



Dr. Pusey Named New Dean of College

Dr. William Webb Pusey has been named Dean of the College at Washington and Lee University by President Fred C. Cole. Dean Pusey fills the administrative vacancy created by the resignation of Leon F. Sensabaugh as Dean of the University. Dr. Pusey is also professor of German on the Thomas Ball Foundation and head of the German department.

The appointment reflects a change in W&L's administrative organization. Previously, the Dean of the University directed the College of Arts and Sciences and was respon-

sible to the president for affairs of all W&L's academic divisions. Dr. Pusey while being the University's principal academic officer, will not exercise direct authority over the deans of the School of Law and the School of Commerce.

"Because of W&L's traditional and continuing emphasis on the liberal arts, I think it is appropriate that the university have a dean devoted exclusively to this area of learning and that this officer be a man whose training and experience stem from the liberal arts," President Cole said.

President Cole described Dr. Pusey as an "eminently qualified" choice for the college's deanship.

Dr. Pusey is a scholar of the first rank, a respected teacher, and a man of excellent experience in administrative matters through his valuable service on many and varied faculty committees." President Cole said. "By appointing him Dean, we will not be losing one of our best teachers, for he will continue to teach, but I feel that Washington and Lee will benefit all the more from his leadership."

Under the new administrative

alignment, Dr. Pusey, commerce school Dean Lewis W. Adams, and law school Dean Charles P. Light will hold equal administrative status, a situation "best suited to the particular needs of Washington and Lee," President Cole said. Dr. Pusey, however, will normally act in the President's behalf in his absence.

Dr. Pusey holds a Bachelor's degree from Haverford College, a Master's from Harvard, and his doctorate from Columbia University. His major field of study has been German impressionism, and he has also specialized in American-German

literary relations. He is the author of two books and numerous reviews and articles in scholarly journals. During World War II, he served in the United States Naval Reserve, being cited for this work as an interpreter in interrogation of the German Naval Command at the end of the war.

The father of two teen-age daughters, he has been a member of the Lexington and Rockbridge county school boards. He is regional associate for Western Virginia of the American Council of Learned Societies.

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W&L Fraternities Pledge 247 Freshmen

Mrs. duPont Donates Half Million Dollar Fund To University

A fund of more than half a million dollars honoring Thomas Ball, the late brother of Mrs. Alfred I. duPont, has been transferred to Washington and Lee University through the terms of a trust established by Mrs. duPont, President Fred C. Cole announced today.

Valued at \$587,663, the fund will be designated the

Dr. Allen Is First Guest Lecturer

A professor of American history at the University of London will be the first guest lecturer to visit the Washington and Lee University campus this year.

Dr. Harry C. Allen, Commonwealth Fund professor of American history at University College, London, will discuss "The Myth of American Materialism" in a talk here Monday, Sept. 19. Dr. Allen will speak at 8 p.m. in duPont Auditorium.

Dr. Allen came to the United States for an international conference of Anglo-American-Canadian historians who are interested in the American Revolution. The conference was held in Williamsburg earlier this month.

An honors graduate of Oxford University, Dr. Allen has studied at several American universities. In 1959, he was a member of the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton University. He has also been a Commonwealth Fund Fellow at Harvard University.

Dr. Allen has studied at Johns Hopkins University. He was a lecturer-in-residence at the University of Virginia in 1957.

From 1938 until 1945, Dr. Allen served as a major in the British Army.

Dr. Allen is the author of several historical volumes, including *Great Britain and the United States*, *British Essays in American History* and *Bush and Backwoods*. His latest book, published this year, is entitled *The Anglo-American Predicament*.

Record Number Of Dance Set Plans Have Been Sold

Dance Board president Jimmy Vann reports today that more dance plans have been sold this year than ever before.

A total of 820 plans have been sold to Washington and Lee students so far. Last year nearly 760 plans had been sold after the first three months of the semester.

Vann says that the plans are a tremendous saving to students who plan to attend the dance sets. The plans sell for \$25, and permit a student to enter all of the dance sets and concerts. Without the plans each dance cost \$5, and each concert, \$10.

Vann also urged the remaining students to buy a dance plan, saying that the additional revenue will make it possible to secure better and more famous dance bands for the W&L sets.

