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TECH SATURDAY THEN  
MARYLAND AND FLORIDA  
BEFORE THE SEASON ENDS

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BY THE STUDENTS, FOR THE UNIVERSITY

**The Generals**  
WILL NEED EVERY STU-  
DENT'S UTMOST SUPPORT TO  
WIN SATURDAY.

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## Plans Complete Homecoming Day Saturday

Alumni Will Be Entertained  
At Buffett Luncheon and  
Informal Supper

SATURDAY NIGHT  
INFORMAL IN GYM

Alumni Business Meeting  
Saturday Morning At  
10 O'Clock

The biggest day in Lexington this fall is not far off! Homecoming day is Saturday! Then the crowds of students and former students will crowd Wilson field for the V. P. I. game. Their combined cheers will fill the air as the "Big Blue" battles the cadets in an effort to redeem last year's defeat.

At night the alumni and students will celebrate at the dance in Doremus gymnasium, where in the company of fair ladies from far and near, they will "trip the gymnasium, to music furnished light fantastic" on the floor of the "gym" by the far-famed Southern Collegians.

The visiting alumni are invited to sit in on any classes they may desire to. They may hear again the old jokes of their old professors and possibly learn a few new ones from the more recent additions to the faculty. This will give the former students a chance to see how the present students are getting educated, and it is hoped that many will take advantage of the opportunity.

Besides re-visiting classes the alumni will be expected around at the fraternity houses, where stories of old times and renewals of old friendships should make the time pass too swiftly.

Alumni Meeting Saturday

The annual business session of the Alumni Association, Inc., will start at ten Saturday morning in the Lee chapel, presided over by Judge E. C. Caffrey, '09. Important business is to be brought up for discussion includes; the alumni petition for the privilege of electing eight associate members to the University Board of Trustees; the election of two trustees to the Alumni, Inc., board; the framing of a formal resolution upon the retirement of President Henry Louis Smith. Every former student of Washington and Lee is entitled to attend and vote in this meeting.

Alumni will register in the Alumni building Friday and Saturday where identification badges and game tickets will be distributed and lodging accommodations will be arranged in private homes in Lexington for the alumni. The club rooms in the building will be open day and night.

At 12:30 P. M., a buffet luncheon will be served to alumni in the Alumni building by the University, and at 7:00 P. M. an informal supper will be served in the University Dining Hall for the alumni and their families.

## Hampden-Sidney Y. M. C. A. Men Visit University

A deputation of five men from the Hampton-Sidney Young Men's Christian Association visited Washington and Lee on Monday, in response to an invitation sent them some time ago by C. H. Patterson, Y. M. C. A. secretary.

At a round table discussion held Monday night in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Dick Gaffin, president of the visiting organization, explained the versatility of its activities. He said the group maintains a colored Sunday school, a missionary in Africa—the "Tiger Mission"—and conducts services in three churches in the vicinity of the college.

More than twenty students attended this meeting. Mr. Patterson expects to effect a similar relationship with the organizations at V. P. I. and Virginia, and urges that more students attend these forthcoming meetings.

## Wilson Field Being Enlarged

The total seating capacity of Wilson Field for Homecoming game next Saturday will be 6,614. There are six sections of 289 seats each in the permanent stands. On the opposite side of the field the temporary bleachers will be placed which hold 3,760 people. Seats will be placed at the ends of the field which can accommodate 1200 spectators.

## Ribbon Society Goats to Begin Shines Monday

The "goats" to the Ribbon Societies, White Friars, and Pi Alpha Nu, were given their instructions at meetings held in Newcomb Hall last night. They will appear in their hats and begin their shines next Monday, according to P. D. Beville president of the White Friars.

The White Frail "goats" will wear green ribbons and a green sailor hat. They are to tip their hat on seeing an old man, and then "sound off." This consists in repeating the following piece as fast as possible: "My name is \_\_\_\_\_ I know not whence I come, nor whither I go, but fate has placed me in the hands of the White Friars, and may they please be merciful." While repeating this they must hold their hat at arm's length above their head. Telling the time is also one of their duties, and is done in this manner: "By the Carmelite hour glass it is now \_\_\_\_\_." Each day at eleven thirty the goats will "cukoo" in front of Washington College.

The P. A. N. "goats" are to wear red ribbons and red sailor hats. They will skip while on the campus, and will also "sound off" and tell the time but in a different manner. When asked to "sound off" they say these words: "Praise the great god Pan, my name is \_\_\_\_\_." And then tell the town, county, and state from which they come. Time is told in this manner: "Praise the great god Pan, it is now \_\_\_\_\_ and minutes thereafter."

Several firms were wired before the caps could be secured and this is the reason for the delay in formally pledging the men. The faculty would not grant the goats permission to "shine" at the Homecoming game.

## Grid Star Is Shot By Gang

John C. Archer, Northwestern grid star and Senior, was shot and dangerously wounded in a fight with gangsters following an automobile collision.

One of the bullets lodged in his spine causing what was thought to be a fatal injury. He was operated on immediately and it is thought that he might recover.

Pomona, Cal.—A street battle between the students of the Caffrey Union and Pomona Schools, which is held annually as an incident of their athletic rivalry, resulted in the death of one student and serious injuries to two others.

## First Issue of the Collegian To Be Released On November 23

The Southern Collegian will be out November 23, T. J. Sugrue, editor of the Collegian announced Tuesday. The first issue of this University periodical will contain many new features. Poems by Dr. Ben F. Sledd, an alumnus of Washington and Lee and now professor of English at Wake Forest college, North Carolina will have a prominent place in the coming issue. Prominent student contributors will be Tom Sugrue and R. P. Carter. A humorous section will be in the Collegian also. Outstanding recent books will be reviewed extensively in another section of the magazine.

