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## Strategic Plan Prepares College for Fourth Century

By Ray Betzner

Director of Public Information

After a year of study and debate, the Strategic Planning Committee's draft report to make the College of William and Mary "the best small public university in the United States" was unveiled Sept. 23.

Last year, President Timothy Sullivan charged the committee with recommending the hard choices that will be needed to ensure William and Mary's reputation for academic excellence and efficiency.

Calling this "an opportunity we've not had since Gov. Thomas Jefferson proposed curricular revision in the 1770s," Sullivan said the plan offers a vision that is "coherent, comprehensive and bold."

Titled "Into the Fourth Century," the committee's draft recommends phasing out some master's and professional degree programs, reducing administrative costs by \$2.1 million over three years, and reinvesting the money saved into the remaining undergraduate and graduate programs.

Although the program cuts were expected to draw the most reaction, Sullivan stressed that the reductions are being proposed for the overall good of the College.

"The point of this document is not to make cuts; the point of this document is to build," said Sullivan.

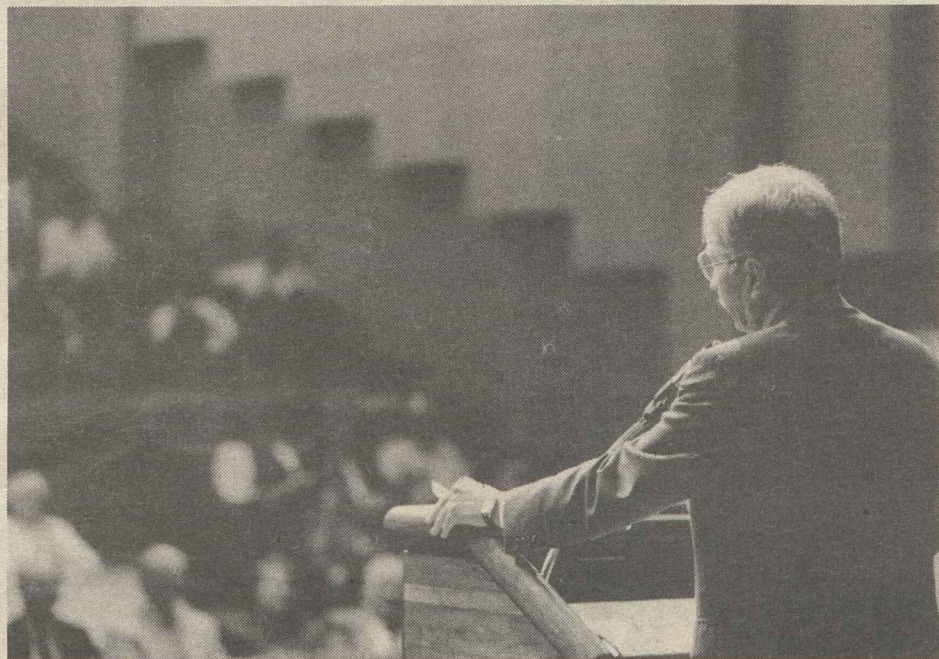
At the same time, the plan recognizes that state support for the College had declined in the last decade. "I like to think of this as a plan for greatness in an age of limits," the president said.

Phasing out some programs does not mean they are not good programs, said Sullivan. The program reductions recognize that the College will only have limited resources to promote those programs that are most likely to achieve national or international stature.

Although some degree programs would be phased out, Provost Gillian T. Cell said no tenured or tenure-eligible faculty members will be released.

Most of the elements of the plan would be phased in over the next five years, noted Cell, who chaired the committee.

For example, she said that students currently enrolled in the programs to be phased out would be encouraged to continue and attain their degrees. However, no new students would be accepted into these programs. Approximately 150 students are currently in the master's and



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professional programs to be phased out.

Among the new ideas in the report is the creation of synergistic groups for graduate study called clusters. The clusters would not replace the current academic departments but would be a tool to encourage faculty to work together.

"We saw the opportunity to build something unique at William and Mary by encouraging and rewarding departments and schools to work together in new ways," said Cell.

Departments and programs within the clusters would be encouraged to cooperate in hiring faculty, training graduate students, planning courses and lectures and seeking research funds. Those clusters that achieve these goals would be rewarded with additional resources, said Cell.

The Strategic Planning Committee identified four initial clusters: American Culture, Policy Studies, Applied Science and possibly Environmental Sciences and Policy. A plan for implementing each would be developed by a committee and submitted to the provost by Sept. 1, 1995.

In discussing alumni concerns and participation, the committee report said William and Mary "is fortunate to have exceptionally loyal and dedicated alumni who provide support through their continuing interest in and service to their alma mater as well as their financial generosity.

"Their support, however, should not be taken for granted. Additional ways should be identified to maintain alumni involvement and to bring increasing numbers of alumni into active engagement with William and Mary."

In addition, the committees suggested:

- Exploring new ways, in cooperation with the Society of the Alumni, to involve the alumni in the life of the Col-

lege.

- Strengthening open, two-way communications between the College and its alumni.

- Further developing existing programs that allow alumni to share their expertise and experience with students in the classroom and that make internship and employment opportunities available to students.

- Increasing alumni assistance to the Office of Admission.

- Supporting the Alumni Society's comprehensive maintenance of alumni activity and biographical file records, and identifying opportunities that permit positive use of the system to as-

sist the College, its schools and departments.

- Developing a program in partnership with the Society that identifies and cultivates alumni leaders and prepares them for key roles in fund-raising initiatives, community outreach, advisory boards and committees and service in support of the College.

The College invites alumni to respond to the draft of the Strategic Plan. Please address your comments in writing directly to Provost Gillian T. Cell, Chair, Strategic Planning Committee, The Brafferton, P. O. Box 8795, Williamsburg, Va. 23187-8795, or send your comments by e-mail to [stplan@mail.wm.edu](mailto:stplan@mail.wm.edu).

Members of the College community had an opportunity to respond during a series of public hearings in early October. Following the public response, a final version of the Strategic Plan will be released. If you would like a copy of the full plan, please call the Alumni Society at 804/221-1165.

### HIGHLIGHTS

The Strategic Plan draft makes numerous recommendations for improvements in almost every aspect of the College. Some of the major recommendations include:

- Enroll an entering class of 1,290 beginning in the fall of 1996, an increase of 50 students over the current class size. An interim increase to 1,275 is recommended for the fall of 1995.
- Maintain excellence in the undergraduate program by allocating resources to implement the new curriculum.
- Encourage departments, programs and schools that share a common interest in broad areas of intellectual inquiry to work together in clusters.
- Phase out a number of master's programs and all educational specialist programs in education. Identified were the master's-only programs in English, government, mathematics, sociology and psychology in arts and sciences; the master's in museum education; the master's in taxation and the management track in the undergraduate program in the School of Business; and the master's of laws in taxation in the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. Funds will be reallocated to support academic priorities.
- Phase out the Commonwealth Center for Study of American Culture.
- Eliminate the Office of Continuing Education and Special Programs and explore new options for continuing education.
- Make \$2.1 million in administrative cuts over the next three years. Reallocate funds to academic programs and support.
- Invest in the support of the people—faculty, staff and students—who comprise the campus community. This includes advancing faculty salaries to the 75th percentile of state peer institutions.
- Take steps to diversify further the faculty and student body, and create a hospitable environment.
- Invest in information technology infrastructure to improve communications on and off campus. An expanded Earl Gregg Swem Library and a bigger law library are also recommended, although funding for these expansions would need to be identified.
- Make a commitment to service to the Commonwealth and the nation through involvement in public service, cooperation with the public schools and contributions to economic development.
- Require an immediate 10 percent reduction in administrative expenses in athletics. Downsize programs to 23 sports by dropping wrestling and fencing. Limit the percentage increase in student athletic fees to the percentage increase in tuition. Increase the percentage of slotted in-state athletes from the current 23 percent to 35 percent within three years, with a goal of 40 percent within five years. Adopt a gender equity program that provides intercollegiate athletic opportunities to female students equivalent to the opportunities offered male students in all key aspects of the intercollegiate athletic program: grants-in-aid; operating expenses, benefits and support services; and participation opportunities or other appropriate methods of accommodating interest of female students.

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## Shaping our future

By Barry Adams



It has been said that the Chinese character for expressing "crisis" is the combination of two characters — one meaning "danger" and the other meaning "opportunity." Perhaps analogous to this is the oft talked about crisis in our American education system. For years there have been warnings that our schools, districts and institutions are in peril.

A *Harvard Business Review* article by Peter F. Drucker proclaimed that "...in the next 50 years, schools and universities will change more and more drastically than they have since they assumed their present form more than 300 years ago, when they reorganized themselves around the printed book."

Entering its Fourth Century, William and Mary, like all institutions of higher education in Virginia, has suffered a series of deep budget cuts. The need to envision beyond year-to-year reactions to budget reductions was apparent.

A "searching self-examination" to conclude in a blueprint "through the first years of this new century" was commissioned by President Sullivan soon after his inauguration. Its underlying goal was to make William and Mary "The best, small public university in the nation."

With future state resources likely to be limited, the work eventually focused on making recommendations on how the College can ensure the wisest possible use of its resources.

Chaired by Provost Gillian T. Cell, the committee of 25 began a careful and deliberate self-analysis a year ago with the framing of two sets of planning principles — one addressing the character and mission of the College and the other focusing on the financial and budgetary principles that should govern the College's operation.

As the Strategic Plan now in circulation states, "Change is difficult. . . This endeavor inevitably places unusual demands upon collegial loyalties, our col-

lective imagination, and our will. It requires that we see beyond our own particular and personal interests, that we judge the recommendations in this plan by one primary measure: do they advance the cause of William and Mary?"

The expectations of William and Mary alumni composed within this plan is considerable. It is clear the College cannot march forward into this new century without the efforts of the entire university community. You have many important roles from which to choose — whether it be fund-raising or assistance in the recruitment of minority students; whether it be giving time to a community service project through your alumni chapter or providing a student with a summer job or internship in your company; whether it be serving as a host family or providing career advice; this strategic plan acknowledges the importance your involvement can play in the life of your alma mater.

Sports psychologist Dr. Ron Gilbert once pronounced, "If you don't know where you are going, you might end up where you are headed." The Strategic Plan for William and Mary affords us the opportunity to define where we want to go and directs us on which route best avoids the potholes and troubling detours.

*(Editor's note: Alumni can obtain a printed copy of the Strategic Plan draft by contacting the Alumni Society at address at left.)*

## dialogue

*Dialogue is your opportunity to debate, discuss, compliment, expand upon, amend and remember William and Mary. So call us at 804/221-1703 and leave your recorded message, fax us at 804/221-1186, e-mail us at gazett@mail.wm.edu or write us in care of the Managing Editor, Lisa Riess, at the address at left. All editorials must be submitted with your name and may be edited for clarity, length and editorial content. While we may not have room to publish all comments, you can be sure the Alumni Society will respond in your behalf.*

Congratulations on the new "face" of the *Gazette*! I especially like the new set-up of the class notes. And I think *dialogue* is a wonderful idea.  
 Keep up the good work!—Virginia Lee McAlinden '45, Class Reporter, Sarasota, Fla.

It is most welcome to see the addition of *dialogue* to your format. In the '50s and '60s, when alumni letters were invited and published, this feature added spice to the *Gazette*.  
 It is also gratifying to see that obituaries are more complete than they were in past years.—Roland B. Hall '35, Easton, Pa.

Over the past 10 to 15 years I've seen increasing evidence of how important to the collegiate institution is a sports program that clearly displays the best values and principles not only of sports but of higher

## Professor discovers rare medieval Spanish manuscript

By Emily Jones '95

Where's the first place you would look for a medieval Spanish manuscript? The archives of a Spanish cathedral? The hidden corners of a crumbling Spanish monastery? How about central Minnesota? That's where Professor George Greenia discovered a collection of 40 Spanish manuscripts in the rare books vault at St. John's University.

Director of William and Mary's Medieval and Renaissance Studies program, Greenia was there teaching a summer apprenticeship course in archival skills that included several W&M students.

Greenia and two College students, Jessica Wilbur '95 and Karen Ostertag '93, along with a student from St. John's, were touring the rare books vault at the university's Hill Monastic Manuscript Library, when

Greenia spied a dusty rolled manuscript on a top shelf. "The librarians invited us to look at anything we wanted, so I sort of jumped up and tapped the rolled manuscript. It fell off the shelf, and I caught it, so you could say the discovery literally fell into my hands," he said.

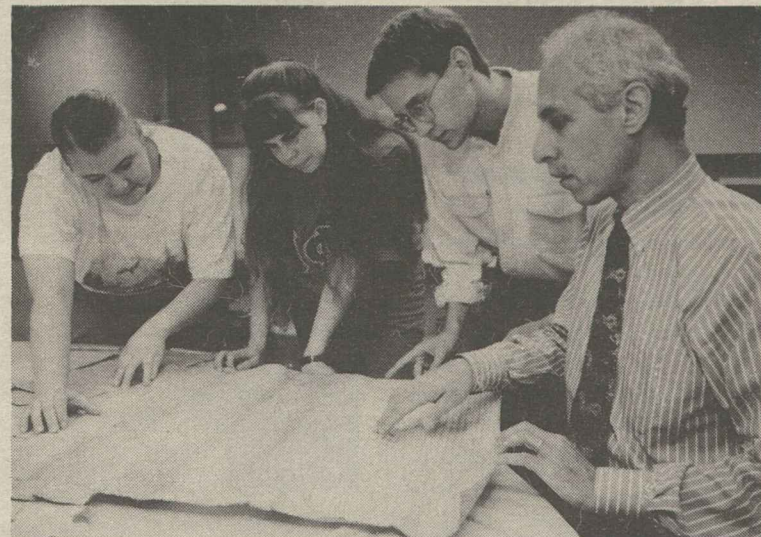
When he looked at the manuscript, Greenia realized that he had found a 14th-century Spanish legal document that no one knew was there. With the aid of the students and another historian, Greenia conducted a thorough search of the vault. What he discovered proved to be the most important find to medieval scholars in decades. The 40 manuscripts Greenia found date from the 13th to the 18th centuries and deal with Spain and its possessions. Ranging in size from less than a page to the length of a book, the documents cover educational and religious treatises, as well as legal codes.

Since St. John's University has

such an extensive collection of rare books and manuscripts and does not have a resident specialist in medieval Spanish documents, the manuscripts had not been cataloged, and no one realized they existed until Greenia's discovery.

But how did these documents wind up in central Minnesota? The researchers believe that the documents were brought from Spain to St. John's by a monk doing research for the university over 25 years ago. The monk later died in an accident and the documents remained unnoticed in the rare books vault until Greenia discovered them.

Greenia's find has sparked the interest of medieval scholars worldwide. As the principal investigator on the project, Greenia is seeking grants to assemble an international research team to catalog the documents next summer. The team will consist of researchers from Spain, Canada and the United States,



Professor Greenia reviews a medieval Spanish manuscript he discovered with William and Mary students and a student from St. John's University.

and it hopes to publish a complete catalog by the end of 1995.

Greenia was enthusiastic about the opportunity the discovery gave W&M students. Says Greenia, "It was so exciting for

the students to be there when we found the documents. They were in on it from the beginning. That's what research is all about."

### Viewpoint

## Understanding Rwanda

By Robert E. Fritts

I served as the American ambassador to Rwanda from 1974 to 1976. From then until several months ago, most Americans had never heard of the small African country. If queried, I usually had to pronounce the name twice and spell it once. Now, tragically, the name and location of Rwanda are too well known.

The origin of the tribal conflict between the Tutsis and the Hutus goes back over 500 years

when the tall Nilotic Tutsi gradually immigrated into the area already occupied by the Hutu, a shorter group of Bantu stock. Although the majority Hutu became politically subordinate to the minority Tutsi, they won the cultural competition. The Tutsi totally adopted the Hutu language (Kinyarwanda), dress, food and customs.

As a new ambassador, one of my first priorities was to host a series of lunches for key Rwandan officials, both Hutu and Tutsi. The events went well, there was much verbal camaraderie in French and, in the Afri-

can male custom, occasional hand-holding and shoulder hugging. I commented afterward to an American colleague that the proverbial Hutu-Tutsi tensions seemed absent. I was told Rwandans were expert in cloaking their thoughts and "... always know who is what." Historically, those who worked together one day killed each other the next.

As we watch the convulsion of Rwanda on TV, one ponders what can be done in the face of such a persistent capacity to hate? Not only within Africa, but also by Serbs and Bosnians, Is-

raelis and Palestinians, Turks and Armenians and so on.

One step is to recognize that relying on popular maxims is inadequate:

—The first is the oft-cited assertion that "international understanding leads to peace." The Hutus and Tutsis have known each other so well that intermarriage is extensive. The Serbs, Croats, Bosnians and other groups also know each other intimately. The peaceful power of "international understanding" is not universally effective.

—Another is philosopher George Santayna's statement that "Those who cannot remember the past are condemned to repeat it." Numerous parties currently engaged in conflict seek to ensure that nothing of their historical past is ever forgotten. Thus Santayna's axiom has a modern corollary: "Those who remember the past too well repeat it on purpose too often."

—There is also the trusting American belief that virtually every international problem can be "solved." In reality, the U.S. traditionally slices a problem salami-style in order to reduce it rather than "solve" it. Results, as shown by any number of world trouble spots, including the Middle East, are usually temporary, even when measured in decades.

—But won't the future be better? Rwanda may also tell us something about that. Recall, first, that Rwanda had one of the world's highest population densities (800 persons per square mile) and, second, that biological science has determined that at least some mammals, such as mice and lemmings, engage in self-destructive behavior when population stress becomes too great. If the human species is subject to the same influence, the outlook for the 21st century is, indeed, sobering.

So do we give up and let tragic events run their course? Of course not. The only moral and

pragmatic approach is to increase our commitment to eliminate the causes of conflict and ease the impact of tragedies. But in doing so, we need also to be alert that modifying human cultures is a daunting prospect.

This was brought home to me near the end of my assignment in Rwanda. I faced an obstacle in negotiating some problem that, I felt, could be overcome if I could only get a handle on the real Rwandan governmental concern. I noted my frustration to an elder Rwandan whom I valued for his insights and advice. "You have to remember," he said, "that in your country children are punished for telling lies. Here, children are punished for telling the truth. We always have to protect ourselves—Hutus and Tutsis both."

Nobody knows that situation better than David Rawson, our American professional ambassador to Rwanda. David was on my staff in Kigali, was born of missionary parents in Burundi and is the only American official fluent in Kinyarwanda. He was commended by Secretary of State Warren Christopher for the successful evacuation of American citizens from Rwanda under great danger. He and his family lost all their possessions when American homes were sacked. David is back in Kigali seeking to arrange the safe return of the million-plus refugees in Zaire, Tanzania and Burundi. American taxpayers are getting their money's worth in David.

And so did the College of William and Mary. David had just been sworn in as ambassador when he traveled to campus last fall to meet with my class on "Africa in International Affairs." His topic? Conflict resolution!

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education, in general. As I've occasionally watched William and Mary teams competing in recent years, both at home and in other cities, I've always come away feeling not only the pride of an alumnus but the certainty of a college administrator that William and Mary's athletics are being conducted in a first-rate manner. The criteria for this evaluation are not victories but the character and demeanor displayed by both athletes and coaches.

The value and broad effect of this representation of the College to the public is greater than some may realize. As a William and Mary alumnus, former coach and teacher and now director of athletics at an institution of comparable reputation and size (Carnegie Mellon University), it is satisfying to know that, through the sports program, we can contribute so significantly to enhancing the already excellent reputation of such fine institutions.—Dr. John H. Harvey '57, '69 M.Ed., Pittsburgh, Pa.

As the person in charge of the class gift for our upcoming 40th Reunion, I have come across a situation which I think has proven harmful to our alumni relations.

When I received a list of the class members, I noticed a number of omissions—people with whom I had been friendly during my time at the College were no longer part of the class of '54. Upon further inquiry, I discovered that these people had either lacked a few credits for graduation, forcing them to return to Williamsburg for the fall semester to complete them; or in some cases, they had dropped out of school for one reason or another short of completing their degree requirements, and had returned to finish at a later date. The school computer system automatically dropped them from the class of '54 and added them to a later class.

Upon contacting some of these individuals, I found that most of them did not attend reunions, since they felt no great affinity for their "new" class. Some of them even felt embarrassed at attending reunions, because they would stand out like a sore thumb, as people who took more than four years to graduate.

The Alumni Society informed me that any former student had the right to be placed in any class that he or she desired. Most of them, however, were not aware of this.

Is there some way in which we can make our alumni aware of this option?—Robert W. Neuville '54, Class Reporter, North Caldwell, N.J.

Editor's Note: While our records office cannot change the actual year a degree was received, upon written request we can link alumni to the class year with which they began. Many alumni, especially those who experienced separation from their class during the war years, have already had this adjustment made to their records. We are happy to honor such requests and other preferences, such as the name or title with which you would like to be addressed. Thank you for your interest. Betsy Dolan Quinzio '84, director of Alumni Records and Information Systems

## Upcoming chapter events

### FLORIDA

**NORTH FLORIDA - ANNUAL OYSTER ROAST**  
Oct. 30, Home of Jim and Mary Louise Shannon '67 M.Ed. Cost: \$12/adult; \$6/child. Contact: Sally Swoope Horner '62 at 904/743-6260.

### GEORGIA

**GEORGIA - HOLIDAY PARTY**  
Dec. 3, Location and time TBA. Contact: Brendan McCarthy '86, '89 J.D., 404/850-7000 (days), 404/435-6295 (evenings).

### ILLINOIS

**CHICAGO - BRUNCH AND ANNUAL MEETING**  
Nov. 13, Barn of Barrington. Cost TBA. Contact: Marilyn Ward Midyette '75 at 703/318-3949 (days) or 708/359-4675.

### NEW YORK

**NEW YORK CITY - NEW YORK CARES DAY**  
Oct. 15, 8:30 a.m. For more information and to join the W&M volunteer team, call Nancy Saltsman '90 at 203/869-4899.

**NEW YORK CITY - TRIBE HAPPY HOUR**  
Oct. 18, Pete's Tavern, 129 E. 18th Street, 6:30 p.m. Contact: New York City Chapter Hotline at 212/969-8200.

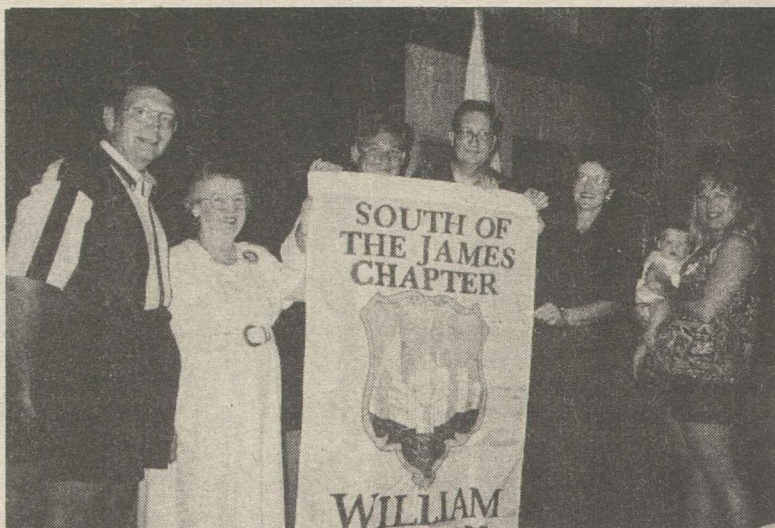
**NEW YORK CITY - TRIBE HAPPY HOUR**  
Nov. 16, The Sporting Club, 99 Hudson (between Hudson and Franklin), 6:30 p.m. Contact: Hotline at 212/969-8200.

### NEW JERSEY

**NORTHERN NEW JERSEY - ROAD TRIP TO W&M vs. VILLANOVA GAME**  
Oct. 29, location to meet and cost TBA. Contact: Kay Rouse Lark '76 at 908/273-3190.

**NORTHERN NEW JERSEY - SIXTH ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY**  
Dec. 1, Parrot Mill Inn, Chatham, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Cost: \$10/person (dues-paying); \$12/person (others). Contact: Kay Rouse Lark '76, 908/273-3190.

**NORTHERN NEW JERSEY - SUNSET BOULEVARD STARRING GLENN CLOSE '74 (SOLD OUT)**  
Dec. 11, Minskoff Theatre on Broadway, 3 p.m.



This summer, South of the James became the newest alumni chapter as it received a charter from the Alumni Society at its "Welcome Freshmen and Chapter Charter Celebration." Pictured, from left, are: W. Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Society, Anne Reese Carson '51, president of the chapter, Terry Healy '85, first vice president, Ed Agricola '72, second vice president, Donna Cavish McCullough '62, third vice president and Mary Ryland Healy '85. Also in attendance was the youngest honorary member of the chapter, Rachel Healy, daughter of Terry and Mary.

### NORTH CAROLINA

**TRIAD - INDIAN SUMMER PICNIC AND ANNUAL MEETING**  
Oct. 16, Walkertown Community Park, 3-6 p.m. Contact: Jim Wall '86, 910/722-3700 (days), 910/768-2988 (evenings).

### PENNSYLVANIA

**CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA - POST-GAME TAILGATE AT THE W & M VS. VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME**  
Oct. 29, Off of "A" Lot (East Lot) across Lancaster Avenue from the stadium, Kick-off is at 11:30 a.m. Contact: Dr. William F. Marfizo '56, 717/545-1900 (days), 717/737-0915 (evenings).

**PHILADELPHIA - POST-GAME TAILGATE AT THE W & M VS. VILLANOVA FOOTBALL GAME**  
Oct. 29, Off of "A" Lot (East Lot) across Lancaster Avenue from the stadium, Kick-off is at 11:30 a.m. Contact: Kimberly A. Scata '88, 215/573-3067 (days), 610/461-5612 (evenings).

### VIRGINIA

**GREATER METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON, D.C. - CELEBRATE HALLOWEEN IN OLD TOWN**  
Oct. 20, Old Town Alexandria, Market Square, 8 p.m. (Meet at corner of King and Fairfax streets.) \$4/person. Contact: Justina Johnson Head '84, 703/751-8926.

**LOWER NORTHERN NECK - PRE-GAME TAILGATE**  
Oct. 15, Alumni House Front Lawn, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Contact: Carol Achenbach Wright '49, 804/435-0829.

**LOWER NORTHERN NECK - FALL ALUMNI DINNER**  
Oct. 20, Indian Creek Yacht and Country Club, 6 p.m. social hour, 7 p.m. dinner, with special guest W. Barry Adams, executive vice

president of the Society of the Alumni. Contact: Sue Anne Bangel, 804/435-0737 or Joycelyn Gregory Gilmore '59, 804/435-0360.

**LOWER NORTHERN NECK - BUS TRIP TO W&M VS. RICHMOND FOOTBALL GAME**  
Nov. 19, bus departs from Bank of Lancaster parking lot at 9 a.m. Contact: Frank Elliott '58 M.Ed. '63, 804/435-3631.

**LOWER NORTHERN NECK - HOLIDAY PARTY**  
Dec. 2, Inn at Levelfield, time TBA. Contact: Sue Anne Bangel, 804/435-0737 or Barbara Powell Roberts '71, 804/435-1761.

**LOWER NORTHERN NECK - WILLIAM AND MARY CHOIR PERFORMANCE**  
Dec. 9, Lancaster Middle School Auditorium, 3 p.m. Contact: Carol Achenbach Wright '49, 804/435-0829.

**RICHMOND - FALL GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
Oct. 29, Crossings Country Club, 8:30 a.m. shotgun start, \$60/person. Contact: Dave Warren '85, 804/358-1150 (days) or 804/260-5714 (evenings).

## It's a '90s thing

If you are a member of the Young Guard (graduated from the College between 1990 and 1994), take this opportunity to get involved with your alma mater and have a great time with fellow Young Guard members! There are two ways to get involved.

First, you can volunteer on any of the following committees: Admission Advisory, Career Advisory, Social, Alumni Involvement (membership, chapter liaison), Publicity/Publications and Advancement.

Also, you are welcome to apply to be a class representative on the Young Guard Council. If there are seats available for your class year, you are eligible for election to the council. For consideration, please submit a

**RICHMOND - PRE-GAME TAILGATE**  
Nov. 19, City Stadium (meet at the fire truck near the gate). Cost: \$10/person for game ticket. Contact: Maureen Dubus '86 at 804/359-2922.

**RICHMOND - HOLIDAY PARTY AND YULE LOG CEREMONY**  
Dec. 8, The Busbee's House, cost TBA. Special guests: President Timothy J. Sullivan '66 and Vice President of Student Affairs, W. Samuel Sadler '64. Contact: Harold Martin '79, 804/379-7188.

**WILLIAMSBURG - PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS RECEPTION FOR ADMISSIONS OFFICE**  
Oct. 22, Location and time TBA. Contact: Williamsburg Chapter Hotline, 804/221-1528.

**WILLIAMSBURG - ANNUAL HOMECOMING 5K RUN**  
Nov. 5, Starting line is at William and Mary Hall, 7:30 a.m. to participate, race begins at 8 a.m. Contact: Hotline, 804/221-1528.

**WILLIAMSBURG - HOLIDAY PARTY**  
Dec. 7, President's House hosted by President Sullivan '66 and Anne Klare Sullivan '66, 6-8 p.m. Contact: Hotline, 804/221-1528.



Representatives of the Southwest Virginia/Northeast Tennessee Chapter (pictured above) hosted four '94-'95 freshmen and 15 upperclassmen (below) at the chapter's annual Incoming Freshmen Picnic in August. According to Phillip Sprinkle '91, "the information exchange between the two groups of students, along with the old folk alumni, was beneficial for all."



cover letter and resume to Matthew Brandon '92, P.O. Box 2100, Williamsburg, VA 23187-2100, before Dec. 3, 1994.

If you are interested in attend-

ing the Dec. 3 meeting or have other questions, please call Matthew Brandon '92, associate director of Alumni Affairs, at 804/221-1183.

## Sweethearts Weekend '95 Scheduled for Feb. 18-20

The Society of the Alumni is happy to announce this "hearty" program again in 1995. Sweethearts Weekend will appeal to alumni who met and fell in love with their special someone while at the College. Participants will return to relive those first moments of amorous bliss! Several

lodging options will be available at Colonial Williamsburg properties. Information will be mailed to all alumni couples, but if you have a special interest in this program, please contact Matthew Brandon '92, associate director of Alumni Affairs, at 804/221-1183.

## Alumni Society today

# Out of sight...but not out of mind

By Emily Jones '95

Whether it's making countless phone calls, traveling to high schools nationwide or working on committees, these alumni are often behind the front lines, ready to do all sorts of jobs or help out in a pinch. The new Alumni Service Award recognizes those individuals who work behind the scenes in outstanding support of alumni groups.

Individuals and organizations nominated exceptional volunteers for the award. The Alumni Society's Board of Directors, which created the award, was responsible for selecting the winners from the nominations. Up to seven Alumni Service Awards will be given annually by the Alumni Society in conjunction

with the organization that nominated the recipient.

Involved in many areas of alumni activity, the recipients of the first Alumni Service Awards are:

**Marilyn Miller Entwisle '44** was nominated by the Office of Admission for her commitment to that office and the Society. "She has always been willing to bail us out at the last minute by conducting regularly scheduled staff interviews in addition to her own scheduled interviews and her responsibilities as local coordinator," says Virginia Carey, dean of admission.

**Charlotte Tolley Etgen '59** was recognized by the Office of Admission for her involvement with the Houston chapter of the Alumni Admission Network. In

her volunteer position, Etgen visits over 40 high schools and attends almost 20 college fairs each year.

**Raymond Robert "Bob" Goodhart '65** was nominated by the Association of 1775 for the numerous hours he spends calling alumni and encouraging their participation in that association as well as in the Order of the White Jacket and the newly formed Botetourt chapter. In addition to this, Goodhart helped to plant the garden at the Alumni House as a memorial to those who have served their country.

**James John Seu '53** was credited by the Order of the White Jacket as being one of the driving forces behind that organization. Seu also was recognized for

his 35 years of service with William and Mary athletics. As the owner of The Colonial Restaurant, Seu has provided free meals for many different William and Mary athletic teams.

**Thaddeus R. Shelly III '84** M.B.A. was recognized by the M.B.A. Alumni Association for his strong leadership and involvement. According to his nomination, Shelly "sets the record for participating in activities to assist and inform M.B.A. students about the business world outside the classroom."

**Mary Jo White '84** J.D. was nominated by the William and Mary Law School Association Board for her nine years of active involvement. White has held numerous positions in the asso-

ciation, including president. In addition to her association positions, White has been a key member of two Dean Search committees, reviewing many resumes and applications and interviewing candidates.

**Elizabeth C. Young-Kirkey '83** was nominated by the Hulon Willis Association for her leadership and personal commitment. Young-Kirkey has worked to improve relations of African-American alumni with the College and the Society, contacting alumni for the H.W.A. newsletter and fund-raising for H.W.A.

Congratulations to this year's winners, and thanks to all alumni who dedicate themselves and their time to alumni organiza-

## House plans approved by board

Before convening for its fall 1994 meeting, the Alumni Society's Board of Directors accepted congratulations on a job well done in 1993.

President Timothy Sullivan '66 presented the Grand Gold Medal to board President Rebecca Beach Smith '71, '79 J.D., on behalf of the Council for Advancement and Support of Education, naming the Alumni Society as the best in the country. The award was based on the total efforts of the Society, including programs, publications and organization effectiveness.

College Rector James B. Murray '74 J.D. also presented a resolution from the College's Board of Visitors. In reading the resolution, Murray said, "This coveted award represents the highest honor that can come to an alumni program and recognizes the prominent part played by the Society of the Alumni and its leadership in the College's continuing programs, and in the success of the 300th anniversary celebration."

The presentations were made just prior to the Alumni Fellowship Awards dinner, held annually by the Society to recognize outstanding junior faculty members. Board officers congratulated the five faculty members who were selected to receive this year's fellowship award. In other

action the board:

- Recommended candidates to fill opening seats on the Board of Visitors for 1995. By law, the recommendations are forwarded to the Governor of the Commonwealth.

