COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY, WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA, JULY 14, 1922.

# W. & M. Literary Magazine Makes **Announcements**

Vol. I

Announcement of Prizes Given by the Magazine Staff

The editor of the Literary Magazine for next year, Mr. C. R. Ball, wishes to make the following announcement of prizes, which will be awarded by the magazine staff, for Shall the Ancient the benefit of the students of the Summer Quarter:

- 1. For the best prose essay, fifty (\$50.00) dollars.
- ing the one for which the James Bar- is one of the oldest and historically ron Hope Scholarship is awarded, fifty one of the most important of all (\$50.00) dollars.
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checks. All students of the Summer of 1922-23, and the regular college to the College for preservation. In classes of 1922-23, who are paid-up order to prevent the building being subscribers, are eligible to compete for these prizes.

The editor wishes to announce that in addition to the departments of "Exchanges," "Book Reviews," "Dramatics," "Science," "Virginia Folk Lore," and "Alumni," in last year's magazine, there will be a department of "Law."

Contributions from the students of the summer school will be welcomed. Address all contributions to C. R. Ball, Editor, or C. B. Jones, Business Manager, Williamsburg, Va.

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Sweden-When I Was Seventeen.-Folk Song.

France—Villanelle—Del Acqua.

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Consecration-Manney. Wiegenlied-Will George Butler. Lindy—Neidlinger.

Polonaise from Mignon-Thomas.



The Old Blair House, Williamsburg, Virginia, as it looks today. One of the oldest buildings in America.

# Landmark Pass Away?

The home of John Blair, Sr., situ-2. For the best poem, not consider- ated on Duke of Gloucester Street, buildings in America today. The So-3. For the best short story, fifty ciety for the Preservation of the Old Blair Homestead has been recently These prizes will be in the form of organized by Hon. John Garland Pollard for the purpose of purchasing Quarter of 1922, the extension classes this old building and of conveying it torn down and its site used for business purposes, the purchase price of \$6000 must be secured at once. Membership in the Society for the purpose of raising this fund will consist of those who contribute to purchasing the homestead.

> Blair has been a notable name in the field of American statesmanship and higher education, both in the North and in the South. The Blair name is closely associated with the early history of the College of William and Mary, and of Princeton University, two of the oldest institutions of learning in this country. The Blair family has been represented in the (Continued on Page 3)

# "Agamemnon" To Be Presented

"Agamemnon," the masterpiece of Aeschylus, will be presented Monday, July 17th, at 7 P. M. "Agamemnon," which was presented here for the first time Alumni night of the commencement exercises, was the first classical drama to be produced at William and Mary for more than a score of years. The performance, which was held in front of the library, was witnessed by more than a thousand spectators. A more appreciative audience has never the temporary residence of Gov. Dinwitnessed a performance at the College.

large part to the untiring efforts of las, treasure rof the colony, at the Professor Gelsinger and Dr. Montgomery, as directors of the play.

In answer to the many demands for a second performance, the directors John Page lived there until the Caphave decided to repeat the performance. A great many of the members wards, Robert Saunders, President of of the old cast will make up the new the College of William and Mary in cast. A great wealth of new material at the summer school has been drawn upon to complete the new cast.

The play has been directed by Professor Gelsinger, Professor of Ancient Language at the College.

# **Enrollment Women** William and Mary

Registrar Announces That No Higher Entrance Requirements More Women Students Can Register

H. L. Bridges, registrar of the Colen have been applied for and assigned for some time.

Mr. Bridges says that the College of William and Mary could easily of a bachelors degree. register 500 women this year, but that it was not the policy of the College to have such a large proportion of women students. Although coeducational, the College of William and Mary is primarily a College for men. The policy is to have at least 150 more men than women on the roll of the regular session.

The College is desirous of taking care of the local students particularly, including Newport News, Hampton, and Williamsburg. It is estimated that seventy-five women from the city and vicinity will stay in town and attend College this fall. This addition will bring the enrollment of women up to the maximum allotment of about 300.

Indications are that within the next few weeks, all men's dormitories will be filled and no more applicants will be accepted. This state of affairs emphasizes the need of additional dormitory room, for which, President Chandler is working to secure, in order that the growing demand of the College may be met. About \$100,000, including the State's appropriation of \$80,000, is now available. Friends of higher education could not find a more worthy investment.

