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## MARTINSVILLE MEETING HAD GOOD ATTENDANCE

The William and Mary alumni of Halifax, Pittsylvania, Franklin, Henry and Patrick counties held their annual meeting at Martinsville on May 8th. Ashton Dovell, '08, and Chas. A. Taylor, Jr., '09, alumni secretary, attended the meeting, Dovell being the chief speaker of the evening. Mr. Dovell made an interesting and forceful address. He was introduced by J. Murray Hooker, '93, chairman of the Democratic party of Virginia, as "one of the most distinguished alumni of William and Mary and one of Virginia's most capable and patriotic sons."

The meeting was well attended, especially by the younger alumni and alumnae. Some of the older group present were: J. Murray Hooker, '93, T. H. Self, '91, G. L. H. Johnson, '08, superintendent of schools at Danville, and E. E. Givens, '14, superintendent of the Martinsville schools.

John Swanson, '30, president of the organization, presided. He has done a good job as executive officer for the past two years and turned over a well organized group of workers to his successor, E. E. Givens, '14, elected president for the coming year. This club is organized after the plan of the general Alumni Association and has a Board of Managers similar to the parent organization. It has several vice-presidents, each one selected from a certain section of the territory covered, and responsible for the Club's activities in his or her section.

The organization met at Danville last year and at the Martinsville meeting an invitation was received from Sen. Wm. M. Tuck, '17, of South Boston, to hold the next meeting there.

## HUTCHESONS AT W. & M.

The Caduceus, magazine of Kappa Sigma fraternity, carried a very interesting story on the Hutcheson brothers of Boydton, Va., in its May 1936 issue. There are seven of these brothers, five of whom came to William and Mary and two went to the University of Virginia. All seven are members of Kappa Sigma, which is a notable record for any college fraternity. To make this record all the more remarkable there are seven Hutcheson cousins and nephews of these seven brothers who also were members of Kappa Sigma at the institutions they attended.

Leading the seven Hutchesons of Boydton in seniority, and possibly in achievement, is C. Sterling Hutcheson whose last year at William and Mary was '14. He took law at the University of Virginia and was appointed United State District Attorney for the Eastern District of Virginia in 1933. He was made a member of the Board of Visitors of William and Mary in 1932 but resigned when he was appointed District Attorney. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

His brothers who followed him at William and Mary are: John Young Hutcheson, '16, now practicing law at Boydton, Va.; Herbert Farrar Hutcheson, Jr., '18, with the Imperial Tobacco Company; Nathaniel Goode Hutcheson, '22, Clerk of Mecklenburg County; and James Love Hutcheson, '33, Deputy Clerk of Mecklenburg County.

The two brothers who went to the University of Virginia are Dr. William Chiles Hutcheson of the Bellevue Hospital, New York City, and Joseph Collier Hutcheson, attorney, Lawrenceville, Va.

## ALUMNI DAY AND FINALS LAST JUNE GALA EVENTS

Finals for the 243rd session at William and Mary starting with Alumni Day, June 6th, and concluding on the night of June 8th with the Final Ball, proved to be one of the most interesting and brilliant commencements ever held at the College.

Several hundred alumni from many and distant parts of the country came in for the alumni program and quite a few stayed over the rest of the Finals.

An early arrival for the day was William H. "Flit" Neblett, '12, law partner of Wm. G. McAdoo, accompanied by Mrs. Neblett. The Nebletts flew in their private plane from Los Angeles to attend the finals. Both expressed great pleasure at seeing William and Mary again and spent much time in calling on Mr. Neblett's old friends among the residents of Williamsburg. Mr. Neblett flies east many times during the year and related his experience on one of these trips when he landed his plane in a cornfield in Lunenburg County which he had worked as a boy. The field appeared smaller than it had seemed to him as a youth and in order to take off when he left he had to draw a hundred gallons of gasoline from his plane.

Other alumni from a distance were J. H. Berwind, '09, Philadelphia; J. A. Whitman, '91, Wytheville, Va.; H. H. Fletcher, '11, and Ann Pharr, '34, Charleston, West Va.; Rev. W. F. Venables, '92, Newark, N. J.; Geo. B. Cranston, '32, Darby, Penn.; Catherine T. Dennis, '21, Raleigh, N. C.; Mrs. Elizabeth Erwin Higbee, '31, Philadelphia; J. D. Peebles, '04, West Palm Beach, Fla.; Harold G. Ashby, '30, East Orange, N. J.; Mrs. Harriett Harkrader London, '31, Johnson City, Tenn.; Evangeline Klug, '35, Ridgewood, N. J.; Ruth West, '35, Harrisburg, Penn.; Roger McDermott, '32, New Haven, Conn.; Joseph N. Cridline, '35, Jonesville, Va.; Mrs. Mary Virginia Craig Wornom, '26, Glen Ridge, N. J.; Larry C. Green, '25, Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. Elizabeth Young Stevens, '34, Elkhorn, West Va.; K. A. Agee, '11, Buffalo, N. Y.; Dr. Walter E. Vest, '92, Huntington, West Va.; and Otis C. Southern, '34, St. Petersburg, Fla.

The first event on the program for Alumni Day was a meeting of the F.H.C. Society (Flat Hat Club) founded at William and Mary in 1750, to initiate several former members of the old and now defunct, Spottswood Club. This meeting was held in the Apollo Room of Phi Beta Kappa Hall. Those received into the Society on this occasion were: Rev. W. B. Lee, Jr., '12; K. A. Agee, '13; Lemuel F. Games, '15; Ernest L. Wright, '15; B. D. Peachy, Jr., '14; H. Godwin Parker, '14; and Dr. George Oscar Ferguson, '07.

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association was called to order at 11 a.m. in Phi Beta Kappa Hall by President Joseph E. Healy, '10. The Senior Class, attending the meeting in cap and gown, was introduced to the alumni by its president, Eugene Barclay, and received into the body of the alumni of the College by Chas. J. Duke, Jr., '23, in a very appropriate address.

President John Stewart Bryan, after a very happy and interesting address to the alumni, presented the Alumni Medallion to six alumni, reading citations as follows:

WILLIAM G. JONES, 1876, has served his state as a teacher and his College as a faithful and devoted

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## HOMECOMING DAY

This annual event at William and Mary has been set for Saturday, November 7th, when the Indians play V.M.I. in football. Details of the program for the day will appear in the September and October Alumni Gazettes.

## COL. JOHN W. WRIGHT, '95, LOCATED IN PORTO RICO

Col. John W. Wright, '95, who has been in charge of National Guard affairs at Baltimore for the past two years, has been transferred to Puerto Rico and sailed for that island last June. In Puerto Rico he will command the Sixty-fifth U. S. Infantry, two regiments of the National Guard and will supervise the R.O.T.C. work at the University of Puerto Rico.

He and Mrs. Wright will live in Casa Blanca castle, built 400 years ago by Ponce de Leon as a fortress. It was taken over 200 years later by Spain as a residence for its military governors of the island.

