

Stage Is Fast Being Set For Brilliant Annual Fancy Dress Ball Feb. First

Dance Leaders Are Announced For Annual Event—Main Figure Will Be Led By Jack Carter With Miss Peggy Douglas

T. W. MENEFEE AND MISS ANN BETH PRICE LEAD OPENING FIGURE

Junior Prom To Be Led By W. H. Reardon With Miss Emily Jones

The twenty-first annual Fancy Dress Ball, the most colorful fete of the social calendar at Washington and Lee and considered by many to be the South's most beautiful dance, will begin at 9:30 o'clock, February 1, when the members of the opening figure take the floor of Doremus gymnasium.

Under the personal direction of Professor C. E. L. Gill, a number of students are working daily on the decorations which are now almost completed. The walls of the gym will be completely covered while overhead nothing will be visible except the roof of twisted crepe paper with 135 hanging lights, some encased in streamers and others as lanterns.

J. D. Carter, president of Fancy Dress, will lead the main figure with Miss Peggy Douglas, of Washington, D. C. He will be assisted by L. J. Rauber, vice-president, with Miss Venita Viley, of Atlanta, Ga., T. W. Menefee, sec.-treasurer will lead the opening figure with Miss Ann Beth Price, of San Antonio, Texas. W. J. Dorsey will assist with Miss May Clark, of Atlanta. While the members of the figure form a tableau, Miss Frances Foster, of Charleston, W. Va., will give a ballet dance.

The theme of the Ball, "A Carnival at Venice," will be carried out in the figure, with committees depicting delegations from various countries. Work on decorations and plans for Junior Prom, which precedes Fancy Dress, are also nearing completion. W. H. Reardon, president of the junior class, will lead the figure with Miss Emily Jones, of Sistersville, W. Va. S. C. Lancaster, vice-president of the class, will assist with Miss Jane Eynon, of Washington, D. C. A number of juniors have not yet paid their subscription and President Reardon urges that to ensure the success of the Prom the cooperation of the entire class is necessary.

Advance reports indicate that there will be over 300 girls attending these dances. Every section of the country will again be represented; last year, girls from 34 states were present.

There will be no dansant on the day of Fancy Dress but several fraternity dances should furnish ample entertainment. As was announced previously in these columns, 100 extra costumes have been ordered and will be available to students who neglected to place their order last week. Also it is again urged that tonight is absolutely the latest time at which a guest invitation may be secured and without an invitation it will be impossible for any visitor to attend Fancy Dress.

LEXINGTON SEES FIRST PULLMAN

First Real Pullman To Come To Lexington In Years Brings Norfolk Students Back After Holidays

An unusual sight was afforded the people of Lexington and the neighboring country side when the "Virginia Creeper," "main line" of the Chesapeake and Ohio railway, the Wednesday morning following Christmas, drew the first real Pullman into the valley metropolis that had been here for years.

The Pullman was arranged for Washington and Lee students to come direct from Norfolk to Lexington via the Norfolk and Western and Chesapeake and Ohio railways. The car remained at the station all day to give the people of Lexington the first real treat they have enjoyed for years.

Natives flocked to the station overcome with curiosity. Some even ventured to get on and to wonder at the sight but they found that the car was practically blank. This was due to the trained fingers of students who were skilled in the art of taking souvenirs. It was a red-letter day for the people of Lexington.

Calyx Photos

Wednesday at noon will be the last chance to have photos made for the 1927 Calyx. GET YOURS!

"Y" SOCIAL

There will be a Y. M. C. A. social Sunday afternoon in the "Y" rooms at 4:30 o'clock. Refreshments will be served and a musical program presented. All students are invited.

STAFF CHANGES AFTER EXAMS

At Recent Meeting Of Ring-Tum Phi Staff Editor Garrison Announced That Editorial Staff Will Be Reorganized

According to W. M. Garrison, editor of the RING-TUM PHI, several changes will be made in the staff after Fancy Dress. The editorial staff will be reorganized and a few men will be given higher positions on the staff. Another tryout for reporters will be held sometime after Fancy Dress also, and all men interested are encouraged to come out.