The first issue of The Southern Collegian will contain 64 pages. The following three issues of the magazine are expected to be as large, if not larger. No cuts or

## Homecoming Chosen For Senior Day

Executive Committee Com-  
pletes Plans to Honor  
Upper Classes

SNAKE DANCE BETWEEN  
HALVES CLIMAX DAY

Luncheon To Be Given For  
Former Students and  
Seniors

Seniors in the three schools of the University will be honored along with the alumni Saturday, John Bell Towill, president of the student body announced last night.

Plans for Washington and Lee's first annual Senior Day have been completed by the executive committee and a request has been made to all members of the senior classes to co-operate in making the day a success.

Starting Saturday morning at 10:30 a meeting will be held in the Lee Chapel for visiting alumni. Seniors have been invited to attend. At this meeting the school colors and class numerals will be distributed. These insignia will be given the class of '29 and all classes below. Members will be asked to wear them during the remainder of the day.

Joint Luncheon  
Following the alumni meeting a luncheon for the seniors and alumni will be held in the Alumni building on Lee and Washington streets.

A snake dance between the halves of the V. P. I.—Washington and Lee football game will be the climax of the day. The alumni and seniors will join in this celebration.

A closer association between seniors and alumni, of which the former will become a part next June, is the object of Senior Day. Members of the executive committee have pointed out that there is no other day during the year when under-graduates have an opportunity to associate with the alumni except on Homecoming Day. Unless some step is taken to bring the two bodies together at that time it is practically impossible for them to become acquainted later when they all become alumni.

## Two Stores Sell Game Tickets

Tickets for the V. P. I. game Saturday will remain on sale at The Corner and McCrum's until 12 o'clock Saturday, Captain Dick Smith, graduate manager of athletics, stated this morning.

Afternoon Saturday the tickets will go on sale at 1 o'clock in the ticket booths before the gymnasium.

All students who do not get their tickets before the town sale ends can secure reserved seats at booths two and three. All complimentary reserved seats must be secured at these booths also.

The Wilson field gates will be opened at 1:30—an hour before the game. All green tickets will be for the bleacher side of the field and all red tickets will be for the stadium side.

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## "13" CLUB GOATS

Tom C. Atwood  
Richard D. Hamilton  
Harvey L. Williams Jr.  
Ernest M. Wood, Jr.  
William H. Hawkins  
Stanley F. Hampton  
Beverly J. Lambert Jr.  
Roby K. Sutherland  
William A. Plummer  
Albert Steves, III  
James H. Dornon  
Leland H. Logan  
J. Campbell Banks

## Alumni Meet In New York City; Campbell Talks

Over 100 Members of W. &  
L. Alumni are Present;  
Officers Elected

Dean Harry D. Campbell was the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Manhattan Alumni Association of Washington and Lee University in New York City last Friday evening. Over one hundred members of the alumni of the Eastern section were in attendance at this meeting. Mr. Harry Moran, '14 presided at the meeting and Mr. Reuben A. Lewis acted as toastmaster.

The association offered and passed resolutions of condolence and regret on the death of President W. O. Conrad of the class of 1903. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Pres., Hon. John W. Davis, '92, Vice-Pres., Dr. G. Bolling Lee, '92 and James A. Lee sec'y and treasurer.

Dean Campbell gave an interesting talk on "Wash. & Lee, Past, Present and Future." Other speakers were "Jogger" Elock, coach of the famous teams of 1914-17, who spoke on "Athletics at W. & L." and Mr. Verbon Kemp who told those present of the work of the Alumni association. The association passed resolutions to send telegrams to Dr. George Denny urging his acceptance of the Presidency of W&L and to E. A. Fitzpatrick Capt. of the football team which was at Princeton, wishing the team success in its battle against the Princeton "Tigers."

The meeting was especially well attended and enthusiasm ran high during the course of the evening, both old men and new members of the association joining in this. Much credit for the success of the meeting is due to signed his position with the Bell Telephone Laboratories to accept the position of assistant editorship of the "Chemical and Metallurgical Journal."

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Advise that girl immediately to change her "sailing date" so as to be on hand for the "Poor Richards" dance without fail!

## Generals Perfect New Tricks For Gobbler Meeting Saturday

Minks Set For Fancy Shagging To  
Collegians Fascinating Rhythm

It won't be long now! Everything is in readiness. That girl friend has been wired. The Southern Collegians are ready to provide fascinating rhythm, and the Minks are all set for some fancy shagging—at the Homecoming Informal to be held Saturday night in Doremus gymnasium.

The fair sex will soon be arriving from Hollins, Sweet Briar, and other institutions to gladden the hearts of the expectants, and to assure the success of the second informal of the year.

The Southern Collegians, Washington and Lee's famous orchestra will feature new dance hits—

chanting waltzes, "hot" tunes, and snappy fox trots to tickle the feet of the Minks.

Visitors and alumni must be vouched for by students before they will be admitted to the dance. Special voucher cards can be obtained at the Corner. mittee will be in effect as usual.

The rules of the Floor Com-Freshmen will also be required to wear the traditional green ties, and must leave the dance at eleven unless accompanied to the dance by a girl. This rule does not apply to freshmen who have been out for some athletic activity consistently for the past week.

## Cross Country Races On Tap For Saturday

Freshman Race Before Game  
Triangle Meet at  
Half

The Freshman and Varsity cross country state meet will be held here this Saturday. Teams representing Virginia, V. P. I., and Washington and Lee are entered to compete for the State Championship in both the varsity and freshman races.

The freshman race will be started about half an hour before the beginning of the "Homecoming" game with V. P. I. The varsity race will be run during the game, which will add much interest.

It is expected that the meet of the varsity teams will be unusually interesting. Virginia has lost to V. M. I., and V. P. I. lost to North Carolina. Our team has lost two meets but are expected to make a god showing this week. Coach Fletcher has not announced the lineup he will use. It is not known whether he will run the same men as he entered against Maryland or not.

Captain Ed Backus finished first in the meet with Maryland making the fastest time ever turned over that course. He made the six mile course in 29:34. This is faster time than Lane Howard, who ran undefeated.

