

176th Commencement Held This Morning

ELABORATE FINAL BALL TONIGHT ENDS FINALS WEEK GAIETIES

BEAUTIFUL FIGURE WILL MARK LAST DANCE OF YEAR

Intricate and Colorful Figure Tonight To Be Led By L. L. Edgerton With Miss Mary Yeager, Assisted By J. K. Thomas With Miss Elizabeth Bowen Jones.

DECORATIONS FOR BALL VERY ELABORATE

Strains of Jan Garber's Music Will Start Final Ball Under Way.

Nineteen twenty-six Finals officially opened Friday evening when Jan Garber gave the signal for his famous orchestra to render the first number. This was the Interfraternity dance that formally opened the five-day program of Finals.

Nelson W. Burris with Miss Rose McPhillips, assisted by J. S. Brooke with Miss DeVoe Michael led the dance. The different fraternity banners hung from the sides of the balcony and the usual decoration scheme of blue and white prevailed. The floor was a seething mass of color. Dresses—blue, green, black, red, and silver were jumbled indiscriminately together.

Saturday morning from eleven until one o'clock the P. A. N.-White Friar German was held. The figure was led by P. B. Waters with Miss Elizabeth Stuart, assisted by G. T. Hendrix with Miss Dorothy Joliff.

Saturday afternoon the annual crew race between the Harry Lee and Albert Sidney crews was staged on North River. A large number was on hand to witness the event, which was won by the Harry Lee men.

This eventful day was brought to a close with the Sigma German dance from nine until twelve in the evening. The figure was led by J. K. Thomas with Miss Martha Julia Thomas, assisted by Henry Wilson with Miss Bessie Graves. The tall Sigma hats which were worn in the figure by

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President of Finals



L. L. EDGERTON

HARRY LEE FIRST CREW AGAIN WINS ANNUAL BOAT RACE

First Crew Races.

On Saturday afternoon the weather cleared up sufficiently to permit the first crew races to be held. The two boats rowed up the river at five and at five-thirty were started on their long trip to the island. The Red crew jumped into the lead at the gun and maintained it down the entire length of the course. The Harry Lee shell flashed into view at the turn, rowing a long smooth steady stroke. The Albert Sidneys came into view later, rowing hard in an effort to diminish the Red crew's lead. Their effort was futile, however, and the Harry Lee shell, for the second time during the races, crossed the line a winner, this time by three boat lengths. The members of the winning crew were: Letcher, stroke; Durham, three; Varney, two; Captain Turner, one; Driver, coxswain. The Blue crew was: Edgerton, stroke; Captain Bar-

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Annual Alumni Meeting Sees Interesting Progress Made

Dr. L. W. Irwin delivered the main address of the annual meeting of the alumni of Washington and Lee, in which he outlined Morrison's great achievements in the Belgian Congo.

Previous to the unveiling of the memorial tablet to W. M. Morrison the Washington and Lee Alumni Association, Incorporated, held a meeting in the Carnegie Library. The meeting was called to order by President E. C. Caffrey.

Dr. William Brown made a report for the Committee on the Constitution and stated that the new constitution had been drawn up and would be printed in the next issue of the Alumni Magazine, a copy of which will be sent to all alumni.

E. L. Graham and C. S. Glasgow were elected resident alumni members on the Athletic Council. J. S. Riley and Samuel Laucham were elected non-resident members of this body.

J. L. Baber outlined a plan by which the University could acquire

an original bust of Washington by the famous sculptor Houdon. An alumni committee was appointed to investigate this matter.

Verbon E. Kemp, Alumni Secretary, reported that the Alumni Directory had been printed and 600 copies distributed to subscribers. He also emphasized the necessity of local alumni organizations.

The progress and needs of Washington and Lee were described by President Henry Louis Smith.

The meeting adjourned to the chapel for the unveiling ceremony.

An alumni luncheon on the lawn was given after this ceremony.

President and Mrs. Henry Louis Smith entertained all alumni, visitors, and seniors at a reception given at their home last night before the commencement of the Senior-Alumni ball in the Doremus gymnasium. This reception was one of the most enjoyable features of Alumni Day.

The Alumni figure at the Senior-Alumni ball was led by James R. Caskie, '06, of Lynchburg.

Unveiling of Tablet To Morrison Marks Alumni Meeting

Bronze Tablet To Famous Alumnus of Washington and Lee Unveiled In Lee Chapel By Fellow Students.

DR. L. W. IRWIN SPEAKS

Alumnus W. M. Morrison Was One of Greatest Missionaries of All Times, and Beautiful Tablet Records His Service.

A bronze tablet affixed to the southwest wall of Lee Chapel just in front of and to the left of the platform was unveiled yesterday morning at eleven-thirty o'clock as a memorial to William McCutchan Morrison, an alumnus of Washington and Lee University and one of the greatest missionaries of all time. This tablet was placed by fellow students of about his time in commemoration of his great character and his splendid accomplishments, and to keep alive in name and thought one of our greatest alumni as an inspiration to coming generations of students.

Preceding the unveiling of the tablet, which was done by Mary Morrison, one of Dr. Morrison's nearest living relatives, Ex-Governor McCorkle of West Virginia, fellow student and kinsman of Dr. Morrison, with a few appropriate words introduced the speaker of the morning, Rev. Lee W. Irwin of Williamsburg. Rev. Erwin, also a fellow student of Dr. Morrison's, gave a brief discourse on the life and accomplishments of the great missionary.

Dr. Morrison was born near Lexington and entered Washington and Lee University in 1883. He received the Bachelor of Arts degree in 1887 and then went to Louisville Theological Seminary. He served as a missionary in Belgian Congo for twenty years, dying in 1918 due to his strenuous life of service. There were fifty Christians in the Congo when he began his work and seventeen thousand at his death. He translated the Bible into the native language, and due to his efforts, King Lepold

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AMONG THOSE PRESENT

- Miss Mary Cox, of Randolph-Macon, with J. R. Rogers.
- Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cameron.
- Miss Anna D. Gomez, of Woodcliff, N. J., with W. T. LaPietra.
- Miss Evelyn Ballard, of Charleston, W. Va., with Jim Brooke.
- Miss Betty Blackmarr, of St. Paul, Minn., with H. H. Newberry.
- Miss Elise Gerrin, of Jackson, Miss., with Jack Lowe.
- Miss Lig Copening, of Sweet Briar, with H. D. Carr, Jr.
- Miss Grace Thompson, of Rosedale, Miss., with Walter Bach.
- Miss Frances Krebs, of Baltimore, Md., with T. R. Nichols.
- Miss Edith Phillips, of Baltimore, Mr., with T. R. Nichols.
- Miss Flavia Prescott, of New York City, with H. H. Smith.
- Miss Virginia C. Ellis, of Louisville, Ky., with Tom Thames.
- Miss Louise Lewis, of Montezuma, Ga., with Nick Klein.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Grimley.
- Miss Virginia Southern, of Chicago, Ill., with Euch Reeves.
- Miss Elise Herring, of Jackson, Miss., with Count Barclay.
- Miss Elizabeth Owens, of Danville, Va., with Pete Muddux.
- Miss Mary Yeager, of Helena, Ark., with L. L. Edgerton.

