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Shetch Pad

A flip of the pages in our Sketch Pad again reveals a portrait of a member of the College Community who combines with his professional abilities a certain charm of personality which will always compel recollection.

Who is this stocky, well-knit don Whose research rates him a paragon Who, tho savant and truth purveyor, Is also an excellent tennis player.

He is senior member of the faculty both in years and service. However, the importance imposed on him by this position has not lessened his vitality nor dimmed his interest in College affairs, and his friends declare him to be ageless.

Whose eyes must surely be myopic From studying amoeba microscopic Who knows the innards of a squid And the pulse rate of an annelid.

Aside from being head of the Biology Department, he is dauntless in proposing changes which he deems necessary for the progress of the College and fearless in defending his opinions.

> Who seems immune to preservative smells Whose mustache bristles when he tells In tones reminiscent of Harvard Square About discovery of Deptera rare.

The energies of this tireless worker are not entirely confined to professional pursuits, for he indulges in reunions of his Harvard class and World War I comrades. A member of Phi Beta Kappa, he is also an enthusiastic participant in its functions.

Who wears his trousers at half mast Who is unmindful of winter's blast Spurning a topcoat when it is freezing Wearing no vest when others are freezing.

Though his dress in winter is light, it is even lighter in summer when this muscular chap can be seen working about his yard, clad only in a pair of khaki shorts.

Who investigates the Balsam flower To check genetics and the power Of heredity on its leaves, Binding his data by the sheaves.

Starting cultivation of the Garden Balsam in his back yard, he was soon forced to seek more spacious headquarters at the College Airport. After a bumper crop one



summer, he was confronted with the classification of 100,000 specimens.

Who is seldom prompt in submitting marks Or answering mail from his hierarchs His office, cluttered with notes and scrap, Resembles the work of a booby trap.

So occupied is this scholar that he cannot find time to publish the results of his research. Thus his office is a treasure house of notes and data. A firm believer in conservation, he crowds his sanctum with reams of scratch paper and specimen cards collected over the last twenty years.

His elderly Dodge is minus a grill The paint on its hood has faded, but still 'Tho its trunk is grey and its body is tan There is definite dash to this aging sedan.

The end of an epoch arrived when he relinquished his freshman class which had long increased the confusion of entering students. His detailed lectures often seemed unfathomable to the untutored mind, a condition freshmen liked to ascribe to a bio lab fire in the late twenties which destroyed his lecture notes.

When a freshman came to lecture late Pointing his finger, Doc would berate, "Leave the room! You're too tardy." This treatment made his students hardy.

When the closing bell rang in his freshman classes, students would grab their books and start dashing from the lecture hall. Without fail this savant would halt them in their flight and state in a slow and deliberate manner, "May I urge you to press on with your bug collecting. As the weather becomes colder, the collecting becomes increasingly poor."

Upperclassmen raise his Hooper But freshmen in their usual stupor Have often cried, "Oh heaven save us From the lab and Donald Davis!"



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AROUND THE CAMPUS

The Student Angle

The amber brew has long held a strange fascination for students. This is not difficult to understand, for it cannot be denied, at least among beer drinkers, that there are few things more conducive to congeniality and good conversation than a glass of that golden fluid fermented from malt and flavored with hops. Then too there is something about the weight of a beer mug in a man's hand that impels him to raise his glass and burst forth in riotous, if not tuneful, song. Thus even now, as in the days of Old Heidelberg, students weary from study seek refreshment in a tankard of beer.

Now there are people who may view this scheme of things as sorry indeed, for too much devotion to this nectar of antiquity—it was brewed by the ancient Egyptians—can communicate the effervescence of the liquid to the head of the drinker. But there is little need to worry on this score, for few students can afford more than an occasional bottle of beer, and besides a Virginia State curfew on liquor sales further inhibits nocturnal carousing.

But what are the drinking places frequented by students in Williamsburg? Elder spa is the rustic shelter by the side of Lake Matoaka. Here in the spring and fall party-minded students, dressed in gayly colored outdoor garb and other startling creations donated by the U.S. Quartermaster Corps, gather to commune with nature. When a fraternity sponsors such an outing, a keg of tap beer is furnished for the amusement of the guests, but it has been our experience that the spigot usually manages to reduce the beer to foam. Occasionally, however, some extrovert wanders into the lake, verifying the strength of the foam.

As dusk enfolds Williamsburg, two evil dens, the Corner Greek's and the Middle Greek's, beckon to students. Where the former is preferred by undergraduates seeking relief from the College Cafeteria, the latter is thought to be more congenial by beer enthusiasts. Unfortunately, numerous low caste coffee drinkers also patronize these restaurants, and members of the beer drinking aristocracy, in order to avoid such proletarian company, attempt to monopolize the back booths.

Chowning's Tavern with its cheery,

• By DICK BEATTY, '49



eighteenth century interior remains the haven of students who advocate beer in mugs, boisterous song, and the salty goodness of pretzels. Though the light of its candle through frosted mugs of beer may not be as romantic as that of flickering tapers through flasks of Chianti, this venerable establishment is certainly conducive to good fellowship.

Our experience as the Tavern bartender enables us to settle an old dispute: the beer mugs at Chowning's will hold a full bottle of brew! But after a rigorous course in tap manipulation, student bartenders learn to regulate the beer content of each mug precisely and produce the house head desired by the management.

Though Williamsburg is several miles

inland from any commercial waterways, it boasts a bar with all the refinements of a water-front pub. This bizarre hall with its dark woodwork, pastel colored walls, and bar replete with brass rail is, of course, the College Inn, known to many Alums as the Blue Lantern and fondly referred to by the students as the Blue Goose. To overcome the disadvantages of its appearance, it provides tap beer served in pitchers, good pizza pie, a television receiver, and a dance band on Saturday nights. In the same vicinity Joneses Tavern, which has the crude simplicity of a Nevada boomtown bar, is inhabited mainly by male students who wish to drink surreptitiously.

In memorium we should like to recall the Powhatan, a swank supper club which closed last year. Here students—at least those who could afford the luxuries of a head waiter who greeted them by name and other waiters who were adept at padding checks—danced and drank to the music of society bands. In Williamsburg the Powhatan was the acme of urban sophistication, and it was here that the greater part of our G.I. Bill changed hands. Finally our debt to the club became so large that we were forced to accept a position there as an indentured musician.

So we lift our pewter flagon and drink to these places of our misspent youth. Not only is it farewell to them but goodbye and thanks to you kind people who have had the stamina to read this column, for we are soon to join the Alumni Society. We also wish to express our appreciation to the National Association of Brewers whose kind gift of five cases of Schlitz to Editor Charlie McCurdy gave impetus to the writing of this article.

REPRESENTING THE COLLEGE—

William and Mary was officially represented by alumni at the inaugural ceremonies of the following university and college presidents during the past six months:

Feb. 12 Raymond Nelson Dooley, at Lincoln College, Springfield, Illinois Representative: Joan Jarrett, '40Ba

Apr. 2 Ernest H. Poteet, at Texas College of Arts and Industries, Kingsville, Texas Representative: Robert Leland Bidwell, '48M

Apr. 30 Very Reverend Hunter Guthrie, S.J., at Georgetown University, Washington, D. C.
Representative: Frank Snowden Hopkins, '27Ba.

William and Mary was officially represented by President Pomfret at the inaugural and other ceremonies of the following universities:

Apr. 2 James R. Killian, Jr., at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Apr. 12 Bicentennial celebration, at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia.

Apr. 18 Walter S. Newman, at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Virginia.

Pro Patria

Great quantities of words have been written, said and sung about our honored dead after every war . . . and men of William and Mary have been involved in the eight major conflicts in which this country has been engaged. In all sincerity, men and women have sought to express in words their infinite gratitude for the men who have made the fight and then the sacrifice for human rights. From Lexington to Appomattox and from Chateau-Thierry to Okinawa . . . it has always been so. . . . But nothing that has been said or that will be said can change what has happened. Willingly, wittingly, necessarily, or not . . . they died. . . . The only thing we can do is remember them . . . remember their names and the purpose of their death . . . rather than the words of tribute written, said, or sung about them.

If ever a man or woman of William and Mary need refresh his memory of their names . . . of those who died when some of us had to die . . . he should walk up the front steps of the Sir Christopher Wren and into the entrance foyer. There, in the calm, cool, shadowed hallway are four marble plaques. Securely fastened to the walls, they are to all intents a part of the old building . . . there to remain as long as the

walls stand.

Two of the four tablets in the little hall have been there for many years. One of them commemorates the men of the College who served in the War of the Revolution, 1776 to 1781. The other, facing it from across the hall, is dedicated to the students and alumni who served the Confederacy with such sincerity during the struggle from 1861 to 1865. The other two are recent additions. On the left as one enters is the memorial to 24 students and alumni who died in service during the first World War, 1917-1918. On the right, dwarfing the other three, is the plaque honoring our dead in the recent war, 1941 to 1945.

The newest and largest tablet contains the names of 92 students and alumni and one faculty member. It is crested with the seal of the College and the inscription "At the setting of the sun and in the morning we will remember," chosen by Dean Grace Warren Landrum and President Pomfret from the works of the English poet, Laurence Binyon. Executed in Italian Blanco marble by the Charles Drew Company of Boston, Massachusetts, it was designed by Thomas Thorne, head of the Department of Fine Arts, and Singleton Morehead, head of the Architectural Department of Colonial Williamsburg.

Since the World War II Memorial is the most recent and contains the longest list of names, a few observations may be of interest. As far as can be ascertained by the Alumni Office, approximately 1,500 students, alumni and faculty members of the College of William and Mary saw military service during the war. Approximately one in fifteen was lost. The most senior alumnus who did not return was David Breckenridge Stuart of the Class of 1920. The seven members of the Class of 1946 who died were the youngest, none of whom received their diplomas.

In casualties by class, '41 lost 12 men, with '42, '44, and '45 contributing nine each. The first William and Mary man to give his life was Paul Moffett Lambert, '36, killed in a plane crash on June 18, 1940. The last to die was John Anthony Blagg, '45, killed in a plane crash in France on December 10, 1945.

The equalization of death can scarcely

be more apparent than it is portrayed in these 93 names. They come from every walk of campus life . . . football, the theater, ODK, the *Colonial Echo* and the *Flat Hat*, baseball and track, the *Royalist*, baseball, fraternity and nonfraternity . . . Catholic, Jew and Protestant . . . foreignborn and from the oldest family in Virginia . . . all are represented; their names inscribed simply and legibly in a sacred place through which every freshman must pass as he enters William and Mary and every senior as he goes to receive his degree.



Memorial Plaque To Men Lost in the First World War

Honorary Degree Recipients (1920-1948)

1920

Douglas Southall Freeman

*Robert Morton Hughes, '73Ba

*Beverly Dandridge Tucker 1921

*Westmoreland Davis

*Alton Brooks Parker

*Warren Gamaliel Harding

*Thomas Fell

*John Lesslie Hall

*Harry Augustus Garfield

1923

*Berryman Green

*Robert Walton Moore

*Frank O. Lowden

1924

*Dice Robins Anderson

*Charles Richard Crane

★John Barton Payne

1925

*Edward Christian Glass

*Robert Riddick Prentis

George Drayton Strayer

1926

Harry Flood Byrd

*Calvin Coolidge

Oliver Perry Chitwood, '99Ba

*John William Henry Crim, '01x *Cary Travers Grayson, '99x

*William Arthur Maddox, '04Ba

Robert Henry Tucker, '93Ba-97M

*Oscar McMurtrie Voorhees

1928

Nancy Langhorne Astor

1929

Frank Pierrepont Graves

1930

Gilbert Hovey Grosvenor

1931

*Henry Jackson Davis, '02Ba James Noah Hillman, '05Ba-

09M

James Southall Wilson, '04Ba

Paul Claudel

Henri Philippe Petain

*John Joseph Pershing

*John Garland Pollard Herbert Clark Hoover

1932

Edgar Erskine Hume

1933

Archibald Henderson

*Charles H. Taylor

1934

Kenneth Chorley

Cordell Hull

George Campbell Peery

*Franklin Delano Roosevelt

1935

*Carter Glass

John Lloyd Newcomb, '00Ba

1936

James Bryant Conant

1937

*E. Lee Trinkle

Walter Lippmann

*Alexander Wilbourne Weddell 1938

Georgia O'Keeffee (Doctor of Fine Arts)

Frank Porter Graham

Claude Vernon Spratley, '01Ba

*William Archer Rutherfoord Goodwin

Ashton Dovell, '08Ba

*Ellen Glasgow

Henry St. George Tucker

Ernest Martin Hopkins

H. R. H. Olav, Crown Prince of Norway

1940

Theodore Floyd Adams (Doctor of Divinity)

Everett Victor Meeks (Doctor of Fine

George Arents (Doctor of Letters)

*Sidney Bartlett Hall, '20Ba

Charles Edward Wilson

1941 Oscar deWolf Randolph (Doctor of

Divinity)
*Joseph Henry Saunders, '17Ba

(Doctor of Pedagogy)
Jesse Wakefield Beams (Doctor of

Science) Thomas Jefferson Wertenbaker

(Doctor of Literature) Earl Gregg Swem

George Catlett Marshall

Robert DeBlois Calkins, '25Bs *George Preston Coleman, '92X

Homer Lenoir Ferguson Ernest Joseph King

*John Stewart Bryan

1943

William Orville Douglas 1944

*John Greer Dill

Virginius Dabney

Schuyler Otis Bland, '92X

Edmund Ezra Day 1946

Claude C. Coleman, '98X (Doctor of Science)

Colgate Whitehead Darden, Jr...

John Womack Wright, '96X

Karl Taylor Compton

William Munford Tuck, '19X

William Lyon Mackenzie King Harold Rupert Leofric George Alexander

Harry S. Truman

was awarded.

Dudley Redwood Cowles, '92X Leverett Saltonstall

HONORARY DEGR

William and Mary claims to be and is first in a great many things but the conferring of the first LL.D. degree in this country is not among them. Notwithstanding, William and Mary did start this honorary degree business a long time ago-167 years to be exact—and it started in the uppermost echelon of important persons in the country of that day. The College gave its first doctorate of laws degree in 1782 to none other than the author of the Declaration of Independence, Thomas Jefferson. This was not the first honorary degree which the College had conferred, but it was the first LL.D. Its first honorary degree was what is now referred to as an M.A., and it went to Benjamin Franklin in 1756.

The Chevalier de Chastellux, a general in the French Army, also received an LL.D. with Jefferson, and then, for eight years, the College deigned not to confer the degree again. But, in 1790, two more distinguished William and Mary sons were tapped . . . the first two deans of the College's law school, George Wythe

and St. George Tucker.

During the nineteenth century the Cellege conferred thirty-four LL.D. degrees and during the same period gave upwards of a hundred honorary doctor of divinity degrees. Of the former, the list, for the most part, is impressive. The Marquis de LaFayette received one on his triumphant return to this country in 1824. John Tyler was similarly honored in 1854, a decade after he retired from the Presidency of the United States and five years before becoming Chancellor of the College. It is not surprising that the first honorary degree conferred after the War Between the States was upon the famed Confederate general, Joseph E. Johnston, in 1868. Another interesting recipient was Senator George F. Hoar, of Massachusetts, who was honored in 1872 in gratitude for the impressive speech which he made in Congress urging the Federal government to reimburse the College for destruction caused by Federal troops. (The College received the appropriation.)

But they are the degrees given in this twentieth century with which this article is primarily concerned and, particularly, those living persons who have received William and Mary's highest honor. In the last forty-eight years, 107 persons have received honorary degrees from William

[★]Deceased. Alumni are in boldface. Unless otherwise designated, LL.D. degree

REES—HAS COLLEGE CHOSEN WISELY?

From Douglas Freeman to Leverett Saltonstall The Answer is "Yes"

and Mary. Of these, 98 received the LL.D. There are 54 living persons who hold an honorary degree from William and Mary and 46 of these have the LL.D.

These 54 men and women are a group of which any college would be proud. Only one has fallen into public disrepute but when Marshal Petain was honored back in 1931, he was the idol of France. Perhaps history may be kinder to him than contemporary judgment. other recipients have also suffered popularity relapses but are currently in high public esteem. They happen to be the only living persons who have carried the title "President of the United States." Herbert Hoover, who received his degree with Petain in 1931 at the Yorktown Sesquicentennial celebration, continues an active life in the service of his country and appears to grow in the affection of his countrymen. Harry Truman, upon whom many looked with disfavor almost a year ago when he received his degree, has since won one of the greatest personal victories ever achieved by any man.

Only one U. S. Supreme Court justice holds a William and Mary degree and he is William Orville Douglas who received it in 1943.

There are three United States senators who have our degrees and one, Harry Flood Byrd, Virginia's senior senator, received his in 1926 when he was governor. Another, Frank Porter Graham, was honored in 1938 while he was president of the University of North Carolina. He was appointed to the Senate in March, 1949. The third, Leverett Saltonstall, of Massachusetts, is the most recent recipient, in 1948.

Three other men who have been governor of Virginia hold the same degree: George Campbell Peery (1934), Colgate Whitehead Darden, Jr. (1946), now president of the University of Virginia, and William Munford Tuck (1948). Incidentally, the College does not confer a degree upon a governor while he is in office unless the President of the United States is being honored. So it was that Governors Davis, Byrd, Pollard, Peery and Tuck received their degrees with Presidents Harding, Coolidge, Hoover, Roosevelt and Truman respectively.

Among other statesmen to be honored are two Secretaries of State, Cordell Hull (1934), and George Catlett Marshall

(1941), who, however, at the time, was Chief of Staff of the United States Army, just five months before Pearl Harbor.