- Recommended candidates to receive honorary degrees in 1995. The names are forwarded to the Board of Visitors.

- Approved the architect's plans and interior design presentations for the Alumni House Expansion Project. Board members also heard an update from Dennis Slon, vice president for development, on fundraising for the expansion project. Slon said nearly half of the \$3.5 million needed to fund and endow the Alumni Center has been committed by alumni and friends, who have been individually asked to contribute to the project. Alumni House Expansion Chair Joe Ellis also reported that all of the board members have committed financial support for the project.

- Approved MBNA, North America, as the corporate sponsor of the Society's MasterCard program.

- Approved Bernard C. Harris Publishing Company Inc. to publish the 1996 Alumni Directory. The last directory was published in 1992.

- Approved a resolution recognizing the Class of 1944's \$200,000

reunion gift, a portion of which will be used to name a gallery in the new Alumni Center.

- Approved resolutions honoring retiring College staff members Stanley E. Brown, director of career services, and Robert P. Hunt '60 M.Ed., associate director of career services, for their collective 59 years of service; and William N. Walker, former director of university relations, who left after nine years to accept a position as executive director of university communications at Rutgers University.

- Approved resolutions honoring Clyde E. Culp '65 and Mary Ellen Coleman Culp '66, H. Mason Sizemore Jr. '63 and Connie Catterton Sizemore '62, Sunshine Trumbo Williams '44 and Rolf Williams, Richard L. Baker '46 and Virginia Price Baker and Waverly Cole '50 for their generous financial support of the Alumni House expansion project.

- Presented a resolution honoring W. Barry Adams, executive vice president, for his outstanding service to the Alumni Society and conferring him as an associate member of the Society of the Alumni.

- Selected the Outstanding Chapter for 1994 (to be announced at Homecoming and published in the December Gazette) and recipients of the Alumni Service Award (see story above).

### A chat with the chancellor

**Don't be late for a very important date. On Friday, Nov. 4, alumni (who have already registered) will have the opportunity to talk one-on-one with Margaret The Lady Thatcher, the College's new chancellor. The one-hour question-and-answer session will be held at Phi Beta Kappa Hall. Doors will open at 11 a.m. and close promptly at 11:30 a.m. No one will be permitted inside after 11:30 a.m. Also, no cameras are allowed inside.**

**Nearly 800 alumni registered for the event, which is sponsored by the Society of the Alumni and is part of the Academic Festival during Homecoming. Although the event is full, alumni who have registered for Homecoming can check into the availability of other Academic Festival sessions. Stop by the registration tent on the Alumni House front lawn Homecoming weekend to pick up reserved tickets for more information.**

### Society Accepts CASE's Top Honor

At the 1994 Alumni Fellowship Awards dinner, President Timothy Sullivan '66 presented the Grand Gold Medal, on behalf of the Council for Advancement and Support of Education, to Rebecca Beach Smith '71, '79 J.D., president of the Board of Directors, and the Society of the Alumni. The award, given annually by CASE, named the Alumni Society the best in the country. A national panel of educators evaluated the total efforts of alumni organizations, including leadership, goals and objectives, programs, services, publications and organization effectiveness.



Photo by Joy Moore



New board officers for 1994 prepare for their first fall meeting. From left: Alvin P. Anderson '70, '72 J.D., vice president; H. Mason Sizemore Jr. '63, secretary; Rebecca Beach Smith '71, '79 J.D., president; and Joseph J. Ellis '65, treasurer.

## New faces at the Alumni House

The Alumni Society is pleased to announce that Paul A. Pegher, Karen Wright '92 and Karl Otto have joined the staff.

The editorial assistant in the alumni communications office, Pegher is a 1994 graduate of Ohio University, with a bachelor's degree in journalism with a specialization in public relations. He served internships with Mercy Hospital of Pittsburgh and United Campus Ministry at Athens, Ohio.

Pegher assists with writing and editorial responsibilities for the *William and Mary Magazine* and the *Alumni Gazette*. He also offers coordination and support to the

*Gazette's* 75 class reporters. He replaces Jay Blossom, who left to pursue his doctorate in religious studies at Duke University.

Wright is the new associate director of alumni affairs. Her responsibilities include event management and coordination of volunteers. In addition to her bachelor's from William and Mary, Wright holds a master's of education in sports management



Pegher

from the University of Georgia. She formerly worked on events coordination at the Georgia Dome and assisted in coordinating Super Bowl XXVIII. Wright replaces Sherri Givens Holland '86, who was promoted to director of alumni affairs.

Otto is the new associate director of Alumni Records and Information Systems. He will maintain and report on all as-



Wright

pects of data associated with alumni. He previously served as a programmer for the College's development systems office and, prior to that, was a student technician at the College computer center.

Otto is near completion of his degree in computer science from William and Mary. He replaces George Perry, who accepted a position as the information specialist for the Housing and Redevelopment Authority in Hampton



Otto

## SHE KEEPS GOING...

Camilla Buchanan '66 took first place at the United States Cycling Federation's Master's Championship Criterium for women age 50 and older at Augusta, Ga., in July. Her 15th national championship, it adds to Buchanan's long list of cycling achievements including the 1989 and 1990 World Veterans' Cup titles and the 1989 and 1990 USCF Road Race Championships.

## BULLSEYE!

With a first-place finish in the men's three-position rifle competition at the 1994 Barcelona World Cup, Bob Foth '80 qualified the United States Shooting Team for a berth in the '96 Olympics in Atlanta. "You're shooting at a target 164 feet away, and the 10-ring is four-tenths of an inch wide," Bob told *Olympian* magazine. Foth's achievements include seven world records, over 100 national records, 15 World Cup Medals (more than any other American in history), a four-time U.S. Olympic Committee Athlete of the Year and a silver medal in the 1992 Olympics.

## WHAT A SPORT

Millie West, who served as associate athletic director at the College from 1985-1991, received the Distinguished Service Award from the Virginia Sports Information Directors. Since 1959, West has made significant contributions to W&M athletics; and apparently wherever she goes, success follows. A few examples: a 49-1 record as women's swimming coach, a 202-28-2 record as the women's tennis coach and the introduction of the annual LPGA Pro-Am fundraiser and Wightman Cup tennis tournament to Williamsburg. West currently serves the director of special projects for the College.

## STAYING WET

Many W&M athletic teams remain active in some way during their off-seasons and the swimming team is no exception. On Sept. 23, the team, along with some members of the campus and community, raised over \$5,000 for the American Cancer Society as they forded five miles of the vast James River in the 18th Annual James River Swim.

As part of the Homecoming Weekend celebration, the swim team will host the traditional Green and Gold Meet on Nov. 4. In this 10-event competition, alumni swimmers and the current squad will divide into two teams as they vie for the bragging rights of the water. The meet will be followed by a cookout on the patio of Adair Gymnasium.

## Another season of success in Tribe Sports

By Paul Pegher

By the end of the 1993 fall athletic season, three William and Mary teams had advanced into the NCAA playoffs and three others had won their Colonial Athletic Association (CAA) championships.

The 1994 season is shaping up to be yet another successful term for Tribe teams. Two squads are undefeated, two others boast winning records and several W&M athletes are standing out in individual competition. Here's a look at how Tribe athletics stand in the fifth week of the season:

The football team achieved a 10th place I-AA national ranking in 1993 as it went 9-3 (7-1 the Yankee Conference). With an impressive 45-7 victory over VMI on Sept. 24, the Tribe tied its home winning streak at 13, a record set from 1988 to 1991. This year, the gridgers opened up their season with a 4-0 record, outscoring opponents 142-57 and leading the Yankee Conference in scoring offense with a 35.5 points-per-game average. In their fifth, they lost to Division I Virginia 37-3. Key players on the team include senior quarterback Shawn Knight (who set a I-AA passing efficiency record last year with a rating of 204.6 and is second in the Yan-Con this year

in the same category at 173.1), junior tailback Troy Keen (who leads the Yankee Conference in scoring with 12 points-per-game), senior linebacker Greg Applewhite and sophomore safety Darren Sharper.

Last year the volleyball team went 12-16 and advanced to the CAA Tournament finals. This season the spikers are back with a large and talented recruiting class and have started the 1994 campaign with a 10-4 record as they pursue their 10th regular season title. The Tribe placed first at the Virginia Tech Invitational and second at three others: Davidson, Rice and W&M's own High IQ Classic. Seniors Kathy Bell (All-CAA, '93) and Tanya Mitchell made the all-tournament teams at Davidson and senior Heather Burke (All-CAA, '93) joined Bell on the all-tournament team at Rice. Burke and freshman Natalie Kamper, who leads the team in kills through seven games, were named to the all-tournament squads at Tech and the High IQ.

The field hockey team went 13-9 in 1993 as it advanced to the CAA finals and returned to the national rankings. Having lost only one starter to graduation, it began the 1994 season with high hopes. The Green and Gold has faced greater adversity than expected, however, starting off with a 1-8 record as it faced the top five teams in the nation

in the first five weeks. The team retains a positive outlook toward the second half of the season with leaders like senior Cristina Limpens, who led the team in scoring the last two years, and senior Sarah Witkowski, who broke school records in '93 for saves in a game (29) and in a season (272).

As it races for its fourth CAA title in five years, the men's cross country team took overall firsts at the Cavalier Invitational and

third, sophomore Ray Mendez, fourth, seniors Jason Dunn, fifth, and Scott Miller, sixth, and freshman Howard Townsend, ninth. Six W&M runners also placed in the top-20 at Morven Park. They were: Eigel, fifth; senior Pat Rodrigues, eighth; Mendez, ninth; Dunn, 15th; senior Greg Dobrasz, 16th; and freshman Mike Brown, 17th.

After winning their fourth consecutive CAA title in 1993, the women's success this year

virtually mirrors that of the men. The Tribe took overall firsts at both the Cavalier and Morven Park invitationals, with senior four-time All-American Marcie Homan finishing with strong firsts in both meets. Joining Homan in the top-10 at the Cavalier

were senior Barb Fallon, third, junior Sally Michael, sixth, and senior Allison Abbott, 11th. Top-20 finishers at Morven Park were: Fallon, third, sophomore Cybelle McFadden, 11th, and Abbott, 18th.

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Tribe sophomore wide receiver Josh Whipple breaks away from a defender in William and Mary's 45-7 victory over Virginia Military Institute, its fourth straight win before losing to U.Va., 37-3.

George Mason's Morven Park Invitational. Senior All-American Brian Hyde, who finished first individually at both meets, is looking for his second CAA title. Other top-10 finishers in the Cavalier were junior Brian Eigel,

## Superb start for soccer

By Bob Jeffrey '74

Soccer has found a fertile garden at William and Mary. The men's and women's programs have grown and flourished, producing success at the national level. Both squads made the NCAA tournament last year, one of only three schools that had men's and women's teams in the tourney. Since the World Cup in the U.S. this summer, the level of soccer awareness has risen even higher.

This fall the men's team has jumped out to a 11-0-0 start, the best in school history. As of early October, the squad was ranked fifth in the country in the ISAA polls, five spots ahead of defending national champion Virginia.

W&M is one of only two NCAA Division I-A teams with an unblemished mark (the other is Boston University).

The biggest win so far came at the expense of 14th ranked Portland. "We beat them 3-0, and that's pretty decisive," Coach Al Albert '69 said. "It's the kind of win that should help get us into the (NCAA) tournament."

A strong defense anchored by goalkeeper Paul Grafer has highlighted the streak. The 6'3" junior leads the country in shutouts with six and ranks third in least goals allowed with two.

The booters have also benefited from a balanced offense attack. The Tribe has four play-

ers, the two central strikers and two center midfielders who are our leading scorers.

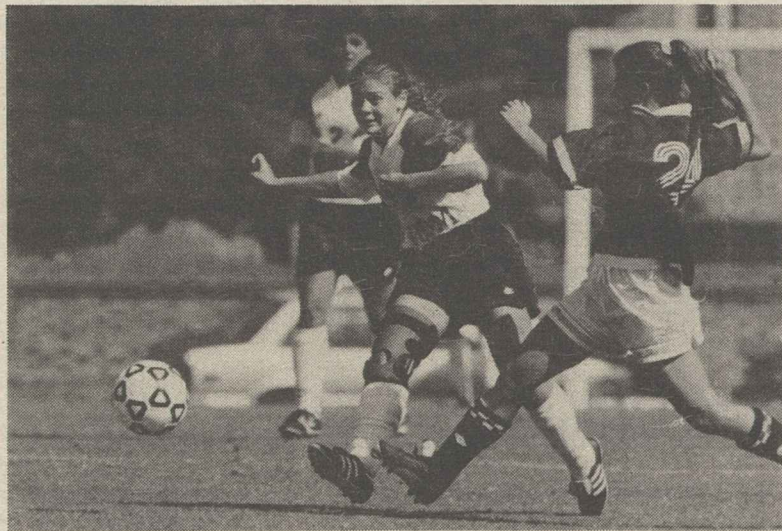
With all its depth, the Tribe does have a main man on offense—Billy Owens, a talented junior forward who is tied for the national lead with 10 assists.

Midfielders freshman Wade

contests.

Chris Scrofani, a second team All-CAA selection last season, has continued his clutch play, scoring the decisive goal in the team's closest victory, a 2-1 decision over conference rival Richmond.

Women's coach John Daly might wish to lengthen the sea-



Jenn Baumann (center) is one of the mainstays of the women's soccer program.

Barrett and sophomore Steve Jolly have connected for five and four goals, respectively. Barrett was named to the *Parade* high school All-American team last year, while Jolly was the '93 CAA rookie of the year.

The best kept secret is striker Vaughn Hughes, who has tallied 10 goals in nine games. A 5'6" sophomore, Hughes makes up for his slight size with incredible quickness. He has already scored the deciding goal in three

son in order to get a few more chances to gain key wins against quality opposition. Though still ranked No. 10 in the land, the team has not lived up to high expectations of a No. 7 ranking in the preseason.

Despite a 7-3 mark, the W&M women have dropped decisions to ranked opponents, including No. 3 Notre Dame, 4-3 in overtime, No. 10 Wisconsin, 2-0, and No. 4 Massachusetts, 2-0.

Wins over No. 13 Connecti-

cut, 2-0, and No. 18 George Washington, 2-1, have marked progress.

A porous defense has been the biggest culprit so far, but on the bright side there is Natalie Neaton, who Daly calls "the most dangerous forward in the country." The junior from Brighton, Mich., has already scored nine goals this season, including a hat trick against Notre Dame. She was the CAA player-of-the-year last year and second team All-American.

Already second on the Tribe's all-time scoring list with 43 goals, Neaton is the best scorer ever at the College, according to her coach.

Daly has been pleased with the rapid development of newcomers Stephanie Loehr, Melissa Kenny, Jill Krohn and Whitney Cali.

Both Albert and Daly agree about the positive impact felt by the presence of the World Cup in America this summer. "We've experienced a slight increase in attendance, with over 1,000 people coming to our two home matches," said Albert. "I think that people understand that soccer is a big-time sport, and more parents are getting involved, becoming willing to take their kids and attend an event. Certainly a lot of William and Mary students picked up on it."



Catherine T. Dennis was one of 23 coeds who were the first women admitted to William and Mary—and the first to attend a Virginia college—in the fall of 1918.

## The unlimited energy of Catherine T. Dennis '21

By Paul Pegher

In the fall of 1918, Catherine Teakle Dennis entered William and Mary at the encouragement of her mother, who "didn't need another cook in the family." The second-youngest in a family of 18, the compliant daughter did not fully comprehend her role in Virginia history.

"I was a naive little thing from Suffolk. When I got to the campus it was a whole new world," she said. Indeed, it was a new world for Dennis and the other 23 coeds who were the first women admitted to William and Mary—and the first to attend a Virginia college.

Dennis' trip that year from Suffolk to Williamsburg was the first leg of a life-time journey marked with many milestones: graduating from College a year early, earning a master's degree from Columbia, holding a North Carolina state supervisor's position, speaking before a Congressional committee, meeting a U.S. president, being listed in "Who's Who in America" and eventually returning to W&M as a grand marshal in the Tercentenary Homecoming parade.

Dennis attributes many of her accomplishments to the driving force of her mother and the realities of growing up in a large family.

As her father's "Number 17" in a family of 18 children, in

which self-entertainment was a priority, Dennis grew up with a love of reading and learning. Her mother recognized those values and encouraged an education. "It was really my mother's influence that put me at William and Mary," she explained. "Mother had a cousin who went to the College for one year in 1877. He came back and talked on and on about Williamsburg and William and Mary. After hearing him, she decided that I should go there once they started letting in girls."

The love of learning flourished at William and Mary, and Dennis found the library was one way to satisfy her hunger for knowledge. Her eyes still light up at thoughts of long, quiet hours in the library. "There were all these books, all for the asking. I spent a lot of my free time there. Later on I was a student helper for Dr. Swem. He said if I could make a better '4' I'd be a good librarian," she remembers warmly.

When Dennis wasn't digging through stacks of books at the library, she was working in a variety of student activities. She served as secretary-treasurer of the Women's Student Council, president of Alpha Club, president of the Edith Baer Club and secretary-treasurer of the Whitehall Literary Society, to name a few.

One of Dennis' fondest recollections of College was her first

trip to Richmond at the age of 18 in November 1918. She traveled with Caroline Tupper, dean of women, and Edith Baer, the professor of home economics.

"I spent my first night in a hotel—the Jefferson Hotel, which was, to me, a castle!" Dennis recalls. "I heard the French Symphonic Orchestra—the first live orchestra I'd ever heard—which was there to raise funds for the war. The next day at breakfast, I heard 'Extra! Extra! Read all about it! The war is over! The war is over!' And that's the way we got the news.

"All of those four things happened to me in one 24-hour period of my life and I have never forgotten them."

Despite the dynamic 73 years since Dennis graduated from William and Mary, she still retains many fond and vivid memories of her life as an undergrad.

Dennis notes how much the campus has changed since she attended. "When I go back, the only things that are still there (from her College days) are the Brafferton, the Wren, the President's House, Tyler Hall (now the Reves Center for International Studies) and the library (now Tucker Hall)."

One constant Dennis easily identifies with William and Mary is alumni loyalty with the College. "I find that wherever I go there's a William and Mary graduate and we can always establish some kind of rapport very

easily. Now I imagine that belongs to all institutions but it seems to me there's a special tie between the graduates of the College."

Like her alma mater, Dennis has grown and achieved much since 1921. After teaching in Virginia for the first five years following graduation, Dennis journeyed to New York City where she earned a master's at Columbia. She then joined the faculty at the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina, where she taught home economics education. In 1936 she became state supervisor of Home Economics Education for the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction, where she remained until her retirement in 1968.

While Dennis' professional history indicates her merited success, it does not alone exemplify her devotion, loyalty or desire to contribute as a human being. Aside from her own job, Dennis was always involved in an activity where she was doing something for someone else.

Dennis served her family by putting her younger sister, Anna Bell Dennis '25, through college on a \$1,000 a year salary. Dennis even attended summer classes to graduate a year early in order to help Anna.

She served her alma mater from 1943 to 1950 as a member of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Society. As Dennis tells it, being a director then required significant personal sacrifice.

"Back then, Board members served at their own expense. We had no funds for meals or rooms, but I rode that country road from Raleigh to Williamsburg four times a year," she said. "Instead of contributions we relied on dues, which were three dollars a year. Of course, every time the board met, it needed more money. Well then we'd all get into an argument about whether we should raise dues to five dollars. But we were afraid if we did, we'd lose members," she laughed.

Dennis served her industry through participation in the American Home Economic Association and the American Vocational Association. She also frequently contributed to publications such as the *Journal of Home Economics*, the *High School Journal of North Carolina* and the *North*

*Carolina Education Magazine*.

In 1957, during Dennis' two-year term as president of the AHEA, the organization needed to reapply for a federal grant for vocational funds for the various states. It was Dennis' duty to appear before a Congressional committee to state the case for the grant. Congress subsequently passed the act and Dennis had the opportunity to meet President Lyndon Johnson in the White House as he signed the bill.

Even today, at the age of 93, Dennis' energy seems unlimited. She remains very active in a number of organizations including the Delta Kappa Gamma Society, the North Carolina Genealogical Society (which she helped to establish), the Jamestown Society and Phi Beta Kappa, among others. Dennis attributes her varied and numerous interests to William and Mary.

"One of the things that stimulated me at William and Mary was the opportunity to express an interest in a wide variety of things. It has stayed with me all my life. I accredit much of it to what I got from those three years in Williamsburg and all the people I met there."

Dennis' devoted service to so many people has not gone unnoticed. William and Mary awarded her an Alumni Medallion in 1939. She is named in *Who's Who in America* and *Who's Who of American Women*.

*Progressive Farmer* named her Woman of the Year in 1954. She received the Distinguished Service Award in 1961 by the North Carolina Farm Bureau and in 1963 by the American Vocational Association. She also was awarded an honorary doctorate by the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina.

In 1993, the last three quarters of a century seemed to come full circle for Dennis when she returned to William and Mary as Grand Marshall of the Tercentenary Homecoming parade. It may be no coincidence that her description of Homecoming '93 sounds much the same as that of her experience as a sister, a student and a professional:

"It was thrilling, and sometimes tiring; but always exciting. A thoroughly delightful time!"

## Tribe sports off to great season start

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The women's golf team opened its season with a sixth-place finish at the Tina Barrett Invitational at Longwood College. Senior Lesley Stracks finished at sixth as she turned scores of 81 in both rounds of the tournament. The Lady Monarch Invitational, hosted by Methodist College, did not go as well for the Tribe as it finished 13th with a two-round team score of 691.

The men's golf team started off with a first-place finish at the Seton Hall Invitational. Solid performances were given by juniors Scott Tiernan and John Luczaj and sophomores Alex Sleeker and Mike DeMinico. At the 15-team Georgetown Hoya Golf Invitational, senior Chris

Gilmer joined Sleeker, Luczaj and DeMinico to earn a second-place Green and Gold finish.

In men's tennis, the Tribe claimed four first place-finishes in the W&M Invitational, a round-robin event of eight singles and four doubles flights. Freshmen Chris Anderson and Lee Harang won the No. 2 and No. 3 flights, respectively, while sophomore Jaime Viquiera clinched the fourth flight. Anderson teamed with senior Jay Goldstein to take the third doubles flight. At the Tar Heel Invitational, Goldstein and Anderson qualified for the B1 doubles semifinal and Harang advanced into the semis of the A2 singles consolation round.

The women netters entered their season ranked No. 1 in the

East as they swept the W&M Invitational, dominating all four singles flights and both doubles flights. Senior All-American Katrin Guenther, ranked seventh regionally and 77th nationally, won the tournament without dropping a set as she defeated freshman teammate Lauren Nikolaus in the final round. Sophomore Johanna Sones defeated freshman Michelle O in the Flight B final. Sophomore Megan Coakley edged classmate Christine Caltoum to take the Flight C crown, and sophomore Shawn Arrowsmith finished with the Flight D title. In doubles play, Guenther and Nikolaus earned the Flight A title while Caltoum and Arrowsmith teamed to win Flight B.

### Medallion Nominations Invited

Alumni and friends are invited to submit nominations by Dec. 15, 1994, for individuals to be considered as recipients of the Alumni Medallion, the highest award given by the Society of the Alumni. The Society's Board of Directors will review nominations and select medallion winners at its spring meeting in March. Recipients will be honored during Homecoming 1995.

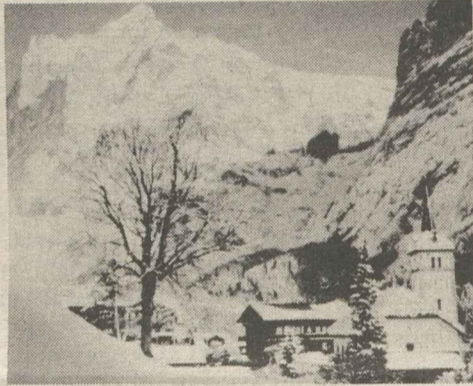
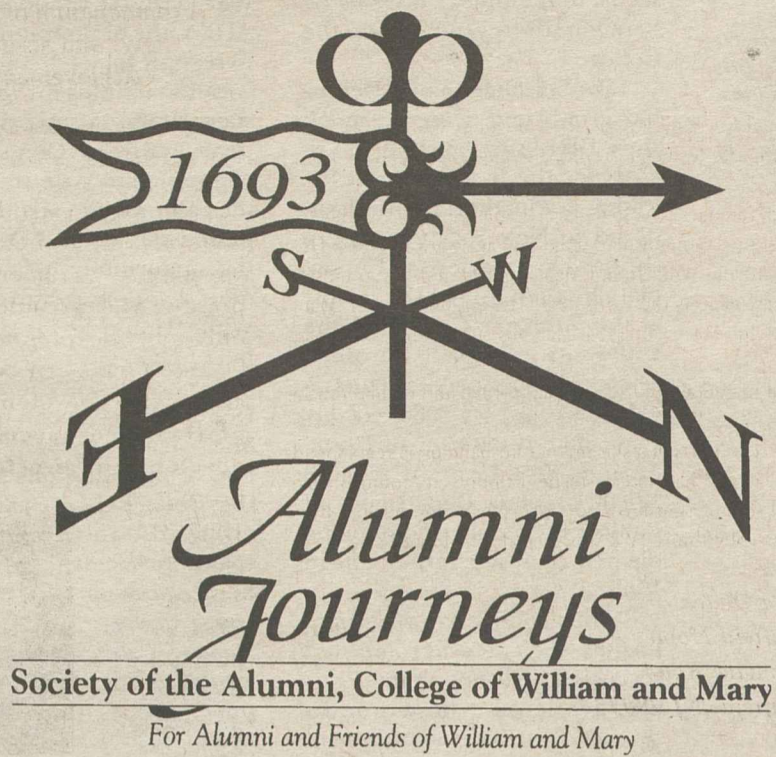
Presented annually to as many as five individuals, the Alumni Medallion recognizes outstanding alumni for exemplary accomplishments in their professional lives, service to the community, state or nation and loyalty and commitment to the College of William and Mary. The award reflects the honor and credit that recipients bring the university through their actions and contributions.

Qualified nominees must be members of a class that graduated at least 10 years prior to the giving of the award.

Information regarding each nominee and supporting statements must be submitted on a nomination form, which is available by request. Write: Alumni Medallion Nominations, Society of the Alumni, P.O. Box 2100, Williamsburg, VA 23187-2100, or call 804/221-1165.

Remember, the deadline for nominations is Dec. 15!

## Alumni Journeys 1995



**Swiss Winter Escapade**  
Feb. 20-27, 1995  
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July 1-8, 1995  
8 days/7 nights  
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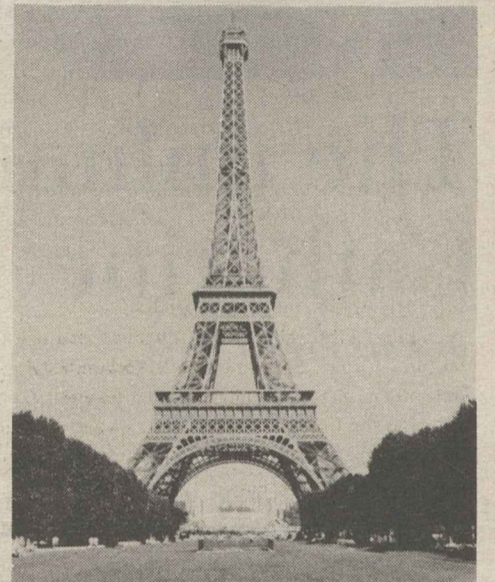
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Aug. 1-9, 1995  
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## Class notes

'31

**Katherine F. Lam**  
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At the Olde Guarde meeting and luncheon on April 13, four members of our class were present—Loula Connelly from Richmond, Mary Branch Ware Fetner and her husband, Ellen Ticer King and your reporter. The choir, as usual, entertained us with beautiful music and President Sullivan gave a brief talk.

Mary Branch Fetner and her husband, Walter, have had an interesting life! They have owned four planes through the years—small, large and larger! They have flown to Cuba, as well as 47 states and Canada. At present they have given up their plane and have a trailer. They belong to a caravan (600 trailers) and spend five months in Florida with their friends and return to Williamsburg for the balance of the year.

The meeting and luncheon were held in a beautiful new building called the University Center—94,000 square feet, cost \$10.5 million. On the top level there are two large ballrooms ("Tidewater" and "Chesapeake") and a catering kitchen. The main level contains a 463-seat theater, meeting rooms, study areas, office space, kitchen and a student dining area. The bottom floor contains a full-service post office with boxes for all students, a video rental store, a photocopying store, general store, video game room and rathskeller. The University Center was designed to be the center of student life on campus! Be sure to stop by to see this building the next time you are in Williamsburg. It is at the south end of Zable Stadium.

Elizabeth Jennings Hines '29 and I attended the Olde Guarde Council meeting on June 3, 1994. Buzzy Stewart '27, Milton Salasky '31 and Bill Rhodes '36 were the only other emeritus members present. Stewart Gamage '72, vice president for public affairs at the College, was the guest speaker and talked about the new public affairs office. At the luncheon we had a chance to talk to Sherri Givens Holland '86, new director of Alumni Affairs.

'33

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I hope a number of you are planning to attend Homecoming '94, Nov. 3-6 in Williamsburg. Information and a registration form were in the Homecoming supplement in the September issue of the *Gazette*. Or you can call 804/221-1174 to receive a form. There will be an Academic Festival conducted by W&M professors featuring educational topics; a Homecoming Ball on Friday; and a football game on Saturday. Talk it up. I don't expect to be able to go but hope those who do will write me about it.

This time 12 of you responded to the 44 cards I sent to the last third of our class. Many thanks to each of you.

Leon Rubin, who lives in Manchester, Conn., sent a letter catching us up on what has happened to him since 1933. He has been a radio announcer, then paper manufacturer; then came a stint in the Army in World War II. After that he married and set up a business molding graphite to make resistors, voltage regulators, etc. The enterprise has prospered.

Now he is retired and is enjoying golf, music, books, a lovely garden and especially grandchildren. Still happily married to his first and only wife, he has three daughters, all married and doing well.

Margaret Thompson Wyatt, from Palo Alto, Calif., writes that she is nearly blind but reads many books on tape. She recommends *First Lady from Plains* by Rosalynn Carter and *Life is Too Short* by Mickey Rooney. She listens to concerts on tapes and TV, and she especially enjoyed the concert by the "Three Tenors." Someone comes in twice a week to read to her and to answer her mail.

Mary Butterfield Wells, Largo, Fla., has lived in Florida for about 40 years and has seen many changes. She says she has been fortunate to remain "pretty well glued together." She used to travel widely and now enjoys the memories of her trips. She sends her best wishes to each of the members of our class.

Rachel Black Smith, Chevy Chase, Md., broke her hip in a skiing accident in Canada in 1990. Now she skis again, and she also bikes and hikes. She keeps up her Spanish and French, and has recently taken a Greek islands cruise; also attended two elderhostels in Arizona. This fall she plans to visit the coast of California, Maritime Canada and Newfoundland. She says the most exciting trips she has taken have been to South Africa and South America.

Back in Virginia, Percy D. White, Richmond, has been to Williamsburg several times—he has a condo there at Powhatan Plantation. He has also visited Nova Scotia, Washington, D.C., and Fairfield Glade. He reads books and many magazines, including *Newsweek* and *Time*. Has enjoyed videos of Yellowstone, the Grand Canyon and Yosemite, as well as *In His Presence* and *East of Eden*.

Lucie Grossmann Titus, Petersburg, Va., writes that she and Minnie Shreve Copley spent 10 days last November with Amelia Fisher Holtman '35 and her husband in Sun City, Ariz. They saw fantastic sights and had a wonderful time. They made Ken Holtman an honorary member of Tri Delta. She also spent several days this spring with Minnie in Alexandria. She had lunch with Elise Barnes Hardy '35, and Emily Snead McGusic '36.

She is spending her golden years with church work, the board of the Petersburg unit of the American Cancer Society and playing bridge.

Colin Vince, Newport News, Va., retired from Virginia Power Co. in 1976 and spends his summers working in his vegetable garden. He says he was named for the Colin in *The Secret Garden*, a children's classic by Frances Hodgson Burnett. He read the book and saw the stage play so knows that "Colin and gardening go well together." Our Colin likes to dig in the dirt, too.

Ethlyn West, Hampton, Va., says she has retired after 41 rewarding years teaching teen-agers. She recently read a biography of C. Alton Lindsay '25, under whom she taught for many years. She adds that her hobbies are gardening, card and word games and visiting friends.

Annie Page Edwards Russ, West Point, Va., taught school in Bethel Park, Pa., for many years but now lives in her own home near West Point. She enjoys maintaining her yard and working with her flowers. She is also involved in the work of the local histori-

cal society and of her church. She recently traveled to Thurmont, Md., to attend a wedding, and went on a five-day tour to Nashville, Tenn. She spent the weekend of July 2-4 at Nags Head, N.C.

Mamie Gilliam Turner, Carrollton, Va., writes that her son, James E. Turner Jr., received the Virginia Tech University Distinguished Achievement Award for 1994. Her granddaughter Christy graduated from William and Mary in 1992 and her grandson Steve Turner received a master's degree there in 1993. Her granddaughter Mary Randolph graduated from Randolph-Macon in 1994. Her husband, James E. Turner Sr., died in 1992.

Marie Schmidt moved from Richmond to Clifton, Va., in 1990 and is currently in a nursing home.

Sue Brittle Sloan, Chester, Va., reports that she and her husband of 55 years spend half of the year in Clearwater, Fla., and half in Chesterfield County at Mount Blanco Farm. They have three sons and seven grandsons. They take short trips now but have done a lot of traveling in the past. She thinks "W&M is special." As do we all!

