

The morning came with a light drizzle, but more than 22,000 people lined the streets anyway for the Homecoming Parade down the Duke of Gloucester street.

Their optimism was rewarded. By late morning the skies had cleared away, and although there was a nip in the air, the Parade came off as perhaps the most enjoyable in William and Mary history.

The Parade was the highlight of a delightful weekend for the more than 4,000 alumni who journeyed back to William and Mary to relive the "Good Old Days" at their alma Mater. The weekend was packed with activities - the annual Order of the White Jacket dinner, a golf tournament, the return of tennis greats from the 1948 championship team, a Friday night banquet, the Parade, and a fitting 28-15 William and Mary football victory over Rutgers on a crisp Saturday afternoon.

Three prominent alumni -- Governor Mills E. Godwin, Jr., Lt. Gov. John N. Dalton, and Chief Justice of the Virginia Supreme Court, Lawrence I' Anson, -- served as grand marshals of the Parade. Their presence was rivaled by the imaginative floats and the participation by the famous Budweiser Clydesdales.

In the float competition, Alpha Chi Omega took first place in the sorority competition for its float which showed a castle with a giant dragon and a slogan "Just like the olden days, the knights are really draggin'."

In the fraternity division, Lambda Chi won for its float showing a set from "Gone With the Wind," with a slogan "Frankly Scarlets, we don't give a damn."

## A DAZZLING WEEKEND



Homecoming Queen Lynn Melzer

In the open division, Ludwell Dormitory won first place with a float depicting an Indian maiden being attacked by "Rutgers Roaches" but saved by William and Mary Indians with a can of Raid.

Other highlights of the weekend included the presentation of the first Bicentennial Medallions, given by the Society to recognize prominent individuals participating in the Bicentennial events of the College, to Governor Godwin, President Graves, Lt. Gov. Dalton, and Chief Justice I'Anson.

Alumni medallions were presented to Lt. Gov. Dalton and Dr. Guy Daugherty, professor of medicine at the Mayo Medical School. This is the highest honor given by the Society.

In the annual Homecoming Golf Tournament, winners were Martha Smith '45 for the woman's low gross, Jean Takesian '55 for the woman's low net, Willis Partridge '48 for the men's low gross and Bob Estes '74 for the men's low net.

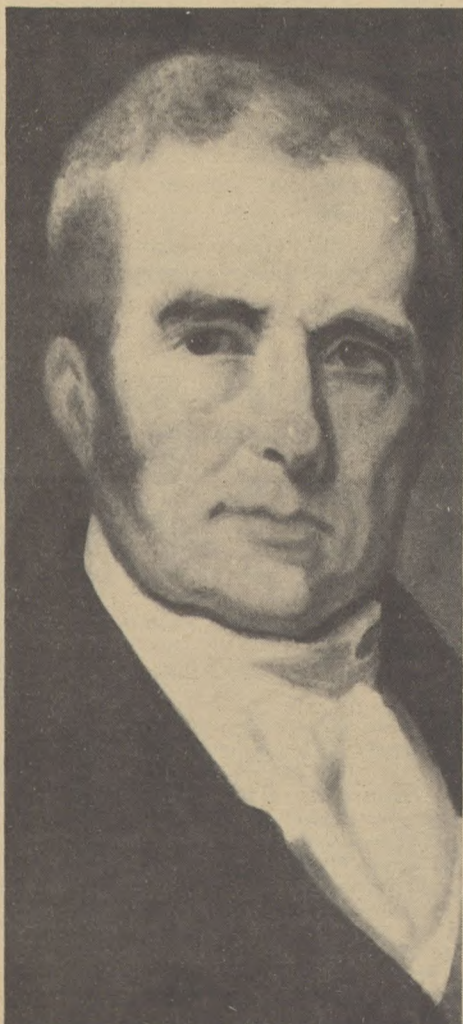
The William and Mary varsity defeated the Alumni 3-2 in the annual soccer match between the two.

Results of the election for Board of Directors were announced at the Friday night banquet. Re-elected were William L. Person of Williamsburg '24, Glen McCaskey of Hilton Head Island, S.C., '63, and John F. Morton, Jr. of Metairie, La. '58. Newly elected were Patricia King Sell of La Jolla, California, '58, and Norman Moomjian of New York, '55.

The Luncheon on the Lawn was held in Blow Gymnasium because of the uncertain weather. More than 4000 attended.

# ALUMNI GAZETTE

## of the College of William and Mary



Chief Justice Marshall

## MARSHALL VOLUME PUBLISHED

A gala reception at the Supreme Court building in Washington D.C. with the Chief Justice of the United States as the honored guest is scheduled for November 18 to commemorate the official publication of the first volume of the Papers of John Marshall.

A multi-publication project under the sponsorship of the Institute of Early American History and Culture and the College of William and Mary, the preparation of the papers of the fourth Chief Justice of the United States has been underway since 1966 at William and Mary. They include more than 6,000 Marshall manuscripts and documents related to his career.

The Washington reception will be hosted by the publisher, the University of North Carolina Press. Plans are to formally present the first volume to Warren Burger, Chief Justice of the United States.

Other government and academic leaders are expected to attend the occasion.

The project began at William and Mary in 1966 under the editorship of James Morton Smith, then director of publications for the Institute of Early American History and Culture.

Dr. Stephen G. Kurtz, a former

director of the Institute, edited the Marshall project after Dr. Smith, until 1972, when Dr. Herbert A. Johnson took over as editor. Dr. Charles T. Cullen became co-editor of the Papers in 1973. Both are William and Mary faculty members.

### THEIR MAJESTIES ROYALL COLLEDGE

Readers are reminded that November 30, 1974, is the last date to mail subscription orders for the collector's limited edition of the book, *Their Majesties' Royall Colledge*, being published by the Endowment Association with support from the Society of the Alumni. The full price of \$200, or a deposit of \$50, for each subscription must accompany the request, to be mailed to the Endowment Association, Box 1777, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.

The first volume of the Papers covers Marshall's life from his entry into military service to the end of the Virginia ratifying convention in June, 1788. The early material shows Marshall as an officer in the Virginia line where he performed extra duties as a deputy judge advocate.

Upon his discharge, Marshall began his long involvement with the legal profession. A lengthy extract from his law notes demonstrates his method of commonplacing as he studies law at William and Mary in 1780. His papers during the following years reveal Marshall's growing stature as a legal practitioner in Virginia.

The volume concludes with Marshall's speeches to the Virginia convention, where he helped secure ratification of the Constitution he was later to rule on as Chief Justice.

The volume begins the first publication in any form of the Papers of Marshall. They have been collected from widely scattered sources, three quarters of which have never been printed.

Subsequent volumes will trace his rise in the legal profession, his political activities, and his outstanding contributions as Chief Justice. Volume II, covering documents from 1788-95, is expected to be completed in 1975.

A campus observance of the publication will be held at the Alumni House in December.

The first volume sells for \$17.95. It is available from the University of North Carolina Press, Box 2288, Chapel Hill, N.C. 27514.

## PRINCE VISITS COLLEGE

The College had an English royal visitor in mid-October for the first time since Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip were here in 1957.

The VIP was His Royal Highness Prince Richard, the Duke of Gloucester, who came to campus during a brief stopover in Williamsburg while on a 10-day visit, his first, to the United States.

Historic Duke of Gloucester Street here which bisects the historic area was named for an ancestor of the Prince and that fact was not lost on the 30-year old first cousin of the Queen.

The Prince, a warm, affable person, seemed to thoroughly enjoy his visit to the restored colonial town and especially liked the pause at the college and the Sir Christopher Wren Building, where he said he "noticed a few familiar faces in the portraits on the walls" of English patrons of the old school.

His wry wit and his awareness of the English connections with the town and



**Prince Richard**

school were apparent as he stood on the front balcony at the Wren. A traveling companion told him, "This is where you should address the crowd and tell them you are deeply moved by their loyalty."

Although few persons knew he was in town and of course no crowd had gathered on the College front lawn below

him, the Prince replied, "Yes, of course," Rising to the jest, he looked out upon the College Yard and the street ahead of him and said, "I'm deeply moved by the loyalty with which you named this street for me."

Born August 26, 1944, Richard Alexander Walter George, a Royal prince, he is eighth in line of succession to the throne. He is the grandson of King Edward VII and his uncles were King Edward VIII and George VI.

While visiting the Wren, he expressed interest in the long standing discussion of whether the building was actually designed by Sir Christopher Wren, the noted English architect of the William and Mary reign.

The Prince said that traditionally buildings were not constructed from drawings until the 19th century, but it is known that Wren made elaborate drawings for St. Paul's Cathedral prior to its construction.

