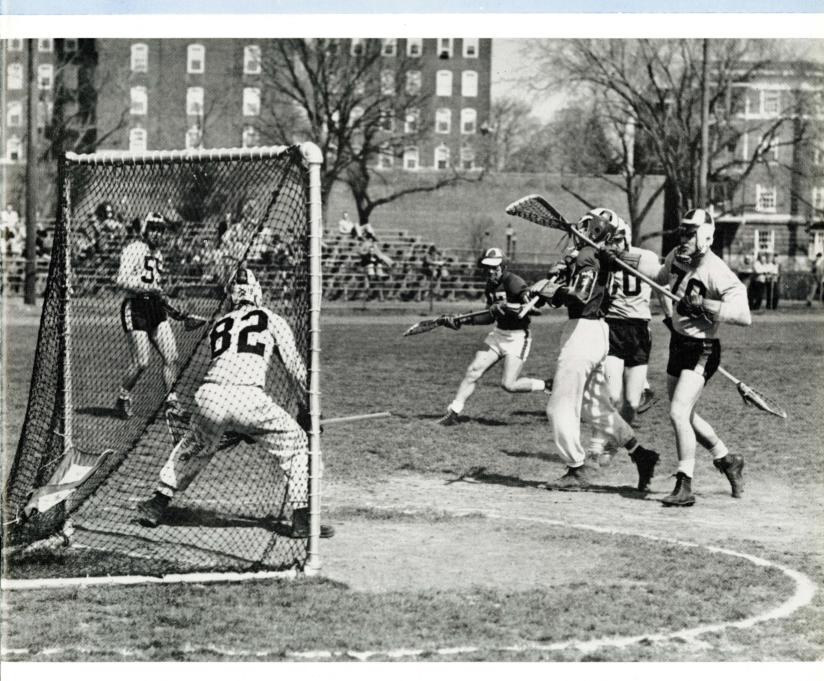
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University News

Toynbee To Teach During Second Semester, 1957-58

■ DR. ARNOLD J. TOYNBEE, world-famous British historian, lecturer, author, and philosopher, will teach at Washington and Lee as Visiting Scholar-in-Residence during the second semester of 1957-58. This will be Dr. Toynbee's first prolonged stay on an American campus. Announcement of his coming was made in February by President Gaines and Dean Leyburn.

Dr. Toynbee's visit is in accord with Washington and Lee's belief in personal teaching and with the University's desire to bring great minds, in person as well as in books, to the college community for personal association with students and faculty. His weekly lectures and discussions with selected upperclassmen will receive primary emphasis during his stay at Washington and Lee. In addition, several public lectures and speaking engagements at other colleges and universities in the area are planned.

Although the historian has not visited Washington and Lee before, he has collaborated with Dr. Edward D. Myers, head of the University's philosophy department, in the compilation of an atlas and gazetteer to supplement his ten-volume *Study of History*. This supplementary material, incorporated in one

of the series, includes an historical atlas never before compiled and data on many historic places which are not found in an ordinary atlas. The volume will be of general importance, therefore, as well as valuable to students of the *Study of History*.

A graduate of Oxford University, Dr. Toynbee has been a prolific

book to be published as Volume XI

Dr. Toynbee has been a prolific writer and lecturer, his interests embracing three general areas of scholarship: Greek and Roman culture and history, the contemporary world situation, and the inter-relation of ancient and modern cultures in his theories on the purpose and meaning of history. Topics of published works range from Japan to Turkey, from Russian tactics to Christian ethics, and from "Greek Civilization and Character, the Selfrevelation of Ancient Greek Society" to "An Historian's View of American Foreign Policy."

From 1925 to 1955, Professor Toynbee was director of Studies at the Royal Institute of International Affairs, and Research Professor of International History at the University of London. He has continued his writing and lecturing since his retirement, and during 1956 and 1957 he and Mrs. Toynbee will travel extensively throughout the world.



Dr. Sensabaugh Appointed New Academic Dean

■ WHEN THE 1956-57 COLLEGE year opens, Washington and Lee will welcome a new academic dean. He is Dr. Leon F. Sensabaugh of Birmingham, Alabama, professor of history, chairman of the Division of Social Sciences, and director of the Evening School at Birmingham-Southern College. Dr. Sensabaugh will succeed Dr. James G. Leyburn, whose resignation as dean was announced last October. Under a special George Washington Professorship, Dr. Leyburn will continue his teaching at the University.



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Dr. Edward D. Myers, head of Washington and Lee's philosophy department, visited with Dr. and Mrs. Arnold J. Toynbee at their home in London, England, during preparation of Volume XI of Toynbee's "Study of History," on which the two professors collaborated.

An eminent scholar and teacher, Dr. Sensabaugh received his undergraduate education at Vanderbilt University and his doctorate at Johns Hopkins, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. After one year of teaching at Birmingham-Southern, he served as head of the history department at Oklahoma City University for seven years, returning to Birmingham-Southern in 1936. Since 1943 he has headed the history department there and in addition has served as acting dean of the college twice and as chairman of the Committee on the Future of the College and the Faculty Research Committee.

Dr. Sensabaugh's major academic interest is in Latin American affairs. He studied in Brazil during 1941-42 on a Rosenwald Scholarship, has served as director of the summer Latin American Workshop at the University of Alabama, and has lectured widely under the University's auspices on Latin American topics. He is the author of numerous articles in historical scholarly journals and also has been a contributing editor to the *Birmingham News* and the former *Post-Herald*.

The Sensabaughs, who have one child, a married daughter, expect to move to Lexington during the summer where they will live in the home now occupied by Dr. Leyburn. Mrs. Sensabaugh is dean of women at Birmingham-Southern.

Dr. Gaines announced Dr. Sensabaugh's appointment to the faculty at its April meeting. "The credentials of Dr. Sensabaugh are most impressive," he commented. "We feel indeed fortunate in acquiring a Dean whose qualifications of scholarship and administrative ability are so happily balanced and of an eminently high level."

Dr. Pusey Chosen to Ball Professorship

■ DR. WILLIAM W. PUSEY, III, head of Washington and Lee's department of German, has been named Professor on the Thomas Ball Foun-

dation. Pusey has been on the Washington and Lee Faculty since 1939, except for thirty-nine months during World War II when he served as a lieutenant commander in the Navy. His election fills the vacancy created by the retirement of Dr. L. J. Desha, former head of the chemistry department and now professor of chemistry, emeritus.

The Ball Foundation was established in 1946 by Mrs. Jessie Ball du Pont, one of the University's greatest benefactors, in memory of her father. Income from a fund of approximately \$100,000 is distributed among six Ball professors. Distinguished scholarship, effective teaching, and outstanding service to the University beyond the classroom are the criteria governing selection. Other Professors on the Ball Foundation are Doctors Bean, Bradley, Dickey, Light and Stow.

Glenn Grants for Summer Study Awarded to 22

■ NO MATTER HOW ADVANCED their degrees, how extensive their past study, or how diligent their daily reading, faculty members from time to time feel the need of "intellectual re-treading." Twenty-two of the University's teachers will have a special opportunity to satisfy that need this summer, for they have been named as recipients of John M. Glenn Grants-in-aid. These grants, awarded annually by the University Board of Trustees, are designed to help improve the quality of undergraduate instruction for study, research, and writing during the summer months.

Four professors in the School of Commerce, three in the School of Law, and fifteen in the College of Arts and Sciences have been named this year. Seven of them will collect material for courses to be given in the fall. Eight will write or prepare books and monographs for publication. All twenty-two look forward to an intellectually profitable summer. For in past years, the grants-in-aid have brought appre-

ciable benefits both to participants and to the University, as teaching has been stimulated and scholarly reputations improved.

Proof of the variety, scope, and potential value of the program is found in the list of this year's study projects:

Reuben E. Alley, Jr., associate professor of physics, will attend a seminary on Christian Foundations for Teaching, at either Union Theological Seminary (New York) or Pennsylvania State College.

Edward C. Atwood, Jr., assistant professor of economics, will serve in an advisory capacity at the Bankers Trust Company in New York City, to make more practical his course in money and banking.

- C. Westbrook Barritt, assistant professor of Spanish, will go abroad for study and research in Spain.
- W. G. Bean, professor of history, will supervise the final typing of his manuscript on "Sandie Pendleton," a lieutenant colonel in the Confederate Army.

Jack N. Behrman, associate professor of economics and political science, will work in Washington to complete, with a co-author, his text on international economics.

A. Ross Borden, Jr., associate professor of English, will study at the Houghton Library, Cambridge, in preparation for a course in sixteenth century literature.

Jay D. Cook, Jr., assistant professor of accounting, will undertake research in preparation for a course in public finance.

E. McGruder Faris, Jr., assistant professor of law, will make a comparative study of Virginia and Federal tax laws.

Marshall W. Fishwick, associate professor of American studies, will study in art museums, libraries, and an architectural firm in connection with courses in fine arts.

George H. Foster, professor of English, will engage in research at Harvard and elsewhere in New England in connection with a course in American literature.

Edward B. Hamer, assistant



Paul C. Buford, '13, chairman of the Alumni Fund Council, calls signals for regional agents J. Lynwood King, '43, Washington, D. C.; Karl P. Willard, '35, Fort Smith, Arkansas; Hayward F. Day, '29, New York; and Walter C. Aberg, Jr., '42, Los Angeles.

■ WASHINGTON AND LEE'S increasingly successful Alumni Fund took a significant step forward this spring with the organization of Regional Agents on a nation-wide scale, to complement the efforts of Class Agents in annual campaigns. Eighty-nine Regional Agents have been at work since April, from New York to Los Angeles and from Chicago to New Orleans.

In launching the campaign, a two-day conference was held March 23-24 to prepare these alumni solicitors for their new assignments. At the meetings, presided over by Paul C. Buford, '13, Chairman of the Alumni Fund Council, they heard a report on "Washington and and Lee Today" by University President Francis P. Gaines and other administrative officials.

Through the combined efforts of Class Agents, Regional Agents, and increased numbers of alumni contributors, the Fund now exceeds by \$25,000.00 last year's record-setting total of \$62,508.77. Alumni Secretary Cy Young reports that, with approximately a month left before the close of the 1956 campaign, "It looks like we're going to come mightly close to our goals of \$100,000 and 4,000 contributors."

professor of romance languages, will attend summer school at Mc-Gill University, studying contemporary French literature.

William A. Jenks, professor of history, will use the summer for typing and publication of his monograph entitled "Hitler's Vienna: 1907-1913."

George J. Irwin, associate professor of romance languages, will complete the typing of his translation of Raymond Aron's *Introduc*- tion a la Philosophie de l' Histoire.

Lewis K. Johnson, professor of commerce, will complete the typing of his book, *Introduction to Marketing Management*.

Lloyd J. Lanich, Jr., assistant professor of fine arts, will complete his Ph.D. dissertation on "Neoclassic Elements in the European Theater Arts."

Rupert N. Latture, professor of political science, will engage in research on the principles and devices of government in the "new" nations (India, Pakistan, etc.).

Marvin B. Perry, Jr., professor of English, will study for the preparation of a college text on an "approach to literature."

Wilfred J. Ritz, associate professor of law, will study in Washington and Cambridge on the origin, purpose, and interpretation of the conflict of laws clauses of the United States Constitution.

R. Winter Royston, professor of mathematics, will prepare and mimeograph collateral notes for a course in mathematics of investment.

Theodore A. Smedley, professor of law, will conduct research on methods of teaching legal ethics.

J. Harvey Wheeler, associate professor of political science, will publish a monograph entitled "Constitutional Crisis and Social Forces: an Analysis of the English Cabinet Crisis of 1931."

John H. Wise, associate professor of Chemistry, will complete the editing and typing of a laboratory manual for freshman chemistry.

Davis' First Two Novels Bring Honor and Praise

■ TO BE CHOSEN A FELLOW for the annual Bread Loaf Writers' Conference is a distinct honor. And Paxton Davis, assistant professor of journalism at Washington and Lee, has been selected as one of five young American writers so honored this year. For two weeks in August he will act as a junior staff member at various seminars conducted by the conference's directors in Middlebury, Vermont, for more than two hundred writers.

Usually so honored are young writers whose first works have just been published. Davis was recommended for the award by Simon and Schuster of New York, publishers of his first two short novels which appear this month under the combined title, *Two Soldiers*. The first of these novellas is about an Army deserter, the second about an Army "medic." Both have set-

tings in the Burma theatre of operations during the Second World War, where Davis served as a combat medic.

Two Soldiers has been received enthusiastically. Said a book review in the Richmond Times-Dispatch, "It is incredible that the two novellas in this book should be the author's first novels; his work has the skill...and finish of the old hand.... If his next book fulfills the expectations engendered by Two Soldiers, Davis can take a place in the upper echelons of writers of fiction."

Virginia's State of Mind Analyzed by Fishwick

■ AN ANALYSIS of the "state of mind" of the State of Virginia—that's the theme of *The Virginia Tradition*, by Dr. Marshall W. Fishwick, associate professor of American studies. His third publication in two years, this book seeks to relate geography, history, and politics to the state-wide thinking characteristic of the Old Dominion. Portions of the books appeared previously in the *Saturday Review*, *American Heritage*, *Commonwealth* and the *Virginia Magazine of History*.

Professor Myers To Spend Year in Munich, Germany

■ A YEAR IN MUNICH, Germany, is in the offing for Dr. Edward D. Myers, professor of philosophy at Washington and Lee. For he has been granted a one-year leave of absence to work on a special project for the Fund for the Advancement of Education. Myers will leave for Europe with his family at the end of the current school year. He plans to return in August, 1957.

During his absence, his classes will be taught by James A. Rikard, associate professor of philosophy and religion at Roanoke College. Professor Rikard received his academic training at Emory University, Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary, and Harvard University.

Eight Faculty Members Receive Promotions

■ EIGHT MEMBERS OF Washington and Lee's teaching staff have received advancements effective September 1. Six will attain the rank of full professor: R. Winter Royston in the department of mathematics; Rowland W. Nelson, George H. Foster, and Marvin B. Perry, Jr., in the department of English; William A. Jenks in the department of history; and David W. Sprunt, currently Director of Religious Activities, who will become professor of religion succeeding Dr. William W. Morton who will retire in June.

George J. Irwin will become associate professor and Edward B. Hamer an assistant professor of romance languages.

Buildings

Dining Hall-Dormitory To Be Constructed

■ IF CURRENT PLANS materialize on schedule, Washington and Lee will have a combination upperclass dormitory and University dining hall ready for use at the beginning of



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The skill and finish of an old hand

the 1957-58 college year. The Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, meeting in early April, voted to recommend to the full Board the construction of such a building. President Gaines has stated that he is "confident" that the recommendation will be adopted when the Board meets early in June.

Long a need at Washington and Lee and a top priority item in the University's Development Program, the new building will provide dining facilities for the entire freshman class and for such other students as may care to take their meals there, and dormitory accommodations for a number of upperclassmen and law students. The exact size and location of the building have yet to be determined.

A small campus dining hall was operated by the University through the 1951-52 college year, but was discontinued because not enough students took meals there to make the project economically feasible. With all freshmen eating in the new dining hall, sufficient financial support will be assured. Moreover, this new facility will complement the long-standing University policy under which freshmen live together in the dormitory.

Because most first-year students now take their meals at fraternities, and because a University dining hall might upset the economic balance within some of them, the President has appointed a Special Committee on Fraternity Finance to work with any fraternity which anticipates possible financial difficulty because of the new commons.

Sentiment for a University dining hall and upperclass dormitory has been growing for several years. In conferences with parents and prospective students, for example, officials of the Admissions Office have felt keenly the necessity of such a building.

Law School Dean Clayton E. Williams reports that enrollment in his school certainly has suffered because the University has had no

facilities to offer graduate students transferring to Washington and Lee from other schools.

Members of Omicron Delta Kappa, acting as a special committee during the early stages of Development Program planning, strongly urged construction of a freshman commons and upperclass dormitory and stated in its report that no building could contribute so much to University improvement as would a commons and dormitory.

Last December the faculty unanimously adopted a resolution requesting the Board of Trustees to proceed as soon as possible toward the erection of these facilities. In doing so the members of the group expressed concern that adequate dining and living quarters were not being provided for a substantial segment of the student body.

The student newspaper, *The Ring-tum Phi*, has debated the issue for several years. During the first semester of the current year it presented the pros and cons of the proposed new building, and editorially urged the earliest possible action by the University in providing these facilities. It emphasized that it was not "anti-fraternity" but "pro-University" in championing "a recognized need."

That need is about to be met.

Speakers

Variety Characterizes Topics of Visiting Lecturers

■ IF LEXINGTON BE ISOLATED, as some maintain it to be, it is a fact continually belied by the steady stream of guest speakers to campus halls. Certainly that has been the case this spring, as visitors have addressed students on subjects rangfrom Woodrow Wilson to Hitler, and from national political thought to local journalistic procedures.

In keeping with the nationwide Woodrow Wilson Centennial, Washington and Lee brought to the campus for its Phi Beta Kappa lec-

ture an eminent Wilson scholar, Dr. Gordon Alexander Craig, professor of history at Princeton University. Dr. Craig spoke on Wilson's idealism, widening his topic to include the pertinent question, "Is idealism in our foreign policy today a weak-After tracing Wilson's thought progression in the field of foreign affairs, Craig acceded that the president had failed to achieve his goals for post war peace. "But," he continued, "to say that he failed is not to say that he was wrong. It may be that idealism is the more real realism."