'35

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Haddonfield, NJ 08033

'37

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Williamsburg, VA 23185-3906

Elliot Cohen writes that he and Helen had a fascinating trip to the Orient last spring. They flew from New York to Hong Kong and embarked on the *Royal Viking Sun* for a cruise to Shanghai, Dalian, Xiang and three days in Beijing. They even climbed the Great Wall—half way, Elliot says. They rejoined the ship and proceeded to Puson, South Korea and Nagasaki, Kobe and Tokyo, Japan, flying home nonstop from Tokyo. Says Elliot: "It was a great experience, multitudes of people brimming with energy, a mixed bag of ancient monuments, modern buildings, high prices and vastly different cultures in each of the countries.

"We also have a small-world story to tell. We had cocktails with Charles and Alice Baxley Anthony '49 several times. Two days before the ship arrived in Tokyo, Williamsburg came up in the conversation. Imagine the excitement to learn that Alice was a graduate of the class of 1949. It resulted in a third drink, which we did not need, to keep the conversation in high gear. We look forward to seeing you all at Homecoming when we can bore you with the details. No pictures."

Sorry, nobody else has produced news this time, but I'll close by repeating Elliot's invitation to meet at Homecoming, Nov. 3-6. The theme this year is "The Beat Goes On." See the Homecoming supplement to the September *Alumni Gazette*. The 1937 Hospitality Suite will again be at the Heritage Inn.

'39

**Dorothy Spence Druckemiller**  
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Attention, Class of '39! It's true! We are having our 55th reunion, and here we are alive, interested and coping. I hope to see you all at Homecoming, Nov. 3-6, to reaffirm our friendships, to celebrate our being and to honor our ancient college.

We do indeed miss Fran Grodecoeur, who was such an integral part of our experience in Williamsburg. In a telephone conversation just after the Tercentenary Homecoming in '93, her comment was, "How did we ever get through our freshman year? All we did was wander the halls all night and get into bull sessions." That Fran's spirit and honor remain forever in our memories is attested to by many letters.

From Virginia Claudon Allen '40 came a manic tale of Fran's collaboration in discouraging an unattractive blind date. You know Ginny, and you knew Fran. What more need I add?

Bill Eppes wrote a touching memoir of his post-graduate correspondence with Fran, an association based on their mutual admiration for the theater, England and Tallulah Bankhead. Bill has been battling dyslexia for all of these years, but speaks affectionately of the postcards he and Fran exchanged, a collection of which has been placed in the archives of the Virginia Historical Society in Richmond. I hope to include more of the information he shared in a later column.

Claude Hartog wrote of Fran's calls to him on each of her several visits to France. Claude's wife suffers from Alzheimer's disease, but he continues to work part time as a maritime arbitrator. He included a generous invitation for class members to get in touch if they get to Paris. His address: 25 Rue de la Marne, 78600 Le Mesnil, Le Roi. His telephone: (1) 39 62 94 39.

Tony Wagener remembers Fran's and his student days at William and Mary and their later visits when she was at Horne's department store and he was a graduate student at Carnegie Tech (now Carnegie Mellon). He and his wife, Lucille Haynes, have a routine for their retirement that sounds like a cover story for *Modern Maturity*: volunteering at a hospital, touring Sweden, elderhosteling to Peabody, quilting, swimming, bicycling, working with stained glass, musical activities . . . whew!

Maurine Dulin speaks of Fran's posture, grooming and terrific smile. At this point, I must enter a disclaimer. The June column about which Maurine and others were so complimentary was actually the product of an agile mind at the Alumni Society. It had already been completed at the time of my appointment and so was published (with my permission) under my byline as an appropriate tribute to our dear friend. I am now on my own, and, as Bill Eppes said in his letter, I have a rich heritage to follow. With your wind beneath my wings, dear classmates, perhaps we can make Fran proud that we still make contact with each other in the tradition that she established so long ago.

Other news notes:

Peggy Prickett Miller is recovering from a hip replacement procedure. She and I will reprise the roommate routine by sharing accommodations at Homecoming, 59 years after the original production. This summer her granddaughter, Kate, became the seventh generation of the Prickett-Miller connection to enter West Point. Another grand-

## College Clips

*A compendium of College news and academic achievements*

### SLON APPOINTED VP FOR DEVELOPMENT

Dennis Slon, a development officer at the College since 1991, has been appointed vice president for university development.

Slon has been both acting vice president for university advancement and development director since the fall of 1993. He came to the College in 1991 as director of development after having served as director of corporate and foundation relations at the University of Virginia.



Slon has an undergraduate degree from the University of Virginia and a master's of education degree from Harvard University. He was assistant director of admissions for Brandeis University before becoming a development officer at Harvard University in 1986.

The next year, he became associate director of corporate and foundation relations at Yale University. In 1989, he became director of corporate and foundation relations at the University of Virginia.

President Sullivan said Slon's experience offers the College an opportunity to build on the fund-raising success generated during the \$152 million Campaign for the Fourth Century.

"Dennis Slon knows William and Mary and has demonstrated a deep appreciation for the College, its people and its needs. We're very excited about his willingness to spearhead our development program and help make William and Mary the best small public university in the nation," said Sullivan.

### W&M RANKED FOURTH MOST EFFICIENT NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

For the second year in a row, the College of William and Mary has been ranked the fourth most efficient university in the country by *U.S. News & World Report* magazine. The rankings were published in issues distributed the week of Sept. 26.

Researchers at *U.S. News* determine a university's efficiency by considering its overall score in this year's *U.S. News* college rankings divided by its 1993 spending on educational programs per

student. William and Mary's 1994 overall score was 38 out of 229 national universities. Last year, the College was ranked 41.

In addition to its high 1994 efficiency ranking, William and Mary was named a runner-up among national universities in a best value category based on "sticker prices" (tuition plus room, board and fees).

Best value rankings were devised in an effort to provide families with a realistic measure of value by relating the cost of attending an institution to the quality of education, according to Robert Morse, director of research for the best college guides at *U.S. News*. Only schools that finished in the top half of the *U.S. News* rankings of national universities were considered.

Overall rankings were based on such "attributes" as SAT scores, faculty/student ratios and high school graduation rates.

#### WILLIAM AND MARY GOES HONKY-TONK

"William and Mary" is the title and subject of a new country music single released recently by singer Davis Daniel. The song tells the story of a boy and girl who grow up together on "the same side of the track," then go their separate ways. He heads for the honky-tonk life while she goes to William and Mary and ends up with a telephone and fax machine in her car and a taste for opera and Broadway nights. Neither of the writers—Rick Williamson nor George McCorkle—is an alumnus of the College.

"William and Mary" delivers a honky-tonk kick with such lyrics as "She took off to a high society school, but I earned my degree at Honky-tonk U. She hit the highway, I hit the dirt road. She went to William and Mary, I went to Haggard and Jones."

According to Polydor Records, the single has done well since its Aug. 8 release. The song, which first aired on Country Music Television on July 27, has been ranked as high as No. 19 on the Nashville Network.

"William and Mary" is one of the singles featured on Daniel's self-titled album that debuted Oct. 4. Daniel is singer and co-producer of the new album, which he has dedicated to his son, Tyler. "I think a lot of the songs on this album reflect the ups and downs of everyday life," said Daniel.

daughter, Heather Miller '94, of the Williamsburg Players, is now a second lieutenant in the Army Medical Service Corps. Heather was chosen in the spring as the "best actress at William and Mary" for her work in *Guys and Dolls* and *Summer and Smoke*.

Not so incidentally, David Crank '82, the Class of '39 Artist in Residence, was cited for best set design for his work in *Summer and Smoke*. You will remember that the Artist in Residence grant was our 50th Reunion gift.

Dick Crane keeps busy skiing, playing tennis, studying Spanish and enjoying his granddaughter. His advice to us: Keep body and mind alert. Enthusiasm is the key!

My personal news is that I have been appointed state training coordinator for Arizona by the AARP. This is a volunteer position involving an expense account and travel. No pay! If my assignments in the four westernmost states bring me to your area, I shall certainly call you. Or do call me at 602/955-3337. U.S. West takes all of my messages and saves them indefinitely. Very convenient!

'41

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Frances Lewis Stone is enjoying her retirement and her family, all of whom live near her in the Atlanta area. Widowed for the last 24 years, she is happy that her son and two daughters, all married, have provided her with four grandchildren, ranging in age from newborn to 31. Fran is an avid bridge player and has directed duplicate games for many years. Traveling, especially cruises, is also high on her list of activities. Fran was back for our 50th reunion and had a wonderful time seeing so many old friends. Now she is looking forward to our 55th. Thank you, Fran, for your letter.

A letter from Kay Hoover Dew said that, despite rain, the Olde Guard luncheon was a great success. Held in the new University Center, an incredibly lovely place, the luncheon drew a fair number from our class, including Jean Cox Phillips, Jean McEldowney Respass, William Henry Edwards and his wife Jo Lee, Don Reid and his wife Edith, Jane and Herb Young, Ella Dickenson Hurt, John Prince and Charlotte, Fred Arend and Mary Barclay Porter. Kay had a very busy spring attending the graduations of several of her grandchildren, visits from her friends and sharing her lovely home with her garden club for their annual picnic.

Coulbourn Godfrey, president of the Old Dominion Chapter of the First Marine Division Association, presided at and delivered a tribute as the association honored the memory of one of the Marine's most distinguished officers, Lewis B. Puller '67, '76 J.D., on Veteran's Day at Christ Church in Middlesex County. Cokey is retired and lives in Richmond.

June was a reunion month for me with old W&M friends in Maine. I lunched with Nancy Guptill Searle '43 in Boothbay Harbor, where they are living until their new home in Williamsburg Landing is built, had lunch at my cottage with Rodney '38 and Connie Crabtree Jones '40, who live nearby, and lunch with Margaret Ford at her home on Bailey Island. Peggy retired a few years ago from a teaching position at Lasell College in Newton, Mass., and returned to her roots on the island where she keeps busy with golf, bowling and a variety of local activities. We spent a happy afternoon catching up on the 53 years since our graduation.

On behalf of the class, thank you to Robert Hazen! Bob has spent a large portion of his time, talents and energy these past two years as the '41 class agent. Now that we have reached 77 percent of the class giving, let us all support the next agent and still try to reach 80 percent.

My next deadline is mid-Nov. How about some notes on your holiday plans?

'43

**Virginia Curtis Patterson**  
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Greetings from the Gentle City. Joe and I are enjoying the magnificent breezes and scenery here on the Outer Banks. Homecoming this year is Nov. 3-6, with the theme "The Beat Goes On." Sounds like the definition of our music, but actually the title represents "the continuing spirit of generations of W&M alumni" in the Fourth Century of the College. There will be an Academic Festival and Homecoming Ball in addition to the Olde Guard Luncheon. Please sign up for these events by October 14, although I believe this is destined to reach you after that date. Please do come to the Olde Guard Luncheon. I remember how awkward I felt being the only one from our class at the April luncheon.

Evelyn Cosby King and Nina Parsons Cosgrove '45 had their book listed in the "Virginia Writers in the News" section of the *Richmond Times-Dispatch*. Congratulations to author and illustrator.

After our three-week sojourn in the southwest, Joe and I traveled north and spent two weeks in Nova Scotia. Interesting trip.

How do you like the new format for Class Notes? Looks great to me.

'45

**Virginia Lee McAlinden**  
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Late August greetings from hot, sunny southwest Florida! Your class reporter hopes that you all had a good summer. She trusts that each of you received a green card announcing that our 50th Reunion celebration has been scheduled for May 12-14, 1995.

Our class headquarters will be at the Williamsburg Lodge, as will our Hospitality Suite. We will travel by bus to all functions. These will include a party Friday night, Saturday luncheon and tour of the campus, visit to the President's House, a cocktail party at the Alumni House followed by a dinner dance, during which medallions will be presented. Sunday will include a memorial service, then brunch and graduation. If enough of our class members will still be around, we may have some activity on Sunday afternoon. Please watch your mail and this column for further information.

Ruth Weimer Tillar, who sent me the information I have given you above, reported that she and Cato and Fran Loesch Brunner and Bob attended '44's reunion and that it was fabulous. Of course, ours will be even better!

As I write this letter, Nov. seems a long way off, but you will read it very close to

## Class notes

the time set for Homecoming '94—Nov. 3-6. I hope that '45 will have a good representation. Please get in your last-minute reservations as soon as you can. You should have received information with your September Gazette.

Not too long after I wrote my last letter, news came from one of my freshman neighbors in Chandler—Mary Schafhirt Barnes. Mary left us during our second semester that year and married Jack at West Point immediately after his graduation that June. Mary and I have kept in touch. Mary's news was that she had had extensive heart surgery and was doing very well.

Not long after receiving Mary's letter, I heard from the other occupant of that same room—Marilyn Kaemmerle Quinto, who stayed with us and graduated in June 1945. Marilyn had heard from Betty Gibbs Ramaley that she and Steve had bought a lot a few miles from where Marilyn and Hank live in northwest Tucson. Betty and Marilyn shared an apartment in New York in the days before they were married, when both were being courted by their future husbands.

Betty and Steve have three children and lived in California prior to his retirement. Following that they built a log house in Washington state and were planning to move to Tucson from there.

Two letters from Floss Metius Johnson, who has undergone hip surgery and who is also recovering very nicely. Floss and Dwight had made a trip to Florida where both Dwight's mother and their daughter live. I visited Floss in May when I was in New Jersey, and she looked as good as new. Floss and Dwight are already planning to attend our 50th.

Jean Clark Ford and Virgil '43 attended his 50th last year. In June they celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary. They were married in Wren Chapel during our graduation week, when Virgil was an Air Corps pilot. They lived at Ellington Field, Texas, until the end of the war and then moved to Norfolk—Virgil's home—and lived there for 43 years. Following Virgil's retirement from the U.S. District Court in Norfolk, they moved north to Foxborough, Mass., which is convenient for visiting back and forth with their children, grandchildren and one great grandchild! Virgil serves as minister of music in the Westwood Community Church.

Willie Anne Boschen Wright and Jack travelled to Vence, France, in August. In July, the Wrights enjoyed a family reunion on Hatteras Island, N.C., which included all their children and grandchildren, as well as Jack's sister from Toronto and some of her family.

Suzy Parsons Cosgrove designed the cover and provided illustrations for the text of a book written by Evelyn Cosby King '43, *Stepping Out: From Kitchen to Capitol, Reflections on God, Government, and Us*, which tells in part of her experience in working in the Virginia governor's office during the 1970s.

Your class reporter enjoyed another get-together in North Fort Myers during the spring with Marion Smith Turner '43, Mary Wilson Carver Sale, Betsy Yow Pearce, and Gerry Hess Megee, all '44, and Sunny Manewal Murray Connor.

Mary Wilson was looking forward to '44's 50th. Betsy and Bob were planning to attend Bob's 50th at West Point. As mentioned above, your class reporter went north to New Jersey to visit family and friends in late May. While there she spent a day with Fred Veader, who left W&M after the first semester of our freshman year to study at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts in New York. Fred acted on Broadway, in Hollywood, overseas and in TV for 10 years. He then went to work for the Foreign Policy Association and finally retired as an editor for the *Reader's Digest*.

As you must know, your letters are what make this column possible. Many thanks to all of you who have taken the time to keep me informed. My next deadline will be Nov. 18, so please write me with your holiday plans and start planning for our May reunion if you are not already doing so.

'47

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During our recent genealogy trip to Kansas and Missouri, Carol and I stayed at the only motel in Marysville, Kan. (pop. 1,500). She noticed a car with Virginia plates and a W&M sticker, so we had breakfast with Travis Sheffler '92, the car owner, who lives and works in Washington, D.C. He was driving the back woods of the west on his vacation. His mother is Marcia Clough Sheffler '63.

In addition, we are looking for any good, low-cost genealogist. Just found out that Jonathan Wright was my great-great-great-grandfather and lived in Hopewell, N.J., in 1644. Hopewell has three W&M grads.

I'm writing from New Bern, N.C., home of 22 W&M grads who are generally young. People put old license plates on mailboxes. Here for tennis and R&R before upcoming trips to Little Rock, Ark., Missouri, a wedding in Lake Tahoe plus an ex-FBI Convention in Washington, D.C., in September. The event should attract some W&M grads as four 1947 rookies opened the door for about 25 W&M agents in the following years. A few were "Red" Irwin '43, Pat Haggerty '49, Bob Barritt '48 and the Lex brothers, Buddy '50 and George '49. Red used my name as an FBI reference while I was on a road trip in Casper, Wyo., and I told the Denver office that I never heard of him. He still got in.

Delayed our trip a day to go boating and crab picking at Mickey '57 and Penny Kight Simpson's '62 beautiful 90-year-old Victorian house on the Little Wicomico River. Susie and Don Beck '64, who now live in Williamsburg, were weekend guests. The boating aspect was tenuous as Mickey spent the afternoon with his head in one of the two Ford engines correcting a faulty electrical system. Corn and blue crab and a boat trip ended a great day. Lots of W&M conversation (and to think I almost went to Penn State) in which Knox Ramsey '48 and Bob Hewitt '48 were involved in a fraternity hazing episode. I see Knox every day but would like to hear from Bob.

Back to reality in Williamsburg: Helped Audrey Allein Hoitsma '49 and Lou '48, '54 M.Ed. move into their great new home off Longhill Road a few houses away from Bobbie Lamont Redding '52 and Chuck '51. We think they should have a block party and invite all the alums in the area. Hoitsmas still summer at Henniker, N.H. Saw Fred Frechette '46 briefly in the Williamsburg Fire House at a commemorative ceremony. A tribute was held on May 8 at W&M to Vic Raschi '49 in which his symbolic W&M baseball jersey was retired. His actual jersey number was never found, so they retired No. 49, for the year he graduated. Vic won 132 games for the N.Y. Yankees over 10 years with five World Series wins. Vic had the best car in Sigma Rho and introduced me at a

## Class notes

Cleveland dinner in 1949 to Joe DiMaggio and Phil Rizzuto. Joe wore a \$35 silk shirt — "tall cotton" in that era.

Olive-Ann Hasty Shelor '46 and Roy '49 visited with us overnight en route to the Alumni College. Jene Carr Dent '46, a long-time friend of the Shelors, joined us for dinner. Jene lost Bob Dent '49 in the fall of 1993 and lives near Mathews, Va. She recently talked to Marvin Bass '45 in Columbia, S.C., who conveyed his best and mentioned that his wife, Audrey Wallace Bass '42, has a serious health condition. Jene brought the old family guest book from her former Richmond home and here is the litany: Jack Freeman '44, Margie Sease '45, December 1944; Russ Gulick '44, Nov. 1946; Red Irwin, Lou Hoitsma, Jane Achenbach Freeman, Wally Heatwole, Sunny Sunstrom '48, Cherry Whitehurst '46, Danny Dallett '48, Betty Littlefield '48, Thanksgiving 1946; Doc Holloway '44, John Korczowski '43, Ralph Sazio '48 and Rose, Gene Magliaro '49, Jack Cloud '50, Lyn Graves '46, Marvin Bass, Cathy Caughron, Al Vandeweghe '43, Tommy Thompson '49, Bobbie Daughtrey '49, Knox Ramsey and Betty Lu Brann '50. Sounds like those W&M fellows stationed in the Navy at UR had tough duty.

Carol and I attended Alumni College also, and I finally got to sleep in Jefferson Hall with my bride. "Chesapeake Bay" was the theme, and it was outstanding! Superlatives can't describe the four days, and we are looking forward to 1995 when the topic will be the Civil War. Met some old friends and made new ones among people who never even attended W&M. Some we spent time with: Feffie Barnhill (lacrosse coach—Carol loves her t-shirt), Bobby Feldwisch Bateman '41, Sue Whitehead Byars '44, Mary Wood Commander, Lucy Buran Cornett '48, Mary Dils Dixon '44, Joanne Armstrong Dondero '46 and Andy, Ginny von Breitenfeld Ferre '56 and Dave, Joan Pearce Jabaut '55 and Ron '55, Gloria Hall Lipfert '44 and Ralph '44, Fran Buttler Parsons '46 and Charles, Mary Dickson Phipps Shryock '46, Carol Breckenridge Talbot '46, Hansi Kane Wright '48 and Betty Hedrick Vertiz '49 and Oscar. Plan to attend next June.

Another letter from faithful Bill Abbotts '44, who spent the D-Day celebration in Europe and ended up in Berlin. He retraced his WWII events. His group sang "God Bless America" on landing at JFK. Bill, keep in touch, for we need the intrinsic income from this labor of love.

Betty Aurell Schutz '45 had her photo and a great article in our local paper on her two-month portrait exhibition. We visited the display at a local bank, and it was great. Almost as good as her home studio work near Gloucester. Hope to see you and Henry '44 at the ex-FBI Convention in Washington, D.C. Betty, your wedding present hangs in our home and gets more appealing as time goes by.

I often wondered about Bob Devlin '49 who was in the post-war influx of veterans. Called and wrote to Fordyce, Ark., and Jeanne Padbury Devlin '49 responded with a three-page letter. Parents of four children and married for 47 years, the Devlins have 20 acres and breed and race horses in Hot Springs, Okla., and Lafayette, La. Bob retired from Phelps Dorlye Copper Products in New York after 22 years and moved to Arkansas in 1971. The horse bug bit them while living in Nyack, N.Y., some years ago, when they bought a horse for daughter Ellen who attended W&M. Jeanne, loved your comment about training horses when you said, "They are like a running taxi meter, you still gotta pay." Many thanks for the letter. Will at least call when in Little Rock and remember the old Mel Wright adage: "Don't raise anything you can't eat!"

Coincidentally, Joe Rego '48 also called earlier this year. Joe was a freshman football player from Hudson, Mass., in 1942 and lives on Cape Cod and Florida. Joe and I were on the same WWII Army Air Corps troop train from Richmond to Nashville. Both Dick Videto '46 and Cecil Dale '46 were on the train and were killed later in action.

Pat Ellison '48 from Richmond played tennis in the member-guest tournament at our club last spring. Pat was on the great W&M teams and still has the good strokes for an old geezer. He mentioned old Kappa Sigs like Harold Eubank '48 and Dusty Ash '48.

I'm using a bribe to entice your W&M enthusiasm. Thanks to the Knox Ramsey family, I have video tapes and team rosters of the following games:

- '45—W&M vs VMI & Maryland
- '46—W&M vs. Miami & Maryland
- '47—W&M vs. VMI

No color, commercials or commentary. Call or write and return tapes in 30 days or make a contribution to the AEF.

Wonder if Carol and Jane Achenbach Freeman are related to Jim Hickey '42?

Last we heard from the honorable William Murphy '48 and Lucy Jones Murphy '48 was their daughter's dog bit the hand that fed it (Lucy's). The dog was put to sleep, but it just so happens that his name was Ollie—so there are plenty of bumper stickers out there to honor him!

Faith and Peace. See you at the football games and Homecoming. Don Ream '44, please check in!

'49

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As a result of my plaintive plea for letters from you in the last *Gazette*, I received a long letter from Jim Macken, who has retired and is working on a manuscript about his 55 years in tennis as a competitor and administrator. He has kept in touch with Ed Griffin '48 and Tut Bartzon '48, who, 40 years after William and Mary days, had one of Jim's sons on his tennis team at Texas Christian University. Jim and Maureen live in Vancouver and have five children—three of their boys are head tennis pros!

I also received a letter from Dale Parker, who, along with his wife, has formed the Universal Space Association, which is dedicated to the preservation of space artifacts, memorabilia and history and includes over 6,000 historical items including some from the moon. Their daughter Jackie has won much acclamation in the aviation field. She was the first woman T-38 pilot and academic instructor in the Air Force, the youngest C-141 pilot commander and instructor, the first woman graduate test pilot in the Air Force and the first woman F-16 fighter pilot in the world. She is a veteran of the Gulf War and is now in the New York Air National Guard, flying F-16s. She has received numerous awards, including the "Ground Breaker" award, which was presented to her by Hilary Clinton.

Natalie Allen reports that, although she's retired, she spends time tutoring Span-

ish, English and history and is hoping to return to Spain before too long. She now has four great-grandchildren and wonders if anyone in our class can top this record. If so, let me hear from you!

Carol Achenbach Wright and Mel '47 are officers of the Lower Northern Neck Alumni Chapter, Mel serving as president and Carol as secretary. They spent some time at the College this spring with several Lancaster High School seniors who will attend the College in the fall.

My husband and I attended the wedding this summer of Elaine Winder '83, daughter of Lou Hostetter Winder and Gus '42. Elaine is teaching school in Mount Laurel, N.J. During a recent visit to Cape Cod, the Winders were able to see some of the water colors of Elizabeth Hayes Pratt, who exhibits her work in a gallery there.

During a cruise from Hong Kong to Tokyo on the *Royal Viking Sun* this past spring, we made the acquaintance of Helen and Elliot Cohen '37. We spent several pleasant evenings with them and it wasn't until our last night on board that we discovered that we were both graduates of the College. At this time I learned that there were other William and Mary alumni on the cruise also—Mark McCormack '51 had been on board for several months, conducting his business as chair and chief executive of the International Management Group while cruising the Pacific with members of his family and staff. Also on board was Jack Hight '48. He and his wife were (unknown to me at the time) on the same bus with us when we left the ship and toured China for five days.

I hope to see many of you at Homecoming, Nov. 3-6. The theme of "The Beat Goes On" reflects the beginning of our Fourth Century and represents the continuing spirit of generations of William and Mary alumni. If you can't be at Homecoming, I hope you'll write to me with news of yourself.

'51

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Yvette Hickey Anthony of Williamsburg was featured in an article and photograph in *The Virginia Gazette* of Williamsburg. The article focused on Yvette and two other women who had the courage to make a career change in mid-life. The author, Tina Jeffrey, said that for Yvette, "numerous job switches provided a huge challenge. She went from life as a homemaker and mother to retailing to working for Colonial Williamsburg. She since has settled in as a busy real estate agent." Jeffrey quoted Yvette as saying, "I have no regrets about changing to my current occupation. It gives me flexibility in time. It enables me to see old and new friends and allows me to keep up with current trends in the realty world."

Gene Links of Kinnelon, N.J., is the owner of Jefferson Loan Company of Paramus, N.J., a company that makes personal and auto loans as well as mortgages. Gene started at Jefferson Loan in 1962 as manager and vice president. He became the owner and president in 1981. Before that he had spent eight years with two different finance companies. In his spare time, Gene likes to hunt deer and turkey in the United States and Canada, and fish in both fresh and salt water. He keeps a boat at Montauk Point, N.Y., and spends summer weekends there. Gene has traveled extensively in Europe in past years and recently has traveled to Canada, Alaska, and other places in the United States on fishing and hunting trips. Gene is married but has no children. "My wonderful wife of 41 years—Terry—is my pride and joy," he writes.

Mark McCormack was listed among only seven others as being the best-dressed men in Europe in *Business Life*, the magazine for Europe's business travelers.

Imogene Praddle recently visited East Africa where she rented a small English-made car and drove to Lake Nakuru, 100 miles north of Nairobi. There she watched some of the game park's two million flamingoes form a long pink line across the surface of the lake. Her trip also took her to Nairobi and Mombasa in Kenya.

And finally, how many of our classmates have had a school named after them? At least one—Lawrence W. Passow—has. It is a school in Franklin Park, Ill., near O'Hare Airport. Larry, who retired five years ago, had been superintendent of schools in Franklin Park. He worked for 36 years in the school district, serving 16 years as school superintendent. Larry, who is single, also has an unusual hobby: house construction. He built a house on Lake Michigan in Bridgman, Mich., where he spends his weekends. He is currently building another house on the White Eagles Club Golf Course in Naperville, Ill., and plans to move into it soon.

'53

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Congratulations to everyone's friend, Jim Seu, who was honored with a scholarship endowment established in his name. Jim is owner of the Colonial Restaurant in Williamsburg and during the past 40 years has continually hired students to work there. He has been extremely dedicated to the College, its students and athletes. More than \$40,000 was contributed to the endowment by friends, student-athletes and others to show appreciation and to surprise Jim and his wife, Penny. What a deserving way to say, "Thank you!"

Annie Mae Rector Antrobus has been named registrar at U.Va. She holds a M.Ed. from that university and has been associated with the registrar's office for the past 15 years. Last year Annie Mae successfully directed the implementation of U.Va.'s first telephone registration system.

Thanks to Marguerite Oldfield Luckett, our class agent, for her dedication in soliciting class funds.

Al King's letter indicates he must be an accomplished singer! Al's choir, the Oratorio Society of Washington, and the Choral Arts Society were chosen to sing Mstislav "Slava" Rostropovich's last concert, the Verdi "Requiem." The fondly respected Slava left the National Symphony after 17 years as music director. The choirs also performed the closing chorus from "Alexander Nevsky" and the coronation scene from "Boris Gudinov." Portions were videotaped for a "Kennedy Center Presents" series on PBS this fall. This summer Al sang "Aida" choruses at Wolf Trap and completed an 11-day concert tour of Spain. Can you imagine perfecting your Latin, Russian, Italian, English and Hebrew? Fran, Al's wife, graduated from George Mason University in May. After their children finished, they decided it was her turn. Al closed his letter with a note that Murray Foster had visited England and Dick Collier had planned a move to Bradenton, Fla.

## STATESMAN LEAVES LEGACY TO COLLEGE

For the last seven years of his life, renowned statesman George Ball maintained close ties with the College and James Bill, professor of government. On May 25, the day before he died, Ball told his son Douglas that he wanted to give the Middle East section of his vast library to William and Mary.

During this past summer, Bill, director of the Reves Center for International Studies; his wife, Ann; and Professor of Religion Jack Van Horn hauled almost 70 cartons of books from Ball's home in Princeton, N.J.

Although Ball left Princeton University the bulk of his personal library,



George Ball

which included some 20,000 books filling two huge rooms, he left nearly 1,000 books and bound collections of Middle East papers and research materials to the College.

According to Bill, Ball's gift represents an important donation for the burgeoning Middle East studies program.

"We cannot have a serious program without a quality library," said Bill. "These books, periodicals, journals, newspapers and ... personal papers will contribute significantly to our library."

Once all the items have been cataloged, the Reves Center and Swem Library will divide the Ball collection. Included in the lot are some extremely valuable and rare biographies and encyclopedias on the Arab/Israeli conflict and histories of the Jewish and Palestinian peoples.

"George Ball was personally impressed by what William and Mary had accomplished in the area of international and Middle East studies," said Bill. "His generous gift will be an enormous help to us as we go about building one of the leading Middle East studies programs in the United States."

## LOTS OF CLASS

William and Mary's class of 1998 is more Virginian, more diverse and features more Monroe Scholars than last year's entering class.

A total of 8,169 applications were received, an increase of about three percent over last year. The College accepted 3,076 applicants, and a total of



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1,278 undergraduates were enrolled.

Statistically, this is how the class of 1998 shapes up:

- Just over 10 percent of the class—128 students—were either valedictorians or salutatorians in their secondary schools.

- There are 142 Monroe Scholars among the freshmen, compared with 106 last year.

To qualify as a Monroe Scholar, a student must have a combined SAT score in the neighborhood of 1400 and rank in the very highest percentile of his or her high school senior class. Each student receives a \$2,000 award to fund a summer research project of his choice.

- This year's freshman class has 843 Virginians in its total of 1,278. That means 66 percent are from the Commonwealth, an increase of five percent over last year.

- Almost 19 percent of the freshmen are students of color, compared with 16.5 percent last year.



Kanal (center) with new friends at William and Mary.

#### THE YOUNGEST FRESHMAN

The youngest member of the freshman class is Pamela Kanal, a 15-year-old native of Front Royal, Va. Kanal decided to attend college two years earlier than her peers because she wants to go to medical school and become a doctor as soon as possible.

Kanal, who turns 16 in November, applied to seven schools and was accepted by three, including William and Mary. At least one school, Kanal later learned, denied her admission because of her age.

Kanal said William and Mary proved most appealing because of its excellent reputation, "nice, safe and balanced lifestyle" and proximity to shops and other conveniences.

An active community volunteer, Kanal said she plans to pursue similar extracurricular endeavors at the College. As part of her pre-med curriculum, she also plans to pursue a concentration in biology.

Kanal's parents reacted to her decision to graduate early with concern that she was "growing up too fast." But having taken numerous

More congratulations—this time to Jack Martin, who was honored with the Distinguished Military Graduate Award on May 14 in Phi Beta Kappa Memorial Hall.

Jay and I had a grand time helping Bill and Ginny Campbell Furst celebrate their 40th anniversary in June at the Skokie Country Club in Glencoe, Ill., on Chicago's North Shore. We did enjoy being with them and their children—Laurie, from Colorado, and Andy, from McLean, Va. Both Ginny and Bill are now with Prudential Real Estate.

Congratulations to the Society of the Alumni on receiving the Grand Gold Medal for overall alumni programs. This prestigious national award was presented by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education; it incorporates a review of total achievements that the Alumni Society has attained during the past year. The award is shared with the Boston College Alumni Association.

Mark Homecoming '94 for Nov. 3-6 on you calendars. Our theme is "The Beat Goes On." Some of the favorite events will be the Academic Festival, the football game against the University of Maine and the Homecoming Ball. Check out the registration form in the Homecoming supplement in September's issue of the Gazette or receive a form by calling 804/221-1174.

I am missing your summer news. Please don't let me down. Jay and I enjoyed a family reunion for 17 at son Jack's home in Raymond, Maine, in August. We did make time during our two-week stay to revisit Bar Harbor and Acadia National Park. Wish we could have bottled some of that cool Maine air and taken it home to West Chester!

'55

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One bright and sunny day in August, I found a surprise package in my mailbox from Elsa Stromberg Bandi. With anticipation I opened it to find the wonderful June 23-26 Alumni College 1994 complete notebook packet. "Exploring the Chesapeake Bay II" was well represented by our classmates, including Elsa herself and her husband Fred, Joan Pearce Jabaut and Ron Jabaut, Gail Wannan Mosher and Richard Mosher and Bunny Scheie Belford. By glancing at their schedule, I could easily see why it is so rewarding for all of its participants.