Schuyler Otis Bland is an LL.D. of whom the College is particularly proud because he is also an alumnus of the College. He has represented Virginia's First Congressional District since 1918, is the State's senior statesman in Washington, and received his degree in 1945.

There are five representatives of foreign nations who have been awarded the purple in recent times, the most senior of whom is Lady Nancy Langhorne Astor, Virginia born, first woman member of the British House of Commons. She received her degree in 1928. Paul Claudel, who was French Ambassador to the United States in the early thirties, received his degree at the Yorktown celebration in 1931. Long since retired, he now resides in Paris, is a writer, and has recently completed a book on Euripides.

Royalty has been honored only once and that in 1939 when His Royal Highness, Crown Prince Olav of Norway, received his degree less than a year before his country, the crown of which he will someday inherit, was overrun by the Nazis and forced him into temporary residence in London and Washington. More recently, of course, the Governor General of Canada, Harold Rupert Leofric George Alexander, Viscount of Tunis, and the recently retired Prime Minister of Canada, William Lyon Mackenzie King, were honored. Lord Alexander continues in his position but Mr. King retired from his duties in November, after serving longer as Prime Minister than any other man in the British Empire.

In addition to George Marshall, already mentioned, three others were tapped in recognition of their military careers. One of them is the also mentioned, ill-fated Marshal Petain who is today the oldest living possessor of a William and Mary LL.D. The then Major, now Brigadier General Edgar Erskine Hume received a degree in 1932. He is with the Surgeon General's office, is a noted author, and has made many contributions to medical journals. During World War II he was the Chief of the Allied Military Government in Italy from 1943 to 1945. Finally, just as the College had honored the Chief of Staff of the Army in 1941, a year later it conferred the same

degree upon Admiral Ernest Joseph King, then Commander in Chief of the United States Navy. He is now in retirement in Washington.

Closer to home, two of the College's most prominent alumni and Virginia statesmen were honored in successive years. Claude Vernon Spratley (1938) is an Associate Justice of the State Supreme Court of Appeals, and Ashton Dovell (1939), at the time speaker of the State House of Delegates, is now a prominent practicing attorney in Williamsburg.

In the field of journalism, there are three recipients of the LL.D., two of whom have national repute. The first is Douglas Southall Freeman, regarded by many as the most outstanding living Virginian, who also has the interesting distinction of holding an honorary degree from William and Mary longer than any other person. He is by no means the oldest recipient but there are no degrees awarded prior to his, the possessor of which is still living. Dr. Freeman received his degree in 1920. Probably no possessor of the honorary degree has distinguished himself so eminently after receiving it. Since 1920, he has published the Pulitzer prize-winning biography of Robert E. Lee (4 vols.), Lee's Lieutenants (3 vols.), and is now completing his biography of George Washington (6 vols.). Critics state there is no further necessity for others to record the life of Lee or Washington . . . that Dr. Freeman has said all that need be said. He continues as editor of Richmond's News Leader, in addition to engaging in a multitude of other affairs, lecturing, writing and teach-

Walter Lippmann, one of the most widely read newspaper columnists in the country today, received his degree in 1937. Virginius Dabney, editor of Richmond's other newspaper, The *Times-Dispatch*, and regarded as one of the ablest editors in the South, was similarly honored in 1944.

Kenneth Chorley (1934) chronologically leads the list of businessmen who have received the LL.D. He is and has been president of Williamsburg Restoration, Inc., the organization which has directed the reconstruction of the colonial city. George Arents (1940), now in retirement, was a prominent industrialist

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William and Mary Rou

Migration—Philadelphia to Richmond, Via Wilmington, Baltimore, Washington

"IN THE NAME OF THE UNIVER-SITY OF PENNSYLVANIA I EXTEND CORDIAL GREETINGS TO THE ALUMNI OF THE COLLEGE OF WIL-LIAM AND MARY. (Signed) HAR-OLD E. STASSEN, PRESIDENT, UNI-VERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA."

With this unexpected but pleasant greeting, the annual visitation to alumni chapters commenced on Tuesday, March 22nd. This telegram addressed to Vernon M. Geddy, '17, President of the Society of the Alumni, was read to the Philadelphia group as he made the first of eight speeches to alumni chapters.

The Philadelphia meeting was a standout. In no group is there more harmony between the various age groups of the William and Mary family. The old guard is small in number, but large in continuing loyalty. It extends from the Class of 1912 in the person of the Reverend Charles Henry Long who undoubtedly must have the deepest bass voice of any alumnus anywhere, closely followed by Ernest P. Farthing, '13, and John Morris Presson, '16, the three of whom have been known to miss very few meetings of Philadelphia alumni. These "old" men probably have less cause to worry about the numerals following their names than do most because at Philadelphia alumni meetings they blend perfectly with last year's graduates.

There was John Daly, '27, taking time

off from circulating the Saturday Evening Post to preside with great suavity over the chapter he serves so ably as president . . . Martha (Mops) Connelly, '36, leaving John Wanamaker's, where she is a buyer, before closing time in order to get around to the Drake Hotel before the speech commenced. . . . Dorothy LaFitte (Quinn), '34, probably the first woman ever elected president of a William and Mary coed alumni chapter—the first to arrive at every meeting and the last to leave. . . . George Glauner, '37, and Edie Burkhard, '44, who share the satisfaction of knowing their chapter roster is the most accurate in the country. . . . Marilyn and John Entwisle, '44, becoming chapter regulars. . . . "Mitch" Mozeleski, '31, and Billy Palese, '34, over from Camden. . . . Fred Eidsness, '36, and wife, Judy, '40, coming for the first time after spending many years in Atlanta and Jacksonville. . . . John Fritz, '48, and Arthur Thompson, '48, taking time off from the graduate studies at Princeton and enjoying it so much they planned to attend the New York meeting a month later . . . Mary Berwind (Housenick), '36, whose father was the founder and first president of the Philadelphia chapter. . . . Doris Hayes (Smith), '41, down from Trenton, and Jane Speakman (MacPherson), '38, up from Chester. . . . tennis star Brendan Macken, '48, attending his first meeting. These and many

others turned out for the latest report on the College and to see friends whom they have missed for over a year and probably will not see again until the next meeting.

"In Philadelphia nearly everybody reads the Alumni Gazette." The editor, with an eye for new subscriptions, took a batch of extra copies for distribution at the meeting, and brought them back home again having realized what he should have known before he left that everybody in Philadelphia already subscribes.

It was a great meeting and a great start for the meetings to follow.

On to WILMINGTON . . . via the 30th Street Station and a quick visit with Clarence Rives, '31, and Larry Emley, '33, on the platform.

Wilmington is no longer the baby chapter (Los Angeles is) and its growth is encouraging. To Carolyn Kelly (Brewster), '24, goes the lion's share of credit for one of the most delightful alumni meetings yet experienced by College officials. Carolyn had the distinction, usually reserved for men, of being the oldest graduate at the meeting except the speaker . . . but, no one would have believed it had she not emphasized that on June 11th she would be in Williamsburg for the 25th anniversary reunion of her class. The twenty-five year span between Carolyn and Max Staszesky, '49, was bridged by many from the '20s, '30s and early '40s. The





Left: Rube McCray addresses Richmond Chapter as Vernon Geddy, President Pomfret and Governor Tuck await their turns. Right: The oldest and the youngest present: Frank E. Shields, '48, William E. Henderson, '02, and Virginia Northcott, '48.

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Class of '44 seems to be a good one from which to draw chapter secretaries. In Philadelphia it was Edith Burkhard and in Wilmington, it is Eleanore Rheuby (Hineman).

In Wilmington nearly everybody is interested in Williamsburg and William and Mary. The mention of either one is a sure bet for a good newspaper story and the meeting was well covered by reporters of the two local papers. There was Alex Fraser, '40, passing out cigars and announcing the arrival of a son that morning . . . Andre Goetz, '26, a past president of the New York Chapter, and now a sparkplug in the Wilmington group. . . . Dave Hillegas, '27, and John Lee Johnson, '28, from the twenties and T. Crawley Davis, '41, and Dr. Dick Neubauer, '44-latter day hopefuls.

In Wilmington . . . many questions on subjects not covered by Vernon Geddy's remarks...and in Wilmington, always the same question "What can we do to help

the College?"

On to BALTIMORE and a dinner meeting at the Blackstone Hotel where once again the questions following the principal address and the answers to them gave continuing evidence that in Baltimore William and Mary has a stronghold of inestimable value. The old guard, Amos Koontz, '10, T. Granville Pullen, '17, and Howard Smith, '20,

William and Mary Alumni Chapters now officially stretch from coast to coast with the installation of the newest chapter at Los Angeles, February 26.

The meeting began with a buffet dinner held at the home of William Parry, '41, and his wife, Patricia Howard (Parry), '44. Thirty-nine people, including 27 alumni, were in attendance, some of them driving as far as 75 miles to get there.

Bill Parry was elected president of the group. Other officers elected were: Ralph W. Murray, '33, vice president; Marx Figley (Willoughby), '42, secretary; and William Halpern, '30, treasurer. George Wilkins, '29, and Mary Mackey (Sainsbury), '39, were named to the arrangements committee and plans were made for the next meeting to be held at Wilkins' home in June.

In addition to the above, the following alumni were present for the

first meeting: Muriel Johnstone, '29, Harold Motley, '30, Virginia Hawthorne (Murray), '32, Katherine Hawthorne (Dunkley), '32, Henry Virginius Moore, '33, Bess Tulin (Halpern), '37, Octavia Seawell (Walstrom), '39, Georgie Ann Holton (Trower), '40, John H. Willoughby, '40, Ruth Rapp (Thayer), '41, William Slater, '42, Viola Gompf (Evans), '43, Guy Moates, '43, Eleanor Brooks (Stackhouse), '43, Eleanor Ramsdell Scherpe), '44, Katherine Ribal '44, (Smith), Polly (Wright), '46, Carol Parker (Shafer), '46, Melvin Wright, '46, and Robert Barritt, '48.

The Chicago Alumni Chapter will have a cocktail party, Friday, June 17. Arrangements are in charge of Charles Malcolm Sullivan, '42, 191 East Walton Place, Chicago, 11.

were absent and regrettably so, but evidence aplenty that the younger group is taking hold, culminating in the election of Saunders (Sonny) Almond, '41, as president of the chapter. If his college career is an indication, he should be a forceful leader. Elizabeth DeShazo (Whitlock), '24, one of the College's most distinguished women graduates, was yet another who amazed the group by saying that she too had just been notified (somewhat to her own surprise) that she must return for the 25th reunion of her class on June 11.... Ray Simmons, '27, who gave three

years of excellent service on the alumni board, bringing to a close a two-year term as head of the Baltimore Chapter . . . the election of Jeanne Rose, '33, as secretary and putting into actual practice some spirited words she wrote as a student "Our hearts are with thee however far we stray,' which are a part of the famed William and Mary Hymn. The secretaryship of an alumni chapter is not new to her for she served similarly in Washington for several years. . . . Eddie Nicholson and Ed Zollinger, who together with Simmons, gave

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Some familiar faces listening attentively in Richmond as President Pomfret brings them up to date on College.

SIX NOMINATED FOR BOARD ELECTION

Members Will Elect By Ballot In September



Elizabeth Caroline Schmucker (Stubbs), '26Ba, Williamsburg. Assistant Secretary, Williamsburg Restoration, Inc., and Colonial Williamsburg, Inc.



Jay Wilfred Lambert, '27Ba, Williamsburg. Dean of students and acting registrar, College of William and Mary.



William Brooks George, '32Bs, Richmond. Controller and assistant to the president, Larus and Brother Tobacco Company.



Arthur Briggs Hanson, '39Ba-40L, Washington, D. C. Attorney.



Charles Malcolm Sullivan, '42Ba, Chicago, Illinois. Junior Executive, J. Walter Thompson Advertising Company.



Milton Greenblatt, '43Ba, Waterbury, Connecticut. Buyer and supervisor for grocery chain.

The first election of the Society's Board of Directors by mail ballot will take place next fall. It will also be the first time that the annual meeting of members will occur on Homecoming Day rather than on Alumni Day in June.

As required by the Society's by-laws, the committee on nominations and elections have nominated six members whose names will appear on the ballot sent to all members in September. Three members are to be elected for three-year terms commencing December 1, 1949. Additional nominees may be placed upon the ballot on petition of fifty active members if received by the chairman of the committee, John Aydelotte Mapp, '35Ba, before August 1.

Those nominated by the committee are:

Elizabeth Caroline Schmucker (Stubbs), '26Ba, Williamsburg; Jay Wilfred Lambert, '27Ba, Williamsburg; William Brooks George, '32Bs, Richmond; Arthur Briggs Hanson, '39Ba-40L, Washington, D. C.; Charles Malcolm Sullivan, '42Ba, Chicago, Illinois; and Milton Greenblatt, '43Ba, Waterbury, Connecticut.

The by-laws require that one member of the board must be a resident of Williamsburg. Because the present Williamsburg member, Vernon Meredith Geddy, '17, is retiring, it is necessary that one of the three directors elected this fall be a Williamsburg resident.

Ballots listing the committee nominees and any nominated by petition will be mailed to the entire membership before

September 8. These ballots must be returned to the Alumni Office not later than October 6 to be counted. The ballots will be tabulated by three tellers who will be nonalumni members of the faculty and who will make their report on the election at the annual meeting.

Weather permitting, the annual meeting will be held in the Common Glory Theater, followed by luncheon to be served in the park adjoining the theater.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY OF ALUMNI OF THE COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY IN VIRGINIA, INCORRATED:

You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the members of the Society of the Alumni of the College of William and Mary in Virginia, Incorporated, will be held on the campus, at the College of William and Mary, in Williamsburg, Virginia, on the 8th day of October, 1949, at eleven o'clock a.m., for the transaction of regular business, hearing a report from the tellers on the election of members of the Board of Directors, and such special business as may properly come before said meet-

WITNESS my hand and seal, in the City of Newport News, in Virginia, this the 17th day of March, 1949.

EDWARD NELSON ISLIN
Secretary
By order of the President,
Williamsburg, Virginia, March
15, 1949

ALUMNI DAY, JUNE 11

Five Classes To Hold Reunions

The Alumni Day program on Saturday, June 11th, will be radically different from similar days in recent years. It will mark the first occasion when the entire day will be devoted to class reunions. This change results from amendments to the Society's by-laws adopted last Homecoming Day, which changes the date of the annual meeting of the Alumni Society from Alumni Day to Homecoming Day in the fall, and, tangentially, eliminated the Alumni Day luncheon and the Alumni oration.

Five classes are arranging reunion meetings. These are the class of 1924, returning for its 25th anniversary reunion; and the classes of '29, '34, '39, and '44. The 50th year class, '99, of which there were only eight graduates, of whom six survive, is also being invited back by Dr. Oliver Perry Chitwood, and the members of this class will meet in The Brafferton.

Reunion chairmen for the five major classes returning are:

1924, Jesse Choate Phillips, Box 188, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

1929, Edward Tabb Justis, 1540 Ashland Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia.

1934, Robert Hunt Land, Library, College of William and Mary.

1939, Arthur Briggs Hanson, 5519 Worthington Drive, Washington 16, D. C.

1944, Nancy Throckmorton (Franck), 1515 Confederate Avenue, Richmond, Virginia.

The classes of '24 and '39 are expected to have luncheon meetings at Williamsburg Lodge. '34 is planning a picnic luncheon in the Shelter on Lake Matoaka, and '44 is planning a picnic supper at the same location. '29 will likewise have a meal together, but the hour and place are not yet determined as this GAZETTE goes to press.

Reunion meetings are being arranged in such a manner as to enable President Pomfret to visit each one for a brief word of greeting.

The Board of Directors of the Alumni Society will hold its annual meeting Friday evening, June 10. The June Ball will also be held on Friday evening on the stage of the Common Glory Theater, commencing at 10 P.M.

Alumni will register in The Brafferton on Saturday morning, and those desiring overnight accommodations in the dormi-



tories may register for same in the Alumni Office.

The annual meeting of Alpha of Virginia, Phi Beta Kappa, has been changed from the usual hour of 3 P.M. to 10:30

A.M. in the Apollo Room of Phi Beta Kappa Hall.

The only feature of the Alumni Day program which remains unchanged is the Memorial Service to be held at Colonel Ewell's grave at 12 o'clock noon. This year the service will be read by Marie Hofmeyer (Tuttle), '29, professor of Physics, and the Reverend Henry Ruffner Lowman, Jr., '34, of the Porter Street Presbyterian Church in Richmond.

The band concert will be presented in the College yard in front of the Wren Building on Saturday afternoon, commencing at 4:30. The Alumni Dance will be held at the Theater Saturday night from 9 to 12.

Sunday, June 12, will see the usual Baccalaureate exercises in the morning at 11, and commencement in the evening at 5:30, both in the College yard.

Vice Admiral J. Lesslie Hall, Jr., '09, will be the commencement speaker and will be the sole recipient of the LL.D. degree. Over 400 undergraduate degrees will be awarded to seniors.

ALUMNI COUNCIL TO MEET AT COLLEGE

Society To Be Host For 34th National Conference

The American Alumni Council will hold its 34th annual conference, in Williamsburg, July 11 to 14, with the College of William and Mary serving as host. The Council is an association of alumni secretaries, fund directors and magazine editors from colleges and universities throughout the nation and Canada. Over 600 individuals hold membership in the Council, representing over 400 institutions of higher learning.

The Conference will open with a luncheon meeting at which Presidents Pomfret of the College, and Geddy of the Alumni Society, will welcome the delegates. Three full days of business sessions will follow in Phi Beta Kappa Hall, one day being devoted to each of the three main phases of alumni work—alumni offices, funds, and alumni magazines. The official luncheons and dinners of the conference will be held at Williamsburg Inn and Lodge where all delegates will be housed.