Further emphasis on Wilson came during the second annual International Relations Week, when students studied the effect of Woodrow Wilson on world international relations. Dr. Ralph E. Purcell, associate professor of political science at Sweet Briar and a former viceconsul at Bangalore, India, spoke on "The Wilson Tradition in Asia," and Dr. D. F. Fleming, research professor of political science at Vanderbilt, addressed students on the subject "Woodrow Wilson and Collective Security Today." These speakers also participated in classroom talks and informal discussions with students.



When the Ford Foundation funds are issued, Professor, maybe you'll get your own bicycle.

(c), 1955, New York Herald Tribune, Inc. Reproduced by permission An unusual visitor and speaker was Count Alexander Stauffenberg, one of the famous German trio of brothers who attempted the assassination of Adolph Hitler. Count Stauffenberg, whose brothers were executed by the Nazis for treason, is dean of the philosophy faculty and professor of ancient history at the University of Munich. He spoke to German and humanities classes. The Count, a poet as well as a philosopher and historian, is touring this country under the auspices of the American government.

Journalism students received practical "working" advice from two sources. William A. Lashley, Washington public relations manager for the Ford Motor Company, addressed students enrolled in the course in public relations, and Louis Spilman, editor and publisher of the Waynesboro (Virginia) News-Virginian, spoke to members of the University's chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalism fraternity. Spilman is a former visiting lecturer in the journalism department, and his son, Louis, Jr., was a member of the Class of 1952.

"American Isolationism, Past and Present," was the topic for an April lecture by Dr. Eric F. Goldman, of Princeton University, who spoke under the auspices of Washington and Lee's history department. Goldman is an authority on American history since 1898, with special emphasis on the cultural aspects of its national life. He currently is conducting studies in American isolationism in Washington, Chicago, and Wisconsin under a Guggenheim Fellowship.

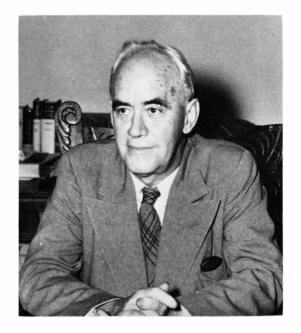
Speaking before Washington and Lee students and 980 delegates to the 1956 SIPA convention, NBC news analyst, Pauline Frederick, urged young journalists to take as their motto: "Inform and educate." The Southern Interscholastic Press Association convention also brought to the campus the famous cartoonist, Rube Goldberg, who recently

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Dr. MoffattTo Retire

George H. Foster, '34



FTER SERVING THE University for A thirty-six years, Dr. James Strong Moffatt, Jr., is retiring. He came to Washington and Lee as a member of the Department of English in 1920 and since 1938 has been chairman of the department. Dr. Moffatt has taught in a wide variety of fields: Anglo-Saxon, Romanticism, American Literature, and twentieth century poetry. He has served on almost every University committee. For as long as most Lexingtonians can remember, he has been a diligent member of the faculty and a good citizen.

But, as hundreds of Washington and Lee men will testify, he has been more than only "diligent" and better than simply "good." His office has always been open to the inquiring, the confused, and the merely friendly passer-by. He has been sparing of heavy-handed advice and prodigal of his time. No student ever left Dr. Moffatt's office with the feeling he had been brushed off or that his problems had been treated lightly. He has read more themes and term papers and examinations than he probably cares to remember; but, with a devotion that has always astonished his colleagues, he has read those endless papers with care, never failing to make a comment that

gave due credit to the talented and encouragement to the strugglers.

He has enjoyed teaching and liked the people he has taught. When he saw them outside the classroom, he never failed to convey his pleasure at seeing them or his conviction that whatever they were doing was perfectly all right with him. He has always believed in the ultimate decency of Washington and Lee students; somehow this belief has persuaded young men to behave in a way that would please Dr. Moffatt. He has seldom missed a student event and for years has been our most ardent sports fan, in the good times and lean ones.

Perhaps his most remarkable quality has been his tolerance. Though a man of strong convictions, he has tried not to preach to the young. He knows the frailty of students but his knowledge has never led him to denunciations of the uncertain, the imperfect, and the gullible. He has never insisted on his own superiority at the expense of those who still have much to learn.

To the unsophisticated in his classes, he has been gentle and understanding. To the ultra-sophisticated, a few of whom always seem to love books and loathe people, he has sometimes been able

to impart a sense of measure, never discouraging the desire to learn, but conveying always the humane aspect of the humanities he has taught so long and so well. To the city boys who came to Washington and Lee he has brought the generous spirit of that fine kind of Southerner who loves literature and dogs and birds and people, though not necessarily in that order. As chairman of the Department of English, he has always been generous, fair, and humorous. By trusting the men who have served under him, he has extracted their best. And no man on the faculty has corresponded more faithfully with his former students. He has kept alive the loyalty and the love of learning of many alumni in far places.

The Board of Trustees has named Dr. Moffatt professor emeritus. His colleagues plan to honor him at commencement time.

He is leaving Lexington sometime early this summer for Mt. Chicasaw, near Due West, South Carolina, where he and Mrs. Moffatt will make their home. Older alumni will be pleased, but probably not surprised, to learn he is hale and hearty. His last year here has been marked by the same self-less devotion to his task which has distinguished his entire career.

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has won a Pulitzer prize for his political cartoons. "Cartooning," he said, " is not an accidental profession. It is one of the most confined, restrained jobs and is a basic form of art and entertainment."

Law School

Tucker Hall Men Record Activities and Honors

■ THE ASSORTMENT OF NOTICES and announcements tacked to Tucker Hall's two bulletin boards indicates a busy spring semester for law students with a variety of legal activities and honors. Sample notices include:

The Bar: Eight out of nine candidates for the Virginia Bar passed the State examination given in December. This high passing average among Washington and Lee's undergraduate law students, all of whom were taking the examination

for the first time, compares very favorably with the state-wide average of 42 per cent.

Religious Conference: Law students were especially interested in the lectures and informal classroom talks of Dr. Samuel E. Stumpf, guest speaker during the University's annual Religious Conference in February. Dr. Stumpf, professor of philosophy at Vanderbilt and a law graduate, spoke on legal ethics and the morality of the law.

Lecture Series: Three outstanding lawyers appeared on the Student Bar Association's spring lecture series: William L. Zimmer, of the Richmond firm of McGuire, Eggleston, Bocock, and Wood, spoke on the general subject of taxation; Dr. Charles W. Whitmore of Lynchburg, a lawyer-physician, conducted two lectures on medical jurisprudence; and Edmund D. Campbell, B.A. '18 and LL.B. '22, spoke on law practice in the federal courts. Campbell, son of the late Dean Henry D. Campbell of Washington and Lee, is a member of a law firm in Washington, D.C.

Professional Fraternities: New initiates of Washington and Lee's two legal fraternities were welcomed into the University's chapters in March. Ten law students were initiated into Phi Alpha Delta, fifteen into Phi Delta Phi. Edward S. Graves, B.A. '30 and M.A. '31, a practicing attorney from Lynchburg, was named an honorary member of Phi Delta Phi.

Mock Convention: Notices of state delegation meetings, committee posts, and state assignments occupied considerable space on the bulletin boards during April as law students assumed many leadership roles in the Mock Convention. Chairman of the Convention was Carl D. Swanson, an intermediate law student from Kansas City, Missouri. Four law students served on the steering committee, while eight others were chairmen of various state delegations.

Order of the Coif: Special honor was paid to three students when they were initiated into the Order of the Coif, for "distinguished scholarship among seniors in the School of Law"—Edward E. Ellis, Fort Knox, Kentucky; Beverly G. Stephenson, Wakefield, Virginia; and George S. Wilson, III, Owensboro, Kentucky.

Students

Board Directs Abolition of "Hell Week" Excesses

■ TO THE FACULTY AT ITS April meeting President Gaines read a directive from the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, having as its purpose the abolition of all "Hell Week" excesses among Washington and Lee's seventeen Greek letter fraternities.

"The Executive Committee..." the directive stated, "takes cognizance of the disastrous tragedy which recently occurred at one of the eastern educational institutions of collegiate rank in connection with fraternity hazing, as widely reported by the press.



As a laboratory exercise in Play Production class, the students designed and erected this two-story set on the stage of the University's Troubadour Theater. The set was constructed for a winter production of Eugene O'Neill's "Desire Under the Elms." Experience in modern theatre, direction, and acting is offered by the Department of Fine Arts.

"The Executive Committee directs the faculty to take promptly such steps as the faculty deems to be appropriate to prevent the introduction or carrying on of such outmoded practices at Washington and Lee."

The incident referred to was the death of a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology as a result of a fraternity stunt.

The Faculty Committee on Fraternities set to work immediately, and after initial study asked the student Interfraternity Council to make known its feelings on the subject and to present such information as it thought pertinent. The Council requested that four of its representatives meet with the Faculty Committee in an effort to work out a plan for effective action, the enforcement of which would be assumed by the Interfraternity Council. Out of the meeting of this joint group came a unanimously endorsed set of proposals which subsequently was approved unanimously by the full Interfraternity Council and faculty bodies.

The following proposals, therefore, shall govern hazing at Washington and Lee fraternities.

- 1. No fraternity shall violate the basic principles of good taste, and a fraternity will initiate no activity which will be detrimental to the reputation of the Washington and Lee community.
- 2. No initiation or pledge training activity shall constitute any physical or emotional hazard to the individual. Such potential hazards include the "long walk," dangerous physical exertion or exhaustion. physical violence, paddling, and other types of obvious abuse. It is understood that the fraternities will exercise no jurisdiction over the pledges during the following: for six consecutive hours between midnight and 8:00 a.m.; between 8:25 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.; or while any regular academic work is scheduled.
 - 3. No pledge training or initia-

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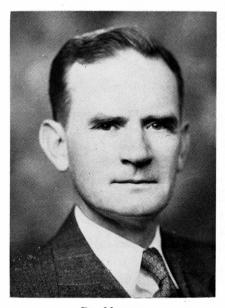
Dr. Morton Retires After Thirty Years

D^{R.} WILLIAM W. MORTON, professor of philosophy and religion at Washington and Lee University and a member of the faculty since 1925, will retire at the end of the current school year, President Francis P. Gaines recently announced.

Dr. Morton, who is 65, came to Washington and Lee in 1925 as assistant professor of Bible, and in 1928 he was promoted to full professor of philosophy and religion. He now heads the Department of Religion.

A native of Oxford, North Carolina, he is a graduate of Davidson College, Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, and attended the University of Glasgow. He holds A.B., B.D., and D.D. degrees.

During World War I, he saw service in France as a chaplain with the American 81st Division. After three years in the Army with the rank of captain, Dr. Morton became director of religious education at



DR. MORTON
Only the best influence on students

the First Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, North Carolina, a post he held for four years.

In addition to his academic duties at Washington and Lee, Dr. Morton has been active throughout his teaching career as an ordained minister of the Presbyterian Church. A member of Lexington Presbytery, he has frequently served as supply minister for numerous churches in the Lexington area.

In announcing Dr. Morton's retirement, President Gaines said, "Dr. Morton has rendered distinguished service as a teacher and as faculty chairman of the University religious program, and he has been a delightful comrade to his colleagues and has exerted only the best influence on his students."

Upon completion of his teaching duties, which include courses in Old Testament history and literature, the life of Christ and Christian ethics, comparative religion, the philosophy of religion, logic, and the history of philosophy, Dr. Morton plans to devote his time to writing, continued study and as much gardening as his health will permit. He has long been recognized as one of Lexington's and Rockbridge County's most successful "green thumbs."

He and Mrs. Morton live at 303 South Jefferson Street, in the home once occupied by Mrs. Morton's father, Dr. Granville Campbell, when he was professor and head of the political science department at Washington and Lee. Mrs. Morton is a direct descendant of a member of the board of trustees of Liberty Hall Academy, from which eventually evolved Washington and Lee University.

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tion activities will take place outside of the corporate limits of Lexington with the exception of such functions as formal initiation banquets or service to the community.

4. In accepting responsibility for the enforcement of the rules adopted, the Interfraternity Council proposes that the Council enforce these rules through such penalties as curtailing of pledging and initiation privileges, the complete closing of a house for a reasonable period, fraternity suspension, or penalties applied to offending individuals.

Student Group Organizes Campus Guide Service

■ A GROUP OF PUBLIC relationsminded students at Washington and Lee have formed an organization to provide campus guide service for all visitors desiring more than the usual tourist's look at the Colonnade from the Lee Chapel entrance. Known as the Student Service Society, the group is made up of eighteen seniors, juniors, and second-semester sophomores who volunteer their free time for this purpose.

The organization is headed by Russell B. Myers, a senior commerce student from Baltimore, who with a handful of other students recognized the need for such a service at Washington and Lee. Additional students were enlisted, and with approval from the University's administration and faculty, the guide service was begun during the first semester.

Qualifications for membership in the Society include sincerity of purpose, willingness to learn about the University, availability, and scholastic standing. Members must study material concerning Washington and Lee's history and the University's many traditions. And before a student is "checked out" for guide duty he must be able to answer just about any question a stranger might put to him about the school.

One of the Society's primary objectives is to assist the Dean's Office in playing host to prospective

students and their families, a service which Dean of Students Frank J. Gilliam and Assistant Dean James D. Farrar have been quick to welcome.

Couples Cavort in "Oz" at Fancy Dress Ball

■ THE LAND OF OZ, complete with yellow-brick road, tin figures, and all the well-known characters of that land of fantasy, was the setting for this winter's collegiate Fancy Dress Ball. Gaily dressed students and onlookers crowded into the transformed gymnasium to share the light-hearted gaiety of make-believe. Cardboard clouds, birds, and butterflies fluttered overhead; and murals of story-book characters covered the walls. At one end of the floor stood a huge open replica of the children's classic, "The Wizard of Oz." At the other end sparkled the Emerald Throne. Between them stretched the yellow-brick road-of canvas-with its dangers and pitfalls. Along that path Dorothy, the Scarecrow, the Tin Woodman, the Cowardly Lion and others performed their intricate dance figure as they managed to evade the Wicked Witch and arrive at the haven of the Wizard.

The annual Fancy Dress extravaganza is one of the best-known collegiate social events of the South. Except for the costumes, students plan and do all the work, designing, building, and painting the decorations, rehearsing the figures, and organizing the undertaking.

Students Build Second War Memorial Scholarship

■ IN 1947, WHEN VETERANS were enrolled at the University in large numbers, some students were discussing one night their own good fortune at being able to return to college. Their conversation turned to what they might do as a fitting memorial to classmates and friends who had been killed in the War. In



Fancy Dress President, Henry Heymann of New Orleans, enrobed as the Wizard of Oz, and his "Princess," Miss Sharon Cohen, also from New Orleans, parade before admiring subjects at the annual Ball, one of the South's most famous collegiate social events.



The Deevine Comedy featured this "heavenly" combination of cute co-eds, angel end-men, and uninhibited faculty vocalizers

search of something even more lasting than a building or monument, they hit upon the idea of a scholar-ship endowed through their own collective effort. With the hearty approval of the student Executive Committee and the University administrative officials, the group set to work to raise the necessary funds.

Self - perpetuating committees have captured the enthusiasm of the original group. By 1954 they had achieved the first \$10,000 goal and had set as their new objective the endowment of a second scholarship. Projects have included the annual interfraternity "Corn Bowl" football game, several concerts, and their most recent feature, a musical comedy written, produced, directed and acted by the students themselves. This year's show, entitled "Deevine Comedy," played to capacity crowds for four consecutive performances on the campus and a fifth at Hollins College.

Ohio Senior Named '56 Valedictorian

■ AN ECONOMICS MAJOR from Bay Village, Ohio, Philip D. Monger, has been elected valedictorian of the Class of 1956. His seven-semester record contains 80 semes-

ter hours of "A" work and only 29 hours of "B" work.

Monger is at Washington and Lee on a scholarship established by the Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation to encourage promising students to enter the fields of commerce and industry. Recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa, he has been president of his fraternity, Delta Upsilon, and a member of the ROTC band and Glee Club.

University Honor Societies Initiate New Members

■ STUDENTS FROM THIRTEEN states have been chosen for membership in Washington and Lee's chapters of Beta Gamma Sigma, honor society of the School of Commerce, and Phi Beta Kappa. Two seniors, William C. Norman, Jr., of Crossett, Arkansas, and Don E. Fryburger of Cincinnati, Ohio, were selected by both honoraries.

Other initiates in Beta Gamma Sigma were seniors Leonard C. Greenebaum of Richmond, Virginia, and Jon Marvin Moreland of Galveston, Texas.

Selected for membership in Phi Beta Kappa were two law students, thirteen seniors, one junior, and two alumni.

Law seniors honored were Ed-

ward E. Ellis of Fort Knox, Kentucky, and Beverly G. Stephenson of Wakefield, Virginia. The senior initiates included: Arnold M. Applefeld, Baltimore, Maryland; Clay B. Carr, Jr., Winchester, Virginia; Gilbert Dale Cornelius, Charlotte, North Carolina; Ronald W. Fast, Chandler, Arizona; Robert Gordon Gooch, Fort Worth, Texas; Edward M. Hood, Jr., Birmingham Alabama; Arthur W. McCain, Jr., Memphis, Tennessee; Donald G. McKaba, Brooklyn, New York; Philip D. Monger, Bay Village, Ohio; Thomas D. Sale, Jr., Panama City, Florida; and Raymond Stultz, Evanston, Illinois.