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106 MEN AWARDED SHEEPSKINS TODAY

Valedictorian



E. W. McCORKLE, Jr.

"INDISPENSABLE VISION" IS SUBJECT OF 176TH BACCALAUREATE SERMON

Rev. H. W. DuBose Delivers Sermon To 106 Members of Class and Large Audience in Lee Chapel.

The Rev. Henry Wade DuBose, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Spartanburg, S. C., delivered the 176th baccalaureate sermon to 106 members of the graduating class of the University Sunday morning in Lee chapel. "The Indispensable Vision" was the subject of the Rev. Mr. DuBose's address, and he chose for his text, John 12:21, "We would see Jesus."

The graduating class, faculty and student body were seated in a special section of the chapel. Hon. John W. Davis and Judge Charles J. McDermott, of New York City, were guests at the service.

Rev. DuBose told the congregation the story of the Greeks' petition to see Jesus, and compared it with the life of Christian men and women of today. He said people are in the place now of Andrew and Philip of old, who found victory over temptation.

The speaker told of the time the Greeks came to Jerusalem for the Jewish passover, and how they tried

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Number of Degrees Awarded Is Nearly Equal To Number Given Last Year; Ceremony Draws To a Close One of Most Successful Commencements in History of School.

DR. PAYNE SPEAKS

Impressive Commencement Address Made By Red Cross National Executive; McCorkle Is Valedictorian.

John Barton Payne, National Executive of the American Red Cross, of Washington, D. C., told the Graduating class of Washington and Lee today in his commencement address that intellectual beauty, power to observe, leadership, dignity of manner, and independence have helped produce character.

The Commencement exercises this morning in the Lee Memorial Chapel closed the 176th session of the University. The Hon. John W. Davis and Judge Charles J. McDermott, of New York, were guests of honor.

One hundred and six students from twenty-six states and three foreign countries received degrees. E. W. McCorkle, Jr., son of the Rev. Emmett W. McCorkle, '74, of Rockbridge Baths, Va., delivered the valedictory address for the class of 1926.

"First in importance is intellectual honesty," Mr. Payne said. "We are so given to accepting and believing the things which run with our inclinations or prejudices. One must learn to look facts in the face without flinching; to become a good listener, to honor patiently, with an open mind what other people say—not to answer, but to weigh and consider; to speak you can add something to the discussion. One can never deserve a reputation for wisdom by much speaking."

The speaker stressed the need of constant reading.

"Books like observation and travel, provide food for the mind," he said. "With thought and reflection, what we read becomes a part of us as food for the body becomes blood, bones, and sinew. Read the classics, for these still constitute the foundation of literature. As next in importance,

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Alumni of Various Years Register at Headquarters

Among the alumni who have returned for Finals are the following who have registered at Alumni Headquarters up to the time this issue of the Ring-tum Phi went to press:

- H. O. Stone, '09; A. J. Cummings, '17; J. Vaughn Penn, '23; E. A. Hansbarger, '20; F. B. Kemp, Jr., '24; J. C. Dunn, '25; Bruce Draper, '25; L. B. Maye, ex-'20; Sinclair Phillips, '24; Richard Beard, ex-'23; C. A. Tutwiler, '24; F. C. Currie, '22; L. H. Towbes, '24; J. G. Herndon, Jr., '11; C. F. Sherrod, '72; R. M. Cabell, '20; S. E. Rogers, '22; T. M. Harman, '25; D. B. Owen, '12; J. H. McGinnis, '16; G. A. Davidson, '13; E. C. Caffey, '09; W. P. McCorkle, '76; B. H. Arbogast, '23; R. J. Grimsley, '21; D. W. M. MacCluer, '07; L. P. Holland, '06; M.

- I. Dunn, Jr., '23; E. P. Rose, '21; C. A. Joyce, '23; E. F. Garber, '21; J. R. Caskie, '06; J. L. Baber, Jr., ex-'14; G. W. P. Whip, '06; S. S. McNeer, '16; J. W. Fitchett, '24; M. D. Campbell, '05; D. L. Ragland, Jr., '24; H. G. Robinson, '70; E. D. Gibson, '24; J. S. Coe, '87; C. C. Thomas, '04; E. M. Cameron, '24; L. J. Desha, '06; G. W. Rader, '04; R. B. Houchins, '25; J. H. Campbell, Jr., '12; J. C. Moomaw, '11; Harry Tucker, '10; B. F. Harlow, '06; C. E. L. Gill, '21; E. K. Paxton, '08; L. J. Boxley, '09; J. G. Johnston, '11; B. F. Howard, '21; E. H. Howard, '24; L. W. Irwin, '88; R. E. Sherrill, '22; L. M. Harrison, '25; S. M. Scott, '68; J. S. Grasty, '04; H. D. Campbell, '82; E. B. Roeser, '06; H. A. Spang, '25, and M. P. Coe, '15.

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E. W. McCORKLE, Jr., '26 Editor-in-Chief
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The casual newspaper reader will perhaps wonder at the meaning of the title of this editorial in much the same manner that the public wondered when the Associated Press sent a floral tribute of the same shape to the grave of the late President Harding. To all newspaper men, the numerals "30" signify the end of the day's work, the sign which means the last sheet of copy to be sent to the composing room before the linotypes hush and the presses begin to roll.

It is truly the end of the 176th session of Washington and Lee University.

It also marks the last issue of volume XXIX of the *Ring-tum Phi*.

And it is merely another milestone in the annals of our school and a chapter in the book of history.

This morning Washington and Lee conferred on a group of her sons their baccalaureate rewards, officially bringing the 176th session to a close. Tonight in Doremus Gymnasium, Final Ball will bring an end to the social and campus affairs of the year. And tomorrow morning, the students and their friends will depart to their several homes.

Since last Final Ball, much has happened. Washington and Lee has taken great strides forward in every direction. The School of Journalism has become a reality; the new chemistry building has been fully equipped; the stadium has been improved; the Generals' football team holds the state championship; the Southern Federation of Colleges has met here and elected one of our students its president; plans are on foot for the revival of the Mink; a new method of election of editors and managers of campus publications has been adopted; the language requirement has been removed from the science curriculum; the enrollment of the student body has passed the nine hundred mark; plans have been started for the revival of the Watcher at Lee's tomb; the Alumni Directory has been published; the *Ring-tum Phi* will be enlarged to a six-column paper; and all the Washington and Lee social functions have had their accustomed success.

When we look back on the events of the year 1925-26, many things come to mind that have redounded to the glory of Washington and Lee. Others have taken place which were not always to the credit of the school. But all in all, we will look back on the year as being one of our cycle of four which are called "college days." Now we long to be them over. In a few years we will long to live them over. In old age, we will pray that we could be closer to them.

The year is gone. The nine months of the session have passed. Another set of seniors, juniors, sophomores, and freshmen will step into our places to carry on the sacred ideals and glorious traditions of Washington and Lee University. Things will happen next year in much the same order that they have this year, yet all will seem different. Students and alumni will say that things are not what they used to be. But as Lord Northcliffe once said about them, "No, thank God they never were."