The castle, an imposing stone structure surrounded by gardens of rare tropical plants, is the same in appearance as it was 400 years ago. During its use by the American Army officials, modern sanitary arrangements have been installed, but they have been concealed, so that the castle retains its colonial appearance in every way.

Col. Wright, a member of Kappa Sigma and Phi Beta Kappa, is a native of Kirkwood, Missouri, and a son of Brigadier General Marcus J. Wright of the Confederates States Army, and a grandson of Capt. Benjamin Wright of the Revolution.

Before going to Baltimore he served several years as professor of military science at the University of Missouri and previous to that he commanded the Fifth U. S. Infantry at Portland, Maine, a regiment his grandfather had served in during the Revolutionary War.

Col. Wright's military experience began in 1898 when he served as a Captain of Volunteers in the Spanish-American War.

During the World War he saw service with the Three Hundred and Twenty-eighth Infantry and later was on the general staff of the A.E.F. His decorations include the Distinguished Service Medal and the Legion of Honor.

Col. Wright is intensely loyal to William and Mary and has visited the College whenever his military duties would permit.

He suggested the gift of the gold watch, chain and bell to Henry Bilups, janitor at William and Mary since 1888, and presented the outfit to Henry here last Homecoming Day at a meeting of the alumni in Phi Beta Kappa Hall.

Colonel and Mrs. Wright expect to be stationed in Porto Rico for three years. They had planned to visit William and Mary last June but Col. Wright was ordered to his new post before they could carry out their intention.

## ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP DUES

Annual Dues	\$3.00
Contributing Membership	\$5.00
Life Memberships	
(Payable in instalments if desired)	\$50.00
Flat Hat (Student Publication) to Association Members	\$1.00

## TWO HUNDRED FORTY-FOURTH SESSION WILL OPEN ON SEPTEMBER FOURTEENTH

### INDIANS GATHER FOR FALL PRACTICE SEPT. 8

The William and Mary football squad for 1936 will report here on September 8th for practice and on hand to greet the squad will be the greatest array of coaching talent ever assembled at the College. Led by Athletic Director, Billy Gooch, starting his 9th year at William and Mary, the squad will find Branch Bocock, "Honest" John Kellison, Tommy Dowler, Bill Scott and Otis Douglas, awaiting them. Bocock is head coach, back after an absence of five years. He coached football here in 1928, '29, and '30, and his teams gave mighty good accounts of themselves. It is a foregone conclusion that Bocock will use the combined brains of this large coaching staff and that the squad will receive the most intensive training ever received by any squad at the College.

Both Bocock and Kellison are here for only the football season. Dowler will coach basketball this winter; Bill Scott and Otis Douglas will coach Freshman football and Scott will handle varsity baseball next spring with Dowler taking care of Freshman baseball. Otis Douglas will also teach classes in Physical Education.

The older men who are expected to return for this season are: Backs—Otis Bunch, a runner and forward passer of unusual ability; Arthur Woodward, fullback; Johnny Trueheart, quarterback; Ed Motley, Everett Blake, Lawrence Oliver, Fred Scruggs and Frank Livesay, a fleet track man, who has also played guard and end. Linemen expected back are: Joe Marino, Guard and Captain; Benedetto, Guard; Hadtke, Guard; Wm. Davies, Guard; Dan Edmondson, Guard; McGowan, Pye and Bruno, Centers; Zable, DeGutis, Coiner and Geo. Bunch, Ends; Wayne Harper, Zanghi and Russell Haynie, Tackles.

From the Freshman squad of last year are expected: Kruger, center; Tanner and Harris, guards; Hook and Walker, tackles; Kamen and Koss, ends; Rhinehart, Hern, Canepa, Della Torre, Wyatt Carneal and Jack O'Hare, backs.

Men who will be sorely missed from the squad this year are: Blaker, Sheeran, Ned LeGrande, Norman Murray, Stumpy Bryant, Szumigala, Robert Wallace and John Matheny. LeGrande and Murray at tackle will

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Larger and Better Qualified Freshman Class Expected.

### NEW DEPARTMENT OPENS

President John Stewart Bryan Explains Background of Fine Arts School.

Prospects for a banner year in William and Mary's history loomed as the College prepared to open on September 14th for its 244th year. New courses, a record enrollment of new students, and a bright football horizon all point toward a most successful year.

With the selective system, formulated by the late Dr. J. A. C. Chandler and inaugurated by President John Stewart Bryan in full effect this year, an advance enrollment of over a one hundred per cent increase above last year's figures caused enrollment of women students to be curtailed late in July and at present a waiting list of substantial size has been made necessary.

On August 8th, Miss Kathleen Alsop, Registrar, said, "The large number of advance enrollments is distinctly encouraging, not only because of its size as affecting both men and women new students, but also as to the distinctly desirable type of candidates applying for admission. While we already have a waiting list of women applicants, there is also every reason to believe that facilities for men students will very soon be completely filled."

An analysis of the applications received showed that the number of applications received in the office of the Registrar during July were the highest recorded in any month of the College's history, not even exceeded during the months preceeding the peak enrollments of 1930 and 1931.

New students will arrive here on the 14th for a three-day Orientation program, consisting of lectures on the use of the Library, the Honor System, intelligence tests, entrance examinations for some conditionally accepted, and a well balanced entertainment program, designed to introduce the new students to college and have them prepared when classes start on the 19th. Upperclassmen will arrive on the 17th for their two day registration period.

Practically all of the freshman registration work has been done, a carefully worked out system inaugurated

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## News of W. & M. Alumni

Charles W. Wharton, Jr., '00, of Bedford, Va., visited the College the latter part of June. Mr. Wharton's father was a member of the class of 1872 and a brother of Dr. L. B. Wharton, a member of the famous faculty of William and Mary known as "The Seven Wise Men." His father was in College with Mr. R. M. Hughes, Sr., of Norfolk, Va., and he, himself, was a classmate of Mr. Hughes' son, R. M. Hughes, Jr.

Miss Eleanor Amelia Martin, a member of the class of '35, was married on June 25th to Dr. J. P. Kent of Alta Vista, Va. Dr. Kent is a brother of Bruce Kent, '35 and Alice Kent, '36.

Fred M. Alexander, '21, now with the State Department of Education after 13 years as principal of the

Newport News High School, taught at Columbia University this summer.

Miss Lillian Slauson, '35, of James City County, was married this summer to Mr. Cecil R. Sutton. The ceremony was performed in the old church at Jamestown.

Joseph Wilson Carney, '29, of Newport News, is practicing medicine at Logan, West Va.

Miss Idella Scarborough Horsey, B.S. of '32, and a Life Member of the Alumni Association, was married last May to Johann Otto, Count zu Herberstein of Austria. Miss Horsey took her M.A. at the U. of Maryland and also studied in Paris. They will live in Austria in the Count's home, Castle Herberstein.

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## ALUMNI DEATHS

### Henry Denison Cole, '75

Henry Denison Cole, a life long resident of Williamsburg, died here on August 18th, at the age of eighty, after an illness of several months.