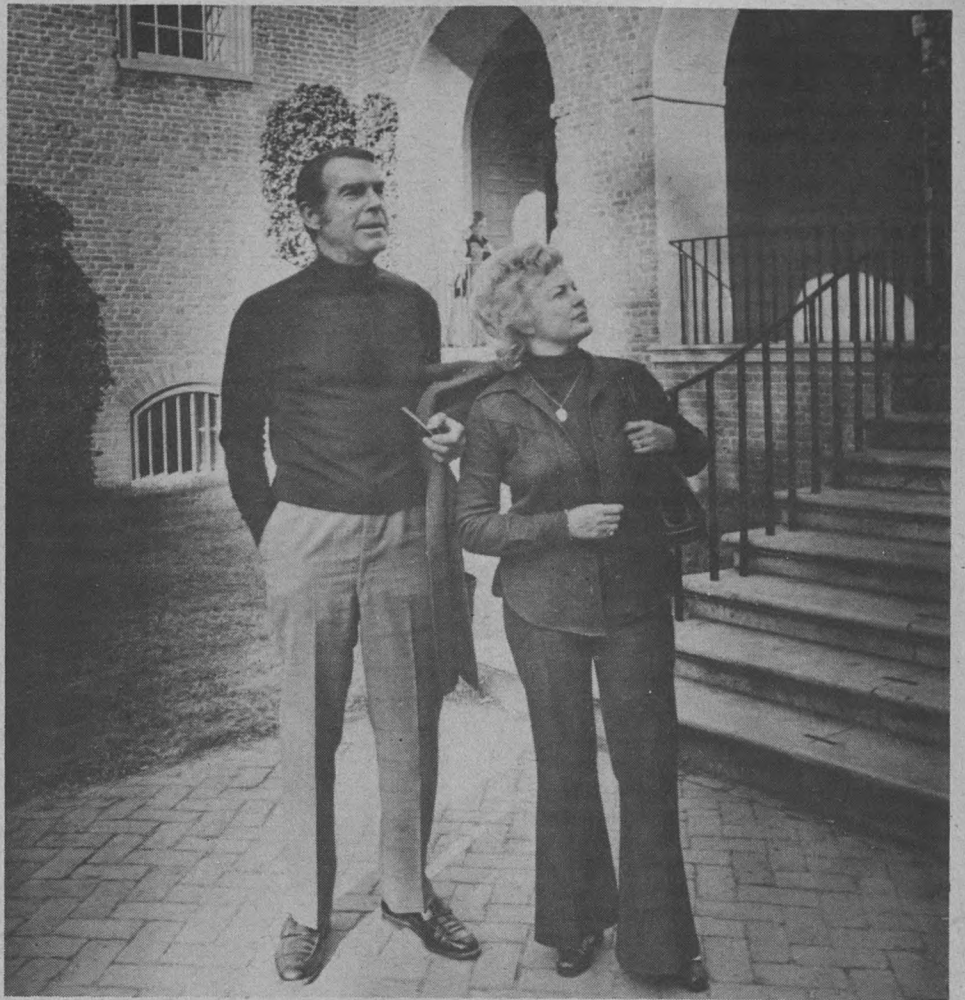
Therefore, he explained, that it is entirely possible that Wren designed the building and sent them here to be utilized, or "that Wren had nothing to do with it at all," The Prince said with a pause.

Looking at other "Wren buildings," the Duke explained, "they are beautifully proportioned, crisp and defined. You just couldn't say that of the William and Mary college building."

However, he was quick to add "that doesn't mean it's a bad building. On the contrary I found it a splendid building," he said.

Prince Richard did not categorically state that he felt the building was a Wren. However, his traveling companion Sir Nikolaus Pevsner, one of the world's most noted architectural historians, told Colonial Williamsburg personnel that he believes the college building was of Wren design.

The Duke, an architect by profession and a photographer by hobby, said he was becoming increasingly more interested in Sir Christopher Wren since he lives in a Wren building himself outside London-Kensington Palace.



*Actor Fred MacMurray and his wife actress June Haver visited the Wren Building recently during a tour through Williamsburg to film commercials for the Greyhound Bus Company. One of the commercials, filmed in back of the Wren, utilized William and Mary students and will be seen later in the year.*

## Miss Barksdale--1900-74

Miss Martha Elizabeth Barksdale, 74, the first woman to receive a B.A. degree from William and Mary and a long-time faculty member, died recently in Newport News after a long illness.



**Martha Barksdale**

Miss Barksdale was an associate professor of physical education emeritus at William and Mary where she served as a faculty member from 1921 until retiring in 1966.

Miss Barksdale entered the College with its first class of women in 1918 and was the first president of the women's student council, first house president and first "Miss William and Mary." She was a

charter member of the Alpha Club, which later became the Mortar Board.

Acting chairman of the women's physical education department from 1965 to her retirement, she taught or played nearly a dozen sports.

A service honoring the memory of Dr. J. T. Baldwin, Jr., of the Class of '32 and Professor of Biology at the College for thirty years, will be held in Wren Chapel at 11 a.m. on Friday, December 6.

A J.T. Baldwin memorial fund has been established by alumni and friends. Persons wishing to contribute should make their gifts payable to the "William and Mary Fund - J. T. Baldwin Memorial," and sent to Mr. Andrew D. Parker, Jr., Director For Special Gifts, Office of College Development, Drawer 1693, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185.

Gifts so designated will be used to endow a scholarship and prepare and publish a definitive botanical map of the William and Mary campus, a project of Dr. Baldwin's which remains unfinished because of his untimely death.



*Parents who attended Parents Weekend at William and Mary in October spent a lively time attending discussions with students and faculty and enjoying a picnic in the Williamsburg fall weather. Above, President Graves addresses a luncheon near the Sunken Garden and Professor Robert Johnston joins in discussion in a panel session. Student in background is Dave Ryan.*

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# DEERY NEARS NATIONAL RUSHING RECORD

By Bob Sheeran

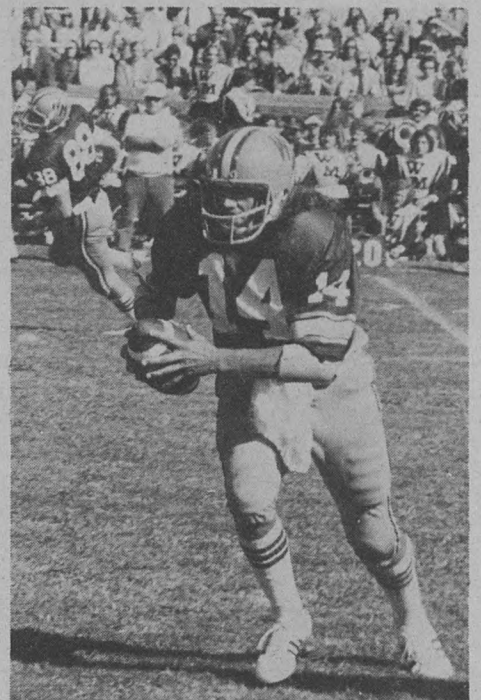
William and Mary's gifted quarterback, Billy Deery, has, over the past three years, performed his magic in operating the Tribe's veer-option offense. His slight of hand and slight of feet movements would make Merlin stop and take notice.

Acclaimed by opposing coaches, the Oaklyn, N.J. native is fast approaching the NCAA record for total rushing yardage by a quarterback (set last year by Tom Parr of Colgate) and the mark of 2,221 yards should soon be broken by the incomparable Deery. His career 2,070 yards after the Rutgers game left him 101 shy of the college mark held by Phil Mosser (1970-71).

To talk to the young man, one would never believe he is the same person who wears number "14" on Saturday. He is confident and very sure of himself, as are most quarterbacks, but he is a total individual. There is no "rah-rah" or "win it for the Gipper" attitude in Deery's personality. He is a loner in many respects but no one is any more intense than this 21 year old on the day of the game.

"Billy keeps to himself a lot and is somewhat unpredictable during the week", says head coach Jim Root, "but I'll tell you what, he is a hundred and ten percent when that whistle blows to start the game."

"I guess I don't display my emotions like a lot of players and as a result some folks may think I am nonchalant, but I believe in being a leader by performance



Left, Coach Jim Root watch as Deery option from the Veer, center Root discusses a key situation with Deery, and right, Billy takes off on another long running play that has placed him near an ALL-NCAA record for rushing by quarterbacks.

and execution, not by cheering, jumping and back slapping", states the personable signal caller.

"My job is to direct the offense and that means proper timing on the handoff, reading the defense, pitch the ball out or keep it, pass the ball or scramble and these multiple options take total concentration if we are going to be effective. I feel it is my responsibility to see that we do the right thing," reflects the quarterback who makes it all happen.

"If we score or come up with a big play I guess I don't get very excited, outwardly, because I expect the play to work and when it does the offense has done the job it was intended to do," says Deery.

The pros consider him a solid prospect as a defensive back and he "would like the opportunity to play professional football."

Billy Deery is not an average athlete and he is not your average individual. He

wears his hair longer than many observers would like but as one of his teammates pointed out, "That sure hasn't slowed him down or made him any less of a player. If growing my hair longer would enable me to perform as well as Billy, I'll guarantee you I would never cut it".

A sociology major, Deery possesses a sharp, dry wit and many times during the season he can be found on the sidelines at practice, directing some of his mental gymnastics toward his fellow players. He is a thinking man but loves to engage in the art of doubletalk to put someone on. Reporters have walked away from interviews with him not knowing how to put down on paper some of the things he related to them.