Through the years Washington and Lee will continue to grow and build after the noble ideals and example Robert E. Lee with the trivial events of the past constantly fading into insignificance and the bright sun of the future constantly looming on the horizon. To continue to look into the future and profit by the mistakes of the past is the only way to keep our school on the upgrade where it has been for 176 years.

During the events of this year, the *Ring-tum Phi* has tried to publish accurate news for the students and friends of Washington and Lee. Of course some unfortunate events have occurred and important things have not been covered properly in our news columns. But mistakes will occur in the best regulated papers.

And now at the end of the year, the *Ring-tum Phi* can say that it has tried to be a faithful chronicle of campus events. As we sign "30" to the Twenty-Ninth Volume of the University newspaper, we desire to extend to all, our very best wishes for their own future, and that of Washington and Lee.

An Appreciation.

This issue of the *Ring-tum Phi* is the last one to be printed at the plant of the Rockbridge County News. The first one of next year will be published at the establishment of the Lexington Gazette.

Needless to say such a change severs a connection with the County News, long enjoyed by the *Ring-tum Phi*. Since its founding in 1897, the Washington and Lee newspaper has been printed at this same office, with the exception of the first five years, when it changed hands three times. During this time our relationship with the publishers has been of the most pleasant character, and it is with deep regret, tempered only by the prospect of a larger and better paper next year, that we see the seat of publication changed.

To Mr. Matthew W. Paxton, owner of the County News; Mr. J. D. Varner, compositor; Mr. A. D. Smith, linotype operator, and Mr. O. R. Charlton, pressman, we extend our sincere appreciation for their untiring effort to make the *Ring-tum Phi* a success and their co-operation at all times.

RING-LINGS

By TED HECKER

Enter: The Grueling Grind; the Five Day Dance Marathon that makes the Six Day Bicycle Race look like a rest cure. The Cream will get the stiff shirt from the laundry where it has been since Easter, dress up like trap-drummers, and shame the sun, that only shines twelve hours out of a possible twenty-four.

Some will spend five days trying to get rid of their girls for a few minutes. Others will spend five days trying to get a few minutes conversation with theirs. Carl Gill will be carried off, gibbering, to a sanatorium.

Everybody will wear himself down to a nub. Wednesday morning, 600 nubs will buy tickets for home.

We object to hearing President Smith called an oil can. An oil can holds a gallon.

Mutter a prayer for the graduates, going out into the world.

The world isn't exactly cruel. It just don't give a damn.

Everybody but the Lawyers will go to work. The Phi Beta Kappa's will get jobs in Mattingly's office. The Engineers will sell atlases and vacuum cleaners. The boys in the Commerce School will go back and help the old folks run the farm. The Academics will starve to death—or go into teaching, which amounts to the same thing. Personally, we are going to buy a key and go into Journalism, in spite of the fact that our one ambition is to be a barber and sport with the tangles of Naera's hair in a certain Main Street shampoo den.

Help Wanted.

RESIDENTS of Lexington, here is your chance to earn pin money. The trustees and the administration of Washington and Lee University need one hundred stool pigeons, part or full time, to help rid the town of students and keep the faculty pure and sober. Pleasant work. Much more enjoyable than minding your own business. Give it a trial. Liberal commission. Three dollars in times for each student or faculty member reported. Box D-155, *Ring-tum Phi*.

John Drinkwater, dramatist and author of Robert E. Lee, Oliver Cromwell, Abraham Lincoln and other plays, has begun work on his new play, "J. Ed. Deaver," material for which he gathered while visiting Lexington last winter.

S. A. E. WINS IN GAME WITH P. K. A. NINE

The fast going Sigma Alpha Epsilon baseball team defeated the Pi Kappa Alpha nine Saturday, May 29, 18 to 10, and thus won the right to battle the Alpha Tau Omegas for the pennant.

The S. A. E.'s opened up strong in the initial frame when they scored two runs on four consecutive doubles; in the third they added six more runs on four hits and several P. K. A. errors, and again in the sixth and seventh they clouted fiercely to score nine runs.

Newman, on the mound for the S. A. E.'s, held the P. K. A.'s well in check, except in the fifth, when they staged an eight run rally and temporarily took the lead.

Newman, Shoup, Lowe, and Jenkins led the attack of the victors with three safe blows each and Bill Rector connected for three hits for the losers.

Score by innings:
S. A. E. 206 013 6—18
P. K. A. 101 080 0—10
Batteries—S. A. E.: Newman and Dulin. P. K. A.: Cain, Burks and Smeltzer.

GREEKS TO LOCATE IN NEW HOUSES NEXT FALL

The Phi Epsilon Pi's are one of two fraternities that has definitely decided to change their location next year. They will move to Mrs. Moses at 99 South Main.

Phi Kappa Psi is the other Greek organization which will move its establishment. The Phi Psi's will move from 91 South Main street across to 88 South Main.

Sigma Phi Epsilon and several others of the local chapters are considering moving, but have not definitely decided yet.

LIST OF DEGREES AWARDED 1926

Master of Arts.

O. Crenshaw, Georgia; M. C. Langhorne, Virginia; M. L. Peacock, Mississippi; R. L. Scott, Virginia.

Bachelor of Laws.

R. O. Bentley, Jr., New Jersey; W. H. Boyer, Virginia; W. H. Brown, Jr., Virginia; E. A. Cadmus, Virginia; K. O. Davajan, Russia; R. R. Dickson, West Virginia; E. G. Hundley, West Virginia; N. S. Lake, West Virginia; R. Masinter, Virginia; A. A. Payne, West Virginia; J. K. Thomas, West Virginia; E. L. Valentine, Connecticut; B. G. Watkins, Virginia.

Bachelor of Arts.

E. G. Barker, Alabama; W. C. Baxter, Canada; E. S. Berlin, Virginia; J. P. Bronstein, Pennsylvania; J. G. Chapman, Virginia; A. R. Coleman, Virginia; C. V. DeBiao, New Jersey; E. A. Dodd, Kentucky; P. P. Goodwyn, Virginia; R. L. Gordon, Kentucky; C. H. Hamilton, West Virginia; T. R. Hecker, New York; W. R. Henderson, Virginia; G. T. W. Hendrix, Maryland; C. E. Holleman, Jr., North Carolina; R. W. Jordan, Jr., Virginia; K. C. Kimbrough, Mississippi; C. B. Knight, Virginia; H. Lee, Virginia; J. T. Lewis, Missouri; C. W. Lowry, Oklahoma; E. W. McCorkle, Jr., Virginia; J. L. McDonald, Florida; S. T. Magann, Virginia; W. R. Marchman, Georgia; F. W. Martin, South Carolina; W. H. Maynard, Mississippi; H. C. Moore, Virginia; T. T. Moore, Virginia; R. D. Morrison, Virginia; W. D. Mullinix, Maryland; E. A. Nabors, Louisiana; T. R. Nichols, Maryland; C. H. Patterson, Virginia; H. Pfeffer, New York; O. A. Rand, New Hampshire; P. M. Schuchar, Pennsylvania; F. P. Shull, Tennessee; W. F. Smith, New Jersey; C. P. Snyder, Tennessee; E. N. Trinkle, Virginia; J. R. Van Buren, New York; F. B. Waters, Virginia; L. E. Wice, Virginia; J. N. Williams, Virginia; W. B. Williamson, Texas; R. M. Yankee, West Virginia; R. C. Yates, Virginia.

