

Merry Christmas



Campus Displays Charitable Christmas Spirit

by John Montgomery
Flat Hat Editor

The spirit of Christmas, and particularly the charitable spirit, has already taken over the College of William and Mary campus.

With only a few days left before Christmas vacation begins December 18, students at the College this year are emphasizing the "helping" part of the holiday season. Their activities which are centered in the Williamsburg area include entertainment for hospital patients and orphaned children and food baskets for needy families. According to a representative of the community Council, "William and Mary students have shown more interest in such community projects this year than ever before."

For the first time, all of the men's and women's dormitories on campus are participating in Christmas projects and most of the social sororities and fraternities have planned activities. Several other organizations also have service plans.

Food baskets for approximately 25 needy families constitute most of the students' efforts.

This work is being done in cooperation with the Williamsburg Community Council, which will undertake to deliver any baskets the students are unable to deliver themselves. In addition to food, there will be a gift for each member of the families receiving the baskets.

The social groups at the College are engaged primarily in Christmas parties for various children's groups. Orphans and needy children will be entertained in five Christmas parties given by the following Greek organizations working in pairs: Alpha Chi Omega sorority and

Kappa Sigma fraternity; Delta Delta Delta sorority and Sigma Pi fraternity; Kappa Alpha Theta sorority and Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity; Kappa Delta sorority and Sigma Nu fraternity; and Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and Pi Lambda Phi fraternity. In addition to these, Chi Omega and Pi Beta Phi sororities will sing carols at Eastern State Hospital. Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity is buying a pair of shoes for each orphan in a children's orphanage and two other fraternities are donating cigarettes to a veterans' hospital in Hampton.

Circle K and the college Psychology club are also planning parties at Eastern State Hospital. As an aid to the various groups in Williamsburg participating in the charitable projects Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity recently completed a survey of patients at Patrick Henry Hospital to determine needed gifts.

Closing the Yuletide activities on the William and Mary campus this year will be a Christmas reading December 18 and the traditional Yule Log burning ceremonies December 17.

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Student Center Nears Completion; Early February Set as Target Date

Completion of the new William and Mary student center is expected by the beginning of February according to College officials.

The million-dollar center was begun in fall 1958 and was scheduled for completion by August 31 of this year. However this date has been extended because of weather and unfavorable conditions.

Joan Ruth Accepts Copy Editor Office To Complete Staff

Joan Ruth, a sophomore student from Richmond, has been appointed copy editor of the Flat Hat.

As an editor, Joan will supervise proof reading, typing and writing of headlines. Since May she has been working as an assistant copy editor for the Flat Hat.

French Major

Joan is majoring in French and plans to teach the subject when she graduates. She is a



Joan Ruth

member of the Pep Club and the Pre-Legal Association; and she is the press chairman of Kappa Delta.

Assistant Editor

H. Mason Sizemore, Jr., a freshman student from Halifax, has been named assistant copy editor of the paper. H. Mason, who was managing editor of his newspaper in high school, is a present member of the Flat Hat staff, Pep Club and the Circle "K" Club.

Exterior work on the center has been practically completed and interior work is proceeding rapidly. Wall plastering and ceiling work are almost done, with surface flooring apparently the last step before furniture and furnishings are installed.

Ballroom

A spacious oval-shaped ballroom on the second floor is a highlight of the new building it features a circular bandstand with a specially-built ceiling.

A large dining room with an adjoining snack bar and tile kitchen are on the ground floor. A lounge with an outside terrace and several other rooms share the first floor with the dining room.

Places in the new building have been assigned to various publications and to the student government for their offices.

A four-lane bowling alley and combination theatre-meeting room, as well as other rooms, occupy the basement of the new center.

Featured in the architecture of the building are large pillars in the lounge and dining room and a series of glass doors leading outside. These are intended to lend perspective and openness to the center.

Total bids for the construction of the center amounted to \$943,969.

Combo Sought

The Pep Club is hunting for a combo from the campus to play at the basketball games. Students willing to form one, or interested established combos should contact Warren Joblin in Monroe 119 or any Pep Club member for further information about this possible extra.

Duke Ellington Agrees to Appear In First Jazz Festival Next Year

Duke Ellington and his orchestra will present the first in a series of jazz concerts at William and Mary on Sunday, January 21.

"There's no longhair music and no jazz music. There's just music," says Ellington who is unique among bandleaders as a world-famous composer.

In 1943 Ellington was the first big bandleader to play at Carnegie Hall. Every year since then, Duke has returned to Carnegie Hall and premiered a major work.

