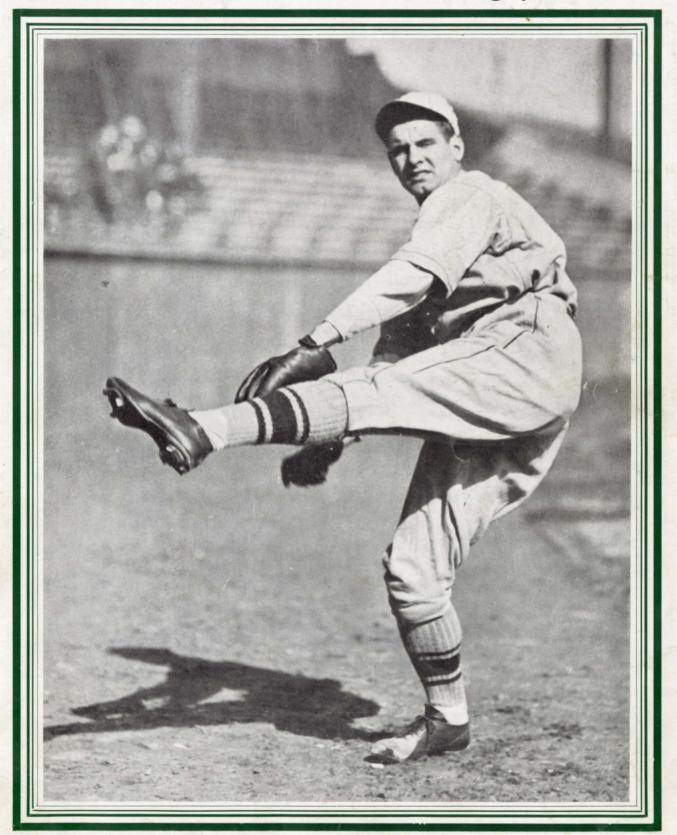
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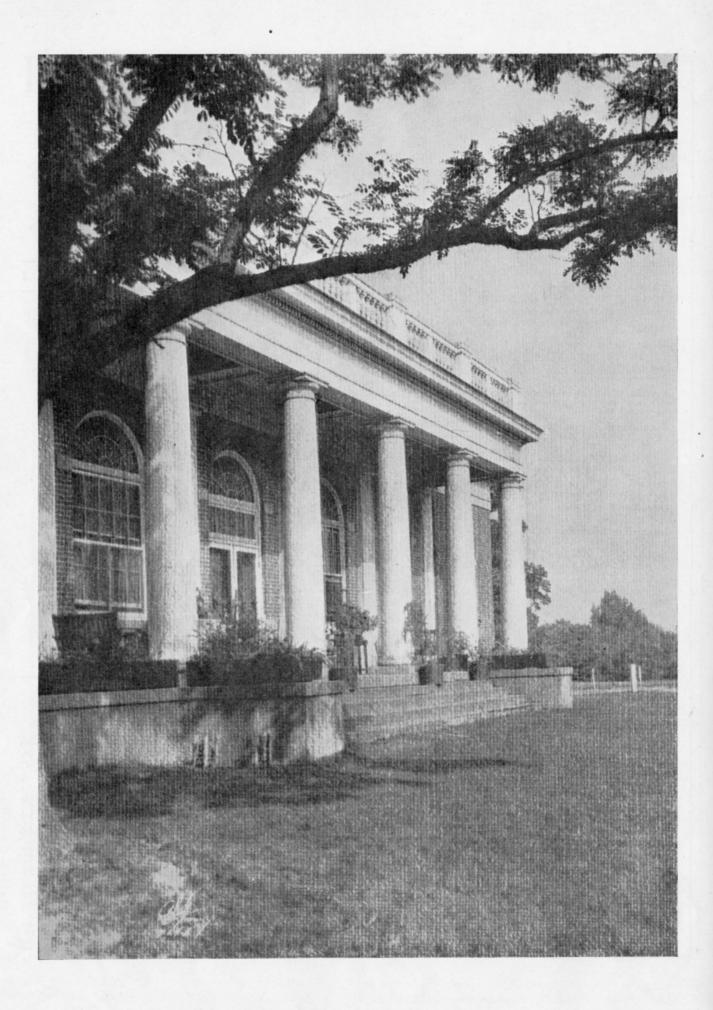
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President's Page—On the Uses of Great Men

Preliminary Remarks, Washington-Cincinnati Society Convocation, April 12, 1935

Almost exactly a year ago today, many of you recall, we had in this chapel exercises of a different nature. Then we went to the lovely village cemetery and while a little driving snow blinded our eyes we lowered into the earth the body of a man who combined many elements of greatness.

Some of us were thinking then that the supreme tragedy of death is in this fact, that when a great man dies, so much goes with him.

His knowledge, for example, dies—save for such part as he may have transferred to the inadequate modes of type; and his capacity for knowledge, the disciplined mind with its patient searchings and keen appraisals and true interpretations, these die. Progress would be swifter if the great surgeon could transfer to the young doctor the discernment that results from long experience, the skill from great practice; if the statesman could bequeath to the young politician the noble dream of life's autumn past all the summer heats of personal ambition; if the scholar could transmit to the student the zeal for a pursuit of knowledge, a competence upon the path of that pursuit.

In time the great man's orderings of material things, his economic authority, breaks down. His personal impact upon other men passes in a generation or two. His face remains only a lifeless similitude upon prints or paintings; the memory of his personality slowly dissolves.

But of all great men, whether George Washington or Harry Campbell, certain things never die, cannot die.

The honest and unselfish work that they have done, at least in some indestructible central core, is permanent. It is heaven's high concession to us that even in the brevity and the triviality of our day, we may work for eternity. So the poet, contemplating the awful contrast between the everlasting immensities and our own pathetic transiency, could voice the most ambitious of human prayers: "And the work of our hands, establish Thou it."

The character of the great man does not die. It abides, not as an alabaster image to be jealously guarded as perfection, but as a landmark of victory upon heights far ahead, heights won through struggle and

denial, heights that we may reach by following such examples.

Most important of all, the loyalties, the spiritual enthusiasms, of great men do not die. They endure, the most precious possessions of our race. They have this amazing power that they can give to even dead material things a shining immortality. Washington, for example, died a man of great property and left a will of great detail, of large dimen-



sion; but of all his holdings, only one part now serves the purpose then designated in that will. This is the money he gave to our institution; his generosity endowed that particular money with timeless utility. The faith of great men and the sacrifices in behalf of their faith, these things abide.

All educational institutions that are not of the "cashand-carry" type are built not of brick and stone but of the contributions made by great men, the work they did, the characters they left as patterns for life, the convictions they proposed as guides for life.

Our University is blessed in the number of such men and in the quality of these men, their eminence and their directions. Today we honor the first two notable benefactions, benefactions of more than money: the gift from Washington and the gift from his friends, the Virginia Society of the Cincinnati.

These men and other rare souls chose this school as the depository of their undying heritage, whether of money or of service. They acted deliberately, without haste of hysteria, electing of free will and of best judgment this institution as the channel through which they would make effective forever their holiest aspiration for mankind, their ultimate faith in the capacity of youth to offer worthy response.

It is a high honor that has thus been paid us. But today and always may we think of it not as a mere compliment, not as a distinction of which we shall boast, but as the measure of a responsibility, the definition of an obligation which we gladly accept.

Francia levolitor Faines

Two of Washington and Lee's Oldest Alumni

EET TWO of Washington and Lee University's oldest and most highly respected alumni, men who studied under General Robert E. Lee:

George Addison Mahan of Hannibal, Missouri, and

James William Lockett of St. Louis, Missouri.

Back in the reconstruction days of 1869 both of these men traveled to Lexington to further their education at the school headed by the man to whom the nation, reunited, bowed in respect. From different parts of the country they came as youths—but now, as two of the University's most beloved alumni, they live near each other.

James William Lockett left the old family plantations down in his native Georgia and came to Lexington shortly after the War Between the States, arriving about the same time that George Addison Mahan treked to the historic Virginia town from his home in far-away Missouri.

For Mr. Lockett particularly the fame

that surrounded General Lee lived on in his academic life. That was because this Georgian had just served through the war as a member of the fighting Georgia Cadets, and had become personally familiar with the reputation of leadership and high character which Robert E. Lee seemed to enjoy throughout the entire South, and later extended to the nation through his wise guidance of the institution to which he devoted the last and richest years of his life.

James William Lockett was at Lexington two years,

leaving in 1869. Now he is in St. Louis, far from his native Georgia plantations, but still close to Washington and Lee in his memories.

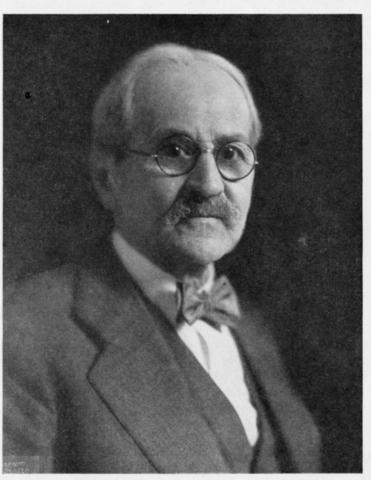
And in nearby Hannibal, Missouri, lives George Ad-

dison Mahan—let's write about his life in "backward fashion," starting with today and working back to his student days under Lee:

Hannibal, Mo., as you should know if you haven't forgotten all your childhood books and fantasies, was the boyhood home of America's Mark Twain, who glorified the youth of the nation in a manner yet unexcelled.

Mark Twain so caught the fancy of George Addison Mahan that he has become possibly the author's greatest admirer. If that statement seems a bit broad, take a trip to Hannibal and see what you see:

At the foot of Cardiff Hill there you will see a monument of Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn, those hap-



James William Lockett

py kids who romped through Mark Twain's pages:

Mr. Mahan erected that monument.

Mark Twain's boyhood home still stands in Hannibal, the property of the city as a memorial to the writer's genius.

Mr. Mahan with Mrs. Mahan and their son purchased the place and presented it to Hannibal.

To complete the Mark Twain theme, Mr. Mahan has erected several markers throughout the city denoting various incidents in the author's life, and pointing out places of interest in connection with his books.

And recently he was made chairman of the state of Missouri's Mark Twain centennial celebration, which officially opened January 15 of this year. The centennial pageant will be staged on June 18, 19, and 20, and a "gigantic homecoming" (Mr. Mahan's own stationery says so!) will be staged the week of September 8. The Mark Twain birthday banquet is scheduled November 30 to climax the celebration.

Mr. Mahan, besides being head of the law firm of

Mahan, Mahan and Fuller at Hannibal, is president of the Missouri State Historical Society and a member of the advisory council of the university of Missouri. He formerly was city attorney of Hannibal, was state's attorney of the county, and for a time was a member of the Missouri state legislature. He belongs to the University club and the Noonday club at St. Louis, is a Mason and a Phi Beta Kappa.

Now to skip back to the early life of this distinguished alumnus:

George Addison Mahan was born August 6, 1851 in Marion county, Missouri. He was a student at Bethel college, Palmyra and Missouri before attending Washington college the session of 1869-1870. After leaving

Lexington he went to Indiana University, and received his LL.B. there in 1872.

Since 1873 Mr. Mahan has practiced law in Hannibal, practicing alone until some ten years ago when he formed the firm he now heads. He finds time to be a member of the board of directors of the Hannibal National Bank, the Hannibal Bridge Company, and the Hannibal Mutual Building and Loan association. He is, as you would suspect, a member of both the American and Missouri bar associations.

In 1930 Culver-Stockton college at Canton, Missouri, conferred upon Mr. Mahan an LL.D. degree.

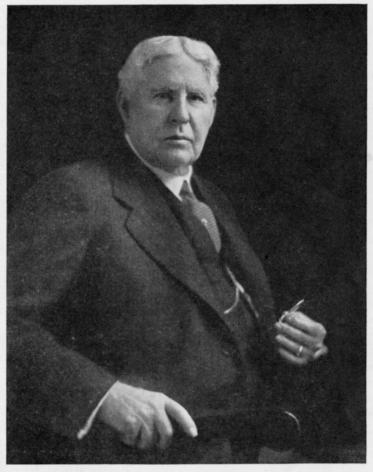
While Mr. Mahan has devoted his life to the practice of law, Mr. Lockett has directed the family plantations of the South, and engaged in the brokerage and banking business as well.

James William Lockett was born November 23, 1848, on the Lockett plantation in Crawford county, Georgia. His family was of Revolutionary stock, and settled in the state of Georgia about 1780.

Mr. Lockett's primary education was received in private schools of Macon, Georgia, not far from the family estates. He joined the Georgia Cadets when the bugles first called, and served with distinction during the War Between the States, and following the conflict managed the plantations and became a broker and banker.

In 1870 he was married to Miss Mary Bond of Macon. His second wife was Miss Pauline Ackland of Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. Lockett's father, William Lockett, was a famous pioneer railroad builder of the old South, and one of the stories has it that he constructed the old Georgia Southern railway from Savannah to the Allamaha river with his own slaves.



George A. Mahan

Mr. Lockett now makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. J. Vion Papin, in St. Louis.

There is the all-too-brief story of two of Washington and Lee University's oldest and most beloved alumni. There is the story of two men who studied under General Robert E. Lee, who exemplify the traditions of the University, who have carried into the nation's conglomerate trend of life and affairs the richness of what they learned at the school which has the traditions of Washington and Lee as its heritage.—R. P. C.

Sixty Seats in the House of Representatives

By F. James Barnes, II
Assistant Professor of Political Science at Washington and Lee

Increasingly impressive is the record of Washington and Lee men in public service being brought to light by a systematic search of the records for alumni achievement in this meritorious field of endeavor.

Twenty-one Washington and Lee governors* of thirteen states were reported in the first part of the study to be released. The second release set forth the exploits of the eighteen United States Senators, from eleven states, who were wholly or partly trained at Washington and Lee. And now we add to this splendid record the achievements of the sixty sons of Washington and Lee who have represented their states in the United States House of Representatives, thus advancing the number of Washington and Lee Congressmen to the extraordinary total of seventy-eight.

Eighteen states have been represented by these sixty members of the lower house of Congress; states as widely separated as Florida and Oregon, Delaware and California. Virginia has been represented in the House by twenty-nine Washington and Lee alumni; West Virginia by six. Arkansas and Kentucky have each chosen Washington and Lee men on three occasions; Florida, Georgia, Idaho, South Carolina, and Texas have been represented by alumni on two occasions. Other states to be represented by alumni are: Alabama, California, Delaware, Louisiana, New Mexico, North Carolina, Ohio, Oregon, and Tennessee.

Brief biographical sketches follow in the order in which the subjects of the sketches were first elected or appointed to the House:

Joe McDowell Representative from North Carolina, 1797-1799

Born in Winchester, Virginia, February 15, 1756; moved to North Carolina with his parents in 1758; attended the common schools and Washington College. Served against the Indians on the frontier and later took an active part in the revolution attaining the rank of Colonel before the close of the war; engaged in planting; delegate to the State Constitutional Convention, which ratified the Constitution of the United

States in 1789; member of the State House of Commons in 1791 and 1792; elected to the Fifth Congress (March 4, 1797-March 3, 1799); was not a candidate for renomination in 1798; moved to Kentucky in 1800, but returned to North Carolina in 1801; died at his brother's home at Quaker Meadows, near Morgantown, Burke county, N. C., February 5, 1801.