At the meeting of the editorial staff last Monday night, Garrison asked the reporters to get their material in as early as possible. He said that any men who wished to try their hand at writing editorials, features, short stories, and the like could do so. The editor-in-chief also stated that any unassigned material would help a man receive a better job when the changes are made.

MEETING

At 8 o'clock Sunday night at the Methodist church the Washington and Lee delegates to the recent Milwaukee student convention will give their reports. A special musical program will also be presented.

Milwaukee Conference Voted Greatest In A Generation

"The greatest in a generation," was the almost unanimous report of the 3,000 delegates, representing almost every country in the world, who attended the National Christian Student's Conference held at Milwaukee, Wis., December 29 to January 1. Such widely known speakers and leaders in thought as Studdert Kennedy, Reinhold Niebuhr, Arthur Rugh, Bruce Curry, Mordecai Johnson, Kirby Page, Jerome Davis, Harrison Elliot and Robert Milliken were present and brought stirring messages. The thought of the conference was woven around the theme of "What Resources Has Jesus For Life In Our World?"

"This Conference," said Dr. David Porter, executive secretary of the American Student Christian Association, is a sign that students are not only thinking but are thinking through to conclusions.

Washington and Lee was represented at this conference by Wilbur Simmons, president of the Y. M. C. A., Harry Neal and Irwin Sanders. These men will give their views and impressions of the conference at the Methodist church Sunday night at 8 o'clock.

Band Will Have Photo Made For Calyx

Director W. G. Gardner of the Washington and Lee University band wishes to call to the attention of the members of the band that a picture of the band in uniforms and with instruments will be taken Monday, January 17th, at 3:45 o'clock in the Doremus gymnasium. All members of the band are requested to be present at that time, at which plans for the future of the band will be discussed.

The Georgia Tech Marionettes, dramatic club of the Atlanta technical institution, will present George Kelly's "The Show Off" Friday and Saturday night, January 14-15. Saturday night will be fraternity night, at which time the chapters at Tech will hold full sway.

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Graham-Lee Society Trustees Will To Elect Officers Meet Wednesday

Saturday Night Date Set For Election Of Officers For Next Period

A talk by Critic F. P. Shall featured the last meeting of the Graham-Lee Literary society held Saturday evening, January 8. It dealt mainly with impressing the members of the necessity of considering wisely the qualifications of all candidates for office in the coming election in the society. This election of officers will take place on January 15.

The oath of membership was administered to S. M. Wright, who had at a previous meeting been elected a member of the organization. A call was made for nominations for membership and other business was passed upon.

President Witherspoon urges that all members be present this Saturday night at the election.

Frosh Win First Basketball Game

Little Generals Defeat Sheandoah Quintet By Score Of 35 To 17

The Washington and Lee freshmen won their initial basketball game of the season Wednesday night when they defeated the Shenandoah quintet by the overwhelming score of 35 to 17 in the Doremus gym. The Little Generals showed to good advantage in their first game, passing well and shooting with marked accuracy.

The frosh took the lead at the start of the game and piled up the score as the game progressed. The prep school tossers could not cope with the fast team work of the Little Generals, but, in defeat, performed well.

Wilson, a younger brother of Henry Wilson, former star in the General togs, was the outstanding performer of the evening. He scored 13 points. Chambers was the visitor's luminary, collecting eight points.

MANY VISITORS' CARDS ISSUED

More than 125 visitors' cards for Fancy Dress have been issued to students who expect to have guests. These cards are without cost and they enable the guest to get an invitation. Approximately 60 alumni will be present to attend the dances. The rules recently adopted by the Dance Regulation committee will be strictly enforced at Fancy Dress.

Annual Winter Meeting Will Be Held By Board In Newcomb Hall

The Board of Trustees of Washington and Lee University will hold their annual winter meeting in Newcomb hall, Wednesday January 19, at 9:15 o'clock. The Trustees following adjournment of the morning session will attend the Lee memorial exercises in Doremus gymnasium at 11 o'clock. The noted generally attend the annual banquet which will be held in the Sunday school room of the Presbyterian church at 1 o'clock.