A number of distinguished educators and important public figures will speak. Among them will be former President Herbert Hoover who will be the principal speaker at a formal banquet on the occasion when he is to receive the Council's "Award of Merit." He will be the fourth college alumnus to receive this award, others hav-

ing been Madame Chiang Kai-shek (Wellesley), General Dwight Eisenhower (West Point), and Charles Kettering (Ohio State). Dr. Douglas S. Freeman, editor of the Richmond News Leader and biographer of Lee and Washington, will address the luncheon meeting at which awards for distinction in alumni magazines will be made. Dr. J. L. Morrill, President of the University of Minnesota and Harold Stassen, President of the University of Pennsylvania will also be dinner speakers.

The American Alumni Council began with the formation in 1913 of the Association of Alumni Secretaries. The Council has for its objectives the furthering of friendly relations among its members; the interchange of ideas on alumnal and educational problems; the encouraging of a spirit of professional pride in alumni work; and the stimulating of the individual alumni association. William and Mary affiliated with the Council in 1920, several years before the College started its own alumni office.

President of the Council is William S. Gibson, alumni secretary of the University of Minnesota. The conference program is being directed by Hill Turner, alumni secretary of Vanderbilt University.

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UMBECK NAMED PRESIDENT OF KNOX

Has Been College Dean Since 1946

Sharvey G. Umbeck has resigned his position as Dean of the Faculty effective in June, at which time he will assume the presidency of Knox College, Galesburg, Illinois. Dr. Umbeck joined the College faculty in 1938 as an assistant professor.



He became a full professor and was appointed chairman of the department of Sociology in 1945. The following year, he succeeded Dr. James Wilkinson Miller as Dean of the Faculty.

A graduate of Elmhurst College, Dr. Umbeck received his bachelor of arts degree in 1933. Entering the graduate school of the University of Chicago, he received his Master's Degree there in 1938, and in 1940 his Ph.D.

Throughout his academic career at William and Mary, he retained a keen interest in sports, serving as chairman of the fac-

"Watch Your Papers"

Please clip items about William and Mary alumni from your local newspapers and send them to the Alumni Office.

Much of our information comes from clippings from Virginia papers, but we need news about alumni from other states in the ALUMNI GAZETTE.

Clip any items of interest—weddings, births, obituaries, business news—and send them to us at Box 154.

Your co-operation will enable us to make the GAZETTE more interesting for all subscribers. ulty committee on athletics. His outstanding achievement in the sports world came, however, in his capacity of tennis coach. For the past two years, he has piloted the undefeated Indian Net teams to national championships.

John E. Pomfret, President of the College, paid Dr. Umbeck several outstanding compliments in his official announcement of the latter's resignation. "In 11 years of responsible service Dr. Umbeck has abundantly demonstrated his ability as an educator and administrator. . . . "Few among us have enjoyed greater popularity in the student body . . . A host of friends at William and Mary, among her alumni, and throughout the State will at once regret his going, but will rejoice in his large opportunity to be of service to our sister institution."

In submitting his resignation, Dr. Umbeck stated that he considered it "a real privilege to have been associated with the faculty of the College of William and Mary throughout the past 10½ years. Even though the challenge of my new position is very clear, I find myself very reluctant to end my pleasant association with this group."

A great many of the younger alumni and present undergraduates will remember Dr. Umbeck best in his position as administrator of the Work-Study program. In that capacity, he aided hundreds of students to work their way through William and Mary, giving generously of his time and energy to maintain and push forward the program. He has left his stamp on the College in that, and many other, ways.

CLOUD AND HUGHES ARE COCAPTAINS OF 1949 TEAM

Two Norfolk juniors, Jack Martin Cloud and George Samuel Hughes, have been named cocaptains for the 1949 football team, and Harry William Caughron who was cocaptain of the 1948 team has been named line coach.

Cloud and Hughes played together while students at Maury High School in Norfolk. Cloud was virtually a unanimous choice on All-Southern selections last fall and was named to many All-America teams. He plays fullback. Hughes plays at right guard.

Caughron is a native of Johnson City, Tennessee. He has starred at tackle for the past three years and will receive his degree from the College in June. He succeeds Marvin Bass, '45, who resigned in February to become assistant coach at the University of North Carolina.

GRACEY MANAGES PENNSYLVANIA AIRPORT

Martin Gracey, '39Ba, manager of the Johnstown, Pennsylvania, Municipal Airport, and vice-president of Graham Aviation, started flying as a youth in Newport News. He has been air-minded ever since. A native of Belfast, Ireland, he came to Virginia in his early youth when his father became associated with the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company. He received his degree at William and Mary in Economics and entered the employ of Graham Aviation.

Gracey's stint with the Graham firm has included five years as manager of the Pittsburgh-Butler (Penna.) Airport and a year at the Meadville, Penna., Airport. He also instructed student pilots for Graham at Americus, Georgia and Hawthorne Field,



Orangeburg, South Carolina. While at the latter post, where he trained French flying cadets, he was made an honorary member of the French Air Force.

Since the Johnstown Airport was leased by Graham Aviation in 1944, it has grown tremendously. No small part of this success has been due to Gracey's efforts since he became manager in the fall of 1945.

Now 31 years old, Gracey has logged over 4000 hours in the air since he first piloted a plane in 1934. He is at present making his home in Johnstown and is a member and past president of the Pennsylvania Aviation Trades Association, secretary-treasurer of the Johnstown Pilots Association, member of the Aero Club of Pittsburgh, and holds membership in the Rotary Club, Junior Chamber of Commerce, Advertising Club, and Elks.

Gracey's wife is the former Marion Virginia Hinman, '37Bs.

CHARTER DAY GIFT FUND DISAPPOINTING

Only 399 Alumni Contribute—Fund Study Continuing—So Will Fund

William and Mary alumni have contributed \$17,318.21 to the Charter Day Gift Fund. If this largess is surprising, take pause . . . this amount is the total contributed OVER A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS.

Yes, during the five years in which the College's annual fund has been in operation, 1,032 alumni have contributed an amount which is less than many smaller and poorer colleges raise in one year from their alumni. And here again, don't be misled by the figure "1,032" because the greatest number of alumni ever to contribute in a single year was 412.

There isn't going to be much "pridepointing" about William and Mary's alumni fund raising efforts just yet. There will not, however, be too much "viewing with alarm" either. The College will continue to grant scholarships, buy some books for the Library, and adjust some faculty salaries as best it can and hope the day will soon come when her alumni will lend a greater hand in these and other undertakings.

A great many reasons have been proffered for the poor showing of the annual fund. The president of the College, the alumni board, the fund committee and the alumni secretary study all of them.

Everyone seemed to be in agreement that more attractive printed solicitation material was needed and this year it was materially improved upon. This more than doubled the cost of operation . . . and brought in less money.

How does the competing solicitation for

athletic funds affect the alumni fund? This is a perennial question. Currently, the best answer to that one is that alumni are not contributing too numerously to athletics.

There have been some other reasons too, including a few which are really not reasons but alibis, viz., the Commonwealth gives the College all the money it needs from the taxpayers; the College has a large endowment; the Rockefeller interests and Colonial Williamsburg, Incorporated are guardians of alma mater. None of these

The State annually contributes approximately 25% of the College's operating budget; the College endowment is less than two million dollars; in 1928-29 the Rockefeller interests restored the Wren Building and there have been no further contributions from this source and none are in prospect.

Even should greater funds from these sources be available it would scarcely be desirable to regard them as substitutes for alumni loyalty.

There are those who would try to make themselves or others believe that the bulk of William and Mary alumni are as yet too young or too few to make any sizable contributions. Since 1920, over 5,600 men and women have received degrees from the College. During the same period there was another group of over 8,300 who did not graduate and many of them regard the College with great affection and all of them are regarded by the College as alumni.

Here, then, are 14,000 alumni, less perhaps a thousand dead or unlocated of the last three decades only. ONLY 399 CONTRIBUTED TO THE 1949 CHARTER DAY GIFT FUND.

Here they are:

1874—John Peyton Little, Jr.

1875—Cary Breckinridge Wilmer.

1892—Schuyler Otis Bland, Dudley Redwood Cowles.

1899—Alvan Herbert Foreman, Robert Morton Hughes, Jr.

1902-Walter Edward Vest.

1903—Oscar Lane Shewmake.

1904—Thomas Lowry Sinclair.

1908-Henry Lester Hooker.

1909-- John Compton Freeman.

1912—Joseph Farland Hall, William Franklin Metcalf, Herbert Clarence Neblett.

1913—Ernest Power Farthing, Wayne Carr Metcalf.

1914—Walter Spencer Robertson, Leif Ericson Scheie.

1915-Gardiner Tyler Brooks.

1916—Edwin Ralph James, John Morris Presson.

1917—Vernon Meredith Geddy, Zelma Talmadge Kyle.

1918—Hugh Valentine Clary, Henry Morris Stryker.

1919—Walter Finnall Cross Ferguson, Hinton Thomas Smith.

1920—William Henry Batte, Jr., George Washington Parson, Jr., Eugene Van Buren Van Pelt, Jr.

1921—Catherine Teackle Dennis, Hugh Howard Jones.

Contributors 1945	1946	1947	1948	1949
Alumni\$3,994.25 (399)	\$3,338.50 (412)	\$2,826.50 (326)	\$3,785.64 (393)	\$3,373.32 (399)
Friends 943.50 (21)	169.00 (10)	66.00 (8)	68.00 (6)	55.00 (5)
Asso. of Univ. Professors 50.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
Quarter-Millennium Fund 442.43	343.65	499.00	486.00	.00
Dramatic Club	.00	.00	.00	.00
	do 07/15	#a /1/50	#12/1//	#2 /52 22
Total\$5,445.18	\$3,876.15	\$3,416.50	\$4,364.64	\$3,453.32
Average Contribution \$ 11.76	\$ 8.31	\$ 8.66	\$ 9.66	\$ 8.49
		Operating		
Distribution 1949 Fund	Contributed	Expense	Balance	
Memorial Scholarships	\$ 658.00	\$ 101.60	\$ 556.40	
Library		126.17	690.99	
Faculty Salaries		230.78	1,263.88	
Undesignated		74.65	408.85	
Total	\$3,453.32	\$ 533.20	\$2,920.12	

1922-Edgar Hamilton Adsit, Katherine L. Bullock, Alvin Duke Chandler, Elsa S. Wallerstein (Gerst), Henry Hudnall

Ware, Jr.

1923-Cornelia Storrs Adair, James Brooke Pettis, Mary Beverly Ruffin, Elizabeth Margaret Smith (MacDonald), Ella McRae Stagg, Winifred Watkins Tinsley (Pettis).

1924 - Catherine Amiss, Talmage DeWitt Foster, Carlton Edwin Holladay, Thomas Leslie Jordan, Roy Everett Kyle, Carroll Brown Quaintance, William

Edward Spicer.

1925-Robert DeBlois Calkins, Jr., Matilda E. Crawford (Whitehouse), Edward Nelson Islin, Hasseltine McMullan (Armitage), Elizabeth Madaline Robinson (Cowne), Reuben Foster Simms, Joseph Swanson Smith.

1926-Andre Rushwood Goetz, Jr., Elizabeth Caroline Schmucker (Stubbs),

Robert Lomax Wells.

1927-Miner Carl Andrews, William Bernard Doyle, Herbert Lawrence Ganter, Jay Wilfred Lambert, Laura A. Potter-

field, Alva Ray Simmons.

1928--Virginia Christian Farinholt, Joseph B. Hornbarger, Robert Randolph Jones, Edward Carlisle Joyner, Mary Marable Land (Gill), Homer Elsworthy McIntyre.

1929-Lillian Hugh Cassell (Callahan), Evelyn Byrd Nelson (Farley).

1930—Lawrence Fay Brewster, Laura Catherine Colvin, Albert Cornell, Alice Proudman (Cochran), Clarence Ambrose Turner, Jr.

1931-Margery Fitzgerald Dameron (Edmonds), Philip Butler Hamilton, Katherine Marie Kahle (Adelmann), John Turpin McRae, Leigh Rainey Trotter.

1932—Leonard Caplan, Ida Gray Capps (Wallace), William Brooks George, John Francis Parlapiano, John Willis

1933—Elizabeth Johnson Betts (Howell), Linda Belle Cromwell (Harper), Francis William Hull, Charles Post Mc-

1934--Harry Bernstein, Clarence I. Butte, Jr., James J. Digangi, Margaret Tryphena Guy, James Robert Lambert, Henry Carter Land, Jr., Robert Hunt Land, May Jeane Lee, Sarah Elizabeth Pope (Dix), Mary Evelyn Turpin (Acree).

1935-Ernest Whitmore Goodrich, John Evans Hocutt, Aubrey Price Holladay (Hamilton), John Aydelotte Mapp, Anne Louise Nenzel (Lambert), Mildred Overton (Banks), Christian William Sorensen, Murray Harold Trinkle, George Lawrence Weinbaum.

1936-Emily Jane Ayers (Davis), Flor-

ence Keith Baker (Silberstein), Esther Adams Beebe (Spengeman), Winifred Brougher (Zaring), Margery Croft, William Pinkham Gove, William Jordan Harman, Jr., Marjorie Edwards Nesbitt (Land), Gerald Lyne O'Neil, William Henry Savage, Karin Serbell (Malmstrom), Jay Francis Simpson, Jr., Ruby Mae Wright (Hocutt).

1937-Marjorie Lorraine Blanchard, Elliott E. Cohen, Harold Dudley Freeman, Eleanor Lanyon Gill, Herbert Lester Granstein, Mary Frances Parsons, Grace Elizabeth Phillips (Harman), Anne Reynolds (Wood), Martha Louise Schifferli, George Burr Woodward.

1938-Herbert Godwin Cobb, Jr., Alice Danne Estes, Doris Erna Froehner, Annabel Webb Hopkins (Mitchell), Rodney Goodwin Jones, Nita Ligon (Morse), William A. Reynolds, Ada Fairfax Stuart (Holland), Linda Acree

Waddill (Simpson).

1939—Barbara Robertson Brown (Heimerl), Wyatt Beazley Carneal, Jr., Eleanor Jane Chase (Severin), Armina Elizabeth Crosby, Dorothy Schuman Dickie (Dunlap), Gwendolyn Virginia Evans (Wood), Oscar Ragnar Gelotte, Leonard Arthur Goldberg, Maria Lee Goodwin (Firth), Frederick Aydelotte Howard, III, Emily Elizabeth Petuske (Hampstead), Jeanne Thomas Sheridan, R. Jordan Sizemore.

1940—Thelma Leigh Bell (MacPhail), Dorothy Hope Bitting (Szabo), Mary Rayner Brookfield, Constance Stratton Crabtree (Jones), Rosa L'Engle Ellis (Long), Charles Ferdinand Frey, John Henry Garrett, Jr., Ruth Ann Holzmueller (Chancellor), John Stuart Hudson, Joan Jarrett, Robert Joseph Klein, Robert Isaac Lansburgh, Florence Amy Mode, Mary Lorraine Pearse, Charles Edward Roberts, David Victor Senft, Ruth Florence Struminger (Greenberg), Frances Ann Terrell (Garrett), Jean Marie Walworth, John Harrison Willoughby.

1941-Edgar Bascomb Darden, Jr., Richard Wadams Earle, Charles Richard Gondak, Robert Edward Griffin, Doris Marie Hayes (Smith), Mildred Ray Jennings (Page), Arthur Bertram Kneip, Stephen Edward Lenzi, Ellen Frances Lindsay (Miller), Margaret Hull Mitchell (Mollenkopf), Mary Bush Moncure (Waldron), Norman Hull Morse, Ruth Evelyn Rapp (Thayer), Donald Paige Reid, Mildred Russell, Charles Eugene Stousland, Jr.,

Dorothy Palmer Whitfield.

1942—Barbara Jane Anderson (Cook), Elizabeth Irene Beck, Doris Berg-Johnson (Kuhl), Mary Ruth Black, William George Brown, Elizabeth Louise Bull (Blohm), Elizabeth Eddy Craighead (Stousland), Huntington Woodman Curtis, Mary McKay Darragh (Allerton), Margaret Adelia Eaton (Cattrall), Samuel Leon Ellenson, Eleanor Ely (Mackey), Mary Margaret Figley (Willoughby), Edgar Jacob Fisher, Jr., Gilmer Trower Fitchett, Bernard Goldstein, Mildred Anne Hill (Fisher), Claire Louise Hulcher, Sena Lucille Jennings, Arthur Kleinfelder, Jr., Eleanor Cook Mabry, Lucy Middleton Mc-Clure (Joshua), Patricia Nichols (Curcuru), Nancy Jordan Parker, Thomas Gardiner Paynter, Douglas Robert Robbins, Samuel Burt Robbins, Jr., Gerald Jacob Rose, Charles Malcolm Sullivan, Garnett Taylor Tunstall, Etta Louise Wallace, Alice Lillian Walton (Swift), Annette Gautier Warren, Florence Roslyn Yachnin.