Peter Early Representative from Georgia, 1803-1807

Born near Madison, Madison county, Virginia, June 20, 1773; attended the Liberty Hall Academy; graduated from Princeton College in 1792; studied law in Philadelphia, Pa., was admitted to the bar, and commenced practice in Wildes county, Ga. Elected to the Seventh Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Milledge; reelected to the Eighth and Ninth Congresses and served from January 10, 1803, to March 3, 1807; one of the managers appointde by the House of Representatives in January, 1804, to conduct impeachment proceedings against John Pickering, judge of the United States District Court for New Hampshire, and in December of the same year against Samuel Chase, associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States; declined to be a candidate for reelection; Governor of Georgia, 1813-1815; elected to the state senate in 1815, and served until his death near Scull Shoals, Green county, Ga., August 15, 1817.2

C. C. CLARK
Representative from Virginia, 1804-1806

Born in Albemarle county, Virginia, in 1767; attended Washington College. Studied law in the office of Patrick Henry. Admitted to the bar in 1788, and commenced practice in New London (now Bedford Springs) Virginia; member of the state House of Delegates in 1790; elected as a Jeffersonian Democrat to the Eighth Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John Trigg; re-elected to the Ninth Congress, and served from November 5, 1804, to July 1, 1806, when he resigned. Died near New London, Virginia, on November 21, 1828.³

James Breckenridge Representative from Virginia, 1809-1817

Born near Fincastle, Virginia, March 7, 1763; (brother of John Breckenridge); studied under private tutors; during the Revolutionary War served in Colonel Preston's rifle regiment under General Greene; attended Washington College, and was graduated from William and Mary in 1785; studied law, was admitted to the bar, and practiced in Fincastle; member of the state House of Delegates, 1789-1802, 1806, 1808, 1820, 1821, 1823, and 1824; took a special interest in the construction of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and was an associate of Thomas Jefferson in the establishment of the University of Virginia, at Charlottesville, Virginia; elected as a Federalist to the Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, and Fourteenth Congresses (March 4, 1809-March 3, 1817); died at his country home, "Grove Hall," Botetourt county, Virginia, May 13, 1833.4

SAMUEL MCKEE
Representative from Kentucky, 1809-1817

Born near Lexington, Virginia, October 13, 1774; was graduated from Liberty Hall Academy in 1794; admitted to the bar in 1800, and commenced practice in Somerset, Pulaski county, Kentucky. Member of the Kentucky State House of Representatives, 1802-1808; elected as a Democrat to the Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, and Fourteenth Congresses (March 4, 1809-March 3, 1817); died October 16, 1826.⁵

JOHN BAKER
Representative from Virginia, 1811-1813

Born in Frederick county, Maryland; attended Washington College, and began practice in Berkeley county, Virginia (now Jefferson county, West Virginia); one of the lawyers who defended Aaron Burr when he was tried for treason; elected as a Federalist to the Twelfth Congress (March 4, 1811-March 3, 1813); died August 18, 1823.6

S. E. Parker Representative from Virginia, 1819-1821

Born in Eastville, Northampton county, Virginia, July 19, 1787; attended Washington Academy. Served in the State Senate, 1817-1820; elected to the Sixteenth Congress (March 4, 1819-March 3, 1821); elected again a member of the State House of Delegates, 1828, 1829, and 1834-1836; died in Northampton county, Virginia, October 21, 1836.⁷

James D. Breckenridge Representative from Virginia, 1821-1823

Born in Woodville, near Louisville, Jefferson county, Kentucky; attended Washington College, 1800-1803; member of the State House of Representatives, 1809-1811; appointed judge by Governor Robert Desha in April, 1826, but declined to serve; elected to the Seventeenth Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Wingfield Bullock, and served from November 21, 1821, to March 3, 1823. Died in Louisville, Kentucky, May 6, 1849.8

Benjamin Estil Representative from Virginia, 1825-1827

Born in Hansonville (now Russell county), Virginia, on March 13, 1780. Attended Washington Academy. Commercial practice in Abingdon, Virginia; member of the State House of Delegates, 1814-1817; elected to the Nineteenth Congress (March 4, 1825-March 3, 1827); Judge of the fiftieth Judicial circuit from 1831 until 1852, when he resigned. Died July 14, 1853.9

G. W. Crump Representative from Virginia, 1826-1827

Born in Powhatan county, Virginia; attended Washington College and was graduated from Princeton in 1805. Member of the Virginia House of Delegates, 1817-1822 and 1825-1828; elected as a Jackson Democrat to the Nineteenth Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Randolph, and served from January 21, 1826, to March 3, 1827. Died in Washington, D. C., October 1, 1848.¹⁰

ROBERT ALLEN
Representative from Virginia, 1827-1833

Born in Woodstock, Virginia, July 30, 1794; was graduated from Washington College in 1815; member of the State Senate in 1821-1826; elected as a Democrat to the Twentieth, Twenty-first, and Twenty-second Congresses (March 4, 1827-March 3, 1833). Died in Mount Prospect, Virginia, December 30, 1859.¹¹

ROBERT CRAIG Representative from Virginia, 1829-33, 1835-41

Born near Christiansburg, Montgomery county, Virginia, in 1792; attended Washington College. Served in the State House of Delegates in 1817, 1818, and again in 1825-1829; elected as a Democrat to the Twenty-first and Twenty-second Congresses (March 4, 1829-

March 3, 1833). Elected also to the Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, and Twenty-sixth Congresses (March 4, 1835-March 3, 1841); was not a candidate for renomination in 1840. Died November 25, 1852.¹²

J. J. Allen Representative from Virginia, 1833-1835

Born in Woodstock, Virginia, September 25, 1797; attended Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pa., in 1811 and 1812, and Washington College in 1814 and 1815. Moved to Clarksburg, Virginia, and continued practice; member of the State Senate in 1828-1831; Commonwealth Attorney for Harrison, Lewis, and Preston counties in 1834 and served while a member of Congress; elected as a Whig to the Twenty-third Congress (March 4, 1833-March 3, 1835). Author of the celebrated "Botetourt Resolutions" of 1861. Died September 18, 1871. 18

S. McD. Moore Representative from Virginia, 1833-1835

Born in Philadelphia, February 9, 1796; attended Washington College and settled at Lexington after leaving college; member of the State House of Delegates, 1825-1833; elected as a Whig to the Twentythird Congress (March 4, 1833-March 3, 1835). Died in Lexington, Virginia, September 17, 1875.14

Walter Coles Representative from Virginia, 1835-1845

Born at Coles Ferry, Virginia, December 8, 1790; attended the Hampden-Sydney College and Washington College. Member of the State House of Delegates, 1817, 1818, 1833, and 1834; elected as a Democrat to the Twenty-fourth and to the four succeeding Congresses (March 4, 1835-March 3, 1845). Died November 9, 1857. 15

JOHN HILL Representative from Virginia, 1839-1841

Born in New Canton, Virginia, July 18, 1800; was graduated from Washington Academy in 1818; admitted to the bar in 1821; elected as a Whig to the Twenty-sixth Congress (March 4, 1839-March 3, 1841). Died at Buckingham, April 19, 1880.¹⁶

G. W. SUMMERS Representative from West Virginia, 1841-1845

Born near Alexandria, Virginia, March 4, 1804; attended school at Charleston, Virginia (now West Virginia), and Washington College. Graduated from Ohio

State University in 1826. Commenced law practice in Charleston. Elected as a Whig to the Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Congresses (March 4, 1841-March 3, 1845). Died in Charleston, W. Va., September 19, 1868.¹⁷

JAMES McDowell Representative from Virginia, 1846-1851

Born in Rockbridge county, Virginia, October 13, 1796; attended Washington College and Yale; graduated from Princeton College in 1817; governor of Virginia, 1842-1846; elected as a Democrat to the Twenty-ninth Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William Taylor; reelected to the Thirtieth and Thirty-first Congresses, and served from March 6, 1846, to March 3, 1851; died August 24, 1851. 18

E. C. Cabell Representative from Florida, 1847-1853

Born in Richmond, Virginia, February 5, 1816; attended Washington College in 1832 and 1833. Graduated from the University of Virginia in 1836; moved to Florida in 1837. Returned to Virginia; studied law, and was admitted to the bar in 1840; returned to Florida and upon the admission of Florida as a state into the Union presented credentials as a member-elect to the Twenty-ninth Congress, and served from October 6, 1845, to January 24, 1846. Elected as a Whig to the Thirtieth, Thirty-first, and Thirty-second Congresses (March 4, 1847-March 3, 1853). Died February 28, 1896.¹⁹

JEREMIAH MORTON Representative from Virginia, 1849-1851

Born in Fredericksburg, Virginia, September 3, 1799; attended Washington College in 1814 and 1815; graduated from William and Mary in 1819. Elected as a Whig to the Thirty-first Congress (March 4, 1849-March 3, 1851). Died at "Lessland," Orange County, Va., November 28, 1878.²⁰

JOHN LETCHER Representative from Virginia, 1851-1859

Born in Lexington, Virginia, March 29, 1813; was graduated from Washington Academy in 1833; studied law, was admitted to the bar and commenced practice in Lexington. Editor of the Valley Star from 1840 to 1850; presidential elector on the Democratic ticket of Cass and Butler in 1848; elected as a Democrat to the Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, and Thirty-fifth Congresses (March 4, 1851-March 3, 1859). Governor of Virginia, 1860-1864. Died January 26, 1884.

E. C. Marshall Representative from California, 1851-1853

Born in Woodford county, Kentucky, June 29, 1821; attended Centre College; graduated from Transylvania University; attended Washington College in 1832-33. Moved to San Francisco and later to Sonora, California; elected as a Democrat to the Thirty-second Congress (March 4, 1851-March 3, 1853); was renominated in 1852, but withdrew before the election was held. Attorney General of California, 1883-1886. Died in San Francisco, July 9, 1893.²²

Brookins Campbell Representative from Tennessee, 1853

Born in Washington county, Tenn., in 1808. Graduated from Washington College. Member of the State House of Representatives, 1835-1839, 1841-1846, and 1851-1853. Elected as a Democrat to the Thirty-third Congress, and served from March 4, 1853, until his death in Washington, D. C., December 25, 1853.²³

J. K. Shafer Representative from Idaho, 1869-1871

Born in Rockingham county, Virginia, December 26, 1823; was graduated from the law school of L. P. Thompson in Staunton, Virginia, in 1846, and from Washington College, Lexington, Virginia, in 1843; moved to Stockton, California in 1849. Moved in 1862 to what later became Idaho territory; elected as a Democrat to the Forty-first Congress (March 4, 1869-March 3, 1871. Died in Eureka, Nevada, November 22, 1876.²⁴

John J. Davis Representative from West Virginia, 1871-1875

Born in Clarksburg, Virginia (now West Virginia), May 5, 1835; was graduated from the Lexington law school (now the law department of Washington and Lee University), in 1856; commenced practice in Clarksburg. Member of the West Virginia House of Delegates in 1869 and 1870; elected as a Democrat to the Forty-second and Forty-third Congresses (March 4, 1871-March 3, 1875). President of the state bar association in 1901. Died March 19, 1916.²⁵

S. A. MERRITT Representative from Idaho, 1871-1873

Born in Staunton, Virginia, August 15, 1827; was graduated from Washington College in 1848; moved to Mariposa county, California, in 1849. Moved to the

Territory of Idaho in 1862; elected as a Democrat to the Forty-second Congress (March 4, 1871-March 3, 1873); member of the Democratic National Committee in 1892; Chief Justice of Supreme Court of Territory of Utah from 1894-1896. Died September 8, 1910.²⁶

> JAMES B. SENER Representative from Virginia, 1873-1875

Born in Fredericksburg, Virginia, May 18, 1837. Graduated in law from Washington and Lee. Army correspondent of the Southern Associated Press with the army of General Robert E. Lee; became editor of the Fredericksburg *Ledger* in 1865. Elected as a Republican to the Forty-third Congress (March 4, 1873–March 3, 1875). Died in Washington, D. C., November 18, 1903.²⁷

C. R. Breckenridge Representative from Arkansas, 1883-89, 1890-94

Born near Lexington, Kentucky, November 22, 1846; attended Washington College for three years; settled in Pine Bluff, Arkansas in 1870; elected as a Democrat to the Forty-eighth, Forty-ninth, and Fiftieth Congresses (March 4, 1883-March 3, 1889); presented credentials as a member-elect to the Fifty-first Congress, and served from March 4, 1889, until September 5, 1890, when John M. Clayton was declared to have been duly elected, but, owing to the death of Mr. Clayton while the contest was pending, the seat was declared vacant; subsequently elected to the Fiftyfirst Congress to fill the vacancy thus caused; re-elected to the Fifty-second and Fifty-third Congresses, and served from November 4, 1890, to August 14, 1894. Appointed minister to Russia by President Cleveland, and served until 1897, when he retired to Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Now a resident of Fort Smith, Arkansas. 28

ROBERT M. MAYO
Representative from Virginia, 1883-1884

Born in Hague, Virginia, April 28, 1836; studied law at the Lexington law school (now Washington and Lee University), 1858-1859. Presented credentials as a Readjusted member-elect to the Forty-eighth Congress, and served from March 4, 1883, to March 20, 1884. Died in Hague, Virginia, March 29, 1896.²⁹

THOMAS S. McRae Representative from Arkansas, 1885-1903

Born in Mount Holly, Union county, Arkansas, December 21, 1851; was graduated from the law school of Washington and Lee University in 1872. Elected as a Democrat to the Forty-ninth Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of James K. Jones; reelected to the Fiftieth and to the seven succeeding Congresses, and served from December 7, 1885, to March 3, 1903. President of Arkansas Bar Association in 1917 and 1918; governor of Arkansas January 14, 1921, to January 14, 1925. Now a resident of Prescott, Arkansas.⁸⁰

CHARLES T. O'FERRALL Representative from Virginia, 1884-1893

Born in Brucetown, Virginia, October 21, 1840; was graduated from the law department of Washington College in 1869; commenced practice in Harrisonburg, Va. Member of the State House of Delegates, 1871-1873; successfully contested as a Democrat the election of John Paul to the Forty-eighth Congress; reelected to the Forty-ninth and the four succeeding Congresses, and served from May 5, 1884, until December 28, 1893, when he resigned; Governor of Virginia, 1894-1898. Died in Richmond, Virginia, September 22, 1905.31

Theodore S. Wilkinson
Representative from Louisiana, 1887-1891

Born in Plaquemines Parish, near New Orleans, La., December 18, 1847; was graduated from Washington and Lee in 1870; elected as a Democrat to the Fiftieth and Fifty-first Congresses (March 4, 1887-March 3, 1891); died in New Orleans, February 1, 1921.32

H. St. G. Tucker Representative from Virginia, 1889-1897, 1922—?

Born in Winchester, Virginia, April 5, 1853; was graduated from the law department of Washington and Lee University in 1876; commenced practice in Staunton, Virginia; elected as a Democrat to the Fifty-first, Fifty-second, Fifty-third, and Fifty-fourth Congresses (March 4, 1889-March 3, 1897; elected professor of constitutional law and equity at Washington and Lee University in 1897 to succeed his father, John Randolph Tucker. President of the American Bar Association in 1905. Author of woman suffrage by constitutional amendment and limitations on the treatymaking power; elected as a Democrat to the Sixtyseventh Congress to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Henry D. Flood; reelected to the Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth Congresses, and served from March 21, 1922, to March 4, 1927; reelected to the Seventieth Congress.33

J. F. Epes Representative from Virginia, 1891-1895

Born near Blackstone, Virginia, May 23, 1842; was graduated from the law department of Washing-

ton College in 1867. Elected as a Democrat to the Fifty-second and Fifty-third Congresses (March 4, 1891-March 3, 1895). Died August 24, 1910.³⁴

D. G. Tyler Representative from Virginia, 1893-1897

Born in East Hampton, Long Island, N. Y., July 12, 1846; entered Washington College in 1862, leaving there in 1863 to join the Confederate Army. Graduated from the law department of Washington College in 1869; commenced practice in Richmond, Virginia; served in the state senate in 1891 and 1892; elected as a Democrat to the Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth Congresses (March 4, 1893-March 3, 1897). Died September 5, 1927. 35

J. W. Stokes

Representative from South Carolina, 1895-96, 1896-01

Born near Orangeburg, S. C., December 12, 1853; was graduated from Washington and Lee University in 1876; taught school for twelve years. Presented credentials as a Democratic member-elect to the Fifty-fourth Congress, and served from March 4, 1895, to June 1, 1896, when the seat was declared vacant; subsequently elected to fill the vacancy; reelected to the Fifty-fifth, Fifty-sixth, and Fifty-seventh Congresses, and served from November 3, 1896, until his death in Orangeburg, S. C., July 6, 1901.