22 Fewer Freshmen Pledge This Year, Causing 6 Per Cent Drop From 1959; Names Are Listed

By GEORGE HONTS

The 247 members of the Class of 1964 who pledged to W&L's 18 fraternities marked a decline of 22 from the number who pledged during the 1959 Rush Week.

Percentage wise, 82 per cent of the Class of 1963 pledged during their Rush Week, while only 76 per cent pledged this year.

The immediate reason for the drop, which halted a four-year period of increased pledging by freshmen, is not easily discernible. Few fraternity men who knew of the drop laid the reasons at the doorstep of the new commons or dormitories. Instead they listed finances, desire for academic excellence and caution, caution by the rusher and the rushee, as the major reasons for fewer pledges.

It appears that many men will be going deferred rush. Seventy-six men are eligible for deferred rush which will begin four weeks from now.

SAE Has 22

Sigma Alpha Epsilon gathered the largest pledge class with 22 freshmen going their way. Sigma Nu pledged the second largest number, 21. Phi Gamma Delta netted 18 men while Delta Tau Delta, Lambda Chi Alpha and Kappa Alpha each pledged 17 men. A complete listing of the number of men pledged to the houses is made below in the Rush Week Box Score.

The 247 pledges this year is fewer than the total which pledged in 1956 and began an upward spiral in fraternity pledging which ended this year. In '56, 265 men pledged from a class which had fewer members than the Class of 1964.

Little Change

Politically, the University Party which contains 10 of the campus's 18 houses pledged 140 men as compared to 107 for the Independents. The figure shows little change from last year when the University party held a 31-man edge on freshmen. Last year, Phi Gam and Kappa Sigma, both Independent Houses, led the pledging with 27 and 24 respectively.

Officials had expected a decline in fraternity pledging in 1959, according to a September, 1959, Ring-tum Phi article. However, the full impact of the changing academic and social scene at W&L was not felt during that Rush Week.

The loss of revenue from lack of freshmen boarders in the fraternity houses last year caused most, if not all, houses to raise their bills to meet increased costs. Whether fraternity bills will rise again this year or not, remains to be seen. Some treasurers have taken the viewpoint that costs have reached a plateau and will remain at their present level, temporarily at least. Others do not seem so optimistic.

Nevertheless, those who have pledged will soon begin the annual round of introductory dances and mixers at the neighboring women colleges. Many Minks will be going "over the hill" Saturday night as actives and pledges set out to get to know each other.

Listed below are the names of the freshmen and transfer students who pledged during Rush Week.

Beta Theta Pi—16

George Craddock Craig Crockard, Whit Fitzpatrick, Martin Galt, John Ganong, James Haley, Phillip Lemon, Stanley Leydig, John Madison, John Mendell, William Ogilvie, Richard Roberts, John Roy, Bill Rugg, William Wilkinson.

Delta Tau Delta—17

Ken Brandenburg, John Bridgforth, Joe Burkart, W. C. Erickson, George Freeman, Brice Gamber, G. W. Grossman, K. E. Jansen, Bruce Lawton, John McDaniel, John Michaelson, John Pearsons, S. Wesley Pipes, Cotton Rawls, Fred Schaffer, Stephen Walsh, Eric Wilson.

Delta Upsilon—13

W. Dan Bell, Robert L. Caferata, Richard C. Colton, Robert Y. Foerster, Paul A. Gilbert, H. Warren Holden, John C. Lundy, John McCoy, Bruce W. Moss, Peter K. Noonan, Douglas M. Powers, Samuel B. Preston, Richard A. Litkenhans.

Kappa Alpha—17

D. C. Black, III, A. E. Broadus,

Rush Week Box Score

This is the complete list of fraternities and men pledged by each:

	1959	1960
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	20	22
Sigma Nu	16	21
Phi Gamma Delta	27	18
Kappa Alpha	7	17
Delta Tau Delta	17	17
Lambda Chi Alpha	11	17
Kappa Sigma	24	16
Beta Theta Pi	13	15
Phi Kappa Sigma	22	15
Phi Kappa Psi	14	15
Delta Upsilon	19	13
Zeta Beta Tau	16	11
Phi Delta Theta	11	11
Pi Kappa Phi	12	11
Sigma Phi Epsilon	15	10
Sigma Chi	15	8
Pi Kappa Alpha	11	7
Phi Epsilon Pi	2	4

T. M. Brumby, IV, P. M. Candler, W. L. Cowden, Jr., E. S. Croft, III, P. R. Farnsworth, Jr., K. E. Greer, R. W. Henley, Jr., F. H. Jones, W. H. Kidd, III, J. H. Morrison, III, H. P. Smith, W. D. Suggs, III, M. G. Thompson, G. M. Underhill, Jr., J. E. Wilkerson.