Due to the complex problems that face the University which will be presented by President Smith, the Board will probably be compelled to hold an afternoon session.

John W. Davis, a member of the Board of Trustees, is the leading counsel of the 34 million dollar Ford-Dodge suit now before court in Chicago and consequently may not be able to attend the meeting.

Mink Articles In College Humor

College Magazine Rapidly Gaining Prominence—Jokes Appear In Exchanges

The last two issues of College Humor have carried articles reprinted from the Mink. Although the Mink has only been issued three times since its revival, at the opening of the present school session, it is gaining prominence rapidly and is widely read.

A few illustrations and numerous jokes from the college magazine have been reprinted in the columns of College Humor. The Mink is also quoted extensively in exchange columns of other college magazines. Over 50 exchanges have been placed on the mailing list of the Mink, and the list is increasing monthly.

Finals Campaign Very Successful

The Finals finance campaign came to a successful end last night with approximately one-third of the student body signed up. In addition to this there were many pledge cards and several pledges to pay later. The campaign will be discontinued till after Fancy Dress and then each man will be seen personally for him to pay his share. Various plans have been made which will later be elaborated on and so far, the work is progressing nicely.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

University Assembly

At the formal request of the President and Executive Committee of the Student Body, I hereby announce a regular compulsory University Assembly

AT 12:45, MONDAY, JANUARY 17
IN THE GYMNASIUM

The regular Assembly Day schedule will be observed for the recitations of that day and all students of the University of all classes are required to attend.

The bells will ring at: 9:00; 9:45; 10:30; 11:15; 12:00; 12:45.

The members of the faculty will attend if they desire.

The President of the Student Body and other student speakers will discuss matters of immediate interest to the whole Student Body.

Sincerely,
HENRY LOUIS SMITH, President.

Generals Lose To Richmond By One Point In Fast, Furious Game Thursday

Blue And White Quintet Leads Until Last Forty Seconds—When Spiders Come From Behind To Win By One Point

NOTICE TO BAND

All members of the band are requested to be present in uniform with their music at the University assembly to be held in the gym Monday at 12:45 o'clock.

FROSH TROUNCE VIRGINIA FROSH

Little Generals By Brilliant Quint Victory Avenge Autumn Grid Loss To Virginia

Washington and Lee yearlings last night avenged their gridiron defeat at the hands of the Virginia frosh last fall by routing the Little Cavaliers on the court and scoring a 46-23 victory. The first five minutes of the game found the two teams evenly matched and the score tied at eight all, but baskets by Collins and DeFord put the locals to the front never to be headed. The remainder of the first half was a scoring orgy for the Little Generals who boosted their lead almost at will by clever passing and accurate shooting on the part of all five men. The half ended with the score 30-11.

The second half was more closely contested but the superiority of the winners was manifested in every department of play. Although Virginia never threatened the substantial lead of the Little Generals, accurate shots from mid-court made the game interesting. The team work and floor play of the winners was exceptional and was the decisive factor in their victory.

To pick the outstanding man in the game would be difficult for the play of each was superior. The scoring was led by DeFord and Alexander while Collins' floor work accounted for numerous points. The other four men of the winning combination did equally as well.

"Ben Hur" Has Interesting History As Drama-Movie

"Ben Hur," one of the most spectacular pictures of the year, and the most expensive ever filmed, will be shown at the New theatre Monday, January 17, accompanied by a special symphony orchestra of 20 pieces.

This is a special engagement for Lexington, and is not a regular program release of the picture. The presentation is identical with that given at the Embassy theatre in New York for a run of more than a year.

