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U.S. Survival Imperiled by GOP

The challenge we face in this crucial era of our national history is the challenge of survival—the survival of federal government, the survival of democratic freedom, the survival of our security under the provisions of equal justice and equal opportunity.

The question the nation is now asking is "Has Eisenhower provided the leadership necessary to meet this grave challenge?" First immune from the critics of his Administration, Eisenhower's leadership is now being questioned. Eisenhower the man may still be above criticism, but Eisenhower the leader may now be seriously criticized.

A verdict on the validity of the criticism now being directed against his Administration and the leadership he has given it will be decided by the American people in the Presidential election of 1960, although the final verdict can be rendered only by the historians of the future. Nevertheless, the following indictments may now, in the face of current events, be rendered against Eisenhower's Administration and his leadership during his term of office:

INDICTMENT NO. 1—The Shift of the Balance of Power in favor of the Soviet Union. Russia was four years behind the U.S. in the development of an atomic bomb and eight months behind us in exploring a hydrogen bomb. Now Russia is at least six months ahead of us in the development of space satellites and apparently two-three years ahead of us in the development of an intercontinental ballistic missile.

It is now evident that the poor organization of our missile program has been an important factor in this shift. Furthermore, even in the face of the alarming reports of our Central Intelligence Agency, the Eisenhower Administration, over the protests of Vice-President Nixon, sponsored a Defense Department economy in the summer of 1957 in hopes that it would allow them to cut taxes before the 1958 Congressional elections. It has also been made quite clear that Eisenhower, who in 1956 cut the number of his personal conferences by one-third, was at best barely informed of the crucial situation.

INDICTMENT NO. 2—The Alienation of Syria. For three years Syria cried in vain for assistance from this country in the form of economic and military aid. Receiving no favorable response from the Eisenhower Administration, the Syrians turned to the Communist world and provided the communists with a menacing foothold in the country which borders Turkey. Many Syrian nationals claim that Syria is pro-Syrian, pro-Arab League, but not pro-Communist, but that considerable antipathy toward the United States has resulted from our country's foreign policy in that area.

INDICTMENT NO. 3—The pending disaster in Guatemala. Since Castillo Armas was assassinated on July 26, Guatemala has had three caretaker governments in four months. The election of October 20 was declared a fraud after the communist candidate organized a protest demonstration. Fellow travelers have been allowed to enter the country and regain important government posts. The Eisenhower Administration has failed to take appropriate action to forestall these dangerous developments. The communists now exert a strong influence on Guatemala's largest union, on the army, and on the press. Another election has been set for January 19th, and a communist victory re-admitting them to power would once again jeopardize United States security in the Western hemisphere.

INDICTMENT NO. 4—The pending loss of Indonesia and British Guinea. Eisenhower apparently failed to win Indonesian President Sukarno's allegiance in the talks in Washington. Sukarno embraced a coalition government including communists, and the communists emerged from the recent elections there as the biggest party in Java, key island of the Indonesian Republic.

Also, a pro-Communist political party in British Guinea has just won a landslide victory in the popular election. If the communists succeed in regaining Guatemala, international communism will pose us a double threat in an area once protected under the Monroe Doctrine. However, when the Administration appoints such men as businessman and campaign contributor Maxwell Gluck as our ambassadors abroad we can expect little more. In a Senate investigation interview, Gluck, appointed U.S. Ambassador to Ceylon revealed he didn't know the names of Ceylon's premier or foreign minister, or even India's premier, Nehru, much less the needs and problems of the Ceylonese.