Mr. Cole was a devoted alumnus of William and Mary and served as secretary of the Alumni Association for many years after the opening of the College in 1888. It was largely through his efforts that the Association functioned during this period. He was ever on the watch for anything pertaining to the College and collected many old graduation programs, pictures, etc., which he proudly displayed in his little shop on the Duke of Gloucester Street.

He was the son of Robert Francis Cole of Williamsburg and Elizabeth Labbe Reed Cole of Lynchburg. He was born in the house in Williamsburg which was his residence at the time of his death.

Mr. Cole was active in the social and civic life of Williamsburg for a period of sixty years. He was post-master during Cleveland's administration, served for 25 years on the school board, was a member of the city council at various times and served for 40 years as a vestryman of Bruton Parish Church.

His particular hobby was the Pulaskee Club formed here in colonial days and of which he was secretary for 60 years. The Club celebrated his 80th birthday and his 60 years as its secretary with a banquet during the past winter.

A year or two ago he was presented with the alumni medallion of the College for his exceptional services and loyalty.

His funeral was conducted in Bruton Parish Church and interment was made in Cedar Grove Cemetery. He is survived by his wife who was Miss Carrie Lane of Williamsburg and a sister of the late Col. L. W. Lane, Jr., an alumnus of the College of the class of '79.

### Zachary Goodrich Durfey

Z. G. Durfey, a member of the class of 1870, died suddenly at Urbanna, Va., on June 22nd in the 88th year of his age. While he had been indisposed for a year or more, he had continued his duties with the Highway Department where he had been employed since 1907, almost up to the day of his death. Mr. Durfey was a man of most lovable character and endeared himself to all who knew him. It was a pleasure and a privilege to engage him in conversation and he invariably left one with a definite impression of his fine Christian character, his good will toward all mankind and a rare optimism.

Mr. Durfey was born in Williamsburg on November 6, 1848. As a boy of thirteen he stood on the campus of William and Mary in 1862 and witnessed the burning of the Wren Building by Federal troops. He entered the College in 1865 when it

reopened after the war. All through his life he was a staunch and loyal alumnus of his Alma Mater and attended many alumni functions.

During his youth he lived at both Bassett Hall in Williamsburg and on Jamestown Island, owned at the time by his father.

He married Miss Lelia Jackson of Fauquier County whom he survived by many years.

He is survived by one son, George J. Durfey, '07, an alumnus of William and Mary and a prominent engineer of Chicago.

Funeral services were held in Bruton Parish Church of which Mr. Durfey was a vestryman for a number of years and interment was made in Cedar Grove cemetery at Williamsburg.

### Charles Carter Robinson, '22

Charles Carter Robinson, '22, died in a Richmond hospital on July 19th after a four months illness. He was a son of the late Judge E. S. Robinson of Newport News and was born on December 1, 1901.

After leaving William and Mary, Mr. Robinson became connected with the tobacco company of J. P. Taylor in Richmond and later went with the Universal Leaf Tobacco Company where he was employed when he died.

He was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity and the Country Club of Virginia. He was buried in Hollywood Cemetery.

### William Virginius New, '25

William Virginius New, '25, died in a Richmond hospital on July 12th at the age of 29. He was a native of Oxford, N. C., but had lived in Richmond since leaving William and Mary. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Pauline Blanton of the class of '34, by his parents and a brother of Atlanta, Ga.

## COLLEGE CATALOGUE

The catalogue of the College of William and Mary in Virginia for its two hundred and forty-third year, 1935-36, with announcements for the session of 1936-37, is one of the most interesting ever published by the College. In size it has been increased from 7 3/4 by 5 1/4 inches to 9x5 inches, and contains 260 pages.

One item of considerable interest incorporated in this issue is the charter of the College granted in 1693 by King William and Queen Mary. The charter is a document of more than 6000 words and is interesting reading even in this day and time.

Other items of interest are a short history of the College, a chronological history, and a description of the buildings on the campus.

A limited number of these catalogues are available to alumni of the College and will be mailed out by the Alumni Office upon request.

## JUDGE UPSHUR ON W. & M.

Richmond, Va.  
Nov. 27, 1840

Hon. Thomas Walker Gilmer,  
Gov. of Virginia,  
Dr. Sir:

When I left Williamsburg five days ago I was charged by Dr. Peachy with a verbal message to you, which I should deliver personally to you but for your absence from town. The Doctor requests that you would "read the last year's report from the College of Wm. and Mary to the Legislature before you close your message to that body." This is all that he requested me to say, but I have no doubt that he expected me to say something more; and with your leave, I will do so.

There are now one hundred & four students in the College, which is more than could be expected, in the present condition of the country. It is probably more, in proportion, than can be found at any other Institution in the State. They are remarkable for their studious habits & orderly conduct; which, considering the character of the College in that respect, until within a few years past, is a decisive proof of the excellence of the discipline which now prevails. I say nothing of the character of the Professors, because you know them as well as I do, & doubtless respect them as highly. But may I be allowed to say that I have been a student at both Yale & Princeton colleges, & in neither of them have I seen as able a body of Professors, as judicious a system of discipline, or as profitable a course of study. Wm. & Mary College has educated most of the distinguished men who have done honor, not only to Virginia, but to the United States; & if I may be allowed to judge of the future by the promises of the present time, she has, within the last few years prepared, & is now preparing, others who will prove themselves worthy to be the successors of the good & great who have heretofore come out from the same academic halls.

But she needs help; & does she not deserve it? It is remarkable that Wm. & Mary College, the oldest & most renowned of our Literary Institutions, has received little or no aid from the Legislature, while a very liberal spirit has been manifested towards all the rest. I know it is supposed that she is already rich, but this is a great mistake. She can barely get along with very moderate salaries to a very small corps of Professors, & with a most vigorously economical administration of her funds in other respects. The College edifices require repairs, & the system of instruction ought to be extended. I think it cannot be doubted that with a little aid from our Legislature—even with less than her just proportion—she will place herself in a condition to confer more solid benefit upon the State than any other of her seminaries of learning.

I am sure that you will excuse the liberty I take, in bringing this subject to your notice. It is one of deep interest to me, & I think, to all Virginia, nay, to all the South.

I am your obt. sr.

A. P. UPSHUR

Note: Abel P. Upshur was Secretary of State under President Tyler. He was at this time Judge of the General Court of Virginia. Thomas W. Gilmer was Governor.

## GUY, RANGER HISTORIAN

George W. Guy, '02, who has been with the National Park Service for several years, stationed at Fredericksburg, Va., has been appointed Ranger Historian at the Petersburg National Military Park at Petersburg, Va., and reported for duty there in July.

Mr. Guy was the first full time alumni secretary at William and Mary, serving in that capacity for several years until 1932 when he resigned. His work as Alumni Secretary gave great impetus to alumni affairs at William and Mary. He was

## BRIDGES, '25, HEADS C. of C.

J. Malcolm Bridges, B.S., '25, son of H. L. Bridges, '93, of Williamsburg, was elected executive secretary of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce early this summer.

