FANCY DRESS

In Last Period of Hec-

tic Struggle

DECISIVE MARKER

Big Blue Twice Overcomes

Four-Point Lead in Con-

ference Opener

In a thrilling second period

during which the lead changed

hands five different times the

Washington and Lee basketball

team twice overcame four-point

advantages held by the University

of Virginia cagers to win 26-25

on the City Armory floor in

With both teams ringing up

nine field goals, the margin of

victory came from the free-throw

line, where the Cavaliers, de-

than the Generals, only made

good seven times. The Washing-

ton and Lee players sank eight

out of eleven attempts. The win-

ning point was Captain Joe Saw-

referee awarded him two free

Floor Slippery

two more opportunities

Lynchburg last night.

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Fancy Dress Plans Nearing Final Stages

Gym Will Be Decorated in Blue and White For Junior Prom

TWO FRATERNITIES SPONSOR DANSANTS

ODK Eliminates Figure in Final Dance of Set, Saturday Night

Harvard Smith, president of Dress Ball, "The Coronation of ever, will be compulsory for all Alexander III," today announced students. that every possible detail of the week-end will start on Thursday night. January 25, with the Jun-

FANCY DRESS SCHEDULE

The schedule for the dances in the Fancy Dress set, including the fraternity dansant, is as follows:

Thursday, January 25, Jun-ior Prom in gymnasium, 9:30

p. m. to 2:00 a. m. Friday, January 26, Kappa Alpha and Sigma Alpha Epsilon dansant in Robert E. Ho-

tel, 11:00 a. m. to 1:00 p. m.
Friday, January 26, Fancy
Dress Ball in gymnasium, 10:00

p. m. to 3:00 a. m. Saturday, January 27, O. D. K. formal in gymnasium, 9:00 p. m. to 12:00 p. m.

ior Prom. John Dean, of Tribbett, Mississippi, president of the may be dropped from the rolls, Miss Dean, who formerly attend- receipt of "grade F in six semesed Converse College at Spartans- ter hours." burg, South Carolina, is a cousin of her escort. They will be as- sity catalogue is the following

rated in blue and white for this one dance. As a means of recognition every junior to attend the instated, on probation only, by ribbon with the class numerals consisting of the President, the printed on it.

Dansant Will Be Given

On the following morning, Friday, January 26, a fraternity requirements for initiation into a ity." dansant will usher in the day, fraternity, the statement explain-Kappa Alpha and Sigma Alpha ed that it amounted in effect to Epsilon social fraternities will be a prohibition of initiation of any hosts at the Robert E. Lee hotel from eleven to one, at which Johnny Hamp will furnish the music at this dance also.

That evening at ten o'clock the Hamp orchestra will begin playing for the climaxing activity of the entire year at Washington and Lee. At that time Harvard Smith, of Murfreesboro, Tenn., and Miss Dorothy Fly of Randolph-Macon Women's College, assisted by James McCully, of Logansport, Indiana, and Miss Christine Hughes, of North Holston, Virginia, will lead the figure in "The Coronation of Alexander III, and open the dance. The gymnasium will be decorated at this time to represent the Kremlin in Moscow. A color scheme of red and gold has been worked out, and the sides of the walls will be covered with the imperial Russian double eagle worked up in gold. A canopied throne will stand in the southern end of the gymnasium for the leaders.

Smith Portrays King

Harvard Smith will take the role of Alexander and McCully will impersonate the Grand Duke Nicholas. It was during this period that the nobility of the Russian court were at the height of their power, and the representative costumes of the students in the figure will prove to be some of the most colorful ever seen at this ball, officers of the club as-

others, Bert Farber, Miss Michi- at the World's Fair this sum-Saturday night the Alpha chapgan, and Carl Grayson, should mer. ter of Omicron Delta Kappa will and will claim their share of break a precedent and entertain popularity with the members of ty during the past year, supplies with their first formal. Decorations of red and gold will be used in the gymnasium for this dance. with the orchestra, is a former loist. Besides being a beauty of There will be no figure during Washington and Lee man. It great note, she is also a talented the evening, however.

All those students who have Bert made his entrance into the be one of the band's most popsubscribed to the set are asked to field of musicians in as dramatic ular additions when it has playcall for their tickets at the Cor- an entrance as any band mem- ed at different universities. ner Store between one-thirty and ber ever made. Henry Theis was The other interesting member three-thirty o'clock' on either playing here at that time, and of the orchestra is found in the Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thurs- during one of the intermissions person of Carl Grayson, one of day afternoon of the final week Bert seated himself at a piano on the featured members. He provof examinations. Individual tick- the orchestra stand and began to ed to be a great drawing card ets for the various dances will be hammer out some tunes for his when the orchestra played at V.

as follows: Junior Prom. \$3.25: friends in that inimitable man-M. I. a few years ago, and should continued on page four ner of his. The leader and the prove to be as big a success here. Continued on page four

Henderson's Assembly Talk Heads Founders' Day Program

"Science and Art" will probably be the subject of the Founders' Day address of Dr. Archibald Henderson of North Carolina un-iversity next Friday, January 19, when Washington and Lee, in honoring its founders, joins with the South and the nation in commemorating the one hundred twenty-sixth anniversary of the birth of General Robert E. Lee, the great Southern leader who was president of Washington College from the close of the Civil War until his death.

There will be no examinations on this day set aside to pay tri-bute to the men who have made the history of Washington and the twenty-eighth annual Fancy Lee. The assembly at 11:30, how-

The senior class, the faculty, Fancy Dress set was almost com- and the Board of Trustees will pleted. The festivities of the march in procession from Newcomb hall to the gymnasium, the seniors leading. The faculty will be in academic cap and gown. The seniors are requested to assemble in front of the Adminis-

ficient reasons, he may be re-

Commenting on the scholastic

Student to Speak at Staunton

the Staunton Rotory club on

"What College Means to the Mod-

ern Student" on January 30.

Brown was chosen by the Rotary

Club because of his wide exper-

ience as a public speaker. He

has been for two years the man-

ager of the Washington and Lee

debating team and has taken

part in meets at Cornell univer-

sity and, on various occasions, in

the cities of Washington, Phil-

Bert Farber Returns With Hamp

Former Student Pounds Piano Keyboard in Or-

chestra Playing Here For Fancy Dress.

-Miss Michigan Featured Vocalist

When Johnny Hamp and his pianist overheard him and per-

band of musicians roll into Lex- suaded Bert to play with the or-

ington for another of their visits, chestra for a few minutes. He

the spotlight of student atten- did and played so well with an

tion will in all probability be fix- orchestra that he had never seen

ed upon four of the members of before that Henry Theis hired

that entourage. Their leader, him on the spot. Since that time

Johnny Hamp, will of course he has ascended the ladder of

draw his share for his easy, lik- success until he joined the Hamp

able manner of mingling with the band. He has been playing with

dancers and his brilliant direc- them for some time and was with

tion of the orchestra, but three that organization when it played

Bert Farber, one of the pianists orchestra in her position as a so-

was during the Finals of 1932 that torch singer and has proved to

adelphia and Baltimore.

this university.

James Brown will speak before

School of Commerce."

tomatic rule.



Rector of the University

tration building at 11:15. The mid-winter meeting of the Board of Trustees will be held in the morning, probably at 9:30. George Walker St. Clair, senior gymnasium Jonuary 20. trustee and rector of the University, will preside.

Automatic Rule | Local Librarian Writes Manual Comment Made

Increasing Strictness of En- Booklet by Miss McCrum forcement of Regula-**Publishing Company** tion Pointed Out

"During the past few semesters, the automatic rule has been enforced with increasing stricta statement from the Dean's office said today. It was explained that a student Junior class, and Miss Carol according to this rule, under two which has just recently been pub-Dean, of Leland, Mississippi, will conditions: failure "to pass in lished by the Lee School of Jour-

lead the figure for this dance. nine semester hours of work," or nalism Laboratory here. On page ninety of the Univer- and representing the work for a another of last year's winners,

written application based on suf- Dr. Edgar Finley chairman of the faculty library committee, and contributor of dance will wear a small white special action of a committee the introduction to the book, says "Miss McCrum's training in li-Dean of the University, the Dean brary science has been sound and of Students, and the Dean of the her experience in developing the ables her to speak with author-

> The booklet, which deals with the problems of the college with Patrone are all outstanding men about 1000 students, "gives a proman who had come under the au- gram for meeting changing library needs, imposed by new educational policies," and takes up der who puzzled the Big Blue last the various phases of library work: the book collection, the staff, the system of classifying, the budget, the building, and the relation of the faculty to the library through its library com-

> > Sale of the book is being handled by Mr. C. Harold Lauck, superintendent of the Journalism Date Is Not Determined laboratory. The price has been set at 55 cents postpaid.