1943-Anne Emily Armitage (Madden), Kathryn Verran Brown (Harris), Evelyn LaVerne Cosby (King), Hughes Westcott Cunningham, Mary Lillian Davis, Ira Bernard Dworkin, Robert Jamieson Faulconer, Jacqueline Fowlkes (Herod), Milton Greenblatt, Donald Hahne, Phyllis Elizabeth Hantz (Wolf), Evelyn Holdcroft Hillsman, Helen Louise Holbrook (Tunstall), Harry Ross Kent, Helen Barbara Kilmon (Thornberg), Harold Baker King, Virginia Kirk Knerr (Smith), Margaret Jarratt Langfitt (McCann), Thomas W. Miller, Jr., Jean Amelia Norris (Daniels), Patricia Kathlyn O'Shea, Jane Clayton Rile (Roberts), Robert John Rose, Jr., Alexander I. Rosowsky, Mary Eloise Schick (Fay), Sadie Louise Seymour, Marion Kennedy Smith (Turner), Dorothy Jane Stouffer, Richard Waine Thomas, John Wesley Todd, Dyckman Ware Vermilye, Virginia G. Welch, Hensley Charles Woodbridge.

1944-Doris Marie Armor, Edith Wilkinson Burkard, Mary Wilson Carver (Sale), Wilhelmina Shannon Davison (Cantlay), Mary Emelyn Dilts, Ruth Eleanor Dumper (Singer), Barbara Jean Durling, John Scott Entwisle, Winifred Florence Gill (Geesey), Emilie Ricka Goldberg (Jacobson), Nancy DeSoto Hale, Margaret Ellen Horn (Booth), Jerome Elliot Hyman, Nancy Lavinder Keen, Gwendolyn Garland Kehl (Gore), Myrtle Louise Leath, James Neville McArthur, Marilyn Margaret Miller (Entwisle), Frances Gibson Pendleton (Elliott), Marjorie Jean Retzke, Eleanore Rheuby (Hineman), Marian Ross (Karrick), Virginia Welsh Shipley, Avis Linnell Shumaker, Billie Win-

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ALUMNI NEWS

1913 Wilbur R. Dameron is now located in Lisbon, Portugal where he is an official with the Economic Cooperation Administration.

Wayne C. Metcalf, past president of the Alumni Society, has been elected president of the nonpartisan Roanoke Citizens Association.

1921 Clyde Francis Lytle has been named dean of instruction at the State Teachers College, Kutztown, Pennsylvania, where he has been head of the English Department since 1922. After receiving his B. A. degree from William and Mary, he took advanced degrees at Middlebury and New York University.

1923 John Garland Pollard, Jr., most recent appointee to the Board of Visitors, is also serving on the school board of the Church Schools of the Diocese of Virginia (Episcopal) and on the board of Christ Church School.

1924 Edward C. Johnson, formerly Chief Justice of the Samoan Supreme Court, is the hearing officer for the Securities and Exchange Commission which concerns itself with the regulation of stock exchanges and the reorganization and dissolution of public utility companies. He is also on the faculty of two universities in Washington, D. C.

Dennis D. Forrest has been named division superintendent of the newly formed School Division of the State Board of Education. The new division embraces Mathews and Gloucester Counties. His teaching career began immediately after his graduation from the College and in 1932 he received his M. A. degree from William and Mary.

1927 Charles P. Beazley, after serving ten years on the staff of Carter Glass & Sons, at Lynchburg, entered the Air Force soon after Pearl Harbor and saw service in North Africa, Mediterranean and Italian campaigns as an Operations Officer and later as an Intelligence Officer. Released as a Major, he edited Air Force Magazine and later organized public relations for the 10th Air Force in Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Arkansas. He is now associated with Candle Craft, Inc., Newark, New Jersey, as sales manager.

1929 Norman John Patterson is Mayor of Highland Park, Michigan.

1936 Alexander Balland Haughwout is chief engineer with the York Westchester Corporation.

1937 Secretary, MARTHA FAIRCHILD (GLEDHILL) 37 Robie Street, Bath, New York

A grand letter from Betty Phillips (Harmon) who now lives at 211 Ellsworth Drive, Gainesville, Florida. She has 4 children, 2 boys and 2 girls. Her husband is milk procurement man for Southern Dairies for the state of Florida. Betty says that she loves Gainesville and they are all growing happy and healthy on ice cream and sunshine. Thanks so much, Betty for the letter—it was grand to hear from you.

New addresses: Elliot Cohen—Southdown Avenue, Huntington, L. I., N. Y. Charles Penrose—Apt. 41D—Clarkson Ave., Potsdam, N. Y. Jane Sunderland (Broudy)—Quarters 1050B, Fort Bliss, Texas.

I am quoting from a recent newspaper article entitled "A KEY WELL AWARDED." "Award by a committee, only one of whom was a member of the sponsoring organization, of the Junior Chamber of Commerce's gold key to William R. Van Buren, Jr. as the outstanding young man of the year in the Peninsula area is more appropriate in that Mr. Van Buren was surprised to get it. For if one is to make such a classification of Mr. Van Buren, one has to go elsewhere than to him for the justifying details. Bill Van Buren goes quietly about whatever work he has undertaken without holding it out for his neighbors to admire. . . ." Congratulations, Bill, from your classmates, too.

I have just returned from a trip to Vermont and am late with this letter so it will have to be short. Keep the letters and news coming!

1938 Secretary, ANNABEL HOPKINS (MITCHELL) 4 South Rogers St., Aberdeen, Md.

Spring really must be the time to try to get information from class members; the response this time has been wonderful!

Sally Macon Porter (Williams) sent me word of her marriage which you will

find in another part of the GAZETTE. Congratulations! She and Tom are living at 1157 Sherman Ave., Madison, Wis., where he is engaged in chemical engineering.

Mildred Albee (Babb) has a new address, too, Box 213A, Ocean Park, Lynnhaven, Va. While house hunting, Mildred ran into Bob and Ruth Perrine (Partrea). And she writes that Warren Littleton is the principal of the school her son, Terry, attends.

I had an interesting note from Gordon Blanchard, Jr. in Boston. He is married and has two husky boys, William Bradford, 2½, and Douglas Pattison, 1 month. Gordon is a social worker for the Church Home Society in Boston.

Edythe Ray Dank (Lever) wrote that she has recently joined the Women's Auxiliary of the American Medical Association. She and Dr. Lever, and their two sons, Andy, 6 and Lawrence Geoffrey, 4 mos. live at 231 King St., Port Chester, N. Y.

Dorothy Dickinson is at Columbia working toward a masters in Library Science. She says there is little time for the "gay" life of New York.

My thanks to Bill Arthur for his entertaining letter. Bill attended the Southern Conference Basketball Tournament in Durham in March and watched the Indians play that exciting, three overtime periods game with George Washington University. While in Durham he saw the Rube McCrays, Eric Tiptons, Dick Simonsons, Barney Wilson and Red Irwin. Bill hopes to see all his William and Mary friends at Homecoming next fall, if not sooner.

Susan Hay Wilson (Coleman) has moved to Java, Va. How about a note, Sue? We'd like to hear about your family and activities.

Lester Arnauld Wilson, Jr. was at the Alumni Office in February when he was attending a medical meeting in Williamsburg. He received his M.D. at South Carolina in June 1942 and is now at Duke Hospital, Durham, N. C. for the next two years.

Phebe Eppes (Gordon) sent me an interesting account of her activities. Her husband is serving his second term as prosecuting attorney and is quite busy. Their new address is 148 Fremont, Battle Creek, Mich. Phebe's two daughters—Phebe

Anne "Happy" 21/2, and Susan Boyd, 7 mos. keep her busy, but she still has time to be active in the Civic Theater, the local branch of the A.A.U.W. and has worked with blind children, transcribing books into Braille. Last year she was chairman for Cultural Activities of the Junior League, which meant work in the Symphonies, Art Center, Children's Theater and Children's Radio. Golly, where do you get your energy? We hope to see you in Williamsburg for some Homecoming before you bring the girls to see their future college, Phebe.

It's wonderful how I can answer your questions about each other when I have such good response from the cards I have been sending. For instance, I had a grand letter from Margaret Brett (Evans) one morning last week and she asked in particular if I had any information about Mary Virginia Flanary, that she wanted to get in touch with her. And that very afternoon's mail brought a card from Mary Virginia!

Margaret and Bill moved into a new home in Murfreesboro, N. C. last July and she still operates The Kiddie Shop. In connection with that enterprise she has just been elected president of the Murfreesboro Board of Trade, the first woman to hold that office. Congratulations! You must keep quite busy with all that and taking care of your two boys and little Sarah Helen. We hope to see you at the Homecoming this fall. And thanks again for the letter.

Mary Virginia Flanary is still teaching history at Dryden High School. Since graduation she has returned to W and M for a Library Science degree and has been a part-time librarian also. During the war she did part-time work for Colonial Williamsburg and was at the Univ. of Vermont for summer school in 1944. Mary Virginia gets back to Williamsburg for one long visit each year, and says it is a great thrill to get back to her "second home at the Youngs."

Since I last wrote a class letter my two

boys have tried to have all their childhood diseases at one time. We no sooner finished with chicken pox, than here came the measles. I expect to turn both boys loose in two weeks, and I hope that's all for this spring. We have begun building a bungalow on the Eastern Shore and expect to have it completed by summer so we will be all settled in time for the corn canning season.

Be sure to look at the Transition pages of this issue for other news of our class. Please keep me posted as to your activities and let's have a good long letter for the fall issue of the magazine.

Secretary, Frances L. Grodecouer 1939 810 Howard Street, Monongahela, Pennsylvania

Arthur T. Monahon, Jr. dropped a card to the Alumni Office stating that he is a "builder, married, 3 children," address: Fairview Road, Weston, Massa-

It seems that everyone is moving. Note the following changes of address:

Wesley B. Jones, Box 49, Rt. 2, Lynnhaven, Virginia.

Anthony P. Wagener, Jr., and wife, Lucille Haynes (Wagener) are now living at 144 Elm Street, Park Forest, Chicago Heights, Illinois.

Mary Morse (Johnson) moved to Rt. 2, Box 841, Bremerton, Washington, in April, 1946.

Arthur Tanner has a new address too, Fishkill, New York.

You can reach Charles Cogliandro at 17 Webster Avenue, Brooklyn 30, New

Charles Harper Ward is now living in Montross, Virginia, and William J. Green at 5000 Columbia Pike, Arlington,

Jennie Davis is now Mrs. Don E. Sproul and she and her husband live at 703 Homewood Avenue, Dayton, Ohio.

Ruth Trimble is the bursar, St. Agnes School, Inc., Jefferson Park, Alexandria, Virginia.

The above data was sent on to me from the Alumni Office. Thanks all of you for keeping us informed as to where you are -do continue the good work.

Carroll Hutton (MacGahan) writes that she and her husband, John, are living at 1311 E. 60th Street, Chicago 37, Illinois, where he is working for his Ph. D. in Psychology at the University of Chicago. Carroll, John and the two girls, Barbara Ann, five years old and Susan, a year and a half, are having fun living in their "prefab" housing unit. More from Carroll-she saw Marjorie Bowman (Fowler) and her year old son last sum-

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mer. They are living in East Orange, New Jersey. Jeanne Sheridan of Poughkeepsie, New York, was in on the get-together. Mae Hawkins (Gregory) is in Norfolk, Virginia. Eva Calloy Warden is living in Orchard Park, New York.

I am looking forward to June 11th and to seeing all of you. Please, everyone, try to be there. It's going to be fun and we'll have a wonderful get-together.

Secretary, Rosa Ellis (Long) 368 Norwood Avenue, 1940 Buffalo 13, New York

Remember those green pork-pie hats with the orange numerals 40 that we all bought back at W and M? Well, find yours. You will be wearing it at our Tenth Reunion next year!

This issue we have word of some of our long-lost classmates. Virginia Breden (Kelly) writes that she has been living in various parts of the middle and southwest since '41 and is now at 1123 North Country Club Drive, Tulsa, Oklahoma. She did radio work during that time, writing and selling time, but now she is "well entrenched in domesticity" with her tenmonth-old child.

The Associated Press carried the story with the dateline of Luray, March 3, that Virginia Brown Lester has just been appointed superintendent of the Page Memorial Hospital. Ginny served during the war as a captain in the WAC Medical

John Harrison Willoughby just had a series of articles on television published in the International Photographers maga-

Florence Signaigo (Wagner) has been found way out at 1803 Spruce Street, Berkeley 9, California. Florence received a degree from the University of Michigan, was with the O.S.S. in Washington, and was a graduate student in botany at the U. of California. Last year she married Herbert Wagner.

Thomas E. Strange has just been recalled to active duty as a lieutenant commander in the Navy. He is serving as aide to the executive officer, P. G. School, Annapolis. Tommy, Jr., was born July 27, 1948, and has a sister, Meri, age 3.

Virginia MacDonald (Baxter) writes that she took her 18-month-old daughter, Betty, and husband, Joe, to see W. and M. play in the Delta Bowl in Memphis. Virginia lives in Jackson, Miss. They sat among the students and really felt the ole school spirit again. The Baxters expect to be in Virginia in April while Joe attends a reserve course at Yorktown. He is a lieutenant commander in the Naval Reserve. Thanks for the news of Sue Duncan (Thomas)'s second daughter, Kathy.

Cecy Waddell (Cunningham), '46, who is now working in the Alumni Office, has sent your secretary all of the following news. Thanks, Cecy.

Harper Anderson and his wife are living in the old K. A. House which is now called the Bright House and has been made into very attractive apartments.

Charles L. Quittmeyer is now teaching at the College.

David Senft was in the Alumni Office in February on his way home to New York City from Florida.

Frances Wagener (Read) and her daughter Frannie are in Williamsburg at her home while Ben Read is on maneuvers. When he returns this spring they expect to be shipped abroad.

Lillian Waymack (Amburgey) and Bill are still living in Richmond, but when Bill graduates from the U. of Richmond this June, they expect to move. Lil wrote of a surprise visit by Arthur Hanson who was on his way to buy a fraternity house at the University of Virginia. She also wrote that George Young had been by Richmond and stopped to chat with the Amburgeys for an evening. George and Marie Harris (Young) live in New Rochelle where he is in merchandis-

We had a pretty snowfall here March 31, but I have had enough winter and am looking forward to being in Williamsburg in May. Line up all the news for me, you lucky people who live in Virginia!

Secretary, Charles Eugene Stousland, Jr. 1941 1108 Blodgett Street, Apt. 4 Houston 4, Texas.

Time has come for another letter from '41, but I'm afraid that this one won't be quite as long as the last. The first letter in is from Peg Gildner (Coale). Peg and her daughter are now in Springfield, Pa. Peg is working for the Piasecki Helicopter Corp. and has the impressive title of "Editorial Assistant to the Public Relations Director."

Everett Williams writes from Brownfield, Texas, that he is now employed by the Riley Stoker Corp. of Worcester, Mass. but his job has him running all over the country to see that boilers are boiling properly. Ev is probably the only mechanical engineer to graduate from W and M and he spent four and a half years with the Coast Guard during the recent unpleasantness. To answer one of your questions Ev, I have not given up saddle shoes for boots as yet.

Bruce Simons and his bride, the former

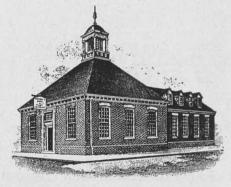
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Norma Reed, stopped by the Alumni Office while in Williamsburg on their Honeymoon. Bruce is now a salesman for the Sinclair Refining Co. His address is 665 West Warren, Detroit, Mich. Bruce noted that the W and M Alums in that area are planning to attend the Michigan State game next fall.

From Vallejo comes a letter from the old Student Body Pres. Chuck Gondak. Chuck is a service engineer with the telephone company in Richmond, Cal. Chuck is now married to "a wonderful California girl" and notes that she is pretty well indoctrinated with what a wonderful place W and M is but she hasn't mastered the Alma Mater as yet. Larry Pettet sends a load of addresses from Alums in the Chicago area for which many thanks. Larry was still pacing the floor about the addition to his family when he wrote, but Dan Blocker, '39, stopped by last night and reported that "it was a boy at the Pettets." Larry is a buyer for Marshall Field and would be interested in hearing from any Alums in the area.

Back in college is the report from Norris Lineweaver in Springfield, Mass. Norris spent seven years with the Marine Corps but is now back in school majoring in group work in preparation for YMCA service. Norris is the proud papa of two little boys—David, age three, and Stephen, two and a half. Norris mentioned the possibility of ending up in Texas at the Army-Navy YMCA in El Paso. Speaking of Texas, and that seems to be the most popular indoor sport in this area, a note just arrived from Al Alley. Rev. Alley is headmaster of the Cathedral School for Boys in Dallas so we may have a Texas reunion.

Note to the Chicago group—Dick Lill is in that vicinity as a member of the foreign Administration Dept. of Sears and Roebuck. S & R is doing well thank you and Dick is busy coordinating the merchandising activities of several of their South American stores. If you get to Caracas Dick look up Pat Pelham (Kendrick). Pat just married a Texan and they are living in Caracas.

A letter from Al Chestnut reports that he is now located in Morehead City, N. C. and is working on his Ph.D. from Rutgers by keeping the oysters amused with research and practical problems. Al is with the Institute of Fisheries Research of the University of North Carolina. Al hears from Carter Holbrook occasionally—the latest being that Carter is headed back to Carolina.

From California comes a letter loaded with news. Ruth Rapp (Thayer) has a new addition in her family . . . a second

son Bruce Christian born 19 January. Congratulations. Ruth says that there are quite a few W and M Alums around . . . Pat and Bill Parry . . . Marx and Jack Willoughby . . . what they need now is one more couple to make two tables of bridge . . . why not try to get Chuck Gondak to transfer down to the Hollywood group?

A couple of short items via the Alumni Office. Dorothy Judd is now at Abbott Academy in Andover, Mass. and Cliff Askins, is now a DDS in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Doris Hayes (Smith) writes that while working as a tower operator at the National Airport she met and married a captain with EAL. Her family now includes young Smitty age 13 months and two cocker spaniels. The Smiths live in Trenton and (this sounds like fun if I can get it straight) have bought a surplus Navy Howard (I'm guessing that Howard is an airplane) in which they plan many swell trips. . . . Williamsburg in May being a must.