STANJARNE WILSON
Representative from South Carolina, 1895-1901

Born in Yorkville (now York), S. C., January 10, 1860; attended Washington and Lee University; studied law, and was admitted to the bar in 1880, then being a minor; settled in Spartanburg, S. C., in 1881; elected as a Democrat to the Fifty-fourth, Fifty-fifth, and Fifty-sixth Congresses (March 4, 1895-March 3, 1901). Died February 14, 1928.³⁷

James Hay Representative from Virginia, 1897-1916

Born in Mollwood, Virginia, January 9, 1856; was graduated from the law department of Washington and Lee in 1877; elected as a Democrat to the Fifty-fifth and to the nine succeeding Congresses and served from March 4, 1897, until his resignation on October 1, 1916, to accept appointment as judge of the United States Court of Claims. Resident of Madison, Va.³⁸

J. S. Rhea Representative from Kentucky, 1897-1903

Born in Russelville, Logan county, Ky., March 9, 1855; attended Washington and Lee, studied law, and

commenced practice in 1873; elected as the candidate of the Democratic and Populist parties to the Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth Congresses (March 4, 1897-March 3, 1901); presented credentials as a member-elect to the Fifty-seventh Congress and served from March 4, 1901, to March 25, 1902. Elected to the Fifty-eighth Congress (March 4, 1903-March 3, 1905). Died in Russelville, Ky., July 29, 1924.³⁹

James L. Slayden Representative from Texas, 1897-1919

Born in Mayfield, Graves county, Kentucky, June 1, 1853; attended Washington and Lee; moved to San Antonio, Texas, in 1876; president of the American Peace Society for several years; elected as a Democrat to the Fifty-fifth and to the ten succeeding Congresses (March 4, 1897-March 3, 1919). Died in San Antonio, Texas, February 24, 1924.

HENRY D. FLOOD Representative from Virginia, 1913-19

Born in Appomattox county, Virginia, September 2, 1865; attended Washington and Lee and the University of Virginia. Commenced law practice in Appomattox, Va. Elected as a Democrat to the Fifty-seventh and to the nine succeeding Congresses, and served from March 4, 1901, until his death; chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs from January, 1913, to March 4, 1919, and was author of the resolutions declaring war to exist between the United States and the Imperial German Government and with the Imperial Austro-Hungarian Government. Died in Washington, D. C., December 8, 1921.⁴¹

D. H. Mays Representative from Florida, 1909-1913

Born near Madison, Florida, April 28, 1852; attended Washington and Lee. Elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-first and Sixty-second Congresses (March 3, 1909-March 3, 1913). Resides in Montecello, Fla.⁴²

JOHN W. DAVIS Representative from West Virginia, 1911-1913

Born in Clarksburg, Harrison county, West Virginia, April 13, 1873; was graduated from Washington and Lee in 1892; reentered the University and was graduated in law in 1895; professor of law at Washington and Lee in 1896 and 1897; president of the West Virginia Bar Association in 1906; elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-second and Sixty-third Congresses,

and served from March 4, 1911, to August 29, 1913, when he resigned; Solicitor General of the United States, 1913-1918; appointed ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to Great Britain, and served from November 21, 1918, to March 31, 1921; member of the American delegation for conference with Germany on the treatment and exchange of prisoners of war. Unsuccessful Democratic candidate for President of the United States in 1924; now resident of Nassau county, New York, and practices law in New York City. 43

H. B. Fergusson Representative from New Mexico, 1912-1915

Born near Pickensville, Pickens county, Alabama, September 9, 1848; was graduated from Washington and Lee in 1873 and from the law department in 1874; commenced practice of law in Wheeling, W. Va.; moved to Albuquerque, New Mexico, in 1883; elected as a Democratic delegate to the Fifty-fifth Congress (March 4, 1897-March 3, 1899); upon the admission of New Mexico as a state into the Union was elected to the Sixty-second Congress; reelected to the Sixty-third Congress, and served from January 8, 1912, to March 3, 1915; died January 10, 1915.44

SAMUEL B. DAVIS Representative from West Virginia, 1913-1915

Born in Harrisonburg, Virginia, February 19, 1872; was graduated from the law department of Washington and Lee. Elected as a Republican to the Sixty-third Congress (March 4, 1913-March 3, 1915); was killed by lightning in Charleston, West Virginia, June 8, 1924.45

Franklin Brockson Representative from Delaware, 1913-1915

Born in New Castle county, Delaware, August 6, 1865; was graduated from the law department of Washington and Lee in 1896; commenced practice in Wilmington, Delaware. Elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-third Congress (March 4, 1913-March 3, 1915). Resumed the practice of law in Clayton and Wilmington, Delaware, and is a resident of Clayton, Delaware.⁴⁶

EDWARD COOPER Representative from West Virginia, 1915-1919

Born in Treverton, Pa., February 26, 1873; moved with his parents to Fayette county, W. Va., in 1875; was graduated from Washington and Lee in 1892, and subsequently from the law department of the same university. Elected as a Republican to the Sixty-fourth

and Sixty-fifth Congresses (March 4, 1915-March 3, 1919. Died March 1, 1928.⁴⁷

SEWARD H. WILLIAMS Representative from Ohio, 1915-1917

Born in Amsterdam, New York, November 7, 1870; was graduated in law from Washington and Lee in 1895; elected as a Republican to the Sixty-fourth Congress (March 4, 1915-March 3, 1917); died in Lorain, Ohio, September 2, 1922.⁴⁸

Wells Geedykoontz Representative from West Virginia, 1919-1923

Born in Pulaski county, Virginia, June 3, 1872; studied law at Washington and Lee. Member of the State House of Delegates in 1911 and 1912; member of the State Senate, 1914-1918 and served as president of the Senate and Lieutenant Governor ex-officio from 1917 to December 1, 1918; president of the West Virginia Bar Association in 1917 and 1918. Elected as a Republican to the Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh Congresses (March 4, 1919-March 3, 1923); resident of Williamson, West Virginia.⁴⁹

J. Murray Hooker Representative from Virginia, 1921-1925

Born in Patrick county, Virginia, October 29, 1873; graduated in law in 1896 at Washington and Lee. Member of the Virginia Fisheries Commission, 1908-1914; elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-seventh Congress to fill vacancy caused by the death of Rorer A. James; reelected to the Sixty-eighth Congress, and served from November 8, 1921, to March 3, 1925; chairman of the Democratic State Committee in 1925; resumed practice at Stuart, Virginia.⁵⁰

H. M. Wurzback Representative from Texas, 1921-1927

Born in San Antonio, Texas, May 19, 1874; was graduated in law from Washington and Lee in 1896; elected as a Republican to the Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, and Sixty-ninth Congresses (March 4, 1921-March 3, 1927); delegate at large from Texas to the Republican National Convention at Cleveland in 1924; reelected to the Seventieth Congress.⁵²

John R. Tyson Representative from Alabama, 1921-1923

Born in Lowndes county, Alabama, November 28, 1856; was graduated from Washington and Lee in

1879; moved to Montgomery, Alabama, in 1884, and resumed the practice of law; judge of the Circuit Court from 1892-1898; associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama, 1898-1906, and served as Chief Justice from November, 1906, to February 28, 1909, when he resigned; elected as a Democrat to the Sixtyseventh and Sixty-eighth Congresses, and served from March 4, 1921, until his death, March 27, 1923.⁵¹

George C. Peery Representative from Virginia, 1923-1929

Born in Tazewell county, Virginia, October 28, 1873; studied law at Washington and Lee. Was admitted to the bar in 1897 and commenced practice in Tazewell; delegate to the Democratic National Convention at San Francisco in 1920 and at New York City in 1924; elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth Congresses (March 4, 1923-March 3, 1927); reelected to the Seventieth Congress; now governor of Virginia.⁵⁸

HEARTSILL RAGON Representative from Arkansas, 1923-1933

Born in Dublin, Arkansas, March 20, 1885; was graduated in law from Washington and Lee. Elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth Congresses (March 4, 1923-March 3, 1927); reelected to the Seventieth Congress.⁵⁴

ELKTON WATKINS Representative from Oregon, 1923-1925

Born in Newton, Mississippi, July 6, 1881; was graduated from Washington and Lee, Georgetown law school, and George Washington law school. Moved to Oregon; assistant United States District Attorney in 1919; during World War was engaged in secret service work for the government. Elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-eighth Congress (March 4, 1923-March 3, 1925); resumed practice of law in Portland, Oregon, where he now resides.⁵⁵

CLIFTON A. WOODRUM Representative from Virginia, 1923—

Born in Roanoke, Virginia, April 27, 1887; studied law at Washington and Lee and was admitted to the bar in 1908; commenced practice in Roanoke. Commonwealth's Attorney of Roanoke in 1917 and 1918; judge of the Hustings Court of Roanoke, 1919-1922; elected as a Democrat to the Sixty-eighth and Sixtyninth Congresses (March 4, 1923-March 3, 1927); reelected to the Seventieth Congress.⁵⁶

Sam Rutherford Representative from Georgia, 1925—

Born near Culloden, Georgia, March 15, 1870; attended Washington and Lee University; was graduated from law department of University of Georgia at Athens in 1894. Elected as a Democrat to the Sixtyninth Congress (March 4, 1925-March 3, 1927); reelected to the Seventieth Congress.⁵⁷

John W. Fishburne Representative from Virginia, 1931-1933

Born in Albemarle county, Virginia, March 8, 1868; student at Washington and Lee University from 1885-1886. Appointed judge of Eighth Judicial Circuit, 1913, and elected for three terms by state legislature, serving until 1930; member Seventy-second Congress (1931-1933) Seventh Virginia District. Home: 722 Locust Avenue, Charlottesville, Virginia.⁵⁸

JOHN W. FLANNAGAN Representative from Virginia, 1921-1933

Born in Trevilians, Virginia, February 20, 1885; LL.B. at Washington and Lee University, 1907; Commonwealth's Attorney for Buchanan county, 1917; member Seventy-second Congress (1931-1933), Ninth Virginia district; home, Bristol, Virginia.⁵⁹

Joel W. Flood Representative from Virginia

Born at Appomattox, Va., August 2, 1894; student at Washington and Lee, 1913-1915, University of Virginia, 1915-1918; began law practice at Appomattox; Colonel on staff of Governor E. Lee Trinkle for four years. Member of Seventy-second Congress (unexpired term of H. St. G. Tucker, November, 1932-March, 1933). Home, Appomattox.⁶⁰

AUTHOR'S NOTE—The author is conscious of a very real possibility of having omitted Washington and Lee members of Congresses more recent than the Seventieth, the last covered by the Congressional Directory which has been used as a check list for information gathered from such sources as the *Alumni Magazine*, the *Ring-tum Phi*, and the oral suggestions of friends and associates. He would, therefore, be grateful for information making possible the correction of omissions and for factual matter which would bring the information cited up to date.—F. J. B.

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Riegel Gets Research Award

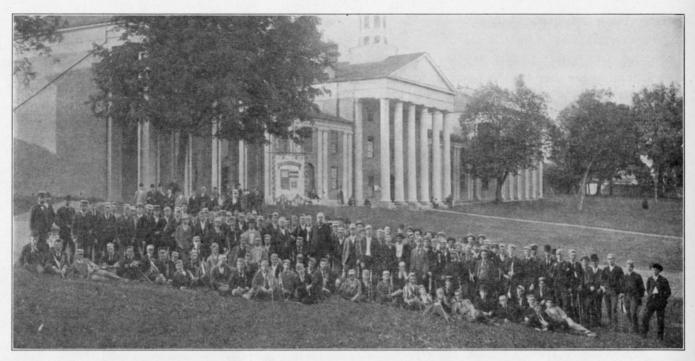
The award of a grant-in-aid to O. W. Riegel, director of journalism at Washington and Lee university, to permit him to make a study of economic factors in the gathering and dissemination of news in Europe, has been made by the Social Science Research Council of New York.

With the assistance of funds supplied by the council, Professor Riegel will leave for Europe in June to spend three months gathering material in England, France, Germany and Russia. Professor Riegel is the author of the recently-published "Mobilizing for Chaos, The Story of the New Propaganda," which describes the political factors in world news.

The study to be undertaken this summer will deal with economic factors in the operation of news gathering associations and newspapers, including questions of ownership and control.

Professor Riegel recently was appointed a member of the Committee on Pressure Groups and Propaganda of the Social Science Research Council. An article by Professor Riegel, "Propaganda and the Press," a study of publicity and propaganda in American newspapers, appears in the May number of the Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

^{*} To the list of twenty-one governors presented in January Alumni Magazine should be added Peter Early, Governor of Georgia, 1813-15.



Shown in the above photograph, provided by Mr. Campbell, are students of Washington and Lee of 1890, gathered on the campus with the sacred banner of the University. To the left of the banner stands J. Randolph Tucker; Professor J. J. White is to the right of the banner; the author of this article is sitting on the ground almost directly in front of Professor White, with his left hand across the colors on the front of his coat. Note the absence of Newcomb Hall, and of old Tucker Hall, the law building that was destroyed by fire in December, 1934.

The Sacred Banner of Washington and Lee

By Leslie Lyle Campbell, Class of 1887 Cambridge, Massachusetts

T was a soft autumn day in the old town of Lexington. A new generation of students had gathered in the College Chapel to hear read the minutes of the faculty adopted sixty-four years before, on the occasion of the death of their president, General Robert E. Lee, on October 12, 1870.

In the sacred Chapel sat a student of half a century ago. His eyes rested upon the banner that hangs on the wall, over the arch leading to the recumbent statue of Lee. Rushing memories carried the writer back to the birth and first bearing of the banner, that he had not seen for over forty years.

On May 29, 1890, an equestrian statue of General R. E. Lee was to be unveiled in Richmond, Va. From the chief marshal, General Fitzhugh Lee, the students of the College received an invitation to attend the unveiling ceremonies. The students chose the writer as their marshal for the trip to Richmond. A banner was

needed to head the student column as they marched in the procession of the unveiling of the statue, and the writer secured the assistance of Professor W. G. Brown in designing a banner that would be appropriate for the occasion. The banner was paid for largely and loyally by the students, out of meagre resources, in those meagre years.