After graduating at William and Mary, Mr. Bridges served a while as assistant alumni secretary at the College and then went into newspaper work. In 1929 he went with the Chamber of Commerce and soon became editor of the "Richmond Magazine," the official publication of that organization. In 1932 he was made secretary of the Chamber of Commerce which position he held until his recent promotion.

The Richmond newspapers were unanimous in their approval of Mr. Bridges promotion and gave high praise to the efficiency of his work in the past, which covered a wide range of fields. His industrial surveys have been widely discussed and adopted as models in many cities.

Mr. Bridges directed the F.H.A. campaign in Richmond in its early stages, perfecting for that Federal agency a plan used as a national model throughout the country.

He has shown much interest in the alumni affairs of William and Mary and is president of the William and Mary Club of Richmond. Last June he was elected to the Board of Managers of the general Alumni Association.

## A. A. C. STATISTICS

The American Alumni Council, an organization composed of the memberships of hundreds of colleges and universities that have alumni associations and alumni offices, last year sent out a questionnaire to its members asking for certain information relating to alumni work which recently published and distributed privately, gives some very interesting information.

Of chief interest is the part of the report on paid alumni dues. The report from eighteen state institutions shows that the percentage of alumni who pay their alumni association dues runs from 2 1/4% to 22%. In a list of 18 institutions William and Mary is in twelfth position with a percentage of 6 1/2. In the total amount of financial receipts from alumni William and Mary is in 21st place among 24 state institutions that reported on this item.

On the matter of the institution's appropriation for alumni work William and Mary stands seventeenth among eighteen institutions.

## BAGBY, '98, MAKES RECORD

Loyalty to one's Alma Mater may be expressed in many different ways and alumni can build up some interesting records in connection with this laudable inclination. One of the most effective expressions of loyalty is a constant contact with Alma Mater through visits to the campus. An unusual record of visits to William and Mary by one of her alumni came to the attention of the Alumni Office this summer. It is the record of Mr. George W. Bagby, '96, of Richmond, Va. Mr. Bagby has attended thirty-nine of the forty commencements at William and Mary since he left here in 1896. His one absence was caused by circumstances beyond his control. Mr. Bagby has been in the employ of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad for a number of years.

Miss Nancy Latane Lewis, B.A., '34, of Tappahannock, Va., and George Ruffin Winfree, B.S., '34, of Richmond, Va., were married on August 22nd. They will reside at Big Island, Va., where Mr. Winfree is employed by the Bedford Pulp and Paper Company.

successful in organizing a number of alumni clubs and before giving up the work edited and published the present alumni catalogue.

## ALUMNI MEMBERSHIPS

The following tabulation shows the membership of the Alumni Association by classes, men and women, as of June 30th, 1936.

The total of 779 is the highest in the history of the Association, having increased to this number from 266 since the fall of 1932.

An interesting fact revealed by these figures is that since 1919 when co-education was adopted at William and Mary, the women members of the Association outnumber the men of this same period by 28.

Since 1930 the women members outnumber the men by 70 memberships. In the total memberships of 779 the men hold 62 per cent and the women 38 per cent. Out of approximately 9000 living alumni of the College, two-thirds are men and one-third, women.

## PAID UP MEMBERSHIP OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY IN VIRGINIA.

June 30, 1936

Class	Men	Women	Total
1870	1		1
71	0		0
72	0		0
73	1		1
74	0		0
75	1		1
76	4		4
77	0		0
78	0		0
79	0		0
80	1		1
81	1		1
—	—	—	—
89	0		0
90	3		3
91	5		5
92	9		9
93	5		5
94	7		7
95	3		3
96	1		1
97	5		5
98	4		4
99	10		10
1900	7		7
01	12		12
02	10		10
03	6		6
04	5		5
05	5		5
06	9		9
07	12		12
08	9		9
09	8		8
10	11		11
11	10		10
12	6		6
13	7		7
14	7		7
15	6		6
16	11		11
17	8		8
18	9		9
19	4		4
20	11	1	12
21	7	3	10
22	6	3	9
23	11	7	18
24	9	8	17
25	13	5	18
26	12	7	19
27	17	9	26
28	16	12	28
29	8	7	15
30	22	35	57
31	19	21	40
32	12	13	25
33	14	17	31
34	16	19	35
35	46	58	104
36	18	54	72
Faculty	7	1	8
Non-alumni	1	1	2
	488	291	779
Total Memberships in September, 1932			266

## PHOTOGRAPHS

8x10 photographs of William and Mary's faculty of the '90's "The Seven Wise Men." \$1.00 each.  
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## ALUMNI PERSONALS

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Ashton Dovell, '07, delivered the graduating address at V.M.I. and at the Harrisonburg State Normal in June.

Chas. W. Sydnor, '05, is an Episcopal minister at Pulaski, Va.

Betsy Price, '29 (Mrs. John Branch Green) is librarian at St. Christopher's School, Richmond.

Mary Edwards, '35, has resumed her duties as librarian at Dickenson Memorial High School, Clintwood, Va., after a vacation spent in Williamsburg, North Carolina and Gloucester.

Elizabeth Alice Erwin, '31, (Mrs. C. M. Higbee) is principal of All Saints Country Day School at Torresdale, Pa.

Chapman S. Moorman, '21, known to his classmates as "Turkey," is practicing medicine in Louisville, Ky., and has an office in the Heyburn Building.

Helen Purdum Bell, '31, daughter of Rev. C. C. Bell, '10, of Portsmouth, became the bride of Dr. E. Ruffin Jones, Jr., on June 11th. Dr. Jones is a member of the faculty of the Norfolk Division of the College of William and Mary.

Eleanor Sanford Hooker, '34, was married on June 19th to Edward Randolph Boisseau, '35, of Petersburg. Miss Hooker is a daughter of Judge H. Lester Hooker, '07, Chairman of the State Corporation Commission and a member of the 3-3-3 Athletic Committee at William and Mary.

Lieut. W. Blair Barnes, '27, of Barmahville, Va., has accepted a position with United Air Lines. Formerly he was with the research department at Langley Field.

Ernestine Groves, '31, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. E. R. Groves of the University of North Carolina, was married in June to Ensign Richard H. O'Kane of the U. S. Navy.

Marshall Baggett, '31, was married this summer to Miss Katherine Weller of Alexandria, Va.

Max Doman, '35, of Middletown, Va., and Lois Barrett Jenkins, '32, of Windsor, Va., were married on June 11th. The ceremony took place in the Garden of the Palace of the Royal Governors in Williamsburg.

Mattie Lou Newman, B.A. of '33, received her Master's degree from Columbia University in June.

Walter Mortimer Robinson, '90, was an interested visitor at William and Mary early in June. It was his first visit here in many years. He is connected with the Pennsylvania R.R. and lives in Philadelphia.