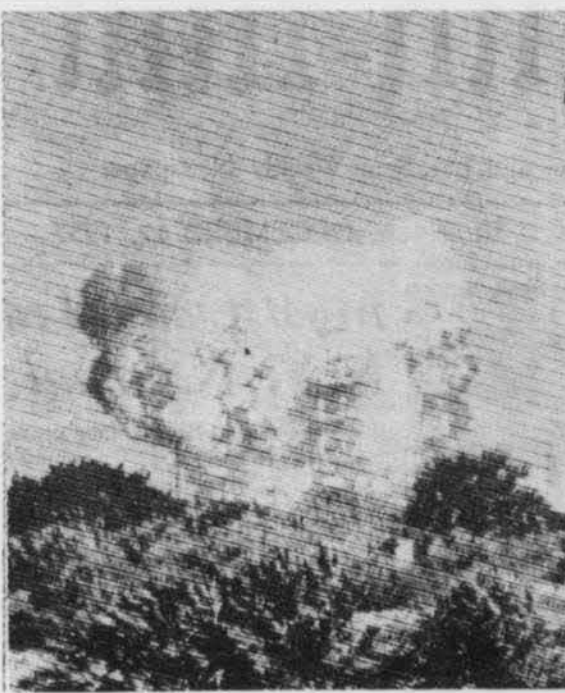
INDICTMENT NO. 5—The Completion of Japan's Trade Agreement With the Soviet Union. For two years the Japanese government has pleaded with the Eisenhower Administration to provide a market in the U.S. for goods produced by Japan's expanding economy. The Japanese premier said it was "a matter of life and death for Japan," particularly in view of the loss of capital expected as a result of the withdrawal of American troops stationed there. These requests were denied, and the Japanese government two weeks ago completed a trade agreement with the Soviet Union. Also, in Okinawa the communists emerged victorious in an election held for the specific purpose of ousting them from office.

INDICTMENT NO. 6—The Weakening of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. The lack of a unified policy was made quite apparent recently when a serious dispute between France, Britain, and the United States occurred over shipments of arms to Tunisia. Britain is withdrawing her NATO forces from the continent leaving us glaringly short of manpower in the face of overwhelming numbers of Soviet troops stationed in East Europe. Also, the French treasury is empty, while the Algerian war is soaking France for a total of 2 billion dollars a year. Mass strikes are threatened. The French government, unable to maintain any semblance of stability since the end of the Second World War, has no place to turn except to the government printing presses. This alternative is a most unpleasant one, since inflation is already on the rampage in France. Furthermore, Secretary of State Dulles has admitted that he has come up with no proposals for consolidating NATO politically.

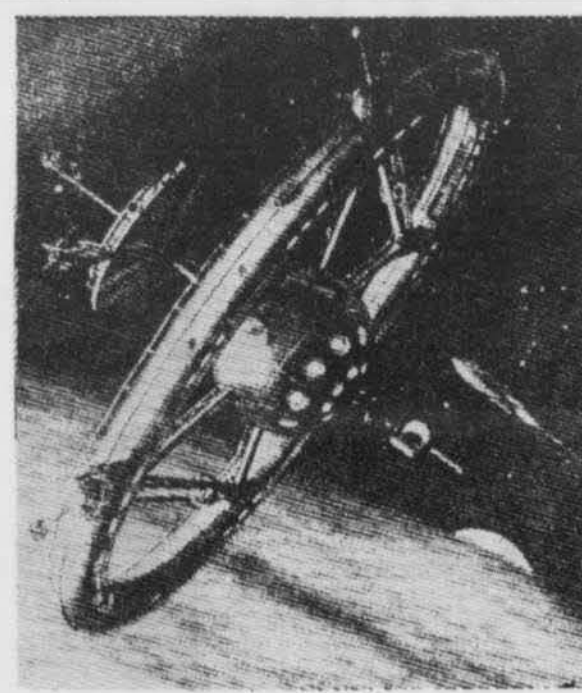
INDICTMENT NO. 7—Eisenhower's Reversal on the Question of Tideland Oil. In 1952, Eisenhower, gained the electoral support of Texas ... (Continued on page four)



The President



Navy's Vanguard Launching



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A Freshman Speaks Out

1954 Ruling Overstepped Constitution

(First of two articles)

Doubtless the most far-reaching and important domestic issue to confront Americans in almost one hundred years was precipitated on May 19, 1954. On that day the Supreme Court declared that nothing less than a way of life, namely the system of segregation, as it applies to public education, was no longer legally acceptable.

The decision met with varied reactions throughout the nation. Respected people of strong character and conviction found themselves on opposite sides regarding the merits of the decision.

The issue became very emotional. Those known as segregationists found in their midst a group of Kasper-style believers in violence, and the actions of this unorthodox group were magnified by the communications media as being typical of all segregationists. A few well publicized incidents like the Emmett Till case and the Lake Erie boat ride that erupted into a fight between Negroes and Whites soon caused feelings to become even more tense.

The unfortunate results of this heightened state of emotion was the division of Americans into two distinct and rather hostile groups. One declared that the decision was "right" and must be obeyed; the other stubbornly said that they would never allow it to take place. The tragic thing was that both sides, in varying degrees, were basing their positions on personal like and dislike for the decision, and a very vital issue was being subordinated to personal opinion.