Bachelor of Science.

J. M. Dozier, Jr., Virginia; S. Evans, West Virginia; J. B. Funk, Maryland; H. B. Glass, Missouri; E. K. Jackson, Virginia; D. S. McCorkle, Virginia; G. L. Read, Virginia; C. J. Wallin, Virginia; A. G. Woolwine, Virginia.

Bachelor of Science in Commerce.

R. H. Abbott, Illinois; F. C. Bear, Alabama; D. F. Birch, New York; J. M. Boyd, Louisiana; J. Collins, Jr., West Virginia; J. Cook, Minnesota; E. L. Cox, North Carolina; W. W. Davis, Virginia; J. W. Decker, Virginia; L. L. Edgerton, North Carolina; L. O. Fagan, Virginia; G. S. Farrar, Louisiana; E. Felsenthal, Tennessee; T. P. Foley, Kentucky; R. A. Fulton, Virginia; J. C. Fox, Virginia; R. B. Gibson, Ohio; M. L. Goodman, Virginia; T. W. Harde, Jr., Louisiana; J. R. Hendrix, Alabama; G. L. Hill, Alabama; R. K. Hunt, Georgia; C. P. Johnston, Virginia; E. R. Lane, North Carolina; R. W. Livingston, Pa.; C. W. T. Lockard, Virginia; J. Y. Louie, China; J. G. McGiffin, Jr., Florida; H. A. McVeigh, Virginia; M. H. MacBryde, Jr., North Carolina; G. N. May, Arkansas; E. A. Morris, North Carolina; M. L. Ridenour, Virginia; C. A. Schloss, Virginia; T. L. Seehorn, Tennessee; R. C. Smith, Virginia; H. B. Sproul, Virginia; R. H. Thatcher, Delaware; W. K. Timberlake, Virginia; D. C. West, Arkansas; G. B. Wilkinson, North Carolina; H. M. Wilson, Kentucky.

Certificate in School of Commerce.
A. R. Coleman, Virginia; T. H. Johnson, Jr., Tennessee; T. T. Moore, Virginia; M. Terry, Delaware.

SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Endowed Scholarships.

Howard Houston Fellowship, F. P. Shull, Tennessee; Mapleson Scholarship, W. F. Smith, Virginia; Vincent L. Bradford Scholarship, H. H. Butler, Florida; Birely Scholarship, J. V. Eddy, Virginia; Franklin Society Scholarship, F. P. Coleman, Virginia; James McDowell Scholarship, D. S. Dix, Alabama; James J. White Scholarship, H. C. Harrell, Florida; Mary Louisa Reed White Scholarship, E. L. Gamble, Alabama; Taylor Scholarship, W. W. Morgan, District of Columbia; Young Scholarship, R. W. Simmons, West Virginia; Inter-Fraternity Scholarship, C. L. Eigelbach, Kentucky.

Departmental Scholarships.

Geology, A. W. Pierpont, Florida; German, M. Moise, South Carolina; Political Science, C. F. Urquhart, Jr., California; French, R. C. Ammerman, Kentucky; Economics, P. R. Harrison, Jr., West Virginia; History, T. P. Stearns, Maryland; English, E. H. Miller, Missouri; Commerce, W. M. Pope, West Virginia; Biology, C. T. James, Jr., Virginia; Electrical Engineering, J. S. Hanckel, Virginia; Physical Education, H. Sutton, Virginia; Spanish, J. Kaplan, Kentucky; Education, S. Merriek, Maryland; Accounting, S. A. Bloch, Alabama; Civil Engineering, J. P. Lowry, Oklahoma; Physics, R. E. Kepler, Kansas; Latin, M. Weinstein, Georgia; Journalism, G. C. Olsen, Illinois.

Thomas West Gilliam Prizes.

Best poem, W. M. Garrison, South Carolina; best short story, Robert Taylor, Jr., Pennsylvania; best play, divided between T. R. Hecker, New York, and R. G. Morrissey, Tennessee.

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Miss Elizabeth Pape, of Chicago, Ill., with Curry Porter.
Miss Marjorie Mondle, of Washington, D. C., with C. E. DeLaney.
Miss Allison Moon, of South Hill, Va., with H. C. Moore.
Mrs. W. H. Whitehurst, of Savannah, Ga., with C. T. James.
Miss Judy Shelton, of Washington, D. C., with F. B. Price.
Miss Kitty Wilson, of Sweet Briar, Va., with A. T. McAlister.
Miss Mary Edmondson, of Radford, Va., with W. H. Houston.

BLUE AND WHITE BASEBALL NINE HAD GOOD SEASON

Winning Team Developed From Poor Material and Handicaps By Coach Dick Smith; Won Number of Games From Northern Schools.

Baseball prospects in the camp of the Generals looked exceedingly dull before the opening of the season with only two infielders, one regular outfielder and two second string fielders of the 1925 machine returning to the fold. Captain "Dick" Smith, former second sacker and ex-captain of the Blue and the White, toiled diligently with his cohorts and developed a smooth working team with his little material.

Not a single regular pitcher of the 1925 team was found who could be depended on to win. "Doc" Woolwine was the only regular pitcher in school and he had just recovered from pneumonia. "Snake" Maben, relief hurler, on the team for two years, was developed into a dependable southpaw and won most of his games. Paul Folliard, a sophomore, twirled his first game in college baseball against the Pennsylvania outfit, defeating them. The pitching duties fell on the shoulders of these two ment with "Max" Wilkinson being used as the relief hurler.

The receiving end was also without the services of its first or second catcher of the previous year. "Horse" Tips and Jones had seen services on the "Dazling Cy" Twombly's yearling team the year before. Jones received an injured hand in the Rutgers game and was forced from the encounters for several weeks with all the catching falling on the shoulders of Tips.

Captain Seehorn and "Mike" Palmer were the only infielders back. Palmer was shifted from shortstop, the position he played on the '25 combination, to second base. Captain "Tommy," playing his third and last year as a General, started the season at third, but was shifted from that position to short to bolster the fielding of the inner gardens. "Babe" Spotts, late of Twombly's '25 freshmen team, was placed on the initial sack and held it down in big league style. He hit .324 his first year on the team and fielded well. Eigelbach, also on the '25 freshman team, was tried out at shortstop, but was shifted to third when Seehorn was moved over to short.

Tommy Stearns was back parading in the right gardens again and hitting in his usual terrific style. Warthen and Jolliffe alternated in center, Warthen playing when the opponents used right handers and Jolliffe against those who threw from the wrong side. Johnston, also a yearling player the year before, was stationed in left field and played there until towards the close of the season, when Tips was shifted from behind the plate to the otter gardens.