He is very articulate and most of the writers who cover William and Mary sports consider Deery "an outstanding interview." As one reporter stated after a press luncheon with the Tribe's signal caller: "He is really an interesting personality but I feel like I have been in a philosophy class rather than talking to a quarterback."

Billy's emotions are rarely seen but they are ever present.

"Yes I am emotional but I try not to let my emotions show. I hate to lose as much as anyone could, but in football, like in life, one has to get back up and prepare for the next challenge. Neither the joy of winning nor the depression of losing stays with me very long. I start focusing on the next game and looking forward to it rather than concern myself with what is now history and behind me."

Deery deplores the thought of being tagged with a nickname.

I just hope no one ever thinks I should have one or deserve one because I can't stand the idea. I know it is a common practice in athletics for the individuals to be labeled with some catchy nickname but I'm content to be just plain Billy Deery". The point he overlooks however, is that there is no such person as "plain Bill Deery."

## Youth Marks Indian Cagers

William and Mary basketball coach George Balanis, who took over the helm for the final seven games last season when Ed Ashnault resigned, will have a youthful group of Indian cagers taking the floor this year.

(Jamaica, N.Y.), 6-8 Doug Myers (Des Plains, Ill.), and 6-3 Skip Parnell (Ft. Bragg, N.C.).

The three guards and three forwards will join returning lettermen Gary Byrd (6-7, F, senior), Matt Courage (6-11, C, junior), Ron Satterthwaite (6-4, G, sophomore), Jim McDonough (6-7, F, sophomore) and Dennis Vail (6-10, C, sophomore).

Dave Blount, (5-11, G, senior) was injured most of last year but he will be at full strength in '74-'75. Moving up from the JV squad will be Max Gillespie (6-2, G, sophomore), Sam Howard (6-1, G sophomore) and Bobby Curran (6-2, G, sophomore).

There are three walk-ons and Balanis said they all have impressive credentials. They are: Jack Arbogast, (6-1, Harrisonburg), Carl Tack, (6-2, Glenview, Ill.) and Dave Dakin, (6-5, Decatur, Ill.).

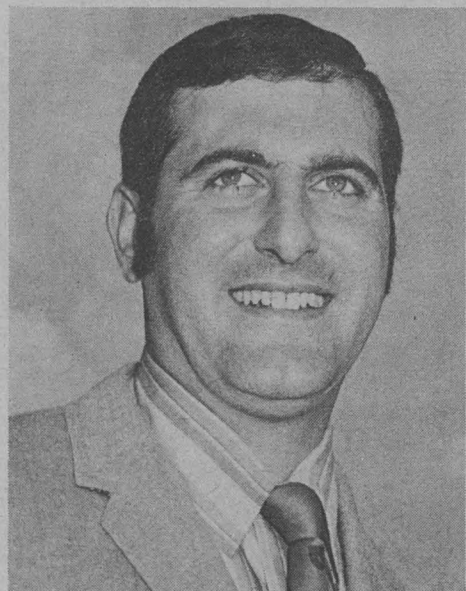
The Tribe will face a 25-game schedule with 15 games at William and Mary Hall. Heading the list of competitors whom the Indians will host are George Washington, Davidson, Wake Forest, Old Dominion, Columbia, VPI and Richmond.

The Indians will meet such formidable opponents as Virginia, Furman, Pittsburgh, and Rutgers on the road.

Last year William and Mary went 9-18 for the year and there is little doubt in the coaches and players minds that season's record will be much improved.

Balanis registered a 3-4 slate as interim coach for the final seven games. His biggest wins came against Old Dominion during the regular season and against East Carolina in the opening round of the Southern Conference Tournament.

The Tribe's young skipper intends to focus on defense and team play. "Our kids will play both ends of the court and they will concentrate on defense for the entire 40 minutes," he said. "We are going back to the fundamentals because it is there that you win games."



George Balanis

As practice got under way, Balanis and his assistants, Bruce Parkhill and Bob Staak, said the squad has the potential to turn things around this season.

"We will probably have two seniors, one junior, six sophomores and six freshmen on the varsity squad, but what we lack in experience we will make up for in attitude, determination and talent," said the Tribe's skipper.

Balanis and his staff completed what they consider a "very successful" recruiting campaign. Parkhill said, "All six will play varsity and I feel certain they can adjust to college competition."

The six freshmen are: 6-2 Danny Monckton (Chicago), 6-5 Mike Enoch (Philadelphia), 6-6 John Kratzer (Atlanta), 6-5 John Lowenhaupt

### CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM CONTINUES WINNING

William and Mary continued its dominance in cross-country in the State and Southern Conference tournaments in late October and early November. The Indians won the State championship for the 12th straight year and the Southern Conference for the 10th straight year.

On successive weekends beginning Nov. 9, the Tribe competes in the NCAA regionals at Furman, the IC4A championships at Van Cortland Park, N.Y., and the NCAA finals at Bloomington.

### 1974-75 W&M BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 30	Pace	H
Dec. 2	Haverford	H
Dec. 5	George Washington	H
Dec. 7	The Citadel	A
Dec. 11	Virginia	A
Dec. 14	Wagner	H
Dec. 17	Davidson	H
Dec. 21	Wake Forest	H
Dec. 30	Columbia	H
Jan. 4	Old Dominion	H
Jan. 18	East Carolina	A
Jan. 20	St. Mary's	H
Jan. 22	VMI	A
Jan. 25	Furman	A
Jan. 28	Virginia Tech	H
Feb. 1	Pittsburgh	A
Feb. 3	The Citadel	H
Feb. 6	Richmond	A
Feb. 8	Appalachian State	A
Feb. 10	Baltimore	H
Feb. 12	Virginia Tech	A
Feb. 15	East Carolina	H
Feb. 19	VMI	H
Feb. 22	Richmond	H
Feb. 26	Rutgers	A
Mar. 1	So. Conf. Tournament	

All Homes Games Start at 7:30 P.M.

### Grid Scores

- Mississippi St. 49, W&M 7
- W&M 17, Wake Forest 6
- UVA 38, W&M 28
- Furman 10, W&M 0
- W&M 16, Citadel 12
- Boston College 31, W&M 16
- W&M 28, Rutgers 15
- VMI 31, W&M 20

