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Troubs Plan Play Readings Tomorrow

'Little Foxes' First In Weekly Series

Little Foxes by Lilian Hellman will be the first dramatic reading of the season for the Troubs. It is scheduled for 8:15 p.m. tomorrow in the Troubadour Theater.

The public is invited to attend the readings, which have been planned to stimulate interest of students in reading play forms and give others increased experience in formal reading.

Dave Collins, president of the Troubadour Theater group, is taking charge of the first two announced programs. He invited anyone interested in dramatic readings to get in touch with him.

The cast for the programs will include W&L students, Southern Seminary girls, and local townspeople. Carlson Thomas, dramatic instructor and advisor to the Troubs, brought the new idea forth after it had been discussed by the Fine Arts department.

Collins said he "hoped that some of the plays might be given a try in the informal Wednesday night readings and eventually put on with full staging."

Little Foxes, is a study in avarice that takes place in the South Busy Weekend during the Reconstruction days. It follows an unscrupulous Southern family at the turn of the century. The cast has six male parts and four female parts. The second reading, She Stooped to Conquer by Oliver Goldsmith, will be given next Wednesday.

Winterset, the first regular production planned by the Troubs this year, will be presented during the second week in December. Daily rehearsals are in progress for preparation of the opening of the

W&L, UVa. Vie The Lexington Community Chest has cut off the scouts from future

Washington and Lee University and University of Virginia law students will fire the opening shots today here in the regional round of the National Inter-Law School Moot Court competition.

Lee are Donald Cohen and Rich- and the cause is a good one," said ard Hudgins. The Virginia representatives are Duly Devine and Lester Hopkins.

The student lawyers will argue their case before distinguished held in the school yard across jurists in the moot Supreme Court from Doc's Corner Store. Students of Appeals. Judge D. A. Kuyk, of Hustings court in Roanoke, will be ed by Judge Earl L. Abbott, of Norfolk and Western Railway, Club. Roanoke.

The case to be argued is a timely one. It deals with the right of a the parade and pajama-clad freshuniversity professor to exercise his men. Later Friday evening the privilege against self-incrimination before a Congressional investi- concert sponsored by the SWMSFC gating committee and at the same at the Sigma Nu house. time to avoid discharge from the university for gross misconduct.

The professor declined to state whether he had communist connections. The university dismissed him for gross misconduct and a few days later the professor died. His wife sues the university for \$10,000 which she claims is due her under the university's death benefit plan.

Rifle Team Loses Match, Fray Posts High Score

high man on the W&L ten with a er education and a strong progresscore of 389 out of 400. According sive industry if we are to preto Capt. George Brashears, team serve and further the kind of socoach, it was one of the best scores clety that will be most conducive he had ever seen fired.

this week against Gettysburg Col- of New York University and Bill and suggested to the spectator. lege. Practice will be held at the Morell of the Jones and Laughlin VMI range and the firing will take Steel Corp. Herald and Morell are Cove-Moonlight," (No. 17) proplace Thursday night.



Walk Jones draws a bead on a target at the VMI range as other officers of the W&L Rifle Club look on. Left to right are Bill Fray, Pete Nyce, Ted Sheh an, James Hitz, and Capt. Brashears, adviser. (See

For Pledges

Boy Scout Fund Drive, 'Mud' Fight, Race Set

Tuxedos will be worn on campus by the "13" Club tomorrow in an summer camp.

Boy Scouts worthy of attending

tion the boys are in need of assis- Marcellus Stowe, and Capt. George summer camp.

"Please give something to this fund, you spend too much Representing Washington and money on the weekend anyhow. Carl Swanson, president of the "13" Club.

> On Thursday evening the annual 13" Club "mud" fight will be are invited to watch the spectacle.

An unusual half-time program By GLENN SCOTT the chief judge. He will be flank- arranged by the club will be seen on Saturday. The mule race should Clifton Forge, and Martin P. Burks, add another different type of enassistant general counsel for the tertainment feature for the "13"

> Club pledges will also be on hand at the pep rally to take charge of pledges will take charge of the jazz

Dr. Gaines To Attend College Conference

of the University, will leave Lex- while the artist, head of the Deington to attend the Industry-College Conference at the Green- in Maine. One was suggested by brier Hotel on Thursday and Fri- springtime Shenandoah, and two day. Dr. Gaines will arrive back in time for the Homecoming weekend.

The conference indicates a new trend of cooperation between big business and independent colleges. By a combined score of 1786 to Out of it may come plas of im-1820, the ROTC rifle team drop- portance to both industry and eduped its first postal match to Wash- cation. "It is important to both ington and Jefferson last week. groups and citizens alike, that we Bill Fray, from Orange, Va., was maintain a strong system of highto individual and natural progress, The next match will be fired said Henry T. Herald, Chancellor co-chairmen of the conference.

'13' Club Plans New Rifle Club Swings Into Action With Qualifying Rounds Tonight

The newly organized Washington and Lee Rifle Club will swing into action tonight when 30 charter members will fire future.

opening match against the University of Richmond a week from toeffort to collect funds for the Boy day. All four standard match po-Scouts of Lexington to attend sitions, prone, sitting kneeling, and standing, will be shot.