## Various Reactions Recorded As Student Body Reviews Politics

Lexington, Shrine of the South, is now looking back a distance of a week at the holocaust. Hoover has been elected and the sun still rises, and the faces of the most ardent Democrats now look only hurt, when a week ago they were tragic.

One voice of the campus still assures us that, "Smith carried Alabama and Rockbridge county!" but for the most part the mid-semester have gripped the imaginations of the population. But it was a different affair when a week ago last night a humorist flashed on the screen: "Weep tears, The Yankees have carried Richmond!"

A Tearful Divorce  
And tears there were. And there were exultations. As one state after another filed its returns and as the news was transmitted to the audience, boos and cheers mingled in the darkened room. There were those who were contented enough to see the country go Republican, but Virginia's breaking away from her sisters was a serious matter—quite divorced from political expediency.

Three generations were complicated. The New Virginia looked ahead and the Old Virginia looked backward. But some of the old forgot the past and some of the young remembered.  
Must Look Down  
A sophomore from Maryland

said, "I had always looked up to Virginia and I can't anymore."

A grey haired man who was a sophomore in 1864 said, "I am glad Virginia has gone for Hoover. It is time we forgot the past and looked into the future. Lee would not have held the grudge; in fact he didn't."

But the story was usually told the other way. Young men were sometimes vociferous but they were not hurt. It was their fathers and grandfathers who felt that the Virginia of today forgot a glorious tradition. Their slogan might have been:  
"The Old Guard dies but never surrenders."

Couldn't Believe It  
One stooped son of Virginia who saw the Stars and Bars fly proudly came to the newsroom door. He had read the flash on the screen:  
"Virginia Gives It's Twelve to Hoover!"

He could not believe it.  
How did Virginia really go?" he queried. A sob was in his throat.  
"For Hoover," a reporter told him.

How Did Virginia Go?  
"That is West Virginia," the old gentleman parried. "How did Old Virginia go?"  
"That went Republican too," the young man replied.  
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## Victory Hinges On Holding Ace Of V. P. I. Backs

Battle Will Be Last Appearance  
of Fitzpatrick on  
Wilson Field

ODDS FAVOR TECHMEN  
AFTER VIRGINIA WIN

Blue and White To Present  
First String Backfield  
For Encounter

By Henry Mackenzie  
The Washington and Lee varsity will play its last home game Saturday when it meets the Gobblers of V. P. I. in the twenty-sixth gridiron contest between the two schools. The Generals have been working overtime during the early days of this week in order to perfect a new bag of tricks which they will open on the Techmen Saturday.

The battle will also mark the last appearance of Captain Fitzpatrick, Sproul, White, Heinie Groop and Lott as members of the Washington and Lee varsity on Wilson field.

The odds will be in favor of the Techmen as a result of their decisive victory over Virginia in Blacksburg last week. However, the Generals are booked for a break this week end in addition of having the advantage of playing on their own soil with an organized student body and homecoming crowd to cheer them on.

Both Teams Injured  
Both teams have suffered in injuries as the result of hard campaigns. The Gobblers have probably received the hardest blows, but have had the advantage of a greater supply of experienced reserves to fill in the gaps. Nutter, a varsity end received a broken arm before the season started, while Tomko, Looney, and Rule, first string backs, have joined on the hospital list since the season opened. Other varsity men have received rough handling in recent games.

Coach Herron has had especially hard luck with his end talent. Charlie Coker is the latest victim to join the ranks of the cripples. He came out of the Virginia game with a badly injured arm and will be lost to the team Saturday. Barnett is out for the season with a bad knee, and it is extremely doubtful that Leigh Williams will break into the lineup against the Techmen. The tall wingman, however, has been taking light workouts with the varsity this week and there is a chance that Coach Herron will use

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## Local Harriers Race V. P. I., Va. Here Saturday

The freshmen and varsity cross country teams of Washington and Lee will entertain the harriers of V. P. I. and Virginia on the local course Saturday afternoon to decide the championship of the state. The freshmen will run a three mile race which will end before the football game between Washington and Lee and V. P. I. The varsity teams, running five and a quarter miles, will finish between the halves.

None of the freshmen teams have seen any competition, but the V. P. I. varsity claims a decision over Maryland who defeated Washington and Lee. Nevertheless, the Generals have a distinct advantage in that they will be running over their home course. Captain Backus, Brock, Hickin, and Johnson are sure starters for Washington and Lee, while the other three runners have not been selected. Virginia boasts of two exceptional members in Hutchinson and Ochs. Captain Penn is the outstanding man on the V. P. I. outfit.

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## "FIGHTIN' MAD"—GET V. P. I.

"Well, we'll lose the rest of them now."

Many such statements were heard after the game at Virginia. We have lost to Princeton since then, but that doesn't mean we've lost the remaining three games, and we haven't. Yet, if we begin them with the idea that we can't win, the odds are much against our doing so. We must remember sidelights on football don't score the touchdowns.

America, in 1776, was told she didn't have a chance. Probably she didn't. But America won. Sergeant York, in one of his World War exploits in which he was faced with the task of capturing several German machine gun nests with six army rifles, was also without a chance. Sergeant York became "fightin' mad" and Sergeant York won. Odds mean nothing to these underdogs. There was something to be done and they did it.

Three games remain. Odds are against us. This means nothing if we get "fightin' mad." Surely there's no reason why we shouldn't be in a fighting mood. The following quotation from a Virginia paper furnishes a big incentive: "What's in a name? The Hampden-Sidney Tigers didn't turn out to be so fierce, after all; the Lynchburg Hornets had little or no sting; and as for Washington and Lee's Generals, the Cavaliers made 'em look like a crowd of second lieutenants."

Is there fairness in such a statement about a team which outplayed its opponents from every angle of the game? Should a team which makes nineteen first downs to eight for the opponents, gains 125 more yards through scrimmage, passes nearly twice as far, and whose punts outreached Virginia's by a four-yard average, to lose a game by an unlucky break, be dropped from a general to a second lieutenant? We may not have the victories, but we do have the silver stars and the spirit. They weren't demoted generals who charged a 13 to 0 lead and threw a mighty scare into the "Wahoos."

