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William and Mary Has Largest Graduating Class In History

The College of William and Mary will grant sixty degrees at the Two-hundred-thirtieth Annual Commencement, forty-three receiving the Bachelor of Arts degree, and twelve receiving the Bachelor of Science degree and five receiving the Master of Arts degree, making the largest graduating class in the history of the College.

Those receiving the Bachelor of Arts degree are: Paul Wilfred Ackiss, Jr., Back Bay; Cornelia Storrs Adair, Richmond; Cecil Ravenscroft Ball, Ditchley; James David Carter, Duffield; William Jennings Cox, Odd; Pu Kao Chen, Shanghai, China; Fayette Funk Cline, Newport News; Mary Royall Clement, Chatham; Julia Rue Duncan, Newport News; George Alfonso Downing, Ettrick; Agnes Fandree Donaldson, Alexandria; Mary Elizabeth Eades, Norfolk; George Emmett Flanders, Williamsburg; Zaidee Eudora Green, Virginia Highlands; William Pollard Hall, King and Queen Courthouse; Snowden Cowman Hall, Kilmarnock; Anna Waring Haile, Williamsburg; Myrtle Lucile Jackson, Deland, Fla.; James Sidney Jenkins, South Boston; May Evelyn King, Rescue; Ottowell Sykes Lowe, Norfolk; William Irvine Marable, Finneywood; Loula Sanford Murry, Hampton; Elijah Baird Moffitt, Wakefield; Bertha Overby, Richmond; John

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Little Theatre League of the Peninsula Given Impetus

An address by Professor Edward Gwathmey, Director of the William and Mary Dramatic Club, for a better drama and closer co-operation among those interested in the playing and in the writing of such a drama, gave the proposed Little Theatre League of the Virginia Peninsula a tremendous impetus last Friday night at a meeting of more than fifty persons gathered at the Newport News Y. W. C. A., under the auspices of the Strolling Players of Newport News. Practically every dramatic club on the Peninsula was represented at the meeting Friday night, including the B. B. Club of Hampton, the Drama Circle of the Woman's Club of Newport News, Newport News High School Dramatic Club, Strolling Players of Newport News, and the Dramatic Club of the College of William and Mary.

The plan of the proposed league is to embody in one organization all talent, both musical and dramatic, on the Peninsula. L. R. Holmes, of Newport News, presided over the meeting. J. S. Jenkins, of the William and Mary Dramatic Club, gave a short talk on the work of the William and Mary Club, and assured the Strolling Players and others that the College Dra-

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230th COMMENCEMENT Program of Exercises

Sunday, June 10—

11:00 A. M.—Baccalaureate Sermon. J. J. Scherer, Jr., D. D.

LITERARY SOCIETY DAY

Monday, June 11—

6:00 P. M.—Athletic Dinner.

8:00 P. M.—Joint Meeting of the Literary Societies.

ALUMNI DAY

Tuesday, June 12—

11:00 A. M.—Senior Class Exercises.

2:00 P. M.—Alumni Dinner.

3:30 P. M.—Alumni Address—John W. H. Crim, Assistant Attorney-General of the United States.

8:00 P. M.—Production of "The Tempest."

GRADUATION DAY

Wednesday, June 13—

11:00 A. M.—Two-hundred-thirtieth Commencement Exercises—

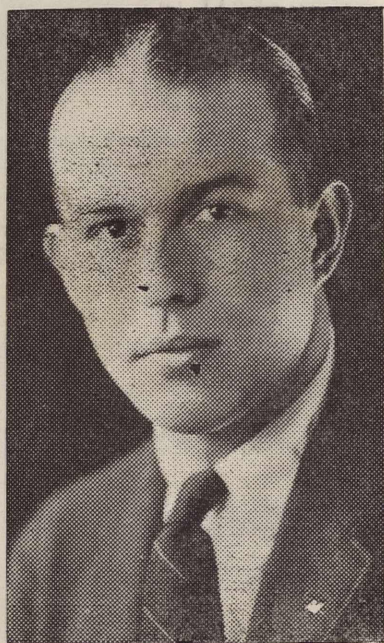
Address to graduates by Former Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois.

Final Dances Will Be Big Feature of Com- mencement Program

The final dances of the Cotillion Club will be the one big entertainment feature of the Commencement exercises at the College of William and Mary. Elaborate plans are being made for these dances, and the Club hopes to make them the best dances ever held at the College. The Georgetown Collegians, an orchestra secured through the efforts of Jan Garber, have been engaged to furnish the music, and they come highly recommended by Mr. Garber. He was anxious to come back and bring his own Garber-Davis orchestra for the dances, but he was unable to do so; and, in recommending the Collegians, stated that he was sure they would prove satisfactory.

Henry Moncure, the President of the Cotillion Club, announces that the opening dance will be held in the gym-

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Courtesy of News-Leader
E. W. BRAUER
Editor-Elect of William and Mary
Literary Magazine

Ex-Gov. Frank O. Low- den to Deliver Com- mencement Address

At the William and Mary finals this year Ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden, of Illinois, will deliver the baccalaureate address, and John W. H. Crim, of the Class of 1903, Assistant Attorney-General of the United States, will deliver the alumni oration.

The Commencement season will begin on Sunday, June 10, with the baccalaureate sermon by the Rev. J. J. Scherer, of Richmond. On Monday, June 11, there will be an athletic dinner at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, and the joint literary exercises at 8 o'clock.