He played a command performance before President Eisenhower and his Cabinet at the White House Correspondents Dinner in 1955.

Composer of "Don't Get Around Much Anymore," "Flamingo," and "Take the A' Train,"

Tonight, Tomorrow Night

Choir, Chorus to Present Annual Christmas Concert

A timpony and a seven piece brass ensemble will accompany the William and Mary Choir and the chorus in presenting their annual Christmas concert on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at 8:00 in Phi Beta Kappa Memorial Hall.

The Greek Rescues Well Liked Whiskey From Sudden Death

by Tom Hayden

Whiskey, the most familiar canine face on campus, now rests comfortably in his cell in the veterinarian hospital here in Williamsburg where he was impounded when a complaint was turned in to the Health Department that he bit someone.

He was to be killed tomorrow unless someone paid \$19 for a collar, rabies shot, license, and veterinary bill for him. Early this week, it was announced by Nick "The Greek" BeLer, that "such a well-educated dog as Whiskey is a credit to the College of William and Mary and should not be allowed to go without help."

This statement came in the middle of plans by BeLer and senior Marty Trusty to have the dog released and placed in Trusty's custody. The \$19 necessary for Whiskey's release will be supplied by Corner Greek's. Upon release tomorrow this hallowed canine will be kept in Williamsburg if at all possible.

Soprano soloists will be Phyllis Atwood of Arlington, Harriet Hunter of Portsmouth, Elizabeth Rader of Norfolk and Rainette Struve of Alexandria. Alto soloists will be Joan Beck of Richmond and Sally Williams of Dayton, Ohio. Robert Betts of Monrovia, California, and John Hartzell, Jr., of Bala-Cynwyd, Pa. will sing tenor solos, while Melvin Clark of Chatham, Eugene Galusha of Schenectady, New York, and Thomas Murphy of Suffolk will sing bass solos.

Bach's "Magnificat"

The highlight of the evening will be Bach's Magnificat. The Choir will also sing Dickinson's "The Shepherd's Story," Christiansen's arrangement of "From Heaven Above," Prateorius' "Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming," the Czech "Carol of the Drum," Gliere's "The Three Holy Kings," the French "When at Christmas Christ Was Born," Booth's "We Saw Him Sleeping" and Jolley's "Gloria in Excelsis."

French Carols

The chorus will sing two French carols, "Ding-Dong! Merrily on High" and "Sing a New Noel," Fischer's "The Song of Mary," Perilhou's "The Virgin at the Manger" and five Czech carols arranged by Kricka.

Ellington is an annual attraction at the Philharmonic in Los Angeles, the Civic Opera in Chicago and the Academy Hall in Philadelphia.

With a current itinerary of 80 concerts a year, Ellington has performed in Europe, at the Stratford Shakespearean Festival in Canada, Birdland in New York, on the Voice of Firestone program and in a Paris bomb-proof shelter.

In addition to popular hits as "Black and Tan Fantasy," "Mood Indigo" and "Sophisti-



Duke Ellington

cated Lady," Ellington wrote the book, music and lyrics for "Man with Four Sides." Such hits as "Got It Bad and That Ain't Good" came from his revue "Jump For Joy."

Among his longer works are included "Black, Brown and Beige," subtitled "Tone Parallel to the History of the Negro in America" "Liberian Suite," a salute to the Republic of Liberia and "Harlem." The latter was commissioned by the NBC symphony, then conducted by Toscanini, and played by them in a radio concert conducted by Ellington.

In Brief

News Around Campus

The Roanoke Alumni chapter invites all William and Mary students who live in the Roanoke area to attend a luncheon, 12:30 December 30, at the Shenandoah club, Roanoke.

Dr. William W. Abbot and Dr. James M. Smith, both of the history department, will attend the American Historical Association meetings in Chicago, December 28-30.

"Slouch," a poem by Dr. Harold A. Waters of the modern languages department appears in the autumn issue of *American Weave*.

Eta Sigma Phi, the honorary chemical society, pledged 27 members at their Christmas meeting December 9 in the Brafterton.

Professor James P. Whyte of

the Law School has been named to the Committee on Continuing Legal Education of the Association of American Law Schools.

Phi Alpha Delta's banquet for initiates and new officers was December 11 in the Hunt room, Attorney Frederick B. Stant, Jr., Norfolk, was the guest speaker.

The Canadian Tax Foundation published Dr. Frank Owen's study, "Business Financing and Taxation Policies," in November.