Another day at the mailbox rewarded me with a great letter from Lewis Saunders highlighting his life. He has worked for Signet Banking Corp., formerly Bank of Virginia, and will retire at year's end. He plans to devote his time to grandparenting, fixing up his house, visiting kinfolk and maybe some outside benevolent activities. He hopes to attend Homecoming '95 and is looking forward to our 40th. He and his wife

attended the Tercentenary Homecoming and had dinner Friday evening with their special friend Florence Dehart Burns. He also said that he had entered the '80s by purchasing and using a personal computer, and he hoped to enter the '90s soon.

A postcard from Fred LaCroix shares that in June he attended his first W&M graduation since his own in '55. Fred watched his daughter Rachel get her B.A. Rachel will stay in Williamsburg and study sociology in graduate school. Fred has also taken up canoeing after 40 years of abstinence. The city parks department and the Sierra Club have good programs of outings and training sessions.

Hope to see some of you at Homecoming 1994 (Nov. 3-6). This year's theme is "The Beat Goes On." The continuing spirit of generations of William and Mary graduates emphasizes the future. Check your Homecoming Supplement in the September Alumni Gazette for activities, and please do not forget to register at the Alumni House tent. If I cannot see you there, I'd like to hear from you. Please write!

'57

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The theme for Homecoming '94, Nov. 3-6, is "The Beat Goes On." Check the Homecoming supplement in the September Gazette for registration forms and information, or you may request a registration form by calling 804/221-1174.

The opponent for the football game on Sat., Nov. 5, will be the University of Maine. The Homecoming Ball, Friday, Nov. 4, will feature a new theme and style designed to appeal to all generations, according to the Alumni Society.

Congratulations to Bill Armbruster, who has been elected to an at-large seat on the Blackstone, Va., town council. The election was held this past May. Blackstone, for those who do not know, is located between Petersburg and Lynchburg.

Sue Fryer Ward received the Gladys Noon Spellman Award given annually by Prince George's County (Md.) executive Parris Glendening. The award was presented this past March to Sue, who lives in Clinton, Md., and is director of the department of family services in Prince George's County. The Gladys Noon Spellman Award was established by Glendening to honor excellence in public service by women in the county government. Previously, Sue was the director of the county's department of aging. According to a press release, Sue has been an active volunteer in Prince George's County for the last 20 years. During her career, she has been involved in nearly every phase of social work, from individuals and groups in psychiatric hospitals to children in foster care and adoptions.

I talked with Nancy Lonardelli Zimmerli by phone. She lives in Chapel Hill, N.C., with her husband, Charles, who, before his retirement, was an executive with American

Airlines. Nancy did graduate work at American University in Washington, D.C., after graduation from W&M. She and her husband have lived in New York City and West Hartford, Conn. She has taught at a secretarial school, an adult literacy program in New York and at a community college in Hartford. Nancy and her husband have two sons. The elder, age 29, received his master's degree from Yale University at age 20 and is a computer consultant. He was recently married. The younger son, age 26, is a jazz musician and composer in New York City.

I talked with Dick Shively by phone this past spring. He and his wife, Barbara Saunders '58, live in Northridge, Calif., the epicenter of one of the recent California earthquakes. Dick said that they were fortunate to get by with damage to their chimney, swimming pool, family room and concrete. He said that the water in the pool was thrown through a picture window into the family room, not unlike a tidal wave. Dick attended W&M for two years and transferred to U.Va. where he completed requirements for his degree in electrical/electronics engineering. He retired from the computer business six years ago. Since then he and his family have run a non-profit Christian outreach program, arranging camps and conferences among other things. Dick and Barbara have two sons, Stephen and Scott, and a 2-year-old grandson. Barbara has taught in the Los Angeles school system and has been president of the Orange County Philharmonic Society.

After 35 years as a teacher, counselor and administrator in the Alexandria, Va., public school system, I retired this past April. I keep active playing basketball and pickleball, a combination of tennis and paddleball played on a badminton court. I stay involved in the community by mentoring high school students and promoting essay and oratorical programs as a member of the Alexandria Optimist Club.

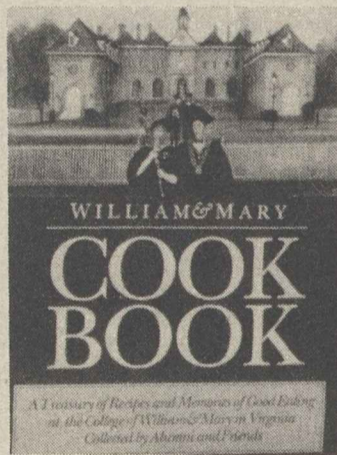
I hope to see some of you at Homecoming. Reminder: Three years from now, in 1997, we will celebrate our 40th reunion. Unbelievable!

## The William and Mary Cookbook

Dear Friends!

*I just unpacked my copy of the William and Mary Cookbook and decided to take a glance before gift-wrapping it for my daughter. At the rate I am going, I will be lucky if it's wrapped in time for her to open on Saturday. What a beautiful addition to her personal library. Indeed, I never expected to receive something so special. Not only the recipes, but the precious photos—I have been glued to the pages for the past hour! I know Lisa will be thrilled with her gift and I thank everyone for all the many hours of work involved.*

Fondly,  
Joan Ferrante  
Gaithersville, Md.  
(mother of a happy junior!)



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## Class notes

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It's great to be back living in the U.S. after all the years overseas. Crime and violence is a concern here, but it's still the best place. After the lack of democracy in the Middle East, the freedom and absence of censorship here is dramatic. My wife will especially appreciate the freedom that women enjoy in the U.S. when compared to the lack of freedom that women in general are subjected to in most of the Middle East.

I see we have a 35th anniversary coming up in conjunction with the Nov. 3-6 Homecoming this year. I doubt that I will be able to make it (although I would like to attend the 40th). If someone will plan to take notes about our classmates and pass them on to me, it would be a good time to catch up with a lot of our fellow classmates' activities, and I will be happy to include the information in a subsequent article. I see articles about other classes with dozens of names mentioned after class reunions (which makes me jealous), and I hope we will be able to match them. Perhaps one or more members of the organizing committee could also undertake this effort and plan to provide material.

My letter to **Norma Dickerson** in Diredawa, Ethiopia, surprisingly came all the way back to Saudi Arabia. It seems she has left that address. Now that I have a U.S. mailing address, I hope to hear from more of you and the time in transit for letters will be greatly reduced. My telephone is 210/655-3321. When I get my household more organized, I will try to contact you individually.

Several of our classmates have been in the news lately. **James W. Brinkley**, the rector of the Board of Visitors at W&M, was the guest speaker at Richard Bland College's commencement on May 13. Brinkley is president and director of Legg Mason Wood Walker Inc. and a director of Legg Mason Inc. and Howard Weil Financial Corporation.

Speaking of Legg Mason, **Raymond A. "Chip" Mason**, chairman and chief executive of Legg Mason Inc., has been named to a select task force to review compensation in the stock brokerage industry following a Securities and Exchange Commission investigation of improper sales practices. The five-member panel includes the chairs of Merrill Lynch and General Electric as well as Warren Buffet, chairman of Berkshire Hathaway. Pretty select company!

**James H. Dillard** was selected as the only Northern Virginia representative to Gov. George F. Allen's Commission on the Future of Higher Education. They will address the expected influx of 70,000 students to enter state colleges by the year 2000. Congressman Dillard is the ranking Republican on the House Education Committee. His four daughters all attended Virginia colleges.

Finally, **Junius Winston Camp Jr.** has been promoted to director of customer training at Bell Helicopter Textron Inc. in Fort Worth, Texas. After retirement from the U.S. Army in 1986 as a colonel, he started at Bell Helicopter as a training supervisor. He now heads the pilot and technician training for 3,000 students on the Bell Helicopter product line worldwide. Winston is a certified helicopter pilot and the father of four daughters and a son. He lives in Grapevine, Texas, with his wife, Donna.

I did get one letter at my new address from **Gloria Marquis Mitchell** (formerly Goodloe) who attended W&M in the 1955-56 year. She says she recognizes some of our names. With husband Bill, a retired army colonel, she lives in Albuquerque and loves it. Gloria was a senior systems analyst in the business world. She and her husband are participating in the Senior Olympics and will be coming here to San Antonio to compete in the spring. Her husband swims and Gloria throws the javelin, discus and shot put. Gloria also sings with a professional group and reports that they are doing their best to beat old Father Time. Sounds like it!

'61

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The Class of 1961 has joined the information superhighway. These past two class notes have been submitted electronically and therefore, if it is easier for you to keep in touch with me over the Internet, please send your notes to: diana@blackhole.aas.org.

**Sylvia S Weinstein**, of the Waters Advertising Agency, received top honors in national competition with journalism and media professionals in the United States. At the annual convention of Press Women held in Las Vegas, Weinstein received four awards out of only six entries. Those entries had been forwarded to national competition after placing first in the Virginia Press Women competition held in April.

The illustration for the cover of the invitation to the 25th Anniversary of the "Theater Development Fund" last May in New York City was done by artist **Robert Miles Parker**. Members of the Theater Committee include **Linda Lavin '59** and **Glenn Close '74**.

The Alexandria Olympic Boys and Girls Club presented a Community Service Award to **Robert W. Stoy**, and a Distinguished Alumnus Award to **Gerald B. File**, at their 58th Anniversary Banquet held on April 22, 1994.

Bob Stoy was cited for his 30 years of leadership and service in a variety of positions in the Alexandria public school system. During his tenure, he has served as an elementary school teacher; middle school, junior high, and senior high school assistant principal; athletic coach; and director of athletics at T.C. Williams H.S. where his teams won six state championships.

Jerry File was recognized for his achievements as a 10-year U.S. Marine Corps officer and his 23 years in the securities industry in Washington, D.C., where he is currently a vice president with Legg Mason Wood Walker Inc. He was a founding shareholder at First Winthrop Corporation, which became a leading national real estate investment banking firm. Among his community volunteer activities he was president of the Alexandria Club from 1989 to 1992 where he was previously cited for his leadership as the outstanding alumnus of the Greater Washington Boys and Girls Club during 1991.

Please write. I need you.



35TH REUNION

'63

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Just in the nick of time, I received a letter from **Robin Reighley**, race course manager of America's Cup, '95. Robin wrote as his Chevron Shipping Company tanker, *Chevron Colorado*, went down the Columbia River from San Francisco.

Robin left our big 30th Homecoming as Chevron asked him to be in Valdez, Alaska, for his first seagoing job for them.

After more than 26 years in the Navy, changing to a deck officer in the U.S. Merchant Marine was a natural transition. After three months on board, Robin will be back in San Diego with his wife Sue. America's Cup activity will absorb most of that time through next May. Sue and Robin then plan to travel.

Robin sent word that **Chico Herrick** spends his time with real estate investments in McLean, Va. **Jim Delaney** does tax returns in Park Ridge, N.J. **Perry White** is "very successful with Pontiac and even has responsibility for their racing division." He lives in Bloomfield Hills, Mich. **Tom Vice** lives in Atlanta. That catches us up on some of the PiKAs.

Robin and Sue love the west coast and made a convert of **Carol Boardman Artigues** earlier this year. Thanks for writing, Robin!

I was in Valdez in July as part of a tour of Alaska with one of our daughters. What a vast and beautiful state!

It was **Don's '61** pleasure to host the Surgeon General of the United States, Dr. Joycelyn Elders, at a luncheon in Philadelphia and participate with her at the graduation of the nursing school at Presbyterian. Dr. Elders came because she saw this nursing school as a model for the nation and wanted to recognize that. A nice write-up followed in the *Philadelphia Inquirer*, including the editorial page!

Homecoming '94 is Nov. 3-6, and the theme is "The Beat Goes On." Are you going? There is another Academic Festival with educational topics taught by William and Mary professors. The football team will be playing Maine on Saturday. The Homecoming Ball will be on Friday with appeal to all generations. Early registration is recommended—fill out the registration form in the Homecoming supplement from September's *Gazette*, or call 804-221-1174 for a form. The Alumni House front lawn will once again hold the registration tent with the gift shop and beverage service.

'65

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'67

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Greetings from Ohio .... the land of little class news (and hopefully not a reflection of this classmate's news plea/gathering ability!). I continue to need your input to comprise any output on this end .... it is such a treat to hear about the long-unheard-froms ... for a few minutes of your time and a 29-cent stamp, those of you who turn to the class column when the odd-numbered years appear in the *Gazette* can enjoy catching up on where the interim 27 years have brought us.

I received a note from **John Haley** with a beautiful article from *The Philadelphia Enquirer* on **Bob Owen's** 17-year-old daughter, Emily, profiling her role as a "regular" high school student coupled with the honor of winning the grand prize (a modeling contract and college scholarship) in Wilhelmina Models Kid Search model contest. The article appeared on Father's Day and I'd say the honor goes to Bob and his wife, Peggy. John failed to include news of himself; I can only share with you his company letterhead, John Haley & Associates, in Wayne, Pa.

**Betty Bishop Griffin** sent copies of two articles on **Lyn Skerrett Gillikin's** daughter, Sara, a recipient of the Commonwealth of Virginia's Byrd scholarship, the Colonial Italian American Organization's Galileo Award, and selection as an Echols Scholar at the University of Virginia. Sara graduated from Walsingham Academy in June and her photograph evoked a double-take because of the resemblance to **Lynn Dickey Barron Sopcak's** son, Barron, and **Mary Jim Baskervill's** daughter, Lee, are freshmen at the College this fall. **Pris Walker Shea's** daughter was chosen for Omicron Delta Kappa and is president of her sorority at UNC/Wilmington. Pris' son lives in Northern Virginia and Pris is in Burlington, N.C., with a new job.

The theme for this year's Homecoming (Nov. 3-6) is "The Beat Goes On," reflecting the beginning of the College's Fourth Century and representing the continuing spirit of generations of William and Mary alumni. I hope many of you are able to share in the events and festivities. A registration form was included in the Homecoming Supplement in the September *Alumni Gazette*, or you can get one by calling 804/221-1174.

On a closing note: PLEASE SEND NEWS FOR OUR CLASSMATES TO ENJOY AND SHARE!

'69

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This is my last chance to urge you to be in Williamsburg Nov. 3-6 to celebrate our 25th Reunion. The Reunion Committee has worked hard—and had a great time!—getting ready, and has a fun weekend planned for you. We held a telethon in September and called as many people in the class as we could reach, urging them to come. If we didn't reach you, come anyway. The emphasis is on creating opportunities for us to get together, get reac-

college preparatory classes, including courses at Shenandoah University, Kanak felt no reason to remain in high school.

Kanak described her first few days at William and Mary as "wonderful, but hectic."

"Except for the unexpected crunch to get classes, I haven't been disappointed by anything so far," Kanak said. "It's been a lot of fun meeting new people."

## 'MATOAKA' POET DIES

**Amy Clampitt**, who wrote the Tercentenary poem, "Matoaka," and who was a former writer-in-residence at the College, died recently at her home in Lenox, Mass., at the age of 74.

Clampitt was a writer-in-residence at William and Mary for two semesters in 1984-85 and returned several times for poetry readings and literary festivals.

In 1993, the College published her poem, "Matoaka," a piece commissioned by William and Mary to celebrate its 300th anniversary. Clampitt read her poem during Charter Week at a special ceremony in Earl Gregg Swem Library.

"Fame wasn't interesting to her, but exploring nuances of feeling and thinking every minute was, and she engaged her friends in that," noted **Robert Maccubbin**, professor of English.

## NEW ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT NAMED

**Colleen Kennedy**, associate professor of English at William and Mary, has been named assistant to President Sullivan and chief of staff. Kennedy replaces **Virginia L. McLaughlin**, who returned to the School of Education to teach.

Kennedy, who will serve as an adviser to the president on faculty and student matters, is a graduate of the University of Texas and the University of California-Irvine. She joined the William and Mary faculty in 1988. Her areas of academic specialty include contemporary American fiction, feminist criticism and composition theory.



## NEH AWARDS LARGEST IN COLLEGE HISTORY

Robert J. Fehrenbach, professor of English, has been awarded an \$84,000 grant by The National Endowment for the Humanities to continue the work of *Private Libraries in Renaissance England*. Fehrenbach is general editor of *PLRE*, an international historical and bibliographical project he began in 1986. The grant, one of only 38 awards made from over 180 proposals, is the second that Fehrenbach has received from NEH; the first, for \$130,000, supported *PLRE* from 1991 to 1994. The grant total of \$214,000 is the largest combined funding ever awarded by NEH to a single scholarly project at William and Mary.

*PLRE* provides detailed information about private libraries in England from the late-15th century to the mid-17th. Lists of privately owned books are edited and annotated from manuscripts such as personal catalogs, account books and wills, and especially from the thousands of inventories of property recorded for probate during the Tudor and Stuart periods. With the current grant, *PLRE* will complete editing lists drawn from 162 inventories compiled at Oxford University between 1506 and 1653.

## SEVEN SELECTED AS GOVERNOR'S FELLOWS

Six William and Mary graduates and one graduate student had a chance to see state government in action this summer while working in Richmond for Gov. George Allen as part of the Governor's Fellows Program.

The Governor's Fellows Program offers graduates of Virginia colleges and universities an opportunity to work with state cabinet members, agency heads and the governor's personal staff. The program accepted only 29 applicants based on academic records, essay questions and interviews.

"You're with the most dedicated people who are willing to be mentors to hard-working students," said Daniel Rodgers '94, a native of Virginia Beach.

Besides Rodgers, others from William and Mary selected as Fellows were: Tracy Locklin, a graduate student in the Thomas Jefferson Public Policy Program at the College; Ashley Harwell '94 of Chester, Va.; Greg Crist '94 of Lynchburg, Va.; Calvin Cosio '94 of Richmond; Patrick Brandt '94 of Warren, Ohio; and Deborah Ann Krassy '94 of Oakland, N.J.

quainted with old friends, and catch up on 25 years of living. Do please come!

Natalie Hill Zung wrote this spring and sent me a lovely photo of her middle daughter, Marie, who was Homecoming queen at her high school—a lovely choice, if you'll take my word! Her oldest son provided Natalie's first grandchild nearly two years ago. The Zungs live in Missouri in the 1993 Midwest flood zone. They had minor damage, but she said even *that* took months to get fixed and cleaned. Her father had minor damage from the California quakes, so their '93 was really a weather-ruled year. Hope 1994 is going better.

Elizabeth Kidd Dyson responded to my pleas to "lost" folks to get in touch. She is a teacher in nearby Chesterfield County, Va., where her husband is a pastor. They have two children: Kimberly, who graduated from Richard Bland College and now attends VCU, and Craig, a high school sophomore and basketball player. Thanks for writing!

Gayle Harper Davis was in Richmond this summer with her 14-year-old son, Matthew, visiting her parents, who live near me. We had a fun visit one afternoon. Gayle is teaching freshman composition and technical writing at a community college, and her husband works for an Australia-based mining company. They live in New Mexico.

News has not exactly flowed in this summer, but the Society of the Alumni provided the following:

Bob Soter has been named director of allocations and community initiatives for the United Way of Greater Lehigh Valley, Pa. He will be responsible for helping to manage the distribution process that directs funds to programs addressing United Way priorities and community needs. Bob got a master's degree from VCU after graduation.

Bruce and Sue Miller Long are in Poquoson, Va., where Bruce retired from the Army in 1991. He is now a project manager with Computer Sciences Corporation in Newport News. Sue has worked as a music teacher, director and accompanist in the past and currently is doing a lot of volunteer work. They have two daughters—one a graduate of VCU and one from the College—and recently got their first grandchild. Like many in our class, they celebrated their 25th anniversary this spring.

William Ivey Long has a new show on Broadway. He designed costumes for the revival of *Picnic* currently running at the Roundabout Theater. Let's hope he gets another Emmy nomination for his work!

And that's it, friends. Thanks to Bill Clarke, David Daugherty, Rena Dowdy Roszell and Chip Smith, who responded to my call for help in locating missing classmates. I know the rest of you are waiting to get together in person in November. So look for me on DOG Street between the Powder Magazine and Binn's during and after the parade, and I'll be hanging out at the Hospitality Suite as much as Milton will let me. Bring news, bring photos—but be there!

'71

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When Mister Rogers warbles, "Won't you be my neighbor?" Bev Sauer takes him literally. In fact, this summer she moved from rural Maine to Pittsburgh so she could be within a few blocks of his unassuming apartment. Bev is now angling for an invitation from the kindly star: to kick back with some hot cocoa and check out his wardrobe of cardigans. To be honest, a chance to live in Mister Rogers' neighborhood wasn't the only draw for Bev. She also had a juicy job offer from Carnegie Mellon University, where she will be teaching a select handful of students this fall while pursuing her real passion: research on mine safety. This past summer, Bev and 11-year-old daughter Caroline journeyed to England for some "cross-cultural analysis" of mine safety training programs, with the help of Her Majesty's Deputy Chief Inspector of Mines. The field work included one eventful evening when Caroline held forth in a lively discussion of socialism with the infamous "Danny the Red" at a rural pub. Bev has already been in touch with John Hempel, who does esoteric research at the University of Pittsburgh. On a recent trip to Australia, he was nipped by a green-lipped mussel as he was peering down its maw.

Jeryl Mumpower sends a newspaper clipping datelined Tumwater, Wash., that he is "betting dollars to doughnuts" refers to Kinney Valz, who was last seen as a barrister in the Pacific Northwest. The story involves a man who was charged with animal cruelty after suddenly changing lanes in his car and running over an opossum and her seven babies, who were trying to make it across the road. "The man's attorney, Ken Valz, contended that his client was swerving to miss another opossum and that the whole case was ludicrous because the opossum is a pest. He cited a state brochure that advises 'after trapping an opossum, gently submerge the trap in water for 10 minutes.'" Valz's client beat the rap. The judge ruled that Tumwater's animal cruelty law is too vague.

Like a warm island breeze came a nice note of gratitude from Bruce Chapman, who lives in Honolulu. He says he looks forward to the '71 column, and he adds, "I have attended a couple of Hawaii W&M alumni functions. We are a rather small group, but chock full of good folks, nonetheless."

Where Are They Now? Carol Clayman, Stephanie Peat, Bill Mustain, Charlotte Boudreau, Mike Ironmonger, G.C. Morse, William Lotz, Linda Ralston, Herb Teachey, Mark Walling, Jim Wheat, Lewis Brugh, John Morgan, Zoe Hall Monterossi, Joanne Sheehy, Cynthia Cooper Scheller and Dave Bernd.

After years of practicing business and securities law and then for ming a business consulting firm, Jim Miller is finally pursuing a dream: writing novels. He bought a laptop computer and set to work. Jim's first creative effort, *The Convergence*, an environmental thriller, was published last spring. Jim and his wife, Nancy (who's a free-lance publicist and now spreading the word about the book), have lived on the beach in southern California for nearly two decades. They have two sons. One has graduated from U.C. Berkeley and the other is a freshman. Nancy writes, "we could not get them to the old alma mater; the surf on the lake just did not cut it."

Your humble reporter is enjoying a well-earned hiatus from broadcast journalism. I spent two months this summer taking a course at the Option Institute, a wonderful teaching center in the Berkshires (they are renowned for their work with autistic and special needs children and their families). Now, I'm focusing on a book-writing project of my own. Please drop me a line—even just a card—so I will have fresh ammo for future installments. And have an exciting and happy fall season!

## Class notes

'73

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Greetings and salutations. Another school year is about to begin, and we are now officially into our 21st year as W&M grads. Having just received notice of my 25th high school reunion by a computerized reunion conglomerate, I think my early 40s are beginning to sound older.

Our own summer here in eastern New York has been anything but quiet—an Amtrak derailment with 340 passengers, 110 injured but no fatalities; 70,000 people at a three-day "Wings of Eagles" air show; and 25 concert dates at our local theme park with the likes of the Eagles, Santana and CSN made Woodstock II seem like just another long weekend.

News and views from alums is scarce. Brian LaFerriere came back stateside to Florida, having left American Airlines in London to become vice president for Shepherd Systems, a computer consulting company. Wanderlust is still not dead in Brian, since he still travels overseas monthly to explore new markets for Shepherd. Meanwhile, he does find the sunny environs of Florida a tad different than "jolly old England."

A couple of '74s, who by the way will be doing their 20th in the 'Burg Nov. 3-6, have connected again with yours truly. Robert W. Ryan, former Jerseyan, trackster and current sculptor, is now in Frankfort, N.Y., where he and his wife and two kids have "escaped" to safer surroundings from New York City. Bob had a gallery showing with two fellow artists this past June in Syracuse. Dr. Steve Noll, still in Gainesville, Fla., helped rekindle a fond moment of sitting in a Georgetown bar toasting the resignation of the "Great Trickster" in '74 and the end of an era, or was it an error!?

Nevertheless, remember Homecoming '94: W&M will play the University of Maine, the annual Homecoming Ball will be Nov. 4, and the Academic Festival will be back by popular demand. This year's theme, as you've no doubt read in the new-format *Gazette*, is courtesy of Sonny and Cher: "The Beat Goes On." Thankfully, this letter doesn't. Drop me a card, letter, C.O.D., candygram or favorite '94 Major League Player or Owner "greed" trading card. Let's do a better job of keeping each other up on what's going on. Peace.

'75

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Hi y'all!

We're back in the South again, having successfully completed our move to Atlanta. My accent still needs some fine-tuning, but we're adjusting well. As a matter of fact, things are just as crazy here as they were in Wisconsin. A new son has joined the rat race. Philip is 15 and hails from Salzburg, Austria. He's with us for the school year, and our daughter, Sarah, will join Philip's family next week for the year. All this to improve her German? When I catch my breath, I'll let you know how it all works in case anyone is thinking of trying an exchange program.

One of my two letters came from a multilingual classmate, coincidentally. Tom Markham, who speaks Spanish, French and Italian, wrote (in English, thank goodness) to praise last year's Homecoming and to catch us up on his European travels and state-side happenings. To condense it, Tom remarked on a fabulous 300th. He is a Spanish middle school teacher in Virginia Beach and moonlights as a tax preparer for H&R Block and as an instructor in the off-season. Tom spent spring break skiing in Switzerland and remarked that the Europeans have far out-paced the Americans and the British in learning other languages. Tom welcomes any contacts with fellow alumni.

Our other letter came from Jad Kanchanalak Davis, who has followed her husband Craig '74 to Charlottesville, Britain, Iceland and now Northampton, Mass., where he is a professor in the English and Comparative Literature departments at Smith College. Jad works at the Alumnae Association of Smith College as the assistant to the executive director. New England winters find them skiing with 10-year-old Andrew or escaping to Puerto Vallarta for a warm weather break. Jad has kept in touch with Jenny Garrett, who is an elementary school teacher in Charlottesville.

The Alumni Society sent news that Marcia Carl Simpkins, a financial consultant in the Washington, D.C., office of Wheat First Butcher Singer Inc., has been recognized as the firm's top fixed account performer. She is a senior vice president/investment officer and is a member of the firm's senior leadership council. Marcia and her husband, Fred, have two children, Alice, 10, and Crawford, 5. She received her B.A. (1975), M.Ed (1977) and M.B.A. (1978) all from W&M.

Francis W. "Skip" Burkhart III has been the commonwealth attorney of Roanoke County, Va., since 1988, after having served as assistant commonwealth attorney and assistant public defender for the city of Roanoke. In June, the Y.W.C.A. of Roanoke Valley presented "Legal Issues Surrounding Child Abuse and Domestic Violence," with Skip as the featured speaker.

The Alumni Society would like me to remind you that Homecoming is Nov. 3-6, and the theme is "The Beat Goes On." It reflects the beginning of our Fourth Century and represents the continuing spirit of W&M alumni. Be sure to check your Homecoming supplement in the September *Gazette*.

That's the extent of our news. Send cards, letters, pictures, anything! It makes my job so much easier when I don't have to make "stuff" up.

'77

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Believe it or not, electronic mail actually surpassed the U.S. mail this time! I heard from people in our class, as well as folks from several other years. I will pass on all of the news here even though it is technically a "no-no" to write about people from other classes! For those of you who are from classes whose correspondent does not have an e-mail address, you can continue to send me your messages. I will forward them to the

## Class notes

Society of the Alumni for distribution to your class correspondent. If you would like to bypass the middleman, you can send your news directly to the *Alumni Gazette* office at [gazett@mail.wm.edu](mailto:gazett@mail.wm.edu).

**Ian Scott-Fleming** sent his news via e-mail this past spring. He moved to Tucson in 1982 and eventually earned a master's degree in electrical engineering at the University of Arizona in 1987. Ian noted that while he was taking freshman physics at U of A, Rick Schlichting (Associate Professor of Computer Science) was in the building next door, teaching computer science to Ph.D. students! Ian then worked for Bellcore, which meant moving back to New Jersey. Within a year, he found himself back in Tucson on the engineering staff of the Multiple Mirror Telescope at the University of Arizona. He's been there ever since, where his work involves writing computer programs to control the telescope. One of the benefits of his job is that every few weeks he gets to leave his office on campus and spend a few days at the telescope on top of Mount Hopkins. Between the views and the hiking opportunities (not to mention the cooler weather), it's kind of like having a private resort in the mountains. Ian got married in 1992; his wife, Barbara, "came as a package deal," and he gained an instant family, which includes a now-12-year-old daughter (Nora) and a cairn terrier (Toto). Barbara recently completed her Ph.D. in teacher education, and relocation was a definite possibility at the time Ian last wrote.

At about the same time I heard from Ian, I received an e-mail message from **Debb Rush '79**. She took pity upon me and my plea for e-mail, and sent her news. Debb is an elementary teacher in Appomattox, Va., where she teaches kids in the Advanced Learners Program. She noted that she reads this column since she has friends from our class—why don't some of you write in and let Debb know how you are doing?

Last time, I publicly embarrassed **Marnie Montgomery '75** by noting that she had promised an e-mail letter but had not delivered. I would like to offer her a public apology for a cheap trick that worked wonders! Marnie and her husband, **Dave Barton** (although he did start out as a member of our class, he graduated in '76), are alive and well in Northern Virginia. Marnie is taking a sabbatical from her Torpedo Factory studio this year. Lately, she had been feverishly preparing for a show of her work at the Perry House galleries in Alexandria in September. Thanks to the Go Graphics Group, you can see Marnie's work in the Fine Art Forum libraries on CompuServe. She notes that the artwork is low tech, but the venue is anything but. My public embarrassment of Marnie served a dual purpose—I received a nice letter from her and also got an e-mail message from her classmate **Bruce Mullin**, who wanted Marnie's e-mail address. Bruce is a professor of religious history at North Carolina State and is presently on leave finishing up a book. My connection with Marnie and Bruce is through the Canterbury (Episcopal) Association. I had another chance encounter with a Canterbury alumnus when I spent the first week of June in Savannah, Ga., at a conference. I decided to go to the local historic Episcopal church on Sunday, and found the rector to be none other than **Marcus Robertson '76!**

The last bit of e-mail news comes from my home state, Massachusetts. **George Tsahakis** wrote to say that he is halfway through his four-year course of studies at the Greek Orthodox seminary in Brookline. He spent the summer doing his hospital ministry rotation at New England Baptist Hospital in Boston. This past spring, the Tsahakis family participated in their first Passover celebration with **George Baquis** and his family and friends in Longmeadow, Mass. Another Pi Kappa Alpha brother has joined the Georges in New England—**Steve Smith '80** finished his master's in hospital administration at MCV this spring, and he and his family have moved to New Hampshire, where Steve will be using his skills to manage the business aspects of a physicians' group practice.

**Leigh Seward Huston** sent news from Virginia Beach. Her husband, Jeff, recently completed his doctorate in business and economics and is an economist with Virginia Natural Gas. Leigh has been busy with civic work, volunteering for the arts and several children's organizations in the community. When time permits, Leigh is still an avid equestrian. She and Jeff are hoping to make it to some football games this fall.

The U.S. Mail also brought news from **Kitty Dichtel Heffington**. She and a group of W&M '77 and '78 alumni met this summer at the New York Deli in Williamsburg. The other folks at the mini-reunion included **Steve Gravely** of Richmond; **Dale Lee** of Fredericksburg, Va.; **Debbie Vanbibber Berry '78** of Maple Valley, Wash.; **Rita Soler Ossolinski '78** of Washington, D.C.; and **Liz Tredennick '78** of Arvada, Colo. Kitty said they all agreed that Jimmy and Kiki's subs still taste great!

The final bits of news are courtesy of the Alumni Society. This past May **Aida Thomas** served as a facilitator for a program in Richmond titled "Small Business Financing—There Are Ways." Aida is a specialist in small business accounting and planning, as well as trusts and real estate work. And last but certainly not least, our own **Michael Krass** designed the costumes for the Classic Stage Company's presentation of *The Triumph of Love* in New York City this past spring! That's all I have for now—keep those cards and letters and e-mail messages coming! My next deadline is in mid-November; I hope to hear from many of you about your holiday plans.

'79

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It is hard to believe that it has been 19 years since the Class of 1979 arrived on campus—here we are celebrating our 15th Reunion! I hope that the Class of '79 has a record turnout. Make sure to send in lots of news! Reunion Chair **Lela Early Martin** and fellow committee members have put plenty of hard work and planning into the reunion so when you see them, thank them!

**Cathy Allen Slater** and husband **Doug '80** are headed overseas, where they will be the directors of a medical project in Moscow for the World Medical Mission. Cathy just completed her chief residency year in dermatology at the University of Rochester. Cathy was one of four dermatologists to win the British Academy of Dermatology scholarship to study in England this past summer. She also received an Upjohn Young Investigator grant for her research in dermatology and has recently published an article in the *New England Journal of Medicine*. The Slaters have three children: Nathaniel, Emily and Maria.

**Catherine Sentman** is a projects consultant for the National Association of Schools

of Music in addition to teaching private music lessons and working with the elder hostel program at Peabody. Catherine received her master's and doctoral degrees from the Peabody Conservatory of Music and lives in Bethesda, Md., with new husband, John Anderson. John is an architect and a former member of the U.S. Whitewater Canoe Team. He is currently designing the venue for the whitewater events of the 1996 Olympics.

