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## REMINDERS

### Annual Calendar

The Office of University Relations is currently gathering information about scheduled events for the 1990-91 academic year. Please send any information to Mary Ann Williamson in the William and Mary News Office, James Blair 310.

### Summer Recycling

The campus recycling organization has closed down for the summer.

Recyclers are urged to take items to the Williamsburg Recycling Center on Mooretown Road.

To get to the center, take Rt. 60 toward Richmond; turn right onto Airport Road and then left onto Mooretown Road. The Center is approximately one and a half miles ahead on Mooretown Road in Ewell Industrial Park.

For more information call the Center at 564-7656.

### Surplus Auction

The College and Eastern State Hospital will conduct an auction of surplus equipment on Thursday, May 31.

The auction will begin promptly at 9 a.m. in Eastern State Hospital Building No. 22. Items may be viewed and inspected May 30 from 1 to 3 p.m. and May 31 from 8 to 9 a.m.

Equipment to be auctioned will include typewriters, calculators, recorders, scientific equipment, chairs, computer equipment, etc.

For more information call Annette Ashcraft at ext. 12052.

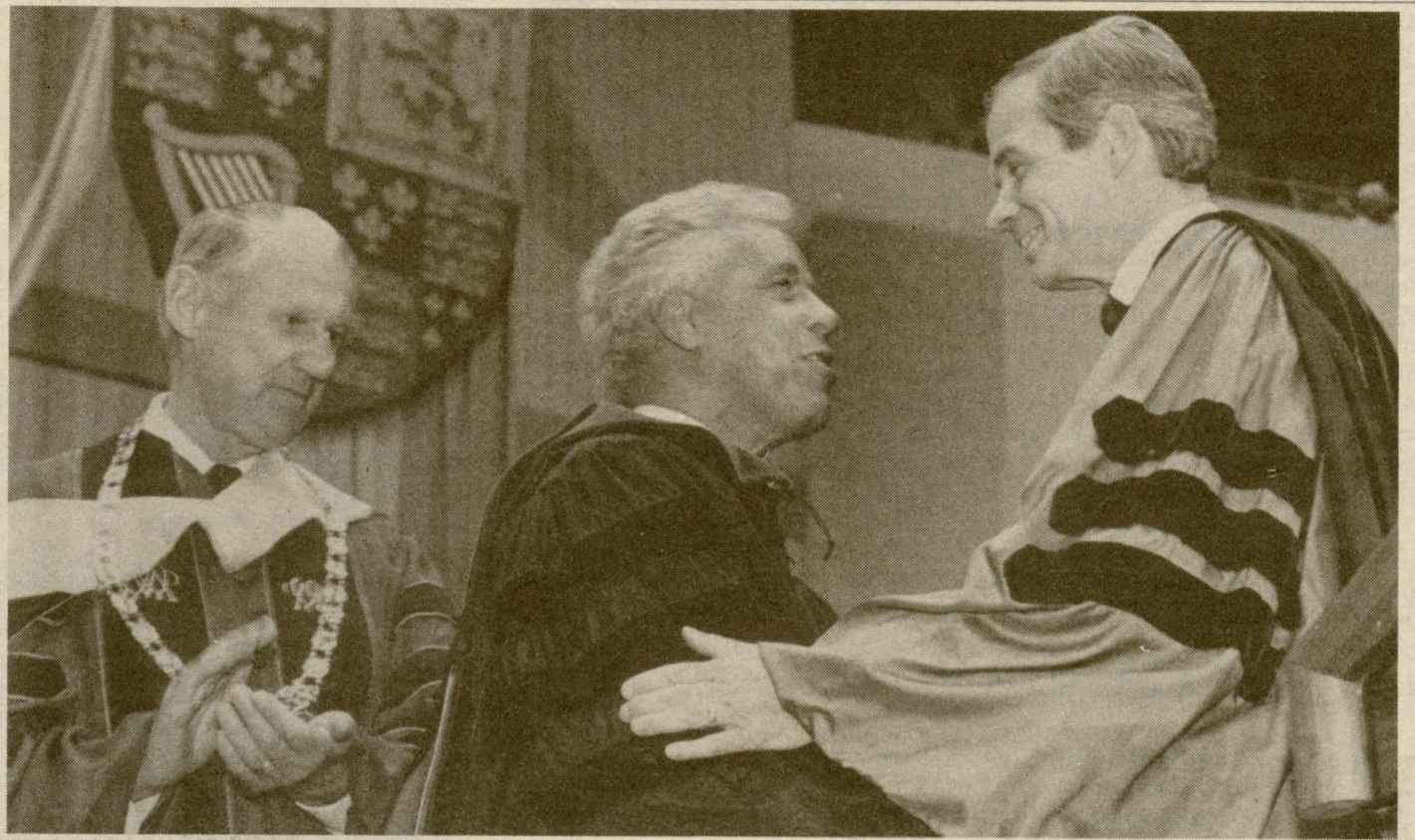
### Payroll Changes

Beginning July 16 the Payroll Office is mailing faculty, staff and student paychecks to the address on file in the personnel office or registrar's office, as appropriate.

Verify the address printed on your check to ensure that it will be sent to the correct address. If the address is incorrect, please notify the Personnel Office or Registrar's Office prior to July 1.

Check stubs, for those employees who participate in EFT, will be mailed to the department of employment.

If you are interested in participating in EFT, contact the payroll office now located at 630 Prince George St.



Rector Hayes T. Watkins and President Paul R. Verkuil congratulate Governor L. Douglas Wilder at commencement.

## Graduates Urged To Take Up Challenges

**T**he message to graduates, which echoed through all speeches during the weekend, was go out and make a difference, take up life's challenges.

In that spirit, Chancellor Warren E. Burger '73 LL.D. noted that Sunday marked the anniversary of the landing at Jamestown 383 years ago.

