrists and around their necks, use no cosmetics of any kind, and on a certain date must bring two dead mosquitoes to a member of the sophomore committee before midnight.

Teaching true sportsmanship by means of handbills is an innovation being adopted at Ohio State University. At a recent basketball game, 7,000 handbills with five rules of good sportsmanship printed on them were distributed among the students present. However, the bill did not stop at mere elementary instruction in being a good sport; they dealt also with smoking, fairness, courtesy and hissing. Further instructions on the bills defend the right of the coach to do his own coaching.

Kazo Nakamura, a member of the Japanese Parliament, a journalist and business man, has recently delivered a series of lectures at the University of Cincinnati. Mr. Nakamura is one of the nine members of the Japanese delegation to the Interparliamentary Conference. He left Japan in advance of his colleagues in order to make a study of the Japanese on the Western coast of the United States.

Pittsburg Honor Scholarships have been awarded by the Carnegie Institute of Technology for the new college year to 33 members of the freshman class, the scholarships being offered annually to meritorious seniors in Pittsburg high schools on nomination by school authorities.

Mrs. Virginia Esterly, dean of women at the University of Oregon, thinks that the clothes of the modern college girl are delightful. She likes girls to dress in accord with the times, and she says that she is thankful that the present styles are so sensible and appropriate.

One thousand two hundred and fifty-five men and women have enrolled for the first session of the University of South Carolina. Of this number 919 are men and 336 are women. Comparative figures reveal that this number is an increase of 634 over the total enrollment of 1922.

Students at Auburn interested in any phase of dramatic work—play production, writing, directing, acting, costume designing, or lighting effects—have a chance to show their ability in a class in play writing being offered at that school this year.

An evening buggy ride was held by forty men and women of Baylor University as a protest against the recent ruling by the dean of women prohibiting riding in automobiles in the evening by the women of the university.

Added to the knicker and yellow slicker rages that have swept American college campuses comes another and more deadly one—that of "Oxford Bage," the "Bags" being in reality 26 and 28 inch trousers. Harvard, Yale, and Princeton are the leaders in promoting the new style.

All boarding houses, dormitories and college restaurants at Ohio Wesleyan will serve mush and milk every Thursday noon. The money saved by this novel plan will be given to Ohio Wesleyan's development plan of \$800,000.

Dr. Alexander Meikeljohn, former president of Amherst, has stated, "The American College does not know what to teach, and hasn't anything to teach anyway." He is now at St. Johns College at Annapolis.

Graduates and students who secured positions during the past year through the Placement Bureau at Carnegie Tech earned over \$702,902.54.

A song day before important football games is the custom at the University of California. The school song is sung in every class on these days.

PRESENT NATIONAL SQUARE AND COMPASS ORIGINATED HERE

Present national fraternity of Square and Compass is the successor of the Masonic Club of Washington and Lee that had existed for over a quarter of a century before its organization into a Masonic fraternity in the spring of 1917. They gave their organization the name of "Square and Compass" and had it incorporated under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

The first officers of this charter were: E. J. Grossman, president; Dr. T. J. Farrar, vice-president; Carl A. Foss, secretary, and Lacy L. Shirey, treasurer.

In the fall of 1919 activity was revived at Washington and Lee, a convention of Southern college Masonic clubs was called for January, 1920, and the publication of the fraternity magazine, "The College Mason," was started. Before the end of the school year chapters were established at Tulane and Colgate universities, and "Square and Compass" was on its way to becoming a national organization.

Now 47 Chapters.

At the present time there are 47 active squares and three inactive squares, having a total of 3,156 members. Twelve squares own their own homes. Conventions of the fraternity were held in Lexington in 1920 and 1922, and in New Orleans in 1924. The next convention will be held at Madison, Wisconsin, in December, 1925.

Object To Arouse Masons.

The objects of "Square and Compass" are: (1) to arouse an interest in the fraternity among all Master Masons on the campus; (2) to provide a college organization where students and professors can meet upon the level; (3) to create an interest among its members in the history, symbolism, jurisprudence, and philosophy of Freemasonry; (4) to increase fraternalism on the campus; and (5) to do everything possible for the upbuilding of the Masonic Craft.

FISHBURNE WARNS PI DELTS TO GET PROPER BALANCE

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not have the competition that is found elsewhere. For instance, in Virginia there are no competing papers. In some cities there are morning and evening papers, but in the strictest sense this cannot be called real competition. This simplifies ad-

herence to a better code of ethics."

Activity in college publications was upheld by Mr. Fishburne, who said that the man interested in extracurricular work is very apt to be interested in community service in later life. He cited examples of men active in college publications at Princeton who later attained prominence in the newspaper or magazine field.

"But get a proper balance between the two," he warned, speaking of activities and studies; "don't neglect one at the expense of the other."

Mr. Fishburne and John Garber, absent on a cross-country trip at the regular initiation, were initiated into the fraternity following the banquet.

An organization known as the "Growlers" has been formed at Union University, Jackson, Tennessee, to foster school spirit.

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