Dr. Anthony L. Sancetta's article, "Merger and the Rule of Reason": The Pillsbury Case before the Federal Trade Commission, will be published in the spring, 1960 issue of the *Duquesne Review*.

The Adams-Jefferson Papers, a two-volume collection of the letters exchanged by Jefferson, Abigail and John Adams, was edited by Dr. Lester J. Cappon the University of North Carolina press for the Institute of Early American History.

Women students wishing to rush are asked to be in Washington 200 at 4 p.m. January 6. At this time, registration will take place and a \$2.00 rush fee will be collected.

The Backdrop club is having a meeting in Washington 200 at 7 p.m., Wednesday, December 16.

Yates Resigns Math Chairmanship; Praises W&M Department Highly

Dr. Robert C. Yates has resigned his position as chairman of the mathematics department and will assume the position of director of the mathematics program at the University of South Florida at Tampa next September.

Dr. Yates, a native of Falls Church, received a B.S. degree in civil engineering from Virginia Military Institute, a B.A. in psychology and education from Washington and Lee University, and M.A. and Ph.D. degree from Johns Hopkins University.

Before coming to William and Mary in 1955 he taught at VMI, the University of Maryland, Louisiana State University, The United States Military Academy and Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Dr. Yates has expressed his regret at leaving William and Mary and highly praised the College for its interest in the field of mathematics. He emphasized the fact that he felt the college's department of mathematics to be "one of the finest undergraduate departments in the country."

President Alvin Duke Chandler voiced for the college regret of Dr. Yates' leaving and congratulated him on his appointment.

Law Book Gifts

A 20-volume collection of municipal law codes with an estimated value of \$500 has been presented to the College law library.

The gift, made by David Parish, vice-president of the Michie Publishing Company in Charlottesville, includes the ordinances of Williamsburg, Richmond, Norfolk and Princess Anne County.

Varied Background Typical of Players In 'Boy Friend' Cast

by Kay Huey

What could be better for a cosmopolitan script than a definitely cosmopolitan cast? Such was the case with the recent William and Mary Theatre production, *The Boy Friend*, for it hosted a co-ed from Manila, who attended school in Switzerland, a boy from Texas, one from Florida and a traveler from Princeton.

Jeanne Raab, who did an excellent job in the role of Madame Dubonnet, is from Manila, Philippines. The part of "Madame" called for a definite French accent, and Jeanne was very thankful for having had to chance to observe actual French headmistresses while in school in Neuchatel, Switzerland. While in the Swiss boarding school, Jeanne participated in several of their theatre productions. She especially recalls her part as the doctor in Jules Romain's *Knock*.

The part of the honorable Percival Browne was played by a

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Gives Industry Views

Republic Steel Executive Discusses Current Dispute

by Sandy McNair

"The steel strike represents management's attempt to regain control of their own industry", stated Hugh Tobin, high-ranking Republic Steel executive, in an address to the Economics club Wednesday, December 9.

According to Tobin, the entire strike hinges on one clause in the contract, "Companies shall have the right to change or eliminate local working conditions if the basis for these conditions are

changed or eliminated."

Management feels that this includes changes which could be made on the recommendation of industrial engineers. However the unions insist that actual installation or modification of machinery must be involved.

One Cent Apart

The union and management are less than one cent apart on the latest contract offer, a three year \$30 package featuring benefit increases in the first year and wage increases in the next two years.

He also stated that management prefers dealing with United Steelworkers President David McDonald to dealing with other persons; therefore, the management will try to make McDonald, who is undergoing a crucial test of strength in the strike, look as good as possible to union members in the final settlement.

Tobin said that the companies are trying to hold the line against inflation and that any greater boost in wages would probably force a hike in steel prices which would lead to inflation.

Lodge Check

Lodges will be checked for freshmen every weekend by the House and Grounds committee of the Inter-Fraternity Council. Any freshmen seen by the committee in the lodge area will not be able to rush any fraternity for one year.

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Christmas Thoughts

ON THE RECORD

By Allan C. Brownfeld

"The hopes and fears of all the years
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The world has seen a lot of men come and go in the 1,959 years since Jesus was born in the town of Bethlehem. These have been good men and bad men, men who believed and men who denied, men who dreamed, and men who dared. We have seen war and famine come and go, we have witnessed the deaths of great men, and the triumphs of evil ones. But for one moment in the history of the world all that is good in the human soul cast its message to eternity. Never again will we reach such a moment of perfection, unless finally we accept the message which Jesus brought and for which he was crucified.