Ramon Navarro, Francis X. Bushman, May McAvoy, and Carmel Myers are featured in "Ben Hur," which was directed by Fred Niblo and released by Metro Goldwyn Mayer Pictures Corporation. The picture was more than three years in the making. An interesting sidelight on it is the fact that the advertisements claim the production cost four million dollars, when as a matter of fact the producers were in the red for six million before it was ever shown. The reason for this modesty was a doubt that the public would believe the actual figures.

The story of its production is an interesting one. "Ben Hur" was written in 1880 by General Lew Wallace, and immediately became a best seller. In fact, it stands next to the Bible in this respect. About 1886 it was made into a play and for thirty years it thrilled the theatre-going public.

Miss Mathis, with director and cast went to Italy and began construction of a reproduction of the Roman Coliseum, a fleet of galleys, and many other historically correct sets. Everything went wrong, workmen went on strike, a storm sank most of the galleys, and the others capsized when used, production costs mounted, and there wasn't a bit of completed film to show for it.

At this time, when more than \$600,000 had been sunk without a trace, Goldwyn merged with Metro and Louis Mayer. A new staff, director, and company was secured, and an attempt was made to start the picture all over. It took more than two years work by director Fred Niblo and his associates to bring the picture to completion, but the result has, in the opinion of experts and public alike, been worthy of the effort.

URMEY AND SPOTTS STAR FOR GENERALS

Game Thrills Large Crowd And Is Exciting Contest Throughout

Thursday night, in the closest and most thrilling game of the local cage season, the quint from the University of Richmond nosed out a doubtful victory over the Fighting Generals by the tiny margin of one point, the final score being 30-29. The Spiders nosed into the lead with less than a minute to go, and held it for the rest of the time, although Lowry and Spotts missed wonderful chances to make their names immortal, by shooting just one goal. The spectators were kept on their toes from the beginning to the end of the second half by the changing tides of morale, the frequent rallies, and the puzzle of guessing just when referee Summers would deem it dramatic enough to call a foul, and in whose favor. They didn't have much trouble in guessing the last, however.

When the teams took the floor at the beginning of the second half the score was 19-13 in favor of the Richmondites. Then began a series of rallies and other interesting incidents, such as boobying the referee. Washington and Lee started off with a bang, but their rally fell short of tying the score before Richmond started a counter-attack. The game saw-sawed back and forth without Washington and Lee gaining the lead, for quite a while, when, with only a few minutes to go, the Generals, led by Captain Urmev, started a rally which carried them four points into the lead with only three minutes to go. However, Richmond was not satisfied with the state of affairs, or rather, Gaskins was not. The midget guard started an offensive attack on his own hook, scoring five points in quick succession, to give Richmond its scant margin of victory. It was then that Lowry missed an easy chance at the basket, and Spotts, who was especially favored by a try at the basket from the foul line, missed his chance to tie the score.

When the first half started the locals seemed lost. The invaders had rolled up eleven points before the Washington and Lee attack took shape and Ebert sent the first Generals' score through the basket. Spotts followed with another, and Ebert retaliated. Richmond called time out. When play again started, Richmond again took to scoring. Thus the game progressed until the end of the half.

Captain Frank Urmev of the Generals was the outstanding star of the game, both on the offensive and defensive. He was also the high scorer of the contest with ten points, being responsible for three field goals and four true foul shots. His floor work was remarkable. Once he came out of a tangle, almost on his face, but still dribbling the ball. Time and again, Richmond players were left astounded at the way he took the ball from them. Enemy players were often seen standing with blinking eyes, while Urmev made his way down the floor, advancing the ball for his teammates. In the final Washington and Lee rally, Urmev twice took the ball down the field by himself and shot the goal. The Washington and Lee teams of future years will have a hard time duplicating the work of this man.

It took Spotts quite a while to get warmed up, but when he did he gave the Spiders plenty of trouble. His floor work was good, and he was tied with Sanford and Gaskins of Richmond as second high scorer of the game. Ebert played a fine game, making three field goals, and playing a good passing game. Jim Lowry shot one field goal soon after he went in, but marred his good work by later missing several easy chances. At one time he made himself conspicuous by the way he handled the ball when he was guarded by three Richmond men. Joyes played a good floor game until he was taken out on account of excessive personal fouls. Groop broke into the score column with a long field goal late in the game which sent Washington and Lee into a one point lead. White also played a good game although he did not break into the scoring.