Whatever the outcome, we're backing the team. Would we say, "Dumb playing loses the Carolina game—varsity's repeated fumbling and general weakness accountable for failure to score," as a headline writer once said of the Generals? No, that's out the attitude. The idea is to follow America and Sergeant York from "fightin' mad" to "fightin' madly."

## TO THE REAR MARCH!

In one day, November sixth, education in Arkansas dropped from the twentieth to the eighteenth century. On that day Arkansas refused, by statute, the use of any text book in her state supported schools which referred to evolution, just as did Tennessee and Mississippi several years ago.

It is pathetic when one has so little faith in the Bible or in oneself that the opportunity to learn more about the creation of race is a knowledge to be feared.

We note, with regret the shame which comes to Arkansas' medieval, child-like act. What Arkansas has done can bring only ridicule upon the good name of a sister Southern state. What minds of this ingrowing kind will do next to make the legislative intelligence of this country ridiculous is difficult to prophesy.

If such backward steps become habitual,

we may expect the ultimate undoing of much of the intellectual progress achieved since Aristotle.

The legislature of our neighboring state is assuredly on a "slow train in Arkansas." May it remain slow; may it never cross the border!

## KNOW W. & L.!

How much do you know about the community in which you live?

Many students disregard their curiosity—at least their curiosity regarding surroundings. And when curiosity fails to arouse action their knowledge stands still.

An elderly gentleman and his wife were ambling aimlessly about the campus several days ago, when they accosted an upper-classman and inquired as to the purpose of the campus gateway. The student gazed at the familiar but enigmatic structure. Stabbing at a tuft of grass with the toe of his shoe failed to bring the significance of the memorial to his mind. He confessed his ignorance.

A political science professor at a university in Washington, D. C., once asked his class. "How many of you students have seen Congress and the Supreme Court in Session?" Of the forty students, four raised their hands. Over half the class had lived in Washington all their lives. Yet fully two dozen had seen Niagara Falls.

Evidently a case of "distance lending enchantment" or the "black-berries on the farthest bush being the best ones." A little "local" curiosity might be helpful, if for nothing more than insurance against possible embarrassment due to ignorance at some future time.

Psychological tests are in vogue—why not a local knowledge test? Do you know that—

The Memorial Gateway was constructed in memory of Washington and Lee students killed in the world war, and bears two Latin quotations which translated mean—"It is noble and fitting thing to die for our country"—and—"We are not born for ourselves alone but for our country?"

The law school was founded by Judge John W. Brockenbough in 1849, as a department of Washington College, and became a separate school in 1866?

The library, was completed in 1908, and has a copper roof? The monument in front of Tucker Hall was built to the memory of John Robinson, soldier of Washington, and benefactor of Washington college? Lee was president here from 1865 till 1870?

## MARRING OUR NATIONAL BEAUTY

Every billboard, every sign board along the highways of Fulton county, Georgia, have been ordered removed by the county commissioners. These commissioners are pioneering in a field which doubtlessly will soon become nation-wide.

Since the number of tourists are steadily increasing in all parts of the country, doubtless they will lend impetus to this movement to stop this hideous commercializing of the landscape. Their decision, based on conclusions of county authorities whose business it is to save the beauties of nature from exploiting tradesmen, doubtless will have the hearty approval of Americans regardless of whether they own cars," the Birmingham News says.

Rockbridge county as well as the whole state of Virginia have wonderful views cut short by board advertisements.

With the increase of hard surface roads and tourists there is growing a demand for clear vision of charming and ennobling scenes. A demand for the removal of objectionable "blindness" is just.

The Tulsa (Okla.) World says, "After one has had the experience of riding thru a lane of lofty cosmetics, chewing gum, soft drink admonitions which absolutely obscure his vision from the flowering brooks, lowing kine, and vine-clad cottages, he is prepared to give the magazines and the weeklies full permission to do their worst."

Georgia officials in Fulton county, of which Atlanta is the county seat, give ample reason for the new law. The author of the article which was unanimously passed says:

"There is a proper place for everything including advertising. Our highways are designed to give tourists and Atlanta motorists the most beautiful scenery possible but that scenery is becoming ruined by the ever increasing number of billboards and signs. When a man puts his family in his motor car and sallies forth to view the beauties of nature, the splendid scenery of Fulton County is denied him because at every few feet there is erected a billboard or signboard."

# BY the WAY

ON THE ROAD TO RUIN, says a sign on the back of a W. & L. student's flivver.

MOST OF THE students who migrated to Princeton spent one day in Princeton and one day in New York. That make two hilarious daze, doesn't it?

NEXT GIRL who asks you if she is the only girl you ever kissed tell her she is the last and "the last shall be first."

WHEN CUPID SHOOTS THE MARK HE USUALLY MRS. IT.

A REWARD OF \$200.00 if offered the W. & L. player who makes a 99 yard run against V. P. I. next Saturday by a student who asks that his name be withheld. The only string attached to the offer is the player must make the run hopping on one foot.... The student making this generous offer IS NOT SCOTCH!

MODERN GIRL—"I understand that the girls of your day set their caps for men, Grandma."

GRANDMA—"Yes, child, but not their knee caps."—Queens Blues).

FAINT HEART Ne'er won fair lady—and neither did faint bluff ever win "A" in Politics.

STRINGING 'ER OUT—IT'S AN OLD SOUTHERN CUSTOM

Q—I am a girl of 14, 6 feet 2 inches tall. What should I weigh?  
A—You should weight about 112 pounds.

(From Health Column of Nashville Banner)

ON THE CAMPUS a Washington and Lee man is a commoner, speaking to everyone. Off the campus he is haughty aristocrat. He is conceited—beautifully conceited. (So writes a contemporary about us.)

ON SIDEWALKS OF NEW YORK and other "Patriotic" selections were played by the band, wrote the RING-TUM PHI'S leading staff writer in describing the election returns in the gym.

HOW TO TREAT THE WOMEN, according to the lovelorn column in the Petersburg (Va.) Progress-Index.