Alice Herzberg, '33, received her Ph.D. at Oxford University last spring.

Col. Joseph E. Healy, '05, executive president of the Citizens National Bank of Hampton, attended Rutgers University this summer for a special course in Banking.

Nathan M. Caffee, A.B. of '28, is an instructor in English at Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge.

Leon P. Lewis, A.B., of '30, was married this summer to Miss Lois Eleanor Waterman of Norwich, Conn.

Bertha Jane Capps, '35, daughter of J. E. Capps, '10, and Mrs. Capps, Norfolk, Va., was married June 9th to Robert Allen Sheeran, of Brooklyn, N. Y., a junior at William and Mary.

John G. Epaminonda, '30, is practicing law in Washington, D. C. His office is in the Evans Building.

William Heltzel, '32, and Dorothea Pleasants, '32, of Newport News, were married last May. They will reside in Newport News at 3114 West Ave.

Rev. Willard M. Entwisle, '30, preached the baccalaureate sermon at the Newport News High School finals in June.

Harriett Moorman Harkrader, '31, is now Mrs. Robert Patterson London, Jr., of Boxwood Terrace, Johnson City, Tenn.

Elizabeth Brokaw Griffin, '31, of Norfolk, was married this summer to Gerald M. Conkling of Washington, D. C.

Rev. John F. Ward, '30, formerly a member of the faculty of Maury High School, Norfolk, has been appointed minister in charge of the Church of the Ascension in Norfolk.

William Ralph Benthall, '33, of Phoebus, Va., was married in June to Miss Marguerite Sterling of the same city.

Joseph W. Stankus, '34, and Inez Powell, '35, were married this summer. They will live in Christiansted, St. Croix, Virgin Islands, where Mr. Stankus is employed by the U. S. Treasury Dept.

A.W.D. Carlson, '26, is manager of the investment department of the Sun Life Insurance Company of America and is living in Baltimore.

Isabelle Neilson, '32, of New York City, spent the summer in France, Scotland and England.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Baldwin (Vera K. Trabold, '31) announce the arrival of Nathaniel Trabold Baldwin on May 10, 1936.

James M. Ellison, '33, was married last April to Miss Ann Catherine Bannon of Kansas City, Kans.

Vernon L. Nunn, '25, and Mrs. Nunn (Elizabeth King, '34) announce the arrival of Betty Joyce Nunn on May 2nd, 1936.

W. L. Bland, '24, and Mrs. Bland, of Knoxville, Tenn., were visitors at the College in June.

V. I. Grizzard, '23, is with the Health Department of Knoxville, Tenn.

W. S. Webster, '25, is in the coal business at Knoxville, Tenn., with headquarters in the Hamilton National Bank Building.

Dorothy Liebeskind, '34, and Dr. S. Charles Werblow, '29, of New York City, both graduates of William and Mary, were married in August. Dr. Werblow, formerly of Newport News, also is a graduate of the Medical College of Virginia and is now on the staff of the Metropolitan Hospital of New York.

William Stanley Lawson, B.S., '34, of Locust Hill, Va., and Dorcas M. Edmister, B.S. '33, of Henrico county, were married on June 10th.

Lucie Courtice McDonald, '30, of Henrico County was married in June to Raymond B. Campbell of the same county.

Andrew J. Christensen, B.S. '34, and a star baseball player at William and Mary, was married on June 13th to Miss Sallie Mae Clark of Hopewell. Mr. Christensen is a member of the Midway High School faculty.

Elizabeth C. Britton, A.B. '33, of Richmond, Va., was married on June 16th to Mr. George E. Miley, Jr., of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. B. M. Bros, 2753 Upton Ave., Minneapolis, Minn. (formerly Edith Llewellyn Baker, B.S. '27, of Parkersley, Va.) visited the College on June 26th.

Mary Gladys Omohundro, B.S., '27; M.A., '36, was married to Walter E. Horn, B.S. '35, on June 20th.

Ruth Harrison Wilson, B.A., '34, and Mr. Ellis Mellen James were married on June 27th.

Miss Miriam Silberger, B.A. '28, of Norfolk, Va., was married June 28th to Mr. Joseph Goodman of Martinsville, Va.

Alan M. Graff, '30, and Mrs. Graff toured England and France this summer.

Rob Roy Doss, '17, was recently promoted by the Navy Department to a surgeency with the rank of Lieutenant Commander.

Frances Elizabeth Healey, B. A. '27, of Revis, Middlesex county, Va., has been appointed relief director for her county. She is a sister of Joseph E. Healy, '10; Captain John H. Healy, '14, and Elliott Healy, '31.

Rev. H. B. Owen, '27, Pastor of Benn's Church, near Smithfield, Va., was a visitor at the College in July.

Senorita Carmencita Venegas-Campos, of Costa Rica, who attended the College of William and Mary for two years, taking courses in aeronautics both at the College and at Langley Field, transferred to V.P.I. this year to complete the technical courses. Her flying education is being sponsored by the Costa Rican government.

Lieut. Chas. H. Hart, Jr., of Smithfield, Va., is instructor in Military Tactics at the University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.

Rev. E. A. deBordenave, B. A. '32, has been made Assistant Rector of St. Paul's Church in Richmond, Va.

Mr. Edward Dudley Spencer, '74, of New York City, visited his brother, Mr. Robert L. Spencer of Williamsburg, in July. It was Mr. Spencer's first visit to William and Mary in fifteen years.

Dr. Osborne Dahlgren Christensen, '30, was married on June 24th to Miss Mary Elizabeth Hartness of Washington, D. C.

Richard Mann, A.B. '29, and Mrs. Mann, formerly Katherine Rhodes, B. S. '29, of Middletown, Va., visited the College in July. Mr. Mann is in the advertising business and is vice president of the New York William and Mary Club. It was their first visit to Williamsburg since their graduation.

John Tyler, '07, professor of mathematics at the U. S. Naval Academy, accompanied by Mrs. Tyler and their youngest daughter, were here in July to make arrangements to enter their oldest daughter at William and Mary for the coming session. Miss Tyler will be the first woman of this distinguished family to enter the College. Her ancestors who attended William and Mary include John Tyler Sr., 1754; John Tyler, Jr., 1806, president of the United States, and many great-great uncles.

Dr. Clarence Porter Jones, Jr., '29, who has been on the West coast for several years, is now located at Craigsville, Va.

Mrs. Gustav Heiss (Virginia Marie Tucker Jones, A. B. '33) sailed for Europe with her husband on July 15th. Lieut. Heiss took part in the Duelling Sword competition in the Olympics while Mrs. Heiss toured England and France. Mrs. Heiss is the daughter of Prof. L. Tucker Jones, '25, head of the Physical Education Department at William and Mary.

Miss Charlotte Byrd Sanford, A. B. '29, was married on July 20th to Mr. Karl K. Koontz of Raleigh, N. C. They will live on Randolph Road, Rivermont, Newport News, Va.