Kappa Sigma—16

Benjamin Low Chapman, Richard Ray Cruise, John Marion Dean, Jr., William Hall Fitz, Thomas Tyler Goar, William Munroe Gotten, Richard Charles Heard, Bill Haywood Kinsey, Henry Dumesnil Ormsby, III, Thomas Synder Pace, Jr., Robert Dean Smith, III, Richard Atkins Sult, Jr., Herman Gordon Taylor, William Melton Wallace, Jr., John Walter Watts, III.

Lambda Chi Alpha—17

Alonze Atkins, Robert B. Barganz, David M. Barr, Bruce T. Chosney, John M. Dixon, Alfred E. Ekes, Lynn R. Hammond, Scott R. Hardwick, Jay Jacot, E. Raymond Kidwell, John F. Lackey, Thomas C. Lewis, Richard W. McEnally, Dennis R. Morgan, Robert C. Mettley, Donald Palmer, William B. Petty.

Phi Delta Theta—11

James Cassidy, John McDowell, George C. Wick, William Noonan, Robert Carlson, Charles Gaines, Randy Wooten, Augustus Walton, Kenneth Lane, Mickey Bright, Roveet Karn.

Phi Epsilon Pi—4

Alvin Hutzler, Mike Levin, Kenny Rozenzweig, John Sarnet.

Phi Gamma Delta—18

R. I. H. Belsler, R. N. Bright, E. P. Browning, J. W. Clark, C. J. Clark, III, W. S. Essex, Jr., J. D. Eure, Jr., T. Gardner, Jr., W. P. Hopkins, J. H. Kirkley, J. B. McCeney, D. McDowell, W. H. Martin, Jr., J. J. Smith, Jr., W. L. Van Dyke, J. Volpe.

Phi Kappa Psi—15

Peter H. Alford, David W. Britt, Ernest D. Levering, Walter L. McManus, Albert Tom Owen, Charles C. Owen, James N. Powers, Judson P. Reis, James C. Smith, Burton Stanair, Spencer Stouffer, James N. Wear, Jesse F. Williams, John T. Winebrenner, Hughston G. Wright, Jr.

Phi Kappa Sigma—15

David J. Andre, Robert A. Bolen, Austin Bray, Daniel J. Crumlish, Edward H. Hollman, Charles G. Johnson, Lewis McNeace, Bruce R. MacDonald, William H. Marmion, Jim Mell, Allan G. Paterson, Scott P. Pearce, Leslie C. Rucker, William P. Tedards, John W. Wescoat.

Pi Kappa Alpha—7

Breck Alexander, Robert Edward Lee, James Strawbridge Maffitt, Clarence Vaughan Nalley, Consider Willett Ross, George Thomas Sisler, Richard Taylor Spencer.

Pi Kappa Phi—11

Philip S. E. Booth, Frederick William Boye, Allan John Brinton, Frederick E. Cooper, Joseph Richard Couch, Timothy Walter Dols, Robert Cloudman Farrar, Bruce Thompson Houghton, Charles Dawson Kimbell, Walter Edward Steves, Paul Freeman Van Avery.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon—22

Roger Earl Allen, Jr., John William Baker, A. J. Barranco, Jr., Sydney Johnston Butler, Harry Preston Henshaw, Smith Hickenlooper, John Michale Jenkins, Harvey Ellis Jones, Donald B. McFall, Sidney Walton Maurras, Edward Mower Norton, Fred Miller Ridolphi, III, Henry Moseley Sackett, III, Charles Britton Savage, Michael Wollman Sheffey, Jo Cowin Tartt, Peter Dowie Trelogan, Jerome Turner, Samuel Gwathmey Tyler, Ernest Williams, Jack Yarbrough, Jr.