From a "big old rambling house with a cupola" in Roslyn Heights, New York, Peggy Peck (Latham) writes that most of her news has appeared in the GAZETTE at one time or another, but Peggy reports two daughters and a doubt that she will ever get used to the climate up nawth. Peggy reports that she saw Peggy Ford about a year ago and that she is now secretary to the director of a large hospital in Maine.

Donald Reid reports some big type news which I did not catch in the vital statistics section of the last GAZETTE. It's twin boys at the Reids. Congratulations. Donald is now a Lt. Commander in the Navy and is on the staff of the Navy Supply Corps School at Bayonne, N. J. Between work at the school and two new boys Don is quite busy. I had a brief note from Kitty Koontz, but all she had to say was that she liked the last column and of course I had to put that in. Thanks Kitty.

Hattie Abbitt (McKinney) writes that "news of my activities is probably the same as it would be with the majority of our classmates." That may be so but thanks for writing. . . I only hope that a similar thought isn't keeping others from writing. Hattie is quite busy with two sons . . . Church work . . . and is also active in the Erie Guidance Center working for the betterment of her community. Hattie and her husband attended the Psychological Association convention in Boston and had a nice chat with Dr. Henneman. Thanks for your news and kind wishes Hattie.

This seems a lot shorter than my last letter but hope for many letters for the

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next issue. I hope to leave Texas before the summer sets in but at this point I know only my direction and will report my destination later but hope the class will send their news to me in care of the Alumni Office.

1942 Secretary, MARX FIGLEY (WILLOUGHBY) 1522-C Dixon Street, Glendale 5, California

Meager, meager is the bit of news gleaned from the class for this last issue before summer. (Let's hope that some of us can have some real exciting vacations before the fall issue—or something!)

Mary Ruth Black writes that she is still working for the Girl Scouts in Pittsburgh as a functional director in charge of special program activities and advanced training, editor of a monthly four-page bulletin which is mailed to 2500 leaders, and director of Camp Winnicut. Right now, Mary Ruth says that she is busy hiring staff members and ordering food for summer camp, and helping with a World Friendship Pageant in which about 10,000 scouts will take part. (Tell me, Mary Ruth, what kind of vitamins do you take!) In January, she took a two-week vacation to Puerto Rico going down by boat and flying back. Last summer, Mary Ruth and five other girls went to Lake Nipissing in Canada where they roughed it and traveled by canoe. (Both trips sounded pretty wonderful to me. I do most of my traveling these days through the pages of Holiday!!)

Charlotte Mooers (Stevens) wrote that she, her little boy, and her husband were at last leaving the cold of Minnesota after three years and going back to good old home town, Richmond. Her husband was studying at Mayo Clinic and is now going to set up his practice in Richmond. Charlotte said that they bought one of those huge old houses on Monument Avenue and will use part of the first floor as office space and live on the second floor. Her address will be 2608 Monument Ave., Richmond. (Hope that will toss some business as well as pleasure your way, Charlotte!!)

From Connecticut comes word from Phyllis Hile (McCarthy) and family. Phil said that they moved from Arlington, Virginia last fall to Manchester, Conn. as her husband got a job as a patent agent for the United Aircraft Corporation in Hartford. They bought a house and have a huge big wooded yard all fenced in where Phil said she can put both her little boy and cocker spaniel when "things get going rough"! Anyone who gets up that way has an invitation to visit the Mc-

Carthys at 40 Turnbull Road.

Annette Carter has returned from Mexico and is now living at 246 West Upsal St., Philadelphia. (Let us hear from you Annette, all about Mexico and what you are doing now.)

A new box number for Dorothy Griffin (Williams), it's Route 4, Box 644, Suffolk, Virginia.

Harry Morton, Jr., who has served as the manager of the Craft House since April, 1947, resigned to take a new position in Norfolk.

Arthur Kleinfelder sends us this bit of news. 'Our good class president, C. Malcolm Sullivan, just called 'Yours Truly' to advise that he was 'in for appendicitis' at Passavant Hospital, Chicago as of Sunday night 1/15/49. By the time the next GAZETTE is published, he'll be up and around for good old J. Walter Thompson Co.'

William Morell, Jr., and his wife, Patricia Leonhard (Morell), were in the Alumni Office on March 5. They were in Williamsburg for the week end. Bill is working for the government as an economist. He received his B.A. from George Washington in August '42, and his M.A. from the University of Pennsylvania in August '48. Bill and Pat are living in Rydal, Pa. and he has been commuting

to D. C. They are planning to move to Washington this summer.

I met William Slater and his wife at the first Los Angeles Alumni meeting. Bill is still working as a chemist (forget where, tsk!) and is studying television at night school. We really had a nice gettogether at the meeting. Bill and I were the only ones from the class of '42, but there were loads of other familiar faces.

The Willoughby family expects to be four by the time this issue comes out in May, and that just about sums up the news from here!!

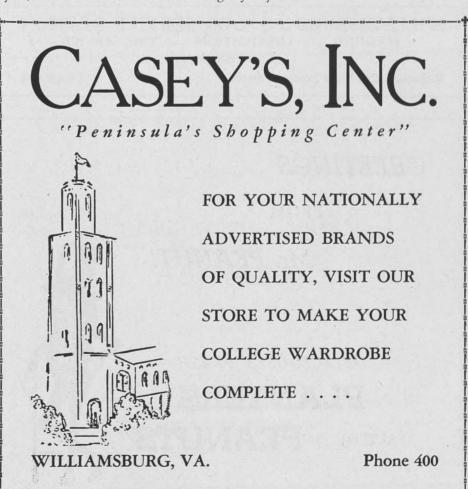
Best of luck and let's have more news for the fall issue, hmmm?

1943 Secretary, JACQUELINE FOWLKES (HEROD) 1721 Park Avenue, Richmond 20, Virginia

Here goes for a "change of address" column mostly!

Henry Edwin Bridgers, Jr. and Mary Martha Yarborough (Bridgers) are living at P. O. Box 3074 University Station, Columbus 10, Ohio. Henry is doing graduate work toward a Ph.D. in Chemistry.

Emilia Garcia (Carlson), has moved from Staten Island, New York, to 1147 Kensington Avenue, Plainfield, New Jersey.



I regret that I erroneously reported recently that Hensley Woodbridge was studying at the University of California. May I hasten to say that he is teaching two classes and continuing graduate work towards a Ph.D. at the University of Illinois. Hensley recently contributed to the Journal of the Washington Academy of Sciences (Glossary of names used in colonial Latin America for crosses among Indians, Negroes, and Whites); Italica (A Bibliography of the Writings of John Van Horne); and the American Mercury (a letter identifying Victor Serge).

An article of interest to us appeared in a recent Virginia paper about a Children's Mission conducted at St. Andrew's Church, Hilton Village, by the Rev. George Blake Holmes, vicar of the Episcopal Churches in Mecklenburg County. George graduated from Seabury Western Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois and has undertaken graduate work at Northwestern, Washington and Jefferson, and Garrett Biblical Institute. He flew 72 missions in the European Theater during the war as a navigator in the Air Forces. At present, George is minister in charge of 13 churches, with his home being in Boydton, Virginia. Our best wishes to George in this fine work.

Kathryn Brown (Harris), has moved from Cincinnati to 40 Hathaway Place, Glen Ridge, New Jersey.

Henry Van Amburgh Joslin is a Major in the Marines and is the Recruiting Officer at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Mail will reach Van in care of that office.

A particularly welcome letter arrived this month from Kitty Jones (Ray), since it was the first epistle from Kitty since we left her at school! Not only has she become Mrs. Thomas C. Ray (D-1004 Wilson Point Road, Baltimore 20, Maryland), having been married three and a half years ago, but Kitty has two sons, Tod and Clarke. Tom, her husband, works at the Glen L. Martin Co. where he is a project engineer. Kitty tells me that Pat Pelham was recently married and plans to live in South America for a while. How about sending us her married name, etc., Kitty? I have been trying desperately to catch up with Pat for years now but have had no luck. Kitty has also heard from "Sis" Jerry (Vassar) and says that her two girls are darling.

Several people have asked the whereabouts of Claire Bardwell (Lappin). Claire is expected back in the States from Germany any time now—mail will reach her at 2408 Rosewood Avenue, Rich-

mond 20, Virginia.

Viola Gompf (Evans) has moved to 334 West Atlanta Street, Altadena, California.

The latest address for Betty Kirst (Baumann) is 818 Fair Oaks Avenue, Oak Park, Illinois. Also, William Huet Hollings, Jr. has moved to Hancock Avenue, Seaside Heights, New Jersey.

Rhoda Hollander, who received her LL.B. from New York University School of Law and is a member of the New York Bar, is at present a member of the faculty and library staff at NYU Law School.

Phyllis Reid (Knopf), 113 E. Geneva Lane, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, has written to tell us about the arrival of her son, George. She must have her hands full with two little ones now—the other is a lively two-year-old. Phyllis says that Phyl Hantz (Wolf) had a little girl in December. Why doesn't Mrs. Wolf tell us these things?

Finally, we have located Priscilla Wilson (Lilly) and her address is 1239 New Hampshire Avenue, Washington, D. C. Pat, as she is now being called, is working at Arlington Hall Station, a Signal Corps Post.

Harold B. King has been named executive director of athletics at Hopewell High School. Hal will continue, as head basketball coach in addition to his new duties. Before coming to Hopewell in 1947, Hal was head coach and assistant principal at Kenbridge High School. Thanks to Libby Fisher (Beville) we have further news of the King family. Evelyn Cosby (King) played the lead in the recent City Point Players' presentation of "John Loves Mary." To quote from the program notes: "Evelyn King is a newcomer to Hopewell audiences. While at William and Mary she appeared in musical productions, writing and singing her own music. Evelyn says she has had no stage experience other than this, butthe gal clicks." We can imagine just how good Evelyn would be in such a role, and Libby added that "she was wonderful." Libby says that she sees Evelyn at the Hopewell Junior Woman's Club meetings and also tells us that Louis Butterworth is working in Hopewell for the Ford agency. Libby's ex-roommate, Marty Snow (Butts) has a new home near West Chester, Pennsylvania. About the Bevilles-Sorry to hear that Charlie was down with a virus infection during the winter but hope all the family is well now. Their son, Chick, is five now and in kindergarten, while Susan, age 2, keeps Libby company at home. Thanks so much for your grand letter, Libby. (Their

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address is 201 Ramsey Avenue, Hopewell, Virginia.)

Doubtless most of you have heard that Marvin Bass has left Williamsburg to assume new coaching duties on the football staff at the University of North Carolina. The College and all of us are disappointed over losing Marvin and his family but wish him much success in his new capacity.

A recent sports photo in the Flat Hat carried the caption "Faculty Kayo's ODK." Our Scotty Cunningham was in the faculty line-up, assisting his "team" to victory! Scotty and Cecy have moved again!!! This time, they've taken an apartment in the Bright House. In case you can't place the location, the old KA House has been converted into an apartment house and thus continues to grace the same old hill, though with a "fresher" splendor. Incidentally, the campus is really lovely now with the improvements that have been made by opening up and landscaping the area beyond Marshall Wythe and Old Dominion, including the stadium area and Bright House, with parking facilities beyond, and the fraternity Lodge area across the road from the lily pond at the end of the Sunken Garden. And while I am attempting to keep you posted on changes at the College, I must inform you that our familiar old "Freshman dining hall" is now known as the "Pagoda Room." T'would never do for us to refer to it in the outdated lingo! Yes, the Pagoda Room is lovely in its Chinese-influenced wallpaper pattern, booths around the walls and curtained platform at one end. The movable tables in the center of the room are taken out to accommodate Saturday night dances now, leaving the permanent booths for seating and refreshments. The weekly dances are no longer "lost" in the barn-like gym, but are quite attractive and friendly in their new setting-the Pagoda Room.

As a result of recommendations proposed by Dr. Pomfret regarding the support of the band, the Board of Visitors has arranged for an annual appropriation to help cover the cost of instruments, uniforms and music, their purchase and upkeep. This is of particular interest to the Alumni, many of whom have expressed disappointment over the general appearance of the band at athletic events particularly. I call this to your attention since some of us are especially interested in the progress and continuation of the band and feel that some of you may want to make additional donations to the band fund. Please keep this in mind.

I was happy to see a few familiar class faces at the recent Richmond Alumni

meeting. Hope that next time there will be more. Pat Giles was there—she is a court stenographer here in Richmond. Also saw Marion and Jimmy Macon—they are making progress on plans for their new home. I had a fleeting glance at Glen Knox and "Red" Irwin with their respective wives. Glen spoke harshly to me for not having come out to see his new home. I really am so envious of all these new homes!

I don't know what I'd do without Cecy Cunningham's assistance in collecting news items for me from the Williamsburg end. She's a great deal of help. Among the items which she sent me—already included—was that Edgar Pointer, wife, and new son have moved over to his home, Bena, in Gloucester where Edgar is planning to practice law.

That's it for now. Have a grand summer and vacation with lots of fun. Above all, don't forget to drop me a line!

Secretary,
ELIZABETH GOOCH SEAY
4120 Stuart Avenue,
Richmond 21, Virginia

We have had over forty replies to the two hundred questionnaires which I sent out relative to our reunion on June 11. By the deadline, I hope we will have a much larger perecentage of returns. So far, our contributions amount to approximately one hundred and ten dollars, a

small portion of which is to be used to defray correspondence expenses.

Few persons could be definite about their plans to be present on the big day, but all those who answered hoped they could come. Nancy Throckmorton (Franck) has been appointed chairman of our get-together and is planning a picnic as the majority of people who have answered indicated a picnic as their choice. You will be notified later as to time, place and cost. At this time I might mention that accommodations for the night can be arranged by writing the Alumni Office as rooms in dormitories will be available for couples or for individuals. I shall not enumerate those who have sent in their replies; however most of our news comes from them.

But first, before this news, let us welcome Robert William Conkey into our class, Bob, who entered with us, graduated in February of this year. Congratulations, Bob!

Susan Whitehead (Byars) received her MA in history in 1945; then married Lt. (j.g.) W. M. Byars, Jr. Susan and Walton and daughter Barbara, age two, are living at 217 N. Garden Circle, Dunedin, Florida. Walton is in the refrigeration and air-conditioning business in Clearwater. Susan says she would love to see some William and Mary folk. Anyone living near her, note the address.

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Although Eleanor Dumper (Singer) states that she has no startling class news to pass on, I found her letter full of exciting news as she has traveled extensively since her marriage almost two years ago to William Singer. Bill, you know, is vice-president of Turner Halsey Export Corporation, a textile exporting house. His most recent trip was to Europe where he visited eleven countries. Eleanor was unable to accompany Bill this time, but has been to Cuba, Canada and Sea Island. Eleanor is active in the New York chapter (alumnae) of Gamma Phi Beta.

Maude M. Weeks whose permanent address remains at De Land, Florida, is librarian for Perkiston Junior College, Perkiston, Mississippi.

Joining our clan of merchandising folk are Janet Staebner and Mary Barnhardt. Janet is assistant buyer at Woodward and Lothrop in Washington and Mary has been made assistant to the food supervisor at Lord and Taylor, Westchester Branch. Her address is 147 White Rd., Scarsdale, N. Y.

"C.J." Claudon enjoys his practice with Chiperfield and Chiperfield, attorneys in Cantor, Illinois.

Now stationed with American Red Cross at Adak, Alaska (Aleutian Islands), Nancy Hale's address is 34569, ARC, APO 980, Seattle, Washington.

Writing from Miami, Florida, Dave McNamara must have been on a business trip as he is now telephone maintainer for Seaboard Air Line Railroad.

Among our internation colony is Nancy P. Eslin who wrote us in March that she is in Bad Nauheim, Germany (APO 807 Continental Club, U. S. Army) as an army hostess.

Lois Spratley (Donald) and her husband are now in Baton Rouge. Lois writes that her husband, Douglas, is with the Standard Oil Co. there. She is hoping to make it to Homecoming. Also from Baton Rouge writes Eve Babin (Duhe). Her daughter, Sharon Marie is now two years old. She gives an address at LSU, so I assume that Kramer is attending school there.

As a secretary in the Office of the U. S. Air Attache in London, Barbara Chamberlain seems to be having an unusually enjoyable time, is planning to visit Holland and Scandinavia. She will have another leave in the states in 1950.

A surprise letter comes from Ruth Jones Wilkins. I learned that she attended summer schools and in this way became a member of our class. She really has the advantage on you folk who were planning on being one of the first of our class to have a child enter William and Mary.

Mrs. Wilkins has a son at W and M who will graduate in 1950. She is an instructor in English at RPI.

At every turn we seem to locate another one of us in a faraway land. Anne Katherine Pond's mother wrote that she was en route to Manila after being foreign service clerk in the American Embassy in Nanking, China. Since graduation she has spent two and one-half years in Algiers, North Africa, returning home for a three months leave last summer.

Eleanor Haupt (Bolen) has a Brownie Scout troop in Clemson, S. C. Winifred Birch (Allen), living in Portsmouth, has a young daughter, Margaret Edith born February 19, 1949.

At VPI Beverly Postles (Tyler) is assistant librarian. Husband Bill continues in school there. Midge Webster writes that she is a reservation agent for American Airlines in Rochester.