This will not be a statement of the pros or cons of either segregation or integration, but rather will be an attempt to lay before the reader a question that transcends both. The end result of the Supreme Court's decision should and will be excluded, emotionally and otherwise, from the consideration which is the subject of this article. If one desires integration, he certainly wants it to be achieved legally under the Constitution of the United States; if one argues in favor of segregation, he, too, should want to work within the framework of our Constitution.

In our American system of government the Supreme Court is bound to work under the specific provisions of the Constitution. When it fails to do so a dangerous

precedent is set, a precedent which allows one branch of our federal government to usurp powers that are not delegated to it.

The next section of this article will not be an attempt to urge acceptance or rejection of integration, but will attempt to consider the constitutionality of the Brown vs. Board of Education decision. The purpose will be to acquaint the reader with the means employed by the court in formulating its decision, and to ask whether or not the court should be allowed to employ these means in any case brought before that tribunal.

Since the Supreme Court does not have the power under the Constitution to make the laws of the land, their scope being con-

fining to interpreting and ruling on the constitutionality of them, the question now asked is, "Did the Supreme Court of the United States, in rendering its decision, legislate the law and thereby overstep its constitutional powers? Was its decision well-founded in legal precedent and statute?"

This thought-provoking, but generally ignored, question is one that needs to be resolved. If this question is pondered carefully, an end to bickering over the decision can be achieved.

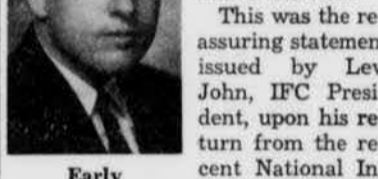
In the next issue of the Tuesday edition on January 6th, we will look at the decision, at the means employed by the court, and at some of the principles it advanced in that historic document.

Vinum daemonum

Honest Examination of Values of W&L Student Will Prove Failure and Danger of Fraternities

By Russ Early

"We are one of the strongest fraternity schools in the country, and although our fraternity system is not perfect, in comparison to other schools, it is one of the best."



Early

This was the reassuring statement issued by Lew John, IFC President, upon his return from the recent National Interfraternity Conference. His words were comforting ones, and doubtless, they were designed to inspire confidence in our fraternity leaders. But the statement is, at best, only shallow comfort and only hollow reassurance, because it is not true.

First, it seems unlikely that there is any one universal fraternity system. Each school, because of its own uniqueness, must plan a system to meet the needs peculiar to its own academic environment. For this reason it is misleading when writers like Sloan Wilson (*The Man in the Gray Flannel Suit*) stereotype a system and then accuse it of any inherent fallacy. However, at Washington and Lee there is this inherent deficiency in fraternities as they exist in the system. The system here

is incapable of justification purely because it has become a necessity. The importance of the fraternity has been grotesquely magnified and distorted to cosmic proportions.

THERE ARE many excuses for this, but there is not one substantial reason, except the reason of mistake. Where we have not acted rationally, we have rationalized.

First, fraternities have been valuable for the sake of expediency. They can provide regular and relatively inexpensive meals; they can offer lodging to a large number of their members; they have been a means of supplying transportation on weekends; they are the convenient places for social functions; and there are many other similar benefits. Yet never should the tranquilizing pills of this nature be so absolutely controlled by the fraternity that the fraternity becomes a necessity. And, more importantly, these considerations are, or should be pathetically inane compared to the fundamental purpose of the fraternity—that of influencing and guiding the personal development of its members. So far this has been the least of the fraternity's contribution to Washington and Lee.

An honest examination of the values inculcated in the W&L student would prove, without question,

the failure and the danger of the fraternity, but such appraisals are hard to come by. Though the evidence is condemning, our lack of vision is much worse.

Nevertheless, the values run something like this: We wear the uniform of ivy and we recite the catechism of subsidization; we dream of security, and all the while are depending on that inside chance for the gentleman's "C" on tomorrow's exam. We indulge in apathy to the point of exhibition, and are careful to conceal ourselves in the grey cloak of conformity. Our faith comes with fornication while hope, slightly more expensive, comes in bottles. As for charity we never had too much of that in the first place. As my colleague, Max Caskie, said in his column of last week, we are the "disembowelled and dispossessed."