Other matches scheduled for the camp will be sent with money near future include Temple Unigathered in the drive which will versity, and the University of Vircontinue through Friday evening. ginia. Further matches are pend-The Lexington Community Chest ing. three will be fired each month.

The new club was organized last Chest funds. For successful opera- week under the direction of Dr. tance from the "13" Club group. Brashears. Ted Shehan was elected Col. Carroll of VMI, who is in president at the first meeting. charge of the Boy Scouts, has said Other officers include Jim Hitz, that \$15 will send one boy to the vice president; Pete Nyce, secretary; Walk Jones, treasurer; and Bill Frey, executive officer.

> Tuesday Night Meetings Meeting every Tuesday night at

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Writer Reviews Art Exhibition

A reviewer of the visual arts can do little more than give his opinion as to the merits of works on exhibition, commenting upon this or that painting which tosses out light as from the leaping flame of creativity. And in the end he can only note that his reaction was one of excitment, mild interest, or boredom.

"Maine and Other Paintings," by By BOB PAXTON Marion Junkin, the current exhibition offered in the upstairs hall

of McCormick Library, is a exciting collection of watercolors. Dr. Francis P. Gaines, president of seascapes done this summer partment of Fine Arts, was living are Mexican scenes.

Seascapes 'Challenging'

By far the most challenging of the paintings are those from Maine; and, in particular, I have in mind the seascapes. " Northeaster," (No. 9) recalls the chill and washed-out sky which plagues the New England coast. And when one remembers that watercolor is the art of the irrevocable brush stroke, this painting becomes all the more remarkable

With a minimum of line and color the mood his been captured Again, too, the nocturne "The

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ficials have told him that even though the permit to carry torches was granted, if similar disturbances occur this year they will block all W&L parades in the

Concert Set

qualifying rounds on the VMI Rifle Range.

The 16 sharpshooters posting the best scores of the evening will compete in the team's*

> After Parade A jazz concert by the Southern Collegians will immediately follow the torchlight parade Friday night at the Sigma Nu House. The BYOL party is sponsored by the Student by the Student War Memorial

War Memorial Scholarship Fund Scholarship Fund Committee. The SWMSFC and the General's Junkin Paintings Fund Committee will jointly sponsor a Homecomings Dance on Sat- Available for Rental urday night. Admission is \$1.50 per couple and will be held in the gym

day is 50 cents and set-ups will man Jr. be sold. Pledges from the "13" serving positions, along with taking the admission tickets.

rangements for the party on Friday 64. night are: Dean Guy, president of

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Game To Climax Weekend Activity

Homecomings will come to a climax Saturday at 2p.m. with the annual classic between the archrival "Wahoos and Minks." If post-war meetings on Wilson field between the two teams can be taken as an example, the game Saturday may

Torch Parade

Approved by

Local Officials

Warn Against Careless

Handling of Torches

in getting a permit for Friday's

cheduled torchlight parade from

The officials were skeptical about

granting permission for the tra-

Weaver said that Lexington of-

A trophy will be awarded to the

fraternity which exhibits the most

The parade route is as follows:

Leave the gym after the pep rally.

right on Lee Ave., to Nelson, left

at Nelson to Main, left at Main

to Henry. Torches will be deposit-

ed in the Red Square parking lot.

Shanley's band will be featured in

a jazz concert at the Sigma Nu

house. The concert is sponsored

spirit at the rally and game.

Lexington Town officials.

be a walkaway for either squad. Recent Lexington contests involving the two teams have seen margins of victory ranging from four to five touchdowns.

The Cavaliers and the Generals have met twice on Wilson field since 1948 with the honors equally divided. The 1948 game, like the upcoming contest, predicted to be a close tilt, resulted in a 41-6 decision for Virginia as Johhny Papit ran wild. W&L cheeleaders have succeeded

General Triumph

The next appearance at W&L for the Wahoos was in 1951. That game, too, loomed as a nip and tuck battle, with Virginia slightly favored.

ditional pre-Homecomings event The result was a one-sided 42-14 because of damage caused by the triumph for the Generals as Gil pajama-clad freshmen last year. Bocetti and Bob Thomas led the Several trash cans on Main St. were set on fire by the paraders

Neither W&L nor Virginia has who then deposited their torches had a winning season this Fall. on Main St. in front of the Robert The Generals have two victories E. Lee endangering several autoand the Cavaliers one.

Both teams will put forth a spirited fight in an attempt to salvage something from the 1953 season. The Generals, fresh from a 34-7 triumph over Davidson will have the edge on the offense, while Virginia's defensive strength is superior to W&L's.

According to R. A. "Cap'n Dick" Smith, ticket sales have dropped off due to the recent losses to George Washington University and University of Richmond. The one thousand seats sent to U.Va. are being sold at a pretty good pace. At this time the UVa. students have bought about 300 Following the parade Brian seats.

Of the 3,000 or 4,000 tickets left for sale on Saturday, some are available between the 40- and 50yard lines, but most of them are between the 20-30-yard line.