Sigma—Chi—8

Bob Aylin, Jim Dunlap, Bob Kennedy, Butch Kroos, George Paul, George Priggen, Sonny Rayder, Rex Woodbridge.

Sigma Nu—21

John Frederick Bartlett, Robert Hall Brewer, Lester McLure Foote, Thomas Robbins Green, Michael Harrison, William Bradbury Hnckley, Robert Martin Hultgren, William Crawford Humphreys, Karl Kroeger, Harry Landsiedel, Hollie Irwin Moore, Jack Lanier Neal, Robert Henry Powell, William McClure Schildt, Nicholas Ray Simmons, Jim T. Sylvester, Anthony James Walker, Samuel Gwathmey Walker, Pennington H. Way, Frank W. Wright, Norman Edgar Youngblood.

Sigma Phi Epsilon—10

Richard Winston Cooke, Christopher T. Conyers, Jr., Jere Davies Cravens, Charles Major Cummings, David Blalock Harrison, William England Pardington, Albert M. Philippe, Bruce Warwick Rider, Thomas Edward Thielocke, Hobart Page.

Zeta Beta Tau—11

Jay Caplan, Nick Cohen, Richard Coplan, Brian Dorsk, Barry Greene, David Hyman, John Raphael, Bill Solmson, Peter Trager, Jim Wallenstein, Stuart Yoffe.

Most of the formal pledge ceremonies will be held this week-end, and will include a pledge banquet.

Mr. McDowell Is Bradford Law Professor

Professor Charles R. McDowell, a member of the Washington and Lee University law faculty since 1927, has been named Bradford Professor of Law, according to Charles P. Light, Dean of the School of Law.

His appointment to the endowed chair is effective immediately.

The Bradford chair was held by Professor Clayton Williams until his retirement this year as Dean of the School of Law.

Professor McDowell, who received his LL.B. degree from Yale University in 1924, has served on the Washington and Lee law faculty continuously since 1927, except for three years duty with the U.S. Navy between 1942 and 1945.

He received his B.A. degree from Centre College in 1915 and his M.A. from Columbia University in 1920. He also holds a Doctor of Law degree.

The endowed chair is named for Vincent L. Bradford, a Washington and Lee benefactor.



Dr. Fred C. Cole, president of Washington and Lee, addresses the opening day convocation held last Wednesday. —Photo by Renshaw

The Ring-tum Phi

Negative Thinking

(Editor's note: The following editorial appeared in the Friday, Sept. 9, 1960 edition of *The Washington Post*)

"Despite efforts to ignore or to stifle it, the religious issue remains a major factor in the current political campaign." So begins a statement issued by a group of Protestant clergymen and laymen which styles itself the National Conference of Citizens for Religious Freedom. These churchmen themselves do not appear to have taken any part in the efforts to ignore or stifle the religious issue. On the contrary, the Conference is representing it as the dominant issue in the campaign.

The argument advanced by the conference amounts to this: Because the Roman Catholic Church is a political as well as a religious organization of its communicants, a President of the United States who professed Catholicism might be subject to the discipline or pressure of the Church's hierarchy. This is a kind of lace curtain anti-Catholicism which is at least more rational than some of the fundamental fears being circulated by the Know Nothings.

The error of this argument seems to us to lie in its assumption that John Kennedy is a priest rather than an ordinary layman, that he is a member of the Church hierarchy committed to the advancement of its doctrines rather than an American who happens to worship God in accordance with the Roman Catholic ritual and who is committed to the advancement of democratic doctrines. Mr. Kennedy has stated plainly and unequivocally that he is not governed by the Church in political and other affairs. There is no more reason to believe that his course as a public official would be dictated by the tenets of the Church hierarchy on, say, birth control or censorship than there is to impute to a man who worships with the Society of Friends the tenets of faith on, say, disarmament and defense.

In light of the fact that its leader is the Rev. Norman Vincent Peal, the Conference of Citizens for Religious Freedoms is offering, we think, a curious example of the power of negative thinking. It professes to be in favor of the separation of church and state; but it is doing its utmost to inject the consideration of religion into politics of the Nation. It professes to be in favor of religious freedom; but it argues that if a man belongs to a particular church he is not free to become President of the United States.