Captain Seehorn and Eigelbach were tied with the most runs, with sixteen each. Seehorn also led with extra base hits, while Stearns was taking off the batting honors with twenty-eight hits for a grand average of .359. Wilkinson lead the team with .368, but since he was not a regular player the leader is considered to be Stearns.

On the annual northern trip the University of Maryland was met in two games, the Navy in one, Fordham and Rutgers in one game each.

Agame scheduled with Seton Hall was called off on account of rain. Maryland and the Navy were defeated in one game each, while Fordham, Rutgers, and Maryland made the Generals taste defeat. The entire team hit at a terrific gait and pulled up their batting averages.

AB. H. Aver.		
Wilkinson	19	7 .368
Stearns	78	28 .359
Spotts	71	23 .324
Seehorn	77	24 .312
Palmer	77	21 .273
Johnston	41	10 .244
Eigelbach	66	16 .243
Jolliffe	33	8 .242
Warthen	23	5 .219
Tips	51	11 .216
Jones	37	5 .139
Folliard	25	3 .120
Maben	18	2 .111

Y. M. C. A. COMPLETES VERY SUCCESSFUL YEAR OF ACTIVITIES AND WORK

Much Good Work Done In Meetings, Groups, Visits, Literature and Conferences, Says Zerfoss At Close of Year.

The following report was made recently by Karl P. Zerfoss of the Washington and Lee Y. M. C. A., concerning the work accomplished by this organization during the past school year:

Religious meetings. Outstanding speakers for the year were as follows: Dr. E. L. Swan, speaking on sex hygiene; Arthur Rugh, on missions and Christian life; Kirby Page, on war and international relations; R. B. Eleazer, on race relations; Dr. A. K. Foster, on religion and science; and Dr. S. C. Mitchell, on the Christian life and international relations. About twenty-five meetings were held during the year, the attendance being approximately 4,300.

Cabinet. The cabinet, composed of fourteen students, met each week for devotion and for the planning of the program.

Bible Discussion Groups. There was an enrollment of 240 men in fifteen groups, these groups being led by professors, ministers, students, and local citizens. Thirteen of the groups were held in fraternity houses. A cup was offered for the best attendance record. The winner of this cup was the Sigma Nu fraternity, which with an enrollment of twenty-eight men, had only six men absent in eight weeks. The total attendance in the groups was approximately 1,070.

Deputation visits. Visits were made to the following schools: Staunton Military Academy, Augusta Military Academy, Randolph-Macon Academy at Bedford, Massanutten Military Academy, Natural Bridge High School, and the High School at Buena Vista.

Service. Efforts were made along the following lines: A night school for negroes and for white boys of the town; playground work in East Lexington; direction of a Boy's Club for local boys under Scout age; visits to the hospital; direction of the Near East old clothes drive in the University; distribution of information to new students; assistance to new students in finding rooms; lost and found service, and supervision of the bulletin board.

Literature. The "Y" bar found that the use of good books offers an unlimited field of influence. Two books have been especially used: "Men, Women, and God," a discourse on the sex question in frank and Christian terms; and Eddy's book, "Facing the Crisis," which gives excellent help to students who are perplexed with problems of religion or morals. Throughout the year, pamphlets on various subjects have been made available in the reading room; among the topics discussed in these bulletins are life work, character building, science, and religion.

Conferences. Conferences on Association work and other phases of Christian effort give opportunity for student leaders to have fellowship with students in other institutions and to come under the influence of excellent speakers and leaders. Our students took advantage of such opportunities at the World Court Conference at Lynchburg, at the Bible Study Institute at Roanoke College, at the University of Virginia, and at the State Officers' Training Conference.

The best available figures on finances at this time are as follows: Amount subscribed, \$2,300; collected to date, \$1,800.

"I have not attempted to give an exhaustive account of all the activities on our program," declares Mr. Zerfoss. "Among the things not listed above are fellowship of our cabinet men and officers with each other, with the secretary, and with men not closely associated in the work; and, definite incentives to personal devotion and personal work. Through it all, the co-operation of a number of

Publicity Department Next Year For Athletics

Athletic Council Will Choose Senior Manager and Junior and Sophomore Assistants On Publicity Department.

NEWS TO BE SENT OUT

Will Cover Athletic Contests and Give Much Publicity To Washington and Lee Athletics.

Owing to the growth of Washington and Lee and to the steady growing demand for athletic publicity by the metropolitan newspapers, the athletic council has increased the personnel of its publicity department from one to four to be able to send out the requested athletic news. Heretofore one man has had the responsibility for all the news released to the papers, but under the new system there will be a senior in charge, a junior assistant, and two sophomore assistants, the senior and junior positions drawing a salary.

The appointments will be run under the same system as appointments for managers of the varsity athletics. One of the sophomores will be appointed junior assistant and the following year automatically be made senior manager. Up to the time of the printing of the paper only three applications have been received: P. R. Harrison, W. M. Garrison, and Henry P. Johnson. Harrison was sports editor of the Ring-tum Phi for 1925-26, assistant sports editor of The Calyx, and a member of Phi Kappa Sigma. Garrison was assistant managing editor of the Ring-tum Phi for 1925-26, one of the assistant editors of The Calyx, and is a member of Pi Kappa Phi. Johnson is a reporter on the sports staff of the Ring-tum Phi, and Alpha Tau Omega. Harrison and Garrison will be juniors next year, while Johnson will be a sophomore.

No one has been selected by the athletic council as senior manager, and unless one is made before the end of finals Harrison will be made senior manager, Garrison will be made his junior assistant, and Johnson sophomore assistant. Unless applications are made for the sophomore vacancy this year one will be selected at the beginning of the school year in September to fill this position.

During the 1925-26 school term, the Washington and Lee Press Club has been operated under the auspices of the Lee School of Journalism, and the writing of all stories sent out has been personally supervised by Professor Ellard, of the journalism department.

The publication department has been unusually active and efficient this year. There has been approximately six stories a week sent out to the largest newspapers of the south and to the Associated Press. According to a conservative approximation, 250,000 words have been released by this department since September.

The Press Club covers all University news except stories of athletic contests. These stories are published under the direction of R. A. Smith, graduate manager of athletics. In addition to stories distributed by the publication department there are cuts and mats sent out to those papers of the south having rotogravure sections.

FROSH CINDER TEAM BROKE EVEN FOR YEAR

Yearlings Won Two Out of Four Meets; Had Star In Swart.

The frosh cinder team during the past season broke even in four meets. Coach Mathis' yearlings defeated Jefferson High School of Roanoke and Augusta Military Academy, but met defeat at the hands of the University of Virginia freshmen and the Virginia Tech freshmen.

The freshmen scored 214 points to 250 scored by their opponents.

The feature of the season was the brilliant work of Captain Swart, who made a total of 86 points in four meets; he took fourteen first places.

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consecrated students of some interested faculty members and fo the loyal ministers of the town, makes the work worth while."