While the banner was being designed and made, the students gathered on the campus in the afternoons, in awkward squads, to learn how to "fall in," to "forward march," and to mix "right by fours" with "left by fours." The student drill caused many a merry smile on the faces of the Virginia Military Institute cadets as they passed by.

At last the banner arrived, in all its silken glory.

The chief banner bearer was William Edgar Darnall, and his aides, who held the guy cords, were Jesse J. Vineyard and Howard Lee Jones. On the eve of the trip to Richmond, the students gathered on the campus, to hear farewell words from the Hon. J. Randolph Tucker, and from Professor J. J. White. Both of these had known Lee, both as a general and as college president. Other members of the faculty were on the left of the banner group.

The students, in blue and white caps and "blazers," with college colors on coats and canes, and the banner at the front of their column, marched away to the depot about sundown and boarded a special train that took them down by North River, through Balcony Falls, and on down the banks of the James.

That night was not made for sleep!

Early next morning the train pulled into Richmond, and after breakfast the student column formed on the

Capitol grounds, beneath the equestrian statue of Washington, the generous benefactor of their college.

The march of the student body up Franklin street was an ovation. Old soldiers cheered Lee's youngest boys. Military companies presented arms as the boys passed. Miss Mary and Miss Mildred Lee waved to and smiled upon *their* college boys. The alumni cheered along the way. Thomas Nelson Page rushed

out in the midst of the students and tossed his silk hat high in the air. The students in their caps and colors captured the smiles of many of the fairest of the South.

At last Lee's old and young boys stood, with bared heads, near the statue as the veil was drawn, and the Great Chieftain was seen on his faithful "Traveller." Twas there and then that the banner received its baptism and benediction. Will Darnall and his aides reverently bore the banner back to the College. Today the sacred banner hangs near him, in whose honor it was made and borne by loyal youth, forty-five years ago.

Many of the glorious boys of May 29, 1890 have passed over the river, and now rest under the everlasting trees. Among them are Lee's grandson "Bob," the two banner aides, Vineyard and Jones, and that charming student, Count Hidei Fukuoka, who, while in Richmond, won the heart of the writer's mother by his gentle modesty and dignity.

Lee's grandson, Bolling Lee, who marched with the banner, still survives. The students that still remain will ever cherish the benediction that fell upon them at Lee's statue in Richmond.

The arms painted on the banner comprise portions of the arms of Washington and Lee, which are as follows:

THE WASHINGTON ARMS: George Washington was descended from the Washingtons of Sulgrave Manor, England. The coat of arms that he used was derived

from that ancestral family. In heraldic terms, the Washington arms are as follows:

CREST: Out of a ducal coronet or (gold) an eagle issuant (rising), with wings addorsed (back-to-back), sable (black).

SHIELD: Argent (silver field), two bars gules (red), in chief (at the top) three mullets (five-pointed rowels of spurs, pierced) gules (red).

Mотто: Exitus acta probat.

In one copy of the arms used by Washington, the crest has a raven, while in the arms of his bookplate, the crest has an eagle. The question as to whether the American flag had its origin in the Washington arms is a mooted one. At any rate the three mullets in the Washington arms are not stars, but are pierced rowels

of spurs, nor are they blue, but blood-red.

The Lee Arms: The Lee family of Virginia is descended from one of the most ancient families in the English peerage. In 1385 Robert de la Lee, of Coton Hall, Salop County, England, married the daughter and heiress of Sir Thomas Astley, of Nordley. After this marriage, the arms of the Lee and the Astley families were combined and quartered. At the quartering of the arms, the original

Lee arms were placed in quadrants one and four of the shield, and the Astley arms in quadrants two and three. In the new combined arms, the Lee crest and motto were retained.

In heraldic terms, the Lee arms are as follows:

CREST: On a staff raguly (tree branch lopped), a squirrel sejant (sitting) cracking a nut or (gold), from the dexter end of the staff an oak branch vert (green), fructed (fruited), all proper (natural).

SHIELD: In first and fourth quadrants, the original Lee arms: gules (a red field), a fess (a band) chequy (checked) or (gold) and azure (blue), between billets (rectangles) argent (silver), four in chief (at the top), and three, two, one billets in the base. In quadrants two and three are the Astley arms: azure (blue field), a cinquefoil (conventional five-leaf flower), ermine within a bordure (border) argent (silver), engrailed (wavy edge).

Morro: In some instances, Ne incautus futuri (imperative); In others, Non incautus futuri (declarative).

From the arms of Washington and of Lee, the arms on the banner were evolved, with the exception of the first quadrant of the shield, which quadrant is as follows:

Azure (blue field), an open book, on white pages the words, OMNIA AUTEM PROBATE, from the Latin Vulgate of the New Testament, I. Thess. 5, 21.

The open book and the blue field are symbolic of the blue-blood Scotch, who founded the College on an open Bible.

In quadrant two of the shield on the banner, are the Washington arms; while in quadrants three and four are the Lee arms.

On the banner, no crest was placed over the shield, nor was any motto placed beneath. Above the shield are the words WASHINGTON AND LEE, in gold letters, on a blue scroll, on a white background. Below the shield is the date 1749, the time of the founding of the Augusta Academy, from which the College developed. The banner is made of heavy white silk, with gold border and tassels.

Such was and is the sacred banner, borne forty-five years ago by loyal students, in honor of their immortal president. From the shield on the banner has come the coat of arms of the University.

The writer, when a child, went with his father and mother to see General R. E. Lee, at his first retreat after the war, at "Derwent," in Powhatan county, Va. There the boy received from the soldier a benediction, as a strong, gentle hand rested on a little head.

In early college days, the same boy stood by a simple grave, in the floor of the basement of the Lee Chapel. The Great Chieftain had not then been laid to final rest in the mausoleum. The only flowers about the grave were immortelles, from the hills he loved. Today, across the years, comes a gentle perfume from those immortelles.

In 1883, the same boy was an honored student marshal at the unveiling of the recumbent statue of Lee, in the College Chapel.

In 1890, his hand and heart again paid humble tribute to the Great General in Richmond. And now, after nearly three score years and ten, the head of a longago boy is warmed by

"The touch of a vanquished hand."

And in reverence, that boy lays a renewal of his devotion

"On the doubly sacred shield Of Washington and Lee."

NOTE: The official coat of arms of Washington and Lee University, as used in the University catalogue and on all official publications, has been made available to alumni through the Lee Museum at Lee Chapel. The coat of arms varies slightly from the cut reproduced on the second page of the above article in that there are five cinquefoils. Cost of the arms, framed and done in colors, is \$2.00 postpaid to alumni .Order from the Lee Museum, Lexington, Virginia, and please mention *The Alumni Magazine*.

An Architectural Monument

Washington and Lee University's colonnade and the flanking professors' residences are among the three outstanding national monuments of the early federal architectural period in America, Philip Small, nationally known architect, believes. He puts two other Virginia institutions in this select group—the College of William and Mary and the University of Virginia.

Mr. Small, who divides his time between Cleveland and California, visited Lexington several weeks ago to study the Washington and Lee campus and surrounding buildings. He is consulting architect for a critical review and approval of the plans of Carneal, Johnston and Wright, Richmond, Va., firm, for the new law school building at Washington and Lee.

Asked for an opinion on the correctness of the traditional design of Washington and Lee's colonnade, Mr. Small said that "correctness and the precise following of classic formulae are not matters of importance because there are in the architectural richness of the original buildings at Washington and Lee both vitality and charm that put them above a critical appraisal of their accurately following classic forms and details."

He approved in general the present plans for the new law school home that will replace Tucker Hall, but took back to Cleveland with him complete sketches of the campus as it will appear with the new structure at the northern end of Washington college.

Mr. Small, a graduate of Boston Tech and an instructor in the Fine Arts School at Bellevue, France, after the war, was consulting architect for the Terminal Tower in Cleveland. He directed the general remodeling of the Greenbriar hotel at White Sulphur Springs; designed the Cleveland Playhouse; and is consulting architect in charge of plans for the John Carroll university in Cleveland.

VLADIMIR ROMM, first correspondent from the U. S. S. R. to be stationed in Washington, spoke to Washington and Lee journalism students April 5. His topic was "The Press in the U. S. S. R." *Izvestia*, leading newspaper of Moscow, assigned Romm to cover the American capital shortly after Ambassador Troyanovsky took up his official duties in this country.

Before coming to the United States last year Romm was correspondent for Tass news agency in Geneva and Paris, and prior to that time had been with the same agency in Tokio. The appearance of the Russian newspaperman at Washington and Lee was sponsored jointly by the department of journalism and Sigma Delta Chi, national journalistic fraternity.

Three Hundred Alumni As Teachers

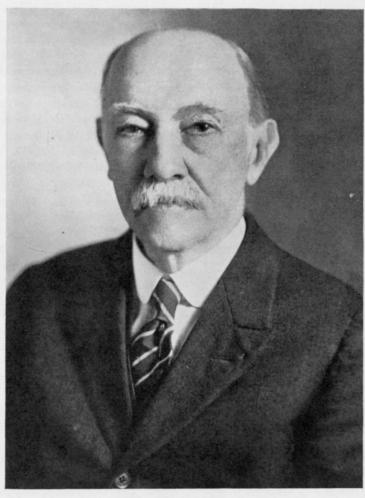
By R. N. LATTURE

Associate Professor of Political Science and Sociology at W. & L.

F Washington and Lee's eight thousand living alumni three hundred are engaged in teaching. It is a matter of interest and pride to realize that so many of our men are exemplifying the spirit

and traditions of their alma mater in so many class-rooms and on such widely scattered campuses. These fellow alumni play a prominent part in stimulating the minds and directing the ambitions of thousands of young men and women from grammar schools to graduate schools. In molding the character and shaping the ideals of youth Washington and Lee men have conspicuous opportunity and responsibility.

Approximately onehalf of our pedagogical alumni are engaged in college teaching at home and abroad. Their names are listed in this article and in a later issue of The Alumni Magazine another list will appear containing the names of teachers which are not included here. Information as to additions and corrections are welcome.



William Spencer Currell

The list given below contains the names of 145 alumni. Thirty-eight of these men are teaching in Virginia colleges, twenty-two of them being at Washington and Lee. Eight of our alumni are teaching in the colleges of Texas, and eight in the state of Illinois. Five of those in Illinois are on the faculty of the University at Urbana. Six names on the list are connected with colleges in each of the states of Maryland, North Carolina, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Of the total number of our professorial alumni twenty-one are teaching in the field of English, nineteen in foreign languages, sixteen in history, twelve in chemistry, eleven in medicine, eight in law, seven in

education, and six in mathematics, political science, and engineering. Several other subjects have claimed the interest of smaller numbers of alumni.

The class of 1924 should be awarded the badge of distinction for its rich contribution to the ranks of the teaching profession. Ten men who were awarded degrees at Washington and Lee in June, 1924, are now engaged in college teaching. J. P. Brawner is at Illinois; W. A. Flick at Washington and Lee; L. H. Harris at Omaha; E. H. Howard at Washington and Lee; J. V. Logan at Princeton; S. A. McCorkle at Texas: M. L. Peacock at V. P. I.; W. L. Simmons at Ohio Weslevan; J. N. Thomas at Hollins; and J. H. Williams at Washington and Lee.

The place of honor

in this list is accorded to that inspiring teacher and cultured gentleman, William Spencer Currell of the class of 1878. To him goes the distinction and honor of having adorned the teaching profession longer than any other Washington and Lee alumnus now living. He was a student at Washington and Lee from 1875 to 1882, and a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. He has the further distinction of being the first to hold the Howard Houston Fellowship and of being

the first editor of *The Southern Collegian* in magazine form. In 1879 he received the M. A. degree and in 1882 he was awarded the Ph. D.

Dr. Currell was professor of English at Hampden-Sidney College for four years and occupied the chair of English at Davidson from 1886 to 1895. He was then recalled to the faculty of Washington and Lee, where he was made professor of English and modern languages in 1900.

Somewhere in the course of his academic perigrinations he acquired the onomatopoetic nickname of "Jingles." We do not know the special occasion which called forth this nickname but all men who have been fortunate enough to sit in his classes will attest to the appropriateness of the appellation.

In 1914, after nineteen years of service on the faculty of his alma mater, Dr. Currell accepted the presidency of the University of South Carolina, his native state. In 1922 he retired from the presidency to become dean of the graduate school. Since 1929 he has devoted himself entirely to his first and truest love, the teaching of English language and literature.

Following are Washington and Lee alumni now teaching in colleges. The date after each name denotes the class to which they belong:

Adams, Nicholas B., 1915, Chapel Hill, N. C., Spanish, University of North Carolina; Anderson, Douglas S., 1890, New Orleans, La., Professor and Dean of Engineering, Tulane University.

Ballagh, James C., 1884, Philadelphia, Pa., History, University of Pennsylvania; Bane, James E., 1929, Richland, Mich., Education, Teachers' College; Barrett, LeRoy C., 1897, Hartford, Conn., Latin, Trinity College; Bear, James E., 1915, Richmond, Va., Bible, Union Theological Seminary; Bear, Robert M., 1922, Hanover, N. H., Education, Dartmouth College; Bennett, Albert L., 1916, Charlottesville, Va., Education, University of Virginia; Blain, Hugh Mercer, 1894, New Orleans, La., Journalism, Loyola University; Blain, Stanton F., 1933, Lexington, Va., Spanish, Virginia Military Institute; Bowyer, John W., 1921, Dallas, Texas, English, Southern Methodist University; Brawner, J. Paul, 1924, Urbana, Ill., English, University of Illinois; Breedin, John K., 1904, Lima, Peru, Director of Education, Peru; Bullitt, James B., 1894, Chapel Hill, N. C., Medicine, University of North Carolina; Burkholder, Aldine C., 1903, San Marcos, Texas, Teachers' College.

Campbell, Leslie L., 1887, Boston, Mass., Physics, Simmons College; Canter, Howard V., 1896, Urbana, Ill., Classics, University of Illinois; Carter, Richard P., 1929, Lexington, Va., Journalism, Washington and Lee University; Coe, Samuel Gwynn, 1916, Lakeland, Fla.,

History, Southern College; Converse, Paul D., 1913, Urbana, Ill., Economics, University of Illinois; Cooper, Robert F., 1902, Holly Springs, Miss., President, Mississippi Synodical College; Cooper, W. Raymond, 1906, Memphis, Tenn., History, Southwestern University; Cox, William Junkin, 1918, New Haven, Conn., Engineering, Yale University; Crenshaw, Ollinger, 1925, Lexington, Va., History, Washington and Lee University; Crow, Charles L., 1888, Gainesville, Fla., Modern Languages, University of Florida; Currell, William Spencer, 1878, Columbia, S. C., English, University of South Carolina.

Daniel, John L., 1910, Atlanta, Ga., Chemistry, Georgia School of Technology; Davidson, Herman P., 1913, Chicago, Ill., Medicine, University of Chicago; Desha, Lucius Junius, 1905, Lexington, Va., Chemistry, Washington and Lee University; Dickey, Robert William, 1910, Lexington, Va., Physics, Washington and Lee University; Dillard, James H., 1877, Charlottesville, Va., President of Slater & Jeans Foundations, sometimes Professor of Latin, Tulane University; Dunnington, Waldo G., 1928, Urbana, Ill., German, University of Illinois.

