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### STUDENT BODY **ELECTIONS COME** TOMORROW A. M.

The general election for the officers of the Student Body, the editors and business managers of the various publications, the president of Finals. the president of the Fancy Dress Ball, and the cheer leader for 1926-27 will be held in the Lee chapel tomorrow morning. The polls will be open from 9:00 a. m. to 2:05 p. m. It is the duty of every student to vote, as the result of this election is a matter of great importance. In order to avoid congestion at the last moment, everyone is urged to cast his vote as early as possible.

#### Latham-Owen New C. C. Officers

Rod Latham Elected President And Bill Owen Secretary-Treasurer At Cotillion Club Meeting Yesterday

Cotillion Club officers for 1927-28 were duly elected last night in Newcomb Hall at the annual business meeting of the organization. R. C. Latham of Washington was elected president and W. T. Owen of Clarksville, Va. was elected secretary and treasurer.

Rod Latham is a member of the Intermediate Law Class, a member of the "13" Club, of the Phi Delta Phi leagal fraternity, and the Kappa Alpha social fraternity.

Bill Owen is a junior in the Commerce School, a member of the "13" Club, of the White Friars, and of the Phi Kappa Sigma social fraternity. Also he is a junior manager of base-

The Cotillion Club gives a formal dance every Thanksgiving and Easter and throughout the school year sponsors many informals. The president of the Club leads the formal dances and is assisted by the secretarytreasurer.

#### Candidate For Cheer Leader



R. W. ("BOB") PHARR

#### Candidate For **Business Manager** Of The Calyx



R. D. ("BOB") POWERS

#### Class Elections Monday Night

Class elections for the year 1928-29 will be held, in accordance with custom, next Monday night, at 7:30 p. m., in the following four classes: sophomore, junior, junior law, and intermediate law. The sophomore elections will be held in the Geology room, the junior, in Newcomb Hall, and the law school elections will be held in Tucker Hall. It is urged that everyone be present on time-7:30 sharp.

Each class will choose five officers for the next school year the president, vice-president, secretary-treasurer, historian and the executive committeeman being the five officers. The president of the sophomore class leads the Sophomore Cotillion Thanksgiving and the president of the junior class leads Junior Prom the night before Fancy Dress.

#### CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT OF THE STUDENT BODY



E. H. ("ED") MILLER



J. M. ("JOE") HOLT

CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT

#### Do Not Put Out "Rebel Yell" Tonight

R. Maynard Holt, president of the Student Body, announced today that if a "Rebel Yell" is attempted to be put out tonight any persons connected with its distribution or selling will be subject to extreme consequences. Action to this effect was taken by the Executive Committee in their regular meeting last night.

Although no "Rebel Yell" appeared last year, it has usually appeared the night before the general election day. There appears to be some rumor on the campus to the effect that one might come out to-night and the executive Committee is determined not only to prevent its distribution, but also to exert every effort to determine responsible students and inflict the necessary consequences.

OF 1928 FINALS

## **GENERALS COME** FROM BEHIND TO DOWN ST. JOHNS

After two straight defeats the Generals came from behind to win from St. Johns 4 to 2 yesterday afternoon. The visitors took the lead by forcing across a tally in the first inning. In the second canto the Blue and White knotted the count. The visitors then took the lead again in the fourth only to have the Generals knot the count in the fifth and forge ahead in the sixth to clinch the victory.

Both teams were erratic afield. At times the play was smooth, but at others it was terribly ragged. The Saints made eight miscues during the afternoon's play. The Blue and White showed only half this number. The visitors were allowed only four hits during the day while the Generals (Continued on Page Four)

### Last Informal Comse Saturday

Saturday night in Doremus gymnasium will be given the last informal dance of the school year, the Finals Informal, and this event will terminate the social calendar until the glorious Finals in June.

The Cotillion Club, which so successfully has sponsored the previous informals of the school year, will also see the last one to a happy close Saturday night May 7. At present nothing stands to prevent a typical Washington and Lee hop, and if, as is anticipated, a typical dance is had, it promises to be the biggest and best this year.