# WOMEN'S SPORTS SCHEDULE

## HOCKEY

**November 5**  
VCU (home)

**November 9-10**  
Tidewater Tournament  
(at Longwood)

**November 12**  
St. Catherines (home)

**November 15-17**  
Southeast Tournament  
(at Goucher College)

**January 29**  
VCU (home)

**February 4**  
UVA (home)

**February 6**  
ODU (home)

**February 7**  
Madison (away)

**February 8**  
Longwood (away)

## ORCHESIS

**March 19-20**  
An Evening of Dance  
(PBK Hall - 8:15 p.m.)

## FENCING

**December 6**  
Duke (home)

**December 7**  
Goucher (away)

**February 9**  
N. C. State (home)

**March 15**  
UVA (home)

## LACROSSE

**March 14**  
Westhampton (away)

**March 19**  
Longwood (away)

**April 5-6**  
Clubs weekend at  
Sanford, Delaware

**April 8**  
Mary Washington (home)

**April 12**  
Va. Club Teams

**April 15**  
Madison (home)

**April 18-20**  
Lynchburg (away)

**April 25-27**  
VWLA Tourney  
at Hollins

**May 1**  
Bridgewater (home)

## TENNIS

**March 19**  
UVA (home)

**April 4**  
Randolph-Macon (home)

**April 8**  
Madison (away)

**April 15**  
Maryland (home)

**April 18-20**  
Va. Intercollegiate  
Tourney at UVA

**April 24**  
Sweet Briar (home)

## GOLF

**UNCG Invitational**  
at Greensboro, N.C.

**April 18-20**  
Ivy Hill Invitational  
at Staunton, Va.

**April 25-27**  
Madison Invitational  
at Harrisonburg

## RIFLERY

**November 17**  
Delaware (home)

**November 24**  
George Washington (away)

**December 8**  
Davidson (home)

**December 15**  
Appalachian (home)

**February 2**  
VMI (away)

**February 10**  
Citadel (home)

**February 16**  
Southeastern Invitational  
(Ft. Lee)

**February 23**  
Richmond (away)

**March 2**  
Davidson (away)

**March 9**  
Hampton (home)

**March 16**  
Southern Conference  
(at VMI)

**February 12**  
Westhampton (away)

**February 14**  
Lynchburg (away)

**February 15**  
Randolph Macon (away)

**February 18**  
Mary Washington (away)

**February 20**  
ODU (away)

**February 22**  
UVA (away)

**February 27 - March 1**  
State Tourney at  
Randolph-Macon

**March 6-8**  
Regional Tourney at  
Elon

## SWIMMING

**December 5**  
VCU (away)

**December 14**  
Madison (away)

**February 7**  
UVA (home)

**February 10**  
Maryland (away)

**February 12**  
Westhampton (away)

**February 18**  
Longwood (home)

**February 21**  
State Championships

## MERMETTES

**April 16-18**  
(Adair Pool - 8 p.m.)

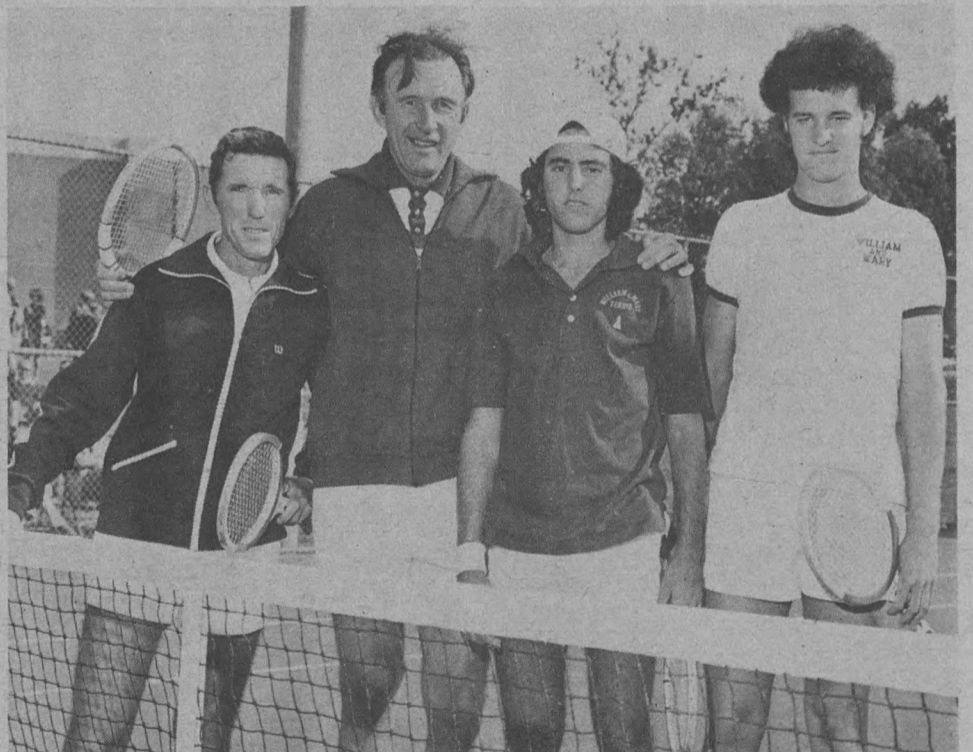
## BASKETBALL

**December 3**  
VCU (away)

**December 10**  
Va. State (home)



*The varsity tennis team proved the young kids still have something over the old men after all, even if they did comprise the greatest tennis team in W&M history. The varsity defeated the members of the 1948 Sharvy Umbeck national champions in a good spirited match on the Friday of Homecoming. Later (above) the team posed for pictures with one of their former coaches Wayne Kernodle (far right). Left to right are Bob Holloway, Bob Doll, Gardner Larned, Tut Bartzten, Fred Kovaleski, and Howe Atwater. At right Bartzten shows his forehand; below, Kovaleski poses with Bartzten and two of their opponents; bottom left Kovaleski shakes hands with Dr. Kernodle and bottom right, the three 1948 powers Kovaleski, Larned, and Bartzten talk about old times. Each member of the '48 team received a commemorative Jefferson cup.*



# THE BIG HOMECOMING WEEKEND



Top right, Kaplans enjoy William and Mary's 28-15 victory over Rutgers; right, they attend the Homecoming Dance; top left they attend the Homecoming Parade, and left, they enjoy luncheon in Blow Gymnasium.

Joy Probert is a writer for the Richmond News-Leader which kindly granted the Gazette permission to reprint this article. Photos are by Thomas L. Williams.

By Joy Probert

The big football weekend! It arrives every fall as surely as mail to college alumni promising a homecoming bigger and better than ever.

The game will be the most exciting, the parade the longest, the crowd the biggest and so the predictions roll on with only minor variations from college to college.

So the college football fan looks at his calendar and his checkbook and usually picks homecoming weekend. The peek at the checkbook may have to be accompanied by some fast figuring. The pigskin is no longer the only inflated figure at a football weekend.

For Linda and Bob Kaplan this year was THE homecoming at their alma mater, the College of William and Mary. Both were members of the Class of '69, celebrating their first reunion year. And Kaplan is also a graduate of the college law school. They have never missed a homecoming. A tentative budget was drawn up:

Friday night alumni dinner . . .	\$22.00
Friday motel bill . . . . .	32.00
Saturday lunch . . . . .	4.00
Football tickets . . . . .	14.00
Saturday alumni dinner-dance . . .	26.00
Saturday motel bill . . . . .	32.00

Sunday breakfast . . . . .	4.00
Gasoline . . . . .	5.00
Tips, phone calls, cab fare, etc. . .	\$20.00
Total . . . . .	\$209.00

"This was our reunion year so we wanted to do the whole bit," said Kaplan, now in his second year of law practice in Richmond.

Reservations were made well in advance for the weekend of Oct. 18 to see William and Mary vs. Rutgers plus all the accompanying homecoming activities.

Then fate stepped in.

A sibling for Robert Kaplan Jr., 4, was due to arrive in early September, allowing plenty of time, so the Kaplans figured, for the infant to adjust to schedules at home by homecoming weekend.

With football tickets, dinner reservations, and motel reservations in hand, the Kaplans waited.

They waited and they waited. Finally on Sept. 17 Mary-Courtney arrived.

The late arrival caused Mrs. Kaplan to push the panic button.

"I just said, 'Cancel it all--there's no way we can make it now,'" she said.

But Kaplan still hoped to salvage part of the big football weekend.

"I just kept thinking about how Linda would look on Monday after missing our first class reunion," he said.

They started trimming their plans and as a result also trimmed their budget. The cost of the proposed weekend actually ended up dropping down to \$57.13.

Like most young couples faced with a new baby, they preferred having a grandparent babysit. They placed the call

to Mrs. Kaplan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phillips of Petersburg, to see if they could help with the children.

Robert would be no problem, but Mrs. Kaplan worried about how much time she could spend away from Mary-Courtney without placing too great a burden on her parents. So the Kaplans decided to confine their activities to Saturday.

The motel and dinner reservations were cancelled but Mrs. Kaplan decided to take a long dress with her just in case they were able to stay for the dance.

They left home at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday in a light drizzle.

Mrs. Kaplan wore a three-piece plaid pantsuit and a raincoat, an outfit she figured would see her through all the events except the dance.

Sharply at 8:50 a.m. they arrived at the President's House, home of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Graves, to attend the alumni breakfast.

The sun came out and the air turned crisp and cool--perfect football weather. But before the game came the parade and the alumni luncheon.

During lunch, held at the gymnasium, one alumnus had watched her husband for 30 minutes trying to figure out who was accompanying him, she said. Mrs. Kaplan's transformation from long-haired blonde to shorthaired brunette had fooled many of her classmates.

The William and Mary football team cooperated perfectly with the college's homecoming plans by turning in a 28-15 victory over Rutgers.

A long-distance call home produced reassuring words about Mary Courtney so

the Kaplans decided to catch a quick dinner somewhere and go to the dance.

But first they needed a spot to change clothes.

"I used to teach at Walsingham Academy, a private Catholic school, while Bob was in law school. So we stopped by there and ended up dressing for the dance in the school infirmary," she said.

They joined other alumni at the dance where a band played tunes ranging from the 1930s to the 1970s.

Then it was back to Richmond, tiptoeing into the house late at night. Despite the precautions, Robert woke up with a 4-year old's typical question to returning parents:

"What did you bring me?"

Days later, when the nostalgic glow of the weekend was still there, Mrs. Kaplan gathered assorted bits of paper and figured the cost of the fragment of their original weekend--\$57.13.

The two big items were for football tickets and a maid to help her mother. The actual budget:

Football tickets . . . . .	\$14.00
Maid . . . . .	19.00
Lunch . . . . .	4.00
Gasoline . . . . .	4.48
Dinner . . . . .	10.05
Miscellaneous (toy for	
Robert, cab fare, etc. . . . .	5.60
Total . . . . .	\$57.13

"Next year, though, is going to be different," she said.

"Especially Saturday night. 'Next year we're staying overnight.'"

# OWJ -- HONORING WORK

by Wilford Kale

More William and Mary Alumni are wearing white jackets these days.

After two years of strong organization work headed by President M. Carl Andrews '27, of Roanoke and Dwight C. "Brownie" Brown, '32 of Arlington, the Order of the White Jacket has grown from just a handful of charter members to more than 250 former student waiters who now are eligible to wear the white jacket.



OWJ President Carl Andrews and Miss Rebecca I. Tinker, who was honored by OWJ

The group held its second annual meeting this year during homecoming and inducted a dozen William and Mary senior men who have been student waiters at the college's dining hall.

To keep up with the changing times, the order of the white jacket (OWJ) adopted two changes in their bylaws which will allow the membership to expand to include those students who waited tables at the King's Arms Tavern or other Colonial Williamsburg facilities and in other restaurants "in order to earn money to help keep themselves in college."

Andrews, in his third one-year term as president, noted that the OWJ founding goal was "to further the principle of honor and dignity in menial work while obtaining an education." The founders began with those students who worked in the dining hall beginning in 1911.