Others selected at the same time were Walter R. Holmquist, a junior from Kansas City, Missouri; alumnus William D. Goode, '55, of Newport News, Virginia, now studying in Europe on a Fulbright Scholarship; and Dr. Duncan McConnell, '31, head of the department of mineralogy and assistant dean of the graduate school at Ohio State.

Students Challenged To Act as They Profess

■ THE FIRST BY-LAW of the official regulations of Washington and Lee affirms that while sectarian domina-



"Are laws based on social customs or on what is morally right?" students asked Dr. Stumpf during Religious Conference.

tion in the school is prohibited, "the obligation to inculcate the Christian ideal is hereby acknowledged." In keeping with this ideal, the University and its Student Christian Council each year sponsor a Religious Conference which brings outstanding Christian leaders to the campus for a three-day schedule of public lectures, classroom talks, conferences, and small discussion groups.

Theme for this year's conference was "Christian Ethics on the Campus—and Beyond." Speakers included Dr. Waldo Beach, professor of Christian Ethics at Duke University, who spoke on "The Danger of Decency"; Dr. Samuel E. Stumpf, head of the department of philosophy at Vanderbilt University, who spoke on "The Tryanny of Freedom"; and Colonel Francis Pickens Miller, a member of the Central Committee of the World Council of Churches and former gubernatorial candidate in Virginia.

Dr. Beach applied the ethics of Christianity to college life and theories of education. Dr. Stumpf, a graduate lawyer and lecturer in Vanderbilt's Law School, spoke to undergraduates and law students about legal ethics. Colonel Miller emphasized the inter-relation of practical politics and religious con-

victions. All three leaders urged students to act as they profess, relating religious values to their own personal lives and problems, on campus and in the world beyond.

Tuesday, Friday Editors Named for Ring-tum Phi

■ THE UNIVERSITY'S PUBLICATIONS Board has named two Maryland students as editors of the Tuesday and Friday editions of *The Ringtum Phi*. Thomas V. Litzenburg of Cumberland will head the Tuesday staff, while Richard G. Anderson of Gambrills will direct publication of the Friday issue. Each brings to his new assignment four years of experience as a staff member; each has been managing editor of his edition during the current session.

The Friday edition of *The Ring-tum Phi* won first place this year among Virginia college newspapers in competition sponsored by the Virginia Intercollegiate Press Association. Its current editor is E. Gerald Hopkins of Haddonfield, New Jersey. Hopkins will be a senior next year and has been named editor of the *Southern Collegian*.

English Major Awarded Wilson Fellowship

■ EDWARD M. HOOD, JR., a senior from Birmingham, Alabama, has been awarded a Woodrow Wilson Fellowship for one year's study in English at the University of Minnesota. Hood, an English major, was one of the 174 American and Canadian students to receive Wilson awards, out of the 1,671 students nominated.

These fellowships are sponsored by the Association of Graduate Schools (an organization within the Association of American Universities) and are underwritten jointly by the Association's members, the Carnegie Corporation of New York, and the General Education Board. The awards are reserved for young scholars demonstrating "marked promise for the teaching profession and possessing the highest qualities of intellect, character, personality."

Hood is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and will be among the top three graduates this year in academic standing. He has served as editor of *Shenandoah*, Washington and Lee's literary magazine, and was a member of the University's "College Quiz Bowl" team which has participated for the past three years on the popular NBC radio show.

Athletics

Individual Achievements Highlight Mediocre Season

■ THE LATE WINTER SPORTS scene was enlivened by notable individual achievements and a surprising climax in basketball.

The quintet, with 12 wins and 16 losses, ended the season in a near blaze of glory, pulling off the upset of the year in the Southern Conference by beating top-seeded George Washington, 63-60, in the first round of the conference tournament at Richmond March 1. Sophomore Dom Flora of Jersey City sparked the Generals with 28 points in the exciting contest, but on the following night neither

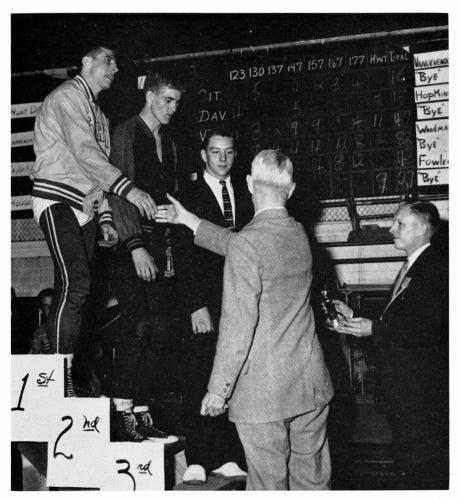


Co-captains Dickey Johnson and Carlos Bailey discuss plans with Coach Corrigan. for lacrosse team's trip abroad (page 17).

Flora nor his mates could keep pace with Richmond's accurate shooting and the game ended with the disappointing score of 65-56.

Team high-scorer was Flora with 607 points this year for a 21.7 average per game, giving him a 1,160 total for his two-year varsity career, just 26 shy of an all-time major college record for a player in his first two years of school. All-State Center Lee Marshall from Ashland, Kentucky, made 346 before a broken finger took him out of play for the final seven games.

- THE WRESTLING PICTURE was spotty as Coach Dick Miller's grapplers ended the season with three victories, four losses, and one tie, and took third place in the Southern Conference tournament, held in Doremus Gymnasium. However, in that meet Gibby McSpadden from Memphis, Tennessee, won his third consecutive conference championship, this time in the 177-pound bracket, and finished his college wrestling career with an amazing record of 39 wins and 3 losses.
- TO REDEEM THE WINTER sports picture, Coach Cy Twombly's swimmers posted a creditable 6-3 record and breaststroker Jay Fox set a new pool mark in the Generals' upset win over Davidson.
- ALTHOUGH COACH TWOMBLY'S young golfers failed to repeat as Southern Conference champions, they did post an outstanding record in dual matches, made a creditable showing in an intersectional quadrangular match, and finished second in the conference tournament and third in the Virginia Intercollegiate playoffs. The team gained victories over Northern Illinois State. Dartmouth, Lynchburg, William and Mary, Richmond, George Washington, and West Virginia, while dropping matches to Virginia Tech (twice) and Virginia. In the quadrangular match at White Sulphur Springs' Greenbrier, the Generals lost to Ohio University, but tied Colgate and defeated Denison.



Wrestler Gibby McSpadden receives congratulations from Dean James G. Leyburn on his third Southern Conference championship, as Coach Dick Miller watches approvingly.

- ON THE TENNIS COURTS, Coach Bill Chipley's boys completed a winning season, defeating Kenyon, Marshall, and William and Mary in singles matches and twice beat Virginia Tech and Hampden-Sydney. The squad lost to Virginia, George Washington, and twice to Richmond. In the conference tennis tournament, the Generals wound up fourth.
- IMPROVED HITTING AND pitching characterized the 1956 baseball campaign, but a plague of errors resulted in a 6-13 record, somewhat better than the 4 wins and 17 defeats of last spring. Victories were recorded over Davidson, The Citadel, William and Mary, Richmond, VPI, and Hampden-Sydney, with losses coming at the hands of Davidson, The Citadel, William and Mary, VPI, Richmond, George Washington (2), West Virginia (2), Lynchburg (2), and Virginia (2).

Despite the disappointing season, Coach McCann expects a fine team next year for most of the players will be returning. Especially capable are two big freshmen, righthander Dick Newberg of North Haven, Connecticut, and first sacker Jack Daughtrey of Chester, Va.

- HIGHLIGHT OF THE TRACK season was the shattering of the Washington and Lee shot-put record by junior Alex Platt of Riverside, Connecticut. Platt's heave of 45 feet 3½ inches against Davidson broke the existing standard of 44 feet 6 inches set by H. C. Owings, Jr., in 1936. Platt now holds both shot and discus records for the Generals. The track squad as a whole completed the season with a 2-6 record.
- AMONG THE SPRING SPORTS, lacrosse gave spectators the highest

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From Director Robert Stewart . . .

M usic is fun, and good music should be enjoyed by participants and listeners alike. That's the feeling of Robert Stewart, assistant professor of music, who is completing his second year on the Washington and Lee Campus. And the well-rounded musical program of the University this year seems to demonstrate his theory, for performers have been enthusiastic, new musical groups have been formed, and appreciative audiences have responded to both traditional and modern musical expressions.

Like June, music "is bustin' out all over." As proof, one has only to run down the list of University-sponsored musical activities and opportunities quite apart from formal course work and the personal enjoyment of records in the Anderson Music Room. These activities include the Glee Club, the Concert and Marching Band, the Blue Tops, the Intercollegiate Chamber Orchestra, the German Band, and the Concert Guild. The high calibre of performance, the variety and scope of the music performed, and the number of student initiated and directed productions prove that the University's musical activities fit nicely and with propriety within the program of a well-balanced liberal arts college.

Student-sponsored musical organizations and activities include the Sazeracs, the Southern Collegians,

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several "combo" groups, the "Empty Fifths," and the Interfraternity Song Fest.

Largest of the musical groups, the Glee Club has had an especially busy year, with nine major performances. The 32-voice chorus joined with the Roanoke Symphony Orchestra and several other college glee clubs to present Mozart's "Requiem," in both Roanoke and Lynchburg. Other concerts were divided between performances at Washington and Lee and at neighboring colleges.

Glee Club innovations this year have included a freshman quartet, the Blue Tops, who sing humorous songs without accompaniment, and a bi-monthly radio program, "The Washington and Lee Glee Club Presents." The Glee Club's student secretary, William T. M. Grigg of Bethesda, Maryland, produced this half-hour show on the local radio station by carefully editing tape recordings of the Glee Club and other local musical performances.

The University Band, in addition to appearing at athletic contests and at the Mock Convention, has given several formal concerts. A new feature of this organization is a five-piece "German band" composed of a cornet, a trombone, two clarinets, and a tuba. Student-conducted, this group lends unique flavor to a program of more traditional band presentations, with renditions of German waltzes in Old-World style.

For the enjoyment and enrichment of campus and community, the University's Concert Guild, a student

organization, sponsors campus concerts with guest musicians and exceptionally qualified students. Its five programs this year have included: Menotti's opera "Amahl and the Night Visitors," with students joining guest artists in singing and in playing in the pit orchestra; noted violist; two pianists, one of them Dean James G. Leyburn; and a folk singer, senior Frank R. Ahlgren, Jr., of Memphis, Tennessee.

In a lighter vein, the Southern Collegians, a dance band organized in 1950, and newer "combos" have played for dances and other University functions. The Sazeracs, a singing group formed last year, appeared at Parents' Day and sang for the 25th and 50th Alumni Reunions. In its third year, the Interfraternity Song Fest is gaining in popularity, with musical representation from six fraternity groups. Newest of the student organizations is the "Empty Fifths," a singing group from Phi Kappa Psi fraternity.

Not all of these organizations are University-sponsored. "But," said Stewart, "we are happy to see this enthusiasm for music and gladly encourage such interest, for we are impressed by what Washington and Lee students can do and are doing musically." The depth and diversity of Washington and Lee's musical activities underscore his assertion.



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All Profit But the Professor

I that American higher education is a multi-million dollar business. Yet, a great portion of our population has very hazy notions of how it operates. This fact became painfully clear not long ago when a student innocently asked, "Who gets the profit from this college?"

I gave a short answer to the question by saying that it was foolish since the college is a nonprofit organization that never has enough money and is always within a few dollars of running a deficit. But the more I reflected on the question the less sure I was of the adequacy of the answer.

Actually, of course, a large number of people make a profit on the college. The books we need for instruction are printed by commercial companies and sold to us at a price which includes an adequate profit for stockholders, an adequate royalty for authors, and far from indecent salaries for the book publishers' employees. Our laboratories are stocked with test tubes, meters, gauges, ovens, burners, refrigerators, motors, computing machines, and thousands of other large and small pieces of equipment which are all sold to us at a price which includes considerable profit. The desk used for study, the light burned at night, the coal consumed for warmth, the cement for sidewalks, the bricks, the paint-practically everything necessary for an educational plant is bought by the college at prices which produce profit for stockholders and salaries for countless thousands who never see the student or visit the campus.

The student himself receives a large profit. For the investment of his time and effort he learns about the world of the past, the condition of the present, and the hopes and fears of the future. If the student is diligent he will leave college with an infinitely richer mind and spirit. All of the profits which go in money to the suppliers of educational equipment become insignificant and trivial besides the profit that accrues to the student.

It seems that the American educational structure has provided an adequate reward for everyone connected with it—except the professors. And the professors are placed at the most sensitive points in the structure. Without them it would cease to exist; with them it will exist and be good, bad, excellent, or indifferent.

Books in a library, test tubes over a burner, mathematical chalk marks on a blackboard, stars through a telescope, maps on a wall, and the statistics of the Federal Reserve Bank become meaningful and important only when a learned professor interprets them and works them into the fabric of knowledge and life. The professor stands as a willing guide for the student who must learn not by indiscriminate reading or undisciplined laboratory doodling. These guides cannot be replaced by electronic brains, the printed page, or tape recorders. They must be human beings who inspire by example and mutual trust. The true professor is not an animated card file; he is rather the creator of living knowledge from dead facts, theories, and figures.

Some institutions have been able to reward professors for their labors only by giving them the chance to be creative. The economic rewards from education have gone to the contractors, the coal mine owners, the banks, the book publishers, the desk makers, and a host of other people. The professors who make the whole enterprise possible have asked for little and the American public has been willing to accept their sacrifice with only a faint nod of appreciation.

The time now has come when individual colleges must make some serious decisions. We know that more people want fine educations than ever before and we know that there are not enough excellent professors to do the job. We know that fewer people are going into teaching because only a few can see an economic reward sufficient for a decent family life. And now each college must decide whether or not it will raise its fees and its salaries to a level that will attract excellent people or whether it will live with a constantly lowering educational standard.

And the American people must decide whether or not they wish to jeopardize the future economic, political, intellectual, and moral strength of this republic by refusing to pay for the proper development of our greatest natural resource—brains.

^{*}DR. JOHN R. EVERETT, President of Hollins College. Adapted, with permission, from his column in the March 1956 Bulletin of Hollins College.

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calibre of play, for the General stickmen played the finest lacrosse teams in the United States, lost to the very best, and beat their share of the non-championship squads. The record showed victories over Delaware, Loyola, Duke, and Washington College, and losses to the Maryland Lacrosse Club, Hofstra, Maryland (undefeated national champions), Johns Hopkins, Mt. Washington Lacrosse Club, Baltimore University (Class B champions), and Virginia.

Lacrosse Team Plans Trip to England During Summer

■ THIS RUGGED LACROSSE schedule should prepare the team for its trip to England for exhibition play this summer, Coach Gene Corrigan believes. The University's squad will play a series of games against British college teams, including Oxford and Cambridge, squads, and all-star line-ups. Washington and Lee is the fourth college to send a lacrosse team to England. Funds for the trip are being supplied by 15 to 25 team members who will make the journey, supplemented by alumni contributions and by donations from interested Baltimore firms and individuals. Also, proceeds from a special program prepared for the Mt. Washington contest and gate receipts from the Washington and Lee-Baltimore game will help defray the team's expenses.

Students Conduct Poll on Intercollegiate Athletics

■ EIGHTY-EIGHT PER CENT of the students at Washington and Lee favor some form of football subsidization and eighty-six per cent wish con-

tinued subsidization in basketball, according to a poll conducted by a special student fact-finding board appointed by the Executive Committee. This board, composed of the presidents of the three law classes, the presidents of the sophomore, junior, and senior classes, and the freshman executive committeeman, talked with University officials and students for more than two months, to determine costs, revenues and

scholarship policy, and to recommend changes. The board's report, which included a financial appraisal of recent years under the old program as well as the new, included a recommendation that Washington and Lee provide academic scholarships for athletes of unusual scholarly promise, and a suggestion that the present requirement for maintaining such scholarships be lowered "somewhat" from a B average.

BORN OF A MOCK POLITICAL CONVENTION:

Excitement and Tragedy, Inspiration and Understanding

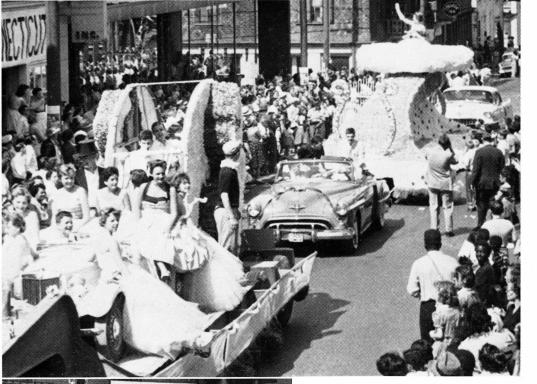
ASHINGTON AND LEE'S Mock Democratic Convention already has attracted world-wide attention; the tragic interruption of its opening session by Senator Alben Barkley's sudden death and the convention's subsequent postponement have been reported in full.

But the events leading up to the keynote address and the resumption of the convention at Mrs. Barkley's urgent request deserve telling, for to the participants they constitute a never-to-be-forgotten experience, to which the impact of a great political personality brought special vitality and meaning.

Since early November, Convention Chairman Carl Swanson, an intermediate law student from Kansas City, had organized and super-

vised state and territorial delegations, and had worked with the press and other committees. Every man in the student body had been assigned to a state delegation. Throughout the winter and during the spring vacation, state chairmen and delegates had been busy at home-state political headquarters, searching for material and information and consulting with party leaders to determine current political trends. For upon the accuracy and acumen of their investigations was to rest the authenticity of each "state's" vote.