Tuesday morning, June 12, at 11 o'clock, the Senior Class will hold its exercises, with John Garland Pollard, Jr., valedictorian, Jance C. Slaughter, class poet, and Elizabeth Smith, class historian, as participants. Tuesday afternoon will be devoted to the activities of the alumni. A dinner is scheduled for 2 o'clock, at which time Mr. Crim will deliver his address, and another business meeting at 7 o'clock. At 8 o'clock Tuesday evening members of the Players Club will present scenes from "The Tempest."

The recently incorporated Alumni Association will have its first annual meeting, with the following officers: Dr. W. E. Vest, Huntington, W. Va., President; W. T. Hodges, Williamsburg, Secretary; C. M. Hall, Williamsburg, Vice-President, and W. C. L. Taliaferro, of Hampton, Treasurer. The Class of '88, '93, '98, '03, '08, '13 and '18 will have their reunions.

The graduation exercises will be held at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning when Mr. Lowden will speak and the degrees will be conferred.

Boost Gym Fund

Let House and Crigler haul your trunk; 20% of profits given to Gym Fund. Call Tennis Drug Store and leave your orders.

Class In Business Statistics Compile Interesting Data

Students come to William and Mary chiefly on account of the specialized work offered and the low cost of getting a college education, according to statistics compiled by students in the course in Business Statistics. Tabulations of one hundred questionnaires showed that 31% of the students came to William and Mary for specialized work; 27% on account of inexpensiveness; 22% for proximity; 11%, traditions; 3%, athletic opportunities.

The average expense per student for the year 1922-23 was found to be \$568, of which \$370 went for necessary expenses and \$198 for all other expenses. The student's parents pay 60% of his expenses; the student pays 35%, and the balance, or 5%, is paid by others. The extent to which William and Mary students pay their own expenses is considered noteworthy, especially since it is found that 25% are entirely on their own resources. The average cost of getting a degree at William and Mary is estimated to be approximately \$2500. No student considered expenses at William and Mary high; 28% considered expenses moderate; and 72% considered expenses moderate; and 72% considered penses.

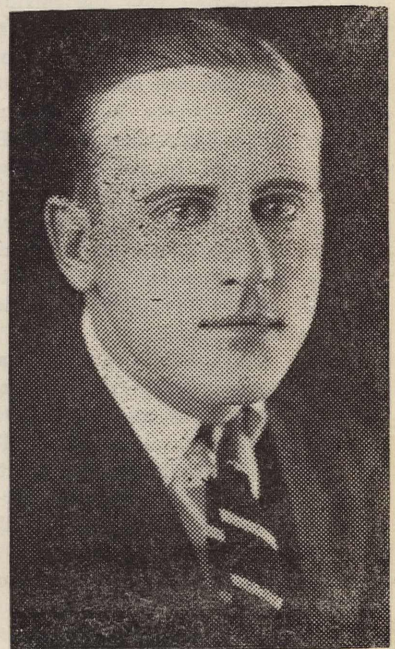
Concerning the operation of the dining hall, 57% of the questionnaires were in favor of the present arrangement, and 43% were in favor of better and more expensive board.

Approximately 92% were in favor of a student's co-operative store in Williamsburg, 8% being opposed to it.

The professions most frequently mentioned in the questionnaires were, in the order of their importance, business, law, teaching, accounting, engineering, and farming.

The majority of students, or 63%, expect to take their bachelor's degree at William and Mary. The remainder

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Courtesy of News-Leader
L. C. GREEN
Editor-Elect of the Flat Hat

Literary Societies Present Mason's Comedy, "Green Stockings"

On Saturday evening, May 26, one of the cleverest dramatic offerings of this year at the College, a much-cut production of George Mason's bright little comedy, "Green Stockings," was presented. The whole program was given jointly by the women's literary societies, the Whitehall furnishing the music, and the J. Lesslie Hall the play. The successful conduct of the latter was particularly creditable to the members of the cast, all Freshmen who put on the play with only ten days' preparation, and without coaching.

The program began with a violin number, "La Paloma," by Agnes Peacock, and the one short wait was filled by a piano number by Margaret Kiester.

The cast is as follows:

Col. Smith Vavasour—Edith Marie Stone. (Otherwise Wabbles.)

Mr. Wm. Faraday—Fearn Cabell (who has trouble with his breakfast and his glasses).

Bobbie Tarver—Elizabeth Walnesky (always ready to serve).

Martin—Josephine Tuck (whose job is service).

Celia—Ruth Burbon (who'll never wear 'em again).

Aunt Ida—Mary Lee Parker (such a dear).

Phyllis—Virginia Addison (who thinks that way about Bobbie).

The J. Lesslie Hall Literary Society is making great plans for next year, plans which include plays, study programs, recitations, literary readings, good music, lectures and mere good times. They are also pushing the plan to make a fund for bringing musical and other artists to the College.

Men Students Amend Constitution

The men students, meeting in the College chapel Monday evening, made an amendment to the Men's Student Government Constitution, which is as follows:

Amendment 1, Nominations and Elections: Section 1: Publications: The editor-in-chief and the business managers of the Colonial Echo and the Literary Magazine respectively shall be elected by the men and women students of the College in accordance with section 3 of this amendment. The retiring staffs of the two publications respectively shall elect the succeeding staff, except the editors-in-chief and the business managers, which shall be elected as above. The retiring staff of the Flat Hat shall elect the succeeding staff.

Section 2 (a) Athletics: The managers of baseball, basketball and track shall be elected in accordance with section 3 of this amendment. The manager of football shall be elected on the second Tuesday of December in accordance with section 3 of this amendment. The qualifications of all managers shall be subject to the Constitution of the Athletic Council.