Attending the first meeting held Continued on page four

Printed by Virginia

Miss Blanche McCrum, University librarian, has prepared a manual entitled "An Estimate of Standards for a College Library." which is "planned for the use of libraries when presenting budgets to administrative boards," and

the automatic rule: "If such a it is thought it will be of great the automatic rule: "If such a it is thought it will be of great the led a broken ear drum.

The gymnasium will be deco-student offers to the President a value to librarians.

Lewis Martin, a victor will be deco-student of the president a value to librarians.

Washington and Lee library en-

The art of living is on the wane.-Otis Skinner.

Miss Michigan, a famed beau-

that certain something for the

Varsity Boxers **Preparing For Opening Meet**

Mitmen Start Season Here Against Roanoke in Midst of Exams

SOPHOMORES CINCH SEVERAL POSITIONS

nitely Decided Upon By Tilson

The Big Blue boxing team, composed largely of recruits and the state government of Virginia bolstered by the experience of a will be filled by Washington and few able veterans, will open its Lee alumni when George C. 1934 season in the midst of exams Peery, '97, is inaugurated goverwhen the Maroon mitmen of nor and James Hubert Price, '09, Roanoke college invade Doremus is installed as lieutenant-gover-

fighters will be in fine shape, ber of Kappa Sigma social fraand the mitmen have hopes of ternity, graduated from Washrepeating their 7-1 victory of last ington and Lee in 1897, with an year, in spite of the fact that LL.B degree. Since then, he has the matches will take place dur- been active as an alumnus, serving the examination period.

outs have demonstrated the out- gree in law at Washington and standing men in each weight. Lee in 1909. Corbett, Pitcher, and Reeser will The most important problem fight it out among themselves to facing the incoming governor is determine who will be the stand- that brought about by the repeal ard bearer in the 118-pound. of prohibition. Governor Pollard Davies and Moore have cinched has suggested a system whereby their positions at 125 and 135 respectively.

Captain Ed Mincher, veteran knockout winner in last year's match, will box the 145-pound bout, providing he can make the weight; in the event that he can't, Harry Robertson, one of last year's freshman stars, will take his place.

Ed Jean and Hardwick Stuart The publication of this manual, are the candidates for the 155consisting of 80 pages and cover, pound post, and George Short, sisted by Tyree Wilson of Pine- statement regarding re-instate- of California, is being sponsored by Washington and Lee, because this division had he not suffer-

Lewis Martin, a victor in the 1933 meet, will battle "Legs" Newton to decide who will get the call for the 175-pound division, while Charley Mower has a monopoly in the heavyweight

Shropshire, who was knocked out by Ed Mincher last year, and Wright are the veterans who will lead a much-improved Roanoke team against the Generals. Glass, Wright, Ackers, Shropshire, and on the Maroon team. Patrone will be remembered as the grid-October with his deadly forward July 1.

Captain Ed Mincher reports that he is looking forward to one of the most successful seasons the Generals ever had. Coach Tilson is, as usual, silent about prospects for the season.

For Announcing Grades

The grades for this semester's work will be given out from the registrar's office as soon as possible after they have been received from the professors and recorded, it was announced today by E. S. Mattingly, registrar. A notice concerning the grades will be posted later.

In this, the last regular edition until next semester. The Ring-tum Phi presents a brief compendium of events to occur during the period of suspended publication.

Monday, January 15 Examinations begin. Friday, January 19

Trustees of University meet Founders' Day Assembly at 11:30 A. M. Radio Program Honoring Lee

9:30 to 10:00 P. M. Saturday, January 20 Varsity Boxing. Freshman Basketball

January 22-24 Fancy Dress tickets and costumes distributed. Thursday, January 25

Twenty-eighth Fancy Dress set opens. Saturday, January 27 Schedules changes to be ar-

Monday, January 29 Back to school, 8:30 A. M. Tuesday, January 30

Ring-tum Phi again brings

you all the news.

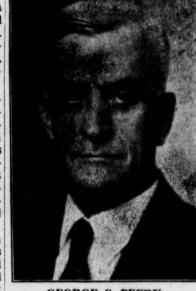
Generals Take Thriller As Cavalier Captain Misses Two Foul Shots

Starting Lineup Not Defi- Alumni Await Inauguration Lead Changes Five Times As Virginia Executive Heads

The two highest positions in nor in Richmond Wednesday.

Coach Tilson claims that his Governor-elect Peery, a meming on the board of trustees at The starting line-up has not the present time. Lieutenantbeen decided, but the weekly try- governor Price received his de-

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GEORGE C. PEERY,

Fund Protects Bank Deposits

Federal Insurance Plan Winter Issue of Southern Assures Safety of Accounts up to \$2500

Student regard for the safety banks are as safe as books left Foster. on the campus in dry weather.

all Lexington banks have subscrib-

This fund, which began operation January 1, insures in full promises. individual bank deposits up to \$2,500. It is expected that the limit will be raised to \$5,000 after book," containing advice and di-

Such a form of depsitor's guaranty is far from new. Various states have tried practcally every form of deposit guaranty during a period of over one hundred years without much success. President Roosevelt hopes, however., that this plan will succeed on a national basis.

strict examination to have enough ship assets to meet the claims of their depositors and other creditors can guaranty.

Magazine Will

Collegian Will Appear By Fancy Dress

funds deposited in Lexington's particularly to his liking," says their attack.

Student deposits in excess of ment of the staffs, and further each other, and five minutes \$2,500 (if any) will remain un- details on the short story contest protected, however, under the being held in conjunction with guard, scored the first point on terms of the New Federal De- Story magazine. A new depart- a foul shot. Charley Smith, Washposit Insurance Fund, to which ment has been added, Letters to ington and Lee center, dropped the Editor. "We guarantee these in the first field goal a minute the usual variety here." Foster lead on Sturm's two-pointer and

> is the "New Freshman Hand- time was 11-7. rections to freshmen.

C. P. Lee, formerly a student uted an article on the late Dr.

There are two stories, one in entitled "You Old Gypsy Man." and the other by Jim Brown. An-Only banks that are found by other play of unknown authoralso appears, "The First Little Man.

There will be pictures of the be admitted to the benefits of the girls that are going to lead Fancy Continued on page four

yers' foul shot about two minutes before the final whistle. There was no scoring after that, al-Come Out Soon was no scoring after that, although Captain Sturm of Virginia had a chance to win the game in the last minute when the

The slippery condition of the floor hindered both teams during The Winter number of the the first half. Rosin sprinkled of that all-important bank ac- Southern Collegian will be out by on the floor at intermission percount need no longer cause worry Fancy Dress, according to George mitted faster play in the second and distraction from studies. The Foster, editor. "We think we half, but the Generals were still Federal government has assured have gotten enough material so unable to use effectively the roll Washington and Lee students that that everyone will find something which is an essential part of

The game started slowly with This issue contains announce- both teams wary of the floor and passed before Marrett, Cavalier letters to be more interesting than later, but Virginia grabbed the held it until about midway the A novel and humorous feature second half. The score at half-

Generals Come Back Fast

Virginia registered a foul shot here and now at Oxford on a to start the second period scor-Rhodes scholarship, has contrib- ing, but the Generals made two field goals before the Cavaliers sank their first from the floor. Another pair of two-pointers gave very modern style by Joe Ford, Washington and Lee the lead at 15-14, but the Charlottesville team got its advantage of the second half back before a trio of good free throws put the Lexington outfit back in the running. Sawyers' field goal gave Washington and Lee a one-point lead with seven minutes left to play.

The Cavaliers tied it and then jumped ahead when they connected with two foul shots. Three times after that the count was knotted before Sawyers made the final and deciding point. Sturm was a second too late with a perfect shot from the side-line which left his hands after the final whistle.