For Richmond, Gaskins was the popular star by virtue of his fine work in the closing minutes of the game, when he scored five successive points to

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Our Next Issue

AS has been the custom with this paper for years, the RING-TUM PHI will not be issued during examinations.

This has been done in order that members of both the business and editorial staffs may devote their full time to their studies during this period.

Therefore, this will be the last issue of the paper until Saturday, February 5.

Publication will be resumed on that date with the regular Saturday issue carrying full accounts of the dances, sports, and university news.

"Watch Us Grow"

WHEN Euphoria, Illinois, stepped by the 10,000 population mark there was general rejoicing; the village fathers promptly advertised the fact to the world. And the proud slogan, "Watch Us Grow" flaunted by ten thousand Euphorians became a national battle cry. The universities, even, fell back on this measuring rod, the criterion of numbers. When presidents, cap in hand, went begging for new chemistry buildings, they vaunted their Increasing Population.

But here and there far-sighted people are becoming alarmed at this gigantism. Not without reason, we discover, on examining a few enrollment statistics. In 1910 there were just two colleges with more than 5,000 full time students apiece, three others with more than 4,000, and four with over 3,000—a total of less than 34,000. Two years ago there were registered in these ten institutions no less than 101,000 students.

No wonder there is talk of decentralization.

Last spring Harvard undergraduates included in their student report the suggestion that the undergraduate body be divided into smaller units, but the plan was defeated by the student vote. The students were wise in rejecting it as the plan envisaged nothing more than a grouping of social reasons, with no provisions for breaking down the inevitable intellectual regimentation of a large undergraduate body.

The latest plan is put forward by Dr. Robert E. Angell for the University of Michigan. By this scheme 7,400 men and 4,000 women would be placed in a system of smaller colleges:

"The typical men's college would contain 336 residents housed in three three-story dormitory units containing 112 students each. Each college would have as its central feature either a separate building or a large wing . . . containing the dining hall for the whole college, preferably run on the cafeteria plan; a large lounge having a good library; toilet and checking facilities; recreational facilities such as squash and basketball courts and a billiard room; accommodations for the professor who is the head of the college and for the business manager and servants.

"The typical woman's college would have approximately 250 residents, housed in three three-story dormitories containing between 80 and 85 students each."

Dr. Angell's idea is encouraging, but does it go far enough?

If our news report does justice to it, there is no provision for knitting these colleges into intellectual units. Does Dr. Angell propose to improve the present curriculum, to give these students a community interest in some more compelling intellectual ideal, or will the unity of these colleges be based upon the common use of large lounges and billiard rooms?

It seems to us that these are pertinent questions for those who would cure the university elephantiasis.

Religion vs. Alma Mater

THE job of tearing one religion from the hearts of a people and substituting another in its place is meeting a fearful fate at West Virginian Wesleyan university.

President Homer E. Wark of that troubled institution proposes to abolish the salary of \$500 a season to the eleven high priests of pigskin and to use the money for a new chair of Christian theology.

Pigskin devotees have already begun the inevitable rumpus. Sinister hissing greeted Apostate Wark at the chapel services. Rumors of a student strike are bruited in the dormitories. We will be greatly surprised if catastrophe is not in store for these defilers of holy places, especially since True Believers all over the State are becoming enraged.

For, after all, the world has never before witnessed apostacy on such audacious scale. It is as though Martin Luther had exhorted Christians to espouse the rites of the vile Turks. At this early stage of the controversy President Wark has been hung in effigy by unknown students.

Well, less audacious innovators have fared much worse in other times.

But you can't flaunt the prospects of a losing football team in the face of either undergraduates or alumni. It's dangerous.