**Gregory A. Wheeler** received his master's degree in education from Lynchburg College. **Margaret Nelson Phillips** is currently assistant commonwealth's attorney for Campbell County, Va. **John Kitchen** is an economist with the U.S. Department of Agriculture. **Elizabeth Leeper** is an assistant professor of church history at Wartburg Theological Seminary in Iowa.

**Bob Rothacker** is a partner in a large Milwaukee-based law firm where he practices labor and employee benefits law. He is married to a University of Michigan law school classmate and resides in Whitefish Bay, Wis. **Nancy Fahey Smith** was awarded a grant of \$1,200 from the Office of Multidisciplinary Education at Pima Community College in Tucson, Ariz. Her proposal was titled "Functioning in the Global Economy: Computer Assisted Learning in French," and its premise is that, as the world economy becomes global, fluency in foreign languages becomes vital for more and more people joining the business world. Nancy has already obtained several pieces of software and implemented a writing assistant program in her intermediate French class. Nancy is an adjunct faculty member at Pima Community College.

**Renee Diggan Laychur**, assistant vice president of Kidder, Peabody & Co. Inc., was recently awarded the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation. Renee and family live in Hughsville, Pa. **Grace Aaron** was chosen "Teacher of the Year" at Gretna (Va.) Middle School. She teaches students in grades eight through 12 at Gretna High School and Gretna Middle School.

**Jaime Ayash** and wife visited Williamsburg for the Tercentenary. Jaime is living in Cascais, Portugal, and working for F.C.B. **Beth Lorimer Bahner**, animal collections manager at the Philadelphia Zoo, recently led a "Zoofari" trip to the Galapagos Islands. She has also been a volunteer scuba diver at the New Jersey State Aquarium, doing dive demonstrations and caring for approximately 50 species of fish!

**Shawn Fulford** writes from Massachusetts where she leads a busy life teaching math at Phillips Academy in Andover and working as a missionary. A fellow resident of Massachusetts, **Dr. Laura Carman**, is the medical staff vice president at Whidden Memorial Hospital in Everett. Laura, who is a member of the hospital's emergency department, teaches at Northeastern University's EMT program, at the South Middlesex Emergency Medical Service System and is an instructor in Advanced Trauma Life Support at Boston University.

**Jeri Hanel Watts** continues her writing career, publishing articles like mad and winning first place in the Harriette Arrow Fiction Contest for 1992 and honorable mention in the Writer's Digest Fiction Contest of 1992. Jeri and husband Chuck live in Lexington with their two daughters, Mary and Ellen.

**Linda Hill** and husband **Paul Sundquist** are happily settled in Harrisonburg, where Paul is the chief financial officer of a locally owned company. Linda stays busy at home raising their three sons and home-schooling the older ones.

**Jon Horovitz** is director of sales for McCaw Cellular Communications' New York/New Jersey property, Cellular One. Jon joined McCaw in March 1991 after a long career with Sony Corp. The Horovitz family lives in New Jersey with their two daughters, Jeanne and Megan.

**Stephen Macedo** is an associate professor in the government department at Harvard University. Stephen's fields are political theory and American constitutionalism. Steven has published extensively and won numerous grants and fellowships. **Janette Hansen** is a geologist with the EPA and has spoken at Career Exploration Day at the

## CLASS OF '97 STRENGTHENS LAW SCHOOL

The traditionally strong student body at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law has been further strengthened with the addition of the class of 1997.

With only 20 percent of the 3,392 first-year applicants offered admission, the class of 1997 consists of 44-percent women and 56-percent men from 89 different colleges and universities. More than 10 percent of the class holds undergraduate degrees from the College.

The class has a median undergraduate grade point average of 3.43 and a median LSAT score in the 92nd percentile. Twelve students have earned post baccalaureate degrees in subject areas as diverse as engineering, economics, international relations, urban planning and medicine.

Almost half have full-time work experience in legal or public administration professions or in fields such as engineering, accounting, teaching, research and journalism. Musicians, debaters and varsity athletes are among the new students.

First-year students arrive on campus in mid-August for a week-long introduction to law school and the legal profession. These activities are part of the Legal Skills Program, which teaches lawyering skills, professional responsibility and ethics by having students engage in simulated legal practice. This program was the first recipient of the American Bar Association's Gambrell Award for Professionalism.

Whether or not you're planning to attend Homecoming, make sure you order a '94 Homecoming t-shirt. This 100% cotton, pre-shrunk shirt displays the green and gold Homecoming '94 logo—"The Beat Goes On"—representing the continuing spirit of generations of William and Mary alumni. Catch the spirit and order yours! See the registration form in the Homecoming supplement.

## Catch the Homecoming



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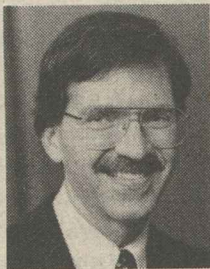
## ECONOMIC GROWTH RAPIDLY TRANSFORMING CHINA

When Craig Canning visited Beijing in 1992, very few yellow taxis or *miandi* occupied the city's streets. When he returned to the Chinese city in June, Beijing was inundated with the cars.

For Canning, the proliferation of *miandi* exemplifies the rapid economic transformation China has undergone not only in the last decade, but particularly in recent years.

"It is nearly impossible to fully grasp the scale and pace of change in China today without actually going there and seeing for yourself," said Canning, associate director of the Reves Center for International Studies at William and Mary. "The [American] media can't begin to capture the sense of dynamism that is sweeping China."

As a scholar escort for the Fulbright



Summer Seminar on Chinese History and Culture, Canning accompanied 16 social studies teachers chosen from the primary, secondary and university levels to mainland China and Hong Kong. In addition to activities designed to immerse the group in China and its culture, participants attended lectures by Chinese instructors at Beijing Normal University on topics such as economic reform, population policy, women and the family and human rights in China.

Canning, who has participated in the program four times since 1986 and has visited China frequently since 1980, said that he has observed more change there in the last two years than at any other time during the past decade.

One obvious sign that the country is undergoing rapid economic development is the arrival of gridlock. "For a nation that formerly moved mainly on bicycles, gridlock was an unheard of phenomenon," Canning said. "Today it is a chronic problem in Shanghai, Beijing and other large cities."

Mass migration of Chinese to the cities has helped precipitate an explosion in building development. In Shanghai, construction is occurring around the clock, and the city is literally being transformed overnight.

Despite the stress that economic development has placed on infrastructure and housing, Canning believes that the quality of life continues to improve significantly for most Chinese.

College. Janette, husband John Haynes and son Robert are residents of Silver Spring, Md. Robert Keroack is an assistant manager at Cascades Restaurant and Meeting Center and does free-lance photography in his spare time. Robert and wife Teri have two children and reside here in the 'Burg.

M. Stuart McElhane is a senior geologist working in Shell's International group, "Pecten," and is assistant fire chief of the local department. The McElhanes reside in Houston. Starke Jett, photographic journalist, has won many awards for his work, including ones from the Virginia Press Association and the Virginia News Photographers Association. Starke had an exhibit at the Kinsdale Museum from Nov. 1993 through January 1994. The exhibit was entitled "Chesapeake Images: Photographs by Starke Jett."

Anna Barron Billingsley is a medical writer for the *Richmond Times-Dispatch*. Anna writes of people who are facing illness and death and won a Virginia Press Association best-in-show award for a story written about a 12-year-old leukemia victim. Andy Pare lives in the 'Burg where he is a realtor with Berkeley Realty. Richard Walker and family currently reside in Chevy Chase, Md. Richard is an assistant professor of geology at the University of Maryland. Twyla Thomas lives in Honolulu and is editor at the U.S. Geological Survey, Water Resources District Office.

Meg Lewis and husband David Sebberson recently returned from a summer in the United Kingdom, visiting such locales as Edinburgh, the Isle of Skye and London. They even spent a week in Paris! Meg teaches economics at the College of St. Benedict and resides in Saint Cloud, Minn.

I left the shoe business after 10 years of running shoe stores and have made the leap to underwear, hosiery and sportswear. I am currently managing The Jockey Store here in Williamsburg. I hope to see lots of Phi Mus and other classmates at Homecoming this year. Be sure and send lots of news and have a wonderful time!

'81

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Well hello, everyone! After 13 years of virtual silence, I figured writing this column would be a way to get in touch with everybody at once, since I'm such a lousy letter writer. So please, drop me line and let me know what you've been up to all these years, even if you haven't gotten hitched, spawned 2.6 of the world's most delightfully gorgeous and well-behaved children, and moved into a luxurious 1890s estate manor home you refurbished in your spare time while completing a law degree and Ph.D. in advanced molecular physics.

Just to show that there are some real people in our class, Catherine Elizabeth Holmes confesses that she bagged her degree in East Asian studies in favor of massage school, and is now a full-time therapist living in Vienna, Va. She is engaged to Bart Conrath, an electrical engineer, and they spend their spare time camping, making beer, eating dim sum and watching old episodes of *Star Trek: The Next Generation*. Catherine is considering a second (third? I think the studies count!) career as a naturopathic physician. She lives with two calico cats named Amelia and Zelda. As someone else who abandoned a degree in East Asian studies, just let me say, "Way to go, Catherine!" And oh, just a little lower and to the left, please.

Cheryl Hogue, a fellow *Flat Hat* alum, lives a few blocks from me in Silver Spring. In May 1993, Cheryl married Doug Hunt, a United Church of Christ minister and the head of a network of non-profit organizations dealing with the United Nations Conference on Population and Development, which was held in Cairo in September. Cheryl is still covering international issues for *Daily Environment Report*, a publication of the Bureau of National Affairs in Washington. She is also working on a master's degree in environmental earth science and policy at Johns Hopkins University.

Cheryl reports that Rebecca Young is back in the United States after three years overseas. Rebecca is enrolled at Columbia Seminary in Decatur, Ga., where she is studying to be a Presbyterian minister, following in the footsteps of both her mother and father.

David A. Hirsch in June joined the Fairfax, Va., law firm of Mendelsohn & Ishee, P.C. (no, that does not mean politically correct). Since January, David has also been working part time as a legal instructor at the Northern Virginia Criminal Justice Academy, teaching rookies criminal law and procedure, court organization and procedure, evidence and courtroom testimony, and the proper way to say, "Just the facts, ma'am." Who needs a crime bill when David's on the job?

A mysterious wedding announcement in the mail had my wife and me wondering who we knew in Spokane, Wash. Turns out it was Gwyn Hambley, who married Donald N. Dowie Jr. on May 30. The announcement was forwarded by Gwyn's father, Bill, who reported proudly that she had been practicing law "at the real nitty-gritty level," running a legal clinic for Gonzaga (Wash.) University Law School, handling senior law students in representing Indian civil law defendants in the tribal courts of the Spokane and Coeur d'Alene Indian tribes. By the time this is published, Gwyn and Donald should be relocated to the D.C. area, where she will be an associate in the Washington office of Winthrop Stinson, a New York City-based law firm. From nitty-gritty to high power! Way to go, Gwyn.

If you're looking for a good book to read, Bill Pincus has written *The Problem of Gauguin's Therapist*, published in February by Avebury Academic Press. The book is a "theoretical reflection on the implications of modern language theory for the classification

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and treatment of madness."

After graduating in '81, Bill took a master's in clinical psychology at Duquesne University and worked as a therapist and clinical supervisor of other therapists for more than 10 years. He is a licensed professional counselor and a certified alcoholism counselor. In 1992, without enough to do already, Bill entered Marshall-Wythe to pursue a law degree. He is on staff with the *William and Mary Law Review* and a member of the W&M National Moot Court team. He wrote most of the book during his first three semesters there.

My predecessor in this job, Patricia Stevens Hazard, finished her M.P.A. and was selected as a finalist for the prestigious Presidential Management Internship, a two-year program leading to a career with the federal government. Patti, I know you're busy, but you haven't sent me the orange, glow-in-the-dark belt.

Peter Earl Paine and Stephanie Elise Burks '91 J.D. were married June 4 in Newport News, Va. Peter is Virginia district sales manager of A&M Industrial Supply Company of Rahway, N.J. Stephanie is taking up a new position as associate for the Newport News law firm of Mason and Mason after a stint at the Court of Appeals of Virginia in Richmond.

Dave Witt has been acting and directing theater productions throughout Virginia. Last March, Dave and his wife, Linda, performed together at the Shenandoah Valley Art Center in Waynesboro.

I ran into Stewart Manning, with wife and two kids in tow, outside the Jefferson Memorial one rainy day this spring. Stewart is working in some scientific job in North

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Carolina. Drop me a line, please, Stewart, so I can get the facts straight.

For my first "Where Are They Now?" paragraph, I'll be a jerk and name several old friends I haven't heard from. Anyone know the whereabouts of **Mike Clem**, **Chip Brown**, **Dave Paulson** (sorry, Dave, I lost your address!), **Kathy Edmonston** (ditto), **Barry Sharp**, **Sue Line**, **Kathy Bess**, **Mitchell Kirsch**, **Mark Hilbrink**, **Maria Fakadej** or **Susan Amato**?

Perhaps that will anger them enough to drop me a line or pick up the phone. To any old friends I didn't mention, don't take it personally. Just let me know where you are and what you've been up to all these years.

See, that wasn't so bad. I didn't even call anyone "Bruce."

'83

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Doesn't the fall make you nostalgic for school days (the friends and fun part, not the studying)? Anyhow, Bryan and I just returned from St. Martin to find that fall has arrived in Bucks County, just in time for Labor Day. And with the arrival of fall, it appears that many classmates are looking forward to new and exciting personal and professional challenges. On the job front, **John and Suzy Halboth Graham**, along with their two children, are headed to Salt Lake City, where John accepted a job as assistant professor of finance at the University of Utah. John recently finished his Ph.D. in finance at Duke's Fuqua School of Business. **John Johnson**, recently graduated from the M.B.A. program at Wharton, is beginning a new career as a management consultant with the New York office of A. T. Kearney, specializing in strategy and operations consulting while his wife, Judy, continues her career as a physical therapist.

I recently received a copy of an article reporting that **David Vaughn** joined the Eastern Shore Community College staff. David is charged with recruiting students for the college's occupational technical programs and providing a variety of career and job placement services for these students. David and his wife have two daughters. Before accepting her new challenge as vice president of consulting services for Nielsen Marketing Research, **Sheila Muir** spent two weeks exploring Southeast Asia, including Hong Kong, Bali and Singapore. Sheila, who lives in California, also did some more local sightseeing when **Megan Lott '82** visited during the July Fourth weekend.

Congratulations to **Robert Bradshaw Jr.**, who was recently promoted to vice president of sales and marketing with Datatrace Information Services Co., a Richmond-based subsidiary of Lawyers Title Insurance. Even I've moved to a new assignment (but still within Bell Atlantic), directing the company's shareowner services. Lots to learn, but it's challenging!

Congratulations also to **Deborah Krasich Munson**, who received her M.B.A. from Oklahoma State University in May. Deborah resides in Owasso, Okla., with husband Greg, and she is employed by the City of Tulsa as a special programs administrator in the Urban Development Department.

Now on to the personal front. I have several marriages, celebrations and births to share, starting with **Angela Huffman**, who was planning an August wedding to James Stewart Jr. Angela is employed by The Country Club of Virginia. **Robin Dove** married Alan Crews in May. Robin works as a program support technician at Southern Virginia Mental Health Institute. Last January, **John Rebstock** and his partner, Terrence Doyle, celebrated their relationship with a commitment ceremony. The ceremony was attended by about 120 people, including W&M alumni **Bill Austin**, **Christy Notel Obrst** and husband Leo, and **Terry Hayes '82** and **Ed Wheelless**, who both helped by putting up out-of-towners in their apartments.

Onto the births. **Betsy Beasley Zolper** and husband, John, celebrated the birth of their second child, Elizabeth, last August. The Zolpers have lived in Albuquerque for the last five years, where Betsy has become reacquainted with **Mary Hadon Morse '81** through a mother's group at their church. Betsy is a volunteer coordinator for social projects for the local Christian Family Movement. **Karen Anderson Panchision** and husband Rob also celebrated the birth of their second child, Kaitlin Rose, last December. The Panchisions built a house in Yorktown on two acres, where Australian shepherd Kiki loves to roam. Landscaper husband Rob has been busy putting in a vegetable garden, rose garden and fish pond—complete with water fall.

While the Panchisions have been working outside a lot, **Carol Mcguire McCue** and husband Ken have been busy decorating the interior of their new home. (The outside is next!) Last February, Carol and Ken went on a safari to Kenya, where they saw the "big five": elephant, lion, leopard, buffalo and rhino. They even had a monkey in the lodge room. Carol reported that **Rani Anne** was vacationing in Germany for a few weeks and that **Mary Evans Suski** and husband Mike had moved to Jamison, Pa.

Bryan, Marissa and I recently enjoyed a fun visit from **Michele Martin Grossman**, husband Bob, and 1-year-old Ian. Ian slept in Marissa's crib, which we still keep in her room to house all of her stuffed animals. Marissa slept in her day bed, so I guess you could call that her first sleepover!

That's it for now. Keep your cards and calls coming. Also, if anyone is interested in becoming our next class reporter, please let me know. While I've thoroughly enjoyed receiving all your cards and calls over the last 11 years, I'm sure everyone would welcome a change. Until the next (and probably my last) column, happy hayrides and pumpkin painting!

'85

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A short column this time. I hope to see you all at Homecoming in Nov.. I will be there, notebook in hand. Please feel free to fill me in if you see me.

**Annemarie DiNardo Cleary** and her husband, **Pat '84**, had their first baby, Emma Anne, in February. Unfortunately, Pat was out at sea at the time. He is still flying jets for the Navy. Annemarie is back at her law practice after an enjoyable maternity leave. Pat and Annemarie are still living in Virginia Beach.

**Marcie Harrison** and **Marlon Mattis '86** gave birth to their first child, Samuel Harrison Mattis, in March. After her maternity leave, Marcie returned to her job as senior docket attorney for the Internal Revenue Service, District Council in Manhat-

tan. Marlon is the worldwide systems group manager for Latin America and Asia Pacific Computer Communications for the advertising firm of BBDO Worldwide. At the time of Samuel's birth, Marcie and Marlon were searching for a house in Princeton, N.J. Hopefully, they have found one by now.

Another March baby, Rachel Kay, was born to **Mary Ryland Healy** and **Terry Healy**. Terry is running his own firm, Tidewater Recovery Associates, and has completed his master's at Georgetown University in liberal studies. He's putting his knowledge to good use as an adjunct lecturer in philosophy and humanities at Paul D. Camp Community College, where he is teaching three classes this semester, and with the recent publication of a book of poems titled *Tidewater Musings*. Mary was recently promoted to assistant treasurer at FDGM, a government contractor located in Chesapeake, Va. Mary and Terry are helping with the newly formed W&M alumni chapter for the south-of-the-James River area, with Mary serving as treasurer and Terry serving as vice president.

Babies are abounding. **Laurie Cogswell Barbagallo** and her husband, Michael, gave birth to their second child, Elizabeth Ann, in March. The baby's name was chosen after the middle names of both Laurie's and Michael's mothers. Their oldest, John William (named after the first names of both grandfathers) is now three years old. Laurie is still teaching geometry at Loudon Valley High School, grades 9-12. And Laurie would like to send her love to **Valerie Krowe Shostak** and **Brooke Kirk**.

**Richard Jones** married Gabrielle Kesler in May in Williamsburg. After a honeymoon in Hawaii, Richard and Gabrielle came back to Williamsburg.

**Venecia Doane** is engaged to Charles Grant and planning a June wedding. Venecia works for the Manchester YMCA, and Charles works for Command Marketing in Chesterfield, Va.

I received a long letter from **Dave Butler**. He finished his residency in radiation oncology last summer and stayed on the faculty of the University of Louisville to teach, research and treat patients for the last year. In July, Dave moved to St. Louis to start a private practice at St. Luke's Hospital. **Breck Hall** is working in Richmond after getting his M.B.A. from W&M two years ago. He is currently a manager with Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Virginia and just bought a new house in Byrd Park on the lake. Chris Walker is still working on Capitol Hill as senior legislative aide to Congressman Tom Lantos. He just purchased a huge townhouse with a jacuzzi on a lake in Reston.

Dave attended the wedding of **Jen Cox** and **Rick Evans** in May in Richmond, Va. Also in attendance were **Tracy Sinnott**, **Mary Kosko Oates '86**, **Mary Willis Page**, **Anne Kirk Gensheimer '84**, **Mary Gallagher '88**, **Kim Eckert Failon** and her husband **Brian '83**. Dave said that Jen made a beautiful bride, wearing a family veil from the 1800s. Jen and Rick honeymooned for two weeks in the Northwest: a one-week Alaskan cruise, followed by another week exploring the outdoors of Canada and Washington state. Dave hosted a post-wedding reception in Louisville for those guests unable to make the trip to Richmond. The theme was "house and garden" to help the newlyweds prepare for their move to their new house in Charlottesville. Jen has been living in Louisville for the past 9 years, obtained her master's in social work from the University of Louisville and has been working as a licensed clinical social worker for the past two years for a regional hospital corporation. Jen moved to Charlottesville in August because Rick started law school at U.Va.

**Anne Kirk Gensheimer** has four adorable little girls, all of whom were in the wedding. **Mary Willis Page** and **Mary Kosko Oates** were both bridesmaids, Dave was a reader and Tracy, Kim and Brian were all celebrants at the rehearsal dinner held at the Commonwealth Club. **Mary Kosko Oates** managed to finish her medical boards just in time to catch a plane to Richmond from California. She and her husband began practicing in Santa Barbara in July. **Mary Willis Page** has a 19-month-old boy and loves being a mom in North Carolina. Anne is also busy as a mother, and has just moved from Atlanta to Pittsburgh with her husband and family. Tracy is a lobbyist for Aetna Insurance Company and loves her job in D.C. **Kim Failon** is working for the Virginia Independent School Association.

**Dave Butler** also reported that **Lynn Taber Peters '86** graduated from the University of Richmond with an M.B.A. and is working as a manager for an insurance firm in Richmond. **Jenny Thompson '86** is moving up the corporate ladder at Booz Allen and has bought a new condo in Falls Church, Va. **Karen Prentiss Braun '87** and hubby **Dave '87** gave birth to a child in June. **Chris Meily Forman '86** and her husband are still living in Richmond. Chris is a social worker, and Dave owns and runs a pharmacy. **Ed Holt '86** is working for Abercrombie and Fitch in Columbus, Ohio, as a marketing executive.

**Bill Wagner** is a corporate attorney on Wall Street. He and his wife, Cindy, live on the Jersey shore with their four children: Dylan, 5, Harrison, 3, Mary Gibson, 2, and Isabel Rose, 10 months.

**Keith Clark** received his Ph.D. in English from U.N.C.-Chapel Hill in May. **Rayna Turner Brown** married the Rev. David Brown last October. **Nina Ryerson Quistorff** married an Englishman and moved to London in the late 1980s. Working and training now as an accountant, she has gained several master's degrees in other disciplines and concentrates her spare time on animal welfare, environmental campaigning and real estate sociology.

**Travis Witt** passed the Virginia bar exam and has joined the law firm of Joseph R. Johnson Jr. and Associates in Lynchburg, Va., where he will practice family, real estate, personal injury and criminal law. Travis graduated from the University of Richmond this year and was previously a Virginia state trooper. He moved to Lynchburg with his wife, **Karen Salmon**, and son, Taylor.

**Dave and Diane Limm Warren** are expecting their first child in January. I visited **Lindsey Willis Stravitz**, who has decided to slow the pace of her life by not practicing law. She is pursuing other interests and enjoying the quiet country life west of Richmond with husband **Todd Stravitz '82**.

**Dwight '83** and I vacationed in Europe again this summer. We'd be happy to tell you all about our extensive beer review covering Belgium, the Netherlands and Denmark. We have missed our calling!

'87

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**Matthew William McGirney** arrived just in time for my deadline! He was born Aug. 26 in Tampa, Fla. to proud parents **Linda Seiden McGirney** and husband, Michael. Congratulations!

### NOT EXACTLY KIDDIE CHEM

**David Kranbuehl**, a professor of chemistry at the College, is actively involved in the Community Partnership for Excellence in Education. Recently **Kranbuehl** has been putting his expertise into a prototype science curriculum at **Norge (Va.) Elementary School**. The program will update the school system by bringing in outside experts to supplement the teaching staff and replace obsolete textbooks with up-to-the-moment science periodicals. The goal of the program is to get students excited about learning.

### NAGASHIMA, WATKINSON TO RECEIVE COLLEGE PRENTIS AWARDS

**Shin-ichiro Nagashima**, chairman and president of **Canon Virginia Inc.**, and **Madelynn W. Watkinson**, a Williamsburg resident who has been active in beautifying the campus landscape, have been awarded the 1994 Prentis Awards by William and Mary.

Nagashima was honored for his support of the College as a local business leader.

Begun 14 years ago, the Prentis Award is named for the Prentis Store, an 18th-century retail store on Duke of Gloucester Street. Prentis Store became known in the community for its fair wages, good merchandise and sound, innovative business practices. Likewise, the Prentis family was noted for its service to the town and the College.

### AMERICANS, JAPANESE MEET AT COLLEGE

American and Japanese citizens from all walks of life came together to discuss issues of mutual concern in October at William and Mary during the fourth Japan-America Grassroots Summit.

The summit was sponsored by the Japan-Virginia Society and The Manjiro Societies of Japan and the United States. Manjiro is a non-profit educational and cultural exchange organization based in McLean, Va.

The event attracted some 200 Japanese, including government and political officials.

ADAMS TO RECEIVE  
MEDAL OF MERIT

Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Society of the Alumni, has been named a 1994 recipient of Ohio University's highest alumni award, the Medal of Merit, for "distinction in university advancement and service to alma mater."



Adams was executive director of the Ohio University Alumni Association for 10 years prior to accepting his post at the Society in 1987. Under his leadership, the alumni program at OU grew to national prominence, receiving numerous professional and creative achievement awards, including the Council for Advancement and Support of Education's Grand Gold Award for best overall program, an achievement the Alumni Society also claimed this year.

He is the only alumni professional nationwide who has ever earned the gold award for the Most Improved Alumni Association and the Grand Gold for the Best Overall Program at two different universities.

In addition, Adams has continued work with Ohio University, his alma mater, in an advisory capacity, serving on the alumni and development boards of the College of Communication.

Adams earned both his bachelor's in journalism and his master's in international affairs from OU.

## CAPITAL PROJECTS

Renovation and expansion of Earl Gregg Swem Library topped the list of capital improvement projects detailed recently by President Sullivan during a Sept. 28 joint hearing of General Assembly finance committees.

Also on the College's list were renovations to the science facilities in Millington, Small and Rogers halls. A combination of increased demand and aging laboratory and lecture spaces is driving the need for the improvements.

Sullivan also said that a continuing program of dormitory renovations—costing about \$17.1 million over the next eight years—would improve living conditions in 17 major buildings and housing complexes.

Marsha Fishburne Lycan and I had dinner recently with Amy Flint '86, who just returned from a few years in Germany with the Army. She's still in the Army and working in Alexandria. She arrived in April, so is still getting readjusted to America. Her family moved south from New York a few years back, so she's close to home.

Karen Ranhorn '83 married Ralph Cetrulo in Delaware in July. After a two-week honeymoon in Greece, they returned to work, where Karen is in retail as a buyer, and Ralph is a C.P.A. Bridesmaids included Marie Johnston '78, Kristine Hudson '88 (planning an October 1994 wedding in Atlanta) and Cheryl Mack '88.

Cheryl and husband Harold '86 are living in Chesapeake with their baby girl, Taylor. Harold works for State Farm in Hampton.

Stacy Zeman '90 and Joe Denoyer tied the knot in Alexandria in July. Stacy is back with Earl Palmer Brown and Joe is still the insurance man around town. Holly Barrett '88 was down from Connecticut to serve as one of Stacy's bridesmaids. There were so many W&M alums on hand I could not possibly begin to name them! Stacy was a beautiful bride!

Andrea Romig Burns is back in Reading, Pa., where she's working in the emergency room as a physician's assistant. Husband Brian is on duty in Saudi Arabia until next summer, so she will keep busy working while he is away.

Doug and Raelene Wagoner moved to Mexico City last summer. Doug works for EDS and accepted a position as finance director in Mexico. Raelene works for them too—as the telecommunications manager. They have come across quite a few good opportunities since the signing of the NAFTA agreement, and have been quite busy. They have managed to take advantage of the area and have travelled extensively in the small towns and along the beaches of Mexico, and parts of Central and South America. They expect to be back in the states later this year.

Beth Buzzard Armstrong and husband John had a baby boy, Christopher Brent, earlier this year. They vacationed in Duck, N.C. in August with Don Mosier, his wife Michelle, and their 1-year-old son, John, and their 9-year-old daughter, Ashley.

Lynn Flaherty Dommel and Paul '86 had a baby girl, Alison Michelle, on May 10. Lynn took some time off to be at home with her daughter for a while but planned on returning to work at the IRS this fall. Paul works in consulting for Booz, Allen, and Hamilton in Bethesda, Md.

Andrea Smelzer Brazil and husband Scott '84 had a busy summer preparing for their first baby due in September and planning a vacation in Canada that they took in August. Andrea and Scott see a lot of Scott and Kay Fanestil Gilbert, Brant and Julie Lopp Andrews, and Dave '85 and Diane Limm Warren.

Ross Spicer took a break from the law firm this summer and took off for Alaska with Mary Suchenski '89, where they are working at a resort. They are due back in the D.C. area in a few months.

Kathleen McCarthy '88 married Harry Sober on June 11. Sister Megan McCarthy '88 was her maid-of-honor. They honeymooned in the Caribbean, and both are now back at work at PRC in McLean, and living in Alexandria. The reception was held at the Army-Navy Country Club in Arlington and was just like a fairy tale from what I hear. Alums on hand to celebrate included Karen Sheehan, Rob and Margaret Weathersbee McLemore, Carrie Harrison and Melinda Speer.

Beth Armstrong and Cindy Clark have been throwing around the idea of a "Ludwell 702" reunion this fall. If you should be a part of it—get in touch with them A.S.A.P.!

Lizzie Gonda is in her residency in foot and ankle surgery at Presbyterian Hospital in Philadelphia. She earned her D.P.M. degree in 1992 and will be working in Philadelphia for the next two years.

Chris Kidder is still in Europe, having moved from Spain to Belgium to help start up a new company called Terracottem. It consists of six people in their late 20s, and because of its small size, Chris travels quite a bit—normally staying two weeks at a time in Spain, and then on to countries in the Asian Pacific and North Africa. He opened their office in Singapore in March, and their Moroccan office in Casablanca in May. Chris is deputy director of the company and it has done quite well, now selling in 36 countries. He's seen Eric Jowett a few times whenever he stops on his way back from trips to the Republic of Russia.

Susan Parker Lauer became a mother on New Year's Eve! She and husband Carl are parents of Elizabeth Lee. They had to contend with a move to Fredericksburg, Va., and becoming parents, so they've had quite a year. Susan began teaching preschool this fall, which leaves her afternoons open for Elizabeth. Thanks for the photo, Susan—she's gorgeous!

Ted Zoller and wife Allison also are new parents. Courtney Madelyn was born on May 15 in Northern Virginia. I'm sure she's already an active member in the Metro-D.C. Alum Chapter, of which father Ted is an officer.

John Peluso married Mary Blair Motley on April 8 at St. Mary's chapel at Chatham Hall. John received his master's in business administration in July from VCU and is working at Wheat First Butcher Securities as vice president in their correspondent services division. Mary Blair is a graphic designer in their marketing department. They honeymooned in Aruba and are living in Richmond.

Stephanie Thompson married Patrick Hermes in Germany on June 18. Since most of their friends couldn't make it to the wedding, they held a reception in Hampton. Lots of alums filled the guest list: Terri Pfeiffer Wise (married Kevin Wise last summer), Betty Whitman Cook and husband Bob, Karen Libucha Kouagou (married Alphonse on May 28), Grant Sackin '88, Steve Sacks '88, Dawn Boyce '88 and Dawn's husband, Rich Knight. After the party, they flew to Key West where they were pampered by Andrea Markus-O'Grady and husband Brian at Duval Gardens, a bed-and-breakfast that they've been running since February.

Sharon Varallo, who is working on a master's degree in Ohio, recently called Stephanie to say she was too busy to make it to the reception but passed on news: Ray Nardo and Rob Skoff each got married this summer; Amy Dawson is working for the U.S. government in Madrid, Spain; and Tom Neuhauser and his wife, Koukla, are both physicians and are living in Texas.

Mark Hoerrner is to be married Nov. 5 to Karen Mendalka. They met at law school. Mark recently switched from one NYC law firm to another. Best of luck! Now that is a good excuse for missing Homecoming!

## Class notes

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Greetings, everyone! It's hard to believe another school year has begun here at W&M, and I have started my last year of law school. Homecoming is just around the corner, and we all know what that means—our FIVE-YEAR REUNION! Incredible, isn't it? I hope you all plan to attend and that you received the information on all of the events, but just in case you didn't, here's a quick run-down of what is taking place:

On Saturday, there will be a Luncheon-on-the-Lawn from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the north lawn of the Alumni House, \$8.50 adults, \$5 children. Our class photo will be taken on Saturday at 12:35 p.m. (don't be late!) on the north lawn of the Alumni House, \$15 per print. On Saturday from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m., we will have a cocktail and class party at the Tidewater A & B rooms at the new University Center, featuring the band "Eddie from Ohio," \$17.50 per person. Our class headquarters, for checking in and catching up with former classmates, is the Holiday Inn Downtown. On Friday there will be an Academic Festival on campus including many W&M professors. All weekend a registration tent, gift shop and beverages service will be on the front lawn of the Alumni House. Don't forget to register early! (See the registration form in the Homecoming supplement of September's *Gazette* or call 804-221-1174.)

Of course, the highlight of the weekend will be the football game at 1 p.m. against Maine. If all of this just isn't enough for you, feel free to stop by a tailgate party my law school friends and I are having before, during and after the game. We'll be on the baseball field with *two kegs* and lots of green and yellow balloons (not unlike everyone else out there!).