The officers provided for in the Constitution of the Athletic Council shall be elected in accordance with section 3 of this amendment.

(b) The three members of the Discipline Council and the three members of the Honor Council elected by the student body at large shall be elected in accordance with section 3 of this amendment.

Section 3. All the elections included in this amendment shall be conducted in the following manner. The second Tuesday in May shall be election day, except for the manager of football. The polls shall be open on this day from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The president of the student body, the president of the Honor Council, and the president of the Discipline Council shall be the judges of the election. These judges shall provide a suitable polling place, prepare the ballots and registration books which shall include the names of all students eligible to vote, count the ballots and post the results of the election, receive and post all nominations ten days previous to the election day. The judges shall be allowed to vote only in case of a tie.

Only the following students shall be eligible to election: All those nominated by the staffs of the several publications; by the Discipline and Honor Councils, and by the Athletic Council. All other nominations shall be made by a petition signed by fifty students and presented to the judges of the election which petition shall be posted ten days previous to the election day.

Section 4. In the event that any vacancy shall occur in the above-named offices, the judges of the election shall call a special election which may be held at any time after ten days' notice is given to the student body.

Section 5. Any section of the Constitution in conflict with this amendment is hereby repealed.

Section 6. This amendment shall become effective September 18, 1923.

Council Elections

At a student body election held in Chapel, the following men were elected to the Discipline and Honor Councils for next year:

The Discipline Council

H. L. Gilbert
B. G. Williams
Horace Hicks

The Honor Council

C. Roy Hoskins
"Cutie" Christopher
John Todd

Subscribers to Gym Fund

Elizabeth Brown	\$15.00
Douglas Humphries	3.00
Nettie Heywood	3.00
Jacqueline Marston	3.00
Martha Voke	3.00
Mary Brown	3.00
Geraldine Rowe	3.00
Hawsie M. Rowe	3.00
Henry Drewry Lewis	3.00

LOST!

In the College Chapel Tuesday night, May 22nd, while attending a play, a Black, Bent Handle Walking Cane. If found, please return to the office of Colonial Inn and receive a reward.

J. B. C. SPENCER.

To Bring Artists To College Next Year

A committee, consisting of representatives of the Sigma Upsilon, Philomathean, and Phoenix Societies, Dr. Montgomery and Judge Feidelson met with Dr. Chandler Thursday afternoon to present a proposal to create a fund by which several artists can be brought here each year.

The plan presented by the committee was that an extra fee be imposed as a part of the student activities for the maintenance of a fund which would be used for possible deficits in a series of musical, dramatic and literary productions of a quality beyond that which the College and town might ordinarily be able to support.

After long discussion, a compromise was affected, by which Dr. Chandler agreed to forward to the board a request that societies represented be permitted, out of a general fund set aside, to underwrite the amount necessary for bringing here three big events, one during each term of the regular session.

Chi Beta Phi Initiates

Chi Beta Phi, honorary scientific fraternity, initiated C. R. Hoskins, Jr., G. B. Cooke, H. T. Harrison, T. H. Mawson, B. W. Parker, B. G. Williams, L. M. Dickerson, and D. E. Denton into the fraternity this year. The fraternity holds its initiation each spring and an invitation to become a member of the fraternity is one of the highest honors which an undergraduate in the sciences can receive.

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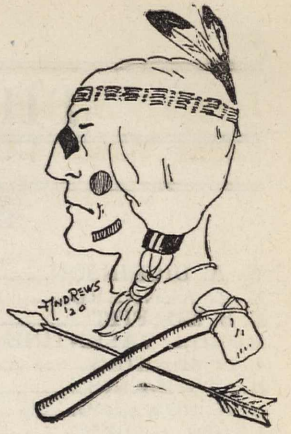
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IN THE WIGWAM



Tucker Jones' Men Show Improvement For the Season

With the loss of Dietz, high and low hurdler; Lohr, discus thrower; Levvy, broad jumper; Metcalf, 100 and 200 yard sprinter; and Potter, shot putter, Coach Jones started the season with Chandler and Moore. Coach Jones had only two men on whom he could depend to take first place in a college meet.

Not at all discouraged by the scarcity of letter men, Jones, by hard work, developed from green and, for the most part, inexperienced men, a squad that not only gave our old rivals, Richmond, an unusually hard battle, but one from whose number, one man, "Doc" Rangeley, developed so remarkably fast that he was able to take a fourth place in the shot at the recent South Atlantic meet.

Considering the inexperience of the material on which he had to build and the marked development of the green and the somewhat more experienced material, Tucker Jones' track efforts, during the past year here, have not only justified his wide coaching reputation, but has also reflected a great deal of credit on the College.

Next Year will find Jones with a respectable nucleus upon which he will have an opportunity to really test his ability. Furthermore, the popularity of track as a major sport has undergone a wonderful increase during the past year, and bids fair to push base-

ball for second place among the sports at William and Mary in another year or two.

Two years ago a student had to be begged to come out for track; not so today. About as large a number of students awaited the returns from the South Atlantic outside the College Shop as one formerly found awaiting the returns from the baseball games when the Indian nine was on a road trip. Through "Tighty" Moore, on whom Jones put a great deal of time and work, William and Mary has been put on the Track map of the East.

The following shows the most outstanding improvements for the season just closed:

Pole Vault: Hastings went from 10 feet, 3 inches, to 11 feet; Young, from 10 feet, 3 inches, to 11 feet, 3 inches; Durham, from 9 feet, 6 inches, to 10 feet, 6 inches.

100-yard Dash: Hoeff has gone from 10 3-5 to 10 1-5.