As the convention neared, state offices mushroomed in Lexington; posters of the candidates in extravagant dimensions were hung in downtown restaurants and store



Political fever in a holiday atmosphere





windows; excitement and political interest grew. Notices of meetings filled the campus paper: "The North Carolina delegation will meet at 5:45 Monday in the Student Union...The New York delegation will meet at 7:30 Friday in the mezzanine of the Robert E. Lee Hotel...Members of the California delegation will meet at their headquarters opposite Pres Brown's Sport Shop." Students studied papers and editorials with unusual interest. At fraternity suppers and drugstore sessions the talk was of the issues and the nominees.

"States" planned their strategy, built floats, organized their delegations. After the surprising spring primaries, self-appointed campaigners from the ranks of New York, Michigan, Texas, and Missouri carefully planned their tactics and organized "the boom" for favorite sons. By the time classes were over at noon on Monday, April 30, the whole campus was seething with political fever, and beneath the holiday "school's out" atmosphere churned genuine political enthusiasm and new understanding of the political game.

In the hot, humid afternoon a colorful, mile-long parade, with more than ninety marching units,

bands, floats, and drill teams, wound through the crowded Lexington streets. In the lead car with University President Gaines sat Senator Barkley, whose appearance as convention keynoter gave proof to the national political prestige accorded the current mock convention. Virginia's Governor Stanley rode in the second car. Pretty students from nearby women's colleges sat precariously atop papertufted floats. An all-girl band dressed in kilts played shrill Scottish music. New Jersey's float proudly displayed Miss America, the national beauty. Little boys and dogs raced beside the displays as the parade moved slowly and noisily from the assembly point on the Virginia Military Institute's parade ground, through downtown Lexington, to the convention hall in the University's Doremus Gymnasium.

As delegates and visitors crowded into the auditorium, hilarious students in a mood of compressed excitement waved state placards and cheered. Student Body President Ellis Drew of Anderson, South Carolina, called the meeting to order. A temporary roll was presented, committees were appointed, and the call given for nominations for temporary chairman. A delegate from the "State of California" (Townsend Oast, from Portsmouth, Virginia, and chairman of the 1952 mock convention) rose to nominate Senator Alben W. Barkley; the seconding speech came from the Virginia delegation.

Amid tumultuous applause, the Senator, having been introduced officially by Governor Stanley, stepped vigorously to the platform, banged the gavel, and launched into a good-humored partisan speech, full of scorn for Republican "stagnation," loyal praise for Democratic "progress"-exactly what was called for to give flavor and authenticity to a mock Democratic convention. With a full-armed gesture he knocked over a microphone. "That's nothing," he quipped, "to what will happen to the Republicans in November."

The "old pro" obviously was enjoying himself in his oft-repeated role as Democratic keynoter. And a thousand young men in the audience, catching the spirit, reacted to almost every sentence with enthusiastic applause.

Barkley recited his long association with the Democratic party and his many terms of service in Washington, and stated with a smile that he was once again a junior senator, taking a back seat. "But," he said, clearly and with deep conviction, "I had rather be a servant in the house of the Lord than sit in the seat of the mighty."

Then he dropped his head, took a step backward, and fell to the floor, dead.

THE AUDIENCE SAT STUNNED and silent. After long minutes the Senator was taken from the hall and the assembly dismissed.

In the balcony were several students who had been serving as reporters, along with professional representatives of many newspapers and the wire services. Until the Senator's collapse, this student press, with the rest of the "mock" convention, had been in a sense "playacting." But at this instant it stopped being a game and became press reporting of the first order.



Shared enthusiasm

John K. Jennings, a senior from Nashville, Tennessee, was taperecording the session for "Home Edition," the School of Journalism's nightly radio program. When Senator Barkley collapsed, he, like everyone else, froze for a moment.

Then hastily he picked up his microphone and, with the sounds of confusion and grief in the background, gave a description of the stunned audience, the scramble to call a doctor, the removal of curtains around the rostrum to give

.... and suspended sessions





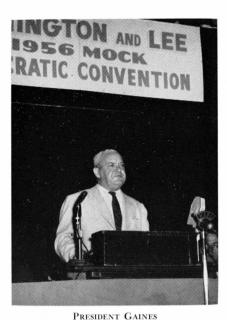
the Senator air. Continuing on his own initiative, he rushed his recording, the only one complete with commentary of this sort, to Roanoke, where the Columbia Broadcasting System received it eagerly and used it throughout the evening.

Other students showed equally good reportorial poise and alertness. Philippe C. Labro, a French exchange student, had stationed himself in the press gallery to take notes which he hoped to make into a story for one of the wire services not represented in Doremus Gymnasium. After the sudden collapse and pronouncement of death, he rushed to a telephone and called that wire service in Richmond. Despite a heavy French accent, he was able to communicate the essential facts to the reporter at the other end of the line. His account appeared on the front pages of many American newspapers the next day.

Lloyd A. Dobyns, Jr., of Newport News, Virginia, had been assigned to the convention as assistant to the Director of Publicity. All evening and into the night he was indefatigable as he tracked down information which reporters from outside the area would have had great difficulty obtaining. The professional reporters had high praise for him and for the student group as a whole. As Charles R. McDowell, Jr., '48, one of four Washington and Lee alumni covering the convention said, "The boys acted more like professionals than the professionals."

C HAIRMAN CARL SWANSON and three other Convention leaders represented Washington and Lee at Senator Barkley's funeral in Washington. Upon their return they and University officials weighed carefully Mrs. Barkley's admonition, "Don't let the boys stop the wonderful convention. Senator Barkley wouldn't have wanted it that way." Unanimously they agreed to continue the meetings.

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"Measure up to the obligation upon you"

In reopening the convention, Dr. Gaines said of the Senator, "He came to us at great sacrifice. He had had twenty-five invitations to speak in Virginia in April, but he came to Washington and Lee because of his intense admiration for the authenticity of the Mock Convention.... I know you will measure up to the obligation upon you, for the eyes of the nation are focused on this convention and on this University community."

Student delegates met the challenge. In a swirl of political oratory they nominated their candidates. Floor demonstrations which followed each speech were loud and

spirited. Balloting began, with the clerk droning the roll. And interest mounted as the answering counts came from each state and votes for leading nominees accumulated. Finally, after five presidential and two vice-presidential ballots, Adlai Stevenson and Tennessee's Governor Frank Clement were chosen as the 1956 Democratic nominees.

AND SO THE CONVENTION was over, its final sessions a fitting climax to the fun and frolic and to the undercurrent of serious purpose, the evaluation of issues and men, and the awakening awareness of procedures necessary to place these men in nomination. Behind were the drama and the tragedy and the period when mature judgment and exceptional ability were demonstrated so effectively.

Still vivid was the picture of Senator Barkley as he stood at the rostrum, enjoying the coiled enthusiasm of his young audience, as he admitted to the old enchantment of politics with a graphic self-characterization, "The old firehorse has heard the bell."

Planning, execution, enthusiasm, and drama—all these were essential elements of the 1956 Mock Political Convention which became a unique tribute to the man who had so aptly described its opening session with, "This is really exciting."

1956 Finals Schedule

Wednesday, June 6

10:00 a.m. Meeting of the University Board of Trustees

8:00 p.m. Alumni Smoker 9:30 p.m. Senior-Alumni Ball

Thursday, June 7

10:00 a.m. Meeting of the Alumni Board of Trustees

11:00 a.m. Baccalaureate Service

12:45 p.m. Alumni Luncheon

2:00 p.m. Meeting of the General Alumni Association

10:00 p.m. Final Ball

Friday, June 8

11:00 a.m. Commencement

TILLIAM L. WILSON, '38, was elected president of the Upper Potomac Chapter of the Alumni Association at the group's spring dinner meeting held at the Fort Cumberland Hotel on May 5, 1956. Other new officers are Wesley Abrams, '54, vice-president; Thomas N. Berry, '38, secretarytreasurer; and James A. Black, '34, and P. James Fahey, Jr., '50 executive committeemen. J. Goodloe Jackson, '14, who is stepping down as president after a number of terms in that position, also will serve on the executive committee along with the officers.

Dr. Walter A. Flick, '24, head of the Education and Psychology Department at Washington and Lee, and James H. Price, Jr, '41, Associate Alumni Secretary, both spoke at the dinner meeting.

A special tribute was paid to Donald F. Stine, who will graduate from Washington and Lee in June, by Victor D. Heisey, principal of Fort Hill High School, and William P. Hahn, Fort Hill coach. Don was a 1952 Fort Hill graduate.

KANSAS CITY

Approximately thirty Washington and Lee undergraduates and alumni met for luncheon at the University Club in Kansas City during the Christmas holidays. The



Tribute to Stine



DR. JAMES A. McClure, '99 (seated) was a Florida West Coast guest, along with University visitors Donald E. Smith, Director of Development; James R. Caskie, '06, Rector of the University Board of Trustees; and Harry K. (Cy) Young, '17, Alumni Secretary.

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group, meeting for the second consecutive year, re-elected Bill Leedy, '49, president; and Billy Ayers, '40, vice-president, with the duties of vice-president, secretary and treasurer combined in the office.

Joel Bennett, '56, gave a report on the present state of the University. A committee consisting of Bob Mann, '57, Josh Hall, '34, and Bob Ingram, '39, was appointed to supervise and coordinate the work of interesting young men in Washington and Lee.

JACKSONVILLE

A most delightful social hour and dinner were enjoyed by 40 alumni and their wives of Jacksonville at the Timaquana Country Club on Friday, April 13. The day and the date did not dampen the enthusiasm of those present. Del Conley, '43, president, presided at the meet-

ing and presented Donald E. Smith, Director of University Development, and Cy Young, Alumni Sec-

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Report from Flick

Donors to Virginia Foundation More Than Double Last Year

O NCE MORE MANY LEADING CORPORATIONS, foundations, partnerships, and individuals—more than double the number who gave last year—have contributed to the Virginia Foundation for Independent Colleges, the associated group of the twelve non-tax-supported colleges of Virginia. I am sure that our alumni and all other friends join me in a feeling of deepest gratitude, in a conviction that this credential is in itself an inspiration, and in a deep awareness that this generosity is an important part of the trust we keep.

FRANCIS P. GAINES, President

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retary, who reported on the development program at the University and alumni affairs, respectively. A general question and answer period followed their talks.

GULF STREAM

The first meeting in several years of the Gulf Stream Chapter was held at the Urmey Hotel in Miami, Florida, on April 10, with 35 alumni present. The meeting was honored with the presence of Senator Frederick M. Hudson, B.A. '90, and LL.B. '92.

A social hour preceded dinner, after which the members heard

talks from Cy Young, Alumni Secretary, and Donald E. Smith, Director of University Development. Luther Copley, '25, presided.

J. J. Worley, Lynchburg

FLORIDA WEST COAST

A most enthusiastic gathering of 50 alumni and their wives met for cocktails and dinner at the Tides Hotel, Redding Beach, Florida, on April 12. Highlight of the occasion was the presence of Dr. James A. McClure, '99, and his three sons, James A., Jr., '37, Tom, '40, and and John, '28.

Mr. James R. Caskie, '06, Rector of the University Board of Trustees, was an unexpected guest and gave a delightful talk. Donald E. Smith, Director of University Development, and Cy Young, Alumni Sec-

retary, spoke on the progress of University and development and alumni affairs.

Joe H. Staley, Jr., '33, president, presided and called on the nominating committee for its report. The committee presented the names of John A. Handley, '34, St. Petersburg, for president; and Everett C. (Ax) Easter, Jr., '49, Tampa, for secretary-treasurer. The report was unanimously adopted.

NEW YORK

The 75th anniversary of the New York Alumni Association was celebrated by a hundred alumni, wives and friends at a dinner dance held at the Columbia University Club on January 20.

The business meeting was pre-

sided over by H. Richard Sandstrom, '41, and addresses were made by Dr. Gaines and Ernest T. Stewart, Jr., Executive Secretary of the American Alumni Council.

The following officers were elected: Clark B. Winter, '37, president; vice-presidents: H. Richard Sandstrom, New York City; W. L. Webster, '12; Upstate New York; Stephen E. Campbell, Jr., '41, Long Island; James M. Franklin, '35, New Jersey; Leonard T. Brown, '19, Connecticut; Emmett W. Poindexter, '20, secretary-treasurer; Shirley J. Robbins, '20, and W. M. Farrar, '19, council members (term expiring 1957); George B. Scott, '48, Donald W. Bourne, '51, and Richard A. Brunn, '42, council members (term expiring 1958).

LYNCHBURG

The Lynchburg Chapter held its annual dinner meeting at the Boonesboro Country Club on February 22. A social hour preceded dinner. C. Lynch Christian, Jr., '44, president, presided. Donald E. Smith, Director of University Development, and Cy Young, Alumni Secretary, represented the University and brought those present up to date on University and alumni news and activities.

Dinner was followed by a business meeting. New officers elected for the coming year are Richard F. Burke, III, '42, president; James E. McCausland, '43, vice-president; and Dr. G. Edward Calvert, '44, secretary-treasurer.

RICHMOND

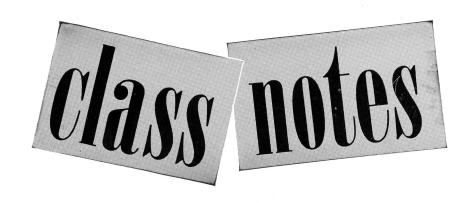
On February 22, 1956, 75 alumni and wives of the Richmond Chapter held a dinner meeting, preceded by a social hour, at the William Byrd Hotel. The president, Don Fergusson, '51, presided. Jim Price, Jr., '41, Associate Alumni Secretary, represented Washington and Lee and spoke on the general theme of the state of the University.

Following the meeting the group attended the Washington and Lee-University of Richmond basketball game, where despite this loyal support, the Generals lost to the Spiders by a score of 88-70.

PENINSULA

The Peninsula Chapter of the Washington and Lee Alumni Association held a banquet, preceded by a social hour, at the Chamberlin Hotel on January 19 to commemorate the birthday of Robert E. Lee.

The meeting of some sixty alumni and guests was presided over by Parke S. Rouse, '37, president, and an address was made by Dr. Walter Flick, '24, representing the Univerversity.



93 Dr. Andrew H. Woods retired in 1953 from over fifty years of teaching and executive work in the medical field. Dr. Woods received his M.D. degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1899 and as vice-president taught at Lingnan University in Canton, China, for several years before returning to this country and entering private practice. He went back to China and Lingnan University prior to World War I, during which he served with the U.S. Medical Corps as a major in France and New York. After the war, he became professor and head of the Neurological Department of the Rockefeller Foundation Hospital and College of Medicine in Peking, China. The years 1929-41 saw Dr. Woods back in the States, first as professor and head of psychiatry and then director of Iowa University Psychopathic Hospital in Iowa City; he became professor emeritus of psychiatry in 1941. At one time, Dr. Woods was president of Sinclair Realty Company in Iowa: a member of the Iowa Board of Eugenics; vice-president of the American Neurological Association; and chairman, Council on Examinations of the American Psychiatric Association. He is the author of many chapters in books on mental and nervous diseases and has made numerous contributions to various scientific journals on neurology and psychiatry. He now resides at 24 Pine Street, Wellesley Hills 82, Masachusetts.

MARION W. RIPY finds retirement from active law practice in New York enjoyable and is apparently kept busy. He was in Galveston some time ago and saw Ike Kempner, '93, who had recovered from a recent illness. Mr. Ripy spent the winter months in Delray Beach, Florida.

DR. R. T. SHIELDS still holds the job of assistant pathologist in the hospital at Winchester, Virginia.

99 EWING D. SLOAN, after five years of retirement from engineering work, has been "relaxing and resting" in Jackson, Mississippi.

DR. SAMUEL BROWN McPHEETERS will retire June 30, 1956, after twenty years' service as Health Officer for Wayne County, North Carolina, and ten years' for Green County, as well. Born in Rockbridge County, Dr. McPheeters received his M.D. degree in 1906 from Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri. He served as a first lieutenant with the Army Medical Corps in World War I and later as associate physician at the tuberculosis sanitarium in Catawba, Virginia. The author of several articles on tuberculosis, Dr. McPheeters at one time was chief of

the Mobile Chest Clinic, Alabama State Board of Health, and was head of the American School Health Association. He is a member of the Presbyterian Chuch and the Kiwanis Club and now resides at 307 Linwood Avenue, Goldsboro, North Carolina.

02 R. F. COOPER is now acting professor of Ancient Languages at Belhaven College in Jackson, Mississippi. He reports an enrollment of 18 in Freshman Greek.

DR. WILLIAM T. ELLIS will be honored by the Medical Society of Philadelphia for 50 years practice in that city. Dr. Ellis received his M.D. degree from the University of Pennsylvania.

04 JOHN R. HANDLAN writes that he has been in Tampa, Florida, since the first of the year and hopes to stop in Lexington on his way north to Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania.

DAVID T. MOORE had been married 46 years to Emma Watson Brown on February 23, at which time he also cele-

brated 44 years with Greenbrier Military School; 45 years as an officer in the Presbyterian church in Lewisburg, West Virginia; and 20 years as director in the Farm Credit Association.

07 E. CLYDE HOGE is recovering from a recent accident and expects to celebrate a birthday soon. Address: 2046 Calvin Cliff, Cincinnati 6, Ohio.

THE REVEREND A. R. LARRICK of the Home Mission's Committee in St. John's Presbytery at Plant City, Florida, writes that with the constant influx of people to Florida he is kept busy organizing more new churches to "take care of the saints and rescue the sinners."