We have built many cathedrals to commemorate our faith in God and in the message brought to us by Jesus. We have given a good deal of consideration to the ideas expressed in the Sermon On The Mount. But we do not really love our neighbors, much less our enemies. We judge and we cast the first stone, we believe that what works is what is right, regardless of what Jesus has said. Many say that Christianity holds the only key to heaven, but few are Christians.

Atheistic despots have told us that man is but a servant of the state, and that his individual dignity lies in subservience to others. Even in our own society we are told that man must conform to the group, that all must share the fruits of the labor of each. Those who mock religion say that man is but an evolved animal, with no soul and no relationship to the image of what they consider to be a non-existent God. Yet they all celebrate Christmas, even though its meaning has escaped them.

How many who celebrate Christmas this year will really know the meaning of Jesus' life and his words? And how many will care? For this holiday to be meaningful we must not limit ourselves to exchanging greetings and gifts. We must take the philosophy of Jesus and use it every day of the year, we must relate it to world affairs, to local politics, and to business affairs. We in 1959 see our world faced with ruin and destruction, and see Jesus' dream of a world at peace with good will toward all men far in the distance. We have tried every method to solve our problems. For too long a time men have taken religion lightly. Religious wars and inquisitions rather than peace and conciliation have been the major achievements of some sects. It is time for a change.

It is really an amazing thing that men have for so long given lip service to the Christian philosophy and have for an equally long period refused to relate this philosophy to the world. For it is indeed a philosophy of life and living, not to be placed in a book and dusted off each December 25. It is as alive as are we who seek to use it. And perhaps when we speak of a need for something new to meet the challenges of Communism we really need something old, which has never been given a chance. But this, after all, is a foolish kind of position for the skeptics. And it is the skeptics who have been in control for at least most of the time in the history of the world. It is quite a job they have done!

Christmas in America is also a secular holiday filled with gaiety and custom, as Colonial Williamsburg has shown us. Our Christmas vacation is rapidly approaching and as we wind up and get ready for that Saturday plane ride I would like to extend holiday greetings to all. And I hope that everyone will be back in town and ready for some real business in a few weeks.



Brownfeld

For College Students

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Concert

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Circulation Manager of the Flat Hat.

Bass solos will come from Melvin Clark, a junior from Chatham. Mel will sing a solo in "Quia fecit mihi magna" from Bach's Magnificat. Mel is President of the Choir and is part-time announcer on WBCI. Singing a bass solo in the Shepherd's Story by Dickinson is Eugene Galusha, a freshman from Schenectady, New York.

Sharing the solo with Mel Clark is Thomas Murphy, a sophomore from Suffolk. Murphy is a member of Sigma Pi social fraternity.

The piano accompanist is Tracy Russell, a senior from Fernandino Beach, Florida. Russell is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon social fraternity and Circle K.

Oliver Takes Post As Provost at RPI

Dr. George J. Oliver former head of the department of education at William and Mary, was officially installed as provost of Richmond Professional Institute Wednesday, December 9.

RPI is a branch of the College of William and Mary; it has 4,000 day and evening students.

Spectators attending the installation heard a warning from Dr. J. Earl Moreland, president of Randolph-Macon College at Ashland, that Americans must not overlook the values of diversity in education and the importance of the humanities and the arts.

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This fighting assumed a route from Australia to New Guinea to New Briton and finally to the Philippines at the close of the conflict. After a short tour of occupation duty in Japan, Major Gewinner returned to civilian life. His interests immediately turned to the fields of fine arts and music, thus renewing his pre-war activities. He decided to join the ranks of the many veterans seeking a higher education. As a 27 year old freshman, he was accepted to the Eastman School of Music at the University of Rochester. Here he spent four years majoring in voice, especially concert and light opera.

Broadway Player

Upon finishing his studies in Rochester, he took a five month post-graduate course at the Dramatic Workshop and Technical Institute in New York. Here he appeared in an off-Broadway play in the President Theatre called *The Scapegoat*.

However, before this fine background could be turned into a career, the United States became involved in another conflict. Although not in the active reserve, he decided to return to the military and therefore signed up to become a career officer.

Possessing such an outstanding record from World War II, he was immediately assigned to the 40th Infantry Division in Korea. Here, he saw more than 18 months of combat before returning to this country.

Instructor

In his next assignment, Major Gewinner became a senior tactical instructor at the Ranger Mountain Training Camp in Dahlonega, Ga. Then in 1956, he was selected for the Army Senior Tactical School, Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Prior to his assignment to the College, he spent a year and a half in France and a year in Germany.