220-yard Dash: Hoeff, from 24 to 23 1-5.

440-yard Dash: Chandler has improved to a point where he negotiates the distance in 52 3-5.

880: Winder from 2:15 to 2:06 1-5.

2-mile: Van Laer from 12:10 to 10:55.

Shot Put: Rangeley from 32.6 to 41.3.

Javelin: Moore from 157 to 181 feet, 7 inches.

High Jump: Wesson, 5.2 to 5.7.

Discus: Moore from 98 feet to 116. Rangeley from 88 to 112 feet.

W. & M. Baseball Team Has Successful Season

William and Mary's victory over Hampden-Sidney marked the close of the most successful baseball season the Indians have had in several years. Coach Driver's nine returned winners

in 12 out of 18 contests, two of the defeats being handed out by non-collegiate teams. The loss of Otto Lowe, clever third baseman and leading slugger, after the first Quantico game, seriously handicapped the Indians during the remainder of the season, as the Indian infield defense was built around the stalwart Norfolk boy.

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HERE AND THERE

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This issue being the last of the year and our "Swan Song," as it were, it seems fitting that a few words of the past and future should flow from our faithful old typewriter.

The past year has been a successful one in the four branches of sport in which the Indian athletes competed. In baseball, Jimmie Driver gave his Alma Mater a team which, through its clean-cut victories over the University of Virginia, Harvard, and other powerful adversaries, obtained the most favorable press notice throughout the country.

Coach Driver has just closed a most successful four years as Athletic Director and Coach at William and Mary. What he has done for the College in the past is too well known to be enumerated here, but it should be interesting to every Indian to learn, that while Jimmie Driver has closed his official connection with the College and is going into the coal business at Richmond, he plans to be very active as an alumnus, standing ready at all times to support everything worth while that William and Mary undertakes—and particularly so, with regard to the athletic efforts of the College—a department which he has built up almost single-handed and concerning which he is very much interested. We are certain that the College will benefit by the services of Alumnus Driver and, believe that we speak for the student body when we wish him every success in his business and extend to him an urgent request to offer at any time any advice or suggestion that he may feel to be beneficial to William and Mary.

To Coach Tasker, successor to Jimmie Driver, we ask only that both students and Alumni will give him the same amount of co-operation and assistance that Ingram was given last fall. If Tasker gets the support from the students that he deserves, we can see nothing short of a glorious future for William and Mary in athletics. His ability as a coach is unquestionable; should he fail to win fame for William and Mary, the fault, we feel, will hardly be his.

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SPRING FOOTBALL FINDS LOOK GOOD

Whether or not spring practice proved beneficial to the letter men—and it is believed that it did—it certainly brought out some future stars from the ranks of the inexperienced, who would have had a chance in fall practice, such as is the rush of the opening game on the heels of the short pre-season practice time. The finding and partial development of such men as Fletcher, Mercer, Andrews, Lohr, Fitzhugh, and others, in the opinion of the coach, more than compensates for the work and expense attached to spring practice. "Dickie" Charles and Clem Cofer, Varsity half backs, had the misfortune to sustain injuries as a result of the recent practice, temporarily disabling them, but both are reported to be fast recovering and can be expected to be in good condition for early practice next fall.

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INDIAN RUNNERS WIN HONORS IN NORFOLK POLICE MEET

Lomax Wells, Arthur Winder and Herbert Moss, of the Indian track team, participated in the Norfolk meet last Saturday and annexed a total of 16 points. Wells took first in the half and Moss took first honors in the 220, while Winder took second in both the half and 440. The fact that these men paid their own expenses for the trip, is a singular witness to the interest in the game that Coach Jones has instilled into his men.

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"RED" JOYNER AND GEO. TODD TO ATTEND COACHING SCHOOL

"Red" Joyner and George Todd, former Indian athletes, will attend the athletic coaching school at the University of Southern California this summer, according to their present plans. George and "Red" will motor through the country to California, returning to Virginia this fall. It is not known whether George will go into the coaching game this fall or return to Williamsburg to pursue his studies at William and Mary. "Red" will probably continue coaching at Petersburg High where he has coached with much success for the past two years.

BASEBALL AVERAGES FOR 1923

Player	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	SB	SH	TB	Av.	PO	A	E	Av.
Thompson, p	18	5	8	1	0	0	0	0	9	.444	1	8	3	.750
Denton, 2b	66	17	26	4	0	0	4	2	34	.393	24	33	8	.877
Hicks, ss	75	28	26	5	2	1	16	7	40	.387	35	51	13	.868
Saffelle, of-p	30	8	11	3	0	2	1	1	20	.367	6	13	1	.950
J. Chandler, of	63	20	22	9	0	2	9	4	37	.349	25	22	5	.904
Lane, p	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	.333	3	4	0	1.000
Lowe, 3b	32	11	10	3	0	2	2	0	19	.312	14	24	1	.974
Cox, p	13	1	4	0	0	0	0	1	4	.308	0	4	0	1.000
Moss, of	46	8	14	2	0	1	4	2	19	.304	15	1	0	1.000
F. Chandler, c	38	7	11	2	2	3	0	0	26	.289	58	5	0	1.000
Todd of	33	3	9	4	1	1	3	0	18	.273	8	0	4	.667
Chalkley, c	34	3	8	2	0	0	0	0	10	.235	55	3	0	1.000
Love, of	34	10	8	1	2	0	3	0	13	.235	12	0	1	.923
Westbrook, of	25	4	5	1	0	0	1	2	6	.200	11	1	0	1.000
White, 2b	5	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	.200	3	3	2	.750
Cook, 1b, Cap.	64	14	12	3	0	1	3	7	18	.188	170	1	1	.994
Richmond, p	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	3	0	1.000
	580	139	167	40	8	13	56	25	275	.288	437	175	41	.949

PITCHERS AVERAGES

	G	W	L	Pct.
Richmond	2	2	0	1.000
Saffelle	5	4	1	.800
Cox	4	3	1	.750
Thompson	5	3	2	.600
Lane	1	0	1	.000
Stephens	1	0	1	.000
Total	18	12	6	.667

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The Flat Hat Staff presents to you the last issue of the Flat Hat for the year of 1922-23. Throughout the year the Staff has attempted to publish a weekly worthy of the student body of the College of William and Mary. Whether this task has been successfully done is left to you as judges.