"Life is tenuous. What we do is therefore tentative, but of consequence nonetheless," said Governor L. Douglas Wilder in his commencement address. "The

obligation to recognize that what each of us does potentially affects all others is an obligation which you can ignore, but of which you cannot be rid. I encourage you to accept this obligation gratefully and thereby to accept the mantle of leadership which you will bear—and bear I trust to the benefit of your fellows."

The Governor had been heckled when he was campaigning on campus and included in his speech a lighthearted reference to the occasion. "I must admit that my popularity on this campus must be on

the wane. Because the last time I was here (during the campaign), I had a welcoming committee. I had to fight the crowds off; literally fight them off. And, to my good friend Barbara Bush, welcome to the club. There were some few students at Wellesley who felt she shouldn't address their commencement. That gentle lady made the mistake of becoming a wife and mother. ... I still haven't figured out what I've done wrong."

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## Perkins Announces Plan To Return to Teaching

Frank Perkins has announced plans to step down as dean/director of the School of Marine Science/Virginia Institute of Marine Science and return to academic life effective July 1, 1991.

Perkins, who holds the rank of professor of marine science, will return to full-time research and teaching at VIMS. In announcing his plans, he commented, "I have a great deal of interest in research, and I look forward to returning to the role of scientist as well as that of professor and advisory agent."

As dean/director of the nation's largest coastal and estuarine research and teaching center, Perkins has overseen the transition from a state agency with an academic tie to William and Mary to a fully integrated component of the College.

This merger has been advantageous to the Commonwealth of Virginia and to VIMS, said Perkins.

During a meeting with faculty, staff and students May 9, Perkins expressed his feeling that it is healthy for an organization to change its leadership periodically. "New thoughts and creative ability should be brought to the leadership of the school and institute about every 10 years," said Perkins. "When I finish my current contract, I will have served for 10 years, and it is time to provide someone else with the opportunity to express herself or himself."

"Dr. Perkins has been an able administrator and an effective advocate of the School of Marine Science and VIMS; his decision is accepted with great reluc-

tance," said Melvyn D. Schiavelli, provost.

"We are grateful for his leadership over the last 10 years and wish him continued success as he returns to research and teaching at the School of Marine Science." A national search will be initiated this summer for a new dean/director, said Schiavelli.

Commenting on the development of the school and institute over the past nine years, Perkins said that the progress was primarily the result of four factors: leadership at the College; the commitment of the executive and legislative branches of Virginia's government to preserving our marine natural resources; the support of the private sector under

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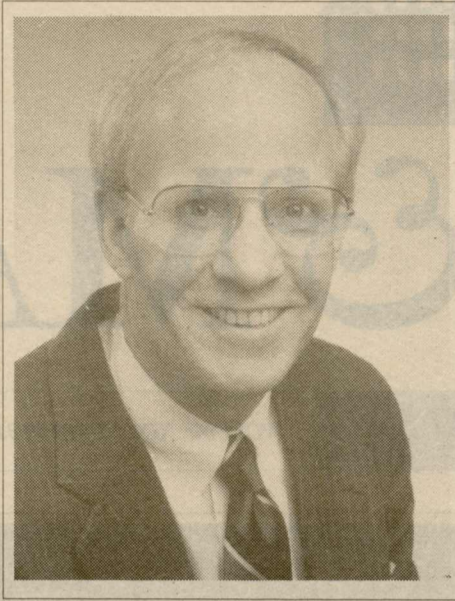
## Brinkley Named Vice Rector

James W. Brinkley of Baltimore, president and director of Legg Mason Wood Walker, Inc., has been elected vice rector of the Board of Visitors at the College of William and Mary.

Brinkley, a 1959 graduate of William and Mary, was recently re-appointed to the board for a second four-year term by Virginia Governor L. Douglas Wilder. He serves as chairman of the board's Committee on Financial Affairs.

Brinkley, 53, is also a trustee of the college's Endowment Association and past chairman of the investment committee. He has served as a trustee of the college's Society of the Alumni and co-chairperson of the William and Mary Annual Fund. He is a member of the steering committee for The Campaign for the Fourth Century, a comprehensive fund drive to raise \$150 million by the college's 300th anniversary in 1993. In 1987, Brinkley received the college's Alumni Medallion for service and loyalty to his alma mater.

A native of Suffolk, Va., Brinkley assisted in the forming of Mason & Company Investment Bankers & Brokers in 1962, which has grown to become one of



James Brinkley

the country's largest regional brokerage and money management firms.

He is director and vice chairman of the Maryland Academy of Sciences, and a member of the Regional Firm Committee of the Securities Industry Association and chairman of the association's Mid-Atlantic District. He is director of the Legal Mutual Liability Society of Maryland and a member of the Baltimore Society of Security Analysts and the National Federation of Financial Analysts.

## Richard John Awarded Nevins Prize for Dissertation

Richard John, postdoctoral fellow at the Commonwealth Center for the Study of American Culture, has been awarded the 1990 Allan Nevins Prize by the Society of American Historians for his dissertation, "Managing the Mails: The Postal System, Public Policy, and American Political Culture, 1823-1836."

The national prize, which carries a \$1,000 award, is given for the best-written doctoral dissertation in the field of American history defended in the previous year. When making the presentation on behalf of the Nevins Prize Committee, professor Alan Brinkley of the City University of New York Graduate Center, commented: "This elegantly written dissertation uses the history of the American post office to explore much larger

issues, among them the growth of institutions and the cultural transformation of the United States."

John received his doctorate from Harvard University in the spring of 1989 and began his two-year term as a postdoctoral fellow at the Commonwealth Center in the fall of that year.

The Commonwealth Center fellowship program includes two postdoctoral and three senior fellowship positions. Postdoctoral fellowships are awarded to promising junior scholars selected from a national candidate pool according to the extent to which their projects are genuinely interdisciplinary and related to the Center's mission, and for the potential their research holds for producing a distinguished first-book manuscript.