#### PROFESSOR SHEWMAKE PURCHASES THE OLD SAUNDER'S HOME

Professor Shewmake has secured a deed to the old Saunder's place which faces the Court House Green. This structure is one of the oldest in Virginia or America. It was at one time widdie, having been bought for the purpose by the colony in 1751. Later The success of the play was due in it was owned by Robert Carter Nichotime of the Revolution and First Treasurer of the Virginia State government after the Revolution. Gov. ital was moved to Richmond. After-1887, bought this place which had been until then known as the Old Hansford House. Professor Shewmake intends to make his home there as soon as the repairs and renovations have been completed.

# W. & M. Complete Revives Law School

Than Any Other School in South

It appears from the new catalogue lege of William and Mary, announces that the Board of Visitors of the that no more women students can be College of William and Mary propose enrolled for the fall term, and that to revive the old three-year law he had returned the registration fee course, beginning September 1, 1923. of more than forty women who were The course will cover three full years. applying for admission for the com- No student will be eligible to enter the ing term. The dormitories for wom- law school until he has had as much as three years of academic work. No applicant will receive a B. L. degree until he has fulfilled the requirements

> It will be interesting to note that the William and Mary School of Law will maintain the highest entrance requirements of any school in the South, and as high as any in the country. None of the Southern institutions have come up to the William and Mary Law School standards. This law course is included in the Marshall-Wythe School of Government and Citizenship. Many of the law subjects are required of the students doing work in the school of Government and Administration. The following is the faculty of the School of Government and Citizenship for the session of 1922-23:

Julian Alvin Carroll Chandler, Ph.D. LL.D., President of the College.

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## Official Notices

July 15, Saturday: All classes will meet as usual. A Campus Social at 7 P. M. Games, music, refreshments. The feature will be a dramatization by the students of the Summer Quar-

July 16, Sunday: Church services as announced in another col-

July 17, Monday: 7 P. M., The "Agamemnon" of Aeschylus.

July 18, Tuesday: Chapel Assembly, 12-12:20. Mrs. Helen S. Burton, of the American Red Cross, Washington, D. C., will be present to speak. Topic: "The Place of Junior Red Cross in the Schools."

July 20, Thursday: Chapel Assembly, 12-12:20. Professor Rowe will speak.

July 21, Friday:.. 7 P. M., Concert by Franceska Kaspar Lawson, of Washington, D. C. There will be no charge for admission. If weather permits, the concert will be given on the campus.

#### NOTICE!

All students who wish to secure or renew a teacher's certificate as a result of work in the Summer Quarter, should prepare Blue Form TC, A and file it in the office of the Director. This form must accompany a teacher's application to the State Department.

# THE STRAW HAT

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#### NEWS EDITORS

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#### JUNE 14, 1922

What's the use of writing an editorial? Who reads it? It so happens that the very persons the editor would not like to have read his editorial are the ones who read it. Yes, but the editorial space must be filled, and the editor diligently searches for some hot air to turn loose on the few victims. He tries to expound every modern theory that develops, and hands out a dogmatic statement that cannot be disputed. When the editor does this, he is expecting his readers to be very well unacquainted with the subject matter, but he is often fooled. Business gets no better rapidly for this

Sometimes the editor undertakes to criticize the school affairs, but he never gets any pleasure out of it. Somebody reads it and calls him a darn fool-I guess he is. At other times, the editor wants to become very popular with the student body and undertakes to spread some flowers, but it so unfortunately happens that the students never read his editorial. But if he writes a criticism, all the students read it. All the students proclaim him a radical, a fool, or what not.

Well, Mr. Editor, lean back in your easy chair and fill up the space with some freshly generated gas, and you will come out all right. Nobody reads your editorial and no body misses anything. The world moves along just the same. Why search for an editorial? "Where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise.'

### New Department At Boston University

After much urging on the part of the leaders in the hotel industry, after of Boston University.

scattered in the hundred resorts of noticed is that a university of first class has now tackled the problem of profession.