The presence of girls may be had by the mere asking. Every one is urged to wire a girl immediately if he has not already done so. All of the neighboring institutions have returned from the spring vacation and their not being accessible will not suffice for their absence.

The Southern Collegians will play for the finals informal. The Collegians widely advertised Washington and Lee on the recent Troubadour trip and at the same time made a spledid name for themselves. Saturday night will mark their last local appearance until the 1927-28 session.

#### CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT OF 1928 FANCY DRESS BALL



W. P. ("BILL") WOODLEY



W. A. ("BILL") WARD

R. F. ("BOB") HOWE

J. T. ("TIP") GWALTNEY

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Candidate For Editor

Of The Calvx



T. F. ("TOM") TORREY



J. B. ("JACK") ECKER

CANDIDATES FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

OF THE STUDENT BODY



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Candidate For Editor

Of The Mink

# Business Manager Of Ring-tum Phi

Candidate For



F. B. GILMORE

#### Candidate For **Business Manager** Of The Mink





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We are always glad to publish any communication that may be handed to us. Unsigned correspondence will not be published.

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#### Tomorrow's Duty

IT'S ALL over tomorrow.

The annual election of the officers of the Washington and Lee Student Body begins tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock and lasts until 2:05 o'clock in the afternoon.

This event throws a responsibility on the shoulders of the Student Body—the responsibility of electing its leaders for next year. This is a very serious question, and should be carefully thought out before action is taken on it.

Who do you want for your leaders next year-leaders of Student Body activities and government at this University?

The candidates will finish their "politicking" tonight and tomorrow the ring will be cleared for action.

Every man's vote is his own, and there are no "strings" whatsoever on any ballot.

It is the solemn duty, therefore, of every Washington and Lee man to think over the matter tonight, and go to the polls tomorrow with his decision firmly made-and cast his vote that way. Unbiased consideration should be given every candidate, and the man who is best qualified for the office should be given the vote.

Think it over tonight, and vote right tomorrow.

It is your duty-to the candidates, to yourself, and to Washington and Lee.

## Executive Committee Goes On Record Favoring Chapel Vigil

Student Body has gone on record as favoring the idea behind the Chapel thinks more capable. Watch. That is, it is in favor of paying every possible respect to General Lee which is posible and practical un- their turns at the Chapel Watch. The der our present day organization. name of the senior, the date and the This committee realizes that the prac- time of the watch shall be posted by tibility and sucess of such a plan as the Secretary of the individual classes. te Chapel Vigil depends greatly, if When all seniors have had their turn, not wholly, upon campus sentiment. the juniors shall continue the watch Therefore, the following tentative in the same manner. Then if necesplan is submitted for the purpose of sary the sophomores will conclude the getting the true student reaction to watch for the year. In this way, no to plan in general. This plan is to student will serve more than once be voted on in the general elections each year. next Thursday. Provided the Stu- 2.—Two students shall be assigned dent body indicates that it is in for each day, one serving during the favor of such a plan, this tentative morning and one in the afternoon. plan will be worked over by the Exe- The watch will be divided into two cutive Committee of next year and parts. The morning watch shall beput into practice. If the vote shows gin at nine o'clock and last until 2 that the Student Body is not in favor o'clock p. m. The afternoon watch of it, the matter of the Chapel vigil shall begin at two o'clock and end at will be settled once for all. A nega- six p. m. Class absences during the tive vote will in no way indicate that period of watch will be excused. No the Student Body is not in favor of watch will be maintained on holidays paying some definite mark of respect or during exams. to General Lee, but will merely show case of such a negative vote the Exe- itors to the chapel. cutive Committee will then recommend to next year's Committee that ceive the serious and conscientious some other more practical method of consideration of every student. A showing our respect be devised.

The plan is as follows: The Executive Committee shall appoint a committee to see to the admin-

istration of the Chapel Vigil consist-The Executive Committee of the ing of various members of the classes or of any other men the Committee

> 1.—Beginning with the Senior Academic class, all seniors will take

3.-It shall be the duty of each stuthat it does ont think that such a plan | dent on watch to prepare himself to as here represented is practical. In intelligently act as guide for all vis-

It is hoped that this matter will retwo-thirds majority is required for the plan to pass.