## Society Wins Gold, Two Silver National CASE Awards

The Society of the Alumni has received the top gold award for Alumni Program Improvement in a national competition sponsored by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education. In addition, the Society garnered two silver medals for excellence in Total Alumni Relations Effort and Individual Alumni Programs and Projects.

In awarding the gold medal for the most improved alumni program in the country, judges reviewed all aspects of the Society's efforts, from alumni programs to records to communications, comparing results from 1986-87 with 1989-90. Their evaluation included an analysis of budgetary management, overall program effort, management policies, quality of publications and effectiveness of

the organization.

The Society's silver medal for Total Alumni Relations Effort was based on the judges' review of programs, projects and activities in 1989-90 compared with other alumni programs around the nation. In this overall category the budget resources of alumni associations were evaluated to determine cost effectiveness in relation to products and services. This award placed the Society among the top four associations in the United States.

The Society's Alumni College program, reinstated in 1988 and now in its third year, was awarded a silver medal in the category of Individual Programs and Projects. In this broad category, judges looked for excellence in annual or special alumni events, alumni colleges, alumni weekends, seminars or other educational projects.

W. Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Society, will accept the awards at CASE's national convention this summer in Chicago. Adams, who has been a member of CASE for 13 years and previously served as executive director of the Ohio University Alumni Association, is the first alumni administrator to receive the gold medal twice for improvement at two different institutions.

CASE represents more than 3,000 colleges, universities and independent schools nationwide and more than 14,000 individuals in the fields of alumni administration, communications, publications, educational fund-raisers, government relations and student recruitment. The awards are part of CASE's program to recognize distinctive, high quality efforts on the part of member institutions.



Henry Krakauer, at right, is pictured with co-workers Ronald Cohen and Warren Pickett.

## Krakauer Wins Second Prize in Supercomputing Competition

Henry Krakauer, associate professor of physics, and Ronald Cohen and Warren Pickett of the Naval Research Laboratory in Washington, D.C., have been awarded second prize in the Physical Sciences and Mathematics category of the 1989 IBM 3090 Supercomputing Competition.

The award, which includes a \$15,000 cash prize to the authors, recognizes their theoretical research on the high-temperature superconducting ceramic oxides using the IBM 3090 supercomputer at the Cornell National Supercomputer Facility.

The prize was presented at the IBM-sponsored conference on Large Scale Analysis and Modeling in Gainesville, Fla., April 25-26, where the authors presented a paper on their research, originally pub-

lished in *Physical Review Letters*, vol. 62 (Feb. 13, 1989): 831, titled "First Principles Phonon Calculation for  $\text{La}_2\text{CuO}_4$ ."

The importance of the work lies in the fact that most theories for high temperature superconductors (discovered by Nobel Laureates J. G. Bednorz and K. A. Müller of IBM in 1986) assume that these materials are intrinsically unconventional. The authors' findings contradict this view, and their more recent research suggests that the same mechanism that causes superconductivity in "ordinary" superconductors may be responsible for high temperature superconductivity. A new feature of these materials, however, is that they are ionic metals, and their work shows that this leads to greatly enhanced interactions between electrons and atomic vibrations.

## Departments

### Government

*Politics in the Middle East*, co-authored by James A. Bill, director of the Wendy and Emery Reves Center for International Studies, has been substantially rewritten for its third edition. The textbook also has a new co-author, Robert Springborg of Macquarie University in Sydney, Australia.

Unlike other texts on the subject, the book has a topical, rather than country-by-country, organization. Drawing on a wide range of historical and contemporary material, it demonstrates that patterns of political authority persist despite rapid social and economic change.

The book is part of the Scott, Foresman/Little, Brown Series in Comparative Politics. The third edition had its first printing in March.

Bill is currently on a trip to the Soviet Union.

### Physical Education

John Charles, associate professor, presented a paper titled "Mill's Utilitarian Ethics and the Purpose of Participation" at a Philosophy Academy session of the National Association of Sport and Physical Education conference devoted to Paternalism and the Athletes' Interest in New Orleans last April.

## Summer Institute Will Link Libraries and Learning

A Libraries Link Learning Summer Training Institute will be offered by the W&M School of Education June 18-22 to train volunteers who are interested in creating community literacy workshops for at-risk verbally talented children.

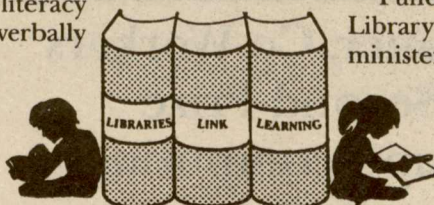
The training institute will cover topics such as identification of at-risk verbally talented children; na-

ture and needs of at-risk gifted learners; logistics of community literacy programs; children's literature activities; writing as a process; and bookmaking skills.

Funded by the Virginia State Library and Archives and administered by the Center for Gifted Education, The Institute may be taken for one graduate credit and offers a \$100.00 stipend to

participants.

Although individuals may register for the week-long workshop, people are encouraged to register as a team which includes a librarian (either public or school), a teacher, and a community volunteer. The registration deadline is June 1. Applications may be obtained through Jane Bailey or Linda Neal Boyce at the Center for Gifted Education, 304 Jones Hall, The College of W&M, Williamsburg, VA 23185; ext. 12351).



# Special Awards and Honorary Degrees Recognize Achievements

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This was greeted with loud applause and there was no sign of any objection to the Governor's visit this time. There was plenty of good humor and a sense of family throughout the weekend.

William and Mary Hall warmly received Governor Wilder, who mentioned that his godson Archie L. Harris Jr. was among the graduates and would receive a law degree.

The baccalaureate speaker, the Rev. Joseph L. Roberts Jr., senior pastor of the Ebenezer Baptist Church, Atlanta, and successor to Dr. Martin Luther King Sr., said he was glad of the opportunity to come to Williamsburg and see one of his family graduates from William and Mary.