Of course these are not the only values; there are the bad ones. But oddly enough these seem to be the ones the fraternity emphasizes—not to the exclusion of anything else but to the overshadowing of anything else.

What has happened is that the fraternity has over-extended itself. It has strayed into realms where it had no right, not yet, at least, to tread. Instead of providing the inspiration and motivation for maturity, it has degenerated into a synthetic substitute, and we are children still playing with toys when we are ready for weapons.

RIGHT NOW WE ARE inevitably headed toward the time of decision. We have dallied and procrastinated along the way, yet soon we must make the stand. We must realize that we have been "emasculated," but not entirely for the seasons given by Caskie last week. Our fathers are not guiltless, but neither are we. We can either change the fraternity system or we can maintain the status quo, still labelling our fathers with bad names—until the system is changed for us in which case fathers may not be so bad after all. But there is no use in deceiving ourselves. Fathers can help, but they can never replace us. And someday we will have the responsibility, whether we like it or not.

Notice

Classes Saturday, Dec. 21 will meet from 8 a.m. until noon, according to an announcement from the Dean's Office.

Of Cabbages and Kings

Christmas Is In Need Of A New Set Of Symbols; Sputnik Might Replace The Holly and the Ivy

By Max Caskie

This week I had intended to write about the Christmas house parties around the campus; you know, commentary in an Oily Wilson vein about who was doing what to whom and all that jazz (thank you, Hugo Hoogenboom). A very fine idea. Unfortunately, however, I have no material.

I do not remember the Christmas house parties. They tell me I was present at one or two of them and that I had a fine time. This is hearsay, and a good journalist does not operate upon that. Next time, I shall take notes. But I must remain seasonal;



Caskie

Christmas comes but once a year (from Thanksgiving on, if you can believe the store windows) and it cannot be denied.

The papers report that Estes Kefauver is sending out forty thousand Christmas cards this year. That should entitle him to a solid gold one from the Hallmark people. Estes, however, has missed the point. The true joy of sending Christmas cards consists in deliberately snubbing the people who snubbed you last year. This joy is increased by the knowledge that you can be a snob and save money at the same time; usually snobbery is right expensive.

Speaking of expensive things, Christmas presents are that. After I turn this in I'm going to run down to Pres Brown's (among other places) and buy all my presents on credit.

I can charge things in Lexington because I am a W&L student; at home, where people know me, it's strictly cash and carry. I don't know whom that reflects on.

End part one. Exit cynic. Now let's talk about what Christmas is and what it should mean.

THERE IS A NEW STAR over Bethlehem in 1957—Sputnik. It's a poor imitation of the original, but even at that it may be a better symbol than most people think.

The celebration of Christmas is replete with symbols: a tree for a cross, presents for love, carols for the mass of worship. They used to be pretty fine and effective symbols too. But somewhere along the way we have forgotten what they stand for and have made them ends in themselves.

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W&L Swimmers Drown Davidson For Fifth Win, 66-29

Tankers Set Records In Wins Over Catholic U. and Davidson

By TOM LOVE

Washington and Lee took a big step towards an undefeated season as it crushed Davidson, 66-29, Monday at Doremus Gymnasium.

W&L won nine events and Ship Rohnke set a new pool record as the team won its fifth straight victory of the season.

Skip Rohnke set a new pool record in the 100-yard freestyle as he swam it in 50.8, two-tenths of a second under the old record. He also won the 50-yard freestyle and was a member of the winning 400 freestyle relay team.

Chuck Springer won three events to take top honors of the day with 15 points. He won the 200 individual medley, the 200-yard butterfly, and the 200-yard breaststroke.

Other individual winners for the generals were Art Blank in diving, and Pete Peterson in the 200-yard backstroke.

Catholic University

Setting two new records in the process, Washington and Lee's swimming team trounced Catholic University 57-29, at Doremus Gymnasium, Saturday, December 14.

Diver Art Blank and backstroke Pete Peterson set new records as the Generals took first place in every event save the two relays. Blank accumulated 200.05 points in breaking his own record, set last year of 195.0 Peterson's 2:21 clipped a full

four seconds off the record set last year by Duncan. The big freshman also took the 220-yard freestyle with a winning time of 2:27.

Other double winners were Skip Rohnke and Chuck Springer. Rohnke took the 50- and 100-yard freestyles. His times were 23 flat for the 50 and 51.5 for the 100. He coasted home in both races. Springer also had an easy time winning the 200-yard butterfly and the 200-yard breaststroke. In the butterfly he posted a time of 2:39 and was two seconds better in the the breaststroke with 2:37.