"But we feel strongly that we now have an opportunity," he said, "to strengthen our organization by including those persons who waited on tables elsewhere in town. For they too were working their way through college, even though they did not work in the dining hall."

OWJ also voted to admit women as members, noting that at least one woman has inquired about membership.

The organization also voted to make an occasional award to persons who have demonstrated loyal support and service to the college. The first recipient, recognized at the Homecoming banquet, was Miss Rebecca I. Tinker, who for 19 years—from 1952-1971—was food service director for the college.

She was cited for her service to students, especially the student waiters. Of those students, Miss Tinker said, "I am proud to have served the finest groups of young men and women in the world..."

Word about OWJ has spread throughout the nation in the past few months.

In U.S. News and World Report in May and later in an August edition of Forbes Magazine, the Warner & Swasey

possibility of establishing a chapter on their campus.

"Look what happened to Phi Beta Kappa, organized at William and Mary in 1776," Andrews said. "I think it would be entirely appropriate if OWJ chapters were to spread across the country."

The idea for the Order originated with Andrews, the retired editor of the Roanoke World-News Editorial page and Arthur Matsu, famed William and Mary Japanese-American quarterback and now a Phoenix, Ariz. real estate broker.

Many of those alumni who have joined the rapidly growing Order returned during Homecoming weekend to attend the special OWJ reunion activities. As they greeted old friends, many of whom they probably had not seen in maybe two dozen years, the OWJ's reminisced about "the good olde days."

Dr. Davis Y. "Pat" Paschall, class of '32, and President Emeritus of William and Mary recalled his days of waiting on the table of another William and Mary President Dr. J.A.C. Chandler. "Many important visitors to the town and college, such as Mr. Rockefeller (John D. Jr.) came to dine at the President's special dining room, just off the main dining floor," Dr. Paschall said.

"Those special meals were probably the most important ones that I served during my waiter days," he explained. "When there were no guests with Dr. Chandler, sometimes he would ask me to sit down, after I had served him, and eat dinner with him and I would tell him how we cured tobacco down in Lunenburg County."

Another white jacket member J. Edward Zollinger, '27 of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla, and now a member of the college's Board of Visitors said the waiters during his college days "were respected,



"Pat" Paschall

An athletic scholarship at William and Mary up through the World War II days "meant you worked tables in the dining room," explained Dale Myers, '45 from Roanoke.

"We worked for our meals," Masters added, "and our little scholarships took care of our room fees."

Myers said that for several years he worked in the special smaller dining room where persons on selective diets took their meals. "One night Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller came to dinner and afterwards asked the waiters if we would join them at the movie theatre downtown.

"Mr. Rockefeller went up to the ticket seller and told her who he was and that he wanted us to see the movie with him. The woman just didn't believe he was Mr. Rockefeller... and he didn't have any money with him," Myers continued.

"So, Mrs. Rockefeller had to give him enough money so we all could go in."

One alumna recalled that "in those days you just didn't miss a meal... in the dining hall was where all of the campus socializing took place."

In the late 40's students were entertained during meals, on occasions by

Co. of Cleveland, Ohio, cited OWJ in a full-page advertisement saying, "If there were more White Jackets in this country, it would be a better country."

In the firm's tasteful ad, it noted that the order "has a roster of which any college club or fraternity or group of any kind in the land could be proud."

In fact, at a William and Mary homecoming these days one may see a

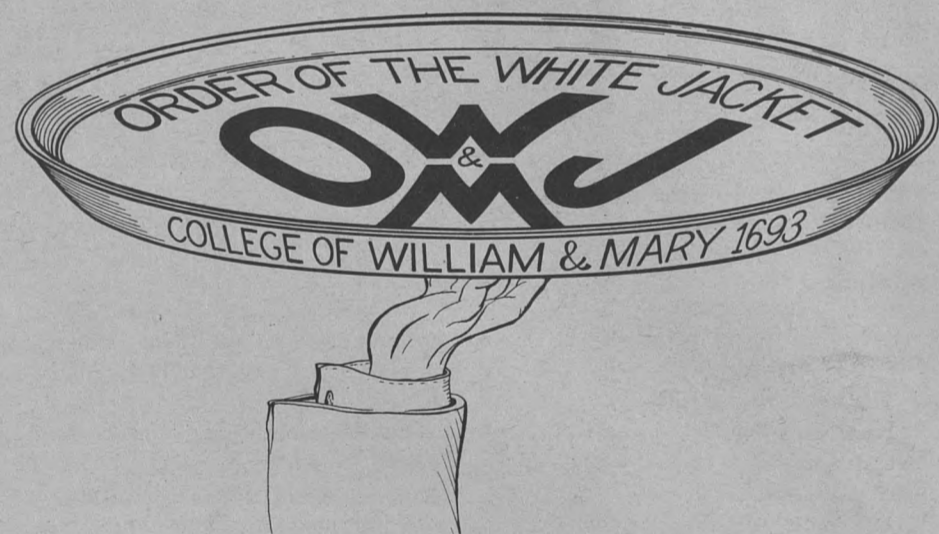


Governor Godwin

state governor, or a college president, perhaps a prominent editor, famous doctors, lawyers, bankers, business executives, ministers and civic leaders "all proudly wearing white jackets," the ad states.

"There ought to be a chapter of this magnificent organization on every college campus in America," the advertisement concludes.

Apparently several colleges agreed, because in the past weeks Andrews said he has received inquiries from former waiters at other universities about the



especially by those boys who had enough money and knew that we had to get up at 6 a.m. and sling hash, while they were sleeping."

He explained that very often men stood in line for an opportunity to substitute for waiters. "They always felt we got more food," he said, which very often simply was not the case.

Harlie Masters, '42 from Spring City, Pa. recalled that all students were well fed at the college dining hall. The food was served family style "and there was a lot for everyone."

Zollinger said the only major food difference he remembered was that "waiters who worked at Dr. Chandler's table always got Smithfield ham to eat on those days when we just had regular ham."

Harrison Wesson, '26 from Montclair, N.J. said "our fellow students admired us for working. If I had not worked in the dining hall I couldn't have stayed here more than three months, much less get a degree."

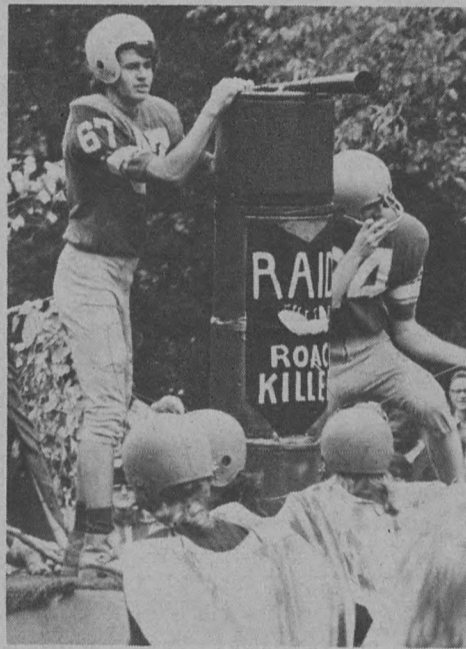
the waiters, and by one especially who would sing. Masters added that he met the woman he later married while waiting on the freshman table one year.

Colin R. Davis '50 from Suffolk and current president of the Society of the Alumni and an OWJ member, said the order is rapidly becoming an important part of the college's homecoming.

"The organization helps to bring back many of our older alumni, who previously had not been returning to campus," he explained. With the OWJ meeting on Thursday night of homecoming weekend, Davis added, "that quite naturally extends our homecoming program by at least a day."