A big thanks to everyone who wrote in this time—I received tons of exciting information about our classmates. First, here's some news from the Alumni House:

Edward Joseph Bohan graduated on June 4 from the Dickinson School of Law. Richie Stevens was named the 1993 Outstanding New Professional by the Virginia Association of College and University Housing Officers. Evan Lloyd recently received a master's degree in architecture and construction management from Virginia Tech. He is working as a caddy at the Aronimink Golf Club in Newport Square, Pa. Navy Lieutenant Michael C. Schroeder departed on May 20 for a six-month Mediterranean deployment with Fighter Squadron 143, Naval Air Station Oceana of Virginia Beach, aboard the aircraft carrier U.S.S. *George Washington*. John Barnes was the recipient of this year's New York Chiropractic College Academic Scholarship Award, given to students ranked in the top of their class. Laurie Haynie Sitterding and husband Iivo wrote to share the exciting news of the birth of their first child, Evelyn Leigh, on May 3. John Boyd passed along some news of several classmates. John and his wife, Caroline Kelly, live in Charleston, S.C., where John attends graduate school in marine biology. John Powers is working on a master's degree in history in D.C. Jen Bidlake Cooper and husband Michael "Coops" are new parents of twins! Benjamin Niels and Nicholas Doyle were born on May 21. Lisa Londino Eggleston and husband Kirk wrote that they are moving to Quito, Ecuador, for two years to teach at Academia Cotopaxi, an American International School. Lisa recently finished her master's degree in English as a second language, while working at World Wildlife Fund. Kirk has been teaching sixth grade at Georgetown Day School. They welcome any visitors and want to pass along their new address: Academia Cotopaxi; Casilla 17-01-199; Quito Ecuador. They wonder (as does the Alumni Society) if anyone has heard from Andres Romoleroux. If so, please let the Society know.

Kristin Zimmerman is now in Greensboro, N.C., working on a master's degree in French literature. For all of you who lived with Kristin in Unit K, she assures you her study habits are "slightly" different now! She frequently sees Charlotte Webb, who isn't far away, at Virginia Tech, working toward a Ph.D. Kristin saw Aaron Royer and Liz Victor '90 in New York City last New Year's. Aaron produces television commercials and Liz lives in D.C. They all ran into Lori Runkle '91 and Mike Sheu '90. Kristin certainly is the socialite: another classmate she sees from time to time is Brian Zilberberg, who is a high school guidance counselor.

Karen Schultz Dash and husband Steve welcomed their first child, Allison Claire, on Jan. 10. Karen loves being a stay-at-home mom in Richmond. She wrote about several W&M graduates: Kim Vaughan Willett and husband Scott expect their first child in August. Kim just completed a master's degree in social work at VCU. Sarah Pulley Hylton teaches high school English in Gloucester while working on a master's degree in guidance counseling at W&M. Sarah and her husband, Rick '91 M.B.A., just bought and are remodeling a house on the water. Julie Perkins graduated from law school at the University of Illinois-Urbana/Champaign in May and will work with the law firm of Keck, Mahin & Cate in Chicago. Caryn Chittenden is an attorney in Charlotte, N.C. Becky Pike Winebrenner and husband Jonathan '90 had a baby, Mary Katherine, on March 14. Becky is a conference service manager at the Greenbrier in West Virginia, where Jonathan also works as a food and beverage manager for the Greenbrier Golf Club. They can't believe they have been in West Virginia for four years, but they are really enjoying it! Becky writes that Mary Beth Rathert was married in July in the 'Burg. Back in February, there was a mini-reunion at Paul's and the Leafe to celebrate Mary Beth's upcoming wedding. Several Chi Omegas were there, including Anne Lynch Smith '90, Ruth Philipp Baxley, Sallie Wellons McOwen, Linda Hartevelde McHale, Maureen Flaherty, Mary Jo Lawrence Coiro, Mary Ann James Clarke and Melissa Sutton Weber. Vernon Jones is the director of Alumni Services for Psi Upsilon. Last year, he moved from Philadelphia to Indianapolis and is adjusting to life as a Hoosier. Vernon attended the New Year's Eve wedding of Deborah Brownell and Evans Thomas '90, along with Steve McCleaf and wife Natalie, T.J. Ward and wife Lilian Estevez '90, Pam Dolan, Christine Hyde and Tom Gilmore. Willis Abernathy and wife Renee Coats '91 couldn't make the wedding due to the birth of their first child, Andrew Wilson. The Thomases have made their new home in East Lansing, Mich., where Evans is in his second year of law school at Thomas Cooley, and Deb is working as the director of education for a local nonprofit agency. Doug Kossler graduated from Temple Law School in May and will be working in Anchorage, Alaska. Brr... Doug will be getting married in February! Elizabeth Gagliano Voorhees and husband John have relocated to Littleton, Colo.

I received a great letter from Sara Hammel—it seems she is up on what everyone is doing! Sara is in her second year in the M.B.A. program at the Darden School at U.Va. This past summer, she worked as a marketing intern for a pharmaceutical com-



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pany in Research Triangle Park, N.C. Several other W&M grads are in her class: **Van Wishard**, **Jay Austin**, **Jeanne Foster**, **Michelle Boeker Horn**, and **Jennifer Griffin '90**. **Sallie Wellons McOwen** and **Steve** are moving from Northern Virginia to Richmond, where Steve works as an attorney and Sally teaches high school Spanish. Sara was a bridesmaid in **Mary-Stuart Pearson's '90** June 18 wedding to Kevin Gremer in Richmond. Other W&M bridesmaids were **Debbie Greeson '90**, **Jennifer Griffin '90** and **Christy Less '90**. **Belle Crawford McBride '90** and **Annamaria DeSalva '90** were readers. Some W&M grads in attendance were **Birgitta Sandberg '90**, **Alison Dolan Keller** and husband **Kelly**, **Sara Hutchinson Rita** and husband **Pat '88**, **Patti Stanhope Baker '90** and husband **Biff '90** and **Carolyn Lampe**. **Helen Pope Standen** and husband **Craig** became the proud parents of a baby boy, **Hunter Crane**, in April. They live in Akron, Ohio. **Ann Madara Kraftson** and husband **Don** are living in Philadelphia, where Ann is a recruiter for an executive research firm, and Don is beginning work on an M.B.A. at Wharton this fall. **Margaret Musa** is an East Coast girl again, having recently moved from San Diego to New York City, where she works as a sales manager for a clothing designer. **Tracy Deluca** lives in Boston and recently started a new job at an advertising agency. **Cami Amaya** has been living in Greele, Colo., for the past five years. She's working toward a master's degree in speech language pathology at the University of Northern Colorado. During time off from that, she enjoys skiing, camping, rafting, mountaineering, rock climbing and mountain biking. Rough life! Cami keeps in touch with **Craig Griffin**, who lives in Charlottesville and just started Virginia's first mountain bike touring company.

Cami saw **Penny Abbott**, who teaches eighth grade in Ketchikan, Alaska, last October in Richmond for **Cindy Janis's** wedding to **Todd Moyer**. Cindy and Todd live in California. Other '89ers who attended include **Brian Zilberberg**, **Aaron Royer**, **Jen Murphy** and **Ramin Alimard**, who will finish medical school in Richmond soon.

Cami and **Mike Klesius** keep in touch often. Mike works for *National Geographic* in Washington, D.C.

**Susan Riley Tracy** and husband **Alex** exchanged vows on Aug. 21, 1993, in Leesburg, complete with a horse-and-carriage exit. **Hartmann Young '90** was the best man; some of the bridesmaids were **Laura Simonds '88**, **Mona Hanson '93** and **Jennifer Volgenau Wiley '90**. Other W&M grads who witnessed the ceremony were **Chris Prophett '94**, **Robyn Spilsbury Carton '90**, **Steve Gatti '90**, **Jen Tepper '91**, **Belle Crawford McBride '90** and husband **Ryan '92**, **Scott Mackesy '91** and **Billy Johnson '91**.

**Karen Jordan Ratzlaff** and husband **Mark** wrote of their fun-filled Memorial Day weekend with **Kimberly Martin** and fiancé **Todd Zywicki** (Kimberly is an attorney in Atlanta, where she and Todd will live after their September wedding) and **Karen Framhein**, who works in Orlando as a women's intervention specialist and is completing a master's degree in counseling. Mark will finish his master's degree in social work at VCU next spring, and Karen is an assistant director of development for U.Va.'s School of Nursing. Mark and Karen live in Goochland County, Va.

Karen and **Kathryn Surchek '87** recently started a writing group in Charlottesville for poets, fiction writers and playwrights.

Mark and Karen completed a "wedding tour" this summer—first, at the wedding of **Corri Ulmer** to **Alex Shusterman** in Fredericksburg, Va., then at the marriage of **Alicia Nulty** to **Tim Mitchell** in the Wren Chapel. **Cheryl Beatty Foley** and husband **Gene** attended both weddings as well.

**Jim English** and wife **Heidi** were married in Brookville, Pa., in July and are living in Kansas City, Mo.

**Ty Walker** and wife **Kim** live in Portland, Ore.

Our class certainly has had its share of weddings! Some more wedding/engagement news follows:

**Lisa Courtenay Rhine** is engaged to **Timothy William Gerrish**. Lisa is an accountant with **Coopers and Lybrand** in D.C. The couple will be married in September.

**Wythe Michael** will be married in October to **Karen Suzanne Iezzi**. Wythe is a law clerk to the Chief Judge at **Chesterfield Circuit Court**.

**Wallace Bruce Wason** was married in June to **Jane Marie Watson**. He is a graduate of the University of Georgia Law School and is employed with **Brennan & Wasden** in Savannah, Ga.

**Kathryn Alice Handron** and **John Hilgartner Bruckner** were wed in July. She is employed by **Richmond public schools**.

**Susan Marie Spagnola** and **William Douglas Rutherford** took their vows on Jan. 29. She is the executive director of the **Rockford (Ill.) Area Affordable Housing Coalition**, having received a master's degree in business for non-profit management from the **New School for Social Research** in New York City.

**Ruth Philipp** married **John Hirst Baxley** on October 9, 1993 in McLean. Ruth is a math teacher at **Wakefield High School** in Arlington.

**Victoria Strobach** and **Joseph Clark Fisher '88** exchanged vows on March 26 at the Wren Chapel. They reside in Richmond, where she is employed with **J.W. Fergusson & Sons**, and he works with the **American Tobacco Company**.

I had dinner with **Meghan Muldoon** last week. She is now a first-year law student at W&M! She spent the year before law school living it up in Aspen, Colo. I also frequently see **Julie Elliot '90**, who is a "3L" with me at Marshall-Wythe (and who recently got engaged) and **Megan Heaslip '90**, who is finishing a master's degree in education at W&M.

I hope to see all of you at Homecoming... our five-year reunion should be a great time! It will be interesting to see if any of us has changed...

Next deadline is Nov. 18.

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Consider this my swan song! It has been a lot of fun writing the column over the past year but I am happy to turn the reins over to **Beth West**, back from Italy. I will let Beth tell you all about her travels in the next column. Her summer adventures included a stint in Croatia working at a United Nations refugee camp.

We had a little welcome back party for Beth at Bardo Rodeo in Arlington, which also became a birthday celebration for **Kerri Klimas** and **Holli Weymouth**. Kerri is in

her third year of medical school and was in D.C. on a rotation, while Holly is a consultant in D.C. **Cathy Fisher**, **Jennifer Schulstad** and **Melanie James** joined the celebration. Cathy was getting ready to leave D.C. for her new job. She'll be traveling around the country teaching study skill classes at various schools. She has no idea where she will go but is excited to travel.

I have gotten a lot of great letters this summer. As usual, many tell of marriages and engagements. In my last column I announced that **Derika Wells** was engaged. She and **Darwin** have set a date—Nov. 12 in Louisville, Ky. They just bought a condominium in Prospect, Ky., and are busy painting, papering, etc. Derika was promoted to manager at **National City Bank** in September, and Darwin was accepted into the management training program at the **Bank of Louisville**.

**Paula Halesky** became engaged to **David "Fletch" Fletcher '89** in December in the Wren Building after six years of dating! They are planning a May 1995 wedding in Vienna, Va. Paula is currently living with **Krissy Lucido** and **Sheila Farrar '93**.

**Kathryn Barrett** dropped me a line to announce her engagement to **Robert Vest**. Kathryn is a senior internal auditor at **Signet Bank** in Richmond while Robert owns his own medical billing and collection agency. In addition to planning a wedding, Kathryn is planning for the district convention of the **Chesapeake District Junior Civitans**, for which she is the district chairperson.

Kathryn reports that **Becky Oglesby Smith** and **Maureen Hunt** taught math and Spanish, respectively, at **Salem High** in Virginia Beach this past year.

**Michele Alejandro** and **Sang Han** are engaged. Most of the wedding planning falls on Michele because Sang is working in Bermuda.

**Erinn Finger** had a unique engagement experience: fiancé **Michael Hansen** proposed on May 29 at the **Indianapolis 500!** They are living in Indianapolis where Erinn was recently promoted to senior accountant at **Price Waterhouse**. Their wedding date is set for June 24, 1995.

**Bryan Brendley** married **Debbie Azzarello** on March 5 in New York City and then escaped the winter cold for a cruise to the Caribbean. W&M folks at the wedding included usher **Frank Henning '92**, best man **J.D. Hensarling '92**, **Nick DiProspero '92**, mother of the groom **Yvonne Baay Brendley '63** and bridesmaid and sister of the groom **Meredith Brendley '94**.

Bryan is in his fourth year of a Ph.D. program at **Penn State University** and Debbie is working for the **Veteran's Hospital** in Altoona, Pa. Bryan also joined a **Civil War reenactment unit** and is a major in the **Confederate cavalry**.

**Ann Clear '93** and **James Sublett** tied the knot on March 12 in Richmond, Va. Ann is a teacher in **Chesterfield County** and James recently graduated from the University of Richmond's law school. They went to **Jamaica** on their honeymoon.

**Michael R. Manning** and **Lena Panagiotou '92** were married on April 30 in Annapolis, Md. **Sharon L. Brown '92** was the maid of honor and **Christos Xenophontos** was a groomsman. Michael and Lena are living in Annapolis.

**Jennifer Tinkham** became Mrs. **Peter Beaulieu** on May 14. **Laurie Allison** was a bridesmaid. The bride and groom are employed by **Allied Colloids Inc.** and Peter is also attending **Old Dominion University**. They took a honeymoon in **Jamaica** and reside in **Portsmouth, Va.**

Wedding bells rang for **Michelle Turman** and **Eric Richardson** on June 18 in Roanoke, Va. W&M grads in the wedding party included **Helen Wilcox Gabriele**, **Robin Obenchain** and **James Gabriele**. Michelle works for **Republic Mortgage Insurance Company** in **Winston-Salem, N.C.**, while Eric attends **Wake Forest University School of Law**. They took a honeymoon cruise to the **Bahamas** and are back home in **Winston-Salem**.

**Deborah Levine** became Mrs. **Kurt Snyder** on July 3. **Christy Lowry Miller**, **Mary Beth Reed** and **Beth Davis** were all bridesmaids. Christine is living in **Manassas** with husband **Kirk** and Beth is finishing an M.B.A. at **George Mason University**. Mary Beth attended a film school in **New York City** in July and August and is now spending some time in **Colorado**. Guests included **Jen Mahar**, **Laurie Allison**, **Stan '90** and **Nita Phillips Stevenson** and **Laura Brown '89**, who is now a teacher in Northern Virginia. Jen is a law student at **Catholic University**, editor of the *Health Law Journal* there and on the **National Environmental Moot Court Team**. Laura herself is engaged to **David Arensdorf** and will be married December 10 in **Stafford, Va.**

**Nita** and **Stan** were married August 14, 1993. **Mary Beth** was maid of honor and **Kim Dietrich**, **Janet West '94**, **Wendy Long '92** and **Tom Stoudt '92** were all in the wedding. Jen, Christine, Beth and Laura also attended. Following Stan's graduation from **Georgetown University Law Center**, they moved to **Wilmington, Del.** Stan is working as a corporate tax attorney while Nita looks for a job teaching high school social studies.

**Robert Gustavus** wed **Jennifer Lemmond** on July 9. Robert is an electronics engineer with the **Department of the Army Pentagon Renovation Program** and Jennifer is a department manager with **Crate 'N' Barrel** in **McLean, Va.**

**Sarah Jane Dressler** and **Lane Schonour '90** were married on July 30 in Roanoke. The wedding party included **Britney Lee Thomson '90**, **Annikki Stierna '92**, **Ingrid Peters Miller '89**, **Megan Warner McCamey**, **Tom Barton '90** and **Ethan Dunstan '89**. Guests at the wedding included **Chris Thomson '90**, **Victoria Chase**, **Susanne Stagg**, **Erik Barnsness**, **Rick Chamberlain**, **Kenny Bloom '90**, **Tim May '90**, **Jim Miller '88**, **Bill McCamey**, **Paula Halesky**, **David Fletcher**, **John Foubert '90**, **Jim Bryant '90**, **Jason '92** and **Holly Bienia Elliot '92**, and **Ray '63** and **Susan Roache Warner '64!** S.J. and Lane went to **St. Lucia** for their honeymoon. They are now living in **Fairfax** where S.J. teaches special education for **Fairfax County Schools** and Lane works for **Riggs Bank**.

**Diana Shelles Phillips** was an honorary bridesmaid—she was nine months pregnant at the time of the wedding! Diana and husband **Chris** are proud parents of **Lauren Catherine Phillips**, born Aug. 8 in **Dallas**.

August 13 was the big day for **James Martin** and **Janice Brown '93**. Both are working in D.C.—James for **Bachurski Associates** and Janice for **Deloitte and Touche**.

**Amy Musacchio** and **Thomas Logan '93** wed on Aug. 20. Amy is a construction loan officer for the **Bank of Hampton Roads** and Tom just earned his master's in forestry from **Duke University**.

**Janine Pool-Booker** dropped me a line. She and husband **Eric "Woody" Booker** are celebrating their one-year anniversary. They were married in an outdoor ceremony in **Richmond** on October 2, 1993, and spent a two-week honeymoon out west in **Arizona** and **New Mexico**. They just bought a new house in **Richmond** and are warming up to the idea of being homeowners. At their housewarming cookout were **Lisa Richardson '90**, who is working as a graphic artist for a consulting firm in Northern Virginia, and **Amy Peloff '94**, who is still in the career-searching stage.

## AlumNews

## BLACK'S BAYWATCH

Virginia Gov. **George Allen** has appointed **John A. "Jay" Black III '87** to the **Chesapeake Bay Local Assistance Board**. The board represents nine planning districts, covering the area of Virginia east of **Interstate 95**, and is responsible for upholding the provisions of the **Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act**, which protects the parts of the bay and its tributaries that lie in eastern Virginia.

A resident of **Mathews County**, **Black** represents the **Middle Peninsula Planning District**, which includes **Essex**, **Gloucester**, **King** and **Queen**, **King William**, **Mathews** and **Middlesex** counties.

**Black**, a stock broker with **Davenport & Company of Virginia** in **Gloucester**, has held numerous civic positions. A member of the **Mathews County Board of Supervisors**, **Black** served as its chairman in 1992. He also is a member and former chair of the **Tidewater Resource, Conservation and Development Council**, and president of the **Botetourt Alumni Chapter**.

## A LONG WAY FROM WILLIAMSBURG

After graduation, many students want to see the world before beginning a job or further study. While some opt for parts of Europe or America, **Chris Greenwell '94** took the decision to travel more seriously. **Greenwell** left in August for a two-year tour in **Madagascar** with the **Peace Corps**.

**Greenwell** will work to establish a forestry program, teaching ecology and preservation to the people of **Madagascar** and possibly creating a national forest. Having majored in international relations with a minor in **French**, **Greenwell** is well-suited to the task, as **French** is one of two official languages of **Madagascar**.

With this job, **Greenwell** combines a love of travel and adventure with a desire to serve. "You should give something back in this world," he said in a recent newspaper interview.

## ALUMNI HOLD TOP POSTS AT EPA

Two **William** and **Mary** alumni now hold key positions in the **Environmental Protection Agency**. **Susan H. Wayland '68** accepted the position of deputy assistant

administrator for the EPA's Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances. Previously, Wayland was the deputy director of the Office of Pesticides Program. Wayland's promotion follows Dr. Bob Huggett's '67, '77 Ph.D. recent presidential appointment to assistant administrator for Research and Development.

In her new position, Wayland is responsible for a program that has 1,300 employees and a \$250 million budget. The program protects the health of citizens and the environment from pesticides and other chemicals, and it works with public and private sectors to make pollution prevention a major force in improving the environment.

Wayland, who majored in English, said that she first became interested in the environment with the courses she took at W&M, which included classes in biology.



"My interest became so much more compelling when I realized the damage that was being done to the environment, and when the EPA was created," Wayland said.

While Wayland said she did not know Huggett, who graduated a year earlier, during their college days, she said they have since met. Referring to the coincidence, she said, "I guess the stars were in the right positions."

#### CAN'T GET ENOUGH OF THOSE TOURISTS?

Susan Motley '81 is Richmond's new director of tourism. Motley earned her bachelor's in history at W&M and has served in various positions in the hospitality industry for 15 years, including national sales manager for the Boar's Head Inn in Charlottesville, Va. Most recently, she was the director of sales for the Holiday Inn-Fanny's in Richmond.

Motley became involved in tourism as a student at the College by working at the Williamsburg Hospitality House. According to Motley, "You can't live in Williamsburg for four years without seeing the tourism industry—the good, the bad and the ugly."

Motley also is a member of the board of directors of the Jamestown Island Society of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities.

Eric works as a commercial real estate appraiser and just received his license. Janine is the managing editor of a small newspaper for the Medical College of Virginia and is planning to attend VCU for a master's of fine arts in creative writing. At MCV, she bumps into fellow Chi Omegas Melissa Harrell, Zoe Kleckner Pogue and Michele Trippel. Janine said, "Eric and I are always looking for playmates, so anyone in the area who knew us in a former life, look us up! We're in the book."

I heard from Rachel Haight right before my column was due. She had a lot to say about Paula DiModica and John Ajello's wedding on June 4 in the Wren Chapel. Paula and John are living outside Boston, where Paula recently finished her master's in education and John is a manager of underwriters at American International Group. Rachel was a bridesmaid while Matt Bozorth '92, John's freshman year roommate, was best man. Matt just passed the CPA exam and is working in Northern Virginia.

Rachel gave me the scoop on many of the other wedding attendees. Elaine Sproul is currently researching the habits of woodpeckers in North Carolina, while Amy Hathaway is living in Williamsburg, continuing her education. Sheila Van Cuyk is working in U.Va.'s chemistry department. Sheila's roommate, Ann Petruska, moved to Charlottesville to look for a job. Chris McNickle works for the Department of Health and Human Services in D.C. According to Rachel, he made a terrific human limbo pole at the wedding!

Kim Wheaton and her fiance attended the wedding as well. Kim is finishing her master's degree at the University of Michigan. Paula's old roommates, Janel Hansen and Laura DeSimio made the trip to Williamsburg, too. Janel, a publicist, lives in Manhattan, while Laura is working for Girl Scouts in Atlanta. Tim Daly '90 attended the wedding one week before his own wedding to Janet Saunders '90. Paul Minecci '90 also made the trip from Pennsylvania.

In other news, Rachel reports that Rob Van Niman has moved to College Park to begin working on his M.B.A. at the University of Maryland. Sarah Burmeister has just finished law school in Oregon and is home in Minnesota planning her wedding and taking the bar exam.

I heard from Debra Bryant Pearson and husband David '91. Debra graduated from William & Mary law school in May, took the bar, then spent a month driving across the country with David. She will begin clerking for a judge on the Virginia Court of Appeals in Arlington. Meanwhile David will be headed to Charlottesville to begin law school at U.Va. He was a public utility accountant at the State Corporation Commission for the past three years. Debra said they are both looking forward to new endeavors but not to living apart, as we can all imagine.

Debra and David attended the wedding of Shelby Hiller '90 and Brent Moody '92 in June at Wren Chapel. Debra keeps in touch with fellow Kappa Deltas Ann Skjei '92, who will enter the University of Michigan Law School this fall, and Christina Sitterson '91, '93 M.Ed., who is working in Philadelphia.

"Buzz" Hawley is a busy guy! He is working on the Hill as a senior legislative assistant to Frank Wolf (R-Va.) and is an evening student at the George Mason University Law School. I am sure he and Greg Romano received some tips from good friend Ted Borris, himself a 1994 Wake Forest Law School grad. Ted just took the North Carolina bar and Greg has entered W&M law school this fall.

Buzz said Denton "Woody" Woodward is busy preparing for his upcoming marriage to Betsy Beehler '93. Woody moved to Williamsburg to run the Southeastern Virginia branch of Mortgage Services of America.

Betrice Webster Gray wrote to tell me about her growing family. She and husband Raymond have a daughter, Brittany Rae, born July 24, 1993, and are expecting another baby in December. Betrice has been teaching fifth grade social studies in York County, Va. Both Raymond and Betrice love being parents.

Billy Fondren has been a good pen pal. He is at the University of Memphis getting a master's in communications. He pushed his graduation date back to May 1995 to allow himself more time to work at the student-run jazz radio station. After serving as director of public affairs, he'll now be production director. So if you are in Memphis, tune in to WUMR!

Billy found some time to travel this summer. He and his father attended several World Cup soccer games, including the championship in Pasadena. I'm jealous! He and his girlfriend, Mimi, went to Nashville for a concert celebrating the 100th anniversary of Gibson Guitars. The show featured Fleetwood Mac and Kiss—Billy was willing to confess it was his sixth Kiss show!

Frank Lynch will be returning to Williamsburg as a transfer student at the law school. During his first year at Catholic University Law School, he was selected for *Law Review* and worked as a research assistant for a professor for the summer. He's looking forward to being at W&M since he'll be closer to wife Kristi LaCourse Lynch '90, who is working at the Federal Reserve Bank in Richmond.

While at Catholic, Frank ran into Mark Scott '90, Michelle Thomas '93, Maura Brown '92, Kim Lewis '90, Christian Klein '92 and Jen Mahar. He also saw Nancy Greer, who is enrolled in the Nursing Program at Catholic.

Frank attended the wedding of Heather Swain and Rob Shupp on July 17 in Rockville, Md. He said a lot of W&M people were there, and he enjoyed catching up with everyone. Ellen Sanders Bless was maid of honor. Doug Mandel '90 and his wife, Elizabeth, attended (Doug is working as a consultant). John Oden took a break from studying for the Florida Bar to make the wedding. Jon just graduated from U.Va. Law School. Other attendees included Jen Stowe, John McQuilkin, Kathy Cromie and Melissa Harrell, who is applying to medical school.

I talk to Nyla Hashmi frequently. She attended Jonathan Downey and Tracey Weinstein's '92 wedding at the Wren Chapel in May. Andy Noble, who is living in Seattle, was a groomsman. Jonathan is working for SAIC and Tracey, having recently completed her master's at VCU, hopes to get a position teaching high school biology. They live in McLean, Va.

Nyla saw Mai Lan Fogal Isler in Dallas, where she was a summer legal associate at Jones, Day. She is now in her third year of law school in Texas.

Charlene Banks graduated from T.C. Williams School of Law at the University of Richmond in May. While in law school, Charlene studied at Cambridge University in England for one semester. She has been honored by the Earl Warren Legal Scholarship Fund and *Who's Who in American Law Students*.

Stanley Osborne '90 has also graduated from law school at Wake Forest University.

Kate Chalkley has been working for the State Department since graduation. She is an information management/communications specialist in the Foreign Service (say

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that five times fast!). She spent two years assigned to the American Embassy in Paris and has been on roving assignment since, which has taken her to embassies in Belize, Kingston, Bratislava and Managua. Now she is back in D.C. working on the support staff that follows the Secretary of State when he travels. Kate loves the travel part of her job.

She lives in Alexandria with Kate Bednarz, who is happily working for a computer leasing firm in Fairfax. Kate B. has designs on an M.B.A. over the next couple of years, but nothing definite yet. Both Kates ran in to Kirsten Cherry last January. Kirsten works for a law firm in Richmond.

Kelly Baldwin recently joined the Abbitt Realty Company Inc. in Gloucester, Va. She is a member of both the Gloucester-Mathews-Middlesex Association of Realtors and the Virginia Peninsula Association of Realtors, and volunteers as treasurer for the Friends of the Homeless organization.

Tracey Cardwell has relocated to Atlanta for General Electric and recently completed G.E.'s financial management program, while Marlene Fuller is a manager for Sears, Roebuck and Co., also in Atlanta. Alan Garlic works for Sony in New Jersey.

Brad Davis is a government teacher in the Fairfax County school system and coaches baseball in his spare time. Stefan Dombrowski works as a real estate appraiser in Northern New Jersey.

Mike and Tricia Davis Graves are enjoying their time in Havelock, N.C. Trish is a loan officer for Cooperative Bank for Savings while Mike is continuing his military training. They will be stationed in Japan beginning in October.

Kyra Cook '92 dropped me a line in July. She has been working as a potter for Busch Gardens in Williamsburg since graduation and recently began her own pottery business. She said it is slow to start but within five years she hopes to be fully self-employed and not eating Ramen noodles!

The postcards I receive every couple weeks keep me updated on the exotic travels of Jennifer Crawford. Jennifer and husband Rod are doing missionary work in China and have been lucky enough to be able to travel extensively. My last postcard was from Kanas Lake in western China.

My summer has been full of concerts, weddings and planning for my vacation. As I write this column, I am preparing to leave for a week-long cruise in the Caribbean, on which my mother is getting remarried. I am hoping to survive the seven days in a small cabin with my brother. Mom and Dave are no dummies—they have a cabin on the opposite end of the ship!

I really appreciate everyone who has written me over the past year—it has been fun to get all the mail. I look forward to seeing everyone at Homecoming, Nov. 3-6—particularly at the Young Guard Tailgate following the football game on the Richmond Road side of the Alumni House. The Flannel Animals will be playing.

Please direct all further class news to Beth West at 1735 34th Street, N.W. in Washington, DC 20007.

'93

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Well, here we are ... once again making last-minute plans for Homecoming! It doesn't seem possible that a year has passed since our first Homecoming as alums. I hope the year has been successful and rewarding for everyone.

As always, I begin my column with happy nuptial and engagement news. Karen Gail Jones was wed to Jeff Norrgard on July 23, 1994 in Northern Virginia. Karen and Jeff had a beautiful wedding despite the inclement weather. Several W&M people were part of the wedding party including bridesmaids Amy Corner, Amy Cronney, Jen Reichl and Robin Jones '95, who was the maid of honor. The groomsmen were Dan Pringle, Jay Streck, Michael Scherer, Gregory Romano, Scott Totman and Robert Carhart. The newlyweds honeymooned in St. Maarten and in West Point, Va.

Cindy Poole was another classmate to marry this summer. On May 21, Cindy married Aaron Reeves '94 in Williamsburg. After the wedding, the newlyweds made Colorado their new home.

Jennifer Hobaugh, a fellow Monroe dormmate, wrote to tell me her happy news. On July 16, she married Matt Johnson. Jennifer works for a political polling firm, and Matt works for Service Master, a management services company. Hope Cahill, who spent a year working for Covenant House, and Susie Armstrong were bridesmaids in the wedding. Chris Parnell and Scott Andrews were groomsmen.

In July, Greta Griffith Smith married Joey Smith, a Virginia Tech graduate, in a beautiful ceremony in Castlewood, Va. Greta and Joey now reside in Tennessee where Greta is enrolled in a psychology doctoral program at the University of Tennessee.

Elizabeth Blake Callis wed Keith Chapman '95 on May 21, this year. After a honeymoon in Jamaica, the bride and groom returned to Williamsburg where they currently reside. Elizabeth works for Second Street and Keith is attending William and Mary while working for the Days Inn at Busch Gardens.

Ann Michelle Clear was wed to James Wilson Sublett III '91 on March 12 in Richmond. The bride is teaching in the Chesterfield County Public School System and the groom recently received his law degree from the University of Richmond. After honeymooning in Jamaica, the couple settled in Richmond.

Susan Harms and Eric Topp were married on April 16 at Bruton Parish Church in Williamsburg. Susan is an aquatic director for Hampton Voce Inc. in Huntsville, Ala. The couple enjoyed a honeymoon in the Smoky Mountains and now live in Huntsville.

On May 28, Cindy Lynn Arnold married Brian Fisher in Blacksburg, Va. Cindy is a technical editor for International Computaprint Corp. and is living with her new husband in Fairfax, Va.

In the engagement category ... Amy Katancik is engaged to Charlie Jordan and will be married in Philadelphia in May 1995. They are both living in Columbia, S.C., where Charlie is studying at the University of South Carolina Law School, and Amy works for her governor while studying for her master's in public administration. Nancy Opfer, who is in the nursing program at Johns Hopkins University, and JoAnn Naumann '95, will be Amy's bridesmaids, and Mike Evans, who is in law school at Georgia State, and Michael Boezer '94 will be Charlie's groomsmen.

Heather Easterling is currently at grad school at N.C. State and has just announced her engagement to Joe Barris '92. My best wishes to you both. Please let us know when you set a date for your wedding.

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Another of my Monroe freshman hallmates is engaged ... **Carrie Pauley** has accepted a proposal of marriage from Gary Richard Kirk. Carrie works for the Bank of Fincastle in Virginia. Best wishes, Carrie!

**David Purrington** has asked **Heather Miller '94** to be his wife. David currently works for Precision Software in Williamsburg.

**Mary Fleming** has announced her engagement to Timothy Beatty. Mary is busy planning her wedding and teaching in the Newport News Public School System.

**Thomas Logan** recently asked **Amy Musacchio '91** to marry him. Last I heard, the two planned an August 1994 wedding after Thomas graduated from Duke University with a master's degree in forestry.

**Janice Brown** has announced her engagement to **James Martin '91**. Janice is currently employed with Deloitte and Touche in Washington, D.C., and James works for Bachurski Associates, also in D.C.

**Mary Helen Bartley** has accepted a marriage proposal from **Thomas Sherman**. The bride-to-be plans to pursue a degree in social work this fall, and Thomas currently works in the Washington area for Nabisco Foods Inc.