10,000 Expected

pected about ten thousand people

to be in Lexington for Homecom-

ing and added, "neither team has

done much in the way of winning

be a pretty even contest." He add-

ed, "anything can happen; just

like the last win over Virginia

At 1:50 p.m. before the game on

show will be followed by the W&L

band entering the field from the

"Cap'n Dick" said that he ex-

Additions to the library's colfrom 9 to 12:00 p.m. Cokes and lections of rental pictures and games this season and it should other soft drinks will be available. rental records were announced to-Admission to the concert on Fri- day by Librarian Henry E. Cole-

With the recent addition of one 42-14, that went unpredicted." Club will work at the concert in of Dr. Marion Junkin's watercolors painted in Maine last sum- Saturday, the 36-piece band from mer, the Library's collection of the University of Virginia will give Heading the committee of ar- rental pictures was increased to a demonstration. The five minute

the SWMSFC; Carl Swanson, pres- its collection of long playing phon- bridge. The band, followed by the ident of the "13" Club; and Ben ograph records. Among the titles Gaines Guard, W&L's ROTC pre-Benjamin, president of Sigma Nu. recently acquired are Beethoven's cision drill platoon, will stop under

The Library now has 29 items in

The Southern Collegians have Symphony No. 3, Handel's Water the goal on the east side of the (Continued on page four) field. The drill team will continue along the grandstand side of Wilson field where they will meet English Professor, Hit by Piano Key, President Gaines on the 50-yard

On the quiet campus of Kentucky Wesleyan at Owensboro, Professor John W. Parker, Ph.D., thoroughly satisfying and often is head of the English department. But in the W&L gymnasium on The largest offering is in the way Thursday night, Nov. 12, at 7:45 he will be "Knocky" Parker, wellknown jazz pianist.

specialty, "The Development of him from the original ragtimer. Scott Joplin, and the New Orleans of Jelly Roll Morton to the Tin York's Stuyvesant Casino. Pan Alley of Duke Ellington and Joe Sullivan.

The man who leads such a curious double life is supposed to have gotten his nickname at the age of four when a hammer from the piano on which he was pounding flew out and hit him in the eye. Undaunted, he kept on teaching himself from records and piano rolls until at 10 he was wowing camp meetings near his father's farm at Palmer, Tex.

Cowboy Band

After a spell with a cowboy

band, "Knocky" eared a bachelor's degree in music at Texas Christian, playing jazz in the meantime. In the air force during the war, he piloted a piano for the armed forces radio network.

Following the war "Knocky" combined a master's degree in English at the University of South-Brought here by the concert ern California with playing the guild, Parker will "knock" out his jazz bands of Albert Nichols and Zutty Singleton in Los Angeles. Jazz Piano," a program that takes The same arrangement put him through his doctorate at Columbia, where he was featured in New

At Kentucky Wesleyan for the past four years, Parker has been spending his summers and weekends on the jazz circuit. His appearance on Oct. 16 and 17 in Cincinnati inspired the newspaper headline, "Doctor 'Knocky' Parker Knocks 'Em Dead on 88.'

Parker's Thursday night concert will follow the pattern of his recent long playing album called "The History of Jazz." Another recent Simeon won enthusiastic notices thing entirely new. in The Record Changer,

To Play Here as 'Knocky' Parker Col. Richard W. Jones, Professor of Military Science and Tactics at W&L, will present the blue and white silk guidon to Cadet Lt. Col. Bob Bradford, commander of the

Two Bands Play

President Gaines, joined by Lt.

Both bands will take their posts under the east goal posts and together play the Star Spangled Banner. The special ROTC Color Guard will raise the flag on the pole adjoining Wlson Feld.

Halftime at the football game will be another added feature of the day's entertainment with both bands on the march. The Civil War will be refought by the band from W&L. The ROTC band demonstration has promised to be a most unusual exhibition. The bands will be followed by a tug of war between the new pledges of PiAlpha Nu and the White Friars.

"Pledges of the '13' Club will put on a stunt at half time that has never been tried at W&L before,' said Carl Swanson, president of the "13." "Some other schools have tried the experiment with some cutting with clarientist Omar success, but here it will be some-

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Gaines Guard - A Symbol

W&L's new crack precision drill team will be officially christened the "Gaines Guard" this weekend. The ceremony will take place at Wilson Field before hundreds of students and returning alumni when Dr. Francis P. Gaines presents the unit with a new guidon.

But, the ceremony will mark more than simply the debut of another student organization. The unit will mean more than just an added drill group. And, the unit's contribution to the school will run deeper than that "for show."

The guard's inauguration is significient in tht it marks another step-and a big one-in the maturng of the Reserve Offiers Training Corps here at Washington and Lee. After Memorial Hospital. two centuries of traditional non-military atmosphere, those who questioned how far the program would get were not few. Yet, to the observer today, W&L appears to have absorbed the militarization with grace and traditional dignity.

The program now enrolls in the neighborhood of 500 students-approximately half of the entire student body. Last spring the first Washington and Lee students received their commissions. While the ROTC has contributed to individual development through drill and classroom instructions, it has also enriched campus life life through such organizations as the ROTC band, the rifle team and Scabbard and Blade. The program has even been a boom for model railroad fans.

The drill team, theoretically a sample of the best in ROTC, will also participate in campus activity and represent the school Council TODAY! at events throughout the state, as well as contribute to the ROTC here.

So, as the Gaines Guard is christened Saturday, it will be a visual symbol to the Homecomings crowd of the almost phenominal development of ROTC during its little more than Holder has announced the follow- tifled to a certain extent. two years on the campus. It is significant also, that the drill unit's name should honor one of the men who has done so much to facilitate the program's growth.