Farrar, Thomas J., 1895, Lexington, Va., German, Washington and Lee University; Flagg, William Junkin., 1913, Baltimore, Md., English, Polytechnic Institution; Flick, Walter A., 1924, Lexington, Va., Psychology, Washington and Lee University; Flournoy, Fitzgerald, 1921, Lexington, Va., English, Washington and Lee University; Flournoy, Frank R., 1905, Allendale-on-Hudson, N. Y., St. Stephens College; Forbus, Wiley D., 1916, Durham, N. C., Medicine, Duke University; Fry, Selvia Oscar, 1918, New York City, Medicine, New York Post-Graduate Medical School.

Gammon, Samuel R., 1911, College Station, Texas, History, Texas A. & M.; Garnand, Harry J., 1910, Emory, Va., Romance Languages, Emory and Henry College; George, John J., Jr., 1919, New Brunswick, N. J., History, Rutgers University; Ghiselin, Charles J., 1912, Taichow, Kiangsu, Mission School; Gilliam, Frank J., 1917, Lexington, Va., English, Washington and Lee University; Gladden, Thomas L., 1885, Annapolis, Md., St. Johns College; Gorrell, Joseph H., 1888, Wake Forrest, N. C., Modern Languages, Wake Forest College; Graham, John A., 1914, Lexington, Va., Modern Languages, Washington and Lee University; Graybill, Henry B., 1902, Lewisburg, W. Va., Education, Greenbriar College; Green, Edwin L., 1892, Columbia, S. C., Ancient Languages, University of South Carolina; Grimes, A. G. M., 1906, Winchester, Ohio, Romance Languages, College Extension; Groseclose, Henry C., 1912, Blacksburg, Va., Agriculture,

Virginia Polytechnic Institute; Guthrie, David Vance, 1903, Baton Rouge, La., Physics, Louisiana State University.

Hall, Samuel R., 1927, Syracuse, N. Y., Zoology, Syracuse University; Hamilton, Thomas R., 1917, College Station, Texas, Accounting, A. & M. College of Texas; Harris, Lancelot M., 1888, Charleston, S. C., English, College of Charleston; Harris, Lyman H., 1924, Omaha, Neb., History, University of Omaha; Harrel, Hansen C., 1927, Columbia, Mo., Classical Languages, University of Missouri; Hart, Freeman H., 1912, Hampden-Sydney, Va., History, Hampden-Sydney College; Hartzo, Solly A., 1921, Lake Forest, Ill., Political Science, Lake Forest College; Herndon, John G., Jr., 1911, Haverford, Pa., Political Science, Havreford College; Herold, Amos Lee, 1909, Commerce, Texas, English, Teachers' College; Hesseltine, William Best, 1922, Madison, Wis., History, University of Wisconsin; Hinton, William M., 1929, Lexington, Va., Psychology, Washington and Lee University; Hobson, Robert P., 1914, Louisville, Ky., Jefferson Law School; Houston, Hale M., 1898, Lexington, Va., Engineering, Washington and Lee University; Howard, Edwin H., 1924, Lexington, Va., Accounting, Washington and Lee University; Howe, James L., Jr., 1918, Shanghai, China, Chemistry, Great China University; Hurt, Frank B., 1923, Westminster, Md., Economics, Western Maryland College.

Irwin, George I., 1920, Lexington, Va., Modern Language, Washington and Lee University.

Junkin, Marion M., 1927, Richmond, Va., Art, Richmond Division of William and Mary.

Keller, Fred, 1912, Jonesboro, Ark., Education, Teachers College; Koontz, Louis K., 1908, Los Angeles, Cal., History, University of California.

Lamar, E. S., 1927, Boston, Mass., Physics., Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Lamont, W. H. F., 1917, New Brunswick, N. J., English, Rutgers University; Langhorne, Maurice C., 1925, Atlanta, Ga., Education, Emory University; Latture, Rupert N., 1915, Lexington, Va., Political Science, Washington and Lee University; Leap, William L., 1923, Delaware, Ohio, Sociology, Ohio Wesleyan University; Lind, Samuel C., 1899, Minneapolis, Minn., Chemistry, University of Minnesota; Logan, James V., 1924, Princeton, N. J., English, Princeton University; Lord, Richard C., 1901, Gambier, Ohio, Chemistry, Kenyon College; Lowman, Herman L., 1917, Staples, Texas, Education, Teachers' College; Lowry, Charles W., 1926, Alexandria, Va., Theology, Episcopal Theological Sem-

McClure, John, 1903, Rosewell, N. M., Chemistry, New Mexico Military College; McClure, Mathew T., 1904, Urbana, Ill., Dean, University of Illinois; Mc-Corkle, Stuart A., 1924, Austin, Texas, Political Science, University of Texas; McCorkle, Thomas A., 1914, Farmville, Va., Chemistry, State Teachers College; McKee, George H., 1912, Atlanta, Ga., Modern Languages, Georgia Institute of Technology; McNeill, Charles C., 1903, Spartansburg, Va., Chemistry, Washington and Lee University; McNeil, John A., 1932, Lexington, Va., Chemistry, Washington and Lee University; Magruder, Frank A., 1905, Corvallis, Oregon, Political Science, Oregon State College; Miller, Harry W., 1907, East Lansing, Mich., Engineering, University of Michigan; Moore, J. Preston, 1927, Fayetteville, Ark., History, University of Arkansas; Moreland, Charles F., 1908, Baton Rouge, La., Biology, Louisiana State University; Moreland, William Haywood, 1906, Lexington, Va., Dean of Law, Washington and Lee University; Morrison, Ralph D., 1926, Rosewell, N. M., Chemistry, New Mexico Military College; Morrison, William Brown, 1897, Durant, Okla., History, Southeastern Teachers' College; Moss, C. Gordon, 1921, Farmville, Va., History, State Teachers' College; Myers, Harry W., 1894, Kobe, Japan, Theology, Kobe Theological School.

Nabors, Eugene A., 1926, New Orleans, La., Law, Tulane University.

Ogburn, Sihon C., Jr., 1923, Lewisburg, Pa., Chemistry, Bucknell University; Ordeman, Daniel T., 1920, Corvallis, Oregon, English, Oregon State College; Ott. William P., 1900, Tuscaloosa, Ala., Mathematics, University of Alabama.

Paxton, Earle K., 1908, Lexington, Va., Mathematics, Washington and Lee University; Peacock, Markham L., 1924, Blacksburg, Va., English, Virginia Polytechnic Institute; Pilley, John A., 1929, Foochow, China, English, Anglo-Chinese College; Ramey, Medford G., 1930, Lexington, Va., Physical Education, Virginia Military Institute; Rogers, Samuel E., 1922, Atlanta, Ga., English, Georgia School of Technology; Royston, Robert W., 1923, Lexington, Va., Mathematics, Washington and Lee University.

Sanders, Irving T., 1929, Sofia, Bulgaria, English, American College of Sofia; Sandidge, William Lee, Jr., 1917, University, Ala., English, University of Alabama; Scott, Ralph L., 1925, Evanston, Ill., English, Northwestern University; Shepperson, Archibald B., 1918, Charlottsville, Va., English, University of Virginia; Sherrill, Richard E., 1922, Pittsburgh, Pa., Geology, University of Pittsburgh; Shields, Randolph T., 1898, Tsinan, Shantung, China, Medicine, Shantung Christian College; Simmons, Walter L., 1924, Delaware, Ohio, English, Ohio Wesleyan University;



Bill Ackerly

Law and Order Chairman

BILL ACKERLY, 1912, recently appointed chairman of the first Law and Order Committee of the American Legion, department of Virginia, is the author and originator of the department's two-point law and order program. He summarizes these points as follows:

- (1) To encourage and promote, in the minds of all citizens, a greater respect for and obedience to law and constituted authority, and a fuller sense of individual responsibility for the maintenance of law and order, and the efficient, fair and impartial administration of justice.
- (2) To have Legion posts and legionnaires organized, prepared and ready to actively aid and assist the duly constituted law enforcement authorities in emergencies and situations of grave public danger, especially those involving crimes of violence, when called upon so to do by such authorities.

"I confidently believe," Ackerly says, "this program is filled with much good for the community, state and nation. It does not contemplate the establishment of any vigilante organization, nor any superseding of the duly constituted law enforcement authorities, nor any usurpation of the duties and powers of those authorities, but simply rendering to those authorities intelligent moral support at all times and like practical aid and assistance, when needed and asked for, in emer-

gencies and situations of grave danger to the peace and good order of society. I sincerely hope the idea will receive the whole-hearted endorsement and support of all good citizens and will ultimately be adopted by every department of the American Legion in the United States."

Bill is practicing law at Lexington, and has been commonwealth's attorney for Rockbridge county since 1928.

"President Pro Tem"

Taylor H. Stukes, who has been serving continuously in the South Carolina state senate, has been elected president pro tem of the body, according to information received in the alumni office. After completing his undergraduate work at Washington and Lee in 1915, he went to George Washington University for his L.L. B. degree, and since that time has been conspicuous as an attorney. He is 41 years old, and was a first lieutenant in the air service during the war.

Win in Charleston Election

When it comes to politics, Washington and Lee alumni in Virginia have no monopoly, although the capitol down at Richmond is literally filled with former students of the University.

At Charleston, W. Va., voters went to the polls

on April 16 and named two Washington and Lee men to high offices, one as mayor of the city.

Judge D. Boone Dawson, running as an Independent Republican, was swept into office as mayor of Charleston with a majority of 1,886 votes. He received his LL.B. degree at Washington and Lee in 1921.

At the same time, Cyrus W. Hall, LL.B. 1928, was elected police judge by a substantial majority.



D. Boone Dawson

Come Back to Finals—June 5, 6 and 7!

other that could be written would substitute for the phrase that forms the title to this article. But there are a few things you might know about Finals of 1935 that probably will awaken that old desire to visit the alma mater and see for yourself how green the old campus looks, how beautiful the trees are about Lee Chapel, how Doremus gymnasium will

gleam when decorated for the dances . . .

Here, for instance, are a few things you can look forward to in addition to the sheer pleasure of coming back to Washington and Lee:

With Hal Kemp signed for the first two nights, and Glen Gray playing for the last night, the 1935 edition of Finals promises to offer the best dance set that Washington and Lee has had in years. Added to this, there will be a national broadcast the first night, Wednesday evening, June 5, from Doremus gymnasium when Hal Kemp will play over a regular commercial program. Washington and Lee will go on the air over the Columbia network from 8 to 8:30

under this plan. At the present time, some 400 students have subscribed to the dance set, and Lewis Martin, president of Finals, expects more to sign up by June.

The dances will begin with the Inter-Fraternity-Sigma Ball on Wednesday night, June 5; the Pi Alpha Nu-White Friar dansant will be held Thursday afternoon, and the Senior-Alumni Ball will take place Thursday night.

Final Ball, featuring Glen Gray and his Casa Loma orchestra, will be held Friday night and will last until 6 o'clock Saturday morning.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by the Reverend William C. Hill, of the East Presbyterian church of Richmond, on Sunday, June 2, in Lee Chapel. Dr. Robert M. Lester, secretary of the Carnegie Corporation, will speak at commencement on Friday morning, June 7, and William Roger Sphar, of Winchester, Kentucky, will make the valedictory address.

The president's reception to graduates, trustees, visiting alumni, and parents will be held Thursday night at 9 o'clock in the president's home.

The alumni luncheon will take place at one

o'clock Friday in the University dining hall, and there will be a meeting of the Alumni Association in Lee chapel at 2 o'clock the same day. The annual crew boat races will be held Friday afternoon at 4 when the local sailors will brave the waves of North River.

The officers and their gals who will lead the Final ball include: Lewis Martin,

president, with Miss Doris Martin; George J. McGeory, vice-president, with Miss Thelma Walsh; John M. Dean, vice-president, with Miss Roberta Cover; James E. Brown, publicity director of Finals, with Miss Peggy Ann MacIndoe; Joseph B. Magee, secretary, with Miss Sue Johnson; William L. Wil-

son, business manager, with Miss Betty Miller.

With this change in dates—a three-day program instead of the inconvenient old five-day program—you can't afford to miss Finals of 1935. The change has been made largely to eliminate the long, unnecessarily dull week-end, and so make it possible for alumni to attend with a minimum of time spent away from business.

Remember again the dates—June 5, 6, and 7. Final ball Friday evening, June 7, will of course last all night as in the past.



A Photo in Our Archives-"Cap'n Dick" in Inset



Capt. Bill Schuhle, 1935



Dick Dunaj in Action



Remember Chamberlin, 1931?

The Odyssey of Sports, 1934-1935

By RICHARD POWELL CARTER

ET'S TAKE a look back as best we can at what has happened in the realm of sports at Washington and Lee University since the first smack of toe against pigskin last fall:

Tex Tilson's football team, just by way of refreshing your memory, won both the Southern conference and Virginia championships.

Dick Dunaj, captain of cross country, last fall set a new Virginia record of twenty-eight minutes, fortysix seconds over the five and a tenth mile course here.

Forrest Fletcher, director of physical education, was re-elected president of the Southern conference at the Richmond meeting in December.

Cy Young's basketball team whizzed into the finals of the Southern conference tournament down at Raleigh, losing to the sharp shooting cagers from the University of North Carolina.

The Washington and Lee swimmers, under the tutelage of Cy Twombly, brought home the Southern conference title from one of the fastest meets in the history of the circuit, held at Duke University.

The wrestlers, after a spectacular season that included no defeats, lost the

championship to Virginia Military Institute on a succession of tough breaks in the tournament in Doremus gymnasium.

Hugo Bonino, captain of the mat team, went to the finals in the national intercollegiate tourney at Lehigh.

And to top it all, the Washington and Lee athletic council took things in hand after a disastrous season for the Generals in the ring, and abolished boxing as an intercollegiate sport at the University.

Before taking a look at spring sports, just beginning to come into their own as the *Alumni Magazine* goes to press, let's reprint what the athletic council officially stated following their abolition of boxing:

"While we feel that boxing classes, where a boy is taught the principles of self defense, are desirable, we believe that intercollegiate boxing is an athletic activity in which one of the chief objectives is, in effect, to incapacitate one's opponent. We consider this inconsistent with the aims of an educational institution. Therefore the athletic council has voted to abolish intercollegiate boxing at Washington and Lee University."

That ends the story of boxing for the Blue and White, but here are a few facts you may have forgotten:

Boxing as an intercollegiate sport was inaugurated at Washington and Lee in 1919, according to available records. Several years ago it was boosted into the major sport class at the University. Washington and Lee

> teams have met with fair success in the past few years, and this season did not win a single meet, although two were lost by one-point margins.

> That, in brief, is what happened in the realm of sports at Washington and Lee since the football team hied itself away to Nimrod Hall last fall.

> Now for something about spring sports:

Because of the deadline on magazine copy (and deadlines are deadlines no matter what people say) it is almost impossible to present any coherent picture of what is happening to Dick Smith's baseball team; to Ollinger Crenshaw's tennis team; to Forrest Fletcher's track

men; or to Cy Twombly's Southern conference championship golfers.

As this is written, the Generals have won six, lost two and tied one ball game. That includes victories over Maryland, 9-3, and a double header triumph over Virginia Tech. Dartmouth brought a strong squad down from the north and handed the Blue and White a 4-0 drubbing, and William and Mary's Indians eked out a 2-1 victory in the second game of the season for the diamond crew.

The weather failed to keep its tryst with Washington and Lee spring sports teams, with the result that cold winds sweeping down off old House Mountain made playing about on Wilson field well-nigh impossible. But the teams have managed to overcome that, and things point to a better than fair spring.