Fields, Jones Disqualified

For the second time this seacharacterization Dr. W. D. Hoyt, ing state governments power to Both starting guards, Bob Fields gave today of Adolf Hitler's pro- would probably be a burden to fenders this time. Only seven gram of sterilization. "Undoubt- the public. Today three-fourths players from each squad got into "Virginia, with over a thousand the Generals and was the only but I fear that it may be em- sterilized, ranks second only to Washington and Lee sophomore

Sturm led the scoring with four perfect by making good all three "Perhaps one of the most in- of his attempts. He sank four

The Davidson student body favpoll conducted last week revealed. "In this country," said Dr. The result was 255 favoring and 230 against repeal.

Biology Head Fears Hitler May Employ Beneficial Practice as Political Weapon.-Tells of Its Use Among Virginia Mountaineers

Hoyt Favors Sterilization Plan

in wiping out feeble-mindedness. the Nazis in Germany.

sume a greater burden in provid- zation laws. ing for them. If all persons who

greatly lightened. "Sterilization has long been recognized as a fine thing by bi-

"A basically sound idea, but an | ologists," Dr. Hoyt pointed out, extremely dangerous weapon if and as long ago as 1910, laws were son two Generals were forced out used indiscriminately" was the passed in the United States giv- of the game on personal fouls. head of the Biology department, steri individuals whose children and Chip Jones, were the ofedly sterilization is a great help of the states practice sterilization, the fray. Joe Pette started for

ployed as a political weapon by California, where more than four to break into the line-up. thousand individuals have been "Hitler's purpose, as he ex- sterilized by order of the state, field goals and a like number of presses it in his official promul- When a man is ordered sterilized good free throws. Sawyers followgations, is to eliminate the large in Virginia, he or his relatives ed with three from the floor and families of which all members are may appeal the case to the courts three foul shots. Charley Smith feeble-minded. Such tendencies where the final decision is made, also made three field goals but are generally recognized as being When the law was first passed in did not get a chance from the passed from generation to gener- Virginia, a test case was carried free line. Bob Fields, General's ation. As these families increase to the United States Supreme guard, had a pair of two-pointers in number, the state must as- Court, which upheld the sterili- and kept his foul shooting record

are feeble-minded and whose fa- teresting facts in the history of in four tries against St. Johns thers and grandfathers were sterilization in Virginia is that by last Monday. feeble-minded are sterilized, thus far the greatest number ordered preventing the rapid increase in sterilized have been whites and the number of feeble-minded, the not negroes. Among the poor ored repeal of the 18th amenment burden of the tax-payer will be whites of the mountains, feeble- by a majority of 25, a straw vote mindedness is very prevalent.

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THE TRUE MEANING OF FOUNDERS' DAY

"Let us now praise famous men," Men of little showing-For their work continueth, And their work continueth, Broad and deep continueth,

Greater than their knowing!' trouble to read the historical sketch in the cataand became Liberty Hall Academy. In 1798 it took the name of the first donor of a gift of any size and was called Washington Academy, becoming an institution of higher learning in 1813 and assuming the title of college. In 1871 Washin the progress of Augusta Academy.

During all those years many men were in charge of the school, and many more had influence upon it. Some of the greatest names in American history are connected with this university, and some of the men who were once in

It is almost impossible to say when the line of iounders stops and the line of men who have fostered their work starts. Those men who have cherished and furthered what the founders began are to be honored and given their rightful praise. For where would we be today if the work of the founders had been allowed to languish and wither?

As we believe that no one can come in contact with the school without being influenced for better or for worse, so is it true that no one can avoid influencing the school. Presidents, trustees, members of the faculty, and students of the past, all have contributed something to the school -for good or for evil. The more authority the individual had the more he was an influence over the school. Perhaps no one person had as much influence as had General Lee, but he alone could not have changed indelibly the course of events that went into making the school what it is today. It is fortunate that in the past we have had a more or less harmonious continuation of visions on the past of those in power. But the least of us in the past has left a little impression that is showing today in some small fashion. The many traditions of which we hear so much are merely the continuation of past actions.

So it behooves us into whose hands the keeping of the University has passed to cherish the hopes and ideals of those who have gone before us. They have passed the torch to us, and we are one with them. Each year some of us re- larger world outside of the University. They linquish our share of the duty to some other who have watched life go by from their relatively aloof One of the "lawyers" threatened will carry on what we have left to him of our heritage. Therefore, all those in authority and those under authority, be watchful of your trust. Bless and praise we famous men-

Men of little showing-For their work continueth, And their work continueth, Broad and deep continueth, Great beyond their knowing!

FANCY DRESS IS MORE THAN JUST A PUBLICITY STUNT

With the annual Fancy Dress ball upon us it is well to make an attempt to get at the real es- bating schedule that will pit Washington and Lee sence and value of the affair. The myth that speakers against representatives of leading sou-Fancy Dress is the foremost social function of thern and midwestern universities in discussions the South should not make any difference. The of live, current questions should reawaken interunderlying purpose of the ball is a good time. est in debating here. Debate managers have The very spirit of the dance makes it what it is. scheduled contests with formidable foes, a na-It is not a publicity stunt, but a dance that start- tional network broadcast has been arranged, and in Doremus gymnasium. It seems ed by and for, this student body. If the spirit problems that the leaders of the future must be that there are a few students who and tradition of the ball be properly maintained familiar with have been chosen as subjects.

about its receiving the proper recognition.

all the other campus activities, have a special fla- sponsible, aggressive positions in their chosen the tradition and spirit which makes Washington fered in the classroom. Active participation in erable failures.

Dress Ball

O. D. K. SETS PRECEDENT WITH NO FIGURE

Omicron Delta Kappa set something of a precedent this year when it emerged from a prolonged period of passive existence and undertook to assay a rather unassuming role of active leadership in student and University affairs. Now it comes forward with a second unexpected action and announces there will be no figure in the dance of the Fancy Dress set that it is to sponsor-no tedious, colorless, long-drawn-out parade to interrupt the evening's enjoyment.

Dances have become so figure-ridden at Washington and Lee that this announcement is a start-As is known to every one who has taken the ling one indeed. That any organization should give a dance and then pass up the opportunity Tommy Alden. logue, what is now known as Washington and for a public display will be shocking to those who Lee University started out as Augusta Academy delight in such performances, but the majority in 1749. In 1776 the name was changed to Lib- of the student body will receive O. D. K.'s anerty Hall; in 1782 Liberty Hall was incorporated nouncement with hearty commendation and hope that other organizations will follow the example.

A figure is part of the color and glamour of Fancy Dress and essential to the sentiment of Final Ball, but its meaning is destroyed and it becomes devoid of all interest when the same ington and Lee University became the last step maneuvers are repeated over and over every time a group assembles in Doremus gymnasium to enjoy a dance. When a figure has special significance, originality, or beauty to recommend it, it is in order. Yet many unnecessarily interrupted dances bear testimony to the fact that common sense and discrimination that prompted control have been almost forgotten. Yet the O. D. K. to overcome the "figure urge" is often known and the almost unknown men are to be called for. For the satisfaction of everyone, with the exception of a few chronic paraders, it is desirable that other organizations follow the leadership of the leadership fraternity.

GOOD LUCK TO MID-YEAR GRADUATES

Every February a small group of students quietly and without the fanfare of publicity, bid farewell to the University and leave to take their place in the practical world. They are the midyear graduates, and this editorial is written to give some recognition to them and their special

Theirs is a peculiar situation. They are giving up half a year of the joys and benefits of college life, which, find fault with it as undergraduates will, is a pretty fine thing. They are giving up half a year of good fellowship, the pleasure of intellectual searching, bull sessions, and all the other things that are so much a part of college life. They will miss this University when they are gone from it. They will miss the beauty of the campus, the hurried tapping of heels on the brick walk in front of Washington college at 8:30 in the morning, the dry dusty smell of classrooms, friendly greetings-everything that makes Washington and Lee what it is. Perhaps they don't realize it, and certainly they won't admit it, but they will miss all these things.

But graduation at mid-year has its compensations, too. A chosen few are getting the jump night permitted for playing with on their fellows in the race for a position in the the dials, (provided that no one and secure place on the sidelines. Now they are to do all sorts of things if he going to enter the conflict themselves, became a part of its mad whirl, and they surely must feel some thrill of anticipation, some presages of the joy of the struggle of at last really pitting themselves against the forces they have been hearing about so long.