Mute Freshmen

To walk across the campus this year you'd think that the majority of the freshman class was either tongue-tied or completely dumb. It may be that some of them can speak-we really don't know since so few of them ever take the trouble to

Assimilation rules clearly state that freshmen must speak, and speak first, to everyone they meet on campus. Yet the 1953 version of Freddie Freshman never speaks first, and only occasionally does he condescend to respond to a greeing.

The speaking tradition is one of the finest we have at Washington and Lee. We'd rank it in importance above conventional dress and just below the Honor System. If we have to assimilate the entire freshman class to preserve this tradition,

If freshmen continually fail to speak the blame rests primarily on the upperclassmen who fail to turn in cards for infractions of the assimilation rules.

The next time Freddie Freshman walks by without speaking, turn him in! A few yellow beanies will probably go far toward loosening the vocal cords of the freshman class!

Minks of Yesteryear

A large number of bald, fortish men accompanied by their entourage of wives and children will begin arriving in Lexington Friday night and Saturday. These men are known collectively as "businessmen seeking relaxation" or "alumni returning for the big weekend."

Whether they find the relaxation they are seeking, or whether the weekend is a big one or not will depend on the "kids" currently enrolled in the old alma mater.

The natural tendency on a weekend such as Homecomings is to ignore any strangers who happen to wander into a fraternity party. If the old grad is so snubbed he will feel old Virginia Humanities Group beyond his years his weekend will be a miserable one.

If, on the other hand, the brothers at his old fraternity slip him the grip, slap him on the back, and talk over old times with him, he'll leave Lexington feeling that he's 20 again.

It will take only a little time to make the alumni feel at College, home this weekend—yet it will mean so much to them.

Thought for the weekend-Someday you will be bald, fortish, and returning for Homecomings.

At a Loss

Crusade Against **Sunday Chimes** Inaugurated

By KENNY and SWANSON

Fletcher Lowe, Boy Fabian, wants the intellectual reading public to know that "Lowe and Associates" are still in operation

THE ABOVE WAS A PAID POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

AT A LOSS offers to publish any of Mr. Lowe's unusual activities, excluding the switching of Dance Set dates.

NOTE: "Fletch" has realized his lifetime ambition in getting Ray Anthony to Fancy Dress, at the expense of sharing the Set with "Lavish Lilly and her Laughing Lithuanians." Buddy Morrow, oming to us from a six months tay at the Peon's Plaza in Dry Prong, Louisiana, gave a live demenstration of how a 78 rpm record sounds at 33 1/3 rpm.

At least there were no orchards to throw to the band!

Dick Busch would like to be mentioned in connection with the Calyx. His admiring staff welcomes his return from Jackson Charity Dave Collins:

Dave Comegys would not like to be mentioned in connection with either the Band or Glee

Harold Brooks was last seen Sunday night shooting bus drivers n McCrum's

FRESHMEN: Is your key chain onspicuously empty? Do you belong to the ODK or Who's Who? Are you desirous of becoming a Political Reformer? BE A CAMPUS offered in a city such as New York. LEADER! Join the Christian

ing guest list: The "Hig" Felix, 'Jolly Olly," "Creepy," and Mr. J. F. Dulles, prominent leader in Washington society—a smoker of Herbert Tareytons. E. S. Mattingly will pick up the CHECK.

CRUSADE OF THE WEEK: We would like to do away with the actual ringing of the Lee Chapel Bells every 15 minutes. This undue strain is liable to mar the beauty and impair the longevity of this kind gift. We're sure they couldn't last another 300 years at the current pace to which they are being subjected.

This crusade has not been started without the thought of ample replacement to assure the quarter hourly interruption of an otherwise placid and peaceful Sabbath in the Great Valley of Virginia.

- 1. Paul Maslansky has offered to sound taps every 15 minutes from the Chapel spire.
- 2. The Lexington Town Fathers have offered the use of the familiar noon-day siren to be sounded every 15 minutes.
- 3 3. Bill Criminale has offered to sing arias from Pagaliacca or Treviata on the quarter hour.

The above crusade is in no way connected mit der Kounsel Kris-

Fried Hoogenboom and Smoked Edmonds are not on the menu today-not even at Co-op prices.

VISION OF THE WEEK: Mr. Williams of Math Fame and Sponsor of the Dean's Other List, teaching the boys "sans chalk" attired in Harriss Tweed.

Dr. Myers Addresses

Dr. Edward D. Myers, professor of philosopry, led a symposium and panel discussion at the fifth annual meeting of the Virginia Humanities Conference at Lynchburg

Dr. Myers is chairman of the sponsibilities of the Humanist to something

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"I promised you could play during th' last half an' I want you to know I'm a man of my word.'