Miss Lucy G. Robins, a member of the Botetourt High School faculty at Gloucester, Virginia, was married on July 9th to Dr. Thomas M. Lynch of Oxford, N. C. They will live in San Diego, Cal., where Dr. Lynch is stationed as a member of the Navy Medical Corps.

Miss Ann Fairleigh, '36, of Hopkinsville, Ky., sailed for England this summer where she will study for the next two years. She will live at 4 Elvaston Place, Queen's Gate, S.W. 7, London.

Miss Charlotte Foster, '33, of Clarendon, Va., was married Aug. 1st to Mr. Frederick Davis of Washington, D. C.

R. H. Land, '35, and Charles E. Hatch, '35, received their M.A. degrees at the University of Virginia last June. Both majored in History.

J. R. Dietrich, '35, will be at the University of Virginia again this session where he is majoring in physics.

Miss Elizabeth Margaret Richardson of Newport News, was married in August to Warren Schaefer Gilman of West Point, N. Y. Mr. Gilman is stationed at Langley Field.

Miss Katherine Cheek Hunter, '33, of Whaleyville, Va., was married on August 1st to Philip T. Marshall, Jr., '29, of Newport News. A number of William and Mary alumni and alumnae took part in the wedding, among whom were Mrs. Fitz Ormond Clark, '26, sister of the bride; John Marshall, '26, brother of the groom; Miss Jane Odom Parker, '36, of Norfolk; Miss Peggy Parker, '36; Miss Eleanor Griffith, '29 and Fitz Ormond Clarke, '28.

Mrs. Marshall is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta. Mr. Marshall is a member of S.A.E. and is employed at the Citizens Marine Jefferson Bank in Newport News.

Judge Walter Henderson Robertson, '95, and Mrs. Robertson, were visitors at the College on August 7th, enroute to Philadelphia where they have a married daughter living. Judge Robertson is judge of the Circuit Court of Smyth and Washington counties and lives at Abingdon. He was one of the youngest students ever to enter William and Mary, being just fourteen when he matriculated. He delivered the alumni address here in June 1921.

Miss Ann Cary Wynne, '32, of Williamsburg was married on August 8th to Mr. F. F. Boelt. The ceremony took place in the old church at Jamestown. Mr. Boelt is with the Person Motor Corporation of Williamsburg.

John L. Maulbetsch, '32, was a visitor at the College on August 8th. Mr. Maulbetsch entered William and Mary from Geneva, Switzerland. He is now a research engineer and is living at 520 E. Jefferson street, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Miss Hazel Young, of Covington Gap, Va., a cousin of Dr. R. C. Young, '10, was married on July 25th to Mr. George Click. Both have been members of the faculty of the high school at Staunton, Va., for several years.

W. Elliott Dold, Jr., '12, of New York, was here on May 26th, accompanied by his father and Dr. Walter Montgomery of the U. of Virginia. It was his first visit in 23 years and he was greatly impressed with the changes that have taken place.

Miss Marian Bedwell, '25, visited the College in May. She is principal of an elementary school at Paulsboro, New Jersey.

Fred M. Parrish, '05, who is practicing law at Winston-Salem, N. C., visited the College last May. It was his first visit in many years.

Rev. Van. F. Garrett, Jr., '20, rector of St. Paul's, Flint, Mich., conducted the services at Bruton Parish Church on May 24th.

Phillip B. Hamilton, '31, with the Denison Manufacturing Company, Framingham, Mass., was a visitor here early in June.

Lewis A. McMurrin, '32, of Newport News, received the Herndon prize award at the Washington and Lee finals in June.

Robert C. Harper, '22, was recently elected executive secretary of the Citizen's Road League of Virginia which will have its headquarters in Richmond, Va. Mr. Harper has had twenty years experience as a newspaperman, serving at various times as financial, political, sports and feature writer. Thirteen years of this period were with the Times-Dispatch. His other newspaper connections were with the Richmond News Leader and the Washington Herald.

Miss Ewell Lizinka Crawford, '33, has been appointed librarian of the Staunton, Va., schools. Miss Ewell is a daughter of the late Prof. R. M. Crawford, a member of the William and Mary faculty for many years. She is also a great-granddaughter of Col. Benjamin S. Ewell, president of William and Mary in 1848 and from 1854 to 1888.

Miss Page Johnson, '33, of Danville, Va., will head the French department of the Staunton High School this session.

Miss Helen V. Singer, '34, was a visitor at the College in August. She has been living in Honolulu since her graduation where her father is stationed as an Army Officer. She will not return to Honolulu until later this year. In the meantime she is visiting in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and expects to return to William and Mary for Homecoming Day, November 7th.

## INDIANS GATHER SEPT. 8TH

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be hard to replace.

Of special interest to those who know him is that Joe Flickinger, star basketball and pole vault man, will try football this fall. He is just the half pint size type but in any athletic contest he is like loose lightning. If he gets into the William and Mary backfield this fall in any game he will do things and go places while he is there.

The schedule for this fall is the best all round one for many years and is conspicuous for the absence of the large northern teams that have been played by William and Mary during the past thirteen years. Navy is the only out of state team on the list except Guilford, which is a rest game here on October 17. The Indians will meet Navy, Virginia and V.P.I. in succession, beginning Sept. 26 at Annapolis and therefore the Guilford game was a wise selection.

Virginia will be met at Norfolk on Oct. 3, when the new stadium of the Norfolk Division will be opened. This stadium will seat 18,000 people and is therefore nearly twice the size of the municipal stadium in Richmond. It was erected at a cost of nearly \$325,000. A. H. Foreman, '99, heading a committee in Norfolk on arrangements for this game has been working all summer on this matter and expects to fill the stadium for the game.

## Football Schedule

Sept. 26—Navy; there  
Oct. 3—Virginia; at Norfolk  
Oct. 10—V.P.I.; at Richmond  
Oct. 17—Guilford; here  
Oct. 24—Roanoke; here  
Oct. 31—Hampden-Sydney; here  
Nov. 7—V.M.I. (Homecoming Day) here  
Nov. 14—Washington & Lee; Norfolk  
Nov. 26—Richmond; there



### ALUMNI DAY AND FINALS (Continued from Page 1)

alumnus for two generations. Through all his years, his life and character have been true to the finest traditions of our Alma Mater and of Tidewater Virginia. He has not only given a long life of active devotion to William and Mary but he has given his three sons to his Alma Mater.

J. A. SALLE, 1881, has personified through all the years of his long life the very best in the traditions and the culture of his College, of his state, and of the period of his youth. He is a living example of both the loyal alumnus, and the Virginia gentleman of the old type.

JOSEPH HENRY SAUNDERS, 1896, has loved and worked for his Alma Mater for forty years while rendering conspicuous and outstanding services to Virginia in the field of public education. His sons and daughters have followed him to William and Mary. His devotion to the College and the quality of his services to the state increase with each passing year.