-The Executive Committee of the Student Body

#### College Students To Make Tour Of West On Pullmans

Dancing at the Canyon Hotel at Yellowstone . . . camera hunting in the Five National Parks . . . a boat trip into Canada . . . golf in California . . . visits to Chinatown in San Francisco . . . then across the line into Old Mexico . . doesn't that sound interesting?

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twelve cars, diners, all-steel Pullmans, us, was married last Wednesday. He ball-room, college orchestra, carrying | may stop college.

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Further plans for the tour may be had by writing The Traveling University Club, 1050 North La Salle Street, Chicago, Ill., for a 16-page complete

"Tiny" Hearn, a good man in the July 16 a special train of ten or Georgia Tech line last fall against

### Winning Essay Will Give Year's Session

New York, April 16 .- A school year in the University-Afloat-on its second college cruise around the world is the prize offered in a national essay contest, according to an announcement made today by the University Editor-in-Chief Travel Association, 285 Madison Avenue.

> will pay the entire expenses of tuition and lectures in the floating college. the steamshipticket around the world, stateroom, shore trips and meals.

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"The University Travel Association recognizes the value of education New York City. which is combined with travel and wishes to place before ambitions students the opportunity for a school year spent in study and a tour of the world," said Charles H. Phelps, Jr., today.

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courses aboard the S. S. Ryndam, col- continent of Asia or Africa.

lege ship, which is now on the first college cruise round the world. It may also be used for post-graduate On Floating School study or the study of a special business course relating to foreign commerce and international relations.

The second cruise leaves New York about September 20, 1927 and after visiting 25 counteries will return in May, 1928. This cruise is to be a college for men with the enrollment limited to 375, instead of the co-educational student body of 500, now en-The scholarship, valued at \$2,500 rolled in the first year of the University Afloat.

In order to give the winner of the contest sufficient time to make arrangements, the contest will close May 15, 1927.

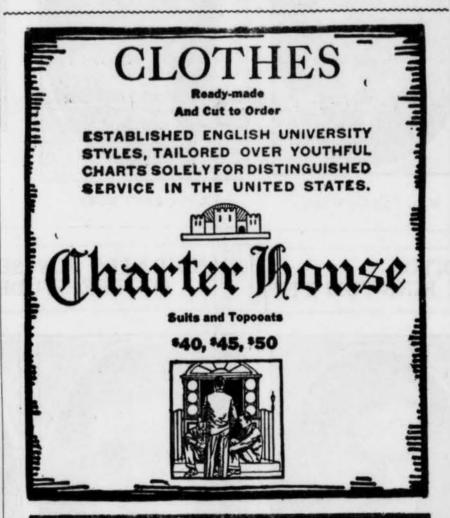
Mr. Phelps stated that any student interested in competing for the scholcountry and goes to the writer of the arship may obtain further informabest essay on one of three specified tion concerning the rules of the contest by writing to the University Travel Association, 285 Madison Avenue,

"Owning and operating a hotel" is a new course instituted at Western Reserve University. Everything from kitchen to manager is included in the president of the association, who made | course. Suggestions have come from public the conditions of the contest Cornell where a similar course is

Discovery of bones of a 60,000 yearold infant in Algeria by Alonzo W. Pond, Beloit college anthropologist, has received, once again the question of the age of the human rance. This The scholarship provides for a con- discovery also raised the query tinuation of the regular academic whether man has evolved from the

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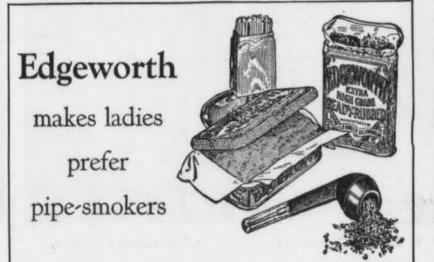
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# Records Fall As V. Only Four More

Virginia Tech Defeated The Blue And White Runners In Interesting And Fast Meet 71-55

Although beaten by the track team Medical college, Virginia and V. P. I. from V. P. I. yesterday by a 71-55 Of these four all will be played on selves, and were vanquished only be held in Charlottesville. after a hard struggle in which one school record and many records for bring to a close the present baseball the new track were shattered.