Cultural Offerings of Lexington Found Meager But Worthwhile

Often I hear someone complain- | might even enjoy it. Actually most ing about cultural isolation of the of these functions are designed Washington and Lee student in for your enjoyment, and benefits relation to students of other insti- are reaped when you become intutions more conveniently situated creasingly familiar with more auin or near cultural centers. I my- thors, composers, philosophers, and contest between the "Gaines self in this column have deplored playwrights, and their ideas about, Guard" and the "Colgate Darden this lack and looked forward to and interpretations of life vacation time when I could enjoy the plays, concerts, and lectures

and lectures is inhibited mostly because of our small size and geographic location. For most of the fit and enjoyment. I think it's time PARTY OF THE WEEK: Invita- events in the art world we have to tions have been issued to a select travel to Richmond or Washing- out and support and attend the few to attend an informal soirce ton a discouraging problem to functions of these active groups. to be held at Lily's Lunch. Dutch face. Perhaps these gripes are jus-

> NEVERTHELESS many efforts are made within the University and local groups to supplement this lack of cultural stimuli. And one thing that annoys and embarrasses me is the fact that when cer- public relations office, will appear tain groups, whether student or for the first time this year tomorlocal, work to bring these lectures row. not even interested enough to attend.

Last Tuesday night the combined glee clubs of Mary Baldwin Hoogenboom: and Washington and Lee presented here at W&L-after what must have been long and difficult work-Kurt Weill's folk opera, Down in the Valley. Minks were outnumbered by faculty and townspeople about 10 to one, and at one point before the lights came up, the glee clubs threatended to outnumber the audience.

THIS IS ridiculous. And it happens time and time again. Whether it be a play presented by the Troubadours, a guest lecturer brought by the Student Seminar Committee, a concert artist by the Concert Guild or the Rockbridge Theater Concert Series, or an art exhibition, most W&L students are oblivious to and apathetic towards these presentations which the various groups have endeavored to bring to W&L.

I cannot understand this gross apathy which, by the way, extends itself nto only in such things as concerts and lectures, but also in sports and university activities. Surely in most cases it is not a question of the price of admission if admission is charged at all; and if it is, the average Mink could sacrifice one or two of the three of four show teams he hits per

IF IT IS a question of shying

certs and lectures is the easiest You don't have to read anything. do is sit down and listen. Who group that will discuss "The Re- knows? By chance you may learn

Actually, as matter of fact, you ing of consciences suggested to pledges.

This year more and more things are being planned by the Troubadours, the Seminar Committee, the Actually our volume of concerts Concert Guild, the Glee Club and other student organizations. These things are planned for your beneto shake off this apathy and get After all, it's all a part of our liberal education.

'Big Wheel' Out Tomorrow

The first issue of The Big Wheel. publication of the W&L ROTC

The four-page newspaper will be

Generoddities

by Dick Bibler

Assimilation Boys Rule On Mask Wearing

AFTERTHOUGHTS on long

Buddy Marrow's Band-Inspriration for that famous quiz program-Stop the Music.

Since the idea of masks for one of the dances was so universally acclaimed by all attending-the Dance Board has decided to make mask wearing traditional at all future dances.

THE ASSIMILATION committee has requested us to announce their newest edict: any student seen wearing a mask other than an official dance weekend can and will be assimilated

Mr. Mattingly, along with the able carpentry work of Dr. Feddeman, has erected a wooden fence in front of the Student Union Building. In keeping with Mattingly tradition, the fence has been paint-

The Co-op-the only place I've ever seen mice eat Tums.

BOQUET OF THE WEEK: To the W&L football team-for obvious reasons.

Half-time ceremonies at the

Homecomings game have been an-

nounced to include a tug-of-war Guard.' VISION OF THE WEEK: Board

of Trustees fondly looking over the plans of the new Fine Arts Build-

WHAT EVER HAPPENED TO:

The official class ring? Dick Denny? Unlimited cuts for the entire student body? Rex Criminales? "Thunderbay"? The quarter beer? The Gauley Bridge Hunt Club? The tap room? Glenn Scott's novel? The glass milk bottle? The white parlay cards? This column?

distributed in all ROTC classes. BEAT THE FINGER PAINTERS!

Columnist Asks for Facts, Figures About Finances of R-t P, Athletics

Enough of animals . . flattering that such an August Personage even noticed the bird.

AS MUCH AS I enjoyed the editorial, it brought to mind a little idea. Why not get rid of editorials in the Ring-tum Phi, and convert the space saved into advertising, thus serving a double purpose: stop boring the readership, and use the additional revenue to finance The Ring-tum Phi, saving us from these semi-annual pleas for money.

Speaking of money, there has been a nasty rumor floating around that The Ring-tum Phi editor(s) get a salary. Since the students are, in a manner of speaking, stockholders, they should know what the editor makes, if he does. Anyway the whole business should be made clear, if just to stop these nasty rumors.

I HAD THE dubious pleasure, away from "that arty stuff," then during the last football game, of Until next week, "Hang by your Mr. Mink is defeating the purpose sitting next to one of those of his liberal education. I am not "bleacher quarterbacks." It seems recommending that every W&L that he knew how every play student become a Culture Vulture, should have been run, and what but nevertheless, I think he is plays should have been run instead. cheating himself by excluding these I suppose that is the privilege of functions from his college activity. everyone who attends a football In reality, attending these con- game. However, the strange part was that he didn't seem to want possible way to learn something. to cheer, I would have thought he was deaf and dumb if I hadn't You don't even have to exert your heard him tell his date what he frail physiques. All you have to would have done had he been in

The Ring-tum Phi, why dosen't At this point I should like to the athletic department let us in thank the editor of the Friday on the facts of football life. It has Ring-tum Phi for devoting one been rumored that we are to play entire editorial on my little venture Pennsylvania next year. It has into the realm of zoology. It is too also been rumored that we are to receive an extra-ordinarily large sum for doing this

One is led to believe that we also received goodly sum for playing Maryland, etc. Where does this money go? Football scholarships? I don't think so. One would suppose that a few more scholarships would be necessary to play such teams as Penn. Or is the athletic department masochistic?