The Rev. Roberts' talk also stressed the importance of commitment and willingness to accept challenge. (See story, page 4.)

In the audience for commencement was former President and Mrs. Thomas A. Graves Jr., here to see their daughter receive her degree.

Among the honorary degree recipients was Dr. Janet Coleman Kimbrough, a member of the class of 1921 and one of the first women to graduate from the College and be inducted in Alpha Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa.

The ROTC commissioning ceremony

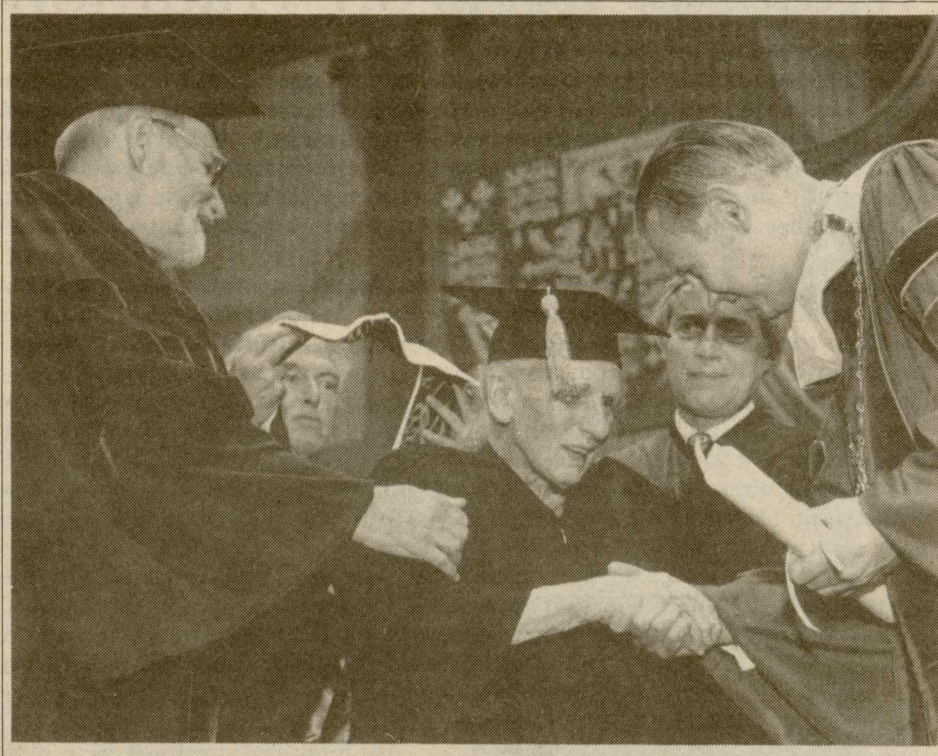
included a retirement ceremony for Sgt. Major Ernest O. Douglas. They played "Auld Lang Syne" and "Old Soldiers Never Die," in honoring a career soldier who has served for 28 years and will officially retire May 31.

Lt. Col. Warren L. Kempf, professor of military science, paid special tribute to mothers on Mother's Day. Each mother in the audience was presented with a carnation.

Speaker at the commissioning was Thomas G. Lightner, Major General, U.S.A., Commanding General, U.S. Army Security Affairs Command. He challenged the newly commissioned second lieutenants to break his record of being the highest ranking officer in the Army who received a William and Mary ROTC commission.

The College conferred four honorary degrees. Governor Wilder received a Doctor of Laws degree as did Sir Antony Acland, a diplomat from the United Kingdom; Dr. Kimbrough and David Tennant Bryan of Richmond, newspaper publisher, philanthropist and community leader, both received Doctor of Humane Letters degrees.

The Botetourt Medal, to the student from the graduating class who has attained the greatest distinction in scholarship, was for the first time presented to two students: Matthew James McIrvine,



Dr. Janet Kimbrough, class of 1921, receives a Doctor of Humane Letters Degree.



President Paul R. Verkuil, Chancellor Warren E. Burger, Sir Antony Acland, Governor Douglas Wilder, David Tennant Bryan and Hays T. Watkins.

who graduated with highest honors in physics, and Laura Morgan Robinson, who graduated with highest honors in chemistry. President Verkuil also acknowledged Julie Ann Wagner, a graduating senior with a perfect 4.0 record.

The James Frederic Carr Memorial Cup, to a senior who best combines the qualities of character, scholarship and leadership, was given to Aleda Noelle Borders, a double concentrator in anthropology and religion and winner of the 1989 Nathan P. Jacobs Scholarship for study in Israel.

The Algernon Sydney Sullivan Awards, for characteristics of heart, mind and conduct as evince a spirit of love for and helpfulness to other men and women, were won by Jamie Kristine Doyle and Cary Nelson Davis Fishburne. Doyle has distinguished herself by her commitment to environmental issues. She was the founder of the Campus Conservation Coalition and coordinator of Environment Awareness Week and Earth Day activities. Fishburne was recognized as Volunteer of the Year at Eastern State Hospital and he received the College's Phoenix and Ewell awards for service.

The third Sullivan award, given to someone with a close working relationship with the College, was presented to Howard M. Smith Jr., former chairman of

the physical education department who retired in 1986 but has continued to teach on a part-time basis. Smith was particularly cited for his *Familygram*, a newsletter he personalizes to over 700 alumni.

The Thomas A. Graves Jr. Award, which recognizes sustained excellence in teaching, was presented to Elsa Diduk, professor of modern languages, who will retire next month.

Said President Verkuil, "Professor Diduk's excellence in teaching has been recognized since her earliest days at the College. Her extensive experience abroad allowed her to bring unique insights into the classroom, where her special mixture of wit, directness and enthusiasm have made her courses a dynamic experience for her students. ... When Professor Diduk retires from the faculty in June of 1990, William and Mary will lose a wellspring of creativity, teaching excellence and innovative leadership."