Having an exceptional background in the field of military instruction, the Major has been teaching sophomores and juniors this semester. In addition to his long experience as a soldier, he is qualified as a combat infantryman, a paratrooper, a ranger, and a mountain instructor.

Many Medals

A veteran of considerable combat, the Major is an often decorated officer. He has been awarded the silver star for gallantry in action, two bronze stars for meritorious achievement, a commendation ribbon and the purple heart.

In his spare time this year, he has been quite active in the Williamsburg Little Theatre Group. Recently, he acted the part of Mr. DiPinna in the play "You Can't Take It With You," which played at James Blair High School.

The Major has applied to do graduate work for an MA in education, and he is currently taking some courses in this field at night school.

Library Hours

Mr. James Servies, College Librarian, states that he sees no way by which the library hours may be extended and that the library hours are longer than in many colleges about the size of William and Mary.

He said that he realizes there is a problem as to the seating capacity in the library, but that he can only make one suggestion to remedy this situation. He suggests that students try to achieve a greater amount of quiet in the dormitories.

Mortar Board, ODK to Sponsor Christmas Ceremony in Great Hall

Color and tradition will stimulate the season's gay holiday atmosphere for faculty and students alike at the annual burning of the Yule Log in the Great Hall December 17 at 6:30 p.m.

Mortar Board and Omicron Delta Kappa are sponsoring the Yule Log ceremony to which all are invited. The ceremony will start with Christmas carol singing around the tree at the back of the Wren Building.

The Yule Log will be carried into the Great Hall by members

of ODK and will be touched by holly along the way. The lighting of the log will be followed by more carol singing and refreshments.

All participating will throw holly sprigs in the fire to burn the past year's evils and bring on the season's good will.



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ROTC Companies To Vie Tomorrow In Field Day Races

by Armen Bahadurian

Field Day activities will be held tomorrow at the CCC field for all cadets of William and Mary's Reserve Officers Training Corps.

The exercise, being tried for the first time, will be held to provide an opportunity for all five companies of the battle group to compete in various games and relays.

Five Races

The Dizzy Izzy race, wheelbarrow race, potato relay, sack race and three legged race are the five events that will be held. Every company will have a team for each event composed of personnel from that company.

Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the exercise by the ROTC social activities association.

Throughout the afternoon, companies will remain under the supervision of company officers and non-commissioned officers.

Point System

The company taking first place in each event will be awarded five points; second place four points; third place, three points; fourth place, two points; and fifth place, one point.

Student Bar Group Hears Stock Advice

The Student Bar Association presented speakers from Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith on Tuesday, December 8.

Speaker Stanley Jacobson outlined the structure of the investment corporation. The company buys large lots of stock to sell to individuals. It is agreed that the stock will be sold at a certain maximum price. No minimum is stipulated.

The research department of investment corporations was also discussed. There is free advice for investors and lawyers. There is also a research department open to everyone.

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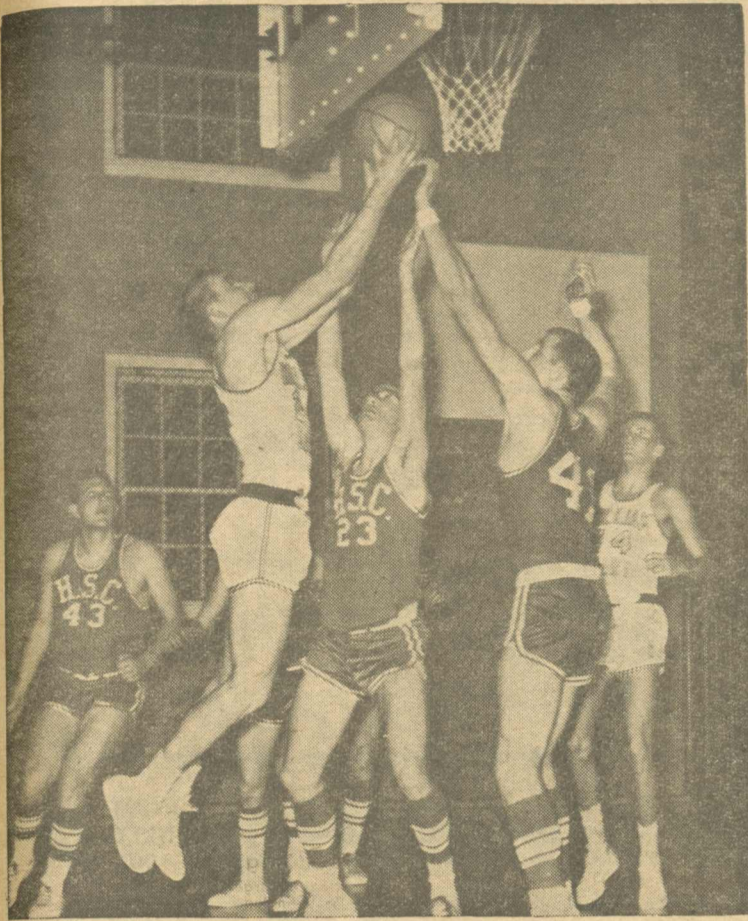
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Tribe's Vaughan Grabs Rebound