In a country which has said as a part of its fundamental law that "no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust," would it not be a good idea to judge candidates for the Presidency exclusively on their past political performance, their political programs and their capacities for leadership?

Reality And Challenge

The spirit of the class of 1964 is a reality. The way in which they as students of this university meet the demands of a good education will differ widely from those who have been a part of Washington and Lee's past. They are witnesses to the pressure of their times upon the educational complex in general and W&L in particular.

"The challenge of the sixties" is a slogan rapidly becoming a cliché. Yet, when related to the life of this college, its context seems justified. The coming decade is a challenge to Washington and Lee in every phase of university life. The academic and social life of this school is undergoing an accelerating transition to meet this challenge. An administration of modern ideas and a heritage of cherished ideals has fused into a progressive policy of high education. The provocative "status quo" no longer restricts the element of change, and progress is synonymous with Cole.

To you the class of 1964 the challenge is directed. How you meet it as men of Washington and Lee and as individuals will play a strong part in determining the future of this university.

In Memoriam

Washington and Lee deeply feels the loss of two of its beloved instructors. Charles Harrington was at home on the athletic field and in the hearts of those who knew him. His contribution to this university and to its ideals was paramount.

Ralph Duffie provided that extra element of dedication that became very much a part of the military instruction of the college. But even more his warm personality and contributions to the athletic department as chauffeur and supporter leave a vacuum in our university family.

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Practicing Lawyer To Be W&L Lecturer On Torts

A practicing attorney in Lexington has been appointed lecturer-on-torts for the first semester in the School of Law at Washington and Lee University.

The appointment of William O. Roberts, Jr., 37, was announced today by Law School Dean Charles P. Light.

The new lecturer received his LL.B. degree in 1958 from Washington and Lee. He was graduated magna cum laude. He has been on the physical education staff at Virginia Military Institute since 1946.

Roberts, who is a member of the

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Thirteen New Men Join W&L Faculty

Six men have been added to the Washington and Lee University faculty.

Their appointments were effective September 1. The additions involve the department of history, fine arts, religion, English and military science and tactics.

The new men include: Dr. Cecil O. Smith, Jr., 28, assistant professor of history; Dr. Cecil B. Jones, 30, assistant professor of fine arts; Lewis Wendell Hodges, 27, assistant professor of religion; William W. Chaffin, 29, instructor in speech; Jack B. Moore, 27, instructor in English; and Capt. George W. Miller, 31, assistant professor of military science and tactics.

Dr. Smith, a member of Phi Beta Kappa, received his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees in history from Harvard University in 1956 and 1959, respectively. He received his B.A. degree from Wofford College in 1955. In 1957-58, Dr. Smith did research for his doctorate in France under a French Government Fellowship. This past year he was an instructor in humanities at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Dr. Jones, who is a native of Nashville, Tenn., received his B.A. degree from Vanderbilt University in 1951. He received his M.A. in the Theater from Northwestern University in 1952. He was awarded his Ph.D. in 1951 from the University of Illinois. Dr. Jones has been a member of the fine arts faculty at Lamar State College in Beaumont, Tex., for the past two years.

A graduate of Duke University in North Carolina, Hodges comes to Washington and Lee from a graduate assistantship there. He has been working on his Ph.D. at Duke. He is a 1954 graduate of Millsaps College in Jackson, Miss., where he received his B.A.

Chaffin, who has his B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Richmond, is currently a teaching associate at the University of Indiana. He is working on his Ph.D. there. He has taught at several preparatory schools in Maryland and Virginia. He has also been a part time faculty member at the University of Virginia and Madison College.

Moore joins the Washington and Lee faculty after spending a year as a graduate assistant at the University of North Carolina, where he was doing research for his Ph.D. He taught at the University of Virginia from 1956 until 1958. He received his B.A. from Drew University and his M.A. from Columbia University.

Capt. Miller is a graduate of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N. Y. He comes to Washington and Lee's Reserve Officer Training Corps unit from the Officers' Advanced School at Ft. Benning, Ga. He is assigned to the Army Infantry.

Two Return

Two Washington and Lee University professors have returned to their teaching posts after two-year leaves of absence.