The student speaker, James E. Low, who has been a volunteer for Habitat for Humanity in Washington, D.C., drew on his experiences for his speech. A double concentrator in religion and government with high honors in religion, Low has participated for the past three years in the Catholic Student Association's spring break program to repair homes in Appalachia.

## President Verkuil Notes Many Achievements of Large Class

It is now my privilege to say a few personal words to the graduates today, who have taken degrees in many fields at all levels. This is the only occasion of the year at which all associated with our grand old college come together in one place. Today we are celebrating this conferral of 1,343 bachelor's degrees, 672 master's and law degrees, and 51 doctoral degrees. This commencement exercise has asked many to bear witness—your family, relatives, friends, the Governor of the Commonwealth, our faculty and all our alumni whose ranks you now join. The class of 1990 is an especially significant one. At the undergraduate level it represents the largest class in our history, a record we all hope you keep for many years to come. Four years ago you confounded our admissions office by confirming in far greater numbers than expected. Your desire to attend our college began an admissions groundswell that made us the most selective public institution in the country for each of the last three years.

Of course your arrival in 1986 produced some inevitable strain on the system: crowded or unavailable sections of popular courses, bumping from residences and even parking space shortages. These complications produced a period of yeasty relations with the administration, including our first ever park-in.

But what impresses me now is how well you did overall. The class of 1990 thrived on our campus. Of the 1,331 who started in the fall of 1986, almost 85 percent are graduating today. Your academic performances have been exemplary. You produced the most Phi Beta Kappas and the largest number of nationally prestigious post graduate fellowship winners in our history, including three National Science Foundation Fellows, one National Endowment for the Humanities, two Fulbrights, and two Goldwater Fellowships (of 53 awarded nationally). Many of you are going on to graduate study at the most distinguished institutions.

You are also the most diverse class, with the largest number of minority graduates in our history, including the first two graduates from the island of St. Eustatius in The Netherlands Antilles. Of our black students who entered four years ago, 94 percent graduate today. At a time when the climate for minorities on America's campuses has

been questioned, that is a remarkable success story. In athletics you also hold distinctions—the best four-year football record since the 1940s and a women's soccer team that made the NCAAs each of the last four years. Seven of you achieved All-American status in your various sports.

In my travels this year to alumni chapters from Atlanta to Los Angeles in connection with our fourth century campaign, I have learned anew the meaning of the phrase "alma mater." As graduates you are forevermore children of this college, joining those, myself included, who have preceded you. The remarkable thing about this association is that this bond will become more meaningful with time. Future reflection will allow you better to appreciate what has happened to you during your years here.

But do not feel that your judgment will necessarily improve with time. I like to recall what Jean Guehenno, the noted French intellectual, said in *The Diary of a 40-Year-Old Man*: "You judge the world best at the age of 20 because you love it as it ought to be. All wisdom, from this point, is a matter of keeping that love alive within you." We hope that you will keep that love alive.



President Paul R. Verkuil



## ROTC Commissioning

# Maj. Gen. Lightner Calls On New Officers To Be Caring Leaders

It is an honor and a privilege for me to return home to my alma mater and to the "Revolutionary Guard Battalion" of the College of William and Mary.

First of all, let me congratulate you on your accomplishments for these past four years of hard work, diligence and perseverance, now culminating in this exciting weekend of commissioning and graduation.

Yes, commencement does mean the start and a beginning, not the end. You now become fellow members of that elite group of graduates known as the "Alumni to the Nation." You are following the proud legacy of those who have been here before, and it now becomes your responsibility to continue that tradition and make it possible for those following behind you to carry on this proud heritage at our nation's second oldest university.

Your ROTC training, whether the four-year or the two-year program, has focused on leadership and the development and training of each of you individually to become the core of tomorrow's Army leadership. I realize this sounds a bit lofty right now, as you jog your memories back to the first few days and weeks of class and drill: not knowing how to put your brass on the uniform, not having your shoes shined, or going into class saying, "What is the Army stuff? What kind of language do these Army guys speak? And what on earth have I gotten myself into?"

But you have endured the daily classes, weekly drills, the Ranger challenge, the basic and advanced summer camps and even some of you have gone to the active Army's Ranger, Airborne or Air Assault schools. Yes, you have endured, paid the price and deserve to feel justly proud as you wait today to pin on your gold bars. Yes, you will stand taller today!

Let me now talk to you for a few minutes on today's Army and where I see it headed in the future. I believe we were all surprised at the sudden and swift changes, occurring almost at lightning speed, that have swept Eastern Europe and the Soviet bloc countries over the past six months. No one in the West expected it, and now we are all attempting to assess where we are and what the immediate future portends for us. The Army is no different. We must analyze and then plan our future course.

Right now, much of the Army's future course has been taken out of its hands by these historical events and by the Bush Administration's attempt to wrestle with this country's budget deficit. This has resulted in a smaller budget for the Defense Department and, consequently, the Army. No one knows what the dollar numbers will be, but we can safely assume that the Army will shrink in size and have a smaller budget in the future, as Congress and the American people cautiously await future events.

What that says directly to those of you sitting here today is that the competition will greatly increase for those desiring an active duty career and the reserve components will become more selective as the talent pool moves their way. The thoughts and plans you had for a career in the Army may be much different now than when you started here four years ago.

What all of us know is that nothing is guaranteed, and at times your paths to success will be difficult, boring, discouraging and not well marked. Abraham Lincoln once said, "When I was a young boy, I didn't know what I wanted to do with my life, but I prepared myself for the opportunity that I knew would come my way." I cannot think of a better person to illustrate the qualities of being prepared and doing your best.

But whatever your course is, whether it be active duty or duty with the reserve components, the bottom line is you have been taught and trained to lead. Leadership comes from setting the example—courage, honesty, integrity, openness and energy. These qualities, if demonstrated properly, are contagious, but they do not all come naturally.