Bev Vaughan, whose improvement has been a key factor in the Tribe's early success, pulls in rebound during 97-83 victory over tenacious Hampden-Sydney. The lithe 6-5 junior scored 25 points against Tigers, maintained 20-plus average. Henry Corns (14) looks on. Gary Young Photo

Indians Host M-Harvey Tonight, Hit Road for GW Clash Friday

by Bruce Goldwasser

William and Mary's basketball forces face a busy schedule starting tonight with a home encounter against once-beaten Morris-Harvey of West Virginia. The Indians travel to George Washington for a Southern Conference clash this Friday evening, then participate in the Richmond Invitational on December 29-30.

Bill Chambers and Co. left home last week-end after a resounding 97-83 rout of Hampden-Sydney to take part in the

Steel Bowl in Pittsburgh. Duquesne and St. John's defeated the Tribe in that tourney to leave the locals with a 4-2 record overall.

Jeff Cohen (6-7), presently averaging 24 points an outing, will start at center this evening. Flanking him at the forwards will be Co-captain Chuck Sanders (6-10) and Bev Vaughan (6-5). Vaughan is averaging 21-5 points per game, Sanders 10 even.

Dave Bottoms (6-1) has the nod at one guard spot, with either

Co-captain Tom Farrington (5-10) or Kenny Roberts (6-0) at the other. Farrington, hampered by a groin injury, is averaging 7 points a game, with Bottoms at 6.9 for this early stage of the season.

Trouble Maker

Morris-Harvey could give the injury-hobbled Indians trouble. Last season they posted a 75-67 win over W&M and currently own a 4-1 record. M-H has dropped Concord (107-98), Bliss (80-71), Georgetown of Kentucky (74-72) and Beckley (82-81), while losing to West Virginia State (100-88).

GW's Bill Reinhart is missing four regulars from last season, with only Howie Bash (6-3) back in camp. The Colonials are 2-4 on the season, having beaten Richmond (89-83) and Virginia Military (90-77), while losing to Maryland, Virginia Tech, The Citadel and Furman.

Transfer Dick Markowitz (6-5), a forward who once made little All-American, leads the Colonials in scoring with a 15 point average. Following him are Bash at 12.8, Ralph Kunze (6-4) with 10.5 and other starters Gar Schwieckhardt and Bill Ingram (6-9).

Post-Christmas Affair

Richmond, Lafayette, South Carolina and W&M are slated to meet in the Richmond Invitational. Last year, Penn State whipped Richmond in the finals 61-54.

Richmond (2-4), playing with a veteran starting five but practically no bench support will have a task in matching last year's 11-11 over-all mark. So far, Les Hooker's Spiders have defeated Randolph-Macon (76-75) and upset The Citadel (63-52).

Defeats have come at the hands of George Washington, (Continued on Page 8)

W&M 97, H-S 83

The sharp shooting of William and Mary's "Big Three" enabled Bill Chambers and Co. to overcome a 49-45 Hampden-Sydney halftime lead and topple the strong Little Eight quint, 97-83, at Blow Gym last Tuesday night.

Hampden Sydney broke loose with an early lead of 21-12 and continued that speedy pace until the halftime buzzer. Their big guns were Gil Sayres and Leon Hawker, each hitting double figures at the half.

But W&M's "Big Three" of Jeff Cohen, Bev Vaughan and Chuck Sanders took control in the second stanza and never let their authority be challenged thereafter.

Cohen, who tallied 23 points in the first half, rode the bench during much of the second half but still scored 30 points for the night. Vaughan finished with 25, while Sanders followed with 16.

Freshmen Scalp FUMA, Host Apprentice Tonight

Backcourt duo Roger Bergey and Dan Dickerson clicked in the clutch last week to spark the Indian frosh to their second and third wins of the young season. By scalping Frederick Junior College, 68-55, and edging a fighting Fork Union Military crew, 59-49, the Tribe remained unbeaten, sporting a 3-0 slate following the week's activities.