Mr. H. B. Meek, head of the hotel the undertaking depends for a large the vicinity during the Civil War. part on the support of different hotel associations. The New England Hotel activity, the Board of Visitors includ-Association is whole heartedly behind ed the names of Jefferson, Blair, Mad-Mr. Meek's plan and express the hope ison, Randolph, Nelson, and Harrison. that other universities will follow the The professors of law were George example of Boston University in Wythe, St. George Tucker, William establishing departments of hotel Nelson, Robert Nelson James Semple, management.

#### WILLIAM AND MARY REVIVES LAW SCHOOL

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William Angus Hamilton, D. C. L., fin' Columbus' bones." Professor of Jurisprudence.

Oscar Lane Shewmake, A. B., LL.B., he wuz a gamblin' man." Professor of Government and Law.

John Garland Pollard, LL. B., LL. D., Professor of Virginia Government and Citizenship.

Richard L. Morton, M. A., Ph. D., Professor of History and Government. It was through the efforts of many conferences with educational Thomas Jefferson, himself an alumnus authorities, and, finally, after repeated of the College, that the School of requests from prospective students, a Law was established here in 1779, college course in Hotel Training has with George Wythe, whom Jefferson been arranged. It is being given at styles "the American Aristides," as the college of business administration its first professor. George Wythe was at one time Judge of High Court of The Boston University course is Chancery of Virginia, and was a only a beginning. The class of '75 signer of the Declaration of Independence. This was the first chair of law New England will have a small effect to be established in America, and the indeed. The important thing to be second in the English speaking world, the first being the Vinerian chair at Oxford, filled by Sir William Blacktraining men for a long-neglected stone. The William and Mary School of Law enjoyed continuous operation from the date of its establishment undepartment, has planned a four year til May, 1861, when the College was hotel training school. The success of closed on account of the hostilities in

During the period of the school's Beverly Tucker, Geo. P. Scarborough, Lucian Minor and Charles Morris. Lucian Minor was the brother of John B. Minor, for many years dean of law at the University of Virginia.

#### Galloping Dominoes

Sam: "Al done heard dat dey done

Ezra: "Lawd! Ah never knew dat

-Columbia Jester.

### **PERSONALS**

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Stansbury, of Baltimore, Maryland, were guests of Professor and Mrs. W. T. Hodges last

Mr. S. E. Gunn and Miss Miriam Winder, students of the College, spent Sunday with friends in Richmond.

Miss Lillian Woodley spent the week-end at her home in Suffolk, Va. She had as her guest while at home, Miss Mabel Stratton.

Miss Myree Hutchings spent the week-end at her home in South Norfolk.

Miss Betty Woodward was the guest of friends in Newport News during the week-end.

Dick Brunning spent Saturday and Sunday in Newport News.

Mr. R. Burden, a graduate of the College and now a student at Yale, is visiting old friends on the campus.

Misses Holly Bennett and Catherine McKarrick spent the week-end at their homes in Norfolk.

Mr. "Ernie" Dietz, a member of the class of '24, has recently sailed for a tour in Europe.

Messrs. C. A. Lowman and "Fats" Ferguson, students of the College, have recently sailed for Mexico.

Miss Nan Batten visited her home in Suffolk last week.

Lily Lawless has been visiting friends at the College for the past few days.

Mr. Earl B. Thomas, publicity agent for the College Endowment Fund Campaign, is at the College for a few

#### CATALOG SUPPLEMENT PROOFS ARE HERE

Supplements of the Business Administration and the School of Government and Citizenship section of the regular catalogue are in the hands of the administration. Copies will be ready for those desiring them within the next ten days.

#### Returned, Approved

He was just a raw country boy, but fortnight's experience in New York with city girls had taught him some-

One evening he drifted down to a ance in Greenwich Village, where wildest and the wooziest are supposed to hold forth. He drew a bobbedhaired sweetie for a partner and she lost no time in impressing on him her modernity of ideas.

"I suppose," she suggested, idly fingering her cigarette, "that you would be shocked if I told you I believed in free love?"

"Now, that's where you and me are right together," he responded heartily. "I'm tarnation sick of layin' out good hard-earned cash for candy an' flow-

#### W. & M. STUDENT SPEAKS AT JAMESTOWN

Carter H. Harrison, student of William and Mary College, conducted services at the old Jamestown church Sunday afternoon. His talk on "Religion and the Early Colonization of Virginia" was heard by a large crowd, many of whom were excursionists from Richmond and other points.