Emma Anne Smith is with Norfolk City Health Department as a senior bacteriologist. She tells us that Vickie Woodward works for General Electric in Schenectady, N. Y. and has been writing script for television. Among other news which she sends is that Shelia Keane is working for Good Housekeeping with the camp division. Betty Driscoll (3 Roosevelt Place, Scarsdale, N. Y.) is working at Riverside Church in New York City where she helps with social functions such as weddings. Carol Burd (Viellard) is doing part-time medical practice in Buffalo while her husband-doctor is stationed in Norfolk temporarily.

Neville McArthur wrote that Ratcliffe Barnes who is now in Medical School at the University of Virginia, was married on December 27, 1948

married on December 27, 1948.

We learned from Maizie Tressler
(Bailey) that Bebe Nelson is working on her MA at Columbia, in sociology, I believe. She and Bill appear to be enjoying the academic life at Blair Academy.

Honora Thompson who transferred from our class to Bryn Mawr wrote from Washington that she is now with the Central Intelligence Agency.

Jane Rohn (Tobish) plans to be in her new home by the time of our reunion. Son, Christopher is now a year old. Jane gave us news of Lil Bourne (La Fevre). Says she was in Paris last year.

Bill Morris, who married Hazel Irene Kolbus on May 28, 1948, went to Memphis for the Delta Bowl game, saw Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duke and Mr. and Mrs. George Ryan. Bill continues his practice in Champaign and teaches Business Law at the University of Illinois.

Howard Paul Shaw is studying in Grenoble, France.

Norman A. Allen, Jr. is teaching at The Citadel in Charleston, S. C. From New York we have notice that Howard Harkavy has joined the copy and contact staff of G. M. Basford Co., New York and Cleveland advertising agency.

This seems to wind up our news as well as our space; just keep up the good work. Send in your contributions to the class gift to the above address, and do not overlook sending your questionnaire.

BE THERE ON JUNE 11.

1945 Secretary, NELLIE D. GREAVES 2803 Ridge Road Drive, Alexandria, Virginia

Another name to add to the ranks of '45 is Charles Blakley Marasco, of 499 Bellwood Avenue, North Tarrytown, New York, who received his AB this February. Welcome back into the fold, Charles, and congratulations on that Latin document in your left hand!

To dig right down into the mailbag, there is a clipping from the *Flat Hat* sent us which we wish could be reprinted here. It's all about Marvin Bass, "one of the all-time William and Mary greats," who has been appointed line coach at the University of North Carolina. He and Audrey and their young son will be settling down in Chapel Hill any day now. It sounds like a grand job, Marvin; the best of luck in it (except when you meet the Braves next fall!)

Jeanne Bolton (Cressy) has been working for a couple of years in the General Catalogue research section at Bowdoin College, where her husband Cheever is instructor in government.

R. F. D., Edgewater, Maryland, is the new address of Mrs. John T. Cox, Jr. (Jackie Sanne to us). It is just outside of Annapolis. John is the new publicity director at the Naval Academy.

We were sorry to learn that Gloria Gruber (Blakelock) has been ill, but hope that by now all is well. For about a year now her husband Ralph has been director of a new department of Frigidaire, the Commercial Sales Training School. Gloria has heard from quite a few of our colleagues. Ruthie Weimer (Tillar) and K. T. bought a home in Emporia, Virginia, last fall. Jeanne Schoenewolf (Preston) and Page did the very same thing in Kingsport, Tennessee. Virginia Beach is the location Audrey Hudgins (Thompson) and her hubby have selected for house-building. Gloria had a chance meeting not too long ago with Margaret Lucas, '42.

Rumor hath it that Nancy Speakes (Tibbetts) is in New York City with husband and young son.

A welcome note from Mary Elizabeth "Slizie" Jones, now Mrs. Tommy Price, tells that she is back in Baltimore for good after a year in Chillicothe, Ohio, where Tommy was training in a paper mill. At the end of February he started working for a Baltimore paper company. Slizie and Tommy had lots of fun with a nice young crowd in Ohio, but Slizie missed seeing some W. and M. people. She's been keeping busy doing portraits, which she expects to continue in Baltimore, too. The Prices will hie themselves back to Williamsburg come Graduation Week to see Slizie's sister Christine switch the tassel on her cap.

Robert Whitaker Proctor has moved from Sao Paulo to Rio de Janeiro, still with the National City Bank of New York. He is very enthusiastic about Rio and says that it more than lives up to its reputation. He would welcome a visit from any W. and M. alumnus who might go down to Brazil. International Life continues to fascinate Robert.

This will answer your question in last December's GAZETTE, Bob: the address for Ensign Charles H. Langton, USN, is B. O. Q., Naval Air Station, Glenview, Illinois.

Speaking of addresses, Mary Epes Raney (Mrs. Roland Diggs Begor) is still in Westerville, Ohio, but the street and number are: 87 East College Avenue.

David Benjamin Levy is now living at 2242 Blaine Avenue, Detroit 6. He is resident doctor at the Children's Hospital of Michigan in that city. He received his M. D. from the University of Virginia and in June of '46 married Shirley Rhoda Shaw.

Near the end of March, Mary Jane Chamberlain (Howard) and Vaughan drove to Williamsburg because Mary Jane wanted to show Vaughan Henry, Jr. (aged three months!) around the campus. The next day the Howard family went to Broad Street Station in Richmond to enjoy a twenty-minute reunion "between trains" with Edie McChesney. Edie was on her way to a Gamma Phi Beta Province Conference (she's now director of Province VIII and enjoys quite a few trips to various colleges). Her destination was Rollins College in Winter Park.

Thomas Welch Dew, Jr., reports that his new address is 3403 Maplewood Avenue, Richmond.

A friend from the University of Maryland dropped by our office the other day, mentioning that she had just seen Betty Butt (Pusey), who seemed fine and happy.

Ray O'Connor has been keeping busy

working on a project that's pretty big to all of us around Washington. By the time this letter is printed, our efforts will have been completed—successfully, we trust—for the appearance of the William and Mary Choir at Lisner Auditorium of George Washington University. Ray has been selling tickets "like hotcakes," while this writer has been handling the publicity angle, hoping to break into newspapers, display, and even the show business "baby"—television.

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The mail pouch has been turned upside down, and, believe it or not, that's all that came out. Before signing off, we'd like to remind you all that it's just one year 'til our first reunion! Be thinking up some outstanding ideas, start planning *now* for a Williamsburg vacation next June . . . and let's *all* try to make the Forty-Five reunion a memorable affair for us and the College. Everyone, have a grand summer! Don't forget to write.

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are due. Let's keep our class membership in the Society high. Then you'll receive the GAZETTE next fall and see in print all the news you send us this summer!

1946 Secretary, EDITH HARWOOD (SMITH) 362 Westfield Road Scotch Plains, N. J.

How gratifying it was to receive answers from *some* of you classmates to whom I sent postcards. I have started contacting the whole class, SOME each month, in order to round up news and bring the class files up to date. Do hope there will be 100% cooperation and a wholehearted response from all of you before the next deadline—September 1st.

Julia Bristow writes that she has had a grand job as medical secretary to the pathologist at De Paul Hospital in Norfolk for the past two years.

Joyce Le Craw and her husband, Edward O. Rand, were visiting Williamsburg last month. They live at Apt. A-3, 2230 Cheshire Bridge Road, Atlanta, Georgia. Ed owns a Self-Service Laundry. They had been in N. Y. C. for a week just having a gay time.

Joyce Lee Nichols is Mrs. William H. Waters, Jr. and lives at 3921 McKinley St., N.W., Washington 15, D. C.

Pat Martin (Beal) and husband Frank are living in Dalton, Pa. where Frank owns and operates the Paddle Tennis Co.

Jacqueline Adams has been living at 107 University Place, N. Y. C., Apt. 3-H for almost 2 years where she has been working and studying art.

Charlotte Dickason, who has been Mrs. Howard Henderson, Jr. since March, 1945, is living at 3644 Elmwood Ave., Rochester 10, N. Y.

Lucille Burbank has recently moved to 32 West Housatonic Street, Pittsfield, Massachusetts, to take over her new job as head children's librarian at the Berkshire Athenaeum. Her duties for the most part will consist of supervision over the activities of the 30 branch libraries connected with the Athenaeum.

Bev Bose (Deans) writes the good news that they have recently moved into a new home on the By Pass Road, Williamsburg. They are a family of four since Linwood Hinton Deans arrived last September, and how happy they are to have a place of their own.

Marian Webb (Foster) and daughter Pat will be living in Vienna, Maryland, for the next 6 months while her husband, Jack, takes his turn on the air lift.

Glo Rankin (Guy) writes that they will be moving in June into a larger apartment and closer to Henry Ford Hospital, where hubby Ed is interning. Also news of Frank Davis who is working in Toledo now as buyer for a Dry Goods Company. It took awhile for Ed and Glo to catch up with Frank as he had been in Montgomery, Alabama for some months. Betty Aurell and Henry Schutz are also living in Detroit where Henry is with the F.B.I. Henry Jr. is just Ebbie Guy's age so they have lots of fun getting them together.

Dot Scarborough wrote a nice letter in answer to her postcard. She is living at 303 N. Main St., Suffolk, Virginia, where she has been the librarian at the Suffolk High School. Dot will be leaving her job in July, as she plans to be married in August to a Suffolk boy. They will be

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living in Richmond next year while he is attending the University of Richmond.

Marjorie Wallace has been in New Orleans to the Mardi Gras staying with Bobby Volkert. She will be living in

Richmond after April.

Had a postcard full of news from Marilyn Wood (Cushman) who is living at 240 N. Oneida St., Green Bay, Wisconsin. Her husband Don is with the Fort Howard Paper Company and they like the town of Green Bay very much. Their daughter Linda is 17 months old. Marilyn saw Marjorie Kellogg in Chicago over the Xmas holidays. Marge is a practicing lawyer in a small Chicago law firm. Besides being a lawyer, Marge announced her engagement to Jay O'Hara last De-

Julia Woodbridge, who has rejoined our class after working at Langley Field, going to University of Virginia Summer School, attending Radcliffe for two years, and then graduating last June from W and M, is working again at Langley Field with the National Advisory Committee as a Computer. During Julia's spare time she is organizing a Ping-Pong League and does some storytelling at the Community Center in Hampton. Address: Box 109, Hampton, Virginia.

Betty Marie Ellett (Klugh) and husband are still in Fayetteville, Arkansas. Buddy graduated in January from the University, but has stayed on taking some graduate work and plans to enter medical school in the fall. They are planning a

trip East this June.

Had a long newsy letter from Polly Krotts (Wright) from Los Angeles, California (3124 Wynwood Lane No. 5). Polly and baby Michael flew out to join Mel from Denver in November. Mel is with the F.B.I. there. They were lucky to have a beautiful 5-room house waiting

for them when they arrived. The house belonged to Shirley Temple's brother Jack, who is also an agent. They've met-Shirley Temple and her husband. Polly and Mel had a pleasant surprise a few weeks ago when they ran into Carol Parker (Shafer) and Don in church. Polly was most enthusiastic about the new Alumni Chapter out there. They have seen many alumni of the various classes.

Brenda Cahill (Godfrey) and husband John are in Syracuse, N. Y., while John is working on his masters in Business Administration.

As Polly said, it hardly seems possible

that M. J. Talle (Tilton)'s son Billy will be starting school next fall. Yes, we're getting to be old Alumni now-3 years this June!!!!

We were delighted when Barbara (Nicky) Nycum and husband Allison Moore dropped over for a visit in February when they were in N. J. visiting Nicky's folks.

Daphne Andrews (Crum), Johnny,

and little Jean are nearby in Montclair. Daphne now has her driver's license and with the good weather here, we're planning a get-together.

Also Jill Stauf and Owen Elliott are nearby in Maplewood and we hope to see them soon.

Many thanks to those who have answered the post card "contacters" and to those who have written voluntarily. If you haven't answered yours yet, please do. And the rest of you, when you receive yours, do answer before the next deadline—SEPTEMBER 1st.

The following notes have come in from class President, Nancy Grube.

Latest news on Al Appell is that he is married and teaching dancing at an Arthur Murray studio in New York.

Dick Baker seems to be snowed under with his studying at Penn Law School as no one ever hears from him. Drop us a line sometime Dick.

Jean Beazley (Clary) is now working

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in the Pentagon while Grayson finishes his last semester at the Seminary in Alexandria. He will graduate in June and then they are going to some place in Virginia where he already has a church. Jean found teaching quite arduous and likes this present job much better.

Versie Rae Brown quit her job in New York sometime ago and has been living with her family in Jackson, Mis-

sissippi.

Shirley Dixon is still working at the Library of Congress. She and Jean Goodwyn have an apartment together and have been very helpful with alumni activities in Washington. Jean was selected for a government internship, which is a training program for in-service government employees who have outstanding qualifications. She is now busy going to school and attending lectures as part of the course.

Keith Gamble continues at the Library of Congress also. She is in the Legislative Reference Service and is going to American U. at night. Keith is doing a grand job as assistant secretary in the Washington Alumni Chapter.

Bob Hayne is studying for his Ph.D. at Harvard. He and Ginger Wright, '48, plan to be married on August 23.

Dick MacCracken has returned from

studying in Florence, Italy, and says that he enjoyed it so much that he hopes to return some day.

Joyce Remsberg (Shank) is teaching history in a D.C. high school while husband Tim finishes at George Washington where he plans to attend Law School. Teaching takes a lot of Joyce's time, but she manages to keep interested in alumni activities along with the A.A.U.W. Joyce and Tim plan to get together with Helen Louise Robinson (Zeigler) and Jacy Bormann (Stroup) and their husbands to attend the William and Mary Choir recital in Washington on April 27. Jacy and Helen Louise are still living in Middletown, Maryland.

Tommy Smith and his father are in their own dry cleaning business in Arlington. Tom is working much too hard, but it seems to be paying off big dividends. He plans to be in the 'burg for Finals, and his new address is 905 S. Fillmore

Street, Arlington, Va.

Fritz Zepht is still promoting "pots and pans" in a big way. He has so many official titles now that they can't be kept up with, but he plans to be on hand for Finals to greet all the '46ers.

Tom Ingram is working at the Library of Congress. The *Congressional Record* recently stated that his name came before

the Senate for a permanent rank of Ensign in the Navy Supply Corps.

Red and Mary (DeVol) Wood are still living in Alexandria, where Red will graduate from the Theological Seminary in June. Mary will teach school until then. Red is kept very busy with his church work.

I am continuing my work on the professional staff of the Senate Minority Policy Conference. The work is extremely interesting, especially since policy is made right in our office. There is no limit to the variety of the work and many times we work right with the Senators on major legislation. Although the job keeps me pretty busy, I still find time for a lot of alumni work. The Washington Alumni Chapter is going to sponsor the William and Mary Choir here on April 27 and that has kept us all busy making the necessary arrangements. While being Secretary of the local chapter offers its fair share of headaches, it does enable me to keep up on the news of my many college friends. In my free time, I am also doing some writing and getting a few articles published here and there.

I definitely plan to get back for Finals and hope to see a long list of 46ers registered at the Alumni Office. There are many of you whom I haven't seen or

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heard from since we graduated and it would be a real treat to see you in June. Please try to get back for that week end so that we can have a small unofficial reunion. In any event, I do hope you will drop Edie Harwood (Smith) a line from time to time. She has been doing a grand job and worked very hard getting cards mimeographed to send out to all of you. A card from each of you would help her a great deal in writing her letters for the GAZETTE and would certainly keep us all posted on news of you.

1947 Secretary, JANE ANN SEGNITZ 706 Pollard Park Williamsburg, Virginia

Williamsburg is a quiet town as this column gets under way. The campus is deserted of undergrads who are on spring vacation but in their absence others are returning. Eleanor Westbrook is planning a short visit during her recess from teaching activities. The latter Ellie tells

me includes the dubious sport of a faculty basketball team and games against the students

I gathered a lot of news from a letter from Lucy Spigel (Herman). She and Fred are in Cambridge, Mass. where Fred is a student at Fletcher School of International Law and Diplomacy. Lucy is working as an engineering draftsman in Boston. Marion Lott Rees and Ennis are living in the same apartment building and between the four of them they keep tabs on all the grads up that way.

"Swede" Neilson is doing graduate work at the University of Iowa. Also out that way in Cedar Falls, is Marianna Merner who is studying education at the Iowa State Teachers College.

Betty Smeddle is out in Vancouver, B. C., and has spent some time in the enviable pastime of skiing at Sun Valley. Word also comes that Alice Woods (Coleman) is living in Washington, D. C.

Mel Kahn and his wife Elaine have returned from Switzerland and he is finishing up his M.A. work at Harvard. Sumner Rand has left the Cambridge delegation and returned to Orlando, Fla., where he is writing for the local newspaper.

Jackie Adams took a brief vacation from modeling in New York and spent the time with Marion and Ennis Rees.

Grace Kern (Sachs) and husband Bill are living in Hampton where he is a high school coach. Have also located Mary Alice Mangels (Mulligan) in New York City and Frances Isabell in Washington, D. C. Rheba Burgess is teaching in Norfolk County.

Ginna Lewis was down for a brief visit. She is now going to Secretarial School in New York and still entertaining the idea of going on in the theater.

Another recent visitor was Bonnie Wolfgram who was down for a week end in Charlottesville and couldn't resist coming to the 'burg for a day.

Robert Piland is an aeronautical research scientist with the National Ad-

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No permanent address for Peggy Walker but she is working as a secretary at the Kimberly School in Montclair, N. J. Evelyn Stryker reports happily that she has licked the apartment situation in New York and is now settled at 460 W. 22nd Street.

Hooker Harbour is in charge of the headquarters offices in Richmond of the Remmie Arnold for Governor Campaign.

Meg Megerle was here this past week end and furnished the information that Jeanne Mackay is with Arthur Murray Schools. Barbara Duborg has gone to work on Capitol Hill.