A leader who knows his job will have soldiers who know theirs. A leader who listens to troops will be heard by them. A leader who is courageous will be followed by determined units. And in the practice of your example, your reward will be its effects on your soldiers.

The quality of caring—putting your soldiers before yourself—is the first quality to which your soldiers will respond. I can tell you that American soldiers look for leaders who care about them more than the mission at hand. No group anywhere can spot a phony faster than the soldiers you will lead. They will know quickly and instinctively where you fall on the spectrum of caring. If they understand you are keenly concerned about them, they will support you with their allegiance and talents. Caring, then, is the key that unlocks the reservoir of energy in your unit and the funnel that channels it toward your goals.

The oath that you take today holds the same obligation and responsibility of leadership as the oath I took 32 years ago. The commission you receive spells out what is expected and suggests *how* to carry out that special obligation.

I'm reminded of a story of a newly promoted young officer who upon his



ROTC commissioning ceremony.

promotion moved into a new and bigger office. His first morning behind the desk, a soldier knocked on the door and asked to speak to him. The officer, feeling the urge to impress the young soldier, picked up his phone and said, "Yes, sir. Thank you. Yes, I will pass that along to the General immediately. Good-bye, sir." Then, turning to the soldier, he barked, "And what do you want?" "Nothing important, sir," said the soldier, "I just came to connect your telephone line."

The moral here is that respect, trust and confidence must be earned; they don't just come with a promotion. That piece of paper doesn't give us any authority. Authority is given to us by those we lead, and we earn it by gaining their confidence in our abilities and their trust that we are concerned for their welfare.

I know each of you about to receive the gold bars of a second lieutenant are concerned about what your future will bring. That's a natural tendency. But I would like to suggest that you have already done much to create your own future. As you think back to your high school course decisions and activities and your choice of William and Mary—and of the good times and the tough nights of study here, of the challenges you met and mastered—all these things you have done have put shape and definition to the way your future unfolds.

I recall the story of a small-town minister who came upon a particularly well-tended farm. He walked over to the farmer, who obviously owned the land, and said, "Brother, the Lord has seen fit to give you a wonderful farm." The farmer thought for a few moments and said, "Well, I guess that's about right, Pastor, but I wish you had seen it when he gave it to me."

And the same will be true in your time. No matter how long you serve in this Army of ours, your personal example and your leading and caring will shape the way your soldiers perform and your units carry out the mission. In the last analysis, you alone will know if your service was successful and if you tried hard enough to make a difference. But only you are in charge of the outcome!

Clearly then, your leadership and care of our Army's soldiers will help shape and set the course for the future of this nation. Thank you again for allowing me to take part in this very important event in your lives, and, in a few weeks, after you have forgotten what I've said, take a few moments to read your oath of office and commission and ask yourself what it really means to you.

I wish you every success and Godspeed.

## President Verkuil

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You will soon join the very organizations and instruments of societal power you have had the privilege of critiquing while here. You will be pressed to perform and produce in a competitive and complex world. What advice would I offer you? Keep a balance. Be committed, but avoid zealotry. Have a vision, but allow it to change. Always follow your instinct for what is right and fair. Values are part of what you leave here with: the honor system which works, the liberal education which encourages you to question, and the examples of enlightened leadership your faculty has sought to offer.

We live in a time of staggering contradictions. The rapaciousness of Wall Street and the era of excessive self-indulgence is contrasted with the most dramatic and virtually spontaneous flowering of democratic spirit the world has yet seen. I'm

betting the "me" generation is about to be overtaken by the "me too" generation. This generation wants also to experience the regenerative effect of the flight toward freedom in Eastern Europe, which has inspired all of us.

Remain concerned about the world's problems: economic justice, environmental degradation, and war and peace. Remember always the words of Oliver Wendell Holmes Jr., which I edit for our time: "A man [or woman] should share the passion and action of his [or her] time at peril of being judged not to have lived."

Keep time for yourself and your families. Love and mentor your children, if you have them, and, if not, help other children who need it. They can, like you, benefit from an alma mater also.

I am proud of you. William and Mary is proud of you. You leave today with our deepest respect and affection. Make the most of it and keep in touch.



Virginia Forwood Wetter, 50th reunion activities chair, congratulates Jean Walworth Schader, who traveled from Hawaii for the event.

## Perkins

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the leadership of George Roper and Morgan Massey; and the continuing commitment of the faculty, staff and students to excellence in marine research, education and public service.

Perkins began work at VIMS in 1966 as an associate marine scientist. He was appointed acting dean/director in 1981 and became dean/director in 1982.

He has over 50 peer-reviewed publica-

tions to his credit, including papers on diseases of commercially important shellfish, phytoplankton and marine fungi. In particular, his work on the oyster disease commonly known as dermo resulted in its being renamed *Perkinsus marinus* in recognition of his contributions. He has served as a consultant in France, Australia and Israel on oyster diseases and various aspects of oyster biology.

Perkins completed his undergraduate work at the University of Virginia. He received M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from Florida State University.

## Education School Grants Scholarships

The School of Education recognized the high quality of its students by awarding eight scholarships during a presentation ceremony May 9.

There were two winners of the Fred Hill Mathematics Teaching Scholarship, begun by a local employee of the Anheuser-Busch brewery to encourage a commitment to teaching mathematics. The \$1,000 awards went to Trent Matthew Doyle and Braska Williams Jr., two graduate students finishing their master's in secondary education in 1991.

There were three winners of the \$500 School of Education Excellence Award, which recognizes academic and professional excellence in education. For the first time, the awards cover all three levels of education at the school: undergraduate, master's and post-master's.

The undergraduate award went to Kelly Butler, who plans to teach in an elementary school; the master's award to Bruce Chamberlin, who has been selected by the American Council on Education in Washington as an intern in research and policy studies; and the post-master's to Joanne Carver, a doctoral student in the education administration program with an emphasis on special education.