Good luck to them, and success-their path is not an easy one.

DEBATING OFFERS OPPORTUNITY FOR DEVELOPMENT

The recent announcement of an ambitious de-

Lee men who have inclinations toward intelli-The social functions of this university, just as gent leadership to prepare themselves to take revor all their own, because they are all tinged with professions—an opportunity that cannot be ofand Lee unique among universities. We have vigorous intercollegiate debating should prove in-Fancy Dress ball every year because we enjoy it, valuable to prospective lawyers, teachers, politinot because we live in hope that some cigarette cians, and anyone hoping to assume a position of company may capitalize it for their own ends. leadership. In recent years debating has aroused It seems, however, that the publicity stunt atti- but slight student interest here; if the same lethtude is becoming widely prevalent among us. argy prevails this year, it will be a sad reflection Unless we again capture the real spirit of the of the vacuity of the undergraduate mind and the have asked Professor O. W. Riegel dances we give, they will inevitably become mis- shallowness of the professed desire for an edu-

One may go to any third rate movie palace in A regrettable feature of the debating program ter of seeing through the gold a large city and see more elaborate decorations as it now stands is that no Virginia schools will and dross of art and politics, to violate from terrific embarrassment (an idea that than we shall have; one may turn on the radio and be met; all contests are scheduled with out-of- bats he cared. And so we prehear better music; or a poor musical comedy may state institutions. Competition between Virginia put on a better pageant than our figure—but put colleges would go a long way to putting vitality them all together in Doremus gymnasium with and color back into the almost forgotten art of the Washington and Lee student body and the collegiate debating. Either the local managers spirit and traditions of this campus and there are passing up a fertile opportunity, or else there of being invited to sit in the titudes still rang in his ears as he stepped to the emerges something that can be found nowhere is something radically amiss in the dominion that on earth but here: Washington and Lee's Fancy has furnished the nation some of its greatest who look both fore and aft, I am

The past year has seen something of a rekindling of the old forensic spirit in the increased activity of the Graham-Lee and the Washington Literary societies. Such indications of the possible beginning of an intellectual trend are encouraging, and there are hopes that the movement will gain new impetus in the current debating season.

Why pan Johnny Hamp? After all it's the inherent spirit of Fancy Dress that makes it what it is and not the one factor of the music.

Lost: Thirty-six outstanding sophomores who were recently initiated into P. A. N. and White Friars. Finder please notify Harry Rhett or

Although there will be no green fee charged for use of the "Cy" Parker Twombly Memorial Golf course recently opened in the gym, it is understood that breaking the equipment in a fit of anger is strictly forbidden, according to a news flash from the Physical Education department.

Paradoxical as it may seem, students are required to do so much studying that they don't have time to learn anything.

Art is a luxury. Men attach importance only to self-preservation and the propagation of their species. It is only when these instincts are satisfied that they consent to occupy themselves with the entertainment which is provided for them by writers, painters and poets.-W. S. Maugham. "The Invisible Man."

Although the subject of Dr. Henderson's address here on Founders' Day has not yet been announced, his versatility as a scholar is so outstanding that we may expect anything from drama to relativity.

These Washington Literary society boys must have good imaginations. We hear they have after-dinner speeches without the conventional din-

Tulane has appointed a committee to investigate the subject of key hunters, those persons who are professional joiners and whose watch there a doctor in the house?" chains look like a cross between a Christmas tree decoration and a peddler's pack. Maybe if O. overparticipate in campus activities, so that keys ping his hat and excusing himself may be reserved for those who really earn them. home.



parade of motion pictures.

the department of fessor Larry Watkin in the matsent Mr. Riegel's selection of the best and worst in the colossal world of gelatin.

While I appreciate the honor their own scorings of the motion picture output of 1933. Duplicaconsidering more or less seriously may be counted on the fingers, and preferably in a whisper.

that I have probably seen considerably less than half as many ular skippers of this column. Some fairly regular patron of the cinema, but since that time I have less frequently and less hopefully. I ought to point out, too, that the preferences stated below are entirely personal and temperamental, and that what is

PICTURE OF THE YEARwith considerable hard swallow-Britishers, "The Private Life of Henry VIII."

THE YEAR-Mae West. TAINMENT-"Topaze." For those who like a Message—"Cavalcade." DIRECTORS OF THE YEAR-

for "She Done Him Wrong." YEAR-W. H. C. Menzies "Alice in Wonderland." THRILLER OF THE YEAR-

the Glory," and Lowell Sherman

FEMALE ACTING-Margaret Sullavan in "Only Yesterday," Jean Parker in "Little Women," Miriam Hopkins in "The Story of Temple Drake."

BEST MALE ACTING-Paul Lukas and Ralph Morgan in Kiss Before the Mirror." THE LEAST OBJECTIONABLE COMEDIAN—Charles Ruggles in 'Mama Loves Papa.

and Hardy.

The dean of Western Reserve long line of M. D.'s when a woman in the audience fainted. In a loud voice the dean asked. "Is

When leaving a college dance, the dean of Gettysburg discovered he proceeded to walk his wife

THE PARAPET

By HERBERT RUDLIN

He is a well-known man-about-campus, a carefree soul on occasions, and quite undaunted by life's dirty tricks upon well-mannered gentlemen gets an opportunity to present its of Washington and Lee. That is, he thought, cheers and jeers for the year's until the blooming forth of 1934, that life didn't dare get funny with such gentlemen from Washington and Lee. And this little story, (which is nalism, and an able rival to Pro- true, so help us Susie!), is related to prove that even Marse Robert's gentlemen are not held inthrow all the bouquets and brick- 777 have nourished with spacious endearment) when a grinning fate chooses to cuff their conservative, neophytic ears..... It was New Year's Eve, rather the new year itself about four in the morning. The last echoes of the celebrating muleyed critics, Magee and Rudlin, cab drew up to unload a bevy of good-looking in the embarrassing position of ladies of the chorus returning to their quarters having had most of my thunder (they happened to belong to a well-known road. stolen by those two gentlemen in show) after the finish of two mid-night performances. To make a long story "less longer," tion is inevitable when the num- an hour later found the gallant gentleman from ber of pictures that are worth Washington and Lee once more making merry with a half-dozen exotics at a nearby restaurant. Two hours later found him on the curb hailing In self-defense I should explain a taxi for home. As the cab drew up he happened to reach his hand in his pocket. His face photoplays as either of the reg-blanched. Frantically he dug deeper-all the pockets he could get into. But it was no use. He that it was the privilege of the gazed forlornly at six lone cents reposing inpublic to witness the flowering of differently in his palm. The cab drew up. "Oh, great new art, I used to be a never mind," he said with a feeble attempt at airiness, "I think I'll walk." The cab driver been overwhelmed by discourage- wiped the rain (it had been raining since early ment, and have gone to the pic- that night) off his windshield and gave his lost fare a withering glance.

Our neophyte, in all of his Tuxedoed elegance, dazed, his world crumbled, started walking, the one man's food is another man's chilling dampness adding to the misery in his heart. To walk the five miles to his home was unthinkable in the biting cold and rain. He ing because the honor goes to the could catch the street car, but he needed another penny, the fare being seven cents, and he well SCREEN PERSONALITY OF knew with what eagle-eyed attention the motorman watched the boxes. Never before had he BEST AMERICAN ENTER- been in such an impossible predicament. Oh, he had been broke, true, but on a Southern campus, where there were trusting brothers and accom-The director of "The Power and modating merchants cashing post-dated checks. Here was a different world, a deserted, mourn-SCENIC ARTIST OF THE ful street, shrieking suspicion and indifference. He walked on. Suddenly a brilliant idea dawned. He would ask someone for a penny. The devil with pride, and all that? No one this time of morning would know he was an horrorable student at Washington and Lee.