PUBLICATIONS COMPLETE VERY SUCCESSFUL YEAR

TRACKMEN WON TWO OUT OF SEVEN CINDER MEETS

Generals Score 340 Points and Win Brilliant Individual Victories, But Had Hard Schedule and Won Only Two Meets.

Having the hardest schedule that a Blue and White cinder team has had in many years and weakened by the loss of several stellar contenders due to injuries, the varsity track team was able to win only two out of seven meets during the past season.

Duke University and North Carolina State College fell before the Generals, but the University of North Carolina, the University of Richmond, the University of Virginia, and V. P. I. defeated Coach Fletcher's runners. In the one triangular meet of the season Harvard captured first, Washington and Lee second, and William and Mary third place.

The Blue and White team scored 340 points to 572 scored by their opponents. Reardon, star broad jumper, hurdler, and javelin man, with 46 points to his credit, led in the individual scoring. Lowery, high jumper and pole vaulter, was second with 43 points; he was followed by Milbank, dash star and captain-elect for 1927, with 42 points. Captain Davis, although participating in only four meets because of an injury, was fourth among the high scorers with 41 points.

The Generals fittingly opened the season by defeating the Duke University trackmen at Durham on April 1st by the score of 70 to 58. Taking three first places, Davis was the outstanding star of the meet. On the next day, however, Washington and Lee showed a complete reversal of form and was swamped by the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 88 to 38. Davis' running was again brilliant; he took two first places and in the low hurdles he broke the Southern Conference record.

On April 19 the Blue and White tracksters nosed out the Wolfpack cinder team from North Carolina State on Wilson field, 63 1-2 to 62 1-2. The meet was unusually close throughout and not until the final event, the pole vault in which Lowry tied for first, was the victor decided.

In a triangular meet with Harvard and William and Mary at Williamsburg on April 24, the Crimson runners proved too fast for the Generals and outscored them 101 to 30; William and Mary took third place in the meet with 23 points. Two records for Virginia were hung up in this meet by Harvard performers and every first place went to the Northerners. Milbank, with two second places, was high point man for Washington and Lee.

On the following Monday at Richmond the University of Richmond defeated Coach Fletcher's charges 78 1-2 to 47 1-2. Practically the entire team was running off form and the Spiders took every running event except the two mile and the high hurdles. Lowry and Reardon, with ten points each, led the Minkmen.

On May 4 the Virginia Cavaliers defeated the Generals 89 to 37 on Wilson field in a meet which was much closer than the score indicates. Virginia showed clear superiority in the field events, taking first in all six. The feature of the meet was the hundred yard dash, in which Milbank forced Cummings to take second place. Wilson with nine points was high point man for the locals.

The Washington and Lee cinder artists lost their last meet of the season to V. P. I. at Blacksburg on May 8 by the score of 72 to 54. Captain Davis returned to the track in this meet after a three weeks lay-off and won the high hurdles in 16.4 and took second in the low hurdles.

The individual scoring for the past season was as follows:

Reardon, 46; Lowry, 43; Milbank, 42; Davis, 41; Coleman, 24; Backus, 20. Howard, 18. Wilson, 15; Sutton, 15; Gordon, 14; Kidd, 11; Wigglesworth, 10; Patterson, 9; Summerson, 9; Holmes, 8; Allen, 7; Nance, 6; Felstenthal, 4; Claunch, 2; Little, 1; Fisher, 1; White, 1.

Ring-tum Phi Is Outstanding Success Both Financially and In Quality and Quantity of News; Calyx Is Very Beautiful and Successful Year Book.

The editorial end of the 1926 Calyx is considered by many as being the best ever put out at Washington and Lee and one of the best annuals ever to be published by a southern institution. This department of the Calyx was under the direct supervision of Editor-in-Chief Carl Knight.

The financial end of the annual enjoyed the biggest success that it has had for many years. Francis Fentress was elected business manager of the '26 edition in the spring elections of '25, but owing to the fact that he did not return, D. C. Porter was selected by the Executive Committee and Publication Board to fill this vacancy.

Next year's Calyx will be published by M. M. Junkin, the '26 Calyx art editor, and G. B. Witherspoon, one of the business assistants. These two men have already called a joint meeting and outlined the work that has to be done in both the editorial department and the business department. About thirty aspirants reported and received the instructions given out.

The 1926-27 Ring-tum Phi, under I. Lebow as editor-in-chief and J. A. Smith as business manager, will be a six-column paper and will be deepened in proportion, thereby giving the reader approximately forty per cent more reading material with the present amount of advertising.

Instead of having reporters as has been the case before, they will be dropped and men in the Lee School of Journalism will cover the assignments. Under this new system the news editor will make up his assignments and turn them over to Professor Ellard, of the Lee School of Journalism, who will then assign them to some proficient journalism students to get up as a part of the regular course. It is thought by doing this that the paper will be assured of well written stories and contain all the latest campus news.

It is undecided at present just how the sporting department will be run next year, but it is expected to be run somewhat on the same plan as it was run this year.

A. T. O'S Win Interfrat Baseball Championship

Last Game In Greek League Is Featured By Good Playing and Star Twirling By Both Teams.

Washington and Lee's interfraternity baseball record for strikeouts was shattered Monday morning when DuVal Radford, star Alpha Tau Omega twirler, hurled his teammates to the interfraternity championship by a seven to four victory over the Sigma Alpha Epsilons. Radford fanned twenty batsmen and gave up only three hits in nine innings, the record previously being held by Ginsburg, P. E. P. slabman, with eighteen whiffs to his credit. Newman also pitched fine ball for the losers, fanning ten of the Alpha Taus' batters.

Brown, Driver, and Porter, each collected two hits for the victors, while Lowe, Dulin, and R. Cooper were the only men to get hits for the losers. Radford with the exception of the third inning, pitched masterful ball. He allowed three men to cross the plate in that frame, but then settled down, taking the batsmen in one, two, three order until the eighth, when he let up and allowed one man to cross the fourth base.

Score by innings:
S. A. E.003 000 010—7
A. T. O.002 400 10x—7

Summary—Two base hits: Stevenson. Stolen base: Jenkins (2), Bach (2), Newman, Stevenson. Hit by pitcher: Jenkins. Walked by Newman (Porter and Turner). Wild throws: Turner, Radford, Holt, Newman. Strikeouts: By Newman, Connell (4), Holt (3), Leatham (3), by Radford, Shoup (2), Dulin (2), Gilbert (2), Houston (3), Lowe (2), Newman, Cooper (3), Jenkins (3).

106 MEN AWARDED SHEEPSKINS TODAY

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read biographies of great men and histories. Then read the great essays—especially Maigne, Bacon and Emerson. Whenever in doubt, read Shakespeare, the master of human passion. Keep a volume by you as a constant companion."

Referring to the choice of an occupation, Mr. Payne told the graduates:

"The first question is: What, upon mature reflection, would you like to be, Have you a decided inclination for a particular occupation? What would bring you the greatest pleasure and enable you to be of the greatest service to your fellowmen? When you answer this, the question is: Do your talents fit your inclinations? This is a searching question and involves your mental and moral equipment. In this self-examination you must be honest with yourself and determine as far as possible your capabilities. In this you will be aided by the advice of your parents, teachers, your school fellows, even your friends.