I am in a grand frame of mind having returned from a week in Florida. The first trip home in 18 months and it was a real treat to get a share of the famed sunshine. Hoping to see many of you this spring and I will be on the lookout for any familiar faces.

1948 Secretary, MARY MINTON CREGOR Anchorage, Kentucky

There's nothing like traveling over 700 miles just to spend one day at one's Alma Mater which is exactly what I did the last week in March. But then there's nothing like Williamsburg in the spring so off I took with some friends of mine from Louisville who were driving out. It was my first trip back since last June so it all looked doubly good and I can hardly wait till graduation when again,

with the aid of some more kind friends, I shall return for a more lengthy visit of several days!

Ran into Barbie Hughes, Jean Bevans, Mark Waldo, Stan Hudgins and Dave Henritze who were there for Midwinter's which I just missed. Saw Jay McOuat (Hyle) and Sylvia Lagerholm (Vaughn) who are working in Marshall-Wythe.

Marcia Magill writes that she is now deep in her thesis and expects to graduate from Columbia in June. She said that she met Evelyn Stryker's roommate in the Columbia library and was told that Evelyn is still with Harper's and loves her job. George Bartholomew is at Columbia, too, and he and his family are happily settled in Shanks Village, the Veteran housing settlement.

Sara Fowlkes writes that except for the fact that she is starving to death, she has a perfect job. She is working for the State Board of Appeal (Selective Service) in Richmond and really has a wonderful set-up. She works from 9:00 to 1:00 five days a week. She saw Frank Shields who is at Miller & Rhoads in Executive Training and he said that Tooker Ewart (Shields) is working out at Richmond College.

Margaret Alphin has been in Beckley, W. Va., working as a home economist for the Beckley district of the Appalachian Electric Power Company. The work includes demonstrations of electric ranges and laundry equipment in homes, for women's groups, home economics classes in schools, conducting cooking schools,

etc. Sounds like a busy schedule. She has heard from Teddy Baker who is studying interior decoration at R. P. I. in Richmond. Margaret's address is 303 Hull Street, Beckley, W. Va.

Jane Seaton is back home in Washington, D. C. now after a semester's work in voice, acting and speech at Smith. She plans to stay home till next fall and then return to Smith for some more study.

Jack Fritz was in the Burg for a week between terms at Princeton and on the way down he saw Jane Spencer who was on her way to Annapolis for a big week end. He saw Teddy Baker and Barbie Hughes, too. A couple of weeks ago he was up at Yale and saw Jean Morgan and Ginnie Whittemore. Jean was full of news about her trip to Europe last summer. She had a wonderful time and in addition to doing a lot of traveling, she studied at the University of Heidelberg. Both Jean and Ginnie like the Yale School of Nursing very much but find the hours long and the work difficult. He sees Arthur Thompson quite often and very recently both went to Philadelphia to an Alumni meeting and saw lots of friends. Charlie McCurdy was there and Mr. Geddy spoke. Bren Macken, Elizabeth Gillam, Rock Palese, Dick Tallant, and Nancy Hynson (Tallant) were there. Both Rock and Dick are at the Penn School of Law and finding it quite a grind. They see Wally Harrison quite often. He's at the Graduate School of History there.

Jim Bray writes that both he and Ben are teaching in the Alleghany mountains of Virginia. It is just a skip and a jump from West Virginia, so Jim says. His program includes teaching five classes a day, directing all dramatic activities, sponsor of the senior class and a million and one smaller duties. The school is a small rural one and is affording him more than enough color for a full length novel which he will tackle next fall! For Ben's part, he is the ONE English teacher in his high school and duplicates Jim's duties. They live in towns about twelve miles apart and usually get together at least once a week. John Trempus is working in the same town Ben lives in and they get together, too. John Manos wrote Jim that he was up to his neck in term papers at Harvard. Jim has written several one-act plays and is now working on a three-acter

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Alan Taylor's new address is 2504 North 11th Street, Arlington, Virginia.

Nancy Hynson (Tallant) writes that she has a position with the University of Pennsylvania Placement Bureau Service. She and Dick ran into Wally Harrison, Rock Palese, and Dick Baker. At the Alumni meeting in Philadelphia recently she and Dick saw Bren Macken who is working for a Chemistry firm there and Elizabeth Gillam who is working in Wanamaker's in the Gift Department along with Barbara Brown.

Howard Hyle wrote that he is taking graduate work in economics at the University of Illinois, holding down a staff job as research assistant in the Institute of Communications, and owns one-third of "The College Products Company." He and two others pooled some small ideas, found a manufacturer in Wisconsin, and are now waiting to make some money! He says he is supposed to get his master's

degree in August.

Betty Littlefield (Dallet) has been working as a secretary to the manager of the Planning Division of the Ammonia Department at the DuPont plant in Wilmington (whew) since October 1st. She and Danny work from 8:00 to 5:00 five days a week and having the same hours makes it nice for both. Mary Ann Hook is down in Florida for the winter and has taken a part-time job in one of the hotels in the town where she and her family are staying.

From the Alumni Office comes the following news: Regis Brown has just completed a three-week training class in the home office of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company in Boston. He has been working with them since July 1st and is located in Pittsburgh. Marian Wadsworth (West) and her husband Lee, who were married October 22, 1946, are living at 3612 T Street, N.W., Washington, D. C. June Lochenour (Dawkins) and husband John are living in Apt. 1, City Point Inn, Hopewell, Va. She is now teaching English in Hopewell High School. Martha Ann Adams is teaching at The Beard School, 560 Berkley Avenue, Orange, New Jersey. Lila Eisenberg took a two-week Caribbean cruise last month and is now developing hidden talents such as dabbling in oil paints and taking pictures. Norma Burgess is working as computer with the NACA at Langley Field and commuting from Norfolk. John Ekstrom and Ernest Clifton Francis graduated in February and have joined the class of '48. Garry Garrison is working for a publishing company in New York City. Swede Nielsen is at the University of Iowa doing graduate work. Arthur Livick is working for Station WJEJ in Hagerstown, Maryland. He has a musical sports page matinee that runs two hours a day, five days a week. He sells, writes, and announces his own commercials besides having a children's show which runs three times a week and one half hour show on Saturday.

Bob Steckroth has been appointed to assist with intramurals and the Freshman basketball team at W and M. He will assist in the absence of Howard Smith, who has been given a leave of absence this semester to complete the requirements for his master's degree at Syracuse University. Bob is at present working on his master's degree in Physical Education.

That's all for now but there's a nice long summer ahead for all so please let me hear from you. The next deadline is not until September so there is lots of time to write a card or even a letter!

Alumni Council

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The College and the Society of the Alumni have desired for some years to invite the Council to hold a national conference in Williamsburg. It was not until this year, when Williamsburg Lodge was enlarged, that it became possible to extend the invitation and accommodate the members.

Invitation to meet in Williamsburg was extended at the 1948 conference held at the University of Michigan. At the same time, an invitation was extended by Harvard University and the Council agreed to meet there in 1950.

While William and Mary will be host for the entire conference other colleges and universities in Virginia will entertain the delegates at the opening reception.

The Council has met in the South on four previous occasions, meeting in Charlottesville (1924), Chapel Hill, N. C. (1927), Atlanta (1931), and Hot Springs, Virginia (1942).

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1931

Clarence Thompson Rives, '31Ba, and Mrs. Edmund M. Preston; March 19. Address: 1704 Park Avenue, Richmond.

1933

Helen Jeannette Fadden, '33Ba, and Harold Melvin Briggs; March 26. Address: Quarters N, Naval Gun Factory, Washington, D. C.

1938

Sally Macon Porter, '38Ba, and Thomas McDowell Williams; July 31. Address: 1157 Sherman Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin.

1941

Bruce Herbert Simons, '41Ba, and Norma Reed; March 11. Address: 665 West Warren, Detroit 1, Michigan.

1943

Lloyd Charles March, Jr., '43, and Mary Virginia Walker; November 27. Jane Elizabeth Williams, '43Ba, and Edward Alexander Mahoney; December 18. Address: 3408 Guilford Road, N.W., Canton, Ohio.

Suzanne Catherine Zihlman, '43Ba, and Clayborne D. Dyal, Jr.; January 26,

1945

Anne Leavell Daniel, '45, and Fletcher Sidney Cater; March 16.

Evelyn Karolina Johnson, '45Ba, and Robert Warren Selton; March 5.

Virginia Fitz Naille, '45Ba, and Michael J. Cesario; August 14. Address: 200 East 27th Street, Apt. 4-D, New York 16, New York.

1946

Joy Allen, '46Bs, and George W. Raulfs, Jr.; April 8.

Mary Stoney Gray, '46Ba, and John Bruce Smith, Jr.; December, 1948.

Ann Matilda Johnson, '46Ba, and John G. Tomkinson; March 20.

June Elizabeth Sellars, '46, and Jerry Dalton Strader, Jr.; April 16, 1948. Address: 1 Scott Building, Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

1947

Grace Kern, '47Ba, and William Sachs; December 22. Address: 436 Newport News Road, Hampton.

Robert Owens Piland, '47Bs, and Betty Sue Hayes; April 23.

1948

Edward Gary Clark, '48Bs, and Anna

Marie Lawrence, '49Bs; April 2. Phyllis Ann Coulter, '48Ba, and Donald Randolph Dolan, '51; June, 1948. Address: Williamsburg.

William Jordan Fanney, '48Ba, and Molly Britton Digges, '49; March 19.

Pasco Elizabeth Keen, '48Ba, and Andrew Addison Williams,'48Ba; Au-

Joseph P. King, '48Ba, and Georgia Elaine Shelley; February 2.

Thomas Tannar Restrick, '48Ba, and Patricia Mae Rose; November 27.

Margaret Liveright Ross, '48Ba, and Frederick Barnes Tubbs, Jr., '48Bs; December 23.

Alice Marston Sloan, '48Ba, and Jefferson Porterfield Haskins; March 16. John Edward Smith, '48Ba, and Joe Ann Zimmerman; December, 1948.

1949

Edward Braxton McCaskey, '49Ba, and Wilma Hayman; March 9, 1947.

1950

Henry Daniel Wilbur Conner, '50, and Martha Lou Fauber; March 10.

Laurence Vernon Johnson, '50, and Estill Malphurs; April 3.

1952

Constance Elaine Bryant, '52, and Jackson Woods McKinzie; February.

William John Davies, '52, and Peggy Ann Neal; April 5.

Ray Dean Orr, '52, and Nancy Lee Walters; September 19.

Born

1929

To Joseph Marshall Richardson, '29, a daughter, Amelia Favill; January 25.

1931

To Margery Fitzgerald Dameron

(Edmonds), '31Ba, a son, Henry Jeter, IV; November 6.

1934

To Robert Hunt Land, '34Ba, a daughter, Elizabeth Dillard; March 10.

1935

To Ralph William Stambaugh, Jr., '35Bs, a son, Ralph William, III; Febru-

1937

To Charles Penrose, '37Ba-39L, a son, Bruce Hunter; March 29.

1938

To Margaret Doffermyre Brett (Evans), '38, a daughter, Sarah Helen; January 18.

To Edythe Ray Dank (Lever), '38Ba, a second son, Lawrence Geoffrey; Janu-

To Rodney Goodwin Jones, '38Bs, Constance Stratton Crabtree (Jones), '40Ba, a son, Stephen Goodwin;

To Harold Porter Kyle, '38Bs, and Roberta Ann Page (Kyle), '39Ba, a third child, first daughter, Mary Mann; Febru-

To Lester Arnauld Wilson, Jr., '38Bs, a son, Lester Arnauld, III; November 9.

1939

To Margaret Fay Prickett (Miller), '39Ba, a son, Robert McGregor; October

To Thomas Daley Savage, '39Ba, a daughter, Micou Sneed; January 28.

1940

To Mary Augusta Holmes (Hall), '40Ba, a daughter, Deborah Anne; Jan-

To Emelie Morris Phillips (Teasenfitz), '40Bs, a son, Charles Phillips; No-

To Beverley Brock Steel, '40, and Jean Garland Jordan (Steel), '43Ba, a son, Beverley Brock, Jr.; March 5.

To Thomas Edward Strange, '40Ba, Virginia Meriwether Smith (Strange), '42Ba, a son, Thomas Edward, Jr.; July 27.

1941

To Lawrence Albert Pettet, '41Ba, a son, Albert Bradshaw, II; February 26. To Ruth Evelyn Rapp (Thayer),

'41Bs, a son, Bruce Christian; January 19.
To Donald Paige Reid, '41Ba, twin sons, Donald Paige and Douglas Paul;

December 27.

1942

To William George Brown, '42Ba, a son, William Randolph; January 29.

To Janet Euphemia Campbell (Barbour), '42Ba, a daughter, Suzannah June; January 24.

To Emily Katherine Harrell (Lynch), '42Ba, a daughter, Emily Kathryn; March

3.

To Margaret Watkins Meinhard (Steinbrecher), '42Bs, a son, Carl Douglas; January 21.

To Edward Robert Svetkey, '42Bs, a daughter, Susan Meg; March 13.

1943

To Henry Edwin Bridgers, Jr., '43Ba, and Mary Martha Yarborough (Bridgers), '48, a son, Henry Edwin III; July 18.

To Virginia Mae Bunce (Tinney), '43Ba, a son, Richard Harrison; October

To Harry Duffield Cox, '43Bs, a son, Russell Mills III; November.

To Katharine Stran Jones (Ray), '43Ba, a second son, Clarke; January.

To Robert Douglas Spalding Marshall, '43Ba, and Katharine Macdonald Lee (Marshall), '44, a son, Elliott Lee; February 12.

To Phyllis Virginia Reid (Knopf), '43Bs, a son, George Stanbury, Jr.; De-

cember 27.

To Anna Hedvig Zepht (Stone), '43Bs, a daughter, Pamela Anne; November 12.

1944

To Winifred Mary Elizabeth Birch (Allen), '44Bs, a daughter, Margaret Edith; February 19.

To John Paul Carter, '44Ba, and Joan Worstell (Carter), '45Ba, a son, Stephen; October 24.

To David Norman Glucksman, '44-Ba, a daughter, Dianne Lynn; May 17, 1948.

To Elaine McDowell (Falerdeau), '44Ba, a daughter, Nancy Susan; May 5, 1948.

To Priscilla Jane Schumacher (Berringer), '44Ba, a son, Bruce Clay; November 14, 1947.

To Marjorie Ann Oleen Talle (Merriman), '44Ba, and John Childs Merriman, '45, a second child, first daughter, Jennifer; January 7.

To Susan Katharine Whitehead (Byars), '44Ba, a daughter, Barbara Sanderlin; October 5, 1946.

1945

To Mary Jane Chamberlain (Howard), '45Ba, a son, Vaughan Henry, Jr.; December 29.

To Jean Vaughan Ferebee (Reynolds), '45Ba, a son, David Hargrove; January 16.

To Marion Balfour Lang (Van Dam), '45Ba, a son, Theodore Thomas; February 21.

To David Benjamin Levy, '45Bs, a daughter, Sheryl Dawn; November 27.

1946

To Beverly Warner Bose (Deans), '46Ba, and Fred Hinton Deans, '50, a second child, son, Linwood Hinton; September 6.

To Theodora Burton Clarke (Christian), '46Ba, a son, Clarke Michael; February 19.

To Charlotte Dickason (Henderson), '46, a son, Howard Jones III; September 21.

To Alice Jeanette Freer (Scantlebury),

'46Bs, a daughter, Alice Freer; January 11.

To Adeline Virginia Hartnell (Pense), '46Ba, a son, William Hartnell; February.

To Betty Jane Relph (Crockett), '46Ba, and Cecil Clinton Crockett, Jr., '48Ba, a son, Cecil Clinton III; January 28.

To Patricia Demarest Wheelan (Semrad), '46Ba, a son, Robert Wheelan; March 22.

1948

To Edward Francis Lodge, Jr., '48Ba, a daughter, Rosamond Ruth; January 27.

To Evelyn Margaret Rapee (Murphy), '48, a son, William Joseph III; January 31.

Deceased

1913

Walter Burton Nourse, '13x, March 3, at Casanova. A farmer and county agent, he spent five years at the College and later attended Cornell University. He served with the field artillery during World War I. He was a member of Kappa Sigma. His daughter, Joan Winsor, '44Bs, died December 12, 1946.

1914

Henry Godwin Parker, '14Ba, March 29, at Norfolk. He attended the Acad-

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emy two years and spent four years at the College. In 1917 he received the B.S. degree in biology and public health from Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was employed by the City of Norfolk in 1917 when a severe typhoid epidemic was raging and he became city chemist

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and bacteriologist and established the city's first full time bacteriological laboratory. In World War I, he served with the Army Medical Corps as a second lieutenant. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Among his survivors are: two daughters, Nancy Jordan, '42Bs, and Carol May (Shafer), '46Ba; three brothers, William Leroy, '14x, Arthur Douglas, '17Bs, and Hubert Gray, '27x.

1926

Winston Holt Charles, '26x, January 29, at Dare. He attended the College three years and was prominent as halfback on the football team, and as hurdler on the track team. He was a member of Sigma Nu.

1931

Mary Lewis Mayhew (Beeken), '31-Ba, March 7, at West Palm Beach, Florida. Mrs. Beeken was a native of Roanoke. She was a member of Pi Beta Phi.

Board of Visitors

Gabriella Page, February 18, at Richmond. Miss Page was the fourth woman ever appointed to the Board of Visitors of the College. She was first appointed in March, 1926 by Governor Harry Byrd to complete an unexpired term and was reappointed by Governors Pollard and Peery. She retired from the Board in March, 1940. For many years she served as president of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities.