Entering the fourth canto a-

gainst FUMA, Coach Joe Agee's quintet was leading by a slim margin, provided by Dickerson's deadly sharpshooting. Time after time, the 6-2 guard flipped in a one-hander when the visitors threatened to forge ahead. Bergey sank crucial free throws in the waning minutes to clinch the outcome of the nip-and-tuck struggle.

Scoring Rundown

Hitting nine of 19 fielders, Dickerson added five charity tosses for 23 points and top scoring honors. Bergey and forward Bob Harris contributed 17 and 10 markers, respectively, as 6-6 Kirk Gooding, failing to hit double figures for the first time this year, chipped in nine tallies.

Gooding ripped the cords for 25 markers while Harris bagged 20 as the Tribe completely dominated first half play in the Frederick encounter, leading on one occasion by 29 points. The Lions managed a determined comeback in the second half as they whittled away at the Indian lead. Their closest effort was the 68-55 final score.

Statistics for three games reveal a well-balanced frosh attack with four regulars hitting in double figures. Gooding paces the club in the scoring department with an 18 point average followed closely by Dickerson, whose recent efforts boosted his per game mark to 15.6 clip. Fifth starter Bruce O'Hara is doing yeoman board work, clearing 11 a contest.

The Newport News Apprentice School combine will invade Blow Gym Tuesday evening to tangle with the Tribe frosh before the varsity game. Possessing a 3-1 season ledger, the Newport crew, lacking height, utilizes a tight zone defense. "This game should be good experience for the boys since they haven't played against the zone so far this season," declared Agee. Traveling with the varsity to Washington, the Tribe will meet the GW freshmen in its last pre-holiday action.

Kurland's Skein Intact

Herr Shatters Swim Records Again As Tankmen Incur Double Setback

Soph sensation Chris Herr continued his record-breaking habits as William and Mary's "ten iron men" learned the facts of life last weekend. Following the opening triumph over Catholic University, the outmanned Tribe dropped home matches to The Citadel, 51-34, and Davidson, 60-35, over the weekend.

Herr smashed both his week-old records in his specialties in the Citadel meet, only to outdo his feats the next afternoon. As the mermen travel to Virginia

today, the Indian ace holds the school mark for the 22-yard freestyle with a time of 2:17.7 while his 5:09.8 in the 440-yard distance caused another revision of the W&M record book.

Herr's brilliant exhibition was more significant since his opponent in both races was Davidson's Hudgins, winner in both events at the Southern Conference meet last spring.

Extends Streak

Reliable Dave Kurland extended his unbeaten skein over two seasons of regular competition by winning first places in the 60 and 100 sprints during the week-end activities.

The Tribe frosh, paced by individual winners Turk Despard and Mort Aulls plus a victorious 160-yard freestyle relay team, edged The Citadel novices in a thrilling finish Friday.

The quartet of Steve Amato, Bruce Beckman, Despard and Aulls eked out the final event by inches to decide the outcome of the frosh meet in the Tribe's favor.

For the varsity against Davidson, Joe Watson earned top diving honors for the first time this season to register the Tribe's fifth first place against the Wildcats.

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fact that a Catholic office-holder has a Catholic conscience — which conscience prevents his support of birth control because he sees that as immoral — mean that Catholicism has a corner on firm principle? Is firm principle indistinguishable from slavish adherence to a subversive line? The implicit tendency to find Catholics under the bed is reminiscent of another clearthinker, lately of Wisconsin; now, God knows where. Does not Aquinas counsel prudential moderation of principle except where such would run counter to Divine Law proper? Does our clearthinking reporter suspect for a moment that Niccolo Machavelli is the Angelic Doctor of Protestants and Jews?

Secondly, the proposition that a Catholic candidate must promise to follow his private conscience is both misleading and amusing. This proposition, borrowed from Reverend Dahlberg, is tantamount to saying we'll accept a Catholic if he'll only become a Protestant, for the issue of the relationship of conscience (which is for sincere Christian theologians no vague primordial urge nor any Freudian crust, but rather an aspect of the soul specifically informed by God) and the church is one of those that lay at the root of the Protest of the Sixteenth Century. Surely a good Catholic would follow his private conscience, but his private conscience is Catholic. Mr. Brownfeld's command that Senator Kennedy treat such a serious matter in a merely sporting manner is not unlike the American willingness to deal with the Soviet Union if only it would allow open, two-party elections in disputed areas, or, the Soviet willingness to deal with the United States provided the latter would concede dialectical materialism. If anyone supposes that birth control will be a serious problem requiring United States governmental action within the next ten years and recognizes that Senator Kennedy is bound to be morally adverse to birth control and he, the voter, is for it, then he'd best be against Senator Kennedy. But be reminded that a good many people who are not Roman Catholics are morally adverse to birth control. We need not ask the Catholic candidate just how Catholic he is. Surely we do not want in high office a man who covets that office so much as to promise to violate the principles he himself holds sacred in order to be elected.