Homecomings

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Fred Baer is to act as starter of the race and then jump on the mule which will also be ridden by Jim Reeder. The latter two will make up team one, on Gerties, the mule, who won the Lexington stakes last year. Jerry Stone, Leroy Simpkins, and Fred Easter will be the second team, riding Francis, who quit talking last week. Team three made up of Bob Fishburn, Bob Cullers, and Doug Monroe will be on Borax of Death Valley, Joe Pontias, Lucky Denu, and Tony Gerike will make up team four on Randolph, who is from the subversive Santa Claus Squad.

No other details as to the course or length of the mule run were available at this time. It was reported that the members of the '13" Club were discussing training Along with the general unload- and cleaning techniques for their

Blue Tops Davidson, 34-7 As Five Divide Scoring

Three scores in the first quarter, one in the second and one in the third periods finally put Washington and Lee back in the win column for the first time in six weeks, as the Blue and White rolled to a 34 to 7 victory over Davidson Saturday in Winston-Salem.

Halfbacks Eddie Landis, Carl Bolt, and Billy Sargent, and Fullback Walt Degree produced he tallies on the ground while a 60-yard toss from quarterback Joe Lindsey to End Harold Sturgill accounted for the final marker. The Wildcats lone touchdown came in the final seconds of the game with Fullback Frank Broughton scooting 11 yards for the score.

The Generals were off to a flying start as they took the opening kickoff and marched 70 yards to a score. With only 2:35 minutes elasped Landis spun off left tackle, cut back to the right and outmaneuvered the secondary to go 47 yards for the first tally. Harold Brooks converted for the addi-

Shortly after the kickoff the Big Blue again had their hands on the ball and this time swept 58 yards in five plays to score. Bolt led off with a 39yard end run and seconds later covered the final yards for the second Blue and White score.

Davidson was only able to pick up two first downs before Barcellona intercepted a Henry Brown pass on his own 34 and scampered to the Davidson 30. From there it took only three plays. Bill Sargent ripped off 11 yards, and Barcellona followed with nine more. On the next play Sargent again the six pointer as the quarter ended.

Early in the second period Washington and Lee came up with their fourth tally of the afternoon as they moved 59 yards on three plays. Flanders broke loose for 42 yards to open the drive and immediately following Walt Degree scooted 16 more, to the one. Degree carried over for the remaining yard and this time Lindsey converted.

Davidson Attack Stalls

Taking the second half kickoff the Davidson eleven moved 55 yards to the General 15 before their attack stalled. The Blue and White quickly moved out of the vicinity of their own goal line as Lindsey pitched a long pass to Sturgill who grabbed it on the 35 and breezed over for the final W&L marker.

Davidson's only 6 pointer came in the last 13 seconds of the ball game when Fullback Hambrick stole the ball from Sargent deep in the General territory. Fullback Broughton scampered the 11 yards for the score.

Conrad Flanders, Warren Moody, Cy Barcellona, and Fred Benham, although not scoring, were major ground gainers in the Washington and Lee attack.

The General defense led by the sparkling play of Captain Bill McHenry held the Wildcat runners to a mere 134 yards while the Blue and White offense piled up a 307 yard total on the ground. In the air, however, the Davidson eleven chalked up 122 to 85 yards for the Generals, completing 11 of 26

To Meet Duke

For Opener By HENRY MORGAN

Prospects for the 1953-54 wrestling season look bright for the Generals, who lost only two men from last year's squad, Captain Bob Maccubbin and Fred Staunton.

team are seniors Chuck Rauh, win- Becker in the end zone. ner of last year's Mathis award for the wrestler who contributed most to the team, and Jack Sites.

things are expected of McSpadden, for a safety who last year was undefeated in the regular season and went to the finals of the Southern Con-

Coach Dick Miller is looking for men to fill the gaps in the 167and 177-lb. classes. Bill Northrop, another soph, has been wrestling well and might get the call in the 167-lb. division. With the good work being put in by sophomore be a coming power in the wrestling

Games for Football Contest Includes W&L-UVa. Score

Games for this week's Chesterfield football prediction contest are listed below. Entries in the contest must predict the result of the games given below as well as the score of the W&L-UVa. game. All entries must be on the back of a Chesterfield wrapper and must be turned in At Doc's before noon Saturday.

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the beginning of the bowling sea- Chi 3, KA 1. son featuring the activity.

There were three playoff games last week and more scheduled for Roanoke Drubs this week. SAE defeated Phi Gam 14-0. An intercepted pass score Returning for their year on the came when Dawson passed to

In the final playoff game of the week Phi Phis defeated the Phi Delts 6-2. Phi Psi scored on a pass Gibby McSpadden, John Ellis, play early in the game, No more and Sid Kaplan, all sophomore scoring came until the last play lettermen, give W&L experience in of the game when the Phi Delts the lower weight classes. Great trapped a Phi Psi in the end zone

West Leads DU

ference tournament. Gibby receiv- opened up this week. Delta Upsilon for third in 16:02. ed the trophy as the outstanding won its first match against KA, 3-1. freshman wrestler. Carter Werth, The victors had one team game of who lettered in the 130-lb. class as 835. Don West had the top avera freshman, is ineligable this sea- age for DU with 167. Bill Albers had the high game, 194.