Washington and Lee golfers, holders of the con-(Continued on page 28)



And Here Is a Swimming Record

wimming is not such a spectacular sport, and for that reason one of the most unusual ath-

the south has been overlooked. It's this way:

Washington and Lee tankmen, who brought back the Southern conference championship from Durham this year, have lost only two dual meets in the past six years. "Cy" Twombly, coach of the Generals, dug up the statistics here as he discussed the team's success in the conference meet at Duke university. In those six years Washington and Lee swimmers have participated in an average of five meets each season.

Leading the swimmers at Washington and Lee is Captain Duncan McDavid of Pensacola, Florida, who has not lost a dual meet race in four years at Washington and Lee, and who now holds the Southern conference records in the 50 and 220-yard events. This year he broke his own mark in the 220, swimming the distance in 2: 29.1. His time in the 50vard dash is 25.1.

The only race he has lost since coming here was the 440 in the Southern conference meet three years ago. He lost only by a touch after leading all the way.

The experts call McDavid one of the greatest swimmers in the South, but he also is captain of Washing-

ington and Lee's golf team, holders of the conference title.

The Generals have been foremost contenders in Southern conference meets since 1921, but this year is the first time they have been able to amass enough points for the championship. Washington and Lee men placed in every event in this season's conference tournament.

The Generals' relay team has come out ahead in every conference tournament except the one last year, Coach Twombly said. The two times the team as a whole has lost in dual competition included a defeat by Duke in 1933, and one by Virginia in 1934.

Charlie Brasher of Rutherford, N. J., set a new conference mark in the 100-yard dash at Duke, going the distance in 56. 7. Brasher, a sophomore, returns next year.

Six veterans, however, have competed for the Generals for the last time. They are Captain McDavid; George Glynn of New York City; J. M. Franklin of Verona, N. J.; Rod Harris, Guntersville, Ala.; Bob McCauley, Hagerstown; T. K. Williams, Glen Lyon, Pa.—R. P. C.



McDavid, Swimmer Extraordinary

Local Alumni Association Notes

Pittsburgh

A MEETING of the Pittsburgh Alumni Association was held at Kaufmann's, Friday, March 1.

Those present were Maurice J. Arnd, Fred Fox, Dick Faulkner, William G. Gault, David D. Johnson, John Koedel, Charles T. Lile, Lee McGraw, Charles P. Robinson, Sam H. Showell, and J. C. Whetzel.

The luncheon meeting accounted for the somewhat meager attendance, as Pittsburgh responds more generously to an evening meeting. Matters pertaining to the subscription drive for the new law building were discussed and tentative plans were formulated to contact every alumnus in the Pittsburgh district.

Dick Faulkner was appointed "minister plenipotentiary" to Lexington to gather some information that might be helpful in the drive for a one hundred per cent alumni response in Pittsburgh. A similar meeting will be held in April.

Huntington

Washington and Lee alumni of the tri-states region gathered at the Frederick hotel in Huntington, W. Va., on Washington's birthday and heard as a feature of their meeting an interesting address on the battle of Point Pleasant by Dr. E. W. MacCorkle, class of 1874.

Informal discussion followed regarding attendance of members of the association, and Dr. MacCorkle suggested that plans be made for a meeting some time later, at which an invitation would be extended to the United Daughters of the Confederacy to have them meet with the Association. The President appointed a committee to work out such an arrangement with a view to having the same held on the next birthday of Washington. On this committee the following were appointed: Philip Gibson, Joe Fitchett, William T. Lovins, Emmett MacCorkle and John Slagle.

President Mann discussed the question of new students and made reference especially to future as well as present students attending the University from Ashland. He explained some phases of the fraternity life of students attending the University under athletic scholarships, so to speak, and it was the sense of the meeting that students attending the University on athletic scholarships be influenced towards accepting bids from different fraternities rather than allowing them to all become members of the same fraternity. With a view to making some investigation of the proper method of procedure to prevent one fraternity from securing all students with athletic prowess, the president was authorized to appoint a committee to discuss this matter with the proper authorities. The president was made chairman of this committee.

The following were present:

Houston Laird, John McVay, T. Selden Jones, G. D. Mayor, Philip P. Gibson, George Keller, R. Lee Beuhring, J. Ben Lubin, J. W. Fitchett, all of Huntington, W. Va.

Dr. E. W. MacCorkle, E. W. MacCorkle, and A. Wendell Mann, all of Ashland, Ky.

Memphis

It was Washington and Lee night in Memphis on February 23, when the alumni from Memphis and the Tri-States area gathered at the Hotel Peabody to honor the birthday of George Washington.

The event was planned for the day after the birthday of George Washington in order that those alumni outside of Memphis would be afforded the opportunity to join in the gala function which was held that night.

Festivities of the evening were started with a smoker in the Louis XVI room of the Hotel Peabody. After this general reunion of the alumni, in which many a yarn of "when I was a student at Washington and Lee" was swapped, the party gathered in an adjoining room for dinner. The school's colors, pennants of Washington and Lee and of fraternities were used in the cleverly decorated room. Flowers carrying out the colors in perfect harmony adorned the tables which were arranged in the form of a huge "W."

A. B. Knipmeyer, of the class of 1901, acted in the role of toastmaster. One of the most interesting parts of the banquet was the reading of a letter from our beloved Bishop James R. Winchester, of the class of 1874, by Mr. Knipmeyer, expressing his regrets to the secretary of the alumni chapter for being unable to attend the banquet due to a recent illness. It carried a message to the younger generation of Washington and Lee men which made them more fully realize the value of being an alumnus of the University. Several short

but impressive addresses were delivered during the banquet by such prominent alumni as T. R. Boyle, of the class of 1876; Dr. Sam Raines, 1921; George Faison, 1915; John S. "Boots" Edmondson; Cooper Turner, 1927, and John K. Speed, president of the local alumni group.

Following the banquet the alumni were joined by their wives and friends for dancing in the Continental room of the Hotel Peabody. Throughout the evening the room was filled with strains of Washington and Lee tunes including the immortal "Swing," "Fight, Fight, Blue and White," "College Friendships" and others.

Those attending included:

President John K. Speed, T. R. Boyle, Dr. Sam Raines, Peter R. Friedel, secretary; H. J. Patterson of Osceola, Ark.; William "Bill" Robinson of St. Louis; F. C. "Crit" Currie; John M. Raines of Little Rock; A. B. Knipmeyer; Russ Pritchard; C. W. Rabb of Helena, Ark.; Vance Brooks; George Faison; George Harsh, Jr.; J. D. Connell, of Banks, Miss.; Newbern of Marianna, Ark.; James Malone McKnight; J. Sturget Shields, Forrest City, Ark.; Cooper Turner; Ed Felsenthal; J. S. "Boots" Edmondson; J. Milledge Nail; T. Seehorn; Monroe Frank; James Durham.

Atlanta

ATLANTA alumni met for an informal dinner at the Atlanta Athletic Club, Friday evening, April 5.

The following alumni were present: Dr. M. Ashby Jones, J. Sam Slicer, Alex M. Hitz, Francis Fuller, T. Hal Clark, Edmond Magers, Bill Stone, Dr. K. C. Rice, George C. Moseley, Ralph Hugh Morrissey, Willis N. Everett, Jr., Thomas M. Stubbs, and E. S. Humphreys, all of Atlanta, Ga.; and John H. Beury, of Carrolton, Ga.

Dr. Ashby Jones made the address of welcome to Dr. Gaines, expressing the confidence and love of the alumni for Dr. Gaines as a worthy successor of the illustrious presidents of Washington and Lee.

Dr. Gaines talked informally, and as he expressed it, giving the group the "gossip and news of Washington and Lee," as well as telling of interesting features regarding the history and endowment.

After Dr. Gaines' address, the meeting continued with a general round table discussion and reminiscences in which practically every alumnus participated.

At the close of the meeting, Ewing S. Humphreys was elected temporary president and Willis Everett temporary secretary, to make plans for an annual alumni dinner, and in fact a more active organization of the Atlanta alumni.

Cincinnati

On April 2, the Cincinnati Alumni association met for a luncheon at the Metropole hotel. Many phases of alumni activity were thoroughly discussed, including the subscription campaign for the erection of the new law school. The association voted its wholehearted support to the movement.

The group also decided to offer a joint gathering with the University of Virginia alumni to take place at a designated camp somewhere along the river.

The following members were present: Roger Bear, 1914; Walter McDonald, 1910; Walton H. Bachrach, 1926; Clyde Hoge, 1908; Judge Horace J. McFarlan, 1893; Henry N. Moses, 1926; Monte Goeble, 1891; Dr. Charles Tabb Pearce, 1889; Harold J. Effron, 1926; John J. Phillips, 1929; Walter C. Preston, 1915; John Hatfield, 1927; and Merrill I. Budnich, class of 1926.

It was unanimously agreed to hold a meeting at the Metropole on the first Tuesday of each month.

Washington

Washington and Lee alumni in the city of Washington have begun holding monthly luncheons, and judging from attendance at the first two, the plan seems to be meeting with deserved success.

The luncheons are held at the University Club, and alumni who visit the nation's capital are asked to contact either Ed Campbell or Woodson Houghton at the Southern Building so they can attend the affairs. No specific dates have been determined upon, but twenty men were present at the first affair in March, about an equal number in April, and plans are going forward for a "bigger and better" luncheon in May.

Richmond

Washington and Lee alumni of Richmond gathered at the Westmoreland club the evening of April 19 for a dinner meeting and heard talks by both Cy Young and Dr. Gaines at what was generally considered "one of the best meetings in some time." Lieutenant Governor Price presided.

The Washington and Lee-Duke game to be played in Richmond October 5 this year was discussed at length, and a committee was appointed to work with Dick Smith in arranging one of those traditional "big days," only this time plans will be made for one of the most colorful football events ever staged in the capital of the Old Dominion.

Those named on the committee were Lewis Powell,

Ran Tucker, George Haw, Clyde Allen and Ed Bailey.

Following is a list of those who attended the dinner:

Don P. Boyer, 1908; A. O. Houser, 1907; George E. Haw, 1904; Clyde Allen, 1925; Henry MacKenzie, 1932; C. J. Biddle, 1932; Dewey Dain, 1917; Ed T. Bailey, 1919; T. T. Moore, 1926; C. L. Riley, 1924-29; F. W. Harrelson, 1924; H. S. Liebert, 1925; George T. Riggs, 1923; James N. Williams, 1926; Richard Towckes, 1915; M. Cary Johnston, 1910; A. Mason Harris, 1912; L. T. Stoneburner, 1907; Charles H. Phillips, 1923; Carleton E. Jewett, 1921; Eugene W. Ford, student, Thomas Jefferson high; E. J. Bostwick, 1930; Ben McClure, student, Thomas Jefferson high; Otto Stumpf, 1918; LeRoy Hodges, 1910; J. R. Tucker, 1900; M. L. Anderson, 1934; O'Donnell Lee, student, Thomas Jefferson high; D. Minge Jackson, 1933; Reno R. Porter, 1931; William G. Tarrant, Jr., 1930; Walter H. Shirley, 1914; G. M. Lapsley, 1931; Roy D. Thompson, 1904; W. M. Pope, 1927; C. H. Hamilton, 1926; William R. Howell, 1932; Stuart Sanders, II, 1931; Harry Burn, 1931; L. M. Curtis, 1933; Matt Wiltshire, 1923; R. W. Jordan, Jr., 1928; W. K. Timberlake, 1926; Robert Francis Nelson, 1932; L. L. Shirey, 1916; J. D. Faison, 1917; W. L. Carson, 1915; Samuel A. Anderson, 1919; Richardson L. Simpson, 1895; Bryan Conrad, 1897; C. H. Morrissett, 1914; J. Morrison Hutcheson, 1902; James H. Price, 1909; B. M. Rosebro, 1897; Lewis F. Powell, Jr., 1929.

New York

IN THE MOST successful organization meeting of recent years the New York alumni met for their tenth annual dinner at the Hotel Lexington on Friday evening, March 8. Sixty members were present to welcome Dr. Gaines on his return from his European vacation.

In addition to our many distinguished alumni and Dr. Gaines who, while not an alumnus, is as true a son of Washington and Lee as any of us, we had as our guests J. M. Weems, perennial president of the local V. M. I. alumni; Charles A. Sweet and H. W. Roberts, both fathers of honor students now attending Washington and Lee.

The main topic of discussion was the new law school, and Dr. Gaines stirred the assembled alumni to loud and sincere cheers when he closed his informal talk by saying, "Tucker Hall is no more, but, with the help of our ever loyal alumni, there will arise from its ashes a newer and finer structure that will not only fill our cultural need but will also do justice to the natural beauty of our campus."

John W. Davis, 1892, former ambassador to Great Britain and Democratic presidential candidate in 1924, then spoke informally about the plans for the New Tucker Hall and the financial arrangements that would be necessary for the successful completion of the project.

Edward W. Lee, 1913, secretary and treasurer of our local alumni group since its inception, then arose to astound the alumni with the fact that depression or no depression the number of active alumni in New York had risen steadily every year since we were organized. "We started in 1925 with 56 members and at this moment we have 111 paid-up members," he said. Ed concluded with the good news that the books as usual showed a profit for the year.

A further pleasant shock was in store when the newly appointed dinner committee composed of Nelson W. Burris 1926, chairman, Paul L. Bock 1924, and Stuard A. Wurzburger 1928 announced that it too had made money and would turn over the surplus for the building of the new law school.

The annual election of officers was then held and Clarence L. Sager 1914, our retiring president and also the evening's jovial toastmaster, then turned the meeting over to Hugh R. Hawthorne 1910, our new president, who introduced the other new officers for 1935:

Vice-president, Emmet W. Poindexter, 1920; secretary-treasurer, Edward W. Lee, 1913; members of the Council for three years, J. T. Lykes, Nelson W. Burris, 1926, Clarence L. Sager, 1914.

A cordial invitation is extended to any alumnus who might be in New York to attend our monthly gettogether luncheons. We'd be delighted to have you drop in.

The date, first Wednesday of every month; the place, Planters restaurant; the time, 12:30.

Those present at the annual dinner at the Hotel Lexington, March 8, 1935:

James A. Castner, 1929; Haven Walton, 1932; J. F. Broome, 1932; Nelson W. Burris, 1926; Stuard A. Wurzburger, 1928; Paul L. Bock, 1924; Benjamin A. Judd, 1893; Bernard Yoepp, 1929; Robert O. Bentley, Jr., 1926; Allan McDowell, 1912; Thornton W. Allen, 1913; W. E. Johnston, 1920; John Drye, Jr., 1920; James A. Lee, 1917; W. R. Burton, 1917; H. C. Robert, 1933; J. H. Bailey, 1932; M. B. Rogers, 1915; John Hoffman, 1933; Philip J. Seraphine, Jr., 1934; William J. Newland, 1932; Neil C. Pascoe, 1934; Frank Brady, 1932; Hugh R. Hawthorne, 1910; Walter Wilcox, 1929; Joe C. Broadus, 1930; John P. East, 1888; Edward W. Lee, 1913; Lawrence J. Roose, 1932; Wil-

liam E. Dold, M. D., 1876; Robert Bricken, 1933; Irving Buck Bricken, 1933; James G. Marks, 1932; G. R. Holden, 1931; Junius L. Powell, 1914; F. E. Bade, 1928; Martin W. Spector, 1925; John W. Davis, 1892; Roy J. Grimley, 1921; Clarence Sager, 1914; C. S. Osbourn, 1909; Herbert Pollack, 1925; G. Carlton Walters, 1927; Dick Parmelee, 1932; Morris T. Booth, 1931; Marshall Mott, 1926; Emmett W. Poindexter, 1920; Charles A. Cohen, 1924; H. W. Ordeman, 1909; George W. Allison, 1910; Lewis Tyree, 1915; G. Holbrook Barber, 1917.