THE REVEREND DEVALL LANGHORNE GWATHMEY has retired from the active ministry and as Rector of St. John's Episcopal Church in Wytheville, Virginia, after having served there for more than 34 years. Following his graduation here he attended the University of Pennsylvania and was graduated from the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary in Alexdria, Virginia. He received the degree of

Doctor of Divinity from Washington and Lee in 1932.

Amos L. Herold writes that he has finshed writing a manuscript volume of recollections, tentatively called *The Adventures* of an American Teacher—A Saga of the Virginias and the Southwest. His first book was a biography of James K. Paulding, about whom he says four doctoral dissertations have been written. Mr. Herold is currently living in Austin, Texas.

JAMES NELSON MONTGOMERY, in missionary work in Formosa writes that the Christian Literature Center there has distributed more Bibles, Christian Books and Sunday School literature during this past year than in any one of their seven years in Fomosa.

JOHN H. TUCKER, JR., Shreveport attorney, was awarded France's highest honor in a private ceremony at the New Orleans' home of French consul general Guy Quoniam de Schompre on February 26. The Legion of Honor was presented to Col. Tucker for his part in supplying France with copies of the Louisiana civil code which are based on Napoleonic law. Previously, the French Government had

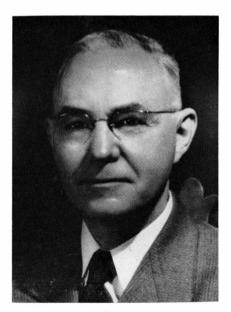
■ HAMILTON A. DERR, '10, was awarded an honorary Doctor of Humanities degree by Marietta College at Founders' Day ceremonies on February 14. Mr. Derr was thus honored for his contributions as "an executive, scientist and inspiration to youth" at the Ohio college's 121st anniversary.

Mr. Derr, a Marietta paint executive and civic leader for more than 30 years, has combined an active business career with outstanding contributions to community, church and young peoples' activities.

He has been active in the work of the First Unitarian Church of Marietta, serving as superintendent of the Sunday school, chairman of the Board of Trustees, and vice chairman of Meadville Conference of Unitarian Churches.

For 15 years he served as director of the Marietta Community Chest and for many years he was a trustee of the Marietta Memorial Hospital. He also has been active in the Chamber of Commerce and other civic groups in the town.

He has given 28 years of leadership to the Boy Scouts of America, both on regional and national levels, and for "distinguished service to boyhood" he was awarded the Silver Beaver and Silver Antelope honors.



Derr Honored by Marietta College

Originally a resident of Maryland, Mr. Derr was educated in Cumberland schools and Washington and Lee University. He served as instructor of chemistry here for one year following his graduation in 1910. In 1911, he was employed as a chemist for the duPont Company of Wilmington, leaving in 1912 to accept a position with Kellogg and Miller Company of Amsterdam, New York. Three years later he moved to Cleveland to join the Sherwin-Williams Company, first as a chemist and later as factory superintendent and superintendent of technical service. He was with Sherwin-Williams until 1923, when he became factory manager for the Marietta Paint and Color Company. He later advanced to assistant to the president, a position he held until in 1939 he founded Vanguard Paint and Finishes, Inc., in his home town.

Mr. Derr and his wife reside at Muskingum Drive in Marietta. Their son, W. Gardner Derr, '39, is a salesman in Toledo.



named Col. Tucker its honorary consular representative in Shreveport for North Louisiana.

F. VAUGHAN PULTZ, on January 4 of this year, retired from active teaching after more than forty years in the education field. Following his graduation, Mr. Pultz did graduate work here and later at Harvard University, George Washington University and Massey Business College in Richmond, Virginia. Born and reared in Lexington, he has successively taught at public schools in Virginia and North Carolina and at Strayer College in Washington, D. C. Mr. Pultz had been on the faculty at George Washington High School for many years, serving as head of the Commercial Department and at time of retirement, was a member of the Commercial Department and treasurer of the school. At one time he was treasurer of the Alexandria Education Association. Mr. and Mrs. Pultz have one married daughter, two grandsons and a granddaughter, and live at 13F Auburn Court, Auburn Gardens, Alexandria, Virginia.

CLEMENTS MCMULLEN, Major General, U. S. A. F., recently retired from military duty but is finding life no less strenuous than before. He is kept busy as National Commander of the Order of Daedalians, an organization of World War I fliers; Regional vice-president of the Air Force Association for the Southwest area, which includes New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas; and Chairman of the Industrial Committee of the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce. In addition, he is active in Community Chest and United Fund work and has little time for anything else. Address: 515 Lamont Avenue, San Antonio 9, Texas.

FRED P. GUTHERIE expects to retire August 1, 1956, after 33 years with the Radio Corporation of America, all in Washington, D. C. Mr. Gutherie is planning to build a cottage on a branch of Chesapeake Bay near Annapolis and expects to remain in that vicinity. He has one married daughter and a son, Jack, who is a sophomore at Washington and Lee this year.

JAMES SOMERVILLE, JR., has retired as a Foreign Service officer to make his home in Washington. Mr. Somerville's career in the Foreign Service began in 1926, since which time he served in many

parts of the world, first as a member of the Foreign Service of the Department of Commerce and then as a Foreign Service officer, commissioned in 1939. Following a tour of duty as First Secretary of the American Embassy in Tehran, Iran, he was later transferred to the Department of State. Address: 3241 Livingston Street, N.W., Washington 15, D.C.

LEONARD B. RANSON, SR., just moved into his new retirement home in St. Petersburg, Florida, and says he loves it. His oldest son, LEONARD, JR., who graduated from Washington and Lee in 1953, is now finishing his course at the Seminary of Duke University and will be ordained a Methodist minister this June. His youngest son, Phillip, is in the Air Force stationed at Parks Base, California.

WILLIAM TAYLOR THOM, JR., Blair Professor of Geology and Chairman of the Department of Geological Engineering at Princeton University, gave a TV broadcast April 15 on the topic "Man's Dependence on Natural Resources." This program, given by Dr. Thom for the Geology Department, is one of a current, once-aweek science series called "Princeton '56" and was carried over NBC network stations in some 32 cities throughout the country.

WILLIAM A. HYMAN was the principal speaker at the annual dinner of the Brooklyn-Manhattan Trial Counsel Association on October 20, 1955. Mr. Hyman is chairman of the Committee of the New York State Bar Association for the metropolitan area which has been investigating calendar congestion in the Supreme Court. He is also Secretary of the combined Committee on Ethics and Negligence Practice in that Association. Recently, a good deal of his time has been taken up as counsel for the Jewish Chronic Disease Hospital in Brooklyn which now has 875 permanent beds, five buildings valued at over eight million dollars and is the largest private institution dedicated to the care of "incurables."

CHARLES W. CRUSH is a lawyer and trial justice for Montgomery County, Virginia. Mr. Crush was National Vice-Commander of the American Legion for the same term that STEPHEN F. CHADWICK, '14, served as National Commander. Address: Christiansburg, Virginia.

H. B. JORDAN was in Arizona for the months of February and March and hoped to return to Bedford by way of Albuquerque and see Keleher, who is serving as agent for the class of 1915 for the 1955-56 Alumni Fund.

WILL H. SMITH, after forty years of active participation in business affairs, retired last January in order to do the things he previously had not had the time to do, but he is finding the "old rocking chair not quite as comfortable as I thought it would be."

SUMMERFIELD J. McCarteney was a visitor to the campus on March 29, 1956. Mr. McCarteney is an economic and business consultant with *The Wall Street Journal* at 44 Broad Street, New York 4, New York.

MARION S. SANDERS is a consulting engineer when he can "find someone to insult." "In good times my clients desert me", he says. Active in civic affairs he is a member of the board of directors of the First National Farmers' Bank of Wytheville, Virginia, and Wytheville Hotel Corporation. He is past president of the Wythe County Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Club and is a vestryman of St. John's Episcopal Church.

EDWARD L. HIX, since last August, has been manager of the Electro Metallurgical Company, a division of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, in Portland, Oregon. Mr. Hix writes that during football season last year he felt almost as though he were back in Lexington. One of the local high schools in Portland had adopted the melody of "The Swing" and even the familiar colors of blue and white. He thought they were carrying things a bit too far, however, when he discovered that they also called themselves "Generals"!

GEORGE N. DANIELSON resides in St. Paul, Minnesota. He retired on April 1, 1949, after thirty years in the Naturalization Branch of the U. S. Department of Justice in St. Paul. His daughter, Virginia, will graduate this spring from the School of Nursing at the University of Minnesota.

Frank J. Gilliam recently was elected vicepresident of the Peoples National Bank in Lexington. Mr. Gilliam, a member of the bank's board since 1937, succeeds M. W. Paxton, '18, who relinquished the position upon being elected board chairman. Mr. Gilliam is dean of students at Washington and Lee.

Jackson R. Collins is General Counsel for the Beneficial Finance Company of Wilmington, Delaware. His company is a farflung organization and does business in all 48 states and all the provinces of Canada. Jackson moved his residence this past summer to Wilmington from Montclair, New Jersey. He turned his home over to real estate brokers for sale and found later that it had been sold to a Washington and Lee alumnus, James F. O'Grady, '49.

Francis H. Styles retired from the American Foreign Service on December 31, 1955. Following his tour of duty as a second lieutenant in the Army in World War I, he entered the consular service in June, 1920. Since then he has been stationed at all four corners of the world: Dublin, Ireland; Tampico, Mexico;

Shanghai, China; Guayaquil, Ecuador; and Goteborg, Sweden. He and Mrs. Styles paid a visit to the campus recently.

MATTHEW W. PAXTON is the new chairman of the board of directors of the Peoples National Bank in Lexington; he succeeds Dr. James Lewis Howe, who died December 20. Mr. Paxton, prominent Lexington attorney and owner of *The Rockbridge County News*, has been on the board since 1928, serving as trust officer of the bank since 1930 and vice-president since 1951. He will continue to serve as trust officer.

JOHN CROMWELL BLOCKER, having completed thirty years of active law practice, retired in St. Petersburg, Florida, last July. Following his graduation from here, Mr. Blocker went on to receive his LL.B. at Cumberland University in Lebanon, Tennessee. He spent the next five years in the western states in the field of commerce and began practicing law at St. Petersburg in 1925. In World War I Mr. Blocker served with the U.S. Army in France and England, entering as a private and was discharged with the rank of second lieutenant. Mr. Blocker writes that he saw CLIFFORD PEALE, '19, and his new wife not so long ago, and says that L. T. Brown, '19, and his wife were through St. Petersburg last year.

LT. COL. C. D. McCABE, USAF, was recalled to active duty in the Air Force in 1951 and spent three years in France as the Port Officer covering Bordeaux, La Rochelle and St. Nazaire. Now assigned in New York, Colonel McCabe is the Air Force Transportation Officer for the Distant Early Warning Radar line under construction in the Artic between Greenland and Alaska. Address: 410 Battery Avenue, Apt. 6C, Brooklyn 9, New York.

WILLIAM BRAXTON DEW, for many years Associate Counsel of all companies in the Aetna Life & Affiliated Companies, has recently been promoted to Counsel of all companies in the same Group, which includes Aetna Life Insurance and Aetna Casualty and Surety. Following his graduation here Braxton practiced law in Wytheville, Virginia, for three years and joined Aetna Casualty and Surety Company at Hartford in 1924.

BENJAMIN H. NEBLETT recently was elected president of the Democratic Club in Monrovia, California. Mr. Neblett has three sons: D. Colin in the Army; Robert M. in the Air Force; and John D., Professor of electronics at National Schools in Los Angeles, California.

22 WILLIAM F. McCann traveled extensively in Europe this summer visiting Sweden, Switzerland, France, Italy, Western Germany, The Netherlands, and Belgium. He recommends Switzerland "for allaround comfort." He lives at 413 Northview Avenue, New Castle, Pennsylvania.

Byron Browder, retired, has been living in Tucson, Arizona, for three years. Address: 5049E Broadway, Tucson, Arizona.

A. C. (Gus) Bryan is vice-president, Mortgage Loan Department, Provident Life and Accident Insurance Co., Chattanooga, Tennesse. He entered the field of real estate and mortgage loan investments in 1927, and joined Provident in 1935. As an extra-curricular activity he lectures on real estate financing at the University of Alabama. Gus has a son who has applied for admission to Washington and Lee in September, 1957; a daughter age 14; and another son, 9. Gus is serving his 12th year as an Elder in Lookout Mountain Presbyterian Church.

GEORGE E. (TED) HARRIS iS still living in Atlantic Beach and in Greenville, N. C., the latter in winter. He boosts Atlantic Beach as a delightful resort with swimming for the hardy to Thanksgiving Day. Ted reports, "My hobby, gardening, has almost supplanted my profession of writing; I've neglected the novels for the sake of my camelias, kumquats, oranges, oleanders and azaleas." He is currently working on a new novel, "They."

Frank Hurt is head of the Department of Political Science at Western Maryland College. This is his twenty-sixth year on the faculty. Frank also lectures at the University of Maryland. He was included in the 1954 edition of "Who's Who in the East."

JOHN B. WOODVILLE, JR., is a very successful physician at Madeira Beach, St. Petersburg, Florida. He has a son who is studying medicine and a daughter who is a student at Miami (Fla.) University.

FORREST McGILL is Executive General Manager and Assistant Treasurer of The Prudential Insurance Company of Amer-

■ TAYLOR H. STUKES, '15, became the thirteenth Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of South Carolina on February 22 in a ceremony at Columbia in the Supreme Court room, which was crowded to the doors with a throng of interested spectators. Earlier in the year, the former associate justice had been elected by acclamation at a joint session of South Carolina's general assembly.

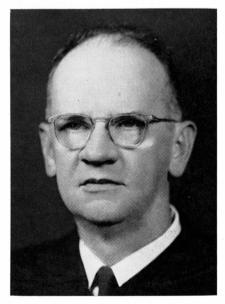
Justice Stukes, a native of Manning, South Carolina, attended Davidson College before coming to Washington and Lee, where he received an A.B. degree in 1915. His studies at the law school of George Washington University, from which he was graduated *cum laude* in 1919, were interrupted by World War I when he served as a first lieutenant with the AEF in Europe.

He was admitted to the bar the same year he graduated from law school and went into private practice, first in Charleston, and later in Manning.

The new chief justice was a member of the South Carolina House of Representatives from 1923 to 1926, serving as speaker pro tem in 1925 and 1926. He became state senator of Clarendon County in 1927 and remained in the Senate, of which he was president pro tem for five years, until 1940, when he was elected associate justice of the South Carolina Supreme Court. Meanwhile, in 1938-40, he had been chairman of the Executive Committee of the Democratic party, to which he had belonged since 1927.

Justice Stukes is a Presbyterian and an active layman in his church and in the Synod of South Carolina.

He is married to the former Georgia Sauls of Manning and has a daughter living in Georgia and a son in Louisiana.



Stukes Chosen by acclamation



ica, Jacksonville, Florida. He states, "I am responsible for over a billion dollars of investments of my Company in the 10-state area comprising the South-Central Home Office." Forrest has a daughter, Lelia, who graduated from Duke in 1953, and a son, 8 years old, who is looking forward to attending Washington and Lee.

THE REVEREND ROBERT B. CAMPBELL attended the General Convention of the Episcopal Church in Honolulu last fall with his wife, he as Deputy to the House of Delegates from the Diocese of Western North Carolina and Mrs. Campbell as a delegate from the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese. Bob is serving as agent for his class in the 1955-56 Alumni Fund campaign.

WILLIAM C. MCKNIGHT has been away from home for a long time in Santiago, Chile, and though he hasn't seen a Mink since 1949, he manages to correspond with his friends regularly. In February he was due to leave on a trip through the Straits of Magellan to Montevideo, Uruguay, and thence to Port Stanley. Address: Racontec Ltda., Casilla 12023, Santiago, Chile, S. A.

HENRY CURREY DEARBORN, in addition to being a landowner and farm manager, is kept busy as mayor of Mason City, Illinois. He still finds time, however, to enjoy his hobby—antique cars. He owns a 1907 one-cylinder Brush Roadster, 1930 Rolls Royce, a 1923 Overland 4-cylinder and even a home-made sports car. He is married and has two step-children, a girl married, and a boy in Europe on tour.

H. EDWARD RIETZE, JR., is the owner of Rietze and Company, manufacturers' agents in Louisville, Kentucky. He has a daughter, Lucy Scott, 15 years old; and a son, H. Edward, III, 17, who plans to enter Washington and Lee this fall. He writes that he is always interested in hearing from classmates whenever they are in Louisville. Address: 1714 Sulgrave Road, Louisville 5, Kentucky. Ed paid a visit to the campus recently.

NEWTON R. BLACK is a registered representative of Goodbody and Company, stockbrokers, members of the New York Stock Exchange, with offices at 127 North Main Street, Orlando, Florida.

26 GEORGE L. HILL has been in Singapore with the Bank of America since

June 16, 1954. He plans to return to this country on a periodic home leave some time during the latter part of this year or early next year and hopes to visit the campus.

W. Burke Williamson is still practicing law in Chicago with the firm of Adams, Nelson, and Williamson. His brother, Jack A. Williamson, '30, also is a member of the firm. Burke is married, has two daughters and lives in Lake Forest, Ill.

27 George E. Burks recently was prepresented the "Award of Merit" by the Louisville Board of Insurance Agents. Mr. Burks, the owner of Hummel, Meyer and Burks Insurance Agency, is the first recipient of the award, which will be given annually to a board member for outstanding work in fire prevention.