My Dear Miss Dale:

Please be kind to me for I need your most wonderful help. I am 23 years old and so far I have not been able to get any girl to go with me. They are all very nice to me but when it comes to making a date with any of them they all make some excuse. I would like you to tell me how to make friends with them. I will do whatever you say.

ANSWER—I tell you what to do. Don't notice any of them. Look as if you have turned against them. Become a woman hater and let them know it. Now just as soon as they find out that you are unattainable they will speedily make arrangements to win you over to them. A woman loves to feel her power and if you will only persist in this attitude you can come out victorious. ("AND HOW!" Editor)

ISABELLE says girls should KEEP AWAY FROM TRACK MEN. THEY ARE USUALLY FAST.

## Troubadour Set Nearly Finished Play Progresses

The set for the Thanksgiving Troubadour show is being constructed in the gym under the direction of T. B. Fitzhugh, property manager. Fitzhugh is interested as well as experienced in this kind of work, and the scenery looks very well, according to Al Collison, president of the organization.

The tryouts for the property staff are aiding in the work. Most of the pieces have been constructed and will be painted the latter part of this week. Then, they will be pieced together to make the product complete. All three acts of the play use the same set, and for this reason it is being made here instead of being ordered.

The costumes are being secured this week from a company in Philadelphia. This play is quite heavily costumed. Most of the lines have been learned and rehearsals are being held nightly.

Tickets will be placed on sale at least ten days before the play is given, stated Collison, so that the rush which has occurred in recent years will be avoided. The prices are to be the same as last year.

## Debating Book Is In Library

The "University Debators' Annual" is just off the press. The debate of Washington and Lee with the National Union Students team of England is in this edition. The question was resolved: co-education is a failure.

Out of some 40 odd debates of the English team in this country, the one with Washington and Lee was the only one published. Each member of a team whose debate was published in this book has received a complimentary copy of the book.

According to Professor M. G. Bauer, coach of the debating team, this was the first debate of Washington and Lee ever to be published. Among some other debates of well known colleges in this edition are: Princeton vs. University of Porto Rico; Michigan vs. Illinois. Colgate vs. Syracuse. A copy of this book is in the library.

## PRESIDENT'S PARAGRAPH

No. 9—1928-29

The Habit of Being Irritable

The habit of being easily offended by other people, of being "touchy", quick to resent, easily made angry, apt to emphasize and remember discourtesies—this is an attitude and habit which should be resolutely fought against and conquered. It has ruined many promising lives and many promising careers. Watch for its symptoms.

Let your habit and attitude and indwelling spirit be one of Cooperative Friendliness With Other People. Learn to appreciate and overlook, rather than to suspect and resent, especially in the case of possible rivals or competitors.

## Many Students Taking German

According to the records in the registrar's office there are approximately 120 men enrolled in the German department this year. This marks a considerable increase over last year, the gain being primarily in elementary German, of which there are three sections. Other courses include intermediate, scientific, and advanced literary German, besides one graduate seminar and thesis course.

Dr. Thomas J. Farrar has been chairman of the department since Dr. Chas. L. Crow went to the University of Florida in 1905. At present, G. Waldo Dunnington, of the 1928 academic class, and this year candidate for the M. A. Degree, is acting as graduate instructor in German under the Howard Houston Fellowship.

## Aviators To Fly During Week-End

Two Brookfield aeroplanes, with licensed pilots from Washington, D. C., will be in Lexington Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

While here, the planes will use the V. M. I. parade grounds for their landing field, and will take up passengers for short rides. They will also do some stunt flying, and it is probable that they will entertain the crowd at the Washington and Lee-V. P. I. game.

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## South Has Many Good Games In Store Saturday

### Outcomes of Five Games In Northern Sector Are Doubtful

Saturday's menu for the northern sector of the Southern Conference calls for a most thrilling week-end. Washington and Lee meets V. P. I. in Lexington as a Homecoming attraction, with V. M. I. going to Lexington, Ky., to play the Wildcats of Kentucky. Virginia, after losing 20 to 0 to Virginia Poly, will throw her strength against the conquerors of Yale, Maryland. Two games of wide interest in North Carolina will be the Carolina-Davidson game at Davidson and the N. C. S. —Duke fracas at Raleigh.

The outcome Saturday makes the selections of winners even more complicated. Maryland's triumph over Yale was indeed the unexpected, though two years ago Maryland came off the victor 15 to 0. V. P. I.'s easy time against Virginia was a surprise, though Tech was doped to win by two touchdowns.

**Generals In Condition**  
Washington and Lee should be in better shape to handle V. P. I. than they have been since the N. C. State game, October 6. Leigh Williams, sensational end, was not carried on the Princeton trip, neither was Towill. Herron removed Fitzpatrick, White, Lott, Thibodeau and Herb Groop in short order that they be in condition for V. P. I.

Rafferty will have plenty to talk to his men about after the Clemson game last week. Though Kentucky has much the better team on paper, it will take breaks of the game to determine the final outcome. Hess, as Rafferty's assistant, has developed a powerful charging line and has perfected the greatest blocking ever seen in Virginia. Ab Barnes, with Harner and Hawkins, will deal misery to Kentucky tacklers.

Virginia seems doomed again. The Washington and Lee game two weeks ago completely shot the Cavaliers. Two regular guards are out of the game, with the rest of the line suffering dreadfully from severe bruises inflicted by the powerful charging W. & L. eleven. Maryland may suffer a let-down after her victory of Yale disregarding that, the Old Liners should have little trouble stopping Sloan, Virginia's only hope of victory.

Schwartz and company from Chapel Hill, N. C., should have little trouble stopping Davidson. Foard is counted on to do great work for the Tar Heels. Warren, Melton and Crum, of Carolina State, should be able to handle Jimmy DeHart's Blue Devils of Duke.