To The Leaders

TO the new men who have been selected by the mother chapter of Omicron Delta Kappa to become members of its enviable organization, the RING-TUM PHI extends its heartiest congratulations. They have worked for the good of Washington and Lee and their work has not been in vain. Leadership in college undergraduate days prepares well for leadership in life and "graduate" days.

Being chosen to become a member of Omicron Delta Kappa means reaching the height of collegiate ambition and leadership, and to these new neophytes do we extend our regards and congratulations.

The reward is theirs.

Fancy Dress

THE long awaited event is now not far distant. Fancy Dress Ball, the annual carnival of joy, looms in the near horizon. After exams are finished and books are laid aside for a few days, joy, freedom and the dance will reign supreme.

The Student Body should be grateful to the Social Committee of the faculty for their liberalness in allowing an extra half hour for the dance. "Three O'Clock In The Morning" will be "Home, Sweet Home Time."

The Dance Regulations must be remembered, also the "After Dance Rules" which were put into effect before Thanksgiving. We must keep both these rules and agreements inviolate.

On with the dance!

And Now:

THE RING-TUM PHI wishes to every individual member of the Student Body the very best of luck and success on the exams next week, and a glorious set of holiday dances and fun.

Good luck!

Journalism will offer during the second semester, a course in the History, Principals, and Administration of Journalism.

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In order to promote a better feeling between the two countries, captain and coach of the Columbia wrestling team have left for Havana, Cuba, to instruct the University of Havana wrestlers during the holidays.

PRESIDENT'S PARAGRAPH

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A WORD TO OUR YOUNG JOURNALISTS

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give the Spiders a one point lead and the game. Sanford scored nine of his team's points, while Demotte was responsible for eight. Peterson, usually the star of the Richmond offence, scored two field goals.

Judging by the crowd, referee Summers was the hero of the game. It was his work that drew forth the loudest, most expressive responses from the sidelines. The thunderous ovation was probably not relished by him, although, from the spectator's point of view, it was richly deserved.

Members of the V. M. I. basketball team, which was beaten by Richmond Wednesday night were present at the game.

The box:
 Wash. & Lee Richmond
 White F Sanford
 Eebert F Peterson
 Spotts C Demotte
 Urmev (C) G Gaskins
 Groop G Bell
 Substitutions: Joynes for Groop,
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Scoring: Field goals—Ebert, 3; Spotts, 4; Urmev 3; Groop, 1; Lowry, 1; Sanford, 3; Peterson, 2; Demotte, 3; Gaskins, 4.

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 Referee: Summers

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—“EDDIE”—

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* * *
 We know that Salome made Oscar Wilde, but can anyone tell us what made Malcom Wilder?

* * *
 Major Darrow, class of '67, had just received news of the famous N. and W. train ride.

* * *
 “Sir,” bellowed Major Darrow as he spit tobacco juice all over Miss Effie's brand new silk kimono, “those gentlemen, sir, were no gentlemen, sir.”

* * *
 “There, there,” rejoined Miss Effie, “remember Major, boys will be boys,” and in so saying Miss Effie laughed so heartily that she busted a stay.

* * *
 The Dean says that the greatest of the three elemental hungers is that of property hunger. At the beginning of the year he had five Calymene and now he has only three, and anyone who would take a Calymene would take anything.

* * *
 AS A LAST FOREWARNING BEFORE THE DANCES, DON'T GO ANYWHERE NEAR THE GYM EVEN IF IT'S ONLY A BIRTH MARK ON YOUR HIP.

* * *
 A social event during Christmas week was the marriage of Mr. Jan Garber to a popular society girl of Miami, Fla. Mr. Garber may not play for Fancy Dress as he is playing down in Miami.

* * *
 The faculty sincerely hopes that after the mid-winter dances it won't be a case of—

- Eyes
- Skies
- Ryes
- Sighs
- Lies
- Cries.

The Southern Students' Conference on international relations will hold its annual meeting jointly at Emory university and Agness Scott college, February 24-26. Representatives from 25 colleges will attend. Dr. Ernst Jackr, president of the Institute of Political Science, of Berlin, Germany, will be one of the principal speakers.

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