SAE had litle trouble in crushing Beta, 4-0. Smith of SAE had the highest total score, 502. SAE had a total score of 2335 against Beta's

Phi Gams Win Two

Phi Gamma Delta won two grapplers, the Generals appear to matches. First they beat Lambda Chi, 3-1, then triumphed over the Delts by the same score. The Delts, however, beat ZBT, 4-0, to even up their record.

Other bowling scores-Delts 3. Phi Kap 1: Phi Kap 4, Phi Psi



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Last week was an active one for 0; Sigma Nu 4; Pi Kapp 0; C.C. 4. the intramural program with the Faculty 0; Kappa Sig 4, Sigma playoffs of the football league and Chi 0; PEP 4. Pho Delts 0; Sigma

Washington and Lee couldn't find a man to cope with speedy Les Noel of Roanoke College and went down to a close defeat at the hands of the Maroons, 25-30, on Saturday at Salem

Walt Diggs finished second for the Generals, 19 seconds behind Noel, who toured the short threemile course in 15:29. Bennie Irvine Bowling with its special season, and Bruce Pariss of Roanoke tied

For W&L Keith Belch was 5th. (Continued on page four)

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slate for the 1953-54 edition of Washington and Lee's basketball By NED GROVE

The first of eight games to be season brings together the Generals and the University of Virginia on December 17. This is the only home game before the holidays. Aside from the sparse local card, three games will be played in Lynchburg.

All the games are scheduled give the Blue and White most Baby Spiders. trouble are Maryland, West Virginia, GW, and Richmond.

Most of the names on this year's schedule are familiar. Schools which did not appear on the slate last year are The Citadel, Davidson, Hampden-Sydney, Lynchburg, Wake Forest and Bridgewater.

Expected to be leading the Generals this year are: Bob Pfaff, Dick Skolink, Captain Jim Rich, Stu Atkinson, and Butch Calloway. All five received their letters last season.

The Schedule:

December 5, Bridgewater at Harrisonburg; Dec. 8; Lynchburg at Lynchburg: Dec. 10, Roanoke at Roanoke (American Legion Building); Dec. 12, West Virginia University at Fayetteville, W. Va.; Dec. 15, Hampden-Sydney at Lynchburg; Dec. 17. University of Virginia at home; Dec 19, Wake Forest at Winston-Salem, N. C.

Jan. 8, Richmond at home; Jan. 11. George Washington at home; Jan. 14, VPI at Blacksburg: Jan. 16, Davidson at Home.

February 2, North Carolina at Lynchburg; Feb. 4, Maryland at Home; Feb. 6, William and Mary, at home; Feb. 11, University of Maryland at College Park: Feb. 12, George Washington at Washington; Feb. 16, Virginia at Charlottesville; Feb. 19, William and Mary at Williamsburg: Feb. Richmond at Richmond; Feb. 23, Citadel at home; Feb. 24, VPI at home; Feb. 27, West Virginia at Morgantown.

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football team closed out the season played in the VMI fieldhouse this with an 18-7 victory over the University of Richmond frosh played in the midst of a driving snow storm here Friday.

The win gave the Baby Generals year with previous victories over the Emory and Henry freshmen. either with state schools or present The two defeats were suffered at and former Southern Conference the hands of the Virginia year- terback Sickles tossed deep to halfmembers. The teams expected to lings and an earlier loss to the back Scales who scooted over for

Penalty Hurts

On the first play from scrimmage Hawkins fumbled for Richmond and Pete Tkac recovered for the Generals. A first down for W&L moved the ball to the Spiders' 16, but a 15-yard penalty for illegal use of hands stalled the Blue and White offense.

Before the close of the first quarter Herb Sickles completed pass to Vince Moore on the Richmond 22. On the following play Sickles' pass to Moore bounced off the intended receiver's shoulder into the arms of Tkac who fell on the one-half-yard line as the quarter ended. Two plays later Sickles pushed the ball over for the score on a quarterback sneak. The attempted conversion by Jim Vaughn failed.

Sickles Intercepts

After receiving the kickoff, the Spiders rolled for a first down but were stopped again when Sickles intercepted a pass on his own 22-yard line. With Joe Scales carrying on the option play, the Generals began a 78-yard drive which was climaxed by a score midway through the second period. Scales went to the 17, and a pass play

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from Sickles to Herb Canfield mov-Washington and Lee's freshman ed the ball to the Richmond 2. Scales scored on the next play, but the try for the extra point failed.

As the third quarter opened both teams battled back and forth exchanging punts and each recovering a fumble to no avail. Minutes a three and two record for the later Richmond fumbled again, this time on their own 40, and again Hargrave Military Academy and the Generals recovered. Two plays later the Baby Generals had their third TD of the afternoon as quarthe tally. The conversion was not successful and Washington and Lee led 18-0.