A. R. Coleman of the Generals be- down the curtain on the careers of come the outstanding performance of five of the main cogs in the Blue and the meet by throwing the javelin 179 White machine. Captain Palmer, feet 2 inches for a school record Rauber, Maben, Gwaltney and Stearns which bettered the old record by 7 all play their last game. feet, five inches. The most thrilling The contest with the Quantico Mafeature of the afternoon was the duel rines Thursday should furnish plenty between the two captains, Milbank, of of competition for the Generals as Washington and Lee, and Montague, the service team is composed of men year. of V. P. I. Montague got a fast start who have played college baseball bein the century dash and lead the Gen- fore entering the corps. But the General captain to the tape. But in the erals are out to "Tell It To The Ma-220-yard dash, Milbank, spurred on rines" and if the Blue and White have by desire for revenge, stepped away on their hitting clothes they should from the Gobbler to win by a fairly not have too much trouble in spelling comfortable margin. In the 440-yard defeat of the opposition. dash Hutchison of Tech and "Buck" Wilson staged a pretty race in which al College Saturday afternoon is the the Cadet nosed out by inches. It was last non-conference tilt that the Genthe fastest quarter mile race yet run erals will engage in this season, and on the new track on Wilson field. they are out to take this bunting.

"Pete" Reardon, versatile perform- Wins over the Quantico Marines, er, kept up his good work in his Richmond Medical College, Virginia, events, winning the high hurdles and and V. P. I. would give the Generals broad jump, and taking second place a clean claim to the championship of to Coleman in the javelin. Reardon the state, and a good chance at being who has not lost a hurdle race this awarded the conference champs, as year, skimmed over the barriers in the Generals would have lost only the best time he has made this season. two conference settoes. He was, incidentally, high scorer for the day with thirteen points. Nance Date Changed of the Generals gave Penn a hard race in the two-mile run, and was barely beaten in a fast finish. New records for the new cinder track were established by Milbank in the 220, Hutchison in the 440, Wilbourne in the mile run, Reardon in the high hur- Tuesday, May 10. This was done so as dles, and Hicks in the low hurdles.

100-yard dash-Montague (V. P. soever with the election-politics now I.), Milbank (W. & L.), Shankton in force. The Committee urges that (V. P. I.). Time: 10.1 sec.

220-yard dash-Milbank (W. & L.), classes as soon as possible after the Montague (V. P. I.), Shankton (V. P. date set aside for that purpose. I.). Time: 22.2 sec.

440-yard dash-Hutchison (V. P. I.), Wilson (W. & L.), Dowdy (V. P.

I.). Time: 50.4 sec. 880-yard dash-Cooke (V. P. I.), Hutchison (V. P. I.), Claunch (W. & L.). Time 2 min. 3.6 sec.

1-mile run-Wilbourne (V. P. I.), Cooke (V. P. I.), Sutton (W. & L.). Time: 4 min. 42 sec.

2-mile run-Penn (V (W. & L.), Jennings (W. & L). Time: 10 min. 17 sec.

High hurdles-Reardon (W. & L.), Sproul (W. & L.), Patterson (W. & L.). Time: 16 sec.

Low hurdles-Hicks (V. P. I.), Cowell (V. P. I.), Patterson (W. & L.) Time: 26.4 sec. Shot put-Fussel (V. P. I.), Kidd

(W. & L.), Gray (V. P. I.). Distance 42 ft., 9 in. Discuss throw-Lund (V. P. I.),

Gray (V. P. I.), Fisher (W. & L.). Distance: 140 ft., 4 in. Javelin throw-Coleman (W. & L.),

Reardon (W. & L.), Janney (W. & L.) Distance: 179 ft., 2 in. High jump: Holsworth (V. P. I.), Sproul (W. & L.) and Caperton (V.

P. I.) tied. Height: 5 ft., 10 in. Pole vault-Hoh (W. & L.) and Holsworth (V. P. I.) tied, Pilley (W. & L.). Height: 9 ft. 9 in.