The Odyssey of Sports

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ference title, are well on the way to repeating if they continue on their so-far triumphant march. In the first match of the season, played over the hilly Tri-Brook course at Lexington, Twombly's charges defeated the University of Florida linksmen and walked off with a 12-6 victory. Then the Generals walloped the University of Virginia on the same course, 13½ to 4½; and entertained Hampden-Sydney by blanking them, 18-0.

The golf team this spring is composed of a quartet of veterans. They are Jimmie Watts of Lynchburg, Va.; Bill Alexander of Washington, D. C.; Charlie Cross of Portsmouth, Va.; and Captain Duncan McDavid.

The Washington and Lee track team went to V. P. I. April 13 for the first meet, made a clean sweep of the broad jump, and came back victors by 67-52.

The Virginia "Big Four" track meet will be held on Wilson field May 11 this year, after which the cinder path artists will go down to Durham for the Southern conference meet on May 18.

The tennis team, kept off the courts until late in April by consistent rains, took courage and went to Lynchburg for the initial meet April 13 without a single day of outdoor practice, and lost 7 to 0.

So, briefly, the sporting odyssey of 1934-1935 ends for the *Alumni Magazine*. All in all, it has been a great year. The wrestlers and the basketball team lost their conference titles, but as this is penned (I should say typed) the Generals still hold three Southern conference championships, and it looks as though they will cling to them.

And if you don't think it's a record of some sort for one school to hold three places of absolute supremacy in the Southern conference, just take the trouble to look over all available records.

That's what I've been doing for nine months. Now I need a rest. See you next fall.

300 Alumni As Teachers

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(Simms, James R., Jr., 1919, Oxford, Miss., Chemistry, University of Mississippi; Simpson, Richard L., 1892, Richmond, Va., Medical College of Virginia; Sledd, Benjamin, 1886, Wake Forest, N. C., English, Wake Forest College; Sloan, T. Dwight, 1905, New York City, Superintendent, Post-Graduate Hospital; Smith, Livingston W., 1896, Lexington, Va., Mathematics, Washington and Lee University; Smith, William Francis, 1926, New Orleans, La., Spanish, Tulane University; Strahorn, John S., 1925, College Park, Md., Law, University of Maryland; Stough, Mulford, 1911, Carlisle, Pa., History, Dickinson College; Sydenstricker, Virgil P., 1911, Augusta, Ga., Medicine, University of Georgia.

Taylor, Charles H., 1919, Cambridge, Mass., History, Harvard University; Thom, W. Taylor, Jr., 1913, Princeton, N. J., Geology, Princeton University; Thomas, John N., 1924, Hollins, Va., Bible, Hollins College; Throckmorton, Archibald, 1900, Cleveland, Ohio, Law, Western Reserve University; Tucker, Henry St. George, 1910, Raleigh, N. C., Engineering, North Carolina State College; Turnbull, M. Ryerson, 1908, Richmond, Va., Bible, Presbyterian Training School; Tyree, Lewis, 1915, Newark, N. J., New Jersey Law School.

Vance, W. Reynolds, 1892, New Haven, Conn., Law, Yale University; Veech, J. Alexander, 1931, Lexington, Va., Engineering, Washington and Lee University.

Wash, Atwood M., 1915, Richmond, Va., Medical College of Virginia; Watkins, Charles, 1909, Pittsburgh, Pa., Chemistry, Carnegie Institute of Technology; Wauchope, George A., 1899, Columbia, S. C., English, University of South Carolina; White, Eugene H., 1929, Nacadoches, Texas, History, State Teachers' College; Williams, Clayton E., 1912, Lexington, Va., Law, Washington and Lee University; Williams, John Higgins, 1924, Lexington, Va., Political Science, Washington and Lee University; Wilson, Levi T., 1910, Annapolis, Md., Mathematics, U. S. Naval Academy; Withers, Alfred M., 1906, Athens, W. Va., Modern Language, Concord University; Wofsy, Samuel A., 1916, Wichita, Kansas, Spanish, University of Wichita; Woods, Andrew H., 1893, Iowa City, Iowa, Medicine, University of Iowa.

Yates, Paul Best, 1925, Columbus, Ohio, Anatomy, Ohio State Medical School; Yates, Robert C., 1926, College Park, Md., Mathematics, University of Maryland.

Note: Grateful acknowledgement is made to Dr. Edgar F. Shannon for help in this article.

Class Notes

1879

HUNTER McDonald, Walter Forrester, Will McCluer, and William McElwee, all of the class of 1879, have been wintering in Florida. They attended some of the big league baseball games together at St. Petersburg, and had a great time of it, as they are all baseball fans.

1881

JULE W. PARKS of Loch Lomond, La., paid his first visit to Lexington last summer, stopping at the Old Blue hotel and occupying the same room he lived in while a student here. His son, Jule, Jr., will finish high school this year, then attend a junior college, then Washington and Lee. Mr. Parks is a planter living on the family estate within three miles of his birthplace. He expects to live in Lexington while his son is a student.

1890

Mr. AND Mrs. George W. St. Clair and Dr. and Mrs. Gaines returned March 10 from a six-week Mediterranean cruise.

1891

Frank A. Nelson is manager of the Chattanooga Clearing House, with offices at 417 Hamilton National Bank building.

JOHN THOMAS BARNES is located in Richmond, Va., in the office of the collector of internal revenue.

CLIFFORD LANIER is an attorney-at-law, 405 Adams street, Montgomery, Ala.

1892

Lyne Starling Smith, Erie, Pa., captain of the unbeaten baseball team of 1892, was a visitor to the campus the week-end of April 12-13. Mr. Smith while here recalled his days at Washington and Lee and expressed great interest in the physical developments since his time.

1893

ROBERT LEE PECK, Springfield, Tenn., was a visitor in Lexington the week-end of April 12-13.

Dr. Andrew H. Woods is director of the Psychopathic Hospital, the State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.

1894

EDMUND PENDLETON COLES, immediately after leaving college went with the General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.; on foreign work for them in

South America from 1895 to 1900; engineer, Philadelphio office, 1900 to 1908; manager Charlotte, N. C., office since 1908.

James N. Veech, 1250 Everett Ave., Louisville, Ky., is a farmer, breeder of trotting and light harness horses and financier. He has a son and daughter, John Alexander Veech, instructor at Washington and Lee, and Agnes Ross Veech, counsellor, high schools, Louisville. Miss Veech is an A. B. of Vassar and a Ph. D. of Columbia. Mr. Veech is class agent for 1894. He was a visitor to Lexington the week-end of April 12-13.

The Rev. John J. Fix, Box 404, Bristol, Tenn., spent three years in Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va., then held pastorates in West Virginia, near Winchester. He also taught in Fairfax College, Richmond, Roanoke, and Wytheville; has been director of religious education in Synod of Appalachia for nearly fifteen years.

1895

JOHN P. WALKER lives at 907 N. 17th St., Boise, Idaho. He writes: "Chief criticism of your magazine is that alumni notes in the last two issues omit the class of 1895. Surely some of them have died if nothing better can be said. Personally I have followed the topographic branch of the U.S.G.S. Some railroad location and construction and public land surveys under U. S. G. L. O. in western states, Indian Territory and ten years in Alaska. Am now district cadastral engineer U. S. G. L. O., for Idaho and Washington. Have a boy graduating in June from the University of Idaho with B. S. (Chem. Engr.), with top grades in engineering school and looking for a job other than E. R. A. Come on you business big shots and give a kid a break. At sixty I find nothing more interesting than a word from or about any of the 1895 boys, their joys and sorrows."

SAM PRICE is a member of the firm of Price & Mc-Whorter, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, Lewisburg, W. Va.

A. B. Winfree is a lawyer in the firm of Teal, Winfree, McCulloch & Shuler, Spalding Building, Portland, Oregon.

1896

A sale has been made of "Brushwood," the old Weiss place on Brushy Hill, to C. Cabell Tutwiler of Philadelphia, who plans to return to Lexington to make his home. Mr. Tutwiler was a former Lexington resident and has, since his graduation from Washington and Lee, made his home in Pennsylvania. Mrs. Tutwiler formerly was Miss Rebecca Glasgow, a sister of the novelist, Ellen Glasgow.

1897

AVERY H. REED is a consulting mining engineer and geologist and lives in Marion, Ky.

ALEX C. BIRCH, Montgomery, Ala., is in the general practice of law with Weatherly, Birch, McEwan and Hickman, of Birmingham, Ala.

HARRY BERTRAM LEWIS, 208 Winthrop Road, Columbus, Ohio, practiced law after leaving school until 1900, when he entered the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church. Has held many pastorates. In his 34 years in the ministry he has received into membership in all the churches he has served 3,415 persons, an average of a little more than 100 a year.

1898

W. Ross McCain, president, Aetna Fire Insurance Co., 670 Main St., Hartford, Conn., after leaving Washington and Lee went to the University of Arkansas, graduating in 1898, taking A. B. and A. M. degrees in one year. He spent one year at the University of Bonn, Germany, and one year at Sorbonne, Paris, France. He has risen rapidly in the insurance business and was elected president of all Aetna Insurance Companies in September, 1933.

1899

SILAS B. MASON is president of the Mason and Hanger Company, general contractors, of New York City. He is living at Mason City, Washington. The Mason and Hanger Company, with its present allied companies, is perhaps one of the largest firms of its kind in the United States. At present the firm of Walsh-Atkinson-Mason-Kier Company is building the Coulee Dam, which is one of the government's largest projects. They are now moving 50,000 yards of material a day, he writes.

EWING SLOAN, Jackson, Miss., is recovering from a serious operation and has returned to his office as examining engineer for P. W. A. in the state of Mississippi.

JUDGE SCOTT M. LOFTIN spoke at the University assembly on March 16. He recently was elected president of the American Bar Association, and was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa here on his visit.

1900

George Mercer Brooke is a Lieutenant Colonel, U. S. A. (retired), living in his family home in Lexington, Va.

Charles F. Harrison, LL. B. of Washington and Lee, also a graduate of V. M. I., is mayor of Leesburg, Va.

Lynwood R. Holmes, Public Ledger Building, Philadelphia, Pa., is recovering from a serious throat operation.

1901

CLARENCE C. Burns is practicing law in Lebanon, Virginia.

COMMANDER WINFIELD LIGGETT, United States Navy, is a highly-recognized authority on contract bridge.

1902

ROBERT FRANKLIN COOPER is president of Mississippi Synodical College, Holly Springs, Miss. He has a son in the University.

SAM HAIRSTON is practicing law in Roanoke, Va., with offices at 405 Colonial Bank Building.

1903

WILLIAM G. PENDLETON is rector of the Trinity Episcopal church, Covington, Ky.

Major James Bagley is assistant to the chief of engineers, U. S. A., and is located in Washington, D. C.

Graham Sale is an attorney-at-law, Welch, W. Va. His son is a junior in the University.

1904

Melville A. Wilson has lived in Fort Meade, Florida, ever since leaving college. Has served five consecutive terms as mayor of Fort Meade and also has served as city attorney for various terms.

WILSON MARCELLUS JERKINS is a civil engineer at Round Lake, Florida. He has four children, two older girls who are married, and a son and a young daughter.

1905

E. SUTHERLAND SHIELDS is president of the Planters Bank and Trust Co., of Farmville, Va.

Dr. Edmund S. Boyce is a surgeon and part owner of the Park View Hospital, Rocky Mount, N. C. His wife and young daughter recently visited Lexington.

1906

WILLIAM L. HOGE is president of the Mengel Company, Louisville, Ky.

JUDSON SYDNOR BOHANNAN, on graduating from Washington and Lee, formed a partnership with J. Haden Howell of the class of 1906 for the general practice of law at Wytheville, N. C. He continued in that undertaking until his partner went to the World War, then he entered the civil service department of the government, "receiving a life sentence" to the office of the solicitor of the department of agriculture in the year 1917. For many years "he flitted over the continent of the United States" trying to expound law to the federal courts in behalf of the department, and finally, in 1934, located, at least temporarily, as attorney in charge of the legal work of the Plains Shelterbelt Project, with offices in Lincoln, Nebraska. For the sake of those who do not interest themselves in such matters, the Plains Shelterbelt Project is the undertaking of the government to plant trees in the states of North and Souh Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas, to prevent wind erosion of soil and resulting dust storms.

J. W. Eggleston, B. A., 1906, M. A., LL. B., Norfolk, Va., was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa at Washington and Lee on March 16, 1935.

1907

- V. GILMORE IDEN is with the American Institute of Steel Construction, Inc., 200 Madison Ave., N. Y. He has a daughter eight years old and promises to visit Lexington with her in the near future.
- I. P. Gassman is with the Arcade Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of iron toys, at Freeport, Illinois. He has a son in the senior class this year.

1908

Louis Knott Koontz, member of the faculty of the University of California at Los Angeles, is now on leave of absence, travelling around the world with his uncle, John O. Knott, D. D., 1907.

E. CLYDE HOGE is with the Lathrop Hoge Construction Company, 801 Neave Building, Cincinnati, O.

1909

E. R. Holz is head of the Salvation Army College of Atlanta, Georgia.

Fred Nash Harrison is with the J. P. Taylor Co., Inc., leaf tobacco merchants, Richmond, Va.

ELLIOTT VAWTER is secretary of Barrows & Company, Inc., miners and shippers of coal, with offices in the First Huntington National Bank Bldg., Huntington, W. Va.

1910

LIEUTENANT COLONEL LEROY HODGES, of Richmond, Va., has been elected a director of the Army Ordnance Association to succeed the late Pliny E. Holt, of California. Col. Hodges, who is the state ordnance officer of the Virginia national guard and managing director of the Virginia State Chamber of Commerce, is the first Virginian and the second director from the south to hold office on the board of the association. He will serve until January 1, 1939. The Army Ordnance Association is a body devoted to industrial preparedness. Col. Hodges is a member of the board of trustees of the University. His son, LeRoy Hodges, Jr., has just taken his B. S. degree here.

O. W. RICHARDSON is vice-president of the Duquesne Lumber Co., Columbia Bank Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

1911

Brian Bell, Pacific Coast Associated Press chief, has been elected an associate member of Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalistic fraternity.

JACK MARTIN is president of the State Teachers' Association of Virginia.

Harvey Fergusson, B. A., 1911, Albuquerque, N. M., writer, is one of the 47 scholars and artists selected as recipients of the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation award of \$2,000 each to enable them to carry on research and creative work. This award was made March 31. The work may be done either in this country or abroad.

Henry W. Dew, B. S., 1911, is managing director for the Alcazar and Halcyon Hotels and Co-Receiver for the Florida Collier Coast Hotels. He lives in Jacksonville, Fla., is married, and has four children.

JOHN S. HURLEY is assistant director of alcoholic beverage unit, division of investigation, United States department of justice, Washington, D. C.

WILLIAM A. REID is cashier of the First National Bank, Troutsville, Va.

1912

J. J. Kelley is superintendent of schools of Wise county, Va.

DAN OWEN has recently suffered the loss by fire of his home at Doylesville, Va.