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William and Mary men who passed the State Bar exam in December were: Russell A. Carlisle, Jr., '42Ba, Wesley R. Cofer, Jr., '47Ba, Major McKinley Hillard, Jr., '44, John Milton Hollis, '44Ba, Frederick Burnham Price, '48Ba, Russell H. Quynn, Jr., '46Ba-48L, Joseph Smith (S), Robert A. Taylor, Jr., '42Ba, and Dudley L. S. Woods, Jr., '44Ba.

CHOIR MAKES RECORD ALBUM

The fame and success of the William and Mary Chapel Choir moves steadily forward, culminating this spring with two new undertakings: having itself recorded for an album of records, and, making its first appearance outside of the State as an

alumni sponsored group.

During the last few years as the choir has become nationally known, and, particularly after its nation-wide broadcast of Christmas carols over Columbia Broadcasting System last December, the requests for recordings of the choir have been mounting. This was finally accomplished this spring and an album of four 10-inch shellacked records, similar to those sold by leading recording companies, will be released the first of May at a cost of \$5.00 per album. Among the selections recorded are the William and Mary Hymn written by Jeanne Rose, '33, and the Alma Mater written by James Southall Wilson, '04. Alumni desiring these albums may purchase same by forwarding their checks to Mr. Carl Fehr, Music Department, College of William and Mary.

While the choir has made numerous appearances in the State of Virginia and a few outside of the State, it was not until this spring that an official alumni chapter decided to sponsor it. The Washington group presented the choir at a concert at Lisner Auditorium of George Washington University on April 27th. The choir will also appear in Martinsville and Staunton during May. Beginning in March, the choir was heard in a series of weekly concerts at the Reception Center of Colonial

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ston Snead, Sara Jean Snyder (Vermilye), Honora Firmadge Thompson, Maizie Inglus Tressler (Bailey), Pauline Frances Walker, Robert Eugene Walsh, Marjorie Jane Webster, Maud

May Weeks, Robert Leonard Weinberg, Ruth Jones Wilkins.

1945-Jeanne Marie Boyle, Nancy Lee Carnegie, Edward Theodore Cohen, Richard David Cornell, Virginia Myrl Davis (Faulconer), Grace Duvoisin, John Matthews Fields, Bette Rose Freeman, Shirley Friedlander (Rose), Nellie Deans Greaves, Charles Thomas Groton, Jr., Dorothy MacPherson Johnson, Mary Gladah Jones (Vliet), Ruth Elinor Kenyon, Edna Betty Kerin, Lillian Dorothea Knight, Susan Bunting Lamb, Marion Balfour Lang (Van Dam), Marion Ella Lounsbury, Martha Birdsong Macklin (Smith), Edith Frances McChesney, Virginia Fitz Naille (Cesario), Abner Kingman Pratt, II, Mary Jane Raymond, Patricia Murray Riker, Sidney Schwartz, Mary Jeannette Simon (Blevins), Julia Darrall Sullivan, Volina Robertson Turner, Ruth Marie Weimer (Tillar), Lorraine Jule Wier (Tirrell), Elizabeth Anne Willcox (D'Agostino).

1946—William Nairne Bailey, Emma Jane Barteaux, Mildred Elizabeth Gaito (Steingress), Janet Ray Ginsburg (Waisbrot), Jean Bundy Goodwyn, Nancy Jane Grube, Dorothy Wilson Hammer, Mary Laura Hoey, Victoria Dorothy Jamgochian, Donna Helen Lepper (Ware), Anne Marcia Levering (Balzereit), Gertrude Carolyn Mac-Neill, Carey Pete Modlin, Jr., Mary Permelia Pauly, Mary Dickson Phipps, Gloria Ann Rankin (Guy), Elizabeth Ann Singer, Dorothy Edna Stuart, Roberta Josephine Volkert, Cecil Cary Waddell (Cunningham), Julia Belle Woodbridge, Fritz Herbert Zepht, Jr.

1947—Carroll Joyce Callis, Edwin Robert Druker, Jane Eversmann, Norma Jean Fehse, Patricia Ann Jones, Richard Myron Margolis, Aubrey Leonidas Mason, Gloria Bach McCawley, Annie Laurie Pritchard (Andrews), Sumner Goldthwait Rand, Jr., Jane Ann Segnitz, Inez Lois Smith, Betty Jane Taylor (Hopkins), Ruth Emily Thistle, Irwin George Weintraub.

1948—Thomas Edward Belvin, Calista Jean Bennett, Jean Lindsay Bevans, Eleanor Duvoisin, Lila Ruth Eisenberg, John Harold Fritz, Lois Shirley Frost, Howard Winchester Gilkeson, William Arthur Helseth, Nancy Read Hynson (Tallant), Patrick James Indence, Edith Florence Isele, John Taze Jessee, Allan Rayburn Jones, Albert Hilton Kritzer, Mary Willette McCarthy, Lorabeth Moore, Shirley Anne Ostermeyer, Richard Caldwell Plumer, Mary Martense Prince, Margaret Liveright Ross (Tubbs), William Hundley Saunders,

Jr., Virginia Isabel Smeddle, Helen Grace Stapf, Joan Teer, Helen Elizabeth Thomson, Lyle Dillard Thornhill, Edna Page Walker, Donald Bradley Ware.

1949-Vilma Jeanita Bargerstock (Mason).

Graduate School—Bessie Jennings Ansell, Gladys Elizabeth Bennett (Guy), Florence Jackson Blocker, Paul Hawkins Gantt, Marguerite Wynne-Roberts.

Friends-Grace Warren Landrum, Mrs. C. W. Mitchell, John Edwin Pomfret, Ella T. Whitten, Dudley Warner Woodbridge, American Association of University Professors (W&M Branch).

William and Mary Roundup

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the Class of 1927 top representation at the meeting. . . . Frank Stevens and Bob Faulconer from the Class of '43.

Board the train again and-

On to WASHINGTON

where the president of the Society and the executive secretary merged forces with the director of athletics, Rube McCray, and the basketball coach, Barney Wilson, and proceeded to the beautiful Chevy Chase Club for a turnout of the Washington faithful. Dudley Shreve, '04, had the distinction of being the most senior alumnus present and seemed to enjoy having become the landmark of the chapter. Tim Hanson, '39, energetic past president of the group, was on hand early to get things started. It was well that he did for President Iverson Almand, '38, was detained by the Arlington County Court in which he was trying a case which ran beyond the dinner hour. He arrived at the meeting just after Tim departed for the airport and California and a San Francisco Court.

Old-timers making an appearance for the first time: Henry (SI) Emory, '32, and Milton Gallinant, '34, Bill Greene, '39, and Frank Heinemann, '36. Ed Pierce, '23, and Dorothy Darden (Pierce) and Murray Simpson from the Class of

The Geddy speech well received . . . a timely ovation for his tribute to Rube McCray who followed him at the rostrum before showing pictures of the Delta Bowl game . . . the indefatigable Nancy Grube, '46, who divides her time equally between her class of which she is president, the Washington Chapter of which she is secretary, and a job with the United States Senate.

Question after question after question ... always the same question ... "What are the chances for admission to the College?" In Washington nearly everybody has a cousin, a nephew, a son or a friend who wants to come to William and Mary. The first four meetings came to an end with the "visiting firemen" realizing too well that the College is physically too small to accommodate those who wish to become associated with it . . . and a pause to wonder whether the appeal would be as great if the College were large enough to accommodate all of these desirable applicants. The pride which is frequently taken in the cliche "William and Mary is a 'small' liberal arts college' receives a slight jar on these annual visits to alumni chapters.

Four meetings down and four to go. Back to the campus for a second wind and On to RICHMOND

for a surprising turnout of 250 alumni at the Richmond Hotel on March 30th. It will probably be remembered as one of the best alumni meetings William and Mary has yet had. It represented the combined and diligent efforts of the two chapters -alumnae and alumni, directed by Johnson Moss, '26, and Elizabeth Seay, '44, who as presidents of the two groups, joint-

ly presided.

The glitter of "brass" at the meeting was blinding! There are probably not many places where a school could assemble on one platform the Governor of the State and the Mayor of the State Capital, both of whom are alumni of the same institution. Governor William M. Tuck, '19, and Mayor Stirling King, '26, were leadoff speakers, the 230-pound Mayor observing that "pound for pound, I think the Governor and I make the citizens a real bargain." The Governor, getting into the jovial mood of the evening, pointed out that he had once been a member of the College track team and said, "I have been running for something ever since." Rube McCray spoke in the role of the backwoods country boy from Kentucky who professed embarrassment in front of such a large group. Vernon Geddy got by with just half a speech, letting President Pomfret give the report on the status of the College. The President, never more effective than when the group is informal and obviously friendly, let go with one of his best alumni speeches to date. To the facts of life about the College, he sprinkled humor and philosophy and concluded with a timely thesis that he was not overly concerned about the future of the College; that William and Mary is hitting on all cylinders NOW . . . that the buildings were in good shape NOW . . . that the College had a good faculty NOW . . . that the College was fully accredited NOW . . . that the College had a fine student body NOW.

As the meeting in Philadelphia started with greetings from the University of Pennsylvania, the last meeting in the tour ended with greetings from the Alumni Association of the University of Richmond in the form of a beautiful arrangement of flowers in front of the speakers' lectern.

Back to Williamsburg again . . . to put this GAZETTE to bed . . . before starting out for the last lap and meetings in Boston, New Haven and New York . . . and waiting for reports of meetings in Los Angeles and Chicago.

Honorary Degrees

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but received the doctor of letters degree in recognition of his outstanding study and collection of books and manuscripts on the subject of tobacco. Also honored in 1940 was Charles Edward Wilson, president of the General Electric Company, a position which he still holds. Homer Lenoir Ferguson (1942) is now chairman of the board of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company. At the time he was honored he was president, and had just concluded a fiveyear term on the Board of Visitors of the College. The last businessman to be honored was an alumnus, Dudley Redwood Cowles, who received his degree last June. He had been president, but is now chairman of the board of D. C. Heath & Company, largest textbook publishing house in the world.

In the old days many prominent Episcopal clergymen were given honorary degrees by the College. They received the doctor of divinity degree but in recent times only two of these have been given; the first to Theodore Floyd Adams (1940), pastor of the First Baptist Church in Richmond, and the other to Oscar deWolf Randolph (1941) who, at the time, was headmaster of Virginia Episcopal High School in Lynchburg, and is now an assistant rector at St. John's Church, Washington, D. C. The only other clergyman recently honored is Henry St. George Tucker (1939) who received the LL.D. A long-time missionary in Japan, he later became bishop of the Diocese of Virginia and, at the time of his retirement, presiding bishop of the Episcopal Church in the United States.

Two doctor of science degrees are in existence. The first went to Jesse Wakefield Beams in 1941, a professor of Physics at the University of Virginia, and the second to Claude C. Coleman, an alumnus, in 1946. Dr. Coleman is one of the foremost neurological surgeons in the country and has been a member of the Board of Visitors since 1941.

Four historians have been recognized; three of them by the LL.D. The latter are Gilbert Hovey Grosvenor (1930), longtime head of the National Geographic Society; our own Earl Gregg Swem (1941), now librarian emeritus of the College; and John Womack Wright (1947), an alumnus, in recognition of his studies in military history. Colonel Wright's outstanding collection of books dealing with military matters now reposes in the College library. Retired from the Army, Colonel Wright now resides in Washington. Thomas Jefferson Wertenbaker received the doctor of literature degree in 1941. He is a retired professor of history at Princeton but currently engaged by Colonial Williamsburg, Inc., towrite a history of the restoration.

Two persons have received the degree of doctor of fine arts. The first was awarded to Georgia O'Keeffee in 1938, one of the foremost modern artists in the country, now living in retirement in New Mexico. In 1940, this same degree was conferred upon Everett Victor Meeks, then dean of the School of Fine Arts at Yale University but now dean emeritus,

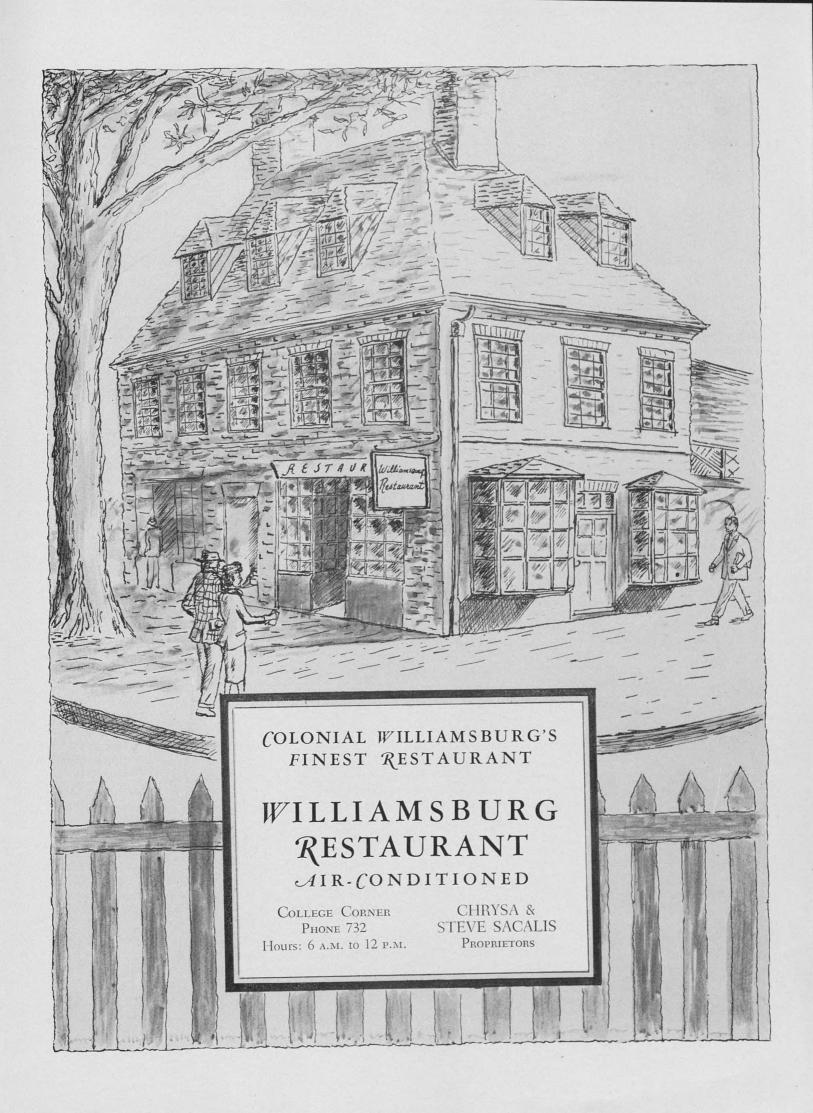
residing in New York.

Finally, we come to the impressive list of educators who have been honored, all of them with the LL.D. The first in seniority is George D. Strayer (1925) who was professor at Columbia University until his retirement in 1943. He is probably best known for his mathematics textbooks. Olive Perry Chitwood (1926) is a retired professor of history at the University of West Virginia and author of the most accepted biography on John Tyler. In the same year the College honored another alumnus who was dean of Washington and Lee University, Robert Henry Tucker. He has now retired and lives in Lexington. Frank Pierrepont Graves (1929) was commissioner of education for the State of New York. After his retirement, he took a law degree at Albany College and, at the present time, is a senator of Phi Beta Kappa. James Noah Hillman (1931), another alumnus, was president of Emory and Henry College and is now living in Sandston, Virginia, and holds a high position in the order of Virginia Masonry. James Southall Wilson (1931), author of the College's Alma Mater, for many years a professor at the College, was and is dean of the graduate school at the University of Virginia. Archibald Henderson (1933), famed professor and biographer of George Bernard Shaw, lives in retirement at Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

John Lloyd Newcomb (1935), alumnus, was president of the University of Virginia and retired two years ago. James Bryant Conant (1936) is president of Harvard University. The following year Ernest Martin Hopkins, president of Dartmouth, received his degree. He has since retired. In 1942, another alumnus was honored when Robert DeBlois Calkins, then dean of the School of Business at Columbia University, but formerly dean at the University of California, received his degree. He is now the director of the General Education Board. In 1945, Edmund Ezra Day, president of Cornell University, received the LL.D. and in 1947, Karl Taylor Compton, president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, received his. Dr. Compton has recently resigned his presidency in order to head the important scientific research organization of the federal govern-

William and Mary appears to have judged wisely the recipients of its honorary degrees, particularly during the past twenty-seven years. Conferring on the average slightly more than three degrees each year (ranging from eight in 1931 to none in 1922), 23% of the total have gone to alumni. In this same period, eleven degrees went to men who at sometime served on the Board of Visitors of the College. In the history of the College, only four women have received honorary degrees. Kate Mason Rowland received the first in 1915 and the other three in this later period. In the history of the College there have been three men to receive honorary degrees whose fathers before them also received them: St. George Tucker (1790) and St. George Tucker (1837); John Tyler (1854) and Lyon Gardiner Tyler (1919); Robert W. Hughes (1881) and Robert Morton Hughes, Sr. (1920). Two brothers were also similarly honored: Edward Christian Glass (1925) and Carter Glass (1935). The record also reveals that two successive chairmen of the American Red Cross received the LL.D.: John Barton Payne (1924) and Cary Travers Grayson (1926), though the latter had not assumed the position at the time he received the degree.

William and Mary's honorary degrees at large in the world today . . . from Freeman to Saltonstall . . . are well placed. How were they selected? They were nominated by a faculty committee; elected by the faculty at large; confirmed by the Board of Visitors; presented for degree by the president of the College; and conferred by the rector of the Board of Visi-



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