Davidson Results

400-yard medley relay — Time 4:21.8. (W&L) Peterson, Stull, Wagenheim, and Parker.

220-yd. freestyle—Time 2:25.2. 1. Hutchins, Davidson; 2. Hellier, Davidson; 3. Smith, W&L.

50-yd. freestyle — Time 23.0. 1. Rohnke, W&L; 2. Gable, Davidson; 3. Osher, W&L.

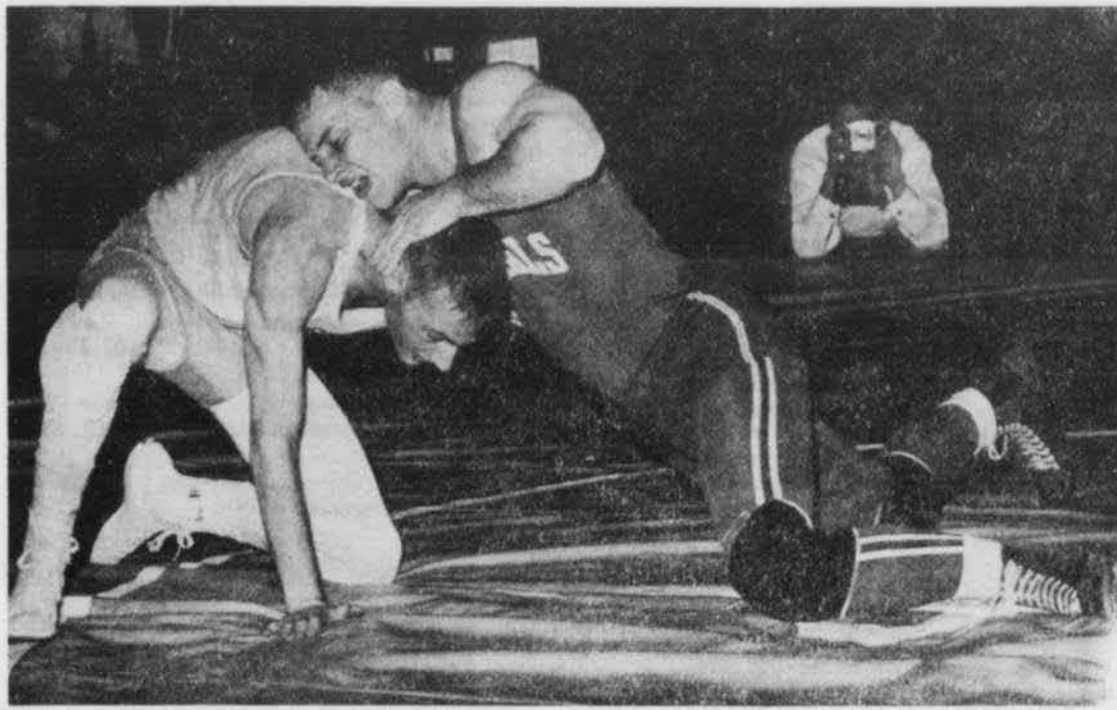
200-yd. individual medley—Time 2:23.6. 1. Springer, W&L; 2. Duncan, W&L; 3. Shell, Davidson.

Diving—Points 187.55. 1. Blank, W&L; 2. Myers, W&L; 3. Rose, Davidson.

100-yd. butterfly—Time 2:42.8. 1. Springer, W&L; 2. Bell, Davidson; 3. Wagenheim, W&L.

100-yd. freestyle—Time 50.8 (new record). 1. Rohnke, W&L; Gable, Davidson; Winn, Davidson.

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W&L wrestler Tony Brennan breaks his man down.

—Photo by Juhring

F&M Wrestlers Hand Generals Second Loss

Washington and Lee lost its second match of the season to Franklin and Marshall, 32-0, at V.M.I. last Saturday. Size and experience proved the big factors as F&M pulled a clean sweep, winning four matches by pins and the rest by decisions.

In perhaps the best match of the evening, W&L's Dennis Patton lost to Steve Saltzman, 6-5, in the 130-lb. class. Patton held a 5-4 lead until the last few seconds when Saltzman pulled a reversal for two points and the victory.

The Generals' next match is not until after the Christmas vacation.