GEORGE T. ELLIS was promoted from trust officer to senior trust officer in the First National Exchange Bank in Roanoke, Virginia. Mr. Ellis has worked with the bank since 1927.

WILLIAM M. Pope is vice-president and trust officer of National Bank and Trust Company in Charlottesville, Virginia. He and his wife, the former Phyllis Johnson of Richmond, Virginia, have three sons, William, Jr., Jackson, and John, all potential candidates for admission to Washington and Lee.

28Gray Yeatman is hoping to interest his son Carter, age 13, in Washington and Lee. His older son, Gray, Jr., is a freshman at Virginia. Gray's principal interests at the moment are farming and cattle. He hopes to visit the campus soon.

Percy Cohen sold his interest in the H. Cohen Furniture Company, of which he was president, to his brother last December. He has opened a new business under his own name—Percy Cohen Furniture Showrooms—in Nashville, Tennessee.

Dr. Joseph B. Clower, Jr., in his second year at Hampden-Sydney, is now Associate Professor of Bible there. Before coming to Danville Dr. Clower was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Morganton, North Carolina.

FRANKLIN P. JOHNSON recently was appointed vice-president and member of the officers' personal trust committee of the Manufacturers' Trust Company in New York. Formerly assistant vice-president, he will continue to direct special institutional services, including investment advisory relationships with endowment funds and mutal savings banks in New York state. Mr. Johnson, who joined the bank in 1934, will also undertake research assignments in the pension trust investment field.

JAMES M. SHACKELFORD completed seven years' service as Budget Manager of Johns-

Manville in 1955. On January 1, 1956, he became Comptroller of the Pipe Division in New York and finds this assignment interesting and challenging. Mr. Shackelford resides at 25 Clinton Place, Metuchen, New Jersey.

WILLIAM A. MACDONOUGH has been appointed vice-president of Crosley and Bendix Home Appliances Divisions of Avco Manufacturing Corporation in addition to his duties as director of advertising and sales promotion. Mr. MacDonough has served in various advertising and merchandising capacities with Avco since 1950. Prior to the merger of the two companies in 1953, Mr. McDonough was successively national merchandising manager and director of merchandising and advertising for Bendix. He joined Avco in 1950 after two years as director of advertising and merchandising for the Coolerator Company in Duluth, Minnesota. Before that he was sales manager of the home appliance division of General Mills, Inc., in Minneapolis. Address: 639 Christopal Drive, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Correction

ALEX BOISSEAU is moving in the near future to North Carolina as head of the new General Electric plant going up on the edge of Hickory—not Hendersonville—as reported in the *Alumni Magazine* several months ago.

James Bernard Merrick was pleased to find some of the "Old" Washington and Lee in the midst of all the evidence of progress he saw on his visit to the campus for his class reunion last May. He recommended that all the class of 1931 return this year for their reunion.

EDWARD S. GRAVES, prominent Lynchburg attorney, recently was initiated into Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity, Tucker Inn Chapter, of Washington and Lee. Currently a visiting law lecturer in legal draftsmanship, Mr. Graves is a member of the law firm of Edmunds, Baldwin, Whitehead and Graves. He belongs to Phi Beta Kappa, Omicron Delta Kappa, and last year was elected to membership in the Order of the Coif at Washington and Lee.

Frank Owen Evans of Milledgeville is United States attorney for the 70-county Middle District of Georgia, a post he has held since his appointment by President Eisenhower in 1951. A native of Georgia, Mr. Evans began practicing law in 1934.

CHARLES R. VAN HORN was transferred to Washington as General Passenger Agent for the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company in October of last year. Address: Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, Connecticut Avenue and "H" Street, N.W.

31 COLONEL BENJAMIN M. AYARS, of Bridgeton, New Jersey, is one of 200

colonels and lieutenant colonels pursuing a 10-month course of instruction at the Army War College in Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania. Students chosen to attend the institution are graduates of the Command and General Staff College or officers whose experience has given them equivalent training in from 15 to 25 years of commissioned service. Before coming to the College, Colonel Ayars had served in Japan as executive officer of the Judge Advocate Section of General Headquarters, Far East Command, since November, 1951. His wife, Nancy, and daughter, Caroline, returned with him from Japan last August and are residing at Carlisle Barracks.

DUNGAN McConnell, head of the Department of Mineralogy at Ohio State University, wrote a book last summer called "Gran'pappy's Pistol or to Hell with Gun Collecting," which he hopes will "sell a jillion copies" when he finds a publisher for this "bit of satire and nonsense." This spring Duncan was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa at Washington and Lee.

STUART SANDERS, II, recently was elected a director of the Southern Bank and Trust Company in Richmond, Virginia. President of Sanders Brothers Company, Inc., he has been with the paint concern for 25 years and has served as president of the Roanoke Paint and Glass Company for 15 years. Active in civic affairs, Mr. Sanders was the Richmond Junior Chamber of Commerce's selection for "Young Man of the Year" in 1946. He is serving as class agent for the 1955-56 Alumni Fund.

HAROLD M. WESTON recently moved his law offices to 522 Fifth Avenue, New York, having had government, corporate and private practice associations since graduation from here and Harvard Law School, and military duty during World War II and the Korean War. He has three children, Petey, 9; Elizabeth Anne, 4½; and Davey, almost 2.

Henry W. Mackenzie, Jr., qualified as additional judge of the Twenty-eighth Judicial Circuit Court at a ceremony in the City of Portsmouth, Virginia, on February 18. The oath was administered by Justice John W. Eggleston, '10, of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. Among those alumni who were present and took part in the ceremony were Judge Floyd E. Kellam, '16, Judge of the 28th Judicial Circuit; Judge Edward L. Oast, '24, Judge of the First Judicial Circuit; and Judge Walter E. Hoffman, '31, United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia.

JOHN E. ARMSTRONG, a member of the National Association of Manufacturers, was given the 1955 Distinguished Salesman award of the Sales Executive Club in March. Mr. Armstrong lives at 1434 Noyes Street, Evanston, Illinois.

WAYNE H. MATHIS has been elevated from first vice-president to president of the

Peoria, Illinois, Bar Association. Mr. Mathis has been engaged in the practice of law since he was admitted to the Illinois Bar in 1932.

Lyman Christian Harrell, Jr., in addition to practicing law, is president of The Citizens National Bank of Emporia, Virginia. Lyman has two daughters, 7 and 14, respectively, and a son, Lyman Christian Harrell, III, who is a Freshman at Washington and Lee.

JDR. ROBERT R. SMITH recently joined Ciba Pharmaceutical Products, Inc., in the Research Department. As Senior Research Associate in the Division of Clinical Investigation, Dr. Smith is one of eight M.D.'s doing research in new drugs. Dr. Smith and his family, wife, Nancy, and son, Robert, Jr., live in Summit, New Jersey.

J. Hoge Tyler, III, has accepted the office of President of the Seaboard Citizens National Bank of Norfolk, Virginia. Mr. Tyler was formerly a partner in the law firm of Mann & Tyler, which dissolved in January. Mr. Tyler is serving as agent for the law class of 1933 for the 1955-56 Alumni Fund.

JOHN F. WATLINGTON, JR., newly elected president of the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, has returned to Winston-Salem, North Carolina, where, 22 years ago, he first joined the organization as a transit clerk. He came to Winston-Salem from Charlotte, where he had been senior vice-president in charge of Wachovia's Charlotte office since 1946 and prior to that was assistant vice-president. For his outstanding contributions to the community he was named that city's "Man of the Year" for 1951.

E. J. (NED) WILSON, was elected president of the Liberty National Bank and Trust Company of Savannah, Georgia, in February. Ned, a vice-president since 1947, had been elected a director of the bank at the annual stockholders meeting in January. Before going to Savannah, he had been connected with banking institutions in Macon, Birmingham, Chattanooga, and Atlanta. He has served as president of the Savannah Clearing House and is treasurer of the Margaret Doty Infant Nursery and Humane Society of Chatham-Savannah, Inc. He is a member of the Kiwanis Club and is married to the former Miss Elizabeth Taylor.

ROBERT W. RUTH is now associated with U. S. News and World Report. He formerly was with National Geographic Society. Address: 9422 Locust Hill Road, Bethesda 14, Maryland.

Ruge P. DeVan, Jr., is in the insurance business in Charleston, West Virginia, with offices in the United Carbon Building. He has two boys, ages 14 and 12. The older boy is at Kentucky Military Institute, which Ruge attended.

LOUIS F. LUBRECHT is an accountant with Merrett-Chapman and Scott Corporation in Milton, Pennsylvania. He lives in Lewisburg, Pennsylvania, with his wife and two children: James Louis, 10; and Linda Carol, 14.

George Richard Glynn is with the New York sales office of Hanes Hosiery, Inc., of Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Having worked with the concern since he graduated, George travels the Connecticut, Ohio, and Metropolitan New York areas. He, his wife, Florence, and two children, Kathy, 7, and George, Jr., 5, live at Shaker Road, New Canaan, Connecticut.

JOHN A. Newton has been appointed Assistant United States District Attorney in St. Louis, Missouri. John has been in the general practice of law for the past five years and prior to that was on the legal staff of the Washington headquarters of the Department of Internal Revenue.

W. R. (BILL) Sphar, Jr., is in Winchester, Kentucky, with Sphar and Company, wholesalers and distributors of Kentucky Blue Grass Seed and other seed items. They have processing plants at Winchester and Pine Grove, Kentucky, and Mt. Carmel, Illinois. In addition to the seed business the company owns harvesting machines in Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska.

36 W. Magruder Drake, after receiving his doctorate in history at the University of North Carolina, spent one year teaching at Davidson in the place of a man on leave. He is now at Southwestern Louisiana Institute, a state coed school with around 4,000 students, at Lafayette, Louisiana, in the heart of "Cajun" country. Dr. Drake reports that Oscar Breidenbach, '11, was a faculty member there until his retirement a few years ago.

DR. CHARLES M. WILLIAMS has been named professor of Business Administration at Harvard University. Associate professor since 1951, Dr. Williams has served on the Business School's Educational Policy Committee and was active in developing the School's training program for "middle management" executives. His courses deal with the management of financial institutions, and he has written a text on case problems in finance. He has taught at Harvard since 1947 and received the degree of Doctor of Commercial Science there in 1952.

STEPHENSON WELLS recently became associated as a general partner with the investment firm of McCormick and Company, members of the New York and Midwest Stock Exchanges, and associate member of the American Stock Exchange, with offices at 231 South La Salle Street, Chicago, 4, Illinois.

WILLIAM A. CONNOR sold out his feed and seed store in 1955 and is now engaged in

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the business of investments and loans and ranching. He was made a director of the National Bank of Daingerfield, Texas, early this year.

38 PAUL M. MILLER has been promoted to the rank of Second Secretary and Consul in the Foreign Service. He is now back in the States after a tour of duty in Manila, where he graduated from the University of Santo Tomas with the degree of master of arts in political science. Paul, Mrs. Miller and son, Michael, were recent visitors to the campus. The first of June, Paul will leave for the American Embassy at Tokyo to be Commercial Officer.

A. MILTON MORRISON writes that while he was away from home he was "drafted" president of the Southeastern Texas Alumni Chapter in Houston at the last spring meeting. He is also serving as regional agent for the Houston area in the 1955-56 Alumni Fund campaign. Milton has two children, Mary Caroline, 9, and Al, 7, who hopes to be the fifth generation of Morrisons at Washington and Lee.

PAUL L. HOLDEN, JR., following his separation from the Air Force after World War II, went to work as a welding engineer with the Lincoln Electric Company in Cleveland, Ohio, and has been there ever since. Recently he moved his wife and three children, Tommy, 5, Susan, 3½, and Barbara, 2, into their new home at 211 Almar Drive, Shaker Heights, Ohio. Paul writes he is proud of the Cleveland Indians and Browns and the Washington and Lee Alumni Chapter.

CALVERT THOMAS, after ten years on the Legal Staff of General Motors Corporation in Detroit is getting used to the Michigan winters but longs for Lexington springs. His family consists of two boys and a girl. He writes that he moved last May to Franklin Village, a "sleepy, hilly community with a country atmosphere."

WILLIAM R. LAIRD, III, of Fayette-ville, West Virginia, has been appointed by Governor Marland to fill temporarily the U. S. Senate seat of the late Senator Harley M. Kilgore. Senator Laird fills the vacancy until a successor has been elected and qualified. The nephew of Dr. WILLIAM R. LAIRD, '10, of Montgomery, West Virginia, he is now State Tax Commissioner of West Virginia.

JOHN R. LEBUS writes that his older son, John Reynolds, Jr., 17, will graduate in

June from St. Andrews School in Middletown, Delaware, and may come to Washington and Lee, like his father and grandfather. Younger son, Lewis Martin, is 16 and also at St. Andrews.

ALAN BUXTON HOBBES has been appointed legal assistant to Federal Trade Commissioner, WILLIAM C. KERN, '23. Alan has served with the Commission's Appellate Division since 1948 and has traveled throughout the country arguing appeals from F. T. C. orders. He lives with his wife and two children at 6548—27th Street, North, Arlington, Virginia.

Frank B. (Fireball) O'Connor is assistant superintendent of manufacturing at the Electric Boat Division of General Dynamics Corporation, a leader in the field of nuclear power. Address: 36 Parkway, New London, Connecticut.

HOWARD T. SHEPHERD, having visited and reminisced with Washington and Lee classmates in Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee and Virginia this past year, is freshly reminded of happy days on the campus. He recently brought his nine-year-old son, Steve, to Lexington for a visit so that he can begin eager anticipation of equally happy days on the same campus. Howard lives in Little Rock.

JOHN J. DANGLER last June moved his family—wife, Carol, and son, Bruce—to Atlanta, Georgia, where he has been transferred as Time Equipment Division Manager of International Business Machines. Address: 4228 Wieuca Road, N. E., Atlanta 5, Georgia.

GEORGE M. FOOTE, City Judge of Alexandria, Louisiana, was named winner of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Distinguished Service Award for 1955. Jaycee President DeWitt T. Methvin, Jr., in hon-



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oring Judge Foote for his outstanding achievements, noted in particular his work in combating juvenile delinquency and his efforts towards the establishment of a practical nurses school at Charity Hospital. In 1955 Judge Foote served actively as a member and officer of his church group and was a leader in many civic organizations. In addition, he is now president of the Rotary Club and a member of the executive committee of the Alexandria Bar Association.

GEORGE F. X. McINERNEY, after completing a second tour of duty with the Air Force in 1953, resumed the practice of law with his brother in Suffolk County, New York, where he is also Town Attorney for the Town of Islip. George lives in Bayport with his wife and three children, one of whom, F. X., Jr., was born at Elmendorf Air Force Base in Alaska, where George was stationed.

G Murray Smith, Jr., is in the practice of law in Richmond, Kentucky, specializing in estate and title work. He has two daughters, ages 6 and 1½, and a son, 4.

WILLIAM BUCHANAN, associate director of the Washington and Lee Bicentennial in 1948-49, has been named executive director of the Woodrow Wilson Centennial Commission of Virginia, which directs the state's participation in the Wilson Centennial this year. Assistant professor of government at Mississippi State College for the past year and former reporter for Danville and Lynchburg papers, Bill succeeds the Reverend Bernard E. Bain, who resigned to begin organization of a new Presbyterian Church in Roanoke, Virginia.

JOHN D. DURHAM just recently moved into the new home he designed and built in the spare time of three and a half years. Former art director and commercial artist in New York, John is now working as a designer for the Easi-Bild Pattern Company of Pleasantville, New York. He is active as a major in the Army Reserves and is married and has one child, an infant son, John. Address: Sleepy Hollow Road, Briarcliff Manor, New York.

WALTER L. MONROE is a partner in the wearing apparel and real estate business in Millsboro, Delaware. He and his wife, Thelma, have two children, a boy, Walter Keith, age 3, and a girl, Karen Jo, age 4. He is actively engaged in civic affairs, being treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce, treasurer of the local chapter of the American Legion, and a member of the Lions Club.

JOHN H. McMILLAN is vice-president of E. T. Barry and Company, Inc., general agents of marine insurance in New Orleans. John is a vestryman in Christ Episcopal Church Cathedral. He, his wife, Phoebe, and three children, Lee Richards, III, Mary Katherine and John Skillman, live at 1333 Webster Street, New Orleans. GIBSON M. WOLFE is now working for General Electric in Utica, New York, where he has recently moved with his wife and four children. Address: 1611 Sherman Drive, Utica, New York.

PAUL C. THOMAS, JR., began working for John McCall Coal Company of Bluefield, West Virginia, in 1946 and is now that company's Virginia representative in Richmond. Paul says he is "fighting the battle of the buldge," along with his wife, Mary Beth, and three sons: Paul, 12; Steve, 8; and Bruce, 5. Address: 3914 Seminary Avenue, Richmond 27, Virginia.

LOUIS CAMERON GREENTREE and brother, Irving, vice-president and president of Greentree's apparel store in Richmond, Virginia, scored an upset in the retailing field last month in being named "Retailers of the Year" by Brand Names Foundation. This "Oscar," based on presentation of various manufacturers' products to the public, was awarded to Greentree's over thousands of competitors in the retailing field. The brothers took over the 60-year-old concern begun by their grandfather when their father, Irving, Sr., died just a year ago in March.

COLIN T. BAXTER has been employed in Huntington, New York, for the past four years by E. R. Carlsson Company, a Dodge-Plymouth agency, the head of which is S. L. CARLSSON, '42. Colin, sales manager for the agency, writes that he often sees Bob Gregerson, '41. Colin is married and has one daughter, 9 years old. He hopes to make finals this year.