Broad jump-Reardon (W. & L.), K. Bank (W. & L.), and Brown (V. P. I.). Distance: 20 ft. 71/2 in.



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The contest with Richmond Medic-

Of Registration

The Faculty Committee on Regis-

tration has changed the date for the

registration of the students on the

campus, from Tuesday, May 3, to

not to make any interference what-

each student register for next year's

For the first time Columbia Uni-

ersity varsity crew has a sophomore

captain. Eric Lambert, stroke, has

season for the Generals will come to a close. Four more contests on the calendar, Quantico Marines, Richmond score, the Washington and Lee har- Wilson field with the lone exception the gym. R. M. Holt, president of the Saturday Review, The Dial, etc., and riers gave a great account of them- of the game with Virginia, which will Student Body, will preside and intro- as the author of one of the most sig-The V. P. I. Game does not only not compulsory but every student is Blake. asked to attend so that the candidates season for the Generals but also rings may have a chance to reach all.

> These short stump speeches come each spring. They have been a part of Washington and Lee tradition for several years. Everyone will have the chance of hearing the candidates and judging them at their best. Many new cards will appear and after tomorrow, politickin' will be over for another

In order to join a fraternity at Heidelberg a student must fight seven duels, and at the conclusion of the last, whether victorious or not, he is allowed to carve his name on one of the tables in the drinking room, thereby becoming a full-fledged member.

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living. College men and women may well

consider how electricity can lessen the bur-

dens of industry and of farm and home life.

#### S. FOSTER DAMON

S. Foster Damon, whose volume of verse, "Astrolabe," has just been published by Harpers, became the president of the New England Poetry Club a few days ago, on the death of Abbie All candidates for Student Body Farwell Brown. Although "Astrooffices will have the opportunity of labe" is Mr. Damon's first volume of making their final appeal to the Stu- verse, he is well known to readers of dent Body tonight at 7:45 o'clock in Harper's Magazine, The Nation, The duce each candidate. The meeting is nificant and discussed biographies of

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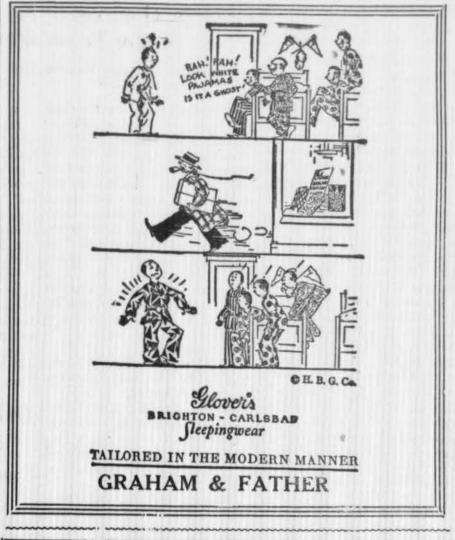
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#### GENERALS COME FROM BEHIND TO DOWN ST. JOHNS

(Continued From Page One) were garnering nine off Bock. Maben started on the mound and pitched good ball up to the fifth al-

lowing only two hits, but in this canto he struck a hard luck streak and with two down was replaced by Folliard. Up to this time Snake had retired four men via the strikeout route, Folliard took over the helm and from this time on it was Folliard all over the field. Every out made for the rest of the game by the Saints was either by the whiff route or Folliard to Spotts. He gave up only one hit and this was the only ball that the Saints got out of the infield in the last four and one-third innings.

Bock pitched a neat game but terrible support ruined his chances on the hill-top. His teammates were held at bay by the superb pitching of Folliard and their help with the bats was lacking. Not a single man got over one hit and none of their runs were earned, both coming by means of errors on the parts of the Generals.

Before being retired from the game Snake Maben connected with two safeties out of two trips to the plate to lead the willow swingers. Spotts garnered a like number of hits out of four times up.