A block later a figure was hurrying along. He took a deep breath and stopped him. "Pardon me, sir," he said in his most courteous, collegiate manner, "could you spare a penny? I need a penny to catch a street car home, ha, ha." The gentleman addressed, a hardy soul in battered PAINS OF THE YEAR-Laurel feedera and fulsome adornment of beard, curled his lips as he took in the beggar's top hat, white silk scarf, and gleaming shirt peeping from bewas handing out diplomas to a tween the lapels of his coat. "Say, buddy, dat's an old story. An' swipin' dat get-up ain't gonna help yuh none. Watcha' tryin', somethin' noo? Wal, douse it, cuz de micks don't shell out to sweet duds, see? An askin' for a penny! Cripes! Times ain't dat bad. Scramble 'em for a dime, I D. K. was not so busy with leadership here, they his car occupied by a romantic never gets less." And the kind enlightener passmight instigate a similar threat against those who young couple. After politely tip- ed on after one more glance at the elegance of his confrere.

(Continued on page four)

Columbia Plans International Hook-Up

By AL DURANTE

With all the house presidents putting radios under strict rules, with only a few minutes every hears you), it seems like prohibition rules have been passed. heard a radio this week. Despite all this, it is always difficult to get near the radio when someone like the Mills brothers or Bing Crosby comes on.

Every time a good orchestra is heard over the radio, there is always someone near who shouts out, "Why can't we have a band like that for Fancy Dress." You know, and so does everyone who has ever visited our gymnasium during Fancy Dress, not the orchestra, nor the amount of publicity that it is given that makes this ball the fine thing who do it. I believe that with only an orchestra like Max Mafootsky's Melodians a good time would be had by all. Incidentally, although we are all music lovers underneath, we don't have to show it whenever a dance is held and sing the "Swing" or handle bands of its kind in the world, mour, who thrilled many of the WJZ. Jack Benny at 10:00 over

isn't looking. With a hired orchestra leader and featured soloist coming, let's forget our talents and leave the leading and singing to the people who get paid for it. When Johnny Hamp gets here he will have just left the student bodies, let's make sure we get the better side of it

If you heard Fred Waring Wednesday night, in one of his last broadcasts for this sponsor, the N. Y. U. alma mater song must have sounded familiar. I don't know the history of that song but our "College Friendships" uses the same music. Rumor has it that it was N. Y. U.'s originally. Perhaps some historian can tell me the true story behind the

The Columbia Broadcasting System is planning to take up where Lucky Strike stopped in regard to its dance band programs that it is. It is the students of a few winters ago. It is planthemselves, without anyone's help ning to take us "Dancing Around the World" sometime in the near future. It will be another intertour of the world in an hour, ular bands might be picked up.

WGN will try an innovation like to get up on the band-stand Illinois band, one of the finer western network. Dorothy Laby the students there should be no need to worry Here is the opportunity for Washington and the leader's baton whenever he over the air waves for a weekly cadets, along with a great num-

at 8:30. will feature collegiate the programs also songs and melodies

Alabama's Mid-Winter dances, so in the NBC's program at the She is one of the more decorain case he feels like comparing same hour. Fred Allen and his tive microphone talents who stooge-wife, a real comedy team, really lends melody to the proare permanent fixtures on this gram. hour if their new programs are name before she came on this any indication. When they can program, she is fast building hermake us listen to them while self into a star. Lombardo's famous melodies are TRY THESE: coming over another station, they must be good.

about Joe Penner when he first Phil Baker at 9:30 over WJZ; Olcame on the air. I wonder if we sen and Johnson at 10:00, Bosthought about Ed Wynn. Doesn't well sisters at 11:15, Isham Jones his style sound an awful lot like at 11:30, Don Redmon a 12t:00, Ed Wynn. We know that Wynn's and Hopkins at 1:0. style is original, but I wonder about Penner's.

can be found in almost any mustaking in all the important cities is now heard three times a week over WABC. of the world where the most pop- at 9:30 over WJZ on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Herb Kaye's orchestra can be

program. This program, which ber of our seniors, in her Thankswill originate on the university giving visit to Lexington, is lendcampus every Wednesday evening ing her stirring, throaty voice to

The CBS has found a real tal-More proof of the staleness of ented girl to balance the Stoop-Burns and Allen's humor is found nagle-Budd hour in Vera Van.

Tonight: Walter O'Keefe and Ethel Shutta at 8:00, Phil Har-While some of us were raving ris and Lear Ray at 9:00, and

Saturday: Opera "L'Africaina" with Rosa Ponselle and Giovanni Since Eddie Duchin came back Martinelli at 1:55, Robert L. Ripon the air he has been deluged ley at 10:00, and Hollywood on with requests for the name of his the Air at 11:30 over WEAF. signature song. The truth is it Isham Jones at 8:00, Stoopnagle and Budd. Vera Van at 9:30, reical library listed under "Noc- broadcast from Byrd Expedition national stunt, with a short wave turne in E Flat" by the celebrat- at 10:00, Lombardos at 11:00, Fied composer, Chopin. His music orito at 11:30, and Gray at 12:00

Sunday: Ethel Waters at 7:00 and Jane Frohman at 9:00 over WABC. Joe Pener, Harriet Hilwhen it puts the University of heard every night over the NBC liard, and Ozzie Nelson at 7:30 and Will Rogers at 9:00 over

Following the Big Blue

By ANDERSON BROWNE

THAT FOOTBALL COACH SITUATION AT RICHMOND IS BEcoming more and more complicated every day, what with the long list of hopeful aspirants and the refusal of the athletic board to name a successor to coach Dobson who resigned some weeks ago. An alumni movement is now reported under way to bring Bill Raftery, now coach at V. M. I. and formerly a Big Blue mentor, to Richmond Along with this, other alumni are seeking the services of Gus Tebell, Virginia, and Pedie Jackson, the successful Emory and Henry coach. However, none of these gentlemen have asked for the job, and it is rather doubtful if a single one would accept, should it be offered. Jimmie DeHart, who made a special trip in person to Richmond, in order to discuss this position, still seems to be in a hole with the higher-ups. Unless something has been done since this writing (Thursday, 1:10 p. m.), the whole thing is still hanging fire.

WALTER FRIEDEN, AMERICAN MANAGER OF THE GREAT oaf, Primo Carnera, was over in Wahootown the other day and watched the Virginia mitmen work out in preparation for their first test of the season against Harvard this week-end. After viewing them, he complimented the squad most highly on its prowess, but offered no title bouts with the champ. He should have been in Lexington Wednesday to see Coach Tilson's charges fight each other in a spectacular varsity-freshman show. Both squads display the benefits of excellent tutoring, first under the watchful guidance of Captain Eddie Mincher before the holidays, and now under the advantages of Tilson, himself. Mincher drilled the squad considerably before the holidays, and when Tilson stepped in officially last week, he fought his mitmen in excellent preparatory shape.

WHATEVER FAULTS THAT REMAIN IN THE BOXING eight years of competition besquad, and they are quite few, will surely be ironed out quickly by tween the two schools, tonight's Tilson, and judging from the looks of the sparrings on Wednesday, battle is expected to be danger-Tilson, and judging from the looks of the sparrings on Wednesday, he will certainly present a squad of "mixers" this season. Leading this group is Eddie Mincher, who may be compelled for reasons of avoirdupois to fight in the 155-class instead of his customary 145division, while Lewis Martin, heavyweight extraordinary, is another leader. John Davies, a fast and willing blow-exchanger, looms as the Blue and White took part in the leading contestant in the 125-class. He fought a hard three- two meets before the Christmas round go with Baird Ashley, a freshman, and showed plenty of ma- holidays. In these two meets terial. Duncan Corbett and Al Reeser staged a close 115-pound Coach Mathis completed successbattle with Corbett gaining a slight advantage in points, although Reeser appeared fresher at the close. The freshman material looks using two different teams against good, with a capable 155-pounder in Ken Dustin. Dustin displayed Johns Hopkins and Roanoke Y. adept capability to give and take it, and his footwork is far above M. C. A. Every man came

THE FEATURED AND LONG AWAITED BOUT OF THE AF- The team tonight will consist ternoon's sparrings was the contest between Eddie Mincher and Ed of: Frank Crew, 118; Fred Sar-Jean, last year's outstanding freshman knock-out artist. Jean kept kis, 126; Herbert Sloan, 135; Rugthe greatly feared Mincher at bay during most of their three rounds, ley DeVan, 145; Harvard Smith, and although one of the Captain's crushing rights finally found an 155; Charlie Pritchard, 165; Ed opening and dropped Jean to the canvass, he exhibited true form Seitz, 175; and Hugo Bonino, unand a steady defense. After the first round, Jean came back to drive limited. Three of these Generals into Mincher and succeeding in sending home many a telling blow, will renew their rivalries from As the leading left-over from last year's yearling squad, Jean may last year with Davidson oppobe safely counted on for varsity service of a high order this year. nents. Sarkis will face Jenkins All bouts were of three two-minute rounds and were fought with again in an effort to duplicate 14-ounce gloves. After the main bouts, "Battlin' Bob" Gaines and his win of last year but in a more "Mauler" Moffatt staged a two round no-weight exhibition. The impressive manner. Smith, who result was rather close, with the "Mauler" barely losing.