WALTER EDWARD VEST, 1903, has for thirty years been regularly numbered among the "Old Guard" in loyalty and devotion to the interests of our Alma Mater. While leading the busy life of a distinguished physician hundreds of miles from Williamsburg he has always done what he could for William and Mary.

WILLIAM GUSTAVUS THOMPSON, Jr., 1928, exemplifies the quality of his loyalty to the College by almost constant work for it. In the current year he has taken the lead in greatly strengthening the Alumni Club of his home city, Norfolk, Va.

CHARLES POST McCURDY, Jr., 1933, has kept as an alumnus the high ideals of service to his College which every true man gets in the "golden haze of student days." Since his graduation, his devoted services to the College have infused new life and spirit into the Alumni Club of Washington, his home city.

Mr. Bryan referred to the long connection of the family of W. G. Jones, '76, with the College, stating that Mr. Jones was preceded at William and Mary by his grandfather, John W. Jones, 1813; his father, James B. Jones, 1841, and his uncle, Alexander Jones, 1841. He was followed at William and Mary by his brother, A. Drewry Jones, 1881, and by his sons, James B. Jones, 1902; Edward D. Jones, 1904 and A. Drewry Jones, 1910.

A resolution drawn by S. Otis Bland, '96, providing for the appointment of a committee of alumni to work in cooperation with the College administration to celebrate the 250th anniversary of the founding of William and Mary in 1943 was offered in Mr. Bland's absence by G. Walter Mapp, '94, and was unanimously adopted. A committee of twenty-five will be appointed by President Healy sometime this fall.

Joseph E. Healy, '10, was re-elected president of the Association and Dr. Sidney B. Hall, '16, was made vice-president. J. Malcolm Bridges, '25, and Chas. P. McCurdy, Jr., '33, were elected to the Board of Managers. Robert P. Wallace, '20, was re-elected as secretary-treasurer and Judge H. Lester Hooker, '07, was continued on the 3-3-3 Athletic Committee.

Memorial exercises were held at Col. Ewell's grave after the alumni meeting and President John Stewart Bryan delivered an inspiring memorial address. Appropriate music was furnished by the College Choir under Prof. G. M. Small and H. L. Bridges, '93, read the roll of alumni who had died since last June. The invocation and benediction were pronounced by Rev. W. F. Venables, '92.

At 1 p.m. more than a thousand alumni, students and members of the faculty repaired to the dining hall where they were guests of the College at a delicious luncheon in the preparation of which, Y. O. Kent, '31, steward of the College, did his reputation more than justice.

On this occasion, Dr. George O.

Ferguson, '07, Dean of the College of the University of Virginia, delivered the annual alumni address which was a masterpiece and thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present.

Reunion meetings of twelve classes were held in the rooms of the Wren Building at 3 p.m. Leading these classes was the venerable class of 1876 with five of its ten living members present as follows: W. G. Jones, Archie Brooks, Jr., W. T. L. Taliaferro, C. C. Branch and Robt. J. Barksdale.

At 5 p.m. the alumni, faculty and senior class gathered on the shores of Lake Matoaka and mingled for an hour or more in the spirit of fraternalism that marks all William and Mary gatherings. With electrical arrangements and amplifiers, Herbert K. Salter, '36, furnished delightful music for the occasion from the promenade on top of the boat house. Interspersed with this program were selections played by the William and Mary trumpeters from Holly Point on the lake. This music, floating across the lake to the listeners, added a great deal to a thoroughly enjoyable occasion.

The Alumni Day program was concluded with a dance in Blow Gymnasium which was declared the best in years.

Dr. Beverley D. Tucker, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Richmond, preached the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, June 7th, taking as his subject, "The Higher Loyalties of Life's Vocations."

Monday, June 8th, was graduation day when 212 degrees were awarded. The exercises were held out doors on the west front of the Wren Building. Dr. Douglas Freeman delivered the graduation address on "Early Educational Ideals: Virginia and Massachusetts."

Dr. James Bryant Conant, president of Harvard received the honorary degree of doctor of laws at these exercises.

An innovation at the exercises was the use of bachelor hoods by all members of the graduating class. These hoods in the gold, green and silver of William and Mary made the recession one of the most picturesque ever seen at the College.

President Bryan held a reception in the Great Hall and on the north lawn of the campus late in the afternoon which was attended by a host of the graduates of '36, their families and friends. Mr. Bryan's chief guest on this occasion was Mr. Charles H. Taylor, publisher of the Boston Globe.

A delicious buffet supper was served on the Refectory Quadrangle at 6:30 p.m.

The crowning event of this commencement was the Grand Ball on the night of the eighth which was planned for the Sunken Garden. President Bryan had given it his personal attention and Professor Leslie Cheek of the Art Department, a genius in presenting affairs of this kind, had worked out a beautiful set up. A movable dance floor was laid on the bed of the garden and decorated with startling effects. Above the garden, overlooking the dance floor, lattice work boxes for the faculty and various departments of the College were arranged. It was a sight out of a fairy tale book and while early arrivals had the experience of a few dances in this novel setting, rain which had threatened all evening, finally drove the crowd to Blow Gymnasium and because youth will not be denied, the dance went merrily on until the wee hours of the morning and memories of it, as a fitting climax to one of the best commencements ever celebrated at the college will linger for many years.

### 244TH SESSION

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by Dean of Freshmen J. Wilfred Lambert ironing out most of the difficulties and arranging courses by mail during the summer months.

Student aid through the National Youth Administration will be continued during the coming year and most of the assignments have already been

made by Dean Lambert.

### Fine Arts Department

A new Department of Fine Arts, including the five major arts, architecture, painting, sculpture, music and the theatre, will function for the first time this fall. A faculty of five will teach the various courses offered.

The department will be divided into three special fields; Architecture, painting and sculpture; music; and the theatre. Each subject will be taught by instructors capable of presenting their respective subjects from a historical and critical as well as a technical point of view. No attempt will be made to train students professionally in the arts, instead the greater understanding obtained by some technical work will be stressed with the idea that a knowledge of the history of an art lends depth to its contemporary practice.

"The development of the field of Fine Arts at William and Mary," said President Bryan in announcing the new department, "is simply another advance along the line of intensifying the work of William and Mary as a liberal arts college. It would be a grave oversight if in Williamsburg—the source and center of colonial architecture—nothing was taught of the history and development of that great example of artistic growth. Already the courses on Architecture, as a field of appreciation, have won a high and distinct place in the work of the College.

"The field of dramatics has long been distinguished for the quality of work done by William and Mary students, especially in the Eighteenth Century field. Last year's productions, both in acting and in stage settings and equipment, made notable advances, and were widely praised. It is purposed to repeat the plan of giving plays nightly during Garden Week in 1937 so that visitors can get an intimate feeling of Eighteenth Century amusement on the site of the capital of Virginia at the height of its power and culture. The experience of colleges has universally approved and commended the teaching of acting and the technique of production.

"Likewise, the courses in painting and sculpture, of which the latter is an entirely new addition, will give not only instruction in the history of these arts, but will offer to students the opportunity to acquire personal skill and technical knowledge in the handling of colors and plastic materials.