**White Looks Good**  
Gene White, of Washington and Lee, is the most outstanding full-back since the days when Ty Rauso completely smashed Georgia Tech's line and then won fame by scoring a field goal in the all-East—all-West game on the Pacific coast. Barnes, of V. M. I., ranks as the leading half, with Peake, of V. P. I., coming in for his share. Schwartz, of North Carolina is head and shoulders above any other center in the northern sector. Barnes and Peake should get many mentions for all-Southern half. While White is no doubt in a class by himself as a plunging and defensive back. He can punt, pass, tear the line to shreds, and race around end with the best of half backs. Schwartz needs no mention after the way he wore three Georgia Tech pivot men down. He is half the Carolina team.

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## Victory Hinges On Holding Ace Of V. P. I. Backs

(Continued from page 1)  
him if the situation becomes critical.

**Towill Returns**  
The return of Towill to the team helps, in some measure, to solve Coach Herron's flank problem. He has been running signals this week, and will be ready to get into the scrap if needed. Sproul and Day will start the game for Washington and Lee on the ends.

Captain Fitzpatrick, although he came from the Princeton encounter with many bruises, and the dependable Bill Hawkins will be in the tackle berths. Groop and Seligman will be in the guard post with Snodgrass passing the ball.

**Sprinter Joins Team**  
The Blue and White backfield received a powerful reinforcement last week in Sandifer, star sprinter on the track team. Although his football experience is small, he has the first prerequisite of a ball-toter which is speed. He learned the signals sufficiently well to run in several plays yesterday and stands a chance of breaking into the game before it is over.

The regular backfield is booked to start for the Generals, with Lott calling the signals, White at full and Thibodeau and Faulkner completing the quartet. Eberhart, who showed the Princeton varsity his heels for 70 yards last Saturday is ready and almost certainly will get his crack at the Orange and Maroon during the course of the game. Jones Cohen and Rainer will complete the list of alternates.

**Captains Were Teammates**  
Captain Al Bailey, former teammate of Fitzpatrick will lead perhaps the lightest team in the Conference on the field Saturday. The Gobblers under the tutelage of Coach Andy Gustafson base their entire play on speed. V. P. I. has one of the outstanding backs in the south in Frank Peake, who got out of his sick bed to run wild through the Cavaliers last week. Although the backfield contains several competent ball carriers, the whole attack centers around Peake.

The problem for the Generals in their twenty-sixth squabble with the Techmen will be to stop Peake. The Big Blue of 1926 under the leadership of "Ty" Rauber put a crimp in the dashes of this elongated Gobbler, but he came back last year with several devastating runs around the ends and off tackle. The Generals of 1928 are priming this week to again stop the great V. P. I. threat. The outcome of Saturday's game largely depends on how well they accomplish their task.

**STARTING 'EM YOUNG**  
Denver, Colo.—Many Colorado babies are being reared on beer and wine. A. C. Cross, of the state university here, complained to a Y. M. C. A. meeting.

## Many Men Out For Basketball

### Squad of 24 Practising Regularly; Five of Varsity Return

Preliminary basketball practice has begun in earnest. With the end of the football season drawing near, Captain Dick Smith coach of the varsity court team, last week deemed it advisable to issue a call for candidates.

The twenty-four men who responded will continue to workout until the first of December at which date the squad will be augmented by additions from the football team. From that time, just fifteen days remain in which to whip the varsity into shape for its opening engagement with Catholic University.

The men thus far have been drilled mainly on the fundamental combinations that must become thoroughly familiar to them before the more intricate formations can be introduced.

**Five of Varsity Left**  
Five of last year's varsity, led by Captain J. P. Lowry, the Generals' diminutive but brilliant forward, are even now dashing thru practice with their accustomed vigor. Meanwhile, M. J. Cox and F. Hanna, both of last seasons crack frosh five, have been placed on a tentative first team which also includes J. P. Lowry, E. M. Wood, and C. W. Gordon.

The number of candidates reporting regularly to the gymnasium each Tuesday and Thursday afternoon bodes ill for the Generals' future opponents on the court. These men are: H. G. Tardy, F. Hanna, G. N. Lowden, K. M. Smith, R. O. Morrow, F. D. Wheeler, M. M. Pillely, C. C. Scott, C. W. Gordon, J. P. Lowry (captain), H. J. Cox, R. H. Ruff, E. M. Wood, H. M. Homer, K. Littman, C. McComas, J. A. Pillely, S. W. Clay, L. S. Palmer, J. Richardson, J. M. Dean, H. L. Williams, W. Tarrant, K. E. Spencer.

## Earl Carroll Wants Athletes

New York.—Fifty jobs at \$50 a week are to be offered ex-college athletes by Earl Carroll, producer of the "Vanities," who is preparing to open his newest and best musical offering. The story of the production deals with a phase of athletic life, hence the need for athletes to take part in the various scenes. Carroll has sent out a call for candidates, rehearsals to begin about the middle of November.

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## Harriers Lose To Maryland; Backus Is First

In spite of the fact that Captain Ed Backus of the Washington and Lee varsity cross country team shattered the school record for the 5.14 mile course with the time of 29:34 at Maryland last Saturday, the Old Line harriers came off on the best end of a 21 to 38 count. In setting the new mark, Backus surpassed the old record set by Howard, who was regarded as the best cross country man in the Conference and who captained the Generals two years ago.

The race for first place was hotly contested between Backus and Captain Myers of Maryland. The latter led for most of the distance, but the Washington and Lee runner passed him with a great sprint near the finish.

The remainder of the Maryland squad outlegged the Generals and captured second, third, fourth, and fifth places to take a commanding lead in the scoring column. Brock of Washington and Lee finished sixth, Johnson, ninth, Hickin eleventh and Mahler, twelfth.

## Dead Take Part In W. Va. Vote

Three dead men took part in the election in Wood county, West Virginia, of which Parkersburg is the county seat.

Arch Wells, a Republican, died several days before the election, but was elected a justice of the peace.

John C. W. Bush, a non-partisan candidate for election to the Board of Education in the Parkersburg Independent School District, died Sunday. He was defeated by only 91 votes.