Box score:

St	. John	18				
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Zouck, cf	5	0	0	4	0	0
Roe, rf	3	1	1	0	1	1
Phillips, 2b	. 2	1	1	0	3	0
Hoyle, ss	4	0	0	5	2	- 3
Keating, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	1
Zimmerman, If	. 2	0	0	1	0	(
Johnson, lf	2	()		0		(
Bock, p	4	0	0	0	4	1
Hauver, c			1	4	1	1
Owings, 3b			1	2	0	1
Totals	33	2	4	24	11	8

Washington and Lee

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gwaltney, cf	5	0	0	0	0	(
Palmer, 2b	5	2	2	1	2	1
Tips, c	2	0	0	12	1	1
Jones, c				2	0	(
Spotts, 1b				10	0	(
Stearns, rf				0	0	(
Rauber, ss				1	0	1
White, 3b	3	2	0	0	3	3
Maben, p	2	0	2	0	3	(
Folliard, p	2	0	1	0	3	(
Jolliffe, lf				1	0	- (
Hickman, z				0	0	(
Howe, zz	0	0	0	0	0	(
Lowdon, lf	0	0	0	0.	0	(
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zz Howe ran for Hickman in 8th.

RHE St. Johns . 010 011 10x-4 9 4 W. & L.

Summary: Three base hits: Hauver, Stearns. Two base hits, Roe, Rauber. Stolen bases: Hoyle, Hauver, Spotts. partment was in charge of the Foren-Sacrifice hits: Tips. Left on bases: St. Johns, 8; W. & L., 10. Struck out: est Fletcher, supervised the athletic by Bock, 1; by Maben, 4; by Folliard, events. 9. Base on balls: off Maben, 4; off Bock, 4. Passed balls: Harver. Hits off Maben 3 in 4 2-3 innings, off Folliard 1 in 4 1-3 innings; of Bock 9. Winning pitcher Folliard. Time: 1 hour and 54 minutes. Umpire, Orth.

#### Press Wants Student Syndicate Writers

"Collegiate stuff" continues to be wanted by the newspapers. Football, collegemorals, the "revolt," and, during the past few months, the "suicide bate on the question: Resolved, That wave" still made good copy for the Governor Byrd's proposed short baldaily papers.

a proposal for an international news- girls or one of each. paper service of student writers by the United Feature Syndicate of New York, an organization owned andop erated by the United Pres.

As a starting point for this service the Syndicate has sent out a call for student articles, not to exceed 500 words, "giving a direct, vitalized and intelligent cross-section of youthful thought and outlook." Five or six of the most important and in-eresting articles so secured will be organized into a weekly service for Saturday or Sunday publications. Thirty-three and one-third per cent of the gross proceeds from the sale of thearticles will go to the writers.

Here are a few of the twelve suggested topics: 1, What three Americans do you consider are having the most influence upon the thought of American youth; 2, Is Judge Ben utes for an instructor and then dis-Lindsay's companionate marriage pro- persed. The next day the instructor posal a remedy; 3, Is Christianity claimed to have been in the class bedestined to endure?; 4, It has been cause he had left his hat on the desk. stated that the revolt in China has On the following day upon entering have some fast men. rung the death-knell of "White man's the classroom he was greeted with vaunted supremacy." What is your rows of chairs occupied only by hats, opinion?; 5, Is the United States be- but not one student. Our informant coming imperialistic? Are we on the does not state whether or not the inway to Rome?

#### A NOVELIST'S FATHER

Emanie Sachs says that her father around the campus. didn't think it fair of her to tell so much of her heroine's private life as she has done in her just-published right up by myself." novel, "Red Damask." She adds that she cured him by making him read John Erskine's "Galahad."

87-30 On Rainy Day

The Washington and Lee freshman track team was overcome Saturday afternoon by the Virginia Polytechnic rats in a meet held on Miles field in a cold driving rain which continued the entire afternoon. Although the little Generals were clearly handicapped by the unfortunate weather conditions, the rats were not visibly affected and carried through regardless. They scored 11 out of 13 first places, the final score being 87 30. Firsts were scored for the little Generals by Painter in the discuss throw, and Eberhardt in the broad jump. Grashorn scored seconds in both dashes.

The summary: 100-yard dash-Kello, tech, first; Grashorn, W. & L., second, Smithey, Friday, May 13.