Dr. Edward D. Myers, chairman of

the university's department of philosophy, and Thomas E. Ennis, Jr., assistant professor of accounting, resumed their teaching duties when Washington and Lee began its 212th academic year September 14.

Dr. Myers has been in Bonn, Germany, for the past two years as cultural attache for the United States Information Agency in the West German Federal Republic. He served in the American Embassy there.

Prof. Ennis has been studying at the University of Michigan under a Ford Foundation grant. He has been working on his Ph.D. degree at Michigan. His first year at Michigan, Prof. Ennis studied on a Southern Regional Fellowship.

Dr. Myers, who aided world historian Dr. Arnold Toynbee in his writing of "A Study of History," joined the Washington and Lee faculty in 1949. Prof. Ennis came to the university in 1955.

Also added to the faculty were seven men whose appointments were announced last May in the Finals Edition of the Ring-tum Phi. These men are Dr. James S. Patty, 35, associate professor of Romance languages; Dr. Cecil D. Eby, Jr., 33, assistant professor of English; Douglas T. Day, 28, instructor in English; James Boatwright, III, 27, instructor in English; David B. Dickens, 27, instructor in German; Clarence E. Roberts, 24, instructor in geology; and H. Gordon Williams, Jr., 27, instructor in mathematics.

President Cole Names Two As Assistants

President Fred C. Cole has named two members of the Washington and Lee administrative staff to newly created positions of assistants to the President.

James W. Whitehead, 38, has become assistant to the president for administration, and Frank A. Parsons, 32, has become assistant to the president for institutional research. Their appointments were effective Sept. 1.

Whitehead will continue as director of university relations, and Parsons will continue as director of information services.

President Cole said Whitehead will gradually assume administrative responsibility for business affairs of the university except those directly related to the office of the university treasurer.

Fact-gatherer

Parsons will assist the President in a program of continuous study and fact-gathering concerning all phases of the university's operation, President Cole said.

Whitehead joined the Washington and Lee staff in May, 1958, and since then has been involved primarily in the direction of the University Development Program for new science and journalism facilities.

Parsons, a 1954 graduate of Wash-

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Dr. Winter Royston examines the new IBM machines with J. Baine Fox who is the university's new supervisor of statistical records and in charge of the machines. —Photo by Renshaw

IBM Machines Making Record Keeping Easier

Many Washington and Lee students were surprised to find during registration that the familiar pink schedule slips have been replaced with a new white and efficient looking slip. The reason for the change is due to the installation of several International Business Machines.

Installation of the new machines—six in all, each performing a different function—was completed shortly before registration began, according to J. Baine Fox, 23, the university's new supervisor of statistical records and the man in charge of the new machines.

The first application of the data processing equipment came on Sept. 10 when some 1,200 Washington and Lee students began matriculation. The IBM equipment was expected to simplify certain registration procedures.

The new machines have been added to university operations to increase clerical efficiency and accuracy, according to President Fred C. Cole.

Leased from IBM

Leased from International Business Machines, the data processing equipment will be used initially for student registration and then gradually applied to other university administrative functions.

Registration was chosen first because it is a repetitive process and a good test for the new equipment.

Information concerning students' ages, academic classes, grades, course sections, home addresses, parents' names and other pertinent facts will be recorded on specially-prepared cards for use in the IBM equipment. The machines will in turn interpret the information on the cards and produce the information on forms for use by faculty, administrative officers and students.

Once the data processing system is cleared of "bugs" or operational problems, plans call for application of the machines to records now used by Washington and Lee's Alumni and development offices. Special reports may also be prepared by the machines in the future. Flexibility of the equipment allows for such additional work requirements, Fox says.

Planning Began Last May

Planning for the installation of the IBM data processing equipment began last May at the suggestion of President Cole. A preliminary study of the university's records and clerical problems was made and the present equipment recommended.

Fox, who operated similar equipment for the Shell Oil Company in New Orleans, came to Washington and Lee in late June to begin a detailed study of the proposed operation. He then designed the necessary cards and forms for the university's new equipment.

Water Bombs, Inflation, And Rush Week Greet Irving Gilch

By TOM LUTHY

Irving Gilch hopped off the bus and trudged quickly up the hill, bearing his footlocker on his back. After several near accidents with some semi's on Route 60, he found his way to the scenic, fire-proof freshman dormitory.