Now as the present Staff passes into the background of your memories, we only hope that a pleasant reflection may wander back into your minds in the dim vision of the future that we, the Staff of 1922-23, put forth the best efforts to present to you the best weekly ever published at the College.

TOO MANY IN COLLEGE?

There is prevalent among many of our leading colleges and universities a much-discussed question, "Too many in College?" This question is to be answered from many angles, as it involves the whole educational system of our country. It may be answered by saying that there are not too many in college but there are too many colleges of the wrong type which invite too many students to these particular colleges. If the movement of extolling higher education crowds the colleges, let us build more of them to meet the demands of a proper educational training. Until our college and university facilities are enlarged, perhaps, limitations on attendance may be necessary, but there is no need of conducting a program to discourage men from entering college. For an artificial limitation dictated by an aristocratic ideal of higher education there is no argument.

Are we becoming over-educated or should we extend our educational facilities so as to embrace every one? To discriminate arbitrarily between persons from an educational point of view is without the realm of democracy and public policy, unless it be to draw a line of distinction with reference to capabilities. Colleges and universities are not the place for only one class or type of people. They are centers of democratic groups within the great democracy of ours. President Judson, of University of Chicago, says that "none should be admitted to college work but those who really want intellectual training and are capable of taking it," but he continues, "An institution of learning is primarily for those who want learning, without regard to sex, or race, or social status."

One can go to college and still enter vocations for which a college training is not absolutely necessary, as many do every year. Lord Bryce remarked that, while young Britons who intend to go into commerce or manufacturing enter an office or a shop at the early age of seventeen, the Americans go first to college and enter the office or shop at twenty-one. Bryce, however, approves of the latter. He argues that the training does not, perhaps, make them better business men, but it does widen their horizon of intellect and ripen their social outlook on life.

Today we have 450,000 students in our colleges, who, if they receive their diploma, cannot look upon it as a certain guaranty of a good income as they once could; but one of the main functions of a college is to teach men and women that they can lead as happy life on the low salary of a minister or a country school-teacher as on the huge salary of the brick mason or carpenter. The mason, the carpenter, the lawyer, and the doctor all live in the same world, and the college can help one as much as it can help the other. A certain knowledge of the history, people, poetry, science, and ethics is demanded by the section hand or plumber as well as by the lawyer

or the doctor. If the college could embrace all these classes, all social barriers would be broken down and a better understanding of all concerned would be brought about. The colleges and universities exist for all and not for the few. The right college for the right student should be the program of our educational system.

Communication

Mr. Editor:

At the present moment a great deal of excitement has been aroused in America by the report that a number of Americans are held for ransom by Chinese bandits in the province of Shantung, and the writer has been on many occasions questioned as to the significance of the incident. He is inexpressibly sorry and is moved to the following paragraphs, by way of partial explanation:

He likes to call attention to the fact that the dispute over Shantung between Japan and China was one of the factors which induced President Harding and his colleagues to call the Washington Conference. Shantung virtually remained in the hands of the Japanese since 1915 after the ousting of the Germans at Tsingtao, a German leasehold. Owing to the internal commotion incident to great political changes, China was not in a position to deal directly with her unwelcome guests, and it was in the Washington Conference that Japan gracefully consented to withdraw—which she did to her credit a few months ago. During their occupation, the Japanese stationed guards along the railway lines in the province under the pretext of protecting lives and properties, and it certainly is a pity to them that the incident should have occurred after their reluctant withdrawal.

The writer takes great pains to admit that China at present is unable to keep her house in order, especially in that part of the country which stood so prominent in the eyes of the American people during the Washington

Conference; but he does not know just how far this mishap was attributed to a hidden hand from outside. It need not be made a concealment that in recent years Japan is too much interested in the internal affairs of China, and that in every petty domestic warfare Japan may be found fighting by proxy, sometimes on one side, sometimes on the other. Another conviction the Chinese generally entertain is that Chinese malcontents and desperadoes in Manchuria and elsewhere are in league with Japanese agents, who, officially or unofficially, supply them with large quantities of munitions, for considerations not known to others.

The writer is exceedingly sorry for this blot upon the friendship the Washington Conference has so strengthened, but feels bound to submit a few facts within his knowledge to a candid world.

Yours truly,

P. K. CHEN.

Alva H. Cooke Succeeds Lowe as President of Student Body

At a joint meeting of the outgoing Honor Council and Discipline Council, A. H. Cooke was elected President of the Student Body for the 1923-24 session, succeeding Otto Lowe, present incumbent.

Cooke, who will be a member of the senior class next year, is a popular campus leader and one of the best all-round athletes ever developed at William and Mary.