Bliss Roberts was killed in an automobile accident Sunday, but voted for his favorite candidates. He had mailed an absentee ballot.

## W. & L. Frosh Beat Md. Cubs

### Beat Old Liners By Lone Point; Pass Leads to Touchdown

Beverly Smith's ability to kick the extra point after touchdown, aided by Captain "Billy" Long, who blocked Maryland's attempt to score the final counter, enabled the Little Generals to down the Old Line Cubs 7 to 6 last Saturday in Byrd Stadium in the final tilt on the Blue and White's schedule.

All the scoring was confined to the second quarter when both teams managed to make a touchdown via the aerial route, although in the third period Washington and Lee pushed the ball to Maryland's 6-inch mark only to lose possession through a fumble.

Early in the second period McLaurin, W&L halfback returned a punt fifteen yards to place the ball on the host's 30 yard line. On the next play, a fake kick formation, McLaurin tossed the oval to Smith who shot across the goal for a touchdown. He droppicked successfully for the seventh point.

With the next kickoff, the College Parkers staged a determined downfield rally. A pass, Chalmers to Rooney, was good for 35 yds. forcing Washington and Lee to its 37 yard line. Two successive line plunges netted twelve yards, but after being thrown for a loss on the next two formations the Old Liners again resorted to an overhead offensive. Another pass, Chalmers to Rooney, placed the pigskin on the 12 yard strip. After a series of line bucks that earned a first down Chalmers took the ball over the goal. Trying for the extra point the right side of the line gave way and Long, W&L right end, blocked the kick.

While the play was evenly divided, each team annexing 13 first downs, the Blue and Yellow threatened to score only in the second quarter when they displayed a dazzling aerial attack.

## W. & L. Frosh Beat Md. Cubs

Smith, McLaurin, and Captain Long were outstanding in the Generals' machine while Chalmers, Rooney, and May played a stellar game for Maryland.

Summary:

Rooney	LE	Wilson
Hayden	LT	Harris
Krajociv	LG	Nesbitt
Faber	C	Porter
Wilson	RG	Rosenburg
Kelly	RT	Tilson
Norris	RE	Long
Settino	QB	Mattox
Miller	LH	McLaurin
Chalmers	RH	Smith
May	FB	Mitchell

W&L Frosh.....0 7 0 0-7  
Maryland Frosh.....0 6 0 0-6

Touchdown — (W&L) Smith, (Maryland) Chalmers. Point after touchdown—(W&L) Smith. Substitutions—(W&L): Bailey for Nesbitt, Tonsmeier for Rosenberg, Guyol for McLauren, Cremin for Mattox. (Maryland): Pease for

May, Berger for Norris, Ford for Faber, Carliss for Hayden, Kuhns for Krajociv. Referee—O'Meara (Gonzaga). Umpire—Kriz (Iowa). Head linesman—Rabbit (Md.). Time of quarters—15 minutes.

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## Calyx Editor Selects Staff For New Issue

### Humor Editor Remains Unselected; Ragland and Lowdon Aid Davis

The Editorial Staff of the 1929 Calyx has been selected, and will begin work on the book soon, C. C. Hutchinson, editor-in-chief, stated today.

The men making the staff were chosen according to previous experience or from recommendations made by other publications.

The Humorous editor and assistant have not yet been appointed because of the large number of applicants for the positions. This appointment will be made shortly after Thanksgiving.

The Staff is as follows:  
 Ass't Editor-in-chief McRee Davis  
 Ass't. Editors.....J. S. Ragland  
 G. N. Lowdon  
 Univ. Editor.....I. H. Elias  
 Ass't.....J. B. Magee  
 Athletic Editor.....H. P. Johnston  
 Ass't.....A. J. Lejbowitz  
 Frat. Editor.....J. W. Davis  
 Ass't.....A. M. Harvey  
 Society Editor.....W. A. Plummer  
 Ass't.....W. O. Thomas  
 Art Editor.....W. T. Mumford  
 M. L. Glover  
 Photo. Editor.....G. N. Nunn  
 Ass't.....W. C. Edwards  
 Editorial Ass'ts.....J. L. Rimler  
 T. L. Sugrue  
 Humorous Editor.....undetermined

Frog catching is one of the minor sports at Wellesly college—at least as a by-product of a course in zoology. The college forester claims it is really an excellent sport, although he is called upon to assist the girls in their frog-catching efforts. The frogs are scooped in a large net and lugged off to the classroom in jars by the girls.

The honor system at the University of California so far has not received much co-operation. However, the council is in favor of giving the California Honor Spirit one more chance.

To keep the Tiger Athletics in equipment for one year costs the University of Missouri approximately \$20,000 according to C. C. Farmer, guardian of supplies for Missouri's Athletic teams.

## Theatre Program

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## Paddlers Grow Rusty As Frosh Obey Rules

The freshmen are unusual. No sooner had they made their appearance on the campus than they were pronounced exceptionally intelligent and now Joe Holt, president of the Vigilance Committee, has found out that they apparently still have another virtue.

From the number of charges being dropped in the little green box in front of Washington College, Holt and his committee have come to the conclusion freshmen are either a very law abiding group or the old men are neglecting to punish them for breaches of the regulations.

The Vigilance Committee, knowing that freshmen like human nature do not change, is inclined to believe that the latter is the case and has sent out an urgent request for more material.

The committee is composed of a group of strong, able bodied men this year and the president is grieved to see such talent going to waste. He has asked that all upperclassmen send him any offenders they run across.

## Senator Wants Heroes Moved To Mississippi

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 9.—The bodies of Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson would be removed from "republican soil" in Virginia to "democratic soil" in Mississippi under a resolution introduced in the state legislature today by Senator Castell.

The resolution referred to the rules committee, follows:

"Whereas, we learn with great sorrow and grief that the state of Virginia has trampled upon and counted as naught its great and glorious southern traditions, and has embraced and accepted the politics of the republican party and has thereby made its state republican soil and whereas, it is evident to all that the two southern leaders, Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson cannot rest or sleep peacefully in said republican soil.