"In deciding upon your occupation, you will often ask yourself: What are the requirements for this or that occupation? Take for instance the law. The popular belief is that the oratory is of first importance. This error has proven fatal to many. I have in mind two striking examples of men who chose law because of their gifts of oratory. Both drifted into politics. One found his place on the lecture platform—as lawyers both failed miserably.

"When your final choice of an occupation is made, stand fast by your decision, do not look back or hesitate. If you vacillate, and think perhaps after all something else will have suited you better, and you try something else—you are likely to suffer keenly. Be certain you are right, then move forward."

In conclusion, Mr. Payne charged the young graduates to think of their fellow men.

"The day is past," he said, "when one may live to himself alone; the doctrine that I am my brother's keeper has grown somewhat threadbare.

"In a large sense we are our brother's keeper. The selfishness expressed by the old phrase, no longer meets the need of an enlightened world. Service to others affords to all normal people pleasure; indeed, we should find our greatest happiness in service to others. Not that we should omit attending wisely to our own, but at the same time think of our fellow men. Take, for instance, the example of our own General Lee: You know in what modest circumstances he was left at the close of the war, and how greatly the comforts of fortune would have added to his material well being. You have heard, I am sure, that he was offered large salaries to accept prominent positions of trust and profit, but declined them, because he felt he could serve the Southern people better by remaining with them, sharing their privations; and by his example and influence, help solve their problems. You will be glad, I know, to have almost at first hand confirmation of this:

"In Chicago I became acquainted with Mr. Henry J. Furber, a man of large affairs, the head of the National Life Insurance Company; then, and now, in successful operation. Mr. Furber told me that he secured an appointment with General Lee; that he went to Virginia and had an interview with him; explained to him the importance to a great institution like the Insurance Company, of having a man of General Lee's character to be the head, and tendered him the Presidency, with the then very large salary of twenty-five thousand dollars per year.

"General Lee expressed great appreciation for his consideration shown him by the offer, but declined, and accepted the Presidency of this Institution. With this example of unselfish idealism, I feel that I can afford to bid you God-speed."

Valedictory Address.

McCorkle chose as his subject "Lee Leadership." He first presented a short history of the Founding of the school and its later years, Lee's task as president and his untiring efforts in behalf of the University and the inculcation of his spirit and ideals in the making of Washington and Lee into a strictly modern university far

in advance of the times, were points stressed in his address. An exhortation for Washington and Lee graduates to become possessed of those self-same qualities and traits of Lee which ever remain in the atmosphere of this school rendered famous by his immortal name was made by the speaker. Finally was the statement of Lee's example and precept by which the success of the sons of Washington and Lee should be measured: "Duty is the sublimest word in our language. Do your duty in all things. You cannot do more. You should not wish to do less."

UNVEILING OF TABLET TO MORRISON MARKS ALUMNI MEETING

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of Belgium was forced to relieve the cruel and oppressive conditions which existed in the Congo. He ranks with Livingston as a civilizer and up-builder of Africa.

The inscription on the tablet is as follows, under an open Bible, a Cross and a Crown:

"WILLIAM McCUTCHAN MORRISON.

"Born November 10, 1867, near Lexington, Virginia; B. A., W. and L. U., 1887. Graduate Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, 1892. Missionary, Leubo, Congo, Africa, May 7, 1897. Aggressive exposé of the oppression and atrocities suffered by the Belgian-Congo natives and for which he suffered prosecution, but was acquitted and vindicated. Author of the first grammar and dictionary of the native dialect and paraphrased the Scriptures therein. D. D., W. and L. U., 1906. Married Bertha Stebbins of Matchez, Mississippi, June 14, 1906, who died as a missionary with him November 21, 1910. He died March 14, 1918, and was buried at Leubo.

"He carried the Gospel to darkest Africa and in consecration, administration, linguistic work, practical methods and results ranks first in this field.

"This tablet is placed by fellow students of about his time in happy thought of college day fellowship, and in commemoration of his great character, his holy life-work, his heroic bravery and his splendid accomplishment, and to keep alive in name and thought one of our greatest Alumni as an inspiration to coming generations of students."

"INDISPENSABLE VISION" IS SUBJECT OF 176th BACCALAUREATE SERMON

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through the apostles to see Jesus. The apostles asked Jesus what to do about it, and His actions, and His kindly manner in telling them that all men would be drawn to Him, and that they would be lifted up formed the lesson Rev. DuBose pointed out to the graduates.

"To see Jesus Christ through eyes of faith and understanding is to make the supreme discovery of life," said Rev. DuBose. "To know Jesus is to know God. To know Jesus is to know yourself. To know Jesus is to know the meaning of life. To know Jesus truly is to have eternal life."

In conclusion he made a plea to the congregation to look for Jesus with the eyes of little children, and not blinded by gold or carnal pleasure.

"And men cannot find Him any other way," he said.

FROSH CINDER TEAM BROKE EVEN FOR YEAR

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His time in the dashes and hurdles compared favorably to that made by the varsity this spring and his broad jumping was excellent. Pilley was also an outstanding man; his running in the mile was especially laudable.

Freshmen individual scoring during the past season:

Swact, 86; Pilley, 29; Janney, 21; Sproul, 20; Groop, 11; Price, 10; Nathan, 6; Renken, 6; Winn, 6; Simons, 6; Lufts, 5; Spangler, 4; Edwards, 3; Harrison, 2; Ould, 1; Rodgers, 1.

WINNING GROUP

The Sigma Nu fraternity was the winner of the cup offered by the Y. M. C. A. to the Bible Discussion Group M. C. A. to the Bible Discussion Group, having the best attendance during the eight weekly meetings held this spring.

BEAUTIFUL FIGURE WILL MARK LAST DANCE OF YEAR

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both the members and their girls was a very attractive feature. The figure formed the letter "S," after which the men sang the Sigma song and gave Sigma's yell.

Monday's program was one as varied and entertaining as that of Saturday. In the morning the Kappa Sigma fraternity gave a delightful morning dance which was well attended and enjoyed. In the afternoon the Phi Delta Theta and Sigma Nu fraternities gave an enjoyable party at the Natural Bridge Hotel. At a seasonable hour, dancing was discontinued in order that a very tasteful lunch could be served to the guests.

The Senior Alumni Ball brought the entertainment for Monday to a close. The figure was led by F. C. Bear with Miss Sarah Bullock, assisted by N. W. Burris with Miss Rose McPhillips, W. H. Brown with Miss Frances Foster, E. N. Trinkle with Miss Lucille Gaines. The class numeral was made in the figure.

The Final Ball tonight brings another year to a close. It brings also to a fitting climax the many, many enjoyable, entertaining and never-to-be-forgotten good times that have been had this Finals. Old Doremus Gymnasium will be the site of one of the most brilliant and impressive dances witnessed in years. The figure will be led by L. L. Edgerton with Miss Mary Yeager, assisted by J. K. Thomas with Miss Elizabeth Bowen Jones. Dancing will begin at ten o'clock and continue until five in the morning. At one-thirty, during the dance, a lawn supper will be served on the lawn in front of the Carnegie Library.