LLOYD R. CRAIGHILL is a missionary of the Episcopal church; American Church Mission, Nanchang Ki, China.

1913

J. MILLS NEWTON has moved from New Orleans to Fort Worth, Texas. He is in the internal revenue service there. He has kept up his interest in tennis and was a member of the United States Lawn Tennis Association for four years. He was a member of the Davis Cup committee for 1933.

ADRAIN WILLIAMSON is commanding officer of the 154th Observation Squadron, Arkansas national guard, having its headquarters at Little Rock, and is accordingly a major in the air corps, Arkansas national guard. He is the father of three children, Adrain, Jr., Anne, and Margaret, the latter being about a year old. He is a member of the law firm of Williamson & Williamson, Monticello, Arkansas.

RUFFNER CAMPBELL recently spent six months in Spain on his physician's advice. He is now in good health and practicing law in Asheville, N. C.

J. A. (Gus) Moore is with the Brownell Tours, Tuscaloosa, Ala. He has a family of five children and says: "Aside from the days which I spend with my boys now, those which we spent in Lexington were the happiest I have ever known . . . Although I travel to all corners of the earth, see many people and hear many tongues, there is one trip I always want to take and seem never to have the time—I'd rather go back to Lexington for Finals than go anywhere else on earth."

PHILIP (PETE) GIBSON is practicing law in Huntington, W. Va. He is a member of the firm of Marcum & Gibson.

1914

WILLIAM H. NEBLETT, member of the firm of Mc-Adee & Neblett, Los Angeles, California, recently suffered a broken arm in an automobile accident. He appeared in court the day after the crash with his arm in a sling, to try a case.

J. C. Whetzel is assistant to the president of the American Sheet & Tin Plate Co., Pittsburgh, Pa.

1915

The REV. JOHN DUDLEY McCREADY is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Demopolis, Ala.

George R. Shawn is married and has four children. He was with the General Electric Co. for ten years; since 1930 has been with the R. C. A. Radiotron Company, Inc., at Harrison, N. J.

PAUL C. THOMAS is married and has a daughter, 15, and two sons, 13 and 6. His home is in Bluefield, W. Va.

CARL C. WURZBACH is an attorney and counsellorat-law in the Brady Building, San Antonio, Texas.

LESLIE W. ANDERSON of Mayfield, Ky., is in the tobacco, automobile, and moving picture business, and is a loval member of the class of 1915.

1916

ROBERT M. CURTIS is with the *Times-World* Corporation, publishers of the Roanoke *Times* and the Roanoke *World-News*, at Roanoke, Va. He is a sports fan and gets down to most of the bigger games in Lexington.

BATTLE BAGLEY is in the insurance and loan business with his brother, T. O. Bagley, 1907, and lives on a farm near Fayetteville, Tenn., where he was born. Another brother, C. F. Bagley, 1907, is president of a newly-organized bank.

Lynch Christian is with the Imperial Coal Sales Company at Lynchburg, Va.

1917

BOB GARDNER is living in Washington, D. C., with offices in the Munsey Bldg.

J. M. FAULKNER has a son, J. M., Jr., who will be ready for college in about two years. He is with the Fire Companies' Adjustment Bureau, Second National Bank Building, Houston, Texas.

George N. Danielson is divisional director of naturalization, United States Department of Labor, Post Office building, Duluth, Minn. He has a baby daughter named "Virginia," he says, "after the beloved state where I spent two years in the law department."

WILLIAM R. (RICKY) BURTON is in the life insurance business at 50 Church street, New York.

E. C. Shull, since 1917, has spent two years in the army, three in medical college, was in West Virginia three years, for the last seven years has lived in Herndon, Va. He has been married eight and a half years and has three children, ages seven, four, and one.

A. G. (Galla) Paxton, "Delta Staples," Greenville, Miss., is just as much interested in Washington and Lee as he has ever been. Keeps up with all the football games. He has a little boy three years old who is wearing a Washington and Lee monogram sweater, waiting for the years to pass by when he will be old enough to enter Washington and Lee.

CHARLIE McNITT is practicing medicine in New York. His address is 114 East 62nd Street.

1918

CHARLES T. LILE is personnel director and insurance manager with the Koppers Company, Koppers Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

James Lewis Howe, Jr., who has been teaching in the Hangchow Christian College, Hangchow, China, is on his way home. Mrs. Howe and their two children have been in Lexington for the past year.

Francis H. Styles is with the department of state, division of foreign service, Washington, D. C.

GILBERT PLATT is internal revenue agent-in-charge, 939 South Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal.

1919

Thomas W. Gilliam has recently been elected cashier of the Lynchburg, Va., National Bank & Trust Company.

NATHAN L. DICKINSON was with the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., in Akron, Ohio, from 1920 to 1929, Akron, New York, Little Rock, Baltimore and Norfolk as adjuster, salesman and office manager, from 1929 to date with Virginia-Lincoln as credit manager. He is married and has one son.

James R. Fain is with the Morris Plan Bank, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Born, April 14, 1935, to Dr. and Mrs. Reid White, Jr., a son, Reid White, III.

1920

C. H. McCain is married and living in Buffalo, N. Y. He is with the William Hengerer Co. He has two small boys.

HOLMES RALSTON is pastor of the Bethesda Presbyterian church at Rockbridge Baths, Va.

Joe Merriam Russell is manager of the Guardian Life Insurance Co., Memphis, Tenn.

ECHOL ALCOTT HANSBARGER is in the state tax commissioner's office, Charleston, W. Va.

1921

MILLING BERNSTEIN is practicing law in Monroe, Louisiana.

DAN BLAIN is a physician living at Silver Hill, Valley Road, New Canaan, Conn.

JOHN L. PATTERSON is manager of the St. Louis office of the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., with offices at 552 Pierce building.

1922

Huston St. Clair, after leaving Washington and Lee, went to Philadelphia, graduated from the University of Pennsylvania Medical School in 1926, in turn went to the Pennsylvania hospital, stayed one year after that and then went back to Bluefield to practice medicine at the Bluefield Sanitarium. He says he is now "a renegade doctor," having gone into the coal business full time. He is with the Virginia Smokeless Fuel Co., of Bluefield, W. Va.

ROLAND ELLIS writes from Norristown, Pa. He is in the advertising business. Reports having seen Harry Robert, who is now a baseball reporter on the Philadelphia Bulletin.

Louis Dunlap handles the southern sales for the Pulaski Veneer Corporation, Pulaski, Va.

DAVIS CRITTENDEN is in business with his father as a florist and finds it an interesting job with plenty of work. His address is "The Anchorage," South Swansea, Mass.

C. O. Handley has a wife and three sons. He is superintendent of game propagation in Virginia, and he and his wife give delightful talks on birds with lantern slide pictures and songs sung by Mrs. Handley.

Verbon E. Kemp has been made general secretary of the Virginia state chamber of commerce. He has been secretary of the Charlottesville-Albemarle chamber of commerce since his resignation as alumni secretary at Washington and Lee in 1930.

1923

G. MATT WILTSHIRE has been appointed eastern district manager of the Home Owners Loan Corporation of Virginia. Mr. Wiltshire has been manager of the Richmond area under the eight-district set-up, which has been supplanted with organization of the state into only two districts—eastern and western.

Frank Leroy Goodman attended Hampden-Sydney College four years, with A. B. degree in 1925, graduated from Union Theological Seminary with B. D. degree in 1928. Preached at Jacksonville, N. C., 1928-29, now pastor at Kenansville, N. C.

Henry M. Corbett, 1923, died February 5, 1935. At the time of his death he was president of the Citizens Trust Company, Toledo, Ohio.

1924

ROBERT B. CAMPBELL is pastor of the Presbyterian church, Winchester, Va.

WILLIAM GEEDRIDGE SALE is practicing law in Welch, W. Va. His firm is Strother, Sale, Curd & Tucker.

1925

George T. Clark, LL. B., 1925, and Thomas Jean Ellis, A. B., 1923, are moving their offices from 1317 Biscayne Boulevard to 726-28 Ingraham Building, Miami, Fla.

ARCHIE (RED) HAWKINS is with the DuPont company at Wilmington, Delaware.

Joseph McWhorter Holt, B. S. 1925, LL. B. 1929, was married to Miss Julia Dent Beury, on Saturday, April 6, 1935. They will make their home in Clarksburg, W. Va.

1926

STANLEY OSSERMAN is practicing law at 505 5th Avenue, New York, N. Y.

RALPH MORRISON is teaching in New Mexico Military Institute, Rosewell, N. M.

Francis (Shorty) Waters is practicing law at Accomac, Va. Shorty will be remembered as one of the very best cheer leaders Washington and Lee ever had.

1927

CHARLIE CROCKETT is with the Aetna Life Insurance Company, Widener Building, Philadelphia, Pa. He is class agent for 1927.

RHEA WHITLEY has just been appointed head of the New York bureau of investigation of the department of justice. He has eighty investigators under him in the busy bureau covering part of New York and all of Connecticut. Hay has had nine years' experience in the department. Before going to New York he was chief special agent of the New Orleans bureau.

1928

OLDHAM CLARKE, L.L. B., 1928, has been appointed assistant United States district attorney for the western district of Kentucky. He is an associate of the law firm of Woodward, Hamilton & Hobson, and lives at 2432 Ransdell Ave., Louisville, Ky.

HOWARD BUSOLD says the new alumni plan put him in touch with other Washington and Lee men. He attends the monthly luncheons in New York and sees many old friends.

Joe Clower received his B. D. degree from Union Seminary in Richmond, Va. For the past three sum-

mers he has been the assistant pastor in the Presbyterian Church of the Covenant, Greensboro, N. C. He is now pastor of the Presbyterian church in Virginia Beach, Va. He was married May 18, 1933.

1929

JIMMIE SALINGER has recently been shifted to headquarters in Cleveland, Ohio, and is now in charge of sales for Mazer Cressman Cigar Co., throughout northern Ohio and western Pennsylvania.

JOHN RANDOLPH is representing Standard Brands, Inc., with headquarters at 161 Spring Street, N. W., Atlanta, Ga.

FRANK PARKER is managing the Rose Cliff Company, apple orchards, at Waynesboro, Va.

ALLEN MORGAN is in the bond department of the First National Bank of Memphis, Tenn.

Tom Sugrue was a recent visitor to Lexington. He is leading a busy and interesting life writing feature articles for the *American Magazine*, and doing other literary work.

F. W. McCluer, Jr., is practicing law in Aberdeen, N. C., in the firm of Johnson & Johnson. Says he is "fast becoming a country lawyer."

BILL MAYOTTE for the past two years has been directing his orchestra, which is made up of eleven men and a girl entertainer, most of the men being from southern universities. For the past two summers has been playing at the Fort William Hotel, Lake George, New York.

J. M. Holt, B. S., 1925, LL. B., 1929, has resigned his position as prosecuting attorney of Greenbrier county, W. Va., and will be associated with the firm of Robinson & Robinson in Clarksburg, W. Va. Other alumni members of this firm are John S. Stump, LL. B., 1924, and Howard Robinson, LL. B., 1913.

1930

Horace M. Powers, B. A. 1930, was married to Miss Peggie Williams of Crystal Springs, Miss., Friday afternoon, March 8th, in the Chapel of the First Baptist church, Crystal Springs. They will live in Atlanta, Ga.

CHARLES F. URQUHART, JR., is practicing law in Courtland, Va. He was married recently.

George Such Pearse is in business with his father and brother, Fred, in a law firm with offices at 744 Broad St., Newark, N. J.

HENRY PAUL is with the Aetna Life Insurance Company, Standard Building, Albany, N. Y.

EMILE X. Brewka attended the University of Alabama last year. Now has a job with the city of Cleveland, Ohio.

JOHN LITTLE, JR., had a trip to Europe with his father immediately after graduation, worked for the Standard Oil Company for three years, and is now with the Louisville Trust Company. His address is 314 S. Hancock St., Louisville, Ky.

H. Marshall Homer, B. A., 1930, youngest member of the Berkeley county bar, Martinsburg, W. Va., was on March 7, 1935, appointed United States commissioner for the northern district of West Virginia.

JOHN CARL ABBOTT was elected president of the senior class of the College of Architecture, Michigan University, where he graduated in June. Recently he drew the winning plan for a new administration building on the Michigan campus in a contest conducted by the college. He plans to join his father and brother, Daniel Abbott, civil engineering graduate of Purdue, in a family firm in Louisville, Ky.

WILLIAM CONRAD SUGG, B. A., 1930, LL. B., is practicing law in Fayetteville, Tenn.

PAT JONES is with the Huntsville, Ala., *Times*. Pat is president of the Acme Club, a young man's civic organization.

1931

A correspondent of the alumni office says: "You can hardly pick up a local (Ark.) paper nowadays without finding therein the citation of some opinion handed down by Assistant Attorney General Thomas Fitzhugh, L.L. B., 1931."

JIMMIE TYLER is practicing law in Norfolk, Va.

Leonard Borland went from Washington and Lee to Loyola, where he has been assistant in the chemistry department.

HARRY BURN is with the Richmond News Leader, Richmond, Va.

Lewis P. Nachod has been living in Europe since leaving college. He is now writing a book.

1932

Walter Kemper Jennings took his Master's degree from Columbia in June, 1933, spent six months with the United States Geological Survey, and is at present professor of English at Palmer College, Fla.

Frank Bell Lewis is a student at Union Theological Seminary in Richmond.

DICK HOPPER has been in the newspaper business most of the time since leaving college. He is now editor of *The Progressive Citizen*, Asbury Park, N. J.

1933

CLIFF WOODRUM, JR., LL. B., is to marry Miss Margaret Lanier of Huntsville, Ala., in June. Miss Lanier is a graduate of Sweet Briar. The following Washington and Lee men will be in the wedding party: Major Kennedy, Kenneth Spencer, Cope Adams, Sherwood Wise, Harry Rhett, and Peyton Winfree.

ARTHUR LAMAR is working with the Second National Bank in Washington, D. C.

M. Peele Rivers is with the Axton-Fisher Company, makers of Spud cigarettes, Louisville, Ky.

1934

EVERETT TUCKER, JR., has moved from Tucker, Ark., to Little Rock, Ark., where he has a "position." He reports enthusiasm in the local alumni chapter and plans a meeting in the late spring or early fall. Quoting from his letter: "While cashing a winning ticket at Oaklawn Park, Hot Springs, recently, I ran into a couple of alumni: Shufert Nichols, 1930, and Bev Lambert, 1931. Both seemed to be enjoying good fortune in their selections of the winning horses. Shufert is managing his ancestral estate at Des Arc and Bev is a cotton buyer in Eastern Arkansas. The latter is also now a married man."

Hadley Hamilton, B. S., 1934, had a good job as long as the Arkansas Legislature was in session. He was employed as a reading clerk in the senate, the president of which august body also was a Washington and Lee man, Lee Cazort, LL. B., 1910, who continues to serve the state as lieutenant governor. Upon the legislature's adjournment, Hadley returned to his home at Jonesboro, where he is in the ice business.

John Harrison, 1934, continues his pursuit of the LL. B. degree at the University of Arkansas, but manages to get down to Hot Springs for the races on week-ends.

FRED Fox is with the General Outdoor Advertising Company in Pittsburgh.

DICK FAULKNER, besides conducting a successful insurance business in Pittsburgh is staff announcer on radio's pioneer broadcasting station KDKA.

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