**Noah Gay** wrote to advise of his exciting news. In April, Noah became engaged to **Sally Marie Jones '94**. Noah and Sally will be married in Birmingham, Ala., on June 17, 1995, and after returning from a honeymoon in Greece, will make their home in Baton Rouge, La. Noah's work efforts in Cooper and Lybrand, in Richmond, have been recognized and he has accepted an offer to transfer to Baton Rouge in early September. He asks everyone to look him up during Mardi Gras. Noah reports that **Jen Fernald** and **Kristen Sholley** also work for Cooper and Lybrand in Richmond and that **Rebecca Hayes** is also heading for the bayous this fall for graduate work at Tulane University. I understand from Noah that **Bryan Kipp** is doing graduate work at the University of North Carolina, **Daryl Goodale** is furthering his French at U.Va., and **Shelly Oman Goodale** is working for a financial company just outside of Richmond. Best of luck, Noah, in all your future plans.

**Susan Winer** keeps in touch with **Catherine Seltzer**, who lives down the street. Catherine works as a trade assistant for Wheat, First Securities, and Liz has taken a break from her former position placing temps with prospective employers through Adia Temporary Services and is traveling in England, Greece and Australia. Drop us a line when you get home, Liz, and share some stories from abroad and down under.

Susan also keeps up with **Anne Marie Ambrose**, **Maria Bartini** (who has recently moved to Athens, Ga., to begin graduate school at the University of Georgia), **Kristen Calleja** (who is now in the Charlottesville area beginning her first year of law school), **Lisa Rein '91**, **Rob Chapman**, **Alletta Laird '92**, **Bill Tate**, **Ron Miles** (who has also moved to Athens) and **Bill Snidow '92**.

**Kathleen Johnston** has moved to Richmond after teaching for the year in Juan, Texas. Kathleen is currently enrolled in psychology graduate studies in VCU.

**Harris Kay** and **Meg Jolly** have successfully survived their first year in law school at University of Richmond. Harris left the Virginia area for the summer to intern in Venezuela.

**Brendan Conner** has moved to Baltimore where he is the new assistant basketball coach for Loyola College. **Rich Mylott**, Brendan's old apartment mate, has begun his first year at the University of Indiana as an environmental graduate student.

**Meaghan Harrell Texer** is beginning her second year of teaching in Hickory, N.C. Meaghan and **Toby Texer '90** celebrated their first wedding anniversary in May. A belated Happy Anniversary to both of you.

**Sheila Farrar** is living in Vienna, Va., with **Katy Codding**. Both Sheila and Katy have landed jobs in the management program with First Virginia Bank.

I recently received a letter from **Lukas Haynes** who was living in D.C. and researching at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace in Washington, a foreign policy think-tank. He has been admitted to Oxford University for a doctoral program in international relations. Many kudos to Lukas for his achievements this past year, including an article he wrote detailing his suggestions for a more successful United Nations' role in Rwanda and Burundi that ran in the *Christian Science Monitor*. Lukas was kind enough to enclose a copy of the article with his letter, which I would be happy to send anyone who is interested.

Last I heard, **Katherine Baughan** was planning to take classes in education at George Mason. She often hears from **Steph Danstrom**, **Jen Starke** and **Edie Arbuckle** who are all doing well.

I recently received a note from **Erin O'Connell**, an old Monroe hall-mate, who is living in Annandale, Va., and working for the Food and Nutrition Service of the U.S.D.A., concentrating her efforts on the food stamp program. Aside from keeping in touch with friends in the area, Erin teaches aerobics and writes for the local newspaper. Erin filled me in on other Monroe people including **Kevin Palmer**—who worked as a graphic designer in Northern Virginia and is now in graduate school, **Jim Seymour**—who is working for the American Canoe Association and doing a lot of traveling for his job and **Russ Pennington**—who is in graduate school for public policy and international relations. Thanks for the letter Erin!

A postcard from **Mark Chloupek** informed me that he had completed his first year at University at Virginia Law School. He also wrote that he was employed for the summer with Long, Aldridge and Norman in Atlanta.

**Anne Westfall** has changed jobs recently. Anne now works as a risk analyst for First North American National Bank. Anne loves the Atlanta scene and swears she will never leave. Anne recently has become a big fan of the great outdoors and camping which she does when she gets the chance.

**Holly Hartman Simmons** and **John Simmons '92** took a vacation from their London flat to celebrate their first wedding anniversary in Italy. Last I heard from the two, they were enjoying London's theater, pubs and museums.

Many thanks to **Erin Fries** who dropped me a line about everyone she has seen. She and her roommate, **Susanna Baird**, hosted a Memorial Day party with a 1970s theme. **Sarah Pitkin**, **Elyse Shuk**, **Adam Burgess**, **Andrew Comerford**, **Bland "Zest" Whitley**, **Andy Winsett**, **Carmen Farris** and **Chris Smith** all traveled to the Chapel Hill, N.C., area to attend the get-together. Erin wrote that **Susanna Baird** is now attending an English master's program at Georgetown University.

**Vincent Boberski** spent his summer working at LaSalle National Bank in downtown Chicago and now is continuing his second year in the M.B.A. program at the University of Chicago.

**Rene Rodgers** is now traveling through Europe after finishing her graduate studies in Durham University in England.

**Keith Booker** also sent me a letter to update me on his recent endeavors. Keith completed his first year at Wake Forest University Law School and spent his summer as an associate for Petree Stockton L.L.P. in Winston, N.C. Good luck with your second year, Keith, and thank you for the letter.

I recently heard from **Vicky Bryan Crockett**. She and her husband, **Clayton Crockett '91** live in Syracuse, N.Y., where Clayton is completing his doctoral studies. She mentioned that **Ranse Ransone** landed a job with *Harper's Bazaar Magazine* in New York City and that **Janine Dade** is stationed six hours away from her fiancé, **Bill Moe**, in South Korea. **Debbie Martin** worked in California as a nutritionist for the Head Start Program and now is attending the University of Utah for graduate studies. Vicky also wrote that **Jeremy Gully** is serving with the Peace Corps in Africa, **Sally Kendall** is working with disabled children in Boulder, Colo., **Vivek Hatti** attends George Washington University for graduate studies and **Frank Reifsnnyder** is living in D.C. and working for Disney. She has also heard from **Patrick Price**, who is working for a publishing house in New Jersey; **Troy Rapp**, who works for the Appalachian Service Project; and **Matthew Todd**, who returned from Exeter University in England to begin doctoral studies at Northwestern University. Thank you for all the news, Vicky.

I heard from **Missy Santoro** this summer; she loves Washington, D.C., and her studies in the George Mason School of Law. Over the summer, Missy interned for Senator Tribble at his lobbying firm in D.C. She and her roommates, **Zeke Knox** who, last I heard, was planning to attend Denver Law School, and **Melanie Travers**, who is teaching special needs children, see many W&M classmates. Missy mentioned that **Deb Humphreys** is finishing her master's program at American University and **Cathy Degenova** is attending law school in Oklahoma. **Andrew Langer** is a legal assistant at Akin, Gump & Strauss in D.C. and from what I hear, has become quite a gourmet cook. **Maria Argiriadi** is finishing her master's chemistry program at William and Mary and visits Missy when she gets the chance. Missy also noted that **Erin Callahan** is up in New York City working for Federal Express. This summer Missy also saw **Paul Juliano** who is working on the Hill for a congressman from Pennsylvania. Thank you for the letter, Missy—it was great hearing from you.

**Karla Carter** has taken a leave of absence from her position with Household Credit Services in Chesapeake, Va., to attend University of Richmond Law School. While there, Karla plans to pursue her interest in corporate law.

I received a letter from another freshman hallmate of mine, **Hillary Williams**, who is teaching English to elementary students in Taiwan. She recently spent time with fellow W&M classmate **Heather Scott**, who is also in Taiwan working as a missionary in the south of the island. She mentioned **Alicia Dodds** was stationed in Guatemala with the Peace Corps and **Mary Nachtrieb** is in Cairo through an internship program at American University. She also noted that **Todd Birch** is beginning graduate studies in philosophy and lives with **James Newton** and **James Pennington**. Thank you for your news, Hillary. I am glad you are doing so well.

Over the summer, I got a chance to see several W&M people. In July, I went tubing down the Delaware River with **Holly Russell**, **Todd Carter**, **Kevin Handy** and **Craig Phillips '92**. The day was a lot of fun and there were no casualties despite the strong currents and rapids on our trip.

After finally making it to shore, we all went back into Manhattan to hit some of the bars uptown. Holly and Todd both work for Andersen Consulting in Philadelphia and Kevin runs a successful house-painting business in Pennsylvania. Craig, on the other hand, has left New York City to attend University of Southern California School of Film and Television.

During the summer, I also saw **Scott McDaniel '92** and **Seth Bromberger '92**. Scott is in Santiago, Chile, and will return to finish his graduate studies in Monterey, Calif. Seth resides in Manhattan and has just returned from a two-and-a-half-week vacation.

I recently received a very newsy letter from **Debbie Shattuck**. Debbie is employed by the National Health Council in Washington, D.C., and has the hectic job of juggling membership and publications projects and assisting at various conferences on Capitol Hill. She has moved into a house in Falls Church, Va., with housemates **Kerith Martin '92** and **Ann Golinski**, a U.Va. graduate. Debbie carools to work with **Mike Mitchell**, who is now working as a special assistant in the office of the vice president. Over the 4th of July, Mike shared a job perk with friends by inviting them to view the fireworks on the south lawn of the White House. Mike rooms with **Tim McCourthy** who is a program assistant for Carnegie Corporation of New York on adolescent issues. Mike and Tim are in the process of moving into a townhouse on Capitol Hill and have invited us all to a huge house party this fall. Unfortunately, the particulars were not provided.

**Steve Pocalyko** has left Virginia to attend Tulane Law School in New Orleans. I hear that he is working on his golf game while awaiting classes to begin this fall.

**Timshel Purdum** is living in Baltimore and is attending grad school. In her spare time, Timshel volunteers at the Baltimore Aquarium.

**Jody Simmons Hall** and her husband, Steven, have returned to Amelia, Va., where Jody is teaching in a high school.

**Elena Collins** recently moved from Richmond and is living and working in the D.C. area while contemplating law school in the very near future.

**Mary Ann Miller Bowery** is enjoying married life in Fayetteville, N.C., with husband, **Charles Bowery '92**. While Charles is stationed at Fort Bragg, Mary Ann is attending law school at Campbell.

Thank you **Debbie Shattuck**, **Mike Mitchell** and **Tim McCourthy** for the update on the following: **Klaus Planton** is living in Connecticut and commuting to Wall Street. **Amy Kiernen** is attending grad school at Catholic University. **Chrissy Pillsbury** is starting law school at U.Va. **Chris Lloyd** is working for Governor Allen. **Jen Burns** is working for Senator Reid. **Rich Reidinger** is an environmental consultant in Hong Kong. **Adam Friedman** is living in D.C. and working for an international trade company. **Susan Jackson** is teaching in Dallas. **Eric Johnson** is beginning his second year on his master's at George Mason University. **Patrick Wilson** is attending law school at the University of Minnesota. **Mary Laczkovich** is teaching high school English in Hungary. **Lynn Chelock** is working in the tax department of a Big 6 firm in D.C. And **Barry Scarbrough** is an accountant for Price Waterhouse in Dallas, Texas.

I have a great story about **Joseph Richardson**. His love of skating and his talent on the ice have been recognized and he now skates professionally in "Smurfs on Ice." He skates the role of Gargamel, and, although not overjoyed with his character, he takes great pride in the joy he brings to all the children in the audience.

On a more serious note, I received a newspaper clipping about classmate **Kelly**

## A GOOD CITIZEN

**Harry C. Paxson Jr. '31** was recently honored as an outstanding citizen of Chesapeake, Va., for his long involvement with Chesapeake schools.

Speaking at the award presentation, Virginia Gov. **George Allen** likened Paxson, who is known by locals as "Mr. Education," to **Thomas Jefferson** for his commitment to education and his community.

In sports, Paxson is known for his coaching success at his alma mater, **South Norfolk High School**, where as a student he played for the football team that won the 1925 Class B state championship. After graduating from high school, Paxson attended **William and Mary** on a football scholarship. Paxson then returned to his high school alma mater as coach of both the football and baseball teams, eventually leading each to a state title.

In addition to his coaching, Paxson received praise for his administrative achievements. He was the assistant principal of **South Norfolk High**, assistant personnel superintendent of **Norfolk County Schools**, which later merged with **South Norfolk** to create **Chesapeake**. He worked for the school system until he retired in 1972. He is credited with facilitating the merger and easing integration in the school system.

Paxson said he had no idea he was being given the **First Citizen award**. "It was a big surprise. I was delighted."

## HIS WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS

Once dubbed "the most powerful man in sports" by *Sports Illustrated*, **Mark McCormack '51** has been named the tenth "most influential" person in sports by that same magazine in its special 40th anniversary issue.

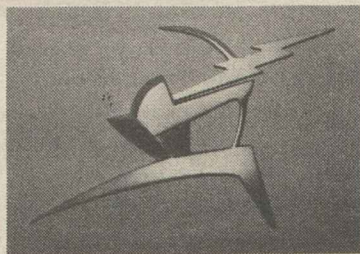
*SI* noted that "virtually everything being done today in the management and corporate sponsorship of athletic events, in merchandise licensing and in made-for-TV sports started with McCormack."

In the early '60s, McCormack founded the **Cleveland-based International Management Group** to serve as a marketing agency for prominent athletes and athletic events. Since then, the company has expanded its services to 64 offices in 25 countries.

McCormack's first client, golfer **Arnold Palmer**, received the ninth slot on *SI's* list.

**NO TALL TALE:  
STEVENSON'S WORK  
APPEARS IN TRUE LIES**

When Lightstorm Entertainment released its blockbuster film *True Lies* last summer, it featured an all-star lineup of Arnold Schwarzenegger, Jamie Lee Curtis and ... Dave Stevenson '89. Actually, the film showcases Stevenson's interpretation of the production company's logo, an abstract figure drawing a bow with a lightning bolt in lieu of an arrow.



Lightstorm Entertainment logo

The film company was so impressed with Stevenson's work, which was originally commissioned as a wall relief for the company's office in Santa Monica, Calif., that it included a computer-scanned image of the sculpture in the opening seconds of *True Lies*.

On the heels of his *True Lies* success, Stevenson recently sold two pieces to California collectors.

**FULBRIGHT FELLOWSHIP  
A FAMILY AFFAIR**

Fulbright Fellowships must run in the family. This summer, George Fenigsohn '69, '78 M.Ed., '81 A.C.E.A., was selected for the Fulbright Fellowship Exchange Program for the '94-'95 year. Fenigsohn, along with his family, is now in Nottingham, England, where he is assigned to the faculty of Nottingham Community College.

Coincidentally, his brother, Harvey, who is a U.Va graduate, was also selected for a Fulbright Fellowship in England this year. Harvey, who taught English at Bankroft School in Worcester, Mass., is now on the faculty of a boy's preparatory school in Surry, England.

George Fenigsohn, who holds three degrees from W&M, has been a guidance counselor for the York County School System for five years.

Wert who is need of brain surgery to help her overcome a movement disorder called paroxysmal choreoathetosis. By the time this column goes to press, Kelly might have already had her surgery. Kelly, our thoughts and prayers are with you for a successful recovery.

Please refer to the September issue of the *Gazette* for the exciting lineup of Homecoming events. Early registration is requested and a registration form will be provided in the paper or can be obtained by calling 804-221-1174. I look forward to seeing you all again in November.

**Graduate Arts & Sciences**

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**Carolynn S. Howell '70 M.A.**, a teacher at Palm Bay High School in Melbourne, Fla., was named a "1994 Teacher Tandy Prize Recipient." Sponsored by the Tandy Corporation, this award program recognizes academic excellence in the areas of mathematics, science and computer science. Howell was one of 100 high school teachers honored by the program. One hundred students also received awards.

**Christopher R. Carter '91 M.A.** won a grant for summer study from the National Endowment for the Humanities. He participated in a five-week program titled, "Jane Austen: Society and the Self," at the University of Chicago. Carter is chair of the English department at Christchurch School, one of five Virginia schools founded and run by the Episcopal Diocese of Virginia. He is in his fourth year as teacher, coach and dorm master at Christchurch. The summer college brought together a class of 15 select secondary school teachers and administrators who met in seminar four mornings a week.

**Lisa K. Levine '93 M.A.**, a first-year law student and member of the Student Senate at Syracuse University College of Law in Syracuse, N.Y., was elected treasurer of the National Women Law Students Association. The election took place during the association's inaugural conference in February at the University of Virginia School of Law in Charlottesville.

**Robert H. Gardner '67 M.A.**, of the Department of Energy's Oak Ridge National Laboratory, has assumed responsibilities in behalf of the Ecological Society of America and the Electric Power Research Institute. As a charter member of EPRI's scientific advisory committee, Gardner will help recommend the use of risk analysis for assessing the impact of energy generation and transmission on environmental systems. Gardner joined the Environmental Sciences Division as a research associate in 1974. He is an adjunct professor in the department of ecology at the University of Tennessee. His work has appeared in more than 110 publications.

Historian **Turk McCleskey '90 Ph.D.** spoke about Edward Tarr, Virginia's first free black landowner west of the Blue Ridge, in a presentation at the Museum of American Frontier Culture. McCleskey, who unearthed Tarr's identity, first caught a glimpse of the unnamed man in a Colonial German-language diary while working on his doctoral dissertation at W&M. McCleskey lives in Charlottesville and is working on a book about Tarr's surprising but short-lived success in a Shenandoah Valley community.

**Beverly Golemba '79 M.A.** was recently promoted to full professor at Saint Leo College, where she has been teaching sociology for the past 14 years.

**Dr. Lana A. Whited '81 M.A.**, assistant professor of English at Ferrum College, Ferrum, Va., presented a paper at the Virginia Humanities Conference, which was held in April at Christopher Newport University in Newport News. Her paper was titled, "Suicide in Marsha Norman's *Night, Mother* and Beth Henley's *Crimes of the Heart*."

**Graduate School of Business**

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**1967**

**David O. Whitt Jr.** (Aurora, Colo.) reports that he and his wife, Ruth, recently celebrated their 28th anniversary. Their son, David III, graduated from the University of Colorado, Denver, as a mechanical engineer. Their daughter, Laura, is a junior at Metropolitan State College, Denver, majoring in biology. David is in computer acquisition for the Bureau of Land Management. His wife, Ruth, works in public relations for a local school system.

**1971**

**Lorie F. Allen** (Kingstowne, Va.) reports that her daughter, Cheryl Elisabeth Allen-Salina '87 and her husband, Andres Alexander Salinas, are returning to W&M in the fall of '94 for Andres' M.B.A.

**David J. Kauchek** (Powell, Ohio) was promoted to brigadier general in the U.S. Army Reserve in September 1993.

**Richard D. Spurling** (Hamilton HM EX, Bermuda) reports that he has been a member of Parliament since October 1993.

**1972**

**Durward "Dee" Rushforth** (Fairfax, Va.) is currently serving as a lieutenant governor in the Capital Virginia District of Optimist International. He just returned from the International Convention in Montreal where he trained a group of lieutenant governors-elect. Their current district governor is **Carrollyn Cox '79 J.D.**, the first female governor of the district.

**1973**

**Col. Edward P. Kane** (Wayne, Pa.) reports having retired from active duty with the U.S. Army in 1993. He is currently enjoying life in the "main line" suburbs of Philadelphia with his wife Ann and sons, Terry and Kenny. He is the director of Facilities and Services at the Valley Forge Military Academy and College. He is "still drawing on

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management skills and people-oriented philosophies learned in the M.B.A. program 20 years ago."

**Robert S. Roberson** (Newport News, Va.) is currently president and treasurer of Weaver Brothers Inc.

**1975**

**Col. William E. Hames** reports that he recently retired and relocated to San Francisco. He is a former resident of Portland, Ore. and Williamsburg.

**Paul Ray Hollandsworth** (Chesapeake, Va.) reports having received his Ph.D. in computer-integrated manufacturing from Old Dominion University in December 1993. His dissertation topic was "A multidimensional approach to implementation of continuous process improvement utilizing small run analysis in a shipyard environment." He is currently employed at Norfolk Naval Shipyard (since 1983).

**Dr. Vernon A. Quarstein** (Hampton, Va.) retired from Old Dominion University on May 31, 1994. He immediately signed a contract with Saint Leo College, Saint Leo, Fla., to become the only full-time, tenure-track professor at the Virginia Area Center, Fort Eustis, Va., effective Aug. 1, 1994. He expects to teach business policy, human resource management, decision making and related subjects at Fort Eustis, Langley Air Force Base and Oceana Naval Amphibious Base.

**Thomas G. Zeni** (Bartlesville, Okla.) has returned from five years overseas in Singapore and has assumed new duties as director of corporate accounting with Phillips Petroleum Co.

**1976**

**Roger H. Allen** (Clifton, Va.) and his wife announce the arrival of their second child, a boy, Ryan Harrington Allen, born July 7, 1994.

**1977**

**James Nolde** (Richmond, Va.) reports having been informed by friends at IBM that **Charles Holbrook** died while working in Mexico sometime in January 1994.

**James G. Snead Jr.** (Roanoke, Va.) and his wife, Sandy, announce the birth of their third child, Sarah James Snead, born Jan. 4, 1994.

**Kirby J. Taylor** (Ashland, Ky.) reports: "Vicky and I have two grandchildren, Alyson, 3, Bruce, 8 months, and three children, Andy, 26, James, 24, Pam, 22, and one daughter-in-law, Julie (married to Andy).

**Janice Anderson Weitzen** (Chester, N.J.) reports: "We moved back into our Chester home after a brief 15 months in Hong Kong. My head is still spinning. But just to prove what a small world it really is, **Tom Ferguson '78 M.B.A.** was at my husband's going away party!!! He and wife, Ellen, moved to Hong Kong in late 1993. Although I'm on a leave of absence from AT&T, I have no plans to return (What, me work?!). However, I hold the position of "Minister of Finance" for our family and am proud to say that income is still greater than the budget."

**1978**

**Charles "Chuck" B. Edwards, III** (Hampton, Va.) was appointed the assistant director of financial aid at Christopher Newport University. He is also teaching some courses in the business and economics department.

**Thomas Matthews Neale** (Richmond) reports: "Most recently, I was senior vice president-project manager for NationsBank in charge of the MNC Financial-NationsBank merger. Effective June 27, 1994, I will be senior vice president - corporate sales manager for First Union Bank out of Richmond. I will be responsible for all new business development for companies with annual sales in excess of \$20 million. On a personal note, my wife, Barbara, is expecting our third child in November of this year. My two girls, Barrett and Carol, are 6 and 3 years old—healthy and spunky!"

**1979**

**Craig T. Forbes** (Richmond) reports: "I joined Prudential Securities in January 1994, after almost 10 years with the Federal Reserve. I will focus primarily on institutional fixed-income sales. My wife Claire-Marie, and our two children—Graham, 8 and Anne-Claire, 5,—are visiting Claire's family in France."

**Shirley Martin Wecht** (Chesapeake, Va.) married Kenneth A. Wecht, C.P.A., who is comptroller/treasurer of William E. Wood and Associates, a real estate company in Virginia Beach. Shirley reports: "I am a partner in a company that owns four Burger King restaurants. I live in the Great Bridge area of Chesapeake."

**1980**

**Chris Naisawald** (Lynchburg, Va.) reports: "Nancy and I are enjoying our family of three boys (Chris, 10, John, 7, Andrew, 3) and our newly arrived daughter, Katherine." Chris is employed with Ericsson GE, a joint venture between GE and the Swedish telecommunications company, Ericsson, as a marketing program manager in systems.

**Suzanne Cromiller Thomas** (Metairie, La.) was recently promoted to senior vice president of First NBC, the New Orleans-based bank of First Commerce Corporation. She is responsible for lending activities of a commercial division.

**David M. West** reports: "I was married to Diane at Evelynton Plantation on Oct. 10, 1993."

**1981**

**John J. Norman** is living and sailing in Gloucester, Va. He is the managing partner for Software Development and Consulting Practice. The partnership was started in 1987. Their primary focus is on UNIX and Windows Accounting Software.

**Peter Ogilvy** (Fairfield, Conn.) and his wife announce the birth of their third child, a son, Scott Giffin Ogilvy. He was born on May 14, 1994.

**Karl E. Olson Jr.** (Atlanta) reports: "My wife, **Kim '81 M.B.A.** and I have a 3-year-old son, John. I'm busy traveling the world developing power plant projects with SEI—a subsidiary of the Southern Company. We have closed projects in Virginia, Argentina, Chile, Freeport, Bahamas and Trinidad. I am actively developing projects in China, Indonesia, Brazil, Austria, Slovakia and Mexico."

**1982**

**Peter Mark Shaw** (Norfolk, Va.) of Tidewater Community College, moved his office from the Portsmouth campus to Monticello Arcade in downtown Norfolk. In the

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fall of '96, he will move onto the new Norfolk campus in downtown Norfolk. He has been assigned to provide professional development and interactive video computer training for all of south Hampton Roads.

**Denise Dowd Vermeulen** reports: "After working as a public relations manager for nine years, I started my own public relations consulting business. I've been doing that part-time since the arrival of our daughter, Elaina. Elaina is now 21-months-old, and being her mom is absolutely the best job I've ever had! My husband and I have lived in Oregon since 1990. We currently reside in Lake Oswego, a suburb of Portland."

**Doug Warinner**; wife, Annalisa; and daughter, Annakate Warinner, have just left for Paris for a three-year assignment with IBM. "We are very excited and encourage all our W&M friends to come visit!"

**Richard Keith Wingo** (Cary, N.C.) was promoted to manager of financial operations for IBM's Software Solutions Laboratory in Cary.

### 1983

**John S. Cheppo** (East Brunswick, N.J.) says: "Hello to all the 'STRAY WHALERS' from our softball reunion in New Jersey. Mac 'Big Daddy' Weaver, Bruce 'the Nipper' Hashim, Gary 'T.O.M.' Bender, 'Hoots', 'Schlong', 'Indigo Man' and the Swallow Brothers. We enjoyed softball, swiss cheese and brewskis."

**Bennett P. Gamel** (Westchester, Ill.) reports: "I enjoyed spending two months last fall living in London while evaluating cable-telephone companies in the U.K. I'm very busy with two beautiful girls, Kelly Renee, 4, and Emily Victoria, 2."

**Bruce Hamel** (Meredith, N.H.) reports: "The first half of 1994 has been a busy and happy one: We adopted our second child, a beautiful 6-month-old girl, Heather, and completed construction of our dream home on Lake Winnisquam. I have been president and owner of a small business for the past eight years. A quality W&M M.B.A. is a major asset to small business, too!"

**Mitchell Levy** (Mountain View, Calif.) has written a book called *Home Ownership: The American Myth*. This book, available in bookstores and libraries around the country, explores whether or not home ownership or renting is best.

### 1984

**Cecilia Todd** (Annandale, Va.) reports: "I recently moved to the Main Treasury as budget examiner for IRS information systems. It's an exciting time to be with the federal government as it is forced to think more like private industry. Also, it's interesting to work in a historical building. Courtney, my baby while at W&M, just finished fifth grade. Kaitlin is seven. Jim is still traveling around the globe as an oceanographer. Courtney, Jim and I visited Scotland at the end of summer - her first trip to Europe. Outside of work, our lives revolve around soccer and Girl Scouts."

### 1985

**Thomas Faulk** (Fort Myers, Fla.) is completing his second year as a banking and commercial attorney in the paradise of southwest Florida. He recently married Jo Jordan, a '92 Florida State University graduate, and they are celebrating the 5-month birthday of their beautiful daughter, Rachel Anne.

**Edmund J. Feeley** (Manchester, Mass.) and his wife announce the birth of a second child, Ellen Stephanie, born April 26, 1994. Their first child, Caroline Genevieve, was born on April 5, 1992.

### 1986

**Andrew J. Blackburn** reports: "Since January 1993, I have had my own consulting business, BACS. I specialize in the following areas within the airline industry: 1) strategic planning; 2) measurement of profitability performance; and 3) financial analysis. My first consulting contract was with Kuwait Airways in Kuwait. While there, I developed unit costs for their flight operations. Additionally, I outlined a process for measuring the profitability of their flights and their route network. Currently, I am consulting with Deutsche Lufthansa AG in Frankfurt, Germany. I am working with the systems development and network planning groups to develop forecasting tools for planning and to revise the analysis process used to measure the performance for their route network. I really enjoy consulting. The international exposure has been very fulfilling, from both business and social perspectives! Best wishes to you in W'burg!!!"

**Paul A. Tashner** (Westminster, Md.) is president of TCO International, Inc. He reports: "After two years of development, we opened the first U.S. automobile dealership in central Asia, the former Soviet Union. Our second dealership will open in September. The dealerships are official Chrysler/Jeep representatives. We've been offered barter 'sheeps for Jeeps', but prefer U.S. dollars. I've spent 3 months in Kazakhstan during the first half of '94, and am glad to report results are satisfying."

**Glenda E. White** reports: "On July 1, I became budget manager for the College after working eight years in the College's audit department. The children and I have enjoyed living in Williamsburg; Elizabeth is 13 and Travis is a healthy 11-year-old."

### 1987

**Carl W. Cheek II** (Baltimore) is working for Weststreet Industries. Weststreet is a paper and fiber products recycling center, processing paper throughout the United States.

**Dan Edwards** (Norfolk, Va.) recently retired from the Navy and started a new job as the controller for Nauticus, The National Maritime Center in Norfolk.

**David Hartmann** (Edmond, Okla.) accepted an assignment to the department of industrial engineering as a doctoral candidate in industries engineering.

**Graeme Miller** (Mt. Pleasant, S.C.) reports: "I was promoted to director of merchandising this past January. Michele has started her own fitness business, and we are looking to open our own health club later this summer. Regards to all '87 classmates - I think of you often (especially those late nights at the Green Leafe)."

**Roger Sikorski** (Bristol, Va.) recently assumed responsibility as quality assurance manager for solution-dyed fiber producer, CAMAC Corporation, Bristol. Along with wife Donna, he is enjoying their 2-year-old son, Roger III, "RJ". They had an opportunity to visit England and Germany in June for business and some pleasure.

### 1988

**Charlotte Williams Haden** (Hampton, Va.) reports: "Charlie and I had a second son, Benjamin Patrick, on July 4, 1994."

**Michael A. Matthews** (Williamsburg) Michael and Mara Matthews announce the birth of their second child; Leah Alise, on Nov. 19, 1993. Leah's brother, Jonathan Michael, 3, has become very protective of his little sister.

**David Schure** (Princeton, N.J.) is a senior program associate at the National Trust for Historic Preservation. David reports: "Anne and I are restoring an 18th-century house in Princeton."

**Alan M. Sonner** (Lynchburg, Va.) is now manager of strategic marketing at B&W Nuclear Technologies. BWNT provides maintenance and engineering services to nuclear power plants and other capital intensive process plants. Approximately 2,000 employees; sales approximately \$300 million.

**Mark Joseph Vucci** (Chester, Va.) reports: "I will be starting my second year of law school in August 1994. I am attending the Marshall-Wythe School of Law at the College of William and Mary."

### 1989

**Roscoe Owen Blackwell IV** reports: "We are in the process of moving to Mobile, Ala, where I will be working for a small firm as a financial planner. My son, Austin, just had his fourth birthday and my wife, Ellen, is expecting our second child in late November."

**Steve Perry** (Fredericksburg, Va.) was promoted to combat service support branch head-requirements division. He is responsible primarily for heavy vehicle acquisitions.

**Maria Forgiome Spicer** (Bahama, N.C.) reports: "Well, my first business is going so well that I decided to start another one. Now, I am involved in a trading business and real estate obligations for investors. I have about as much free time as I did during the M.B.A. program, so my husband will soon be leaving his job to join me full-time. It sure will be nice to have someone to work with besides the dog!"

**Linda Edwards Sydnor** (Glen Allen, Va.) is the director of marketing at NECTAR USA, the second largest naturally based skin care company internationally.

### 1990

**Kelly Lambert** (Norfolk, Va.) reports: "I returned to Hampton Roads. I began working for International Family Entertainment Inc. in October 1992 for their in-house advertising agency."

**Karla Ziegenfus Scanlan** (Richmond) reports: "Effective July 1, I will be promoted from customer services representative II at the liquid packaging division of Westvaco (where I've been since October 1990) to market analyst for the company's bleached board converting division (consisting of five converting plants). I will work out of the folding carton offices in Richmond."

**Valerie Krowe Shostak** (Williamsburg) reports: "I have left conventional jobs to help my husband, Dean, with his growing business as a musician. In addition to helping with a busy touring schedule, he has just completed a Christmas recording on a rare instrument called the 'glass Armonica' (invented by Ben Franklin in 1761), and continues to write music scores for film and video projects. We are currently traveling 18-20 weeks per year. It is fun and exciting."

### 1991

**Elizabeth M. Andrews** (Norfolk, Va.) has accepted a newly created position of publisher at Landmark Communication first book division. As a result, she is discovering the secrets of the Midwest ... Dubuque, Iowa to be exact! She has an editor and staff located there who develop the actual "product:" books on antiques and collectibles. Unfortunately, Dubuque is one of those places "you can't get to from here!" On a personal note, she and her husband Rick '81 just celebrated their 10th anniversary. They were married in Williamsburg in May 1984.

**Cathy Copeland** (Pine Bluff, Ark.) reports: "I enjoyed running into Crystal and John Philips at the NCAA regionals in Dallas - Wooo Pig Soooeee!! I enjoyed two summer trips to visit M.B.A. buddies—the long-awaited Bruce McNeil and Patty Duggan wedding in July and a September trip to Idaho to visit Lorrie Fluharty Asker and husband Mike. Things are going great—I am the accounting manager at Jefferson Regional Medical Center in Pine Bluff and am living at home with my dad."