The Helen C. Hopper Memorial Scholarship provides \$500 to a student for a commitment to family counseling and family life education. The award went to Sherry L. Norfleet, director of education for Planned Parenthood of the Peninsula. She was also last year's winner.

The Frances Hawkins Nelson Teaching Scholarship is a \$500 award given in recognition of a commitment to work with the teacher education program. The winner was Dana Lynn Hogan, a graduate student in the resource/counseling program.

The Armand J. and Mary Faust Galfo Research Award is a \$1,000 award for outstanding promise in educational research. This year's winner was Christine Y. Ambrose, an educational specialist degree student in counseling programs.

## NOTES

### Beech coming down

An American Beech tree on the north side of Ewell Hall is coming down because it has been deemed unsound. The tree, which is over 30 years old, is a potential hazard, said landscape Superintendent Mark Whitney, and could topple in a storm.

What will replace the tree? Whitney is waiting for feedback from the campus. When several elm trees were cut down in the same general area, plans were to plant replacement trees. People liked the more open vista, said Whitney, so plans for the planting were cancelled.

### Summer Schedule For Marketplace

The Marketplace in the Campus Center will be closed until May 29 for renovations.

Several improvements are being added including a hot deli, additional cash registers and improved lay-out and traffic flow in the service area.

The Marketplace will re-open on a revised summer schedule until the beginning of the fall semester.

## Alumni College

# Returning Students Will Examine "The Changing Face of Communism"

This year's Alumni College, scheduled for June 21-24, will challenge participants to examine a timely subject, "The Changing Face of Communism." The four-day program sponsored by the Society of the Alumni features lectures by faculty members whose classes are among the most sought after by students, in addition to talks by special guests, entertainment and special meals.

The program offers not so much an in-depth analysis as a general overview of recent world events. Speakers, several with firsthand experiences to share, will focus on how social, economic and political forces are changing the face of our world. Discussions will touch on individual governments where changes have recently dominated the headlines as well as areas where ironclad resistance still prohibits substantive revisions.

Faculty speakers and their subjects include: Ilja Kostovski, "Prague Spring '68 and Perestroika Today"; Anne Henderson, "The Crisis of Communism in Eastern Europe: Challenges and Opportunities for the West"; Elsa Diduk, "The People

of East Germany"; George Grayson, "Latin America: Revolution or Reform?"; and Edward Crapol, "Is the Cold War Over?"

In addition, four guest speakers will share insights based on their unique per-

of events in her homeland.

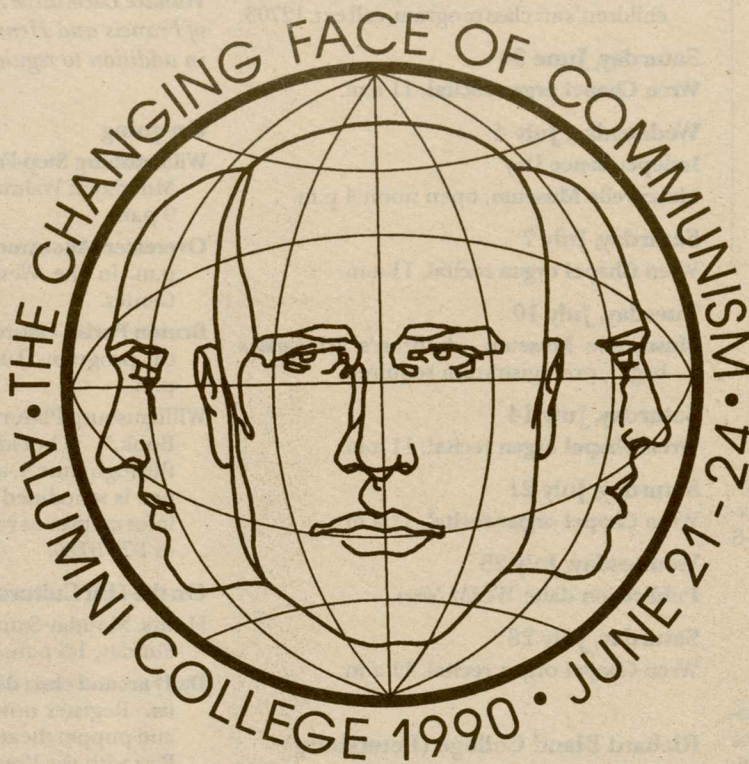
A specialist in global economic and policy analysis, Robert Heisterberg of Alliance Capital Management in New York will discuss the economic and financial ramifications of changes in Eastern Europe. From the U.S. State Department, Michael Hornblow, senior deputy director for Eastern Europe and Yugoslavia, will speak at Sunday's closing brunch on issues surrounding future U.S. foreign policymaking.

Rounding out the program will be special events, including a reception on Saturday evening at the Reves Center for International Studies followed by an international dinner featuring dishes from Eastern Europe, the Soviet Union and Latin America.

All events will take place on or near campus, and participants may experience the full flavor of college life by staying on campus in air-conditioned Jefferson Hall dormitory.

For those who choose campus accommodations, the cost is \$325 per person, which also includes all meals and breaks, tuition, fees and activities. For those not staying on campus, the cost is \$250. Special rates are also available for local residents who wish to attend only selected portions of the program.