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Richmond Noses Out Close Winner in Track Meet with Indians

Not Until Carlton Had Tied Hastings in Last Event of Day, Pole Vault, Did Spiders Emerge Winners

It was not until Carlton had tied Hastings for second place in the last event of the day, the pole vault, that Richmond University emerged the victor in the annual Spider-Indian dual track meet by the narrow margin of a 64-62 score. Buck Young, of Hampton, closed his collegiate athletic career by clearing the bar in the pole vault at 11 feet, 3 inches, and pushing over an unexpected first place over Carlton, the Spider's star vaulter who placed in the South Atlantic here last Saturday.

The complete superiority of the Spiders in the distance runs and hurdle gave Dobson's men a slight advantage and victory. Four dual meet records were smashed in the meet; the Indians contributing three. Rangeley raised the discus mark from 107 feet, 7 inches, to 108 feet, 7 inches, and raised the shot put from 39 feet, 6 1-2 inches, to 40 feet 3 1-2 inches. Moore, winner of South Atlantic javelin throw last week, raised the local javelin record from 157 feet, 6 inches, to 160 feet, 10 inches, without being pushed. Rucker and Tatem, Spiders, tied for first honors in the high jump at 5 feet 8 1-2 inches which is 1 1-2 inches higher than the old local dual meet record. High point winners were Rucker, R. U., 14; Rangeley, W. & M., 13; Moore, W. & M., 12; Hoeff, W. & M., 10; Dekle, R. U., 10; Chandler, W. & M., 8.

In the dashes Hoeff and Chandler of William and Mary, walked away with first honors; Hoeff crossing the tape in the 100, seven yards ahead of the field, and taking first in the 220 dash 15 yards ahead of the other entries, while Captain Chandler won first in the 440 by 30 yards. Dekle, of Richmond University, was in a class to himself in the mile and two mile runs, finishing first in the former by 50 yards, and leading the latter event by a 100 yard margin.

Rucker, Richmond University, took in both high and low hurdles, although he was pushed hard by Rangeley, of William and Mary, in high hurdles.

In the shot and discus, "Doc" Rangeley, stalwart Indian football guard, who is completing his first year in track, so far overtopped his competitors that after the first few throws it was just a question of how much the gridiron star was going to lower the local records.

Rangeley, Dekle, Hoeff, Moore and Rucker were the scintillating stars of the meet.

Summary:

100-yard dash: Hoeff, W. & M.; Mahany, R. U.; James, R. U. Time, 10.1.

220-yard dash: Hoeff, W. & M.; Jones, R. U.; Moss, W. & M. Time, 23.1.

440-yard dash: Chandler, W. & M.; Edwards, R. U.; Barbae, R. U. 52.3.

Half mile run: Winder, W. & M.;

Chandler, W. & M.; Ferguson, R. U. 2.06 1-5.

1-mile run: Dekle, R. U.; Miller, R. U.; Mitchell, R. U. 4.45 3-5.

2-mile run: Dekle, R. U.; Mitchell, R. U.; Vanlaer, W. & M. 10.40.

120 high hurdles: Rucker, R. U.; Rangeley, W. & M.; Ratchiff, R. U. Time, .17.

220 low hurdles: Rucker, R. U.; Ratchiff, R. U.; Arthur, R. U. 27.2.

Discus, Rangeley, W. & M.; Moore, W. & M.; Todd, W. & M. 108 feet, 8 inches.

Shot put: Rangeley, W. & M.; Moore, W. & M.; Bethel, R. U. 40 feet 3 1-2 inches.

Javelin: Moore, W. & M.; Riggs, R. U.; 160 feet, 10 inches.

Broad Jump: Mahaney, R. U.; Irwin, W. & M. 19 feet, 11 inches.

High jump: Rucker and Tatem tied for first place; Wesson, W. & M., 5 feet, 8 1-2 inches.

Pole vault: Young, W. & M., Carlton, R. U., and Hastings, W. & M., tied for second place, 11 feet, 3 inches.

Spring Football Practice Closes at W. & M.

Coach J. Wilder Tasker, New Mentor of Indians, Introduces Spring Gridiron Sport

After six weeks of strenuous training, spring football practice was closed at William and Mary with a hotly contested game between two evenly matched elevens of the squad. J. Wilder Tasker, former Syracuse star, and more recently successful coach at the Connecticut Agricultural College, where he developed, from a handful of green and inexperienced material, teams that were known and respected by all the large colonies of New England, has introduced spring football at William and Mary this year. Not only have the monogram wearers received a thorough grounding in Coach Tasker's system of play, but quite a few men have been taught the fundamentals of the game. According to the coach, at least four of these men can be depended upon to make the Varsity Squad, if not regular berths on the first eleven next fall. Coach Tasker says he is entirely satisfied with the spring practice just closed and expects the resulting improvement to be a big factor in whipping the Indians into shape in September.

The William and Mary football schedule for 1923 is easily the most difficult ever undertaken by the Orange and Black. It embraces nine contests, including engagements with the U. S. Naval Academy, Syracuse University, University of Delaware, Roanoke College, Trinity College and the University of Richmond.

As a nucleus on which to build his 1923 eleven, Coach Tasker will have thirteen letter men who will return to College this fall, including Hastings, half back, and Chalkley, end, who were grievously missed by the Indians during the latter part of the season.

Besides the return, almost in tact, of the team which gave Penn State such a hard battle last season, Coach Tasker is expecting a number of promising men from preparatory high schools. Lee Todd, all-State high school football center, of Newport

News high, and Frieburg, of Maury high, Norfolk, who is reckoned by many sports writers to be the best all-round high school athlete in Virginia, have announced their intention of enrolling at William and Mary this fall.