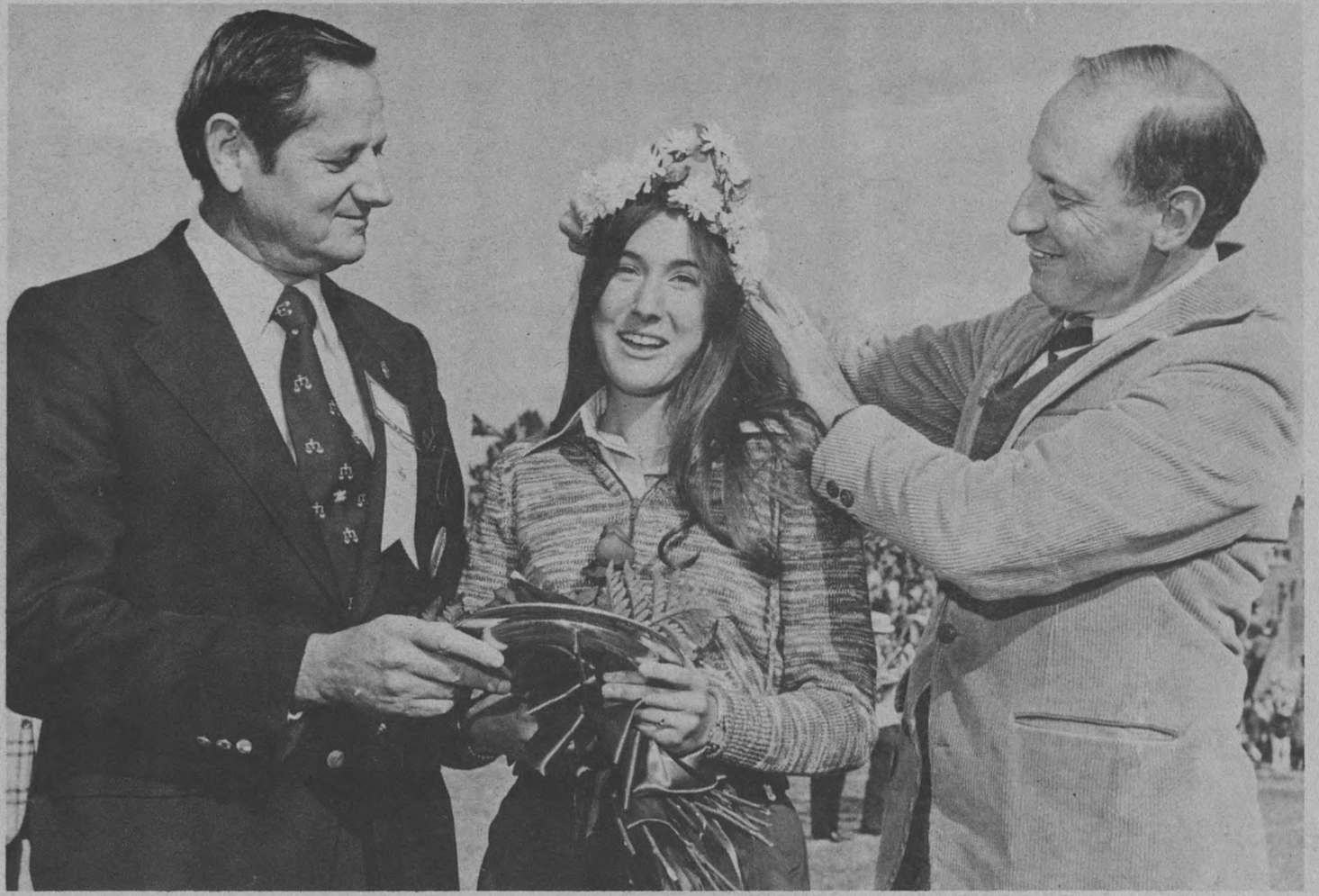
There was virtual agreement by all OWJ members here at Homecoming that they were never "looked down upon" by their peers because they had to work.

"Everybody looked upon waiters as they would any other fellow student or friend," Andrews explained. Zollinger added that "waiters were some of the most popular boys on the campus."

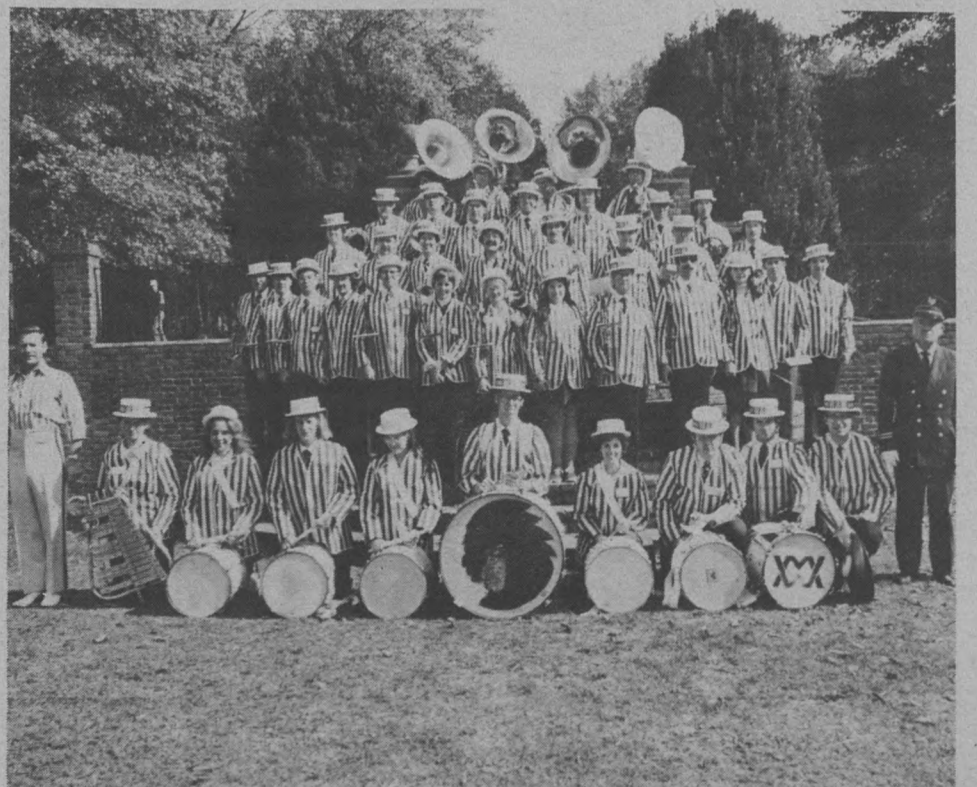
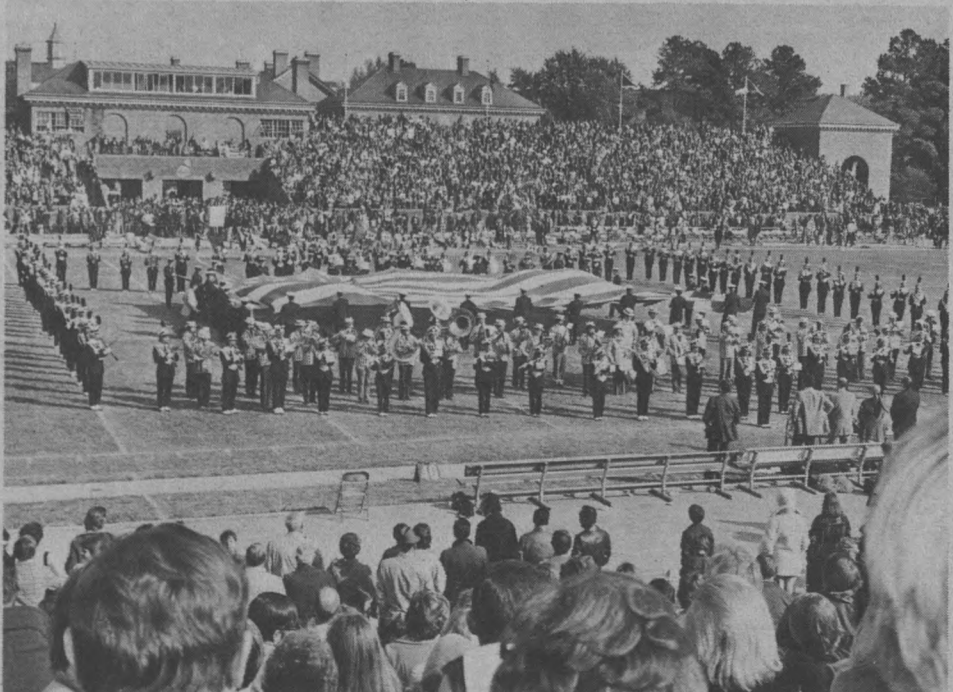
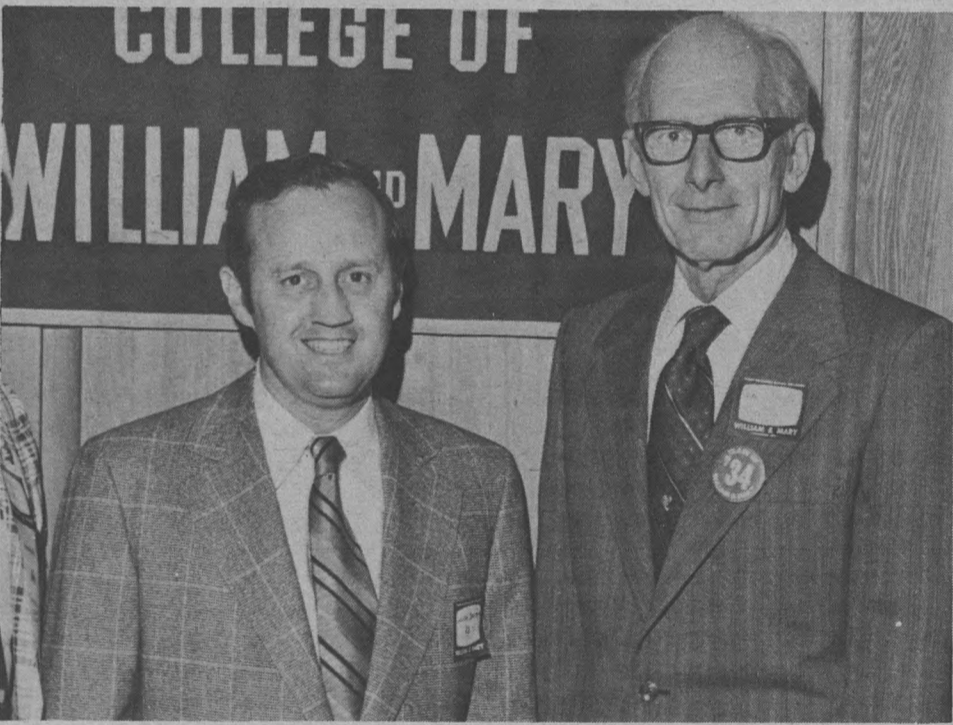
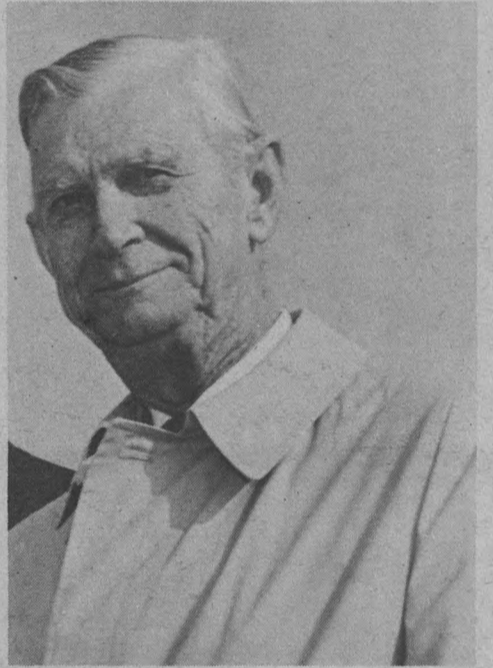