"What a swell place to spend my first year at college," thought Irving as he ducked a speedily descending water bomb thrown from a third floor window facing the quad.

Irving peeked into his spacious room on the fourth floor and marveled at the beautiful view of the world's longest footbridge which could be seen from his single window. The first person he met was Light Horse Harry, one of the friendly custodians, who immediately conked him into purchasing a \$10 lamp. "I wonder if the Co-Op has better prices?" mused Irving.

He donned some Ivy League garb for fear of being assimilated, and rushed over to the Student Union to see about signing up for Freshman Camp. A nice old man met him at the door and handed him a freshman list for the name game at camp. Irving winced as the old boy pinned the name tag on his shirt, for the pin had severed his proudest possession, a singleton hair on his chest which he had been cultivating for the drop-the-hanky contests at camp. "The fellows will never like me now," lamented poor Irving.

However, Irving soon was feeling better as he and several other fresh-

shot the bull over a pitcher of beer at Doc's. Irving had noticed a sign reading "Relief is just a swallow away" above Doc's door and wondered if Doc was receiving financial aid from the Alka-Seltzer Company. "How silly to imagine such a thing!" thought Irving when he remembered that all subsidization on the W&L campus went with the winning athletic teams. Unwittingly Irving and his newly acquired buddies made it to Doc's door without paying for their brew. They were swiftly apprehended by Frances the Talking Waitress, who forced them to cough up the correct amount of change. "That sure was lucky," sighed Irving. "I almost violated the Honor System without even attending my first class."

Somehow Irving struggled through the first few weeks of school and at last felt in the swing of things. He chuckled to himself as he grabbed two six-packs of Country Club, remembering what the brothers had told him at one of the frat lodges during Rush Week, "Take two, they're small."

"This certainly is a wonderful university," reflected Irving, now on his sixth lager. "I wonder if they'll let me go to Freshman Camp again next year?"

NOTICE

The Assimilation Committee will hold its regular meeting Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the Student Union



A group of freshmen at Freshman Camp are shown here listening to one of the many speeches given. Some 318 W&L freshmen attended the three-day session. —Photo by Renshaw

PEANUTS



W&L Tennis Tournament To Begin Next Weekend

Coach Washburn To Head Contest

The University Fall Tennis Tournament will get underway right away according to tennis coach, Bill Washburn. Play is expected to begin Friday, September 23, and Varsity Captain, Billy McWilliams, ex-

pressed the hope that all men who had not received a letter or a numeral and who plan to try out for the varsity squad will participate. The freshman are especially urged to enter this contest.

This year Thomas Ltd. will award a trophy to the winner. Rocky Gaut, last year's winner, was a graduating senior, leaving a wide open scramble for a winner and the trophy.

Eligibility

All W&L students of both Academic and Law schools who have not received either a Varsity letter or freshman numeral are eligible, and if interested in playing in the tournament should cut out the entry blank below, complete the form and turn it in to the Alumni Office, bottom floor of Washington Hall. Telephone entries can be made by calling HO 3-3414. Deadline for entries is 4 p.m. Wednesday, September 21st.

Drawings will be posted by noon September 22 on the gymnasium bulletin board and play may begin immediately.

Rules

(1) Each Player is responsible for contacting his opponent to arrange to play the match.

(2) Each player will purchase one can of tennis balls, with the winner of the match retaining the unused

can of balls for his next match.

(3) Each match must be played by the specified date posted. Should one player fail to report for the match at a previously agreed time,

that player shall be considered as having defaulted. Should both players fail to report and the match not be posted by 7 p.m. of the final date for that match, the entire match

will be considered as having defaulted.

(4) All matches will be the best two out of three sets.

(5) Tournament matches will have

court priority except as they conflict with the intramural tennis schedule. (Note: Two courts are available even during the intramural schedule.)

Offer Special Price On VMI Games Here

The VMI Athletic Department has offered to W&L faculty and students a special offer of \$1.50 for each ticket to games that are played on W&L's Wilson Field. The first game is on October 1 with the University of Richmond, and the other will be on November 5 against Lehigh. Anyone interested in securing tickets for these games must get them at the VMI Athletic Office by 4 p.m. Thursday during the week of the games. Tickets at this price will not be sold at the gate.