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Tests to Determine Final Participants Of CBS Program

Four students to represent William and Mary on the College Quiz Bowl over CBS Television Sunday, January 24, will be selected during the week following Christmas vacation.

Written tests including general cultural knowledge and more specific fields of knowledge will be used to determine the final participants in the program.

All students must contact Dr. Leon Golden at extension 233 by tomorrow to be eligible to participate in the eliminations. This includes the original 50 selected by the faculty committee.

Members of the committee in charge of the program are Dr. Golden, Dr. C. F. Owen, Dr. Carl Dolmetsch, Dr. John McKnight and Robert Smith.

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Fraternities Sing to W&M Coeds

Christmas serenades are being held by many of the Social fraternities. Kappa Alpha is singing Thursday, December 17. Carols include "White Christmas," "Silent Night" and "O Come All Ye Faithful." The KA Santa Claus will give out candy canes to all girls on campus. Ed Sharbaugh is directing the group.

Joy To The World

Sigma Alpha Epsilon sang Thursday, December 10. The chorus, directed by Leon Long, sang "Deck the Halls," "Jingle Bells," "Silver Bells" and "Violet." The Lambda Chi's sang December 14. Their program included "Joy to the World," "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" and "Come All Ye Faithful." Directing was Howard Hill.

Thursday, December 17, Sigma Nu will carol under the direction of Bob Stoy and Wayne Check. Featured will be "White Christmas," "The Sigma Nus Are Calling Tonight" and "I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus."

'The Bayard Family'

Classes to Present Play With Christmas Theme

by Joanna Scott

"The Long Christmas Dinner," a play by Thornton Wilder, to be presented in-the-round in the laboratory theatre of Phi Beta Kappa at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, December 17, complements the College Christmas festivities.

Scammon to Give Christmas Reading In Chapel Program

A Christmas program on Friday, December 18, organized and sponsored by Lambda Chi Alpha Social fraternity, will feature several readings by Howard Scammon, associate professor of fine arts and director of the William and Mary Theatre.

Audience Of 100 Expected

Faculty department heads, college administrators and deans, and representatives of community organizations and city government will comprise the invited audience of approximately 100.

Following the reading to be presented in Wren Chapel at 8:45 p.m., there will be a reception in the Great Hall.

Fraternity To Usher

Members of the fraternity will usher at the program which was planned by Lambda Chris, Marshall Barry and Joseph Dodd.

The play, sponsored by Theta Alpha Phi, acting and directing classes and stage craft and design groups, is concerned with the passing down of family traditions and habits from generation to generation in the Bayard family. The play covers a period of 90 years and uses the family Christmas dinner gathering as the thread of continuity through the years.

Of Thornton Wilder, Miss Althea Hunt, faculty advisor for the play, said, "He has a wonderful love of humanity and of the way people live and act, not necessarily perfect, but very human."

In the play are Scott Glenn as Roderick, Caroline Maclachlan as Lucia, Zita King as Mother Bayward, Erik Howell as Charles, Jeanne Raab as Genevieve, Susan Kohler as Leonora, Stuart Coblin and Betty Risser as Sam and Lucia II, Dick Westlake as Roderick II, Jeanne Tracy as Cousin Ermenegarde and Cynthia Beach as the nurse.

W&M Debaters

William and Mary debaters placed seventh in a field of 47 entrants at a tournament held in Pittsburgh over the weekend.

Diane Pickering of the affirmative team and Ray Matson of the negative team were rated among the top ten speakers at the tournament.

Other college students participating were Dot Young on the affirmative and Courtenay Turner on the negative.

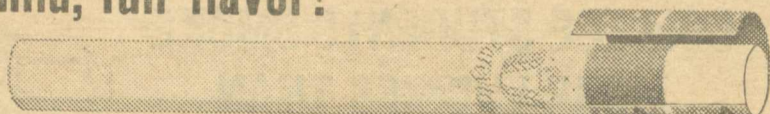
First place honors for the meet went to The University of Alabama. The University of Pittsburgh placed second.

The next tournament for the College debate squad will be with the University of Miami, Florida, after the Christmas vacation.

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