It was one of the best Homecoming Parades in years, capturing the theme "The Good Olde Days" in spirit and quality. Above is the first place float in the womens division, Alpha Chi Omega's "Just Like the Olden Days ... the Knights are really Dragon." At right are two performers from the men's division winner, Lambda Chi Alpha, whose float depicted a movie set with the theme "Frankly Scarlets, You Aren't Worth a Damn." At left, is the open division winning float from Ludwell dormitory which depicted the theme "Raid by Scarlet Bugs on the Indians." Other significant sights at the Parade were Lt. Gov. John N. Dalton (far left), one of the Grand Marshals, a sorority float with lots of lovely girls (below), William and Mary cheerleaders aboard an old-time truck, a balloon hawker who got lots of business from the little guys at the parade, and the famous Clydesdales (bottom left) preceded by the Theta Delta Chi float which placed second in the men's competition.

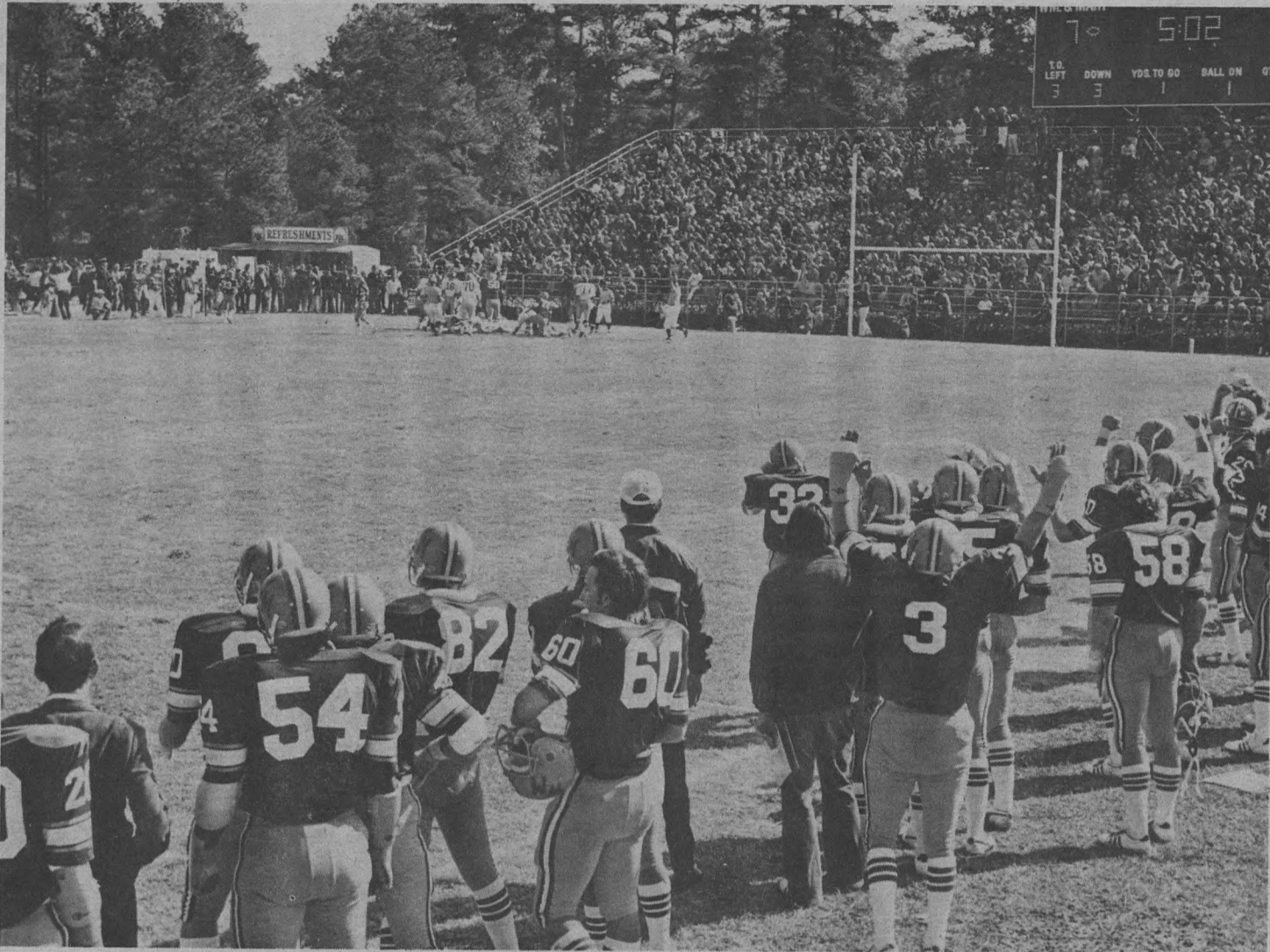




Above, President Graves crowns Homecoming Queen Lynn Melzer, a senior from Lake Forest, Ill., who received an engraved pewter plate from Alumni Society President Randy Davis (at her right); upper left, an alumnus tees off in Homecoming weekend golf tourney; at right is Chief Justice of Supreme Court Lawrence I'Anson '28, one of the Chief Marshals of the Parade; below left are Alumni Medallion winners Lt. Gov. John N. Dalton '53 (also a Parade Marshal), and Dr. Guy Daugherty '34. Other photos are of the unveiling of the flag during halftime ceremonies at the football game (bottom left), the Alumni Band, organized in 1969 by William and Mary Band Director Charles Varner (at right in picture) and Jim Anthony (at left); two alumnae back for their 45th reunion (directly below) and of another long-time alumna sporting a W&M hat (below right).







Above, William and Mary scores its first touchdown in a 28-15 victory over Rutgers; left, Society President Randy Davis presents first Bicentennial Medallions to Governor Godwin and President Graves while Board of Visitors Rector R. Harvey Chappell looks on; right Governor Godwin and Lt. Gov. John N. Dalton display Bicentennial Medallions; upper right, former Board of Visitors member Frank Cox '24 purchases Luncheon on the Lawn ticket; lower left, alumni Rolf Kennard and his wife enjoy Friday night alumni banquet (Kennard is author of the William and Mary fight song); bottom left Jean Cogle (on left) and Jean Canoles Bruce, an Alumni Board member, both class of '49, renew old acquaintances, lower right, alumni leave at weekend's end on Alumni Charter Trip to London, and bottom right, alumni enjoy "Luncheon on the Lawn" which had to be held in Blow Gymnasium because of the uncertain weather.



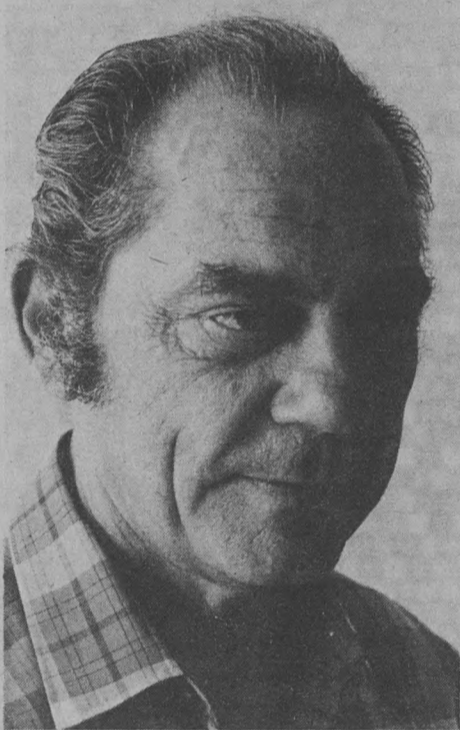
## Library Displays Weaver Manuscripts

Currently on display in Botetourt Museum of Swem Library at William and Mary is an exhibition of the writings of John Weaver, a prolific novelist and 1932 alumnus of the College.