WITH THE REPORT THAT DAVIDSON HAS ITS STRONGEST wrestling team in years, Coach Mathis is planning to use just about his strongest line-up this evening when the Blue and White enter the ring to meet the Wildcats. Although 15 men were used in the first two meets with only one loss, it is evident that Davidson will present a squad of far better experience and competition. Harvey Smith will return to the ring tonight as captain to wrestle his 155pound opponent. Quarterman. Smith and Sarkis will meet old foes. Sarkis going against Jenkins in the 125-class, both the Big Blue grapplers having won last year by sizeable margins. Ruge DeVan extra period battle to Fort, while Fort is out to make it two straight over the capable Mathis-trained grappler. The squad has been working out hard all week and is most prepared to hand Davidson a long-count defeat.

WHILE LOOKING OVER THE V. M. I. WINTER SPORTS sports schedule a little while ago, we were impressed with the goodly number of interesting events that will happen in '94 Hall on nights that there are no activities in the Doremus gymnasium, and we heartily recommend that students hie themselves across the hills for some of these encounters. First, there's basketball against Virginia on January 16, both varsity and freshman (we believe they call 'em "Rats"), although this comes during exams; on February 17, there is a varsity-freshman wrestling meet with V. P. I., and this comes a week before the Generals meet the Gobblers; and probably of the most interest will be the fencing tilts, a sport which isn't on this campus: William and Mary on February 14, and the University of Baltimore on March 3. There are many other events that conflict slightly with Washington and Lee minor sports.

JUDGING FROM NEWSPAPER REPORTS AND THE FEW remarks we were able to get out of the modest basketeers, that must have been some game over in Lynchburg last night. We were unable to get over, but it must have been a swell case of sweet revenge for the Generals to hand the Wahoos this trimming. A year ago about this time, the Wahoos defeated the Generals in that same hall after the Big Blue had been leading by a sizeable margin at the half. Last night the procedure was reversed.

Although the victory was a close one and brought about by the ability to take advantage of the Cavaliers' bad manners, it shows that the squad is far more powerful than it appeared to be in that listless game here against St. Johns. The Cy Young charges have opened the season now in fine fettle, and there may be some truth to the prediction that the Generals are the dark horse team in the

The game started off like a marathon sliding contest, because the floor was so slippery, and there was no scoring during the first five minutes until Marrett sank a free throw. The first field goal did not come until two minutes later when Smith slipped in an overhead shot from the center of the floor. Scoring was at a premium, the Generals ringing only one more field goal that half, and the count ending 7-11.

The second half was as thrilling as any we have ever missed, with one team in the lead one second and the other on top the next. Virginia went four points in the lead after the Generals had tied it piled up a 14 point margin. up, and from then on the playing was fast and furious. When the count stood at 20-20, everyone was willing to call it a day, but the lead again shifted and the grand climax came when Joe Sawyers

(idol of the Piedmont Cafe) sank a free throw with the count 25-all. There was a large crowd at the game, a crowd just about equally divided in its cheers for both teams. There will be one more game in Lynchburg this season when we meet Duke on February 5. This makes two for that city and none for Roanoke. We feel that the Duke contest should have been slated for the Magic City to sort of divide up the chances for people to see the Generals in action. Lynchburg is good, but Roanoke has its advantages and opportunities and possibilities for an even larger crowd. Probably Roanoke has been done wrong.

SPORTAMABOBS: Two events, varsity poxing with Roanoke and freshman basketball with Greenbrier, to say nothing of that early swimming meet with William and Mary, will take place during exams the Southern conference. .Bill Tilden has again proved to the world that they don't make a finer tennis pro than William T. Tilden, II... He sort of ruined Elsworth Vines' debut the other evening in straight sets. Jack Lovelock's famous mile has been voted the best individual track feat of the year . . You'll remember he turned the distance in four minutes, ing 14 votes to 10 each for Bailey 7.8 seconds, the first fellow to go below the 4.10 mark... Leigh Wil- and Barclay. liams, one-time famous center for the Generals, will bring his own basketball team from A. M. A. up here to meet the freshman tomor- by William P. Jacobs, of Clinton row...The southern conference wrestling tournament will be held at S. C., for the loop's best trail V. M. I. again this year, for the second consecutive season... On the breaker. same day, the swimming and indoor track tourneys will be held in Charlottesville and Chapel Hill respectively. . .

Wrestling Features Week-end Activities

Varsity Seeks Third Victory Here Tonight Courtsters, Fresh From Vir- well in past campaigns and the

Davidson Is Foe; Frosh Face A. M. A. Tomorrow in Opener

Wrestling fans will have an opportunity to witness both the varsity and freshman grapplers in action this week-end, for the varsity meets Davidson tonight at 7:30 and the yearlings encounter Augusta Military academy tomorrow afternoon.

Davidson will come here with what is perhaps one of the best teams in the history of the sport at that institution, as the Wildcat team of last year was composed mostly of sophomores and nearly all have returned. While the Carolina aggregation has never defeated the Generals in ously close. Each year the teams have been more evenly matched.

Washington and Lee will have a slight edge on Davidson in that fully his "noble experiment" of through on top except one wrest-

likewise won last season, will meet Quarterman once more. De-Van will be out for revenge when he wrestles Fort. The latter won the match last season in an extra period bout. The remainder of the Wildcats' line-up is indefi-

The yearlings should have their hands full with A. M. A. The prep school boys have not lost a match to another prep school in seven years. The Washington and Lee teams, however, have been handing them defeats regularly in the past and the 1934 freshmen are expected to uphold

John Bosman, a former Augusta boy, will be wrestling against his alma mater when he represents the Brigadiers in the 126pound class tomorrow. Besides Bosman, the first year men will line up as follows: 118, Evans; 135, Lowry; 145, Kirk; 155, Levine; 165, Arenz; 175, Kaplan; and Owings heavy.

Brigadiers Win Over Jefferson

Iler Stars as Young Generals Crush Roanoke School 32-18

Paced by Norman Iler, who accounted for sixteen of his team's points, the Brigadiers easily swept aside the Jefferson High basketeers in the opening encounter Wednesday night, 32-18.

The young Generals started strong, holding an eight point lead before Spessard of the visiting quint caged a field goal. The Brigadiers led 17-9 at the inter-

Aided by the splendid floor work of Horace Richardson, Brigadier pivot man, the frosh attack continued to function, and by the final whistle, the freshmen had

The first year tossers meet the Greenbrier aggregation here on January 20, and results of the opening game indicate that they will be ready for the Cadets.

Bailey Wins Honors In Annual Conference Football Cup Award

Jack Bailey, husky Washington and Lee sophomore fullback, tied George Barclay, North Carolina's all-Southern guard, for second honors as an interference man in

George Smith, V. P. I. fullback was the choice of the majority of Southern conference scouts and coaches for first honors, garner-

This gave Smith a cup donated

Amos Bolen, brilliant guard and captain of the Washington

Generals Face North Carolina U. In Second Conference Battle

ginia Victory, Play Here Tomorrow Night

Fresh from a victory over the Virginia Cavaliers, the Washington and Lee varsity basketball team will seek additional title honors when they battle the Unithern conference game down on the records as another win.

Last night the General five won a close 26-25 victory over the Charlottesville team to accredit the first conference game on the books as a victory. Tomorrow they will confront their first conference rival from out of the

George Brandt, clever passing guard and sub-center of the Tar Heels, was lost to the team Thursday when he was forced to quit the squad because of too heavy scholastic work. Brandt, the only three letter man at Chapel Hill. at end, basketball for two seasons and is captain-elect of baseball. Although he has never flunked a subject, he has been carrying extra courses this year, and in view of the fact that he has devoted so much time to sports, he saw that he would have to give up the in the initial contest and downed court game if he hoped to graduate with his class.