43 Dr. Haven W. Mankin left Rochester, Minnesota, in January to enter private practice of Radiology in Oklahoma. Address: 532 N.W. 40th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

FRANK ROSEBRO (BUD) BELL, JR., Charleston, West Virginia, insurance executive, was elected Chairman of the Southern Agents Conference at the annual meeting of the group held April 6, 1956, in Charleston, South Carolina. The conference was one of five regional divisions of the National Association of Insurance Agents, and the election of "Bud" marks the first time this office has been held by a West Virginian. The new chairman is the executive vice-president of Bell and Crane Mortgage Loans, Inc., and is presently serving his third term as a member of the Executive Committee of the West Virginia Association of Insurance Agents. He is married to the former Jane Phillips; they have two children and reside at 814 Middle Road, Charleston, West Virginia.

ROBERT P. HALEY has been appointed assistant trust officer in the Trust Department of the First Pennsylvania Banking and Trust Company in Philadelphia. Bob was admitted to the Philadelphia bar in 1949 and was engaged in the private practice of law until he joined the bank two years ago.



Bell Elected conference chairman

ROBERT C. MEHORTER has been elevated to vice-president of McDaniel and Company, Inc., one of the largest fire and marine insurance agencies in New York. He now has three children ranging in age from 6 to 1—two girls and a boy, Betty and Peggy and Rob.

44 Dr. WILLIAM C. CRITTENDEN, finishing a second tour as a Navy M.D. in 1954, went into the practice of Pediatrics in Birmingham, Alabama. Bill and his wife, Conde, the former Constance Glasgow of Lexington, now have three sons: Malcom, Tom, and Richard.

BARRY WRIGHT, JR., qualified recently to seek a second term in the Georgia Legislature in the May 16 primary. Barry won his first term in the Legislature in 1954 and is a member of the law firm of Wright, Rogers, Magruder and Hoyt. A native of Rome, he is married to the former Alicia Cooper and has three children.

DR. WILLIAM M. MANGER is currently completing his Ph.D. thesis in medicine at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota. For the past three years he has been engaged in doing research on hypertension and was the winner of the 1955 Alumni Award for meritorious research.

FREDERIC B. Rowe has been employed by Gallup and Robinson, Inc., Advertising Research, in Princeton, New Jersey, since last November. Fred, his wife, Risse, and son, Eric, live about five miles from Princeton: RFD 2, Box 109A, Cranbury, New Jersey. Fred writes that though his acquaintance with Princeton University has been brief and cursory, he has found that the undergraduates exhibit a remarkable degree of politeness and courtesy. He says they lack the conventional dress of Washington and Lee students but could give some excellent examples on how to behave in town, except that in the local

cinema their vocal power is quite comparable to the early show group in the Virginia college town.

45 HENRY E. YOUNG has been re-elected Mayor of Norwalk, Ohio, for a second two-year term.

OWEN R. EASLEY, JR., after a year of graduate study at the University of Stockholm and another year at the University of North Carolina, has joined the staff of the Marion, Va., Smyth County News.

PETER M. FETTEROLF is vice-president and treasurer of Keystone Helicopter in Philadelphia: "We own and lease 'copters' anywhere in the world." He has three boys, ages 9, 11, 6, and a girl, 4.

FREDERICK WILLIAM KIENDL, JR., returned to this country in 1952 after spending five years in Brazil with an investment banking firm. At present he is employed in New York as assistant sales manager by Arkell and Smiths, manufacturers of multiwall bags and flexible packaging converters. He married Caryl E. Richards in 1953 and has two children, a daughter two years old and a boy seven months old.

46 Dr. Harold T. Mankin continues as a Fellow in medicine in the Mayo Foundation of the Mayo Clinic after spending July, 1954 to July, 1955 as a Fellow of the Minnesota Heart Association working in clinical cardiology at the Peter Brent Brigham Hospital and Harvard University.

DR. DAVID Lewis hopes to bring all the members of his family, except the two boxers, to Lexington for a visit this Spring—wife, Naomi; son, Samuel Robert, 21/2; and daughter, Sally, 17 months. When not occupied with his practice of dentistry Dave is kept busy by extra-curricular activities: Secretary of the Wheaton (Md.) Kiwanis Club; Program and Essay Chairman of the Southern Maryland Dental Society; Dental Surgeon of the 113th Fighter Interceptor Wing of the D. C. Air National Guard. In addition, he is attending classes at the Washington School of Psychiarty.

HARRY W. WELLFORD has been made a full partner in the law firm of Snowden, Davis, McCloy, Myar & Wellford, with whom he has been associated since 1950. Last fall the Memphis attorney was elected president of the Mid-South Alumni Chapter.

ROBERT W. H. MISH, JR., recently was elected a member of the board of directors of the Rockbridge National Bank. Bob is the representative in Lexington for the Sun Life Insurance Company of Canada.

47 J. LEE SILVERSTEIN, JR., is chairman of the Committee on Lawyer Referral of the Charleston Bar Association. Address: 903 Greendale Drive, Charleston, West Virginia.



JOSEPH C. PATRICK was awarded a C. P. A. certificate at the Fall Awards Dinner held November 14, 1955, at the Carolina Inn in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. Joe, having passed the state C. P. A. examinations last May, is now employed by Strand, Skees, Jones and Company, Certified Public Accountants in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Correction

The Alumni Magazine issue of January, 1956, indicated that Lewis Roper Shamhart graduated in June, 1950, from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond. Instead, we are informed that he was graduated in 1951 from the Virginia Episcopal Theological Seminary in Alexandria.

48 H. Petrie Mitchell, after five years with the Southern Presbyterian Mission in Korea, expects to return with his wife and three children to the States in the summer and then on to Columbia Theological Seminary.

EMMETT STEWART EPLEY recently joined the management consulting firm of McKinsey and Company in New York. Emmett was formerly with the Standard-Vacuum Oil Company in the Philippines and from 1953 to 1955 was on the comptroller's staff at that company's New York headquarters.

James R. Short is director of a project to record the story of how Colonial Williamsburg has been restored. This undertaking, known as the Oral History project, is designed to fill in the blank spots of the permanent record with tales and reminiscences of those closely associated with Williamsburg and its restoration. Jim, editor of *Virginia Cavalcade* at one time, has recently been an associate historian at the Virginia State Library in Richmond and was previously employed by E. I. duPont de Nemours Company, Inc., in Martinsville, Virginia.

WILLIAM M. KINNAIRD has been made advertising manager of the Yellowstone Division of Louisville's Glenmore Distilleries by A. P. Bondourant, '28, vice-president and director of Glenmore advertising. Bill will be responsible for both Yellowstone bond and straight bourbon whiskies and will coordinate marketing, merchandising and advertising activities with Glenmore, management, Glenmore and Yellowstone

sales departments, wholesalers, monopoly states and the Yellowstone Advertising agency in New York City.

50 JAMES R. McDonald, an associate of the Landon B. Davies Agency of the Massachusetts Mutal Life Insurance Company in Baltimore, has returned from the company's 31st home office school for career underwriters, which was held in Springfield, Massachusetts, February 28 through March 9. This course of special training, sponsored jointly by the company and its general agents, covered programming, business insurance, and the use of the company's sales materials, with particular emphasis given to the professional concept of life underwriting and to ways of improving service to policyholders and the public. The career schools have been attended by over 800 company representatives since they were first established in 1939.

BARNETT (BARNEY) ROBINSON, following a two-year stint in the Army, attended New York University Law School and graduated last June. He was admitted to practice before the New York State Bar recently and has opened a law office at 545 Fifth Avenue in New York. While in law school Barney ran into STEVE LICHTENSTEIN, '53, and DAVE KERR, '51.

Dr. John S. Chapman is in his first year of residency at State University of Iowa Hospital in the Department of Internal Medicine. John interned in the same hospital, also. He is married and has one daughter, Catherine, who is now four months old. Address: 1005 Finkbine Park, Iowa City, Iowa.

OLIVER M. MENDELL, following his marriage in December, 1955, traveled to Mexico City and Acapulco. He is still working in New York for Bankers Trust Company and hopes to get down this way soon.



Kannapell Named to New York post

Lt. (j.g.) Gus Alexander Fritchie, Jr., expects to be discharged from the U. S. Navy in November of this year and will practice law in Slidell, Louisiana. He graduated from Tulane University Law School in 1953.

WILLIAM H. MAYNARD, JR., served as a Lieutenant (j.g.) on a heavy cruiser in the Pacific with the U. S. Navy from 1952 to 1955. He was discharged from active duty in April of 1955 and is now farming near Clarksdale, Mississippi. Address: Box 670, Rt. No. 1, Clarksdale, Mississippi.

B. A. Davis, III, has resigned effective July 1, as assistant U. S. District Attorney of Western Virginia. He will rejoin the Davis family law firm at Rocky Mount with whom he was associated before joining the staff of District Attorney John Strickler, '27, in July, 1953. He is married and the father of a 14-monthold daughter.

JACK E. KANNAPELL, JR., assistant advertising manager for Brown-Forman Distillers Corporation in Louisville, has been transferred to New York as merchandising manager of the distillery's northeastern sales region. Jack, an Air Force veteran, began working for Brown-Forman in 1951 as a staff assistant in the advertising department and became assistant advertising manager in 1953.

Douglas M. Smith was elected chairman of the Newport News Waterworks Commission in January. He has served on the commission since early last September. A partner in the law firm of Hall, Martin and Smith, Douglas is the son of Judge Herbert G. Smith and lives at 1260 Ferguson Avenue.

ROBERT E. GLENN is Assistant Staff Judge Advocate of the 6900th Security Wing in Frankfurt, Germany, and expects to be with the Air Force for a year longer before returning to civilian life. Address: 6900th Security Wing, Box 6, APO 757, New York, New York.

Dr. B. Voss Neal graduated from the University of Virginia School of Medicine last June and is now interning at Cincinnati General Hospital. He is planning to enter the Navy in July.

Correction

Dr. James Z. Shanks, following his graduation from the Medical College of Georgia, began his internship at the Medical College of Virginia Hospital in Richmond and *not* at Dallas, Texas, as indicated in the October issue of the *Alumni Magazine*. Jim is living at 4326 Old Brook Road, Apt. 22, Richmond 22, Virginia.

52 JULIAN B. MOHR is Treasurer of Momar, Incorporated, in Atlanta, and writes that as of November 1, 1955, he was placed in charge of the design and con-

struction of that company's new manufacturing plant and offices, which when completed around December of this year are expected to be the most modern manufacturing chemical operation in the South.

CLIFTON T. HUNT, JR., formerly an associate, has joined Eaton and Bell under the new firm name of Eaton, Bell, Hunt and Seltzer, which will continue the practice of patent, trademark and copyright law at 904 Johnston Building, Charlotte 2, North Carolina, with associate offices at 921 Munsey Building in Washington, D. C.

LT. (j.g.) WILLIAM A. ROBERTSON, USNR, has been serving on board the USS Fairview (EPCER850) for the past eight months. Bill is to be released from active duty in April and plans to attend Emory University for one year to get his M.B.A.

F. RAYMON SNYDER, JR., after graduating from the University of Miami Law School in 1953, served with the Attorney-General of the State of Florida, and in August, 1953, opened his own private practice in Miami, where he does mostly bond work.

JOHN JOSEPH KINDRED graduated from the University of Virginia Law School in June, 1955, and is now working with Trust Investment Group, the Hanover Bank in New York.

ENS. LESTER E. ZITTRAIN, USNR, is currently at the U. S. Navy Supply Corps School in Athens, Georgia, and expects to graduate August 9 of this year. Following his graduation from the University of Virginia Law School in 1955 Les practiced law in his home town of Norfolk last summer. In September he entered the Naval Officer Candidate School at Newport, Rhode Island, and received his commission as ensign in the Navy Supply Corps in January.

PAUL D. WEILL is currently employed by American International Marine Agency, Inc., of New York training for Marine Insurance underwriter. Address: 190 Evans Avenue, Newport, New York.

CHARLES SCOTT MAY is currently in his middle year at the School of Theology of the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee. He writes that last summer he participated in the Episcopal Church's clinical training program as a student in the Southern Rural Church Training Institute at Valle Crucis, North Carolina. Charlie was seen in Lexington during the week before the students left for spring vacation.

FERD E. CARTER, following his discharge from the Army in January, went to work for the National Cash Register Company in El Paso, Texas. He was married October 1 to Shirley Rasberry and lives at 3915 Oxford Street.

HUGH S. GLICKSTEIN recently became associated with the law firm of Glickstein, Crenshaw and Glickstein at their new location, Suite 512, Barnett National Bank Building in Jacksonville, Florida. Hugh's father, Joseph M. Glickstein, senior member of the firm, is serving as Class Agent for the Law Class of 1920.

JERE MOORE, JR., has resigned from the Regular Army to return to Milledgeville, Georgia, where he will work on his father's publication, *The Union Recorder*.

R. M. James Russick recently was made associate of Abe D. Levenson in Union City, New Jersey, where he is engaged in a limited general law practice, specializing in the matrimonial field. He is a member of the New Jersey State Bar Association and the Special Committee on Divorce and Custody.

WILLIAM RAWLINGS received his M.B.A. from Harvard Business School in June of last year and entered Navy Officer Candidate School. He was commissioned in November, and is now at the Navy's Supply Corps School in Athens, Georgia.

James C. Galt expects to receive his master's in mechanical engineering from Renssaelear Polytechnic Institute in June and will go to work for the Engineering Service Division of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company in Wilmington this summer. Jim was here for Fancy Dress and enjoyed the trip.

PFC ROBERT BROUDY of Norfolk, Virginia is currently stationed with the First Battalion Headquarters Company of the Fourth Infantry Division's 12 Regiment in Frankfurt, Germany. Bob entered the Army in September of 1954 and received basic training at Camp Gordon, Georgia, and Fort Jackson, South Carolina, before going overseas last June. On his off-duty hours he plays basketball with the 12th Regiment's team.

Franklin L. Shipman, Jr., on active duty in the Atlantic, Pacific, and Caribbean with the U. S. Navy since last April, is now serving on board the U. S. S. Columbus in the Far East. Address: 334 0222, PN3, Ex. Div., USS Columbus (CA-74), FPO, San Francisco, California.

Copies of Senator Barkley's keynote address at Washington and Lee's Mock Convention are available at the Publicity Office of the University, at no charge. Or, if you prefer, a ten-inch long-playing record of the speech may be purchased for \$3.00.

Address your request to Frank A. Parsons, Director of Publicity, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia. PFC SAMUEL OTT LAUGHLIN, III, his father writes, has been in the U. S. Army since December, 1954. He was successively sent to Fort Knox, Kentucky; Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana; Fort Riley, Kansas; and finally overseas in September, 1955, with the 10th Infantry Division to Wurzburg, Germany. Home address: Kenwood Place, Wheeling, West Virginia.

Bob Bradford, now with station WRAD, Radford, Virginia, won the following awards in the Virginia AP Broadcasters contest last spring: (non-metropolitan) Commentary, First Place; Comprehensive, First Place; State and Local, Second Place.

ROBERT H. WARREN, JR., participated in the co-operative program of engineering with Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and received an additional degree of B.C.E. He is now a civil engineer working in New York on the Long Island Expressway. Bob reports that, to date, he has managed to stay "both single and out of the Army."

GEORGE T. W. HENDRIX, JR., his father writes, has been in the U. S. Army since July 26, 1955, and is now stationed in Germany. Address: US51361137 138th Ord. Co., A.P.O. 36, New York, New York.

Fred Bowman Bear is working with his father and several uncles in the construction firm of Bear Bros., Inc., in Montgomery, Alabama. Address: 1536 Gilmer Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama.

PAUL R. MULLER is a first-year law student in the Myron Taylor School of Law of Cornell University at Ithaca, New York. JIM CONNOR, '54, also is studying law there.

KENNETH L. ABERNATHY of Louisville, Kentucky, a first year student in the Yale Law School, participated in the initial round of the annual Moot Court competition held in New Haven recently. In this series of mock trials students argue cases taken from actual court records before a panel of judges headed by a prominent member of the legal profession. Students are graded on their performance in these cases, which are designed to give prospective lawyers actual appellate courtroom experience. Those with the best grades go on to a second and then a final round in the late spring, the last case being judged by a panel which frequently includes a justice of the United States Supreme Court.

BERTRAM S. GRIFFITH, JR., has been in the Army since March 4, 1955, and is now stationed in Fairbanks, Alaska. His wife, Grace, joined him there some time ago. Address: Headquarters & Headquarters Battery, 93rd AAA Gun Battalion (120 mm), Fairbanks, Alaska.

JOSEPH J. HECKMANN, III, is in the U. S. Navy at the Naval Radio Station, Jamestown, Rhode Island. His new home address: 101 Sage Road, Louisville.



1915

Dr. N. B. Adams was married to Dorothy Stearns Doster in Mill Valley, California, on December 21, 1955. In December Dr. Adams wrote that he was still professor of Spanish at the University of North Carolina and planned to lecture and teach in Mexico this past January.

1933

H. ARTHUR LAMAR was married on February 10, 1956, to Mona Marie Chevalier at the Sacred Heart Cathedral, Washington, D. C. Address: 2010 Kalorama Road.

1937

Lynne M. Atmar was married on March 1, 1955, to Etheldred Derereaux Edens. In the insurance business, he maintains his offices in Groveton, Texas, and resides in Carrigon.