Results

123-lb.—Gleon Cassel (F&M) pinned Ron Rubin, 0:32.

130-lb.—Steve Saltzman (F&M) defeated Dennis Patton, 6-5.

137-lb.—Gordon Muse (F&M) defeated Pitard, 8-3.

147-lb.—Robert Rudisill (F&M) pinned Phyz Lemmon, 7:52.

157-lb.—Skip Taylor (F&M) pinned Harry Alley, 2:31.

167-lb.—Dave Thomas (F&M) defeated Tony Brennan, 8-1.

177-lb.—John Hannan (F&M) defeated John Hollister, 6-0.

Heavyweight—Charles Pfrommer (F&M) pinned Gill Holland, 1:41.

JV Basketball

Washington and Lee's Junior Varsity Basketball team lost to Staunton Military Saturday 81-52. The Junior Generals dropped their fifth game of the season Monday bowing to Greenbrier Military Academy 83-49. Duncan and Berman starred for the Generals.

Face Virginia Wednesday

Cagers Bow To West Virginia, 74-69

Powerful West Virginia was forced to use freezing tactics in order to stave off an inspired Washington and Lee quint as the Mounties eked out a 74-69 victory Saturday night.

The Blue and White cagers, playing good possession ball, succeeded in stopping West Virginia's potent fast break and forced them into their toughest game to date. West Virginia has a 25 game winning streak going in the Southern Conference and is favored to repeat as league champ again this year. The Mountaineers are ranked eighth in the nation.

Dom Flora led all scores with 32 points, but the well balanced West Virginia attack proved too much

for the Generals. Four Mounties hit for double figures.

W. Va. took the lead for the first time at 11-10 and then increased their margin to 35-25 at the half. In the second half the Generals outscored the Mounties but failed to overcome the 10 point margin. The Blue came within four points of the Mounties with 5:37 remaining on two free throws by Mal Lassman. But West Virginia successfully stalled for the rest of the game.

In speaking of the game, Coach "Weenie" Miller remarked that it was W&L's "best team effort to date. It was anyone's game until the last second," he added. Miller felt everyone played a fine game but he gave

special praise to sophomore Frank Surface who was second highest scorer for the Generals with 11 points.

Miller, taking an optimistic view of the team's future, said, "We are beginning to do things better and are eliminating the mistakes that have cost us victories in our first games. By January we will be ready to put a few more wins in our ledger."

Tomorrow night the Generals travel to Charlottesville to meet an unpredictable University of Virginia team coached by former W&L basketball coach, Billy McCann. "It's always hard to beat a McCann" (Continued on page four)

Center Frank Hoss Named Week's Top Defensive Player By Coach

Frank Hoss was named the defensive player of the week Monday by Washington and Lee basketball coach Weenie Miller. The 6-5 center turned in fine performances against Rich-

mond, St. Johns and West Virginia. Hoss did well under the boards against taller men and did a good job blocking shots.

Hoss leads the team in rebounds with 65, and has scored 64 points in the last five games for a 12.8 per game average. Last season Frank pulled down 339 rebounds to lead the Generals in that department.

Hoss is a three-year letterman and the other co-captain. He was a regular forward last season and started most of the year. He's a good bet to rank as one of the top rebounders and defensive centers in the Southern Conference. Hoss is a good scorer from the pivot, he has a fine jump shot and a good hook, and has deceptively quick movements around the basket for layups.

Coache Miller says, "He's a terrific worker who's going to do a great job in the pivot...he's undoubtedly one of the best rebounders in the state and his attitude and spirit can't be beat."

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There will be a meeting of all members of the Sports department of the Tuesday edition of the Ring-tum Phi Wednesday in the Student Union at 5:00.