Tech, third. Time 10.1. Mile run-Breeden, Tech, first; Chase, Tech., second; McNair, Tech., third. Time 4:53.7.

220-yard low hurdles-Damewood, Tech., first; Eddy, Tech. second; Hood, W. & L., third. Time 27.7.

220-yard dash-Kello, Tech., firsh; Grashor, W. & L., second; Smithey,

Tech third. Time 2:10. 880-yard run-Lybrook, Tech, first; Breeden, Tech, second; Brumback,

Tech, third. Time 2:10. 120-yard high hurdles-Eddy, Tech, first; Damewood, Tech, second; Darmon, W. & L., third. Time 18.4. 440-yard dash-Lybrook, Tech, first

Saean, Tech, second; Amole, Tech, Tech, third. Time 56.2. Javelin-Brumback, Tech, first; Martin, W. & L., second; Carper,

Tech, third. Distance 136 ft., 1 inch. High jump-Wade, Tech and Turner Tech, tied for first; Twist, W. & L., third. Height, 5 ft., 1 inch. Pole vault-Weaver, Tech, first;

Damewood, Tech, second; Pomeroy, W. & L., third. Height, 10 ft. Shot put-Danis, Tech, first; Jacobs, W. & L., second; Gray, Tech, third

Distance, 39 ft., 8 in. Discus-Painter, W. & L., first; Davis, Tech, second; Eberhardt, W. &

L., third. Distance, 106 ft., 51/2 in. Broad Jump-Eberhardt, W. & L., first; Twist, W. & L., second; Eddy, Tech, third. Distance, 19 ft., 1/2 in.

#### High Schools Contest Here

the auspices of the State of Virginia | ter part of May. and Washington and Lee University 100 010 000-2 4 8 was chosen to supervise the annual district championships of this contest, Saturday, April 30, 1927. Professor F. Flournoy, of the English desic contest and Athletic director, For-

> Every year the high schools pick their representatives to each district championship, and the winners of these contestants go to Charlottesville, where, under the auspices of the University of Virginia, the championship of the state will be run off. Washington and Lee University is the district center for Pittsylvania, Bath, and Amherst high schools.

The following is the composition of the contest: (1) Boy and girl speaker. (2) Boy and girl readers. (3) A delot be adopted. The debating team The latest efforts along this line is may be composed of two boys, two

> In this district Pittsylvania high school won every contest except the boy readers event. Bath high school won this event.

#### "DOES PROHIBITION WORK"

Martha Bensley Bruere, author of "Does Prohibition Work?" published April 8th by Harpers, explains that letes. This next squad also promises she has not reached a conclusion in to be made up largely of men from her book because there is no conclusion to reach. She says: "Any conclusion which would be an average between Keokuk and Boston would be a lie for both places. What we have discovered, however, is the circumstances under which prohibition will

A class at George Washington University recently waited fifteen minstructor left his hat and went home.

The University of South Carolina is READS HER BOOK to have nine blocks of paving done

> HEAVE, HO! "Look, Daddy, I pulled this weed

"By jove, you're strong." "Yes, aren't I daddy? The world had hold of the other end!"

#### Gobblets Overcome Freshman Nine Has Preparations For Frosh Cinder Team Won But Two Tilts

Little Generals Bow Before Techmen Little Generals Have Conquered Only A. M. A. And S. C. I. Ball Tossers

> The freshman baseball team has won two and lost four of tthe games played, not including the one today with Oak Ridge. Captain "Eddy's" tossers have won from A. M. A. 6-4; Institute, 8-6. S. C. I., Virginia whom they have lost.

They have been rained out of two games, one with Western High and schedule-S. M. A., threre, May 10, and Newport News high school, here

#### Over One Million Words Sent Out

More than one million three hundred thousand words have been sent out by the Washington and Lee University news service, working under the direction of the Lee School of Journalism, so far this year.

Nearly a million words of this total were sent out in connection with the recent Southern Interscholastic Press Association, and the remainder have been sent out during the entire year, on news of the University, and what ic news, which is sent out under the i for them. supervision of the athletic depart-

The news work is under the direction of Howard M. Thompson, acting

of Washington, D. C., both students. ent. It is the hope of the department to have more than a million and a half words, distributed to the press of the Southern states before the closing of school this June.