Golf Deadline Sept. 21

All students interested in trying out for the W&L golf team should check with coach Cy Twombly by Wednesday, Sept. 21. This includes freshmen and upperclassmen.

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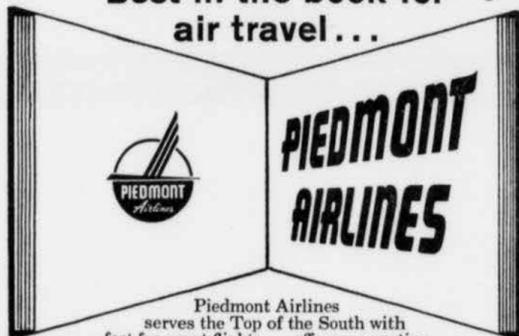
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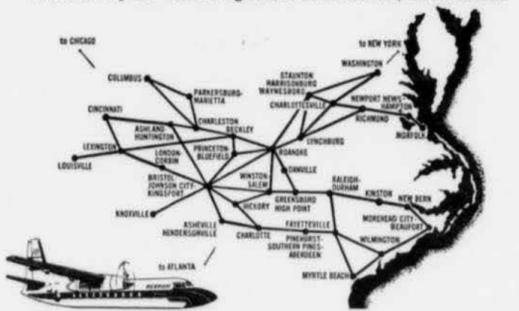
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University Exhibiting Art Collection Loaned By Guggenheim Museum

A group of paintings on loan from the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum in New York will be placed on display this week in Washington and Lee University's year-old dining hall.

The paintings are scheduled to hang for six months, according to Dr. Marion Junkin, chairman of the university's department of fine arts.

With Prints

The display of the Guggenheim collection will coincide with the exhibition of a group of Italian modern prints in the duPont Gallery on the Washington and Lee campus.

Both displays were ready in time for the beginning of Washington and Lee's 212th academic year this

week. The Guggenheim collection, for which the university has been waiting for more than two years, will hang in the east parlor of the Letitia Pate Evans dining hall.

The New York display will include the painting of such people as Wassily Kandinsky, Paul Klee, Albert Gleizes, Harry Bertola and others.

One of 15

Washington and Lee's extended loan from the Guggenheim is one of 15 to American colleges and universities. These exhibits are being sent out by the Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum as a part of a program of extended loans to areas where good examples of contemporary arts by pioneering artists of the twentieth century are not readily available to the public.

Displays were begun in the Evans dining hall last year in an effort to acquaint the whole student body with art, and the displays are open to the public.

Rowe Is Assistant

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ington and Lee, became director of the university's information services in September, 1954. Before joining the staff at Washington and Lee, Parsons was employed by the Clifton Forge Daily Review as editor following his graduation.

Rowe Named

President Cole also named A. Prescott Rowe to the position of Assistant Director of Information Services this summer. His appointment was effective immediately.

A June graduate of Washington and Lee, Rowe will assist Frank A. Parsons, Director of Information Services, in university relations.

Rowe, 22, a native of Fredericksburg, Va., is a former employee of the Fredericksburg Free-Lance Star where he was a news reporter. While a student at Washington and Lee, he served as editor of the Ring-tum Phi, and as a member of the Publications Board. He was also a Freshman Dormitory Counselor and held a Robert E. Lee Scholarship. He holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Journalism.

Rowe is also a member of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national honorary leadership fraternity which was founded at Washington and Lee.

Notices

There will be a meeting at 8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 19, for all freshmen who are interested in working on the staff of the Ring-tum Phi.

All students who have not yet picked up their 1960 Calyx may do so on Tuesday Sept. 20, from 2-5 p.m. in the basement of the student union.

There will be a meeting of all upperclassmen who are members of the business and editorial staffs of the Calyx on Tuesday, Sept. 20 at 5 p.m. in the Student Union.

There will be a reception for all students interested in working with the Troubadour Theatre this year, on Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 7:30 p.m., in the theatre.

Lecturer On Torts

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Virginia Bar Association, received his B. A. degree from Springfield College. He is a native of Champlain, N.Y.

During World War II Roberts served as a pilot in the U.S. Army Air Forces. He now holds a captain's commission in the U.S. Air Force Reserves.

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