1939

EDGAR FINLEY SHANNON, JR., was married to Eleanor Hinds Bosworth on February 11, 1956, at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church in New York City. Edgar is assistant professor of English at Harvard. Address: 383 Harvard Street, Apt. 306, Cambridge 38, Massachusetts.

1941

T. C. Buford was married in July to Gwin Pryor of Calhoun City, Mississippi. Address: Glendora, Mississippi.

1943

HORACE JACKSON CARY, III, was married to Raquel de Renaut in Nogales, Arizona, on November 9, 1955. Address: 1419 Sycamore, Tucson, Arizona.

CALHOUN BOND was married to Jane Loring Piper of Eccleston, Maryland, on April 14, 1956. Cal is agent for his class in the 1955-56 Alumni Fund campaign.

1945

GEORGE ZACK was married on November 26, 1955, to Carol Albrecht. He is employed by Inland Steel Corporation and lives at 38 Dearborn Street, Chicago.

1949

ROBERT E. LEE, IV, and Marjorie Frances Tracy were married on April 12, 1956, at the Mission of San Carlos Borromeo in Carmel, California. The couple will live on Leavenworth Street in San Francisco. Francis Raymond Welles was married on February 13, 1956, to Emily Barrineau Burrage at St. James Episcopal Church in Knoxville, Tennessee. The couple resides at Country Club Home, Apt., 3D, Raleigh.

1950

Lt. Jean Myers Little was married on January 20, 1956, to Martha Lynn Coppedge at Hillcrest Heights Presbyterian Church in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

RICHARD DABNEY CHAPMAN was married on December 20, 1955, to Nancy McArthur Echols at the Lexington Presbyterian Church. He is studying at Syracuse University in preparation for foreign service. Dabney will leave for Washington in June to continue his studies there.

CHARLES RAINE PETTYJOHN, JR., was married to Bettie Macon Richardson on January 21, 1956, at St. John's Episcopal Church in Richmond, Virginia.

EDWARD K. SHELMERDINE and Gloria Lorenzon of Chestnut Hill were married on September 3, 1955, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Ed will graduate in June from the University of Pennsylvania with a degree in physical therapy.

1951

JOSEPH EDWARDS KLING was married to Jean Holloman on December 23, 1955. He is an instructor and graduate student at Wharton School of Finance, University of Pennsylvania.

J. Edward Moyler, Jr., was married to Carole Rees of Summersville, West Virginia, on August 13, 1955. They are now living in Franklin, Virginia, where Ed is associated with his father in the practice of law.

1952

FLETCHER T. McCLINTOCK was married to Virginia Arnold on October 1, 1955.

ECHOLS ALCOTT HANSBARGER, JR., and Withers Davis were married on December 22, 1955, in Centenary Methodist Church, Richmond, Virginia. ECHOLS ALCOTT HANSBARGER, SR., '20, father of the groom, served as best man. Among the groomsmen was Edward W. Rugeley, Jr., '53. Echols will receive his M.D. degree from the Medical College of Virginia this June and will serve his internship at the hospital there.

1953

James Authur Foltz, III, was married to Priscilla Johnson of Boston, Massachusetts, on December 17. 1955. Their address is: 50 Langdon Street, Cambridge.

ROBERT LEE BANSE and Anne Windels were married on December 17, 1955, and live at 8 Montague Terrace, Brooklyn.

1954

Frank Arthur Parsons was married to Henrietta Harriett Hoylman on March 28, 1956, in Clifton Forge, Virginia. He is Director of Publicity here at Washington and Lee.

WILLIAM CLARENCE WILLIAMS and Nancy Deibert were married on August 6, 1955. Bill is in his third year at the Medical College of Virginia Dental School. Address: 4922 Suburban Avenue, Apt. 4, Richmond 28, Virginia.

1955

HARRY G. KENNEDY, JR., was married to Jess Lilly of Charleston, West Virginia, on August 6, 1955. Harry is working on his Ph.D. at the University of Tennessee in Memphis and plans to coach track at Southwestern this spring. Address: 2246 South Parkway E., Apt. 4, Memphis.

JOSEPH H. CRUTE, JR., was married to Betty Morton on December 29, 1955, in Little Rock, Arkansas. Joe is now stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, as an instructor in Information and Education.



1936

Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth G. MacDonald are the parents of a second son, Frank Duncan, born March 3, 1956. Kenneth G., Jr., was born September 6, 1954.

MR. and MRS. HOWELL W. ROBERTS, JR., are the parents of a daughter, Betsy, born October 14, 1955.

1938

MR. and MRS. GILBERT S. MEEM are the parents of a third son, Peter Botts Meem, born December 28, 1955. Gilbert S., Jr., is five now and Langhorne H., II, is 11/2.

1942

DR. and MRS. JOHN G. MARTIRE are the parents of a third child, a son, John, born May 30, 1955. They have two daughters, Beth and Amy. He is an assistant professor and clinical psychologist at the State University of Iowa.

Dr. and Mrs. George F. Parton, Jr., are the parents of a fourth child, a daughter, Barbara Burdett, born October 20, 1955. They have a son, George F., III, and two daughters, Patricia Dean and Deborah.

Dr. and Mrs. Michael W. Lau are the the parents of a son, Michael W. Lau, III, born August 8, 1955, in Beverly Hills, Cal.

1943

MR. and MRS. GRANT E. MOUSER, III, are

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the parents of a son, Grant E., IV, born December 15, 1955. Grant is still assigned to the American Embassy at Tehran, Iran, as the commercial officer there.

MR. and MRS. JOHN W. GOODE, JR., are the parents of a second son, George Irwin, born November 23, 1955, in San Antonio. John W., III, is now six years old.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Shepard are the parents of a third son, Joseph August, born November 21, 1955, in Baltimore, Willis Kinsey, II, is now almost nine and Ricky is six.

MR. and MRS. CORNEAL B. MYERS, JR., are the parents of a son, Corneal B., III, born August 3, 1955. They have a daughter, born May 20, 1950.

1944

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Jackson are the parents of a second son, Randolph Coleman, born June 28, 1955.

MR. and MRS. ROBERT H. SEAL announce the adoption of a son, Robert H. Seal, Jr., born January 23, 1956.

1945

MR. and MRS. W. ROBERT GAINES are the parents of a son, Edwin Pendleton Gaines, born December 17, 1955, in Charleston, South Carolina.

MR. and MRS. EDWARD BURTON EVANS are the parents of a daughter, Mary Rives, born December 6, 1955. Ed recently was appointed Personnel Director of Virginia Polytechnic Institute in Blacksburg.

MR. and MRS. CHARLES C. STIEFF are the parents of a second son, Charles C., III, born August 29, 1955. They have a son, James Whaley, age 4, and a daughter, Priscilla Claire, age 6. Charles is now vice-president in charge of wholesale sales and advertising in the Stieff Silver Company in Baltimore, Maryland.

1946

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM A. MAGEE are the parents of a daughter, Annette Watson, born January 21, 1956.

1947

MR. and Mas. Philip Charles Braunschweig are the parents of a second daughter, Laurie Jean, born January 9, 1955. The young lady had already had her first birthday before we noticed her existence. The Braunschweigs have a daughter, Carol Louise, who is almost three and the family lives in Rochester, New York.

MR. and MRS. ROBERT A. WARMS are the parents of a son, their first child, Richard Lee, born November 18, 1955.

1948

Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Vinson, Jr., are the parents of a son, Fred M. Vinson, III, born November 25, 1955.

MR. and MRS. SELDEN S. McNeer, JR., are the parents of a daughter, Julienne Jo, born February 7, 1956, in Huntington, West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. G. LLOYD COWAN, III, are the parents of a son, George Lloyd, IV, born November 7, 1955.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Scheifly announce the adoption of a son, John Edward Scheifly, Jr.

1949

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM ALLEN CHIPLEY are the parents of their first child, a son, William Hunt, born March 28, 1956, in Lexington, Virginia. Bill is football coach at Washington and Lee.

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM EDWARD LATTURE, are the parents of a daughter, Sarah Reah, born January 31, 1956. Bill is plant manager of Blue Bell, Inc., with plants at Oneonta and Arab, Alabama.

MR. and MRS. ROBERT M. McCormick are parents of a son, Mark Hansford, born in July, 1955.

1950

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Latta are the parents of a son, Robert Andrew, born January 17, 1956. Clifford is practicing law in Prestonburg, Kentucky.

1951

MR. and MRS. ROBERT H. SALISBURY are the parents of a daughter, Susan Marie, born September 29, 1955. Bob received his Ph.D. in Political Science from the University of Illinois last June and is now teaching at Washington College in St. Louis.

MR. and MRS. DAVID C. G. KERR are the parents of a daughter, Jenette Sherman, born June 25, 1955.

DR. and MRS. THOMAS A. WASH are the parents of a son, Thomas A. Wash, Jr., born July 13, 1955. Tom expects to complete his internship at the University of Virginia hospital in July of this year and will enter the Air Force for two years.

MR. and MRS. F. BERT PULLEY of Courtland, Virginia, are the parents of a son, Franklin Dean, born February 9, 1956.

1952

MR. and MRS. OTIS W. HOWE, JR., are the parents of a son, Otis W., III, born November 9, 1955. The Howes live in Wabash, Arkansas.

MR. and MRS. ROLAND EUGENE THOMPson are the parents of a son, Mark Lee, born in December, 1955. Roland is employed by the C. & P. Telephone Company of Maryland and lives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Earl are the parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Beardsley, born January 14, 1956, in St. Louis, Missouri.

New address: 2173 Central Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Benno M. Forman are the parents of a daughter, Lisa Marian, born March 16, 1956, in Roanoke, Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Denny, Jr., are the parents of a daughter, Margaret Sullivan Denny, born October 2, 1955, in Atlanta, Georgia.

1954

MR. and MRS. WILEY REED WRIGHT, JR., are the parents of a son, Wiley Reed, III, born November 25, 1955.

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM T. CLEM are the parents of a daughter, Cynthia Lynn, born August 7, 1955. Bill received his masters degree in marketing in September, 1955, from Illinois University Graduate School and is now employed as a market analyst in the Marketing Research Department of Smith, Kline and French Laboratories in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence C. Musgrove are the parents of a daughter, Marian Jeanette, born January 23, 1956.

MR. and MRS. JAMES D. BONEBRAKE are the parents of a daughter, Catherine Ann, born August 30, 1955. Jim is completing his Army service at Ft. Eustis and lives in Williamsburg, Virginia.

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM M. SHOWALTER, JR., are the parents of a daughter, Pamela Sue, born December 11, 1955, in Lexington. Address: Rt. No. 7, 154 Vet. Drive, Burlington, North Carolina.



1893

SELDEN BRYAN JONES died December 27, 1955, in Atlanta, Georgia. Born in Fayetteville, North Carolina, Mr. Jones lived most of his life in Atlanta where he was associated with the Provident Life and Accident Insurance Company.

1895

Dr. Harry Moore Wallace, public health director in Augusta County for more than 30 years, died October 30, 1955, in Greenville, Virginia. A native of Spottswood, Dr. Wallace attended Washington and Lee and received his M.D. degree from the University College of Medicine—now the Medical College of Virginia—in 1910, after which he specialized in eye, ear, nose and throat in New York City. He practiced medicine at Raphine, in Roanoke and at Greenville before becoming head of the

Augusta County Health Department in 1916. A lifelong member of Bethel Presbyterian Church, where he had been an elder since 1915, Dr. Wallace sang in the choir and taught Sunday school. He was a past master of Greenville's Augusta Lodge No. III, AF&AM and a former deputy grand master of District 19, Masonic Grand Lodge of Virginia.

1896

CARRINGTON CABELL TUTWILER died March 3, 1956, at his home, "Brushwood," two miles west of Lexington. A retired chemist and chemical engineer and native of Rockbridge County, Mr. Tutwiler received his master of science degree from Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1897 and a year later began his career in Philadelphia, where for 15 years he was chief chemist for the United Gas Improvement Company. In 1915 he organized the Cooper's Creek Chemical Company at Philadelphia and served as president until his retirement in 1934, when he returned to Rockbridge County to make his home. At Philadelphia, Mr. Tutwiler was vice-president of the Franklin Institute and chairman of the Bartol Research Foundation. He was a member and past president of the American Gas Association and belonged to the American Chemical Society. He is survived by his wife-a sister of the late Ellen Glasgow-a son and two grandchildren.

1902

ROBERT O. CROCKETT died October 29, 1955, in Tazewell, Virginia.

1903

GEORGE LEE HUGH died March 19, 1956, at his home, Bellevue, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Burial was in Stonewall Jackson Cemetery in Lexington.

1904

ROBERT JEFFERSON DILLARD died January 29, 1956, following a long period of illness. His home was in Madisonville, Texas.

1905

SIDNEY BAXTER THOMAS died July 9, 1955. His home was in Charleston, West Virginia.

Dr. James Elliott Lyons died December 5, 1955. His home was in Higginsville, Missouri.

1906

Frank Holiday Brumback died November 22, 1955, in Woodstock, Virginia. Dean of the Shenandoah County Bar, where he had practiced continuously for 51 years, Mr. Brumback devoted most of his time to criminal cases and defended many persons in both trial justice court and in circuit court. He took an active part in the Democratic Party of Virginia and served for many years as chairman of the Shenandoah County Democratic Commit-

tee. He was an active member of the Masonic Lodge and was a Shriner.

GEORGE HENRY CAPERTON, JR., died September 11, 1955. His home was in Beckley, West Virginia.

1907

Isaac Paul Gassman died suddenly of a heart attack on April 17, 1956, at Delray Beach, Florida, where he and Mrs. Gassman had been spending the winter. His home was in Freeport, Illinois.

1908

Lewis Howell Brown died June 12, 1955, in Roanoke, Virginia. His home was in New York City.

THE REVEREND ROBERT RUSSELL GRAY died January 20, 1956, at his home in Union, West Virginia, following a cerebral hemorrhage. Dr. Gray had been pastor of Salem Presbyterian Church at Organ Cave, West Virginia, for 31 years and had also served for 38 years as pastor of Union Presbyterian Church, where he was ordained on June 3, 1917. As a minister, Dr. Gray's duties extended into the larger organizations of his church. He was Moderator of Greenbrier Presbytery in 1919 and was stated clerk of the Presbytery from 1945 through 1955. He served as Moderator of the Synod of West Virginia in 1944 and 1945, was stated clerk of the Synod from 1947 to 1950, and was temporary clerk of the General Assembly in 1947. An active civic leader, Dr. Gray was a charter member and past president of Union Rotary Club and a Mason. At one time he was principal of Union High School and was an ardent worker in the early days of the 4-H movement in the state.

1909

RALPH W. BIERER died January 5, 1956. His home was in Binghamton, New York.

WILLARD WADE OLIVER died very suddenly on November 5, 1955, while visiting a friend in Charlottesville, Virginia. His home was in Gordonsville, Virginia, where he had moved in 1954 after retiring from active duty as a vice president with W. A. Case Company in Buffalo, New York. He is survived by his wife and two married children.

1911

WILLIAM ELMER DAMERON died after a long illness on November 9, 1955. He was serving his third term as mayor of Hereford, Texas, and had been a leader in the community for the past 40 years. He began his long career while still a law student at the University of Texas, when he was appointed attorney for Deaf Smith County to fill a vacancy. Later he was elected county judge. While mayor, Mr. Dameron saw Hereford grow, under his guidance, from a town of less than 2,500 into a city of 5,000. In addition to his outstanding contributions to the community, for which he was named Here-

ford's "Man of the Year" in 1949, Mr. Dameron was known as a leader in the purebred cattle trade, maintaining for many years one of the finest herds in the county. He was a member of the First Christian Church, where he served as elder for 35 years and taught a Sunday school class for more than 30 years.

1918

ELLIOTT M. STEWART, a sales and investment broker associated with the firm of J. H. Hilsmon and Company, died January 25, 1956, after an illness of several months in Atlanta, Georgia. Born in New Orleans, Mr. Stewart had made his home in Atlanta for about 35 years. He is survived by his wife, two sons, a brother and three grandchildren.

JOHN L. McCHORD, senior partner in the law firm of Calfee, Fogg, McChord and Halter, died suddenly from a heart attack on February 25, 1956, at his home in Shaker Heights, Ohio. A member of the national and Ohio Bar Associations and past president of the Cleveland Bar Association, Mr. McChord had practiced in Cleveland since his graduation from Harvard Law School in 1922. For many years he was a member of the probate and trust committee of the Ohio State Bar Association. He was a member of the executive committee of the Cleveland Bar Association and a former chairman of its committee on judicial candidates and campaigns. He held active membership in the Court of Nisi Prius.

Mr. McChord belonged to various civic groups and had served as a trustee of Fairmount Presbyterian Church and the Welfare Federation of Greater Cleveland. He was a director of the Colonnade Company, the Whitmer-Jackson Company, the Cleveland Steel Tool Company and the Union Savings and Loan Company. He is survived by his wife, a son, a daughter and three brothers.

1919

JOHN W. COOK, Jr., died July 22, 1955. His home was in Chicago, Illinois.

1920

SYDNEY GARLAND WHITE died November 2, 1955. His home was in Waynesboro, Virginia.

LOWNDES TREADWELL died February 11, 1956, after a prolonged illness. His home was in Arcadia, Florida.

1927

Woodville Carthon Haythe died suddenly of a heart attack on February 1, 1956. His home was in Charleston, West Virginia.

1928

WILSON LEIGH OWENS died November 17, 1955. His home was in Fort Worth, Texas.



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