A distinguished writer of both fiction and non-fiction, Weaver has sent copies of all his works, which include nine books and numerous short stories, in addition to photographs, typescripts, and galley proofs for the display. The exhibition will continue through December 1.

Weaver has also sent, especially for the exhibit, a Chinese edition of his book entitled "Tad Lincoln: Mischief Maker in the White House," (1963) and a copy of his book "Brownsville Raid," (1970) autographed by the last survivor in the Black battalion.

Weaver was born in 1912 in Washington, D.C. He graduated from Randolph-Macon Academy in Front Royal, and enrolled at William and Mary in 1929. Weaver studied creative writing under Professor Glenwood Clarke, chairman of the English Department for many years, whom Weaver claims "has been one of the most dominant literary influences on my life."



**John Weaver**

Following graduation from William and Mary in 1932, Weaver returned to Washington, D.C., where he took his

master's degree at George Washington University in 1933. The next year he worked for various New Deal agencies in Washington, and in 1935, moved to Missouri where he went to work for the Kansas City Star as a feature writer, reporter, book reviewer, and copy reader.

In 1940 Weaver and his wife Harriett moved to the west coast. He produced his first novel, "Wind Before Rain," in 1942. His second novel, "Another Such Victory," was published in 1948, and by the mid-fifties, his short stories had appeared in such national magazines as Harpers, Atlantic, Collier's, Saturday Evening Post, Liberty, Esquire, and in many anthologies and textbooks.

One novelette in McCall's was brought by RKO Pictures and made into a movie "Holiday Affair," starring Robert Mitchum and Janet Leigh. A Collier's serial was bought by Twentieth Century Fox and made into the movie "Dreamboat" with Ginger Rogers and Clifton Webb.

Following the publication of his third novel, "As I Live and Breathe" in 1959, Weaver returned entirely to non-fiction and began contributing regularly to Holiday Magazine, of which he later became West Coast Editor. Holiday also published an excerpt from his book on the everyday workings of the Federal Government, "The Great Experiment," published in 1965.

In 1962 the editors of Holiday asked him to write a three-part series on Earl Warren, the first full-length portrait to be drawn of the late Chief Justice, and the articles evolved into the biography, "Warren: The Man, The Court, The Era." (1969)

In 1970 Weaver published "The Brownsville Raid," concerning a 1906 shooting spree in Brownsville, Tex., which was responsible for the summary dismissal of 167 Black soldiers by President Theodore Roosevelt. The book came to the attention of Augustus F. Hawkins, a Black congressman from Los Angeles, who introduced legislation calling for exoneration of the Black battalion. The soldiers were granted honorable discharges by the Secretary of the Army in 1972.

Weaver's latest book, "L.A.: El Pueblo Grande," was published in 1973. Currently residing in Sherman Oakes, Calif., he is West Coast Editor of Travel and Leisure magazine.

## Chapter Activity Listed

**NOV. 7 Atlanta, Georgia.** "An Evening of Dinner and Theater" at the Barn Dinner Theater, 1690 Terrell Mill Road, Marietta, Georgia. Cocktails at 6:30 P.M., buffet dinner from 7:00-8:00, followed by the play "Everybody Loves Opal" at 8:30. Cost is \$8.50 per person, which includes dinner, play and gratuity. Drinks on a cash bar basis at \$1.25 each. Send reservation and check to Mrs. Lynn Bradley, 200 Franklin Road No.R3, Atlanta, Georgia, 30342 before NOV. 1. Make check payable to William and Mary Alumni Club. Interest questionnaires are in the mail. Please don't forget to return yours!

**NOV. 8 Norfolk, Virginia.** The Norfolk-Virginia Beach Chapter takes great pride in presenting "An Evening With Henry VIII" at the Chrysler Museum in Norfolk. Dr. Harold L. Fowler, recently retired Dean of the Faculty will present his legendary Henry

VIII lecture. Following the lecture, there will be a reception with light hors d'oeuvres and refreshments. The cost is \$2.00 per person and attendance is BY RESERVATION ONLY as space is limited. Send your check and reservation to: Bill Prince, P.O. Box 3416 Norfolk, Virginia BEFORE NOV. 1. Please make checks payable to: Norfolk-Virginia Beach W&M Alumni Club.

**NOV. 23 Richmond, Virginia.** Social hour immediately following the W&M-University of Richmond football game. At the Colony House, Executive Motor Inn, 5215 West Broad St. Cocktails on a cash bar basis.

**CLEVELAND, OHIO.** The group here is trying to get a chapter started. Interest questionnaires are in the mail, so please be sure you have returned yours and given the group your ideas!

## Freshest Advice

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*E. Ralph James* is a member of the law firm James, Richardson, James, Sawyer and Quinn, which opened an office in Williamsburg, Va. in August of this year.



**John Watson '50**

# 30

*Mrs. Joseph N. James* (Eleanor Williamson) Millwood, Va. 22646

*John C. Swanson*, president of Swanson Motors, Inc., a Cadillac-Oldsmobile-Datsun dealership in Danville, has been elected to a sixth term on the Board of Directors of the National Automobile Dealers Association. He will begin his new 3-year term Jan. 1. He is a member of the NADA's Convention and Exhibition, New and Used Car Merchandising, and Service and Parts Committees. He was formerly treasurer, regional vice president and sectional vice president of NADA, and member of the Board of Visitors of the College of William and Mary. He is now a director of the Roanoke River Basin Association, the Virginia-Carolina Broadcasting Corporation, and a director and chairman of the Advisory Board of the Danville Virginia National Bank.

*Alberta Parker Warren* has recently undergone surgery and is recuperating at home in Harrisonburg, Va. In the past few years she has enjoyed being house-mother to some of the girls at Madison College.

*Helen Morton Shanklin's* husband Jim has retired from his duties as chief surgeon at the Bluefield Sanitarium, Bluefield, W.Va. His place in the hospital will be hard to fill but their friends in Bluefield are glad they are going to remain in that area.

*Ann Messick Mogle* had a trip to New Zealand where she visited Potarua, The Glow Worm Cavern, and a number of sheep stations.

*Evelyn Steele Garrett* with several of her children and grandchildren spent sometime in England. They could not persuade Earle to board the plane, probably because he did not want to leave his law practice in Danville.

# 34

*Bernard B. Brugh* 6130 Osborne Road Landover, Md. 20785

*L. Eldon James* is a member of the law firm, James, Richardson, James, Sawyer and Quinn, which opened an office in Williamsburg, Va. in August of this year.

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*Mrs. David R. Mackey* (Eleanor Ely) 1825 North Main Street Hutchinson, Kans. 67501

Classmate D. Gordon Williams, President of Countess Mara, Inc., recently introduced a small collection for women in addition to their outstanding line of men's specialties.

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*Mrs. Rolf Williams* (Sunny Trumbo) 904 Jamestown Crescent Norfolk, Va. 23185

Homecoming 1974 - Where were you all? Those who had reservations were Marge and Wayne Gibbs, Bill and Kathy Carico, Robert and Mary Dils Dixon, Matilda Gentile Lewis and Charles, Gloria Hall Lipfert and Robert, Betsy Yow Pearce and Bob, Gloria Tyler Robertson and Bob, Harvey Pope, Honora Thompson the Bill Smiths (where were Arkey and Joe?) Beverly Postles Tyler and Bill, Jean Boyd McIntyre and others. A great weekend was had by all.

Rolf went hunting (in Iceland of all places) the week of the W&M trip so almost signed up for the trip to England. The list included many of your friends - Betty Fisher, the Hugh Haynies, Barbara and Bucky Henry, Jane and Herb Young. Perhaps we should have class trips sometime after a reunion.

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*Mrs. Donald R. Rutter* (Mary A. Keeney) 1001 Pontiac, Lafayette, Ind. 47905

*Lula Annis Walker* was released to inactive duty in the Naval Reserve after more than 20 years with the Navy Department. She was recognized for distinguished and meritorious service on the staff of the Director of the Inter-American Defense College, Washington, D.C. Her home in Coronado, Calif., overlooks the Coronado - San Diego Bay Bridge. She is currently occupied in Kappa Delta matters, beginning her third consecutive year on the executive board of the San Diego alumnae association, and Panhellenic affairs, serving her second successive year on the executive board of the San Diego City Panhellenic Association.



**Charles B. Harris '50**

# 50

*Mrs. Robert R. Morrison* (Phyllis U. Reardon) 912 Jamaica Way Bakersfield, Calif. 93309

*John J. Watson* has been appointed to the position of director of research and circulation for the Medical World News, Contemporary Surgery & Contemporary Ob/Gyn for McGraw Hill. John has been with McGraw Hill since 1959. He lives in South Norwalk, Conn.

*Dr. Mary Lou Hale* has been named president of the South East Texas Health

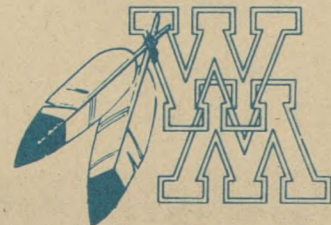


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