According to the present indications the Indians should have a banner season on the gridiron in 1923.

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Those receiving Bachelor of Science degrees are: Fred Lee Anderson, In-

dependence; Cathryne Bradfor, Eastville; Albert Braun Belanger, Morgan City, La.; Giles Buckner Cooke, Gloucester; William Thomas Henley, Tappahanock; Charles Bland Jones, Blackstone; Harry Tucker Harrison, Cartersville; Edwin Hammond Pierce, Alexandria; Stuart Carlton Swift, Buckner; Mabel Stratton, Charlottesville; Winifred Watkins Tinsley, Danville; Whiting Faulkner Young, Hampton.

Those receiving the Master of Arts degree are: Emily Moore Hall, Williamsburg; Nancy Makepeace French, Washington, D. C.; Jane Chapman Slaughter, Mitchells; Aubrey H. Strauss, Richmond; John Paul McConnell, Radford.

LITTLE THEATRE LEAGUE OF PENINSULA GIVEN IMPETUS

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matic Club would co-operate in any movement tending to create a demand on the part of the public for the worth-while type of play.

At the close of the addresses tentative by-laws for the new organization were drawn up and Mrs. Fred M. Alexander was made chairman of a committee for permanent organization. L. R. Holmes, Chairman, who proposed the committee for organization, appointed members of that committee and a permanent organization is expected to be perfected before the middle of June. Professor Gwathmey was appointed to represent the Williamsburg group.

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W. & M. BASEBALL TEAM HAS SUCCESS- FUL SEASON

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The Indians lost only one game to a Virginia team, that defeat to Richmond University, giving the Spiders an even break in a two-series game. The Indians did not meet V. M. I. this season, but they had little trouble winning from Amherst College 14 to 0, which had taken the measure of the cadets a few days before by a 6 to 4 score.

Although the Spiders got an even break in their two-game series with Indians, the latter by virtue of their more successful season and victory over Wake Forest after the Baptists had taken the Spiders into camp by clean victories in a two-game series, presented perhaps a more valid claim to the state honors than any other college, with the possible exception of V. M. I.

As to the relative claim of the Cadets and the Indians to the title, comparative records, which at best is a very unsatisfactory method, is the only means by which any decision can be arrived at. William and Mary won contests from Union Theological Seminary, New York University, Amherst College, University of Virginia, Randolph Macon (two games), Harvard University, Quantico Marines, St. Johns College, Wake Forest, Richmond University and Hampden-Sidney. Coach Driver's nine lost games to Holy Cross, Norfolk (Virginia League), Penn State, Quantico Marines, Naval Academy and the University of Richmond.

The Indians have enjoyed only fair pitching all season, winning the greater majority of their victories by slugging the ball hard and often. Six of the William and Mary first nine hit for 300 or over: J. Chandler, Lowe, Denton, Hicks, Thompson and Saffelle. Thompson, a pitcher, heads the list with an average of 500 for six games, while Horace Hicks, shortstop, is the

real leader in batting with 375 average for 18 games.

As a state scoring record for the season just closed, the Indians submit an eight-run average for 18 contests.

While the loss of Lowe, veteran third sacker, F. Chandler, premier catcher for five seasons, and Cooke, clever first baseman and shortstop for four years, all of whom closed their college athletic careers with the baseball season just finished, will affect the Indian baseball strength for 1924 in no small way. Coach Driver, resigned, is turning over to Tasker, the new Indian athletic director, veterans and newly developed men of sufficient numbers and strength as to leave only one vacancy in the team, that one being first base. For the receiving job, Tasker will have Chalkley, a clever backstop, who has alternated with Chandler for the past two seasons. J. Chandler, who was moved to the infield to fill Lowe's position at third when the latter received a broken leg in the first Quantico game, will be available for the hot corner.

Coach Jimmie Driver terminated his five years as Athletic Director and coach of basketball, baseball and football (two years) with the baseball season just completed. To Driver goes the lion's share of the efforts by which William and Mary was raised from scarcely a first class prep school standing, athletically speaking, to that of one of the leading schools in two states. Today William and Mary not only has little difficulty in getting games with such schools as Harvard, Navy, Penn State, Syracuse, and others, but it also manages to win more than a fair proportion of the contests played. Driver has the unique distinction of being the only Indian coach to win from Dobson during the past ten years. In baseball, Dobson has won from Driver only one game in eight played since 1919. Driver's basketball quints have taken the short end of the score from the Spiders but twice since 1919.

REVISED EXAMINATION SCHEDULE Spring Quarter

Nine o'clock, ten o'clock classes, etc., meet for examination as shown below except as the following are given special hours as indicated:

Chemistry, 121, 131, 331
Journalism 232, 332
Law 132, 233, 234, 235
Sociology 331

	Morning 9-12	Afternoon 1:30-4:30	Night 7-10
Saturday, June 2	Regular class work		Law 132 Law 234
Monday, June 4	2 o'clock classes	3 o'clock classes	Law 235 Sociology 331
Tuesday, June 5	Eng. 111, 121, 131 Biology 223, 431	11 o'clock classes	Journalism 332 Law 232
Wednesday, June 6	12 o'clock classes	Government 121	
Thursday, June 7	9 o'clock classes	10 o'clock classes	
Friday, June 8	Chemistry 121, 131, 331 Journalism 232		

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Managers Elected

At a recent meeting of the men's student body, managers of basketball, track and baseball were elected. J. C. Chandler was elected manager of basketball; J. H. Garnett manager of track, and R. E. Kennard, manager of baseball. The football manager, Stanley Gay, was elected last fall at the close of the football season.