"The experience of Yale, Harvard and Princeton have given proof of the value of these courses. Not only do they develop the intelligence, the appreciation, and the creative powers of students while at college, but they add a value, perhaps even more important, by giving a knowledge and an interest that furnish a rich background for enjoyment in mature life.

"These courses have proved their value and their appeal to men as well as to women, and offer a scope for growth and activity that cannot be supplied by any other studies. I feel entirely confident that the enlargement of this field will receive the hearty support of the student body and will in turn afford deep and lasting satisfaction."

The work of the new department will allow students to take their field on concentration in Fine Arts, twenty course hours in the various subjects being offered. The entire faculty will unite in the presentation of a course called "Introduction to the Arts," designed as a starter course for those expecting to concentrate in the work of the department, and as a cultural course for students whose work in other fields will allow them only one course in the Fine Arts.

Courses in architecture, painting, and Sculpture will be located in the Fine Arts building, formerly Taliaferro Hall, where a lecture room, special library, studios and workshops, designed to fit their respective functions, will be provided. The library will contain a full stock of books ap-

plying to the three arts, as well as a print collection. All lectures will be illustrated with slides.

One of the outstanding features of the 1936-37 season which includes frequent loan exhibitions as well as exhibitions of student work, will be the series of programs put out by the Museum of Modern Art Film Library, depicting the development of the motion picture as an art. Several nationally known lecturers have been scheduled to speak during the year.

Courses in the theatre will have the use of an experimental theatre in the Sir Christopher Wren Building, as well as the newly renovated stage facilities of the Phi Beta Kappa Memorial Hall. Scenes for all productions will be constructed in a student workshop in the Fine Arts Building.

A faculty of five, three of them graduates of the Yale School of Fine Arts, will take up residence here for the opening of the new Department. Leslie Cheek, Jr., of Harvard and Yale, will be chairman of the department.

### Announce Faculty Changes

Nine changes in the faculty of the College have been announced by President Bryan. The new department of Fine Arts will have two of the new men: Edwin C. Rust and L. W. Haber, both of New York. They are graduates of the Yale School of Fine Arts. Mr. Rust will teach courses in Sculpture and Mr. Haber those in painting.

Wesley Frank Craven will join the department of history as a professor of Colonial History. Besides teaching he will engage in research work toward the establishment of more complete courses in colonial history. He comes to William and Mary from New York University.

Of Mr. Craven, Dr. R. L. Morton, head of the Department has this to say: "Dr. Craven will teach a course designed to study the growth of the British Empire with particular attention to the place of the western hemisphere in the history of England's expansion, with the first half of the year being devoted to a study of the colonial period of American history and the second half to more recent phases of British Imperialism and the development of a world-wide English speaking community with which America shares many traditions."

Maximo Iturralde will join the department of modern languages, taking the place of his brother, Victor, who is spending the year in Spain. Mr. Iturralde will teach Spanish, as will Cecil Morales, a former student at the College and of late instructor in Spanish of the Richmond high schools.

John D. Holt, who received his Doctor's degree at the University of Chicago, will teach courses in the department of sociology during the coming year. A. R. Armstrong, a graduate of the College in 1933 and an instructor here during 1934 will return as an instructor in the department of chemistry.

Miss Mae Graham will take over the duties of Miss Francis Stubbs, who resigned, as an assistant professor of library science.

### Courses to Be Continued

Practically all courses taught last year will be continued, and many new ones will appear for the first time on class schedules. History courses will be greatly augmented during the coming year.

The series of monthly lectures given at the College by Dr. Douglas S. Freeman, noted biographer of Robert E. Lee and editor of the Richmond (Va.) News Leader, will be continued in 1936-37. These are given in the form of public convocations, and will be on topics of current interest, both national and international.

The music classes, now in the newly formed department of fine arts, will occupy Brafferton Hall, and Old Taliaferro Hall, used last year jointly by the music department and the student activities groups will, when remodeled, house the department of fine arts.

Student Activities, including the

Flat Hat, one of the best college publications in the state, and the Colonial Echo will take up new quarters in the Administration Building. W. F. Thomas of Newport News is the new editor of the Flat Hat, and Minnie E. Franck of Richmond is business manager. It is the first time that the publication has ever had a woman business manager. Roger Child of Portsmouth, N. H., and Frances Rennolds of Richmond will serve as editor and business manager of the Echo.

The library, under Dr. E. G. Swem, is constantly adding to its collection of books and periodicals. During the summer extra workers have been busily engaged in cataloguing many gifts to the library which were received during the past year. \$4,000 worth of new history books alone will be added to the shelves of the library in time for the opening of the fall session.

### Work on Grounds Continues

Work on beautifying the campus has been carried on throughout the summer, and at present the campus south of the sunken garden is being graded and seeded. A parking space just behind the new Administration building has been completed and a new road from the William and Mary Memorial gate past the library, Rogers Hall and the Administration Building is contemplated in the near future.

An automobile road crossing the Matoaka Park at the head of the College Lake is being finished by CCC workers and will be ready for traffic this fall. The completion of the road will allow picnic parties from the college to reach Squirrel Point without the present round-about trip. Canoes will again be used on the lake under the direction of competent student life guards. The fees for the use of canoes were abolished last spring, and to use a canoe it is only necessary to pass the Red Cross canoe test.

### Football Prospects Good

With the call to 49 members of last year's varsity and freshman squads to practice sessions on September 8th, high hopes for a football year which will make William and Mary history appeared justifiable. Captain Joe Marino, husky leader of the Indian warriors, is a good player and a leader the team will follow.

Coach Branch Boccock, appointed head man in the Indian tepee last spring, and his assistants, Tommy Dowler, "Honest John" Kellison, Bill Scott and Otis Douglas, will have a goodly number of seasoned braves as well as an interesting sophomore lineup when the practice sessions begin.

Among those who will return for the first whistle in the fall will be that great passing pair, "Bunch to Zable"—a twosome who accounted for many W. & M. points last year; stalwart center, Ted McGowan; end, Johnnie Coiner, and Al Degutis; flashy back, Trueheart; men of all work, Alphonse Bruno, Joe Zanghi, Arthur Woodard, Billy Davies, and a host of others, plus a fine set of last year's frosh yearlings who are bound to go places.

(Charles J. Duke, Jr., '23)

### KIRKMEYER'S OIL CO.

The Kirkmeyer brothers of Richmond, Clifford, '06, and J. Archie, '07, recently acquired the Topping Oil business located just below Williamsburg on the Newport News road. Clifford and Archie, with their brother Lacy, have been in business in Richmond for nearly twenty-five years handling automobiles, electrical goods and running a separate oil and gasoline business located on the James River near the City docks. Their business activities have been highly successful and they have built up a reputation throughout the city for fair dealing and efficiency in business.

Clifford and Archie are loyal alumni of William and Mary and have kept up a keen interest in all of its affairs for the past thirty years.