For further information, write Alumni College 1990, Society of the Alumni, P.O. Box 60, Williamsburg, VA 23187, or call ext. 11174.



sonal and professional experiences. Istvan Ament, associate professor of dance at Old Dominion University, will provide descriptive commentary at Friday evening's performance of East European dance. Ling Yang, a native of China and a graduate student at the University of Richmond, will offer personal reflections

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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### FOR SALE

1988 white Ford Escort GT—A/C, AM/FM cassette, 5-speed, cruise control, excellent condition—\$6,300.00. Call 642-7319 (VIMS) or 725-5530 after 5:30 p.m. (6/27)

Macintosh Plus computer and Imagewriter printer, originally \$1,900—Brand new, still in box—\$1,300 or best offer. Call 229-1402. (6/27)

Moving sale—Dining table and 4 chairs, full size box spring and mattress plus frame, 2 twin beds and mattresses, color T.V., and more. All items like new (1 year old), available last week of May. Call Muki, 642-7304 (VIMS), or at home 221-0917. (6/27)

Olds 1983 Cutlass station wagon, fully loaded (AC, PS, PB, PW, AM/FM, CC, new tires, inspection and more) \$2,900 or best offer. Call Muki at 642-7304 (VIMS), or at home 221-0914. (6/27)

Dining room suite: Oval table with 2 leaves, 4 chairs, china cabinet (glass front). Traditional style, medium oak finish, like new condition. \$400 (table and chairs alone, \$150). Also, shelf unit, \$20. Call 565-4649 after 6 p.m. or leave message. (6/27)

Double dresser (Henredon Mfg.) plus mirror and two night tables, fruitwood finish—\$250; Desk—30" x 60" with four drawers and file with matching upholstered chair—\$150; Kingsize headboard—\$25. Call 565-0643. (5/16)

Buyers Alert! Moving Sale—perfect for young professional, grad student or new home owners: Two piece Italian leather living room set—\$975; Lacquered pine dining table—\$185; JVC 27" television—\$425; JVC VCR—\$200; combined microwave/convection oven—\$225; kitchen island with carving board—\$60; Some prices negotiable. Call and leave message: 253-2534. (5/16)

Sunfish sailboat. 14-1/2 feet long. Good condition. \$400, negotiable. Call Chris, 229-8819, after 6 p.m. (5/16)

Piano. Upright Chickering. Good condition. \$1,000. Will deliver. Phone Tom Heacox, ext. 13924 or 566-0493. (5/16)

1985 Pontiac Sunbird, 5-speed coupe, with sunroof and AM/FM cassette; fuel injected, excel-

lent mechanical condition, good radial tires. Has been well cared for. Asking \$2,200. Call David at ext. 12570 or 220-9157. (5/16)

4-BR house, 3-1/2 baths plus 3-room self-sufficient apartment (ideal for in-law or renter), library, sunroom, kitchen appliances, 2-car garage, attractive landscaping in pleasant, established neighborhood, 3 miles from campus. Available June 1. Asking \$260,000. Call McGiffert, ext. 11125, days; 229-3239, evenings. (5/16)

Must sell 5,000-BTU Kenmore air conditioner, used one week, \$200. Leave message at 229-6207. (5/16)

### FOR RENT

4-BR house, downtown Williamsburg, 1 block from College. 3 bath, central H/A, with income-producing apt. rented for Fall. 4th bedroom and bath with outside entrance. 1 year lease plus deposit. Call 220-0539. (6/27)

Seeking responsible single professional to sublet Williamsburg townhouse. Room plus other amenities, Aug. 90-May 91 (near campus), reasonable rent. Call 229-1402. (6/27)

Room with private bath, kitchen, washer-dryer privileges and other amenities in townhouse in secured area. Female graduate student/professional only. \$300 per month. Available May 15. Call B. Wallace, ext. 11038, days; 229-3214, evenings. (5/16)

4-BR house, library, unfurnished, from June 1. 3 miles from campus. May include furnished in-law apartment. As package: \$1,300 per month plus utilities. Rented separately: house \$1,100, apartment \$400; owner pays utilities. Call McGiffert, ext. 11125, days; 229-3239, evenings. (5/16)

June through Aug., and possibly longer. Beautiful, rebuilt, modernized, early-19th-century farmhouse. 3 BRs, furnished, completely secluded on 20 acres, 18 miles from Williamsburg. \$500 per month plus utilities; rent negotiable for care of cats and grounds. Phone Tom Heacox at ext. 13924 or 566-0493. (5/16)

Fully furnished house, 15-minute walk from campus. 4 BRs, 3-1/2 baths, all amenities. Available

July 1-22. Will rent to a vacationing family in Williamsburg. \$1,000 plus deposit for the 3 weeks. Call 229-8819, after 5 p.m. (5/16)

Vacation home on Outer Banks, N.C. (north of Duck). 5-BR house, 3 tiled baths; sleeps 12. Two whirlpools, excellent ocean view, 150 yards to beach. June, July, Aug., \$900 per week. Call owner, ext. 13889. (5/16)

### WANTED

Responsible adult or couple to housesit during July. Could be extended into June or Aug., if desired. In city, near campus. Rent-free to right person(s). Call ext. 12872, days; 229-2791, after 6 p.m. (5/16)

Summer/Fall workers, part or full time. Flexible hours, good working conditions, reasonable pay. Local contractor, mostly painting. Male/female; start soon. Call W&M grad for information, 220-3251. (5/16)

Visiting professor seeks 10- or 12-month lease of 2- or 3-BR house in family neighborhood near College, beginning Aug. Contact Matthew Beebe, 1021 Missouri #13, Lawrence, KS 66044; 913-842-4637. (5/16)

Babysitter needed occasionally for toddler when both parents are at work or out of town. Sometimes 24-hour periods are necessary. Prefer our home, but will consider yours. Kingspoint (Rt. 199/South Henry St.). Call Carol, 253-1515, evenings or weekends. (5/16)

Faculty member seeks pianist/keyboard player for jazz and rhythm-and-blues group that rehearses weekly and performs occasionally. Ability to arrange and improvise preferred. Call ext. 13889. (5/16)

### INSTRUCTION

Piano Lessons. Experienced teacher with a master's degree from Peabody Conservatory offers piano and music theory lessons for all ages and levels. Reasonable rates, Woods of Williamsburg (formerly Lafayette Manor) location. Call Gayle Pougher, 565-0563, evenings. (5/16)

### MISCELLANEOUS

Babysitter—VCU education major home for the summer will babysit part time. Please call Heather at 220-8798. (6/27)