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BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Dr. D. J. Blocker, Pastor

10 A. M., Sunday School; 11 A. M., Morning Service; 3 P. M., at Jamestown, Public Worship; 7 P. M., B. Y. P. U.; 8 P. M., Evening Service (45 minutes).

> METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Lee Crutchfield, Pastor

10 A. M., Sunday School; 11 A. M. Morning Worship; 7:15 P. M., Epworth League; 8 P. M., Evening Worship. Midweek Prayer Service, Wednesday, 8 P. M.

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#### Professor Gooch Speaks In Chapel

Professor R. K. Gooch gave a very interesting lecture in the College chapel last Tuesday on certain aspects of the student's life at Oxford University. He contrasted the student's A. M., Morning Service; 7 P. M., life of Oxford with the student's life of our American universities. Professor Gooch will return to Oxford next year for further study.

#### STUDENT BAGGAGEMEN AND TRUNKMEN ASK FOR YOUR PATRONAGE

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#### SHALL THE ANCIENT LANDMARK PASS AWAY?

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Cabinet, on the Supreme Court of the United States, and in the Senate of the Nation.

The following is a brief sketch of the two Blairs who lived in the building, to save which, this effort is being made:

BLAIR, John, statesman, b. in Williamsburg, Va., in 1689; d. there, 5 Nov., 1771. He was a nephew of President James Blair, of the College of William and Mary. As early as 1736 he was a member of the House of Burgesses, and he was president of the council, and three times actinggovernor of Virginia, in 1757, 1758, and 1768. Campbell, on page 554, of his "History of Virginia" (Philadelphia, 1860), gives a letter concerning the dissenters, written to the King's attorney of Spottsylvania by Blair, when he was acting-governor, and showing a spirit of tolerations as rare at that time as it was creditable. His son,

JOHN, jurist, b. in Williamsburg, Va., in 1732; d. there, 31 Aug. 1800, was graduated at William and Mary College, studied law at the Temple, London, soon became prominent in his profession, and was a member of the legislature as early as 1765. On the dissolution of the assembly in 1769, Blair was one of those who met at the Raleigh Tavern and drew up the non-importation agreement. In June, 1776, he was a member of the committee that drew up a plan for governing the State, was chosen to the council, and in 1777 became a judge of the court of appeals. He was afterward hief justice, and in 1780 judge of the high court of chancery. He was a delegate to the convention that drew up the Federal Constitution, and with Washington and Madison, alone of all the Virginia delegates, voted for its adoption. He afterward supported it also in the State convention. In September, 1789, he was appointed by Washington a justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, and in 1796 resigned.

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-Ga. Crocker.

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Why should I love her still, When I know she cares naught for

Why do I say that I will Try and more manly be?

Yet when I see her each day At noon-time, and often at five, My soul will unconsciously pray That some day she may be my bride.

Her eyes, as the poets would say, Are tinted a hazel-nut hue; And they gleam and sparkle each

Like the sun's first rays on the dew,

Her face is fair to behold, With lips so soft and so red; And I firmly believe that her soul Is as pure as the lily is said.

She is graceful, pretty, and neat, And attractive, as every one knows. At dances the boys she will meet, Will soon become regular beaux.

-G. A. C., Jr.

#### WORKING LOVE

It isn't the work that's tiring you, If you are working true.

It is the fault you find and the trouble you bind; Into the warp and the woof of the

cloth. That makes up your work-a-day

Onlooker (watching a first-fight): 'Brace up, old boy, can't you stop those blows?"

Combatant: "Stop 'em! Do you see any of them getting by?"

-Ga. Crocker.

Ikey: "Bet you can't guess vot I'm got to my house."

Jakie: "Vot you got, a little home brew?"

Ikey: "Nein, a little Hebrew."

"Look here," said the maiden from

Siam, "I don't want to be kissed, But if you insist,

Lord knows you are stronger than I am." -Humbug.

"Here's where I make a little money on the side," observed the surgeon as the patient with appendicitis was -Ga. Crocker.

'25 to Varsity Swimmer: "Gee, where did you ever learn to swim like

The Captain: "Well, buddie, I was a traffic cop in Venice for three years."

#### The Difference

What's the difference between a doctor and an old maid?

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—Va. Reel

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