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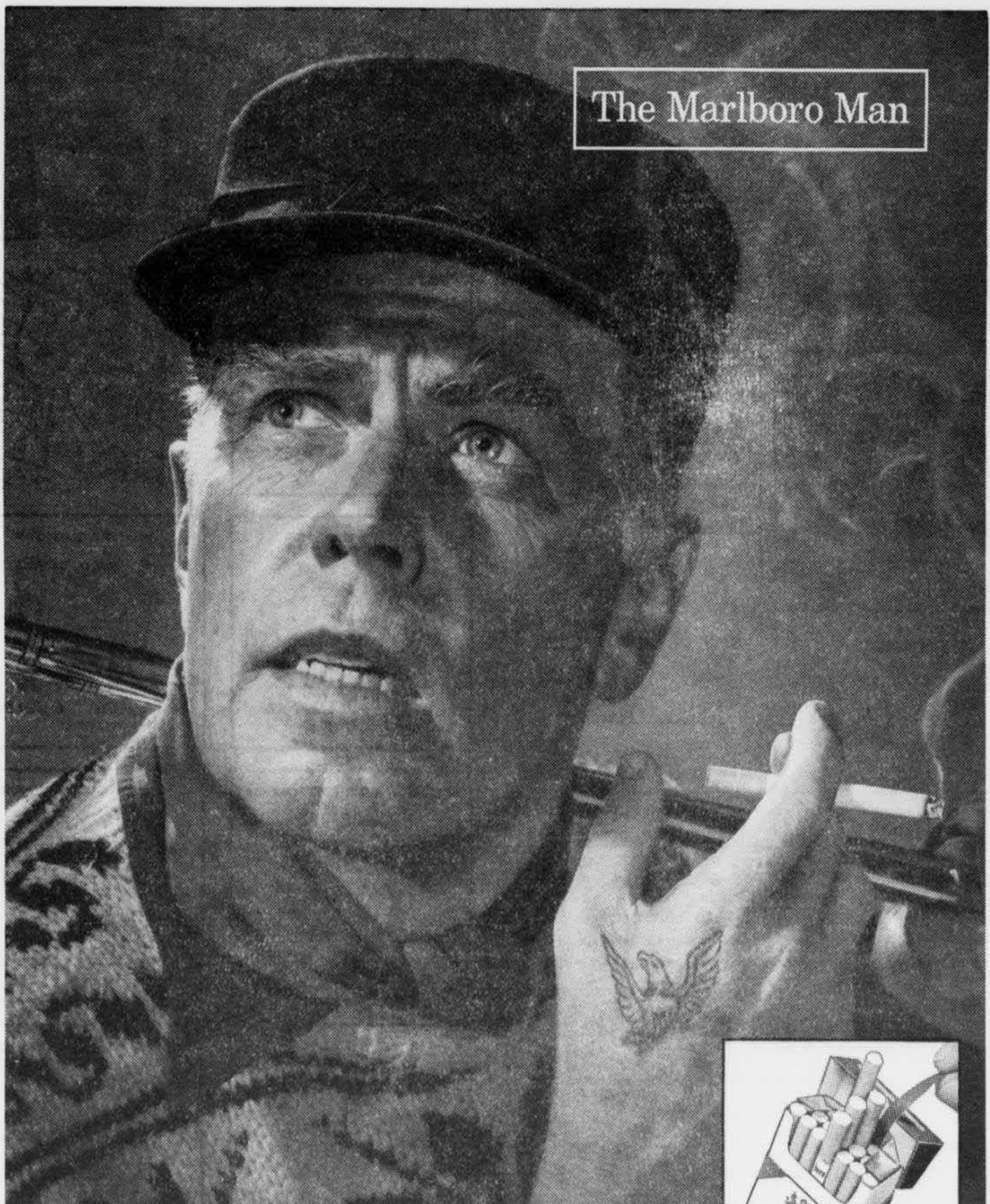
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Failures of Administration Listed

(Continued from page two) by advocating a return of the tidelands oil rights to the states involved. He stated that Texas should have rightful ownership of "the submerged area extending three marine leagues (10.5 miles) seaward to the Gulf of Mexico." With the support of the Administration, a bill was

passed and signed into law returning the tidelands to the states. The Administration had apparently upheld its promise.

Continuing to uphold the policy he had promised to advocate, the President made a speech in Williamsburg, Virginia in July, 1957 on the subject of state rights. "I believe deeply in States' Rights," said the President. Yet, just last month, on November 7, 1957, the U.S. government filed a suit against Texas to recover for the federal government the tidelands between the three mile and 10.5 mile limits.

These are only a few of the criticisms that may well be leveled against the Eisenhower Administration. In this time of grave crisis for the entire free world, Eisenhower has nevertheless seen fit to reduce by one-third the number of his personal interviews with scientists, cabinet officers, and top government officials. An effective response to the challenge that faces us cannot be met by faltering or bickering on the part of our government leaders. This crucial era demands statesmanship, courage, and vigorous leadership.