#### HARPERS WINNER TO BE ANNOUNCED IN MAY

Several hundred manuscripts were submitted from colleges and universities throughout the United States in meeting. the Harper Intercollegiate Contest. The winning manuscript will be pub-An annual Virginia State High lished in the June issus of "Harpers 33 4 9 27 12 4 school Literary and Athletic League Magazine" and announcement of the z Hickman batted for Jolliffe in 8th. contest was held in Lexington under judges' decision will be made the lat-

Washington and Lee is putting out golf team this year.

Yale and Lehigh tied for the Intercollegiate Wrestling Championship. University of Toronto, Canada, has held the Intercollegiate Hockey

Championship for twelve years. Navy hasn't lost a dual boxing meet in eight years.

Seven intercollegiate championships were won by Navy men this year. They hold championships in the 115-lb., 145-lb. wrestling, three in gym and one in swimming.

Harvard has eighteen crews practicing this year.

"Brick" Muller, of California, once threw the football 70 yards.

Cambridge beat Oxford in an eight-oared race in April. "Ox" Kingsbury, captain of Yale's undefeated crew last year, nearly pulled Oxford to victory, however.

Ninety per cent of the last Olympic squad consisted of college ath-

Tex Rickard has signed up a Dartmouth student to do a little boxing.

George Kojac, 17-year-old aquatic flash, beat Johnny Weismuller and lowered Weismuller's world record by three seconds, when he swam the 150yard backstroke in 1 minute 39.15

At Cornell University the trackmen will be timed by electricity. The method measures down to a five hundredth of a second. They must

NEW MODELS FOR OLD MASTERS Wayne B. Wheeler for the "Blue

Babe Ruth and Jackie Coogan for The Gleaners." Gene Tunney for the "Man with the Glove."

Joyce Hawley for "The Anatomy Lesson." Aimee McPherson for "Innocence."

Charlie Chaplin and Lita Gray for 'The Storm." Secretary Kellogg for "The Retreat from Moscow."

# Finals Progressing

Progress On Decorations Is Rapid Under Professor C. E. L. Gill's Direction

In an interview, "Fanny" Hearon, president of 1927 Finals, said, "With the exception of finances, everything is coming along fine in our preparation for Finals. Next week, after the and from the Shenandoah Collegiate politicians have stopped worrying the students, we will start our last drive Freshmen, John Marshall High school for one thousand dollars, which will and S. M. A. are among those to be absolutely necessary to put over the dances. After that sum has been secured, all will be ready."

He also announced that a good deal one with S. C. I. After the tilt with of the decorations have already been Oak Ridge today there remain only completed. Blue and white will be two games on the little Generals' the color scheme for the first three days, and a pastel shade will be used for the Final Ball, giving the effect of an "Old Fashioned Garden." Prof. Carl Gill has charge of the decorations and is most successfully bringing them to perfection.

#### Students' Pressing Shop Changes Payment Style

Jimmie Hamilton, manager of the Students' Pressing Shop announced this morning that beginning tomorrow the Shop would go from a credit to strictly cash basis.

This plan will necessitate students either buying tickets or paying for the work when it is sent out.

A request is also made that all its faculty and students were doing, students owing bills to the shop These figures are exclusive of athlet-) please pay up when a collector calls

> The Shop will be in charge of "Gene" White next year if he returns to school at this time.

The Students' Pressing shop this director of the Lee School of Journal- year has been giving employment from ism, and his assistants, Guinden C. time to time to five and six students. Olson, of Chicago, and William Hill, Four students are employed at pres-

#### Custis Lee Eng. Society Meets

The Custis Lee Engineering Society had a meeting, Friday, April 29. "Sy" Preston represented the society at the spring meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers in Ashville and addressed the society upon this

The Versatile University Prexy. (From the Ohio State Lantern.)

President George W. Rightmire, siding over the last session of the University traffic court to be held this quarter, sentenced one student violator of campus traffic rules and dismissed thirteen others with warn-

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