"Be it resolved, that we hereby request the governor of the state of Virginia to permit the state of Mississippi to remove to the democratic soil of said state, the bodies of said beloved Southern patriots, and

"Be it further resolved that the governor of our great democratic state be requested at once to transmit to the governor of the state of Virginia a copy of these resolutions."

## Business Men's Gym Class Starts

The Business Men's Gym classes, conducted by "Cy" Twombly, of the Washington and Lee Department of Physical Education, will begin this season's session Thursday night at eight o'clock with a meeting at the New High School Auditorium.

The classes were very successful last year, having approximately 35 business men enrolled, and meeting twice a week for the winter months.

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## AMONG THE BOOKS

Goethe, The History of A Man, by Emil Ludwig.

An American revival of interest in Goethe seems to be taking place, for along with the re-publication of the late Professor Calvin Thomas' Goethe by Alfred A. Knopf and Co., comes the New York City Theatre Guild's presentation of "Faust"—the first presentation in America in English as Goethe wrote it—directed by Herr Friedrich (Fritz) Holl of Worms, of the ultra modernistic Volksbuhne (People's Theatre) in Berlin. This occurred last month, and was fairly well received.

Now we have Ethel Colburn Mayne's translation of Emil Ludwig's "Goethe: The History of A Man." (G. P. Putnam's Sons). This book is dedicated to Geo. Bernard Shaw as a Guide to Goethe, and it is a curious fact that although the latter was understood quicker and better by English writers of the nineteenth century than by those of any other nation Ludwig's work has not received favorable comment from present day English critics. The English edition is an abridgement of the German by half.

The experienced purpose of the book is to show "that inward conflict, to depict his temptations and inconsistencies as the motives of his endeavor—The sixty-year battle which his Genius fought with his Daemon, and from which he finally wrested a kind of "tragic victory." To "display in

a slowly-moving panorama the landscapes of his soul," and to "make it clearer that he only surveyed his century but transcended it; his slow spontaneous evolution is shown as the rewards of his active patience.

While the author could hardly be called a scholar, and the book is neither definite nor exhaustive, yet it is free from pedantry. Ludwig has not made this one of the popularizing or debunking biographies so current today but relies on portraits, conversations, and letters rather than works, to lay bare the personality, intimate life, and contradictory character traits of the man.

Goethe's nature is difficult to understand; "neither happy nor harmonious—neither a Don Juan nor a synchopant of princes." No attempt is made to give Goethe's philosophy, for he himself never set down his doctrines in a rigid system. His philosophy is practically un-known to-day, systematic philosophy has neglected him, because Goethe's position in West-European metaphysics is still not understood in the least. For an elaboration of this, one must resort to "The Decline of the West" by that pre-eminent contemporary philosopher, Oswald Spengler, who is indebted to Goethe and (very slightly) to Nietzsche.

This book is now at the University library, and is worthy of careful reading; it is admirably illustrated and equipped with a splendid index.—G. W. D.

## Politics Good Career For The College Youth

"Politics never used to be considered a gentleman's game," says Leo A. Borah, in the December College Humor. "College folk looked down on the whole business with disdain. They wouldn't give it a minute's consideration. But the attitude of the college student is changing today; he recognizes politics as a real force in the country. If the students who really feel an active interest in government will consider politics as a career and enroll in the courses intended to prepare them for it, the United States will be able to mix in world politics without fear. It will no longer be the tenderfoot sitting in the other fellow's game.

"The student who would go in for politics needs to obtain first a thorough cultural education. At the same time he must learn how to put his knowledge to work, how to get out of the academic rut and talk the language of the electorate. A charlatan with a full complement of campaign tricks can beat the most brilliant theorist in the world if the theorist does not know how to put his stuff over.

"The trouble with most American college students today is that they know nothing about public affairs. In one examination in current events in a certain university, one student identified George Washington English as a famous negro educator. Another thought Maxfield Parrish was the headquarters of the Ku Klux Klan. With that sort of knowledge, how can college students expect to do anything at politics? Fortunately not all students are like that. With the coming of professors of practical politics has come a growing interest of students in the business of government.

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## Law Teacher Dies Sunday

### Prof. Charles A. Graves Studied Here While Lee Was President

Professor Charles A. Graves, for over half a century a noted teacher of law in Virginia universities, his time being about evenly divided between Washington and Lee and the University of Virginia, died at his home in Charlottesville at 3 o'clock, Saturday morning, after an illness of several months.

Mr. Graves entered this school during the session of 1865-66, the year General Robert E. Lee assumed the Presidency of the institution. While here, he received the Robinson Medal for the highest scholarship in Latin, Greek, and mathematics, and also a corresponding medal in English literature, moral philosophy and modern languages.

Was Made Professor  
 Following his graduation in 1869 he was made Professor of English and modern languages, but soon after took up the study of Law under J. Randolph Tucker, and Judge John J. Brokenbrough. Graduating from this department with high distinction, he was, in 1873, made assistant professor, and in 1874, adjunct professor. In 1875 he was elected professor of common and statute law, and equity jurisprudence, until he resumed his chair in 1899, Prof. Graves, with the aid of occasional lectures by Mr. Tucker and other distinguished lawyers, conducted the entire department.

Edited Law Register  
 The degree of LL. D. was conferred upon him by Davidson College in 1894, and by Washington and Lee in 1911. During his professorship here, he helped

found the Virginia Law Register, along with Judge E. C. Burks and Professor William Lile of the University of Virginia. He continued as associate editor for several years.

Professor Graves became a member of the law faculty of the University of Virginia in the fall of 1899, a position which he held until the close of the session of 1926-27 when he chose to retire because of ill health. After his retirement, he made his home in Charlottesville, where he died. He was buried in the University cemetery, Monday afternoon.

## Politics Cause Odd Reactions

(Continued from page one)  
 "Old Virginia—Old Virginia—" the old man repeated the words in a tone that no printed page can suggest. The sadness and the love cannot be told. Then he stiffened.

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