Early in the fourth quarter the Generals were again knocking on touchdown door. A pass from Sickles to Canfield carried the ball to the 15. There two tries on the ground proved unsuccessful, and on fourth down Sickles again attempted to pass only to have it knocked down in the end-zone.

Richmond Talleys Richmond took over on the 9, and two passes later had their first and only score of the day. A Clark to Riggs pass put the ball on the 25-yard stripe for first down, and then Clark again faded to pass, spotting Hawkins in the open on the 50 for the tally. The point after touchdown was successful as Clark passed to Pazinko in the end zone.

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Scott Reviews Art Exhibit

vides a fascinating thrill at the Burial," (No. 1)-a Mexican scene quiet, pleasant witchery of night, which . I felt, was imperfectly un- Bob water and Maine islands.

"The Birds and Us," (No. 6) is or "Rainy Day, Maine," two painta delightful expression of the joy- ings which have not been hung, ful time of year which a familiy would have been happier choices. can share together in one of the summer colonies. The colors are al- would be injudicious and unnecestogether gay, and the painting sary, for most persons wish to possesses warmth and happiness test their own attitudes. But I hope and a great tenderness. "Pink and enough has been said to indicate Grey Afternoon," (No. 2) is some- that a stimulating experience what in this vein, but of a more awaits everyone who ventures into sober tone than the verdant fantasy found in the other.

Landscapes

"The Shenandoah, (No. 13) "The Plans Meeting Tonight Blue Mountains," (No. 18) "Squirrel Point" (No. 11) are inviting landscapes; the last imparts the tension felt on sensing the crawl fire club ammunition with governand tug of seablown grass, clinging to a hillside, and contrasted against a placid, clear sky.

Perhaps the least successful member of the collection is "The

Newly Formed Rifle Club (Continued from page one)

the upper hall of the library.

7 p.m. in the VMI range, members ment owned target rifles. The first Tuesday of each month the club will meet in the basement of Mc- Phi in the basement of the Bean-Cormick Library for the showing ery of sports films and instruction in correct rifle procedure. Dues are "Red" Sisley, Beanery manager, \$1 per month, and any Washington and Lee student is eligible to join the organization.

The new club has no connection with the ROTC rifle team, nor with the ROTC unit, although rifle team members can participate in club matches.

Club president Shehan said he thought the organization fulfilled a long need of the University. giving those interested in hunting fishing and gunnery, a opportunity to express themselves and enjoy their hobbies. He issued an invitation to all interested students to attend any Tuesday night meeting or to contact any of the officers for desired information.

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Roanoke College Downs W&L Cross-Country

(Continued from page three)

7th, and Tom Callaham 8th. derstood. Either "White Sails"

> Walt Diggs captured first place in the Big Six cross-country meet in Richmond yesterday, covering the 3.7-mile course in 19min., 39 sec. W&L placed second in the meet.

White finishers, pulled a leg muscle remains to be seen. and was unable to finish the race.

R-t P Office Space Promised

Office space has been assigned the editoral staffs of The Ring-tum

The office, formerly used by will be completely remodeled.

Wrestling Sc	neame
Dec. 12-Duke	Durham
Dec. 17-F. and M.	Lexington
Jan. 11-VPI	Lexington
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PAN, Friars Begin Initiation

Wood 6th, Watty Bowes The General harriers might initiates from each house partici- Friars. have had a chance of winning the pating in each. The "doings" will meet had not Walt Henes met with last for a week, ending the after-To comment upon every picture disaster. Henes, who usually places noon of the Homecomings game with Virginia, but the high point will come with a party, jointly sponsored by the two groups which will be held Friday afternoon.

> The party will be held this year at the PiKA house, something new in its history. It has not yet been decided what to serve, and whether fairly high among the Blue and it will be just set-up or drinks

Plans for activities other than ing" Friday night after the torch- facilitate the rental of pictures. light parade, when the new initiates will have their collection of signatures checked for authenticity. Due consideration for any forgery or other false signatures will be made at that time.

Additional PANs named since Friday are Beta, John Fangboner and Andy Dalton; PiKA, Don

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sophomore honorary societies on Tom Salisbury and Stu Atkinson. W&L campus since their organizacampus, White Friars and Pi Al- Peter Jacobs, of PEP, has also tion in September of 1950. Besides pha Nu, began yesterday with two just been selected for White director Brian Shanley playing

Painting Rental (Continued from page one)

Music Suite, Braham's Symphony No. 1, and ballet music by Massenet. Gounod, and others.

Pictures, which rent for 30 cents per calendar month, may be checked out or renewed the first of each month from the Library office on the second floor. Records, which rent for 10 cents for four days, may be checked out at anythe party are vague for both or- time from the loan desk. The stuganizations, but PAN has decid- dent committee of the Friends of ed to have a so-called "wood meet- the Library will be available to

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Jazz Concert (Continued from page one)

Initiation procedures for the two Rockel and Bruce Busesen; Phi Psi, appeared at many parties on the the clarinet, the band members include: Steve Schlossman, piano; Paul Maslansky, cornet; Rud Abbott, trombone; George Young guitar; and Dave Willard, drums

In addition to Dixieland music the band furnishes dance music and last week played at Madison College in Harrisonburg for the Harvest Moon Prom. They will play dance jobs for the Phi Gams and Miami Triads in December.

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