In spite of the fact that the loss of this man will weaken the defense and passing of the Tar Heels, the McCachren brothers, Captain Dave and Jim, have proved themselves to be a pair of worthy guards.

the conference. Both Virgil Weathers and Stuart Aitken are monogram men who have shown up

and Lee team, received four votes, erals, Joe Sawyers, was given one

Several other men were mentioned, but Smith, Bailey, and Barclay were outstanding. This

cup will be awarded annually.

four games played this year. Ivan Glace, rangy center, is scheduled to start the game at the tap-off position.

Ernest Blood at guard, Earle Beale at center, and Morrie Long, letterman and forward, are the reserve strength of the North sophomore, will probably be sent versity of North Carolina's cred- in at forward to replace one of itable aggregation tomorrow at the regulars if they move to guard 7:30 on the home court with the in view of the removal of one of hopes of placing the second Sou- the McCachren brothers on personal fouls.

Washington and Lee comes as the sixth game on the North Carolina schedule and the fourth opponent on the first Northern trip of the Tar Heels. In its opening games, the Dark Blue and White defeated Clemson and Davidson. Then taking a tour, the team beat the Viscose Athletic club of Roanoke by a single point, 25-26.

Last night, while Washington and Lee was trimming Virginia in their first conference game the Chapel Hill team shamed V. P. I. in their first game towhas played football three years and the title by winning an easy victory. Tonight the team plays the local V. M. I. Keydets at '94 Hall before turning to the Generals tomorrow

This is the third game for the Big Blue basketeers. Coach Cy Virginia's Cavaliers last evening.

On the week-end after exams, ming coach. the General floor team will take shots at baskets in the state of North Carolina. On the 29th the a line on our comparative strength also expressed themselves as apcourtmen face N. C. State and on for future Southern conference preciative of the audience, which the following evening they com- meets. I am pleased with the laughed at all of their jokes. pete with the Duke Blue Devils. This, the first trip for the team At forward, the visitors have out of the Old Dominion, will be two of the best ball players in followed by a journey to Charleston, West Virginia for a game with the Mountaineers, February

The plan of balloting, devised while the speedy back of the Gen- by newspapermen, provided that coaches and scouts at each conference school designate first. second, and third choices for the award with five points for first place, three for second, and one for third.

Tankmen Seek Eleventh Win Over Indians

Swimmers Face William And Mary Tomorrow; Eleven Make Trip

The Washington and Lee swimming team left today for Williamsburg, where it will meet William and Mary tomorrow in the first meet of the season. In the ten meetings between the two schools the Indians have never won a contest.

Eleven men, including Manager McNeil and Coach Twombly, will McDavid. make the trip. The team has rounded out well and is in excellent condition for the meet. However, several men will have to increase their responsibility by doubling up in two or more events. Captain Henry Cohen will work in the dives, the breaststroke, and the 440-yard free style; MacDavid will participate in the relay, the 50-yard dash. and the 100-yard dash; and Williams in the relay, and the 50 and 100-yard dashes.

"Not much is known of the are expecting more competition operation. than we have had in past years,' stated Coach Twombly in com-Young's pupils defeated St. Johns is under the leadership of 'Scrap- whiskey was shown in an arti-

condition of the team and feel that we will have a tough but successful meet.'

For the past three years Washington and Lee has held the state swimming crown, and for the last two years it has held the Southern conference relay championship. The loss of Rivers and Moreland, co-captains of last year, weakened the relay team considerably. However, Coach Twombly expressed himself as being well satisfied with the combination that has been work-

The men making the trip are: Relay: Williams, Franklin, Mc-David, and Lanier.

Breast-stroke: Captain Henry Cohen, Harry Rhett.

Dives: Cohen and McCauley. 50-yard dash: Williams and

150-yard dash: Franklin and Glynn.

440-yard free style: Cohen and Reed.

100-yard dash: Williams and McDavid.

Captain Cohen, Williams, Mc-Cauley, Franklin, Glynn, and Mc-David are all veterans, while Reed and Lanier are sophomores swimming in their first varsity meet. Rhett, although a junior, will be swimming his first meet. He was kept out of competition William and Mary team, but we last year because of an appendix

That Cambridge debaters like menting on the meet. "The team American girls and American py' Chandler, ex-track coach of cle recently published in the the Indians, and now head swim- Creightonian, Creighton university paper. The Cambridge de-"As this is the first meet for baters, in Omoha for a contest our team this year, it will give us with representatives of Creighton,

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Landis to Train V M I Matmen

New Mentor Is Former Star; Martin Will Coach Boxers

Two new coaches have been installed at V. M. I. to take over the wrestling and boxing teams. Warren C. Landis, former Keydet wrestler, will be the new wrestling mentor, and L. Martin will handle the 1934 boxers.

Landis comes from Bedford, Pennsylvania, and graduated from V. M. I. last June. He was on the wrestling team during his four years in school and captained the 1933 matmen. During his freshman year he wrestled as a Two Alumni Await utility man, seeing service in the 145-pound class up through the unlimited.

Landis was Southern Confer-155 class. He was the only man three men. from the south to advance this the wrestling season.

will keep on with his coaching terest of economy. duties at V. M. I. He fought professional from 1926-1932, meet- islature, Governor Pollard said ing the leading feather-weights that the state is at present in and light-weights in Washington, good financial condition because D. C., Maryland, Delaware, Phil- of low taxes and low expendiadelphia, and New York. After tures. earning his degree at Washington and Lee team, received four votes; Episcopal Theological Seminary Hoyt Fears Political in New York.

THE PARAPET

Continued from page two Disheartened but not discouraged, our martyr walked on, as a the parents, is feeble-minded. It distant lone factory whistle peal- is to stop the spread of such famed out seven o'clock. A dime. ilies that the law has been made. Sure, people would be more likely to give a dime than a penny, generally recognized in this coun-There was psychology back of it. try as an inheritable trait. There-On the next corner standing un- fore I feel that Hitler is treading der a store ledge close to a bas- on dangerous ground in ordering ket of clothes was a buxom color- sterilization of drunkards. As I ed woman waiting for a street understand it, there is little car. He strolled up and commenc- chance of appeal from an order ed his plea. "Lady, could you for sterilization in Germany, so spare a dime? I-" But the Hitler may very easily be able to darky's eyes and mouth spat fire. use sterilization as a means of fo' I calls a 'leeceman. Now git If, however, he employs his powstop two well-dressed men, but suspicioned a New Year's drunk and heeded not his woeful "hey, mister!" By this time our man-about-campus felt like Napoleon approaching St. Helena, like Roy Riegel after discovering he had crossed his own goal line, like Bocaccio when hopelessly surrounded in the nuns' garden, like Amundsen when a can of beans fell on his compass, like that poor boob who picked up five girls from a nearby school of resourceful females-he felt like all of them rolled up in a

ball of stick dough. One penny, one measly penny! Why, he remembered when he stood in front of the law building one afternoon and "sailed" fourteen of them away on a bet that he couldn't hit a certain tree. Now one of the disdained fourteen could prove his salvation. You say he could have called home, or that he could have gotten a cab and paid the driver upon his arrival. Ah, but there was no one at home. The ever helpful pater and the family were away for the week-end. No one would have answered the phone and no one would have paid for the cab. Misery, thy sting is pluperfect. He rounded a corner. Near a municipal building he spied an aged newspaper vendor. preparing to plod home after the morning's sale. Something told our flattened neophyte here was his last chance ere total ignominy He approached the vendor. who peered quizzically from beneath his sopping wet newspaper used as an improvised umbrella. "Look, can you loan me a penny? I got six cents and I just gotta get home." The vendor was impressed by the visitor's attire and more impressed by the note of utter desperation in his plea. He must have been a sympathetic and understanding soul, for he hesitated a moment and then pulled forth a soiled money bag. Why, sure son, I had a purty good business this mornin'. I guess I won't miss a penny much. Anyway, it's New Year's." And with the condescension of a feudal lord and with the munificent air of a Rockefeller he handed the woe-begone blade a luscious

Well, we'll skip the nightmarish ride on the street car, where the tickled assortment of men who worked every day had an uproariously grand time at the expense of the fashionable visitor in their midst. But we're getting tired and we're sure you have been for a long time, and so we

penny.