Returning to Washington and Lee after two years, Jan Garber's orchestra has made one of the most favorable impressions in a long time upon the whole campus. Their variety of good numbers and ability to put them on have delighted everyone during the dances.

L. L. Edgerton, president of Finals, and Mr. C. E. L. Gill, who ably assisted him in every way, are largely responsible for the elaborate color effects and decorative scheme of Final Ball tonight. The decorative scheme will be a light pastel Spanish effect. A mirror will be suspended from the ceiling in the center of the floor, with vari-colored spotlight playing ball on its facets. The walls will be covered with lattice work with roses scattered about in an artistic manner. There are to be thirty-six window boxes with awnings covering each one. Gigantic paper lanterns will hang from the balcony by different colored cords. There will be a Spanish garden at each end of the gymnasium. The whole scheme will be elaborate and brilliant and will delight and charm all that have the privilege of seeing it.

HARRY LEE FIRST CREW AGAIN WINS ANNUAL BOAT RACE

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ker, three; Whitley, two; Junkin, one and Bell, coxwain.

Third Crew Race.

The Red crew, rowing like veterans, flashed across the finish line the winner by a boat length. The members of the crews were: Harry Lee—R. Moffatt, stroke; A. Moffatt, three; Rule, two; McGiffin, one; Plummer, coxwain. Albert Sidney, Bade, stroke; Harrison, three; Sproul, two; Fozzard, one; Bailey, coxwain.

Second Crew Race.

The second crew race resulted in the only victory of the races for Albert Sidney.

The members of the Blue crew were: Rector, stroke; Garvin, three; James, two; Bullock, one, and Porter, coxwain. Harry Lee: Roberts, stroke; Hearon, three; Pierpont, two; Black, one, and Reed, coxwain.

After the races Saturday night at the crew banquet, M. M. Junkin was elected to be captain of the 1927 Albert Sidney crew and George Varney to lead the Harry Lee crew. Horace Bell, coxwain of the Albert Sidney crew, was elected to be the manager of both crews for the coming season. A rising vote of thanks was extended to T. R. Nichols, ex-coxwain of Harry Lee, for his help in mangaging the two boat clubs this year. One of the features of the banquet was the talk of J. C. Dunn, '25, ex-captain of Harry Lee, in which he stressed the need of the co-operation of the student body to preserve crew as a sport at Washington and Lee.

AMONG THOSE PRESENT

Miss Bonnie Matthews, of New Orleans, La., with Buck Streit.
Miss Lucile Browne, of St. Petersburg, Fla., with Newt Beville.
Miss H. McDonough, of Randolph-Macon, with Bill Davis.
Miss Virginia Kellow, of Cleveland, Ohio, with R. B. Gibson.
Miss Elizabeth Galve, of Memphis, Tenn., with G. N. Lowden.
Miss Virginia Haines, of Bethlehem, Pa., with Paul Bronstein.
Miss Helen Harvey, of Sault St. Marie, Mich., with Joe Seales, Jr.
Miss Jean Cunningham, of Eckman, W. Va., with Rufus Fulton.
Miss Bessie Graves, of Lynchburg, Va., with Henry Wilson.
Miss Elizabeth Franks, of Sweet Briar, Va., with Dave Comegys.
Miss Julia Shelton, of Washington, D. C., with A. G. Briggs.
Miss Emily Pace, of Knoxville, Tenn., with J. R. Hendrix.
Miss Mary Sadler, of New York City, with T. I. Harris.
Miss Marian Downs, of National Cathedral, with Pete Wheeler.
Mr. John M. Graves, of Princeton, '23, well known bottle manufacturer of Frederick, Md.
Miss Margaret Harrison, of Washington, D. C., with Ty Rauber.
Miss Rose McPhillips, of Mobile, Ala., with N. W. Burris.
Miss Jeanne Beall, of Randolph-Macon with S. H. Floyd.
Miss Daisy Huffman, of New York City, with Joe Rucker.
Miss Busy Bankston, of St. Louis, Mo., with G. L. Warthen.
Miss Mary Louise Ohley, of Charleston, W. Va., with P. D. Sprouse.
Miss Ann Elderson, of Richmond, Va., with G. F. Atwood.
Miss Helen Bryan, of Sweet Briar, with R. M. Yankee.
Miss Elizabeth Hicks, of Vernon, Texas, with E. Buckus.
Miss Peggy Denham, of Asheville, N. C., with B. H. "Hop" Arbogast.
Miss Billie Monroe, of Lynchburg, Va., with Sam Harrison.
Miss Lig Neely, of Winchester, Va., with R. S. Bacon.
Miss Elizabeth Cooper, of Henderson, N. C., with Bob Foree.
Miss Kat Parrish, of Winston-Salem, with N. Y. Brown.
Miss Leland Williamson, of Marianna, Ark., with M. E. Newbern.
Miss Clara McDonald, of Bessemer, Ala., with Charlie Crockett.
Miss Louise Chapman, of Louisville, Ky., with Si Preston.
Miss Devim Michael, of Roanoke, Va., with Jim Brooke.
Miss Jane Cunningham, of Eckman, W. Va., with Hatfield Smith.
Miss Blanche Bumette, of National Park, with Oge Wilkinson.
Miss Madge Jarrett, of San Antonio, Texas, with Bob Howe.
Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Hines, of Sutton, W. Va.
Miss Margaret Bumgardner, of Staunton, Va., with Hagen Minnich.
Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Glass, of St. Louis, Mo.
Miss Margaret Lucas, of Huntington, W. Va., with Thos. Lucas.
Miss Ethel Branstein, of East Orange, N. J., with H. R. Cooper.
Miss Virginia Wilson, of Cape Charles, Va., with A. M. Moseby.
Miss Evelyn Jones, of Hollins, with P. B. Beville.
Miss Katharine Wallace, of Randolph-Macon, with W. F. Smith.
Miss Elizabeth Stuart, of Richmond, Va., with F. B. Waters.
Miss Mabel D. Clark, of Ohio, with N. A. Woodson.
Miss Ester Clarks, of Lakeland, Fla., with Ben Sheppard.
Miss Frances Elizabeth Foster, of Charleston, W. Va., with W. H. Brown.
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Miss Margaret Sellers, of Culpeper, Va., with Paul Yates.
Miss Mary Armstrong, of Sweet Briar, with C. B. Driver.
Miss Lady Mann, of Bluefield, W. Va., with Maynard Holt.
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Miss Louise Whitaker, of Lynchburg, Va., with Tom Wilkins.
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Miss Gilberta Knight, of Big Stone Gap, Va., with C. B. Knight.
Miss Catharine McKnight, with K. C. Kimbrough.
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Miss Harriet Hogshead, of Staunton, Va., with Duke Perry.
Miss Ethel Lee Trinkle, of Wytheville, Va., with E. L. Trinkle.
Miss Elizabeth Prince, of Wytheville, Va., with Bill Drewery.

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Miss Jane Wilson, of Hollins, with John Phillips.
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