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Sigma Upsilon Holds Its Final Meeting

Gordon-Hope Chapter of Sigma Upsilon Literary Fraternity held its final meeting of the year last night, May 31, at the Kappa Alpha Fraternity House as the guest of Larry Green. The officers for next year, Geo. A. Downing, President, and J. A. Doyle, Secretary-Treasurer, who had been previously elected, were installed.

Professor A. P. Elliott gave an interesting talk on Milton, while a general discussion of literature and kindred subjects completed the program.

The committee which had been appointed to confer with the literary societies reported that the Philomatheans and the Phoenicians had agreed to vote their proportionate shares of \$450.00 from the general fund of all the literary societies next year to constitute the nucleus of an entertainment fund for bringing to William and Mary a limited number of entertainments of a cultural nature. Under the proposed plan there will be a committee of seven members to be known as the Entertainment Committee, or by some such other name, who will have charge of arranging the schedule of entertainments, one member coming from each of the four literary societies, one from Sigma Upsilon, the sponsor of the movement, one from the faculty, and one to be elected by the students who do not belong to a literary society. W. A. Dickinson, the retiring president, named G. A. Downing to act on this committee as the representative from Sigma Upsilon.

Poetry Society of Virginia Organizes

The afternoon session of the Poetry Society of Virginia was given to the effecting of an organization.

The first business before the meeting was the adoption of a constitution. The constitution of the Poetry Society of North Carolina was read and a committee, consisting of Judge R. M. Hughes, Dr. Carey Jacob and Mrs. Virginia McCormick, was appointed by Judge C. N. Feidelson, temporary chairman, for the recommendation of modifications which would make that constitution suitable for the Virginia society. The report of this committee was unanimously adopted, and the meeting was proceeded to the election of officers.

Judge C. N. Feidelson was the only nominee for the presidency, and the society made his election a unanimous one by a rising vote. The other officers chosen were: Judge R. M. Hughes of Norfolk, and Miss Ellen Glasgow of Richmond, Vice-Presidents; Mrs. Virginia Taylor McCormick of Norfolk, Secretary; Miss Annie Chapman, Williamsburg, Recording Secretary and Treasurer.

The business of the meeting being concluded, Mrs. Virginia Tunstall of Norfolk, by request, read her "Crepe Myrtle," which celebrates the flower of Norfolk. Mrs. Tunstall was followed by Mr. John R. Moreland, also of Norfolk, who read his poem, "The Grave," after which the meeting was adjourned.

Literary Societies Prepare For Inter-Society Contest

Preliminaries in debate were held by the Philomathean Literary Society at its regular meeting on Saturday night, May 26, at which time C. B. Quaintance and F. O. Adam, Jr., were chosen by the judges from a field of five contestants as the representatives of the society in the Finals contest, to be held Monday night, June 11.

The judges were Judge C. N. Feidelson, Professor Babcock, and C. R. Ball, Critic of the Society.

Installation of officers for the autumn quarter otherwise featured the meeting, while two new members were elected and initiated. A number of declamations were volunteered from the floor during the time the judges were conferring.

The final meeting of the Philomathean Society will be held tomorrow night, when representatives in oration and declamation will be chosen. The Phoenicians have already completed the selection of their representatives, as follows: Debate, T. H. Mawson and A. J. Winder; Oration, W. H. Graveley, Jr.; Declamation, W. E. Bull.

Reasons for Attending French School at Middlebury, Vt.

"To make a practical thing of a language learned in the class-room, a summer spent at the French school at Middlebury, Vermont, is the best thing I know of," says Professor J. C. Lyons of the French Department.

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Syracuse Bars Matrimony

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CLASS IN BUSINESS STA- TISTICS COMPILE DATA

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will either not complete college work or will take their degrees at another college.

A large number of the students, or 47%, stated their intention of continuing university work, principally in law and medicine. The leading universities selected were: University of Virginia, Virginia Medical College, Harvard, and Columbia.

The parents of most of the students answering the questionnaires did not attend college. Thirty-three per cent. had one parent or both parents college trained; 11% had both parents graduates of colleges or universities.

Concerning the question of compulsory chapel, 71% were opposed to it and 29% were in favor of compulsory attendance.

The vote in favor of student government was practically unanimous. Only fifteen students, however believe that the honor system is never abused.

The Phi Beta Kappa key was coveted by exactly 90% of the students, whereas 10% would rather have athletic monograms.

Most students favor the intercollegiate team plan in athletics. Only 19% favor mass athletics; 5% favored a combination of mass athletics and the present plan.

The English courses rank first for their cultural value with foreign languages and history ranking second and third, respectively. The most useful were considered, in their order of importance, to be: Business and economics, law, English, and accounting.

FINAL DANCES WILL BE FEATURE OF COM- MENCEMENT PROGRAM

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nasium of Jefferson Hall, Monday night, June 11. The other two dances will be held in the College Dining Hall. "Decorations have been ordered and all organizations and fraternities are co-operating with the Club in having as many alumni as possible join us in the festivities of June Week," said Mr. Moncure. "There will be addresses, dinners, banquets and dances a-plenty," he stated, "and I would advise all wise alumni and friends of the College to follow the shortest road to pleasure and be on hand at the William and Mary commencement exercises."

The opening dance Monday night will be followed by another dance in the Dining Hall on Tuesday night, and the Final Ball, the biggest affair of the social season at the College, will be held in the Dining Hall Wednesday night. Tickets for the dances will be on sale at the College Shop within the next few days.

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