UNIVERSITY ASSEMBLY

The University will hold its regular Founders' Day assembly on Friday, January 19, at 11:30 a. m. in the Doremus gymnasium.

The speaker of the day will be Dr. Archibald Henderson, of Chapel Hill, North Carolina Attendance is compulsory. The faculty will wear cap and gown. The seniors will assemble in front of the main building at 11:15 and march in front of the Board of Trustees and Faculty from Newcomb Hall to the Doremus Gymnas-

> Francis P. Gaines, President.

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ence champion last year in the one man will be in charge of 155-pound class and went to the state liquor control, but the pronational intercollegiate meet posal has also been made for a where he was runner-up in the board of control consisting of

Other important questions that far in any of the weights. He is must be solved are: whether the Henderson's Assembly also the only man who has ever present appropriations by the beaten Harvard Smith, co-cap- state for education shall be maintain of the 1933 Generals. Lan- tained, raised, or lowered; whedis will be at V. M. I. only for ther or not the salaries of state Martin, the new boxing coach, restored to what they were before is studying for a Washington and being cut; and whether the state of Cyrus H. McCormick, inven-Lee ministerial scholarship. He roads projects for the western tor of the reaper and benefactor plans to enter here the second counties of the state shall be and former trustee of the Unisemester but at the same time he completed or dropped in the in-

In his final message to the leg-

Abuse of Sterilization

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Hoyt, "I know of one family of twelve children in which every one of the children, as well as

"Habitual drunkeness is not Get away fum heah, white man, suppressing political opposition. I say!" The white man got. A ers wisely, sterilization should little further on he attempted to prove a great benefit to the Ger-

> come to the point. When the "Editorial Writing and Thinking" neophyte was undressing for a by Bush from the journalism well-deserved rest, he started to room please return it there at hang up the bedraggled trousers once.-A. G. Dennison. when from the back packet there popped upon the floor a comb, an old dance stub, and a rumpled five-dollar bill.



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Desert"

One-Fifth of Student Body Are Relatives of

Former W.-L. Men Almost nineteen per cent of the present student body of Washington and Lee are relatives of men who formerly attended the University, it was announced by the Alumni office to-

In the survey conducted at last month's assembly, 152 students now attending the University were found to have relatives who were once students here.

Classification of relationships showed 43 students to have fathers who attended; 15 with grandfathers: 3 with great grandfathers; and 3 with great great grandfathers. The greatest number had brothers who were W. and L. men, 54; while 28 had uncles who were alumni. The remaining men had more distant State Inauguration relatives such as cousins and brothers-in-law.

Three students, two of them brothers, had an unbroken line of forebears from great great grandfathers through great grandfathers, grandfathers and fathers, to the present generation.

Talk Heads Program

Continued from page one employees and officials shall be since his election to this body will be Fowler McCormick, grandson versity. Dr. and Mrs. Gaines will entertain the members of the Board at luncheon following the assembly.

> Students are urged to listen to the Lee program over the Dixie chain of the Columbia Broadcasting System, Friday evening from 9:30 to 10:00. A play, "The Three Swords of Lee," written by Matthew Page Andrews, a Washington and Lee alumnus, will be presented from the Lee Mansion at Arlington through the facilities of WJSV. Enacted in the room in the mansion where young Lieutenant Lee was wed to Mary Anne Randolph Custis, the broadcast has been termed "epoch-making" by Columbia officials, presenting "for the first time an historically authentic drama reproducing the exact words of the principal characters involved in the events enacted."

> Gaines Makes Speaking Tour Dr. Francis P. Gaines, president of the University, left for Greenville, S. C., yesterday, where he addressed today the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce. He will return to Lexington Sunday night. Dr. Gaines was formerly professor of English at Furman university at Green-

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The following is the schedule for FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS - January 15, 1934, through January 25,

Monday January 15, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block H T. T. S., 11:30 A. M.
Tuesday January 16, 1934 8:30 A. M.	Al classes in Block A M. W. F., 8:30 A. M.
Tuesday January 16, 1934 2:30 P. M.	All classes in Block J T. T. S., 1:30 P. M.
Wednesday January 17, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block B T. T. S., 8:30 A. M.
Thursday January 18, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block C M. W. F., 9:30 A. M.
Saturday January 20, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block D T. T. S., 9:30 A. M.
Monday January 22, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block I M. W. F., 1:30 P. M.
Monday January 22, 1934 2:30 P. M.	All classes in Block K M. W. F., 2:30 P. M.
Tuesday January 23, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block E M. W. F., 10:30 A. M.
Wednesday January 24, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block F T. T. S., 10:30 A. M.
Thursday January 25, 1934 8:30 A. M.	All classes in Block G M. W. F., 11:30 A. M.
Thursday January 25, 1934 2:30 P. M.	All classes in Block L T. T. S., 2:30 P. M.

Magazine Will Appear Before Dances Begin

Continued from page one Dress and the Junior Prom, and Fancy Dress Ball, \$4.75; and the a squib about Fancy Dress. The O. D. K. formal, \$2.00. cover, simple and dignified, is being designed by Calvin Dold.

R. S. Boyle will contribute an article on more aspects of modern education, and Jim Brown remains in the Dissenter's Chair. T. L. Coley writes about the shows he saw during the holidays, including the Princeton Triangle Club show. Joe Ford will continue his in-

imitable movie reviews, and Sam Cantey will again review books. The identity of "E. T.," contributor to the last issue, still remains a mystery, as he has ignored the published request that he get in touch with the editor.

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Plans For Fancy Dress Nearing Final Stages

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Will Issue Costumes

Costumes will be given out on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of the last week in the dressing rooms in Doremus gymnasium. Van Horn and Son, of Philadelphia, costumers for the Ball, are bringing down a good supply of extra costumes to accommodate those who failed to get measured.

that Jack Summers, business manager of the Ball, is in charge of giving out invitations for the set. Those desiring these invitations are requested to hand in their names together with those of their guests as soon as pos-

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Campbell Will Report To Board of Trustees On Work as Historian

Dr. Henry Donald Campbell

gaged in organizing it. Then I A.B.; T. S. Wheelwright, A.B.; am going into the administration and J. T. Garrett. of General Custis Lee, and will It is still uncertain which of make a final report in June, in- these men will retur.. for postcluding the Robert E. Lee ma- graduate work. They will not terial and as much of the Custis formally receive their diplomas Lee as possible," Dr. Campbell until the graduation exercises in

Much time has been taken, and the work held up by side issues that had to be looked up and tracked down. However, Dr. Campbell feels that now the way is clear to go ahead.

Biologists Hold Meeting; Hill Given Research Job

During the past vacation Dr. Hoyt and L. L. Hill, assistant Biology professor, attended the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, held this year at Harvard university.

Mr. Hill has just recently been appointed research assistant in Entomology for the State of New York for the coming summer. This given each year. These may be division has charge of the insect control in the celery growing regions, where the work of the insects has caused a vast amount

The NRA and the whole presdential recovery program constitute a transitional phase, moving us toward a collective theory.

Twelve Men Expect To Complete Work For Degree in Feb.

There are about twelve stuwill make a preliminary report dents who expect to complete the on the progress of his work as requirements for their degrees historian of the University at the here in February, according to an meeting of the Board of Trus- announcement issued by the regtees, January 19. He has gath- istrar today. These men and the ered together the material re- degrees for which they have aplating to the administration of plied are as follows: N. C. Pascoe, Robert E. Lee, and is now ready A.B.; E. N. S. Girard, A.B.; Harto arrange it to make a running vey Pride, B.S.; B. G. Harless A.B.; George McClure, A.B.; H. "The greater part of the ma- E. Allen, B.S.; R. I. Bull, A.B.; terial is in hand; I am now en- Pat Mitchell, A.B.; S. M. Ward,

June.

Reward Offered!

The following notice written in flaring red chalk is prominently displayed on a chemistry building bulletin board:

"A REWARD of 50c is hereby offered to anyone who can find and produce my lab notebook last seen on the table in the right section of the chemistry laboratory, Wednesday afternoon.

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