Cagers To Face Cavaliers

(Continued from page three) coached team" stated Miller. McCann knows this team well but W&L knows his system of coaching. The Cavaliers have lost to William and Mary and Richmond while beating Wake Forest in their opening games. The club had been a pre-season favorite to win the state crown.

Virginia will have 6-1 Paul Atkins at one guard spot. He led the UVA. frosh last year and is being compared to Buzzy Wilkinson, ex-Virginia great. The other guard will be Dick Stobbs, a fast ball player and one of the top men on the team. He is 6-3. The Cavaliers will have height under the boards with 6-5 Bill Metzger at forward and 6-7 Herb Busch at center. Metzger is one of the high scorers on the team, and Busch is one of the toughest men in the South under the basket. He has been hitting around 19 points a game. Virginia has Bob Martell (6-8) as reserve center.

Friday night the Generals will travel to Washington, D. C., where they will meet George Washington.

Assembly To Hear Gaines

(Continued from page one) ism in modern America. According to the UCA, "We cannot do away with the Incarnation. We can, however, destroy the sense of encounter for ourselves.

"We do this destructive work in the name of the Incarnation. This is the usual process for religionists: the worst opponent of true religion being false religion in its breast. That is, the religion of Christmas threatens the religion of Christianity."

In observing the birth of Christ, the Association expressed hope that the Worship Service at W&L will help make a meaningful inspiration for the entire year. All students and faculty members are urged to attend. Dr. Gaines said today that the service is "really one of the most important occasions of the academic year." Dr. Gaines said that the service was originated by students and has always been directed by them. He further stated that, "Naturally the administration wishes the students to have it in the place and at the time and manner which they prefer."

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Sputnik a Good Substitute For Outworn Yule Symbols

(Continued from page two) Presents (cases of liquor, etc.) are given in fulfillment of social or business obligations; the spontaneity so essential to their having any true meaning has vanished (e.g., Kefauver). The stores have made the Christmas tree, the holly and the ivy their symbols; they are the bells by which we salivate money over the counter. Christmas carols make the Hit Parade and the record industry flourishes because somebody saw Mommy kissing Santa Claus. Now all these things are not necessarily and innately bad; they are integral to our American society and you can't fight city hall. But they are bad when they masquerade as holy symbols, and from these they should be divorced.

SO WHEN I SUGGEST Sputnik as a better symbol of Christ than what we have been using I mean that it can guide our thinking better. There it goes, out of our reach and command, making us look above and beyond ourselves. And who can deny that it is a lesson in humility?


Stump Elected SBA Veep

(Continued from page one) year's Moot Court squad. Gay is a Sigma Nu and a member of Phi Alpha Delta. He is also a member of this year's regional Moot Court championship team and secretary of the senior law class. He defeated two other nominees for the right to succeed Lynn Lummus as SBA secretary. He received his B.A. degree from W&L in 1957. Miller, a Pi Kappa and also a Phi Alpha Delta, defeated one candidate for the treasurer's post, now held by Owen Neff. He is vice-president of ODK, and vice-president of his class.

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Swimmers Route Davidson

(Continued from page three) 200-yd. backstroke—Time 2:25.5. 1. Peterson, W&L; 2. Duncan, W&L; 3. Russell, Davidson. 440 freestyle—Time 5:42.1. 1. Hutchins, Davidson; 2. Broadus, W&L; 3. Gonsoulin, W&L.

200-yd. Breaststroke—Time 2:39.0. 1. Springer, W&L; 2. Bell, Davidson; 3. Stull, W&L.

400-yd. freestyle relay. Peterson, Osher, Parker, and Rohnke.

Catholic U. Results
400-yard medley: Cath, W&L (4:19).

220-yard freestyle: Peterson (W&L), Smith (W&L), Frederick (C). 2:27.

50-yard freestyle: Rohnke (W&L), Osher (W&L), Walker (C). 23.0.

Diving: Blank (W&L), Paddock (C), Meyers (W&L). 200.05 (New record).

200-yard butterfly: Springer (W&L), Waggenheim (W&L), Larrie (C).

100-yard freestyle: Rohnke (W&L), Mudd (C), Bigelow (W&L). 51.5.

200-yard backstroke: Peterson (W&L), Duncan (W&L), Beatty (C). 2:21 (New Record).

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French Stagehands Pull Surprise

(Continued from page two) ready to go when the management was forced to announce that, due to a strike, there would be no performance that night.

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