**Bruce L. McNeill** (Front Royal, Va.) reports: "Patty Duggan and I were married over the summer. We honeymooned in Hawaii on the islands of Kauai and Oahu."

**Manuel J. Fernandez** (Washington, D.C.) reports: "I recently graduated from the University of Dallas with a master's degree in engineering management. After living in Texas for over one year, I am ready to come back to the East Coast. I continue to work as a management intern for the U.S. Postal Service. The last three years have been full of fun and a lot of good memories."

**Salvatore Giannetti III** (New York) was recently promoted to vice president in Chemical Bank's emerging markets/capital markets area with responsibility for fixed income underwriting and structured finance transactions in Argentina and Chile.

**Churchill "Kirk" Gibson** (Washington, D.C.) was recently promoted to director of operations and finance with the National Alliance to End Homelessness. He had a son, Churchill Jones Gibson, born Sept. 24, 1992, and baby number two is due Sept. 28, 1994.

**Michael J. Hauser** (Virginia Beach) announces the birth of a daughter, Catherine Marie, born on Oct. 21, 1993.

**Thomas S. Lewis** (Newport News, Va.) married Meggan Beth Mitchell on June 26, 1994. She's a teacher in the York County school system. They honeymooned in Maine in the Moosehead Lake area. Meggan is a '91 graduate of U.N.C. Chapel Hill.

**Charles P. Lucy** (Yorktown, Va.) joined Commerce Bank in November 1992. He was promoted to assistant vice president/area manager for the Peninsula in November 1993. He is responsible for the entire retail banking function for four branches on the Peninsula. He would love to hear from fellow alumni.

### 1992

**Eric Esch** (Auburn, Wash.) reports: "First baby born May 4, 1994, a girl named Natalie—in her short career, she's risen to chairman and CEO of the family. In other news ... I was promoted to western regional sales manager for Interbake Foods in June."

**Bill Frainey** (Dallas) was recently promoted to senior financial analyst and budget coordinator for the SABRE Group. The SABRE Group is one of the profitable divisions of American Airline—although their profits can barely be seen in the airlines losses!

**Anthony Kim** (Huntington Beach, Calif.) announces the birth of a son, Jonathan Caelen Kim, born June 2, 1994 and weighing in at 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

**Tracey D. Millard** (Hampton, Va.) is getting married to Michael Toole on Nov. 12. She has also become a certified Emergency Medical Technician. She plans to volunteer

### A GOOD FELLOW

Jonathan Lever '91 has been selected to serve as a 1994-95 Jane Addams Fellow at Indiana University's Center on Philanthropy. Lever will study the theory and practice of the philanthropic tradition—its history, ethics, values, societal role, limitations, opportunities and responsibilities. Lever plans to transfer the graduate credit earned as a fellow into a master's program at Indiana University. Lever formerly served as the program associate for religion at the Jessie Ball duPont Fund and, prior to that, as an associate director of alumni affairs for the Society of Alumni at W&M. In his current—albeit limited—free time, Lever is planning a December wedding with Laura Stapleton '92, '93 M.Ed., which will be held at the Wren Chapel.



### LAMBERT NAMED V.P. OF MEDICAL AFFAIRS AT SAINT JOSEPH

Dr. Matthew J. Lambert III '90 M.B.A. has been named vice president of medical affairs at Saint Joseph Hospital and Health Care Center in Chicago. In this capacity, Lambert will serve as prime liaison between the hospital's administration and medical staff in critical areas of physician interest. Lambert served as medical director at Martha Jefferson Hospital in Charlottesville, Va., before moving to Chicago.



### POWELL JOINS LEGG MASON IN RICHMOND AS VICE PRESIDENT

Kenneth Powell '83 M.L.T. was recently appointed vice president of Legg Mason Wood Walker Inc. in Richmond. In his new position, Powell will focus on the company's investment banking activities in Virginia's public and private sectors. Previously, Powell worked as a partner at the law firm of Hazel & Thomas and headed the firm's business/tax section. He also was chairman of the Economic Development Group and the firm's client development committee. Powell graduated from the University of Colorado

with a bachelor's in political science and received a law degree from the University of Richmond before earning his master's in law and taxation from William and Mary.

#### BURKS' BOOK SPELLS RELIEF

Migraine sufferers may now find the relief they've been looking for, thanks to a book by Susan L. Burks, '88 M.Ed., titled *Managing Your Migraine: A Migraine Sufferer's Practical Guide*. Burks' extensive research for the book was inspired by her own struggle with migraine, which she says threatened all aspects of her life. Burks combines first-hand accounts of migraine-related experiences with current medical data to provide a treatment plan that focuses on medication, diet, lifestyle and self-help. Formerly a substance abuse counselor, Burks now teaches migraine management in association with Well-Being, Inc., a counseling practice in Newport News, Va. Book price: \$22.50. Published by Humana Press.

#### FOSTER RECEIVES CITIZEN LAWYER AWARD

Aundria D. Foster '81 J.D. has received the Citizen Lawyer Award from the Marshall-Wythe School of Law Alumni Association. Since 1991, the award has been given to the alumnus who, through a record of community service, best exemplifies the ideal of the citizen lawyer. Foster, a juvenile and domestic relations district court judge in Newport News, has served on the bench since 1991. Prior to that, she served for seven years as assistant commonwealth's attorney for Newport News. She also was an advisor for a nationally recognized domestic violence intervention program called PRIDE. As part of the program, Foster trained administrators of several major police departments in domestic violence intervention.



Aundria Foster '81 with former Acting Dean Paul Marcus (left) and M-W Alumni Association past president Michael Deneka '88.

with one of the local rescue squads and is now studying to become a cardiac technician which is one step below the paramedic level.

Paula M. Hicks Mooradian (Williamsburg) reports: "Todd and I married on May 21, 1994. It was a beautiful day, and many classmates made it to Gloucester for the event. We even had a few beers at Paul's before the night was over. Todd and I spent our honeymoon in Tortola B.V.I. before he left to teach in Japan for a month. Hope to see many of you Nov. 5 for Homecoming! If you make it back to the 'Burg before then give us a call."

Lee C. Scruggs (Williamsburg) reports: "Pam and I had a beautiful baby girl on June 17. She was 6 pounds, 3 1/2 ounces and is named Teresa Lynn after my big sister. We're crazy about her! Business is going great. Tinsley became a partner this summer and we expect to either expand or move into a new and larger facility by Christmas. Come see us if you're in the 'Burg."

Michael P. Thome (Harrisonburg, Va) responds: "I'd like to say THANKS to all 1992 alumni who gave toward the third annual M.B.A. Athletes for Charity this spring. The Class of '92 raised \$1,055 for Special Olympics—great support!"

#### 1993

Andrew Blanton (Roanoke, Va.) and Allison had a third child in August 1993—Emily McFaden. Andrew started a new job in July working for the chief operating officer at Trigon Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Virginia in Roanoke. He says: "Give a call, anyone who comes through."

Mathew Brobson has moved to Dow, Lohnes and Albertson in Washington, D.C. This resulted in an increase in both salary and responsibility. He moved to be with his wife who is presently attending Georgetown University Law Center for a J.D. She matriculated in September 1993 and has had the opportunity to study abroad in Dublin and Prague. Since graduation, Mathew has become a C.P.A.

Robert W. Carmines, M.S.T., C.P.A. (Newport News, Va.) reports: "On June 1, 1994, I formed the certified public accounting and consulting firm of Carmines, Robbins & Company, PLC in Newport News. We have seven employees."

Courtney Colvard (Greensboro, N.C.) married Dee Spencer on June 11, 1994, in Greensboro.

John M. Flowe (Hampton, Va.) spent two weeks in June 1994 in mainland China conducting lectures on shipbuilding technology, quality control and ISO 9000 standards. Hosted by the Chinese shipbuilding industry, he toured numerous industrial and research facilities in Beijing and Shanghai.

Danny H. Goad (Hampton, Va.) was elected to the Hampton City School Board in Virginia's first school board elections. In his campaign, he stressed the need for greater parental involvement in education.

Dave Hunt (McLean, Va.) returned to Northern Virginia after a miserable experience in Houston. He is loving life as a new Freddie Mac hire. He asks: "By the way, how come nobody else responds to these class notes?!"

Jack Jennings (Williamsburg) reports: "After having two sons (Bill and Tom), Laura and I have a baby girl, Anne Tryon Jennings, born April 22, 1994—8 pounds, 13 ounces!"

Nico Nissink reports: "We moved to France in July. It will be an exciting couple of years with a challenging new job as program manager and the family adapting to life in the French countryside. Come see us when you are in the area."

Rob Voeks (Athens, Ga.) reports: "Recipe for the first year of a Ph.D program: First, read a couple thousand pages with lots of squiggly lines and Greek symbols; second, become a serious coffee addict; third, lose all conversational and people skills (you have no idea what real people do anymore or how to communicate with them anyway). Other than that, the professors have been very supportive and Athens is a great place just to hang out."

Jennifer Wade (Washington, D.C.) reports: "Life in D.C. is great! I just moved and started a new job as development director for 'Christmas in April U.S.A.'—a national nonprofit organization, which rehabilitates the homes of low income elderly and disabled people."

Bob Webb (Chicago) reports: "I FINALLY GOT A JOB! I'm working in the risk management department of Baker & McKenzie International Executive Offices, the world's largest law firm with offices around the globe. I mainly manage professional liability claims made against the firm. Do alumni of the W&M M.B.A. program get a discount at W&M law school? If you're in Chicago, look me up. I'm in the book."

Debra Saunders White (Newport, R.I.) reports: "We have moved to Rhode Island courtesy of the United States Navy." Deb accepted a position with St. George's School as their director of MIS and will also teach algebra I and II. She will have the responsibility of installing a fiber optic distribution system to support an administrative and academic computing system.

Charles R. Willis (Fredericksburg, Va.) has joined the new program called "advanced business development" with the Peace Corps. He is scheduled to leave Nov. 1. He will be in Kiev for the first three months, where he will receive intensive language training and project training. Afterwards, he will be assigned a project and location to serve for two years.

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Angus A. Macaulay (Charlestown, Mass.) is working as assistant marketing manager of Sperry Topsiders, a division of Stride Rite Corporation in Cambridge, Mass.

#### Graduate School of Education

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Fall greetings from Williamsburg. As I write these notes, we are all probably preparing for school in some way—as parents, educators, students, or in combinations of those roles. I hope that all is going well for you and I encourage you to drop me a line so that I can let everyone know what is new and/or news with you.

Sheri-Lynn DeMaris '81 M.Ed. did just that. She sent us a note and a newspaper clipping (with color photo!) about her new job. In addition to her teaching duties, Sheri is now serving as a career counselor for 10th- and 11th-grade students in the Upper Moreland School District in Pennsylvania. Through a six-week career awareness

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program, she is able to bring her career counseling knowledge, skills, information and tools into the classroom (rather than having the students come to her). Sheri is pleased that the school has been so innovative and open to her ideas, and the principal is enthusiastic about the program.

I also received two engagement announcements this summer. Susan Rawls Branche '93 M.A.Ed. announced her engagement to Gregory Switzer. A July 16 wedding was planned for William and Mary's Wren Chapel. They are both from Suffolk, Va., where Susan is a middle school teacher in the Suffolk Public Schools.

Rachel Alice Louise Mayes '93 M.A.Ed. announced her engagement to Mark Eron Strawn. They planned an August wedding. Both are from Yorktown, Va., and Rachel works for the Valentine Museum. I know that you join me in sending well-wishes to both couples, and I look forward to reporting on the joy of their nuptials in a future edition.

Speaking of joyous nuptials, Kathleen Mary Connolly '92 M.A.Ed. married William John Hovanic '81 M.Ed. in February in the Wren Chapel. She teaches at Clara Byrd Baker Elementary here in Williamsburg, while he teaches at Menchville High in Newport News.

And in May, Jane Elizabeth Kennedy '89 M.A.Ed. wed William Douglas Carmark. They now reside in Newport News, where she is an elementary guidance counselor for Newport News Public Schools. Congratulations to all the happy couples, and good luck in your lives together!

Elizabeth Hinton "Sissy" Crowther '91 Ed.S., '94 Ed.D. has had a busy year. Even before receiving her doctorate in higher education in May, she was named director of instructional services at Lord Fairfax Community College in Middletown, Va. Previously, Sissy had served as director of assessment, planning and research at Rappahannock Community College.

Also joining Lord Fairfax Community College this past spring was Cynthia Jane Coulson '82 M.Ed. She is now an academic and career counselor at LFCC, where she is also preparing and coordinating the college's substance abuse and sexual assault prevention information and programs. LFCC is lucky to have both Sissy and Cynthia, and we wish you both well.

In March, Rex Marshall Ellis '85 C.A.S., '89 Ed.D. used the ancient traditions of storytelling to present "Stories of the Diaspora," a program on African-American history. The program was given at the Glens, Va., campus of Rappahannock Community College. In addition to his job as director for the Office of Museum Programs at the Smithsonian, Rex is also the board chair for the National Association for the Preservation and Perpetuation of Storytelling. Personally, I love a good story, and I am sorry that I missed his presentation.

Robert Tyler Richmond '74 M.Ed. was seeking one of the two available seats on the Staunton (Va.) School Board this past spring, but I don't know how it turned out. I do know that he is a retired Army colonel and retired math teacher, with over 11 years of teaching experience in the Staunton school system. I hope everything worked out for the best.

Also in the spring, Barry Stephen Morris '75 M.A.Ed., '82 Ed.S. received his doctorate in administrative and policy studies of higher education from the University of Pittsburgh. He is the director of residence life at Clarion University in Clarion, Pa. Kudos to another graduate who has earned yet another degree while working full time—you are all to be commended!

On July 1, the Virginia Beach Public Schools named Hazel Hiatt Jessee '81 M.A.Ed. to the position of principal for Old Donation Center for the Gifted and Talented. Hazel has worked in the Virginia Beach schools since 1976, and says that she looks forward to being part of the city's "tradition of excellence" in gifted education. I am sure that she has been partly responsible for that tradition over the years and that it will continue and grow under her leadership.

Finally, the Alumni Society asks that I remind you of all the Homecoming festivities planned for Nov. 3-6. Please use the registration form that was included in last month's *Gazette*, or call 804/221-1174. Of particular interest will be the School of Education's post-game reception in the new University Center. It's only \$5 per person and some current graduate students will be providing the live instrumental music. I look forward to seeing you there and finally being able to attach some faces to all your names. Keep in touch.

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Earle T. Hale '70 and Channing M. Hall '85, '86 M.L.T. recently opened the firm of Hale and Hall in Williamsburg. Earle serves on the Law School's Annual Fund Board, and Channing serves as vice president for student affairs of the William and Mary Law School Association Board. Among many generousities, they established the Thurgood Marshall Award, given for the first time at Commencement in May to Toni Randall '94 for her commitment to public service.

Lauren (Pete) Belvin '73 has been detailed from her current appointment as chief of the Field Operation Bureau's Enforcement Division of the Federal Communications Commission to serve as Commissioner James H. Quello's senior legal adviser in Washington, D.C.

Donald Gregory '79, of the Washington, D.C., firm of Dickstein, Shapiro & Morin, was one of the authors of *Introduction to Intellectual Property Law* from BNA Books, a division of the Bureau of National Affairs Inc. He specializes in patent law, copyrights and trademarks.

Timothy N. Thomes '84 of Key Largo, Fla., has been admitted as a fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (London), which qualifies international arbitrators and coordinates international mediation services. He is the president of the Florida Keys Bar Association.

Robin Hegner '86 is employed by T.C. Williams School of Law at the University of Richmond as an associate professor and staff attorney in the Youth Advocacy Clinic. In September, she will become staff attorney and lobbyist for the Virginia School Board Association in Richmond.



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Jeffrey Lowe '89, currently at Hogan & Hartson in Washington, D.C., will be participating in the Mori Sogo 1994-95 International Lawyers Program (ILP) in Tokyo, Japan. The ILP is designed to offer foreign attorneys exposure to international transactions and insight into Japanese business practices and the Japanese legal system.

Debra Rauanheimo '91 joined the Philadelphia firm of Hangely, Connolly, Epstein, Chicco, Foxman & Ewing as an associate after a clerkship with Judge Robert Coyle, chief judge of the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of California.

John Owen, '84 M.L.T. was recently named partner in the Pittsburgh office of Eckert, Seamans, Cherin & Mellott. John, who is also a CPA, represents financial institutions, sports franchises, nonprofit organizations, manufacturers, health care providers, public entities and individuals in tax, employee benefit and business transaction matters.

Attorney/inventor Nelson Blish '79 J.D. recently patented a "variable stroke internal combustion engine." Nelson is affiliated with Cooper Industries where he is senior counsel for patents and trademarks.

### School of Marine Science

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Gloucester Point, VA 23062

Dave Niebuhr '93 M.A. has joined the staff of the Chesapeake Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve in Virginia as the communications and education coordinator. Dave is continuing on for his Ph.D. at VIMS (which also administers the Research Reserve).

Lots of new alumni since the note in June. May Ph.D.s included Patrick and Shirley Baker, who are off to Macalaster College in St. Paul, Minn., as visiting assistant profes-

sors; Nantarika (Ning) Bodhipaksha, who has returned to Thailand as the deputy director of the Veterinary Aquatic Animal Research Center at Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok; Gustavo Calvo, who is working as a shellfish pathologist at the Oxford Lab, Maryland D.N.R.; Susan Lowerre-Barbieri, who is doing post-doctoral research at the University of Georgia Marine Institute at Sapelo Island; and Ed Sismour, who hasn't let us know what he's doing yet.

May M.A.s included Ellen Bentley, who will be working with the National Biological Survey in Anchorage, Alaska; Sandra Blake, who is working at VIMS for a while; Maria Cochran and Niels Moore, who haven't let us know what they're doing yet; Paul Rudershausen, who took a temporary position at Tikchik Narrows Lodge, Dillingham, Alaska; and Padma Venkatraman, who went back to India for a year to earn enough money to come back and start on her Ph.D. in the fall of 1995.

August Ph.D.s were Bohyun Bang, who is doing post-doctoral research in the department of atmosphere and ocean at McGill University; James Fisher, who will be staying on at VIMS for a while; Ed Heist, who is doing post-doctoral research at Texas A&M; Kirt Moody, who says he just plans on traveling and relaxing for a while; Dan Scoles, who is doing post-doctoral research with the department of biological sciences at the University of South Carolina; and Tom Sminkey, who is staying in the area for a while.

M.A.s in August were Laura Grignano, who hasn't let us know if she has found anything yet and Sorava Mooin, who is staying on at VIMS in the Ph.D. program.

Donna Turgeon '68 M.A. is in the senior executive service training program with the federal government. Her most recent tour was with the National Biological Survey. She is also serving as the executive secretary for the ad hoc working group for the U.S. Coastal Module of the Global Ocean Observing System (GOOS). The committee has four other VIMS alumni: Gail Mackiernan, '68 M.A., Don Boesch '71 Ph.D., and myself. Ken Turgeon '68 M.A. is also on the GOOS group, but he sent a substitute to the last meeting. Donna indicated that probably wouldn't happen again.

### PICTURE THIS

While artist Jim Pittman '58 has been a Virginia favorite, his artwork apparently knows no geographic boundaries.

Last summer, Pittman's watercolors appeared in Richmond's Cudahy Gallery, in a collection representing artists from the mid-Atlantic region and in a national competition for the Rocky Mountain National Watermedia Exhibition in Colorado. Pittman's art was among 115 works chosen for the Colorado exhibit from more than 1,500 entries nationwide.

A resident of Wakefield, Va., Pittman is a founding member of the Virginia Watercolor Society and associate member of the American Watercolor Society. He has led painting workshops in Virginia and North Carolina and has exhibited in museums from Maine to Georgia.

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### WEIRD SCIENCE

"In Search of Giant Squids" is the title of an exhibit at the Smithsonian Museum of Natural History, put together by Michael Vecchione '79 Ph.D.

Vecchione has been a member of a team of scientists, known as the "squid squad," at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration since 1986. The exhibit features just a few of the 100,000 preserved squids and related sea creatures that Vecchione helps maintain, including an *Architeuthis dux*, a 9-foot long and 440-pound "midget" member of the species. The reason for the exhibit, according to one researcher, was simply to show that "weird things actually exist."

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### ARTIST MAKES HER MARK

Katherine Nettles '84 knows the rewards of time. Graduating at the age of 45 from William and Mary with a bachelor's in art, she has wasted little time since making her mark in the art world.

In addition to exhibiting her work, Nettles has taught adult art classes at Rowles Museum and the Wakefield Foundation. She has served on the Virginia Commission for the Arts since 1988, when she was appointed by then-Gov. Gerald R. Baliles, and has chaired the commission's Arts in Education committee. She also has helped in the development of partnerships with the Virginia Community College System, the Virginia Alliance

## Vital statistics

### MARRIAGES

Marjorie Ann Meyer '69 and Paul Lynskey, July 2, 1994.  
William Donovan Cutchins '78 and Tammy Jo Campbell, July 2, 1994.  
Gwyneth E. Hambley '81 and Donald N. Dowie Jr., May 29, 1994.  
Christian Andree '82 and Rachel Smith, June 3, 1994.  
Alice Lawson Cox '82 and Carl Sperapani, May 21, 1994.  
John Stoner Schofield '82 and Mary Katherine McKee, July 30, 1994.  
Steven James Keeler '83 and Lisa Siobhan McCloskey, June 4, 1994.  
Julianne DeLoatch '84 and Harold Alan Guller, July 4, 1994.  
Valerie Pandak '84 and Richard Mark Anderson, July 16, 1994.  
Stephen Adrian Schweitzer '84 J.D. and Belinda Carol Haywood, July 9, 1994.  
Susan Gayle Blake '85 and Scott Alan Beller, Aug. 7, 1994.  
Richard Graham Jones Jr. '85 and Gabrielle Renee Kesler, May 29, 1994.  
Douglas Ralph Updegrove '85 and Jennifer Lynne Beale, Aug. 22, 1994.  
Ellen Maura Wente '85 and Scott Whitney Harmon, June 18, 1994.  
Katherine Joanna Thornhill '86 M.B.A. and Ralph Hayes Hemphill III '86 M.B.A., June 16, 1994.  
Karen Elizabeth Libucha '87 and Alphonse Kouagou, May 28, 1994.  
Stephanie Kay Thompson '87 and Patrick Karl Hermes, June 18, 1994.  
Thomas Smith Lewis '88 and Meggan Beth Mitchell, June 26, 1994.  
Magdalena Maria Maolis '88 and Massoud Tahantani, May 22, 1994.  
Meredith Campbell Moodey '88 and Alfred Joe Poole III, April 23, 1994.  
Susan Victoria Strobach '89 and Joseph Clark Fisher '88, March 26, 1994.  
Cynthia Mary Janis '89 and Todd Moyer, Oct. 1993.  
David Tatnall Nowland '89 and Cathleen Benton Cotter, June 25, 1994.  
Angela Zell Pinson '89 and Thomas Meade Simpson, May 22, 1994.  
Mary Beth Rathert '89 and Richard Michael Crawford.  
Susan Wendy Riley '89 and Alexander Standish Trach '89, Aug. 21, 1993.  
Kevan Jeffrey Vanek '89 and Traci Lynn Meakem, June 10, 1994.  
Dawn Dionne Clements '90 and Terry Michael Baronner, April 30, 1994.  
Lisa Beth Flechner '90 and Robert Scott Salsberry '90, July 9, 1994.  
Laurie Ann Gentile '90 and Clifton Forbes Bell '90, Aug. 6, 1994.  
Holly Joy Guest '90 and Norman Andrew Jones '91, May 29, 1994.  
Shelby Jane Hiller '90 and Brent Robert Moody '92, June 25, 1994.  
Joanne Marie Lawson '90 and Michael A. Wilson, July 23, 1994.  
Elisabeth Hardin Rogers '90 and Andrew Thomas Flynn, July 9, 1994.  
W. Andrew Bauserman III '91 and Jill Ann-Marie Glover, May 22, 1994.  
Robert Wayne Gustavus '91 and Jennifer Elizabeth Lemmond, July 9, 1994.  
Michael David Haley '91 and Christine Leigh Baiers, July 23, 1994.  
Jennifer Michelle Leslie '91 and Kevin Michael Beck, July 23, 1994.  
Michael Robert Manning '91 and Lena Panagiotou '92.  
Kristina Pelham '91 and Douglas David May '91, July 30, 1994.  
Janine Pool '91 and Ericson Wells Booker '91, Oct. 2, 1993.  
Danielle Nicole Desaulniers '92 and William Russell Shepherd III '92, June 26, 1994.  
David Brian Faddis '92 and Catherine Ashley Wittan '94, Aug. 7, 1994.  
Charles Baynham Mahon Jr. '92 M.A.Ed. and Susan Alexandra Bonhoff '93, July 2, 1994.  
Erin Elisabeth McGrew '92 and James Williams Herndon '93, Aug. 13, 1994.  
Amu Dunham Stackhouse '92 and Yoram Jacob Sussmann '92, July 2, 1994.  
Susan Rawls Branche '93 M.A.Ed. and Gregory Switzer, July 16, 1994.  
Ann Michele Clear '93 and James Wilson Sublett III '91, March 12, 1994.

Sam Paul Cohen '93 and Belinda Kaye Evans '94, Aug. 5, 1994.  
Mary Carol Fleming '93 and Timothy Archer Beatty, July 30, 1994.  
Jennifer Campbell Hobaugh '93 and Matthew Scott Johnson '93, July 16, 1994.  
Karen Gail Jones '93 and Jefferey Worner Norrgard '93, July 23, 1994.  
Rachel Alice Louise Mayes '93 M.A.Ed. and Mark Eron Strawn, Aug. 1994.  
Cynthia Ann Poole '93 and Aaron Patrick Reeves '94, May 21, 1994.  
Teresa Kaye Brazzel '94 and David M. Pernini, May 21, 1994.  
Amalia Doris Guzman '94 and Dale Bishop Castle, July 23, 1994.  
Shannon Nicole Miller '94 and Thomas Christopher Pope, June 25, 1994.  
Robert Charles Scott '94 and Laura Eileen Hall, Aug. 6, 1994.

### BIRTHS

TO: Linda Heck Blanton '72, first child, a son, Hugh Bennett, May 5, 1994.  
TO: David Mitchell Russell '73, third child, a daughter, Julia Elizabeth, June 8, 1994.  
TO: Roger Harrington Allen '76 M.B.A., second child, a son, Ryan Harrington, July 7, 1994.  
TO: Jeffrey Patterson King '76, first child, a daughter, Katherine MacConnell, July 8, 1994.  
TO: Theodore G. Ourednik '77 J.D., fourth child, third son, John Guilford, April 29, 1994.  
TO: Dona Lee Moon '79, first child, a son, Barrett Avery, May 23, 1994.  
TO: Elizabeth Schier Rathjen '79, first children, twin sons, Nathaniel Schier and James Hamilton, June 5, 1994.  
TO: Michael Joseph Wagner '79, first child, a son, Michael Joseph Jr., March 22, 1993, second child, second son, Christopher Thomas, June 5, 1994.  
TO: Diane Beard Wilcox '79, second child, second daughter, Annika Marie, Dec. 15, 1993.  
TO: Susan Sherland Mason '80, second child, second son, Benjamin Powell, April 29, 1994.  
TO: Scottie Crawley Scott '80 and William Edward Scott Jr. '80, first child, a daughter, Jennifer Trant, Nov. 17, 1985; second child, first son, William Edward III, Dec. 6, 1988; third child, second daughter, Katherine Marie, Oct. 28, 1993.  
TO: Lisbeth Scott Bednarek '81, first child, a son, Alexander Scott, Nov. 16, 1993.  
TO: Virginia Sellers Bitikofer '81, second child, second son, Eric Arthur Christian, April 27, 1994.  
TO: Wanda Howard Dalling '81, first child, a son, Benjamin Alexander, Jan. 12, 1993.  
TO: Katherine Uhl Keller '82, first child, a daughter, Laura Jane, July 7, 1993.  
TO: Julia Tait Lathrop '82, second child, second daughter, Charlotte Wood, June 12, 1994.  
TO: Elizabeth Fournier Riley '82 and James Robert Riley '81, third child, second son, Alexander Beauregard, July 14, 1994.  
TO: Susan Ellyn Valenstein '82, first child, a son, Max Louis, Jan. 5, 1991, second child, first daughter, Laura Kathryn, Sept. 3, 1992.  
TO: Debra Sides Wagner '82 and Gregory Wagner '84, first child, a son, Brian Gregory, March 14, 1993.  
TO: Kara Brock Bertles '84, third child, third daughter, Emma Hope, June 22, 1994.

for Arts Education and the Virginia Department of Education in an effort to improve education in the arts.

In recognition of her contributions, Nettles recently was awarded the Virginia Alliance for Arts Education Distinguished Service Award.

Nettles lives in Wakefield, Va.

#### FAMILY COMMEMORATES WWII REFUGEE AFFAIR

Stephen J. Morewitz '75 and his uncle, David E. Morewitz '53, will host a commemoration and museum exhibit on the S.S. *Quanza* refugee controversy at the Benjamin Cardozo School of Law at Yeshiva University in New York City on Nov. 10.

In 1940, maritime attorney J.L. Morewitz (David's father) played a key role in pressuring the Roosevelt Administration to provide safe harbor for Jewish and Christian refugees in Hampton Roads, Va. The release of these refugees resulted in a major shift in U.S. immigration policy. Former S.S. *Quanza* passengers will be at the New York commemoration, along with scholars of immigration policy. The exhibit will travel to other museums throughout the U.S. and Europe.

#### TOGETHER AGAIN

Classmates Scott Armistead '87 and Thomas Chin '87 have reunited for a common cause. The two family-practice physicians joined the Dawn Community Doctors health center in Caroline County, Va., to help the area's needy.

Through federal funding the center is able to treat the area's elderly and poor. According to Armistead, approximately 80 to 90 percent of the patients who come to the center have no health insurance and are charged on a sliding scale based on their income levels.

In addition to their William and Mary experience, both physicians attended the Medical College of Virginia and say the center lets them realize their goals. Says Armistead, "Tom and I wanted to work in underserved areas and we wanted to set up practice together. This has worked out well."

- TO: Diane Hansen Greco '84, first child, a daughter, Danielle Nicole, Sept. 17, 1990; second child, first son, Christopher Paul, April 10, 1992; third child, second daughter, Sara Elizabeth, July 24, 1994.
- TO: Laurie Tubbs McCann '84, first child, a son, Patrick Connor, Nov. 15, 1993.
- TO: Laurie Cogswell Barbagallo '85, second child, first daughter, Elizabeth Ann, March 13, 1994.
- TO: James Edward Chappel '85 and Kimberly Norris Chappel '88, first child, a son, Andrew Cole, June 7, 1994.
- TO: David Evans Clark '85, '89 J.D. and Cheryl Rafa Clark '88, first child, a son, Daniel Alexander, April 12, 1994.
- TO: Maryellen Farmer Feeley '85 and Edmund John Feeley '85 M.B.A., second child, second daughter, Ellen Stephanie, April 26, 1994.
- TO: Diane Roberson Graft '85 and Jon Scott Graft '84, '91 J.D., '93 L.L.M., first child, a daughter, Mary Rose, June 3, 1994.
- TO: Mary Ryland Healey '85 and Terence William Healey '85, first child, a daughter, Rachel Kay, March 22, 1994.
- TO: Demetrie Yeapanos Kontos '85 and Kris Kontos '84, first child, a son, Michael Hermes, Aug. 12, 1993.
- TO: Marcie Harrison Mattis '85, first child, a son, Samuel Harrison, March 19, 1994.
- TO: Lesin Liksey Dippold '86, '88 M.Ed. and George John Dippold Jr '87, first child, a son, George John III, Dec. 19, 1990; second child, first daughter, Nov. 25, 1993.
- TO: Ann Brown-Hailey '86 and Christopher Hailey '84, second child, first son, William Jones, July 18, 1994.
- TO: Heather Hinkamp Gingras '87 and Michael Lee Gingras '88, second child, second son, Ryan Patrick, Jan. 21, 1994.
- TO: Kimmerly Dillard Negaard '87, second child, second son, Sawyer Allie, May 9, 1994.
- TO: Rebecca Brawley Sawyer '87 and Thomas Joseph Sawyer '87 J.D., first child, a son, Thomas Cabell, June 23, 1994.
- TO: Cara Smith Schefer '87, first child, a son, Joseph Edward, Nov. 4, 1993.
- TO: Pamela Sutton Brill '88, second child, first daughter, Sarah Sutton, June 22, 1994.
- TO: Charlotte Williams Haden '88 M.B.A., second child, second son, Benjamin Patrick, July 4, 1994.
- TO: Jennifer Bidlake Cooper '89 and Michael Gordon Cooper '89, first children, twin son, Benjamin Niels and Nicholas Doyle, May 21, 1994.
- TO: Karen Schultz Dash '89, first child, a daughter, Allison Claire, Jan. 10, 1994.
- TO: Laura H. Sitterding '89 and Ivo Markus Sitterding '89, first child, a daughter, Evelyn Leigh, May 3, 1994.
- TO: Rebecca Pike Winebrenner '89 and Jonathan Scarlett Winebrenner '90, first child, a daughter, Mary Katherine, March 14, 1994.
- TO: Elizabeth Ellie Tan '91 and Michael Douglas Tan '91, second child, a daughter, Katherine Abigail, June 5, 1994.

#### Obituaries

BENJAMIN BURRUSS MITCHELL JR. '19 of Reva, Va., died Aug. 16, 1994. He retired from teaching after 18 years and also served 28 years as district supervisor for the Auditor of Virginia Public Accounts. A veteran of World War I, he earned his master's degree at the University of South Carolina. He belonged to the Little Fork Rangers and the Sons of Confederate Veterans. Surviving are a son, a daughter, three grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

ELIZABETH CAROLINE PATE '23 of Onancock, Va., died April 7, 1988.

MARRIETTA CLAIBORNE HENDERSON '24 of Westminster, Md., died Feb. 18, 1994. She was a home economics instructor at Hood College. During her William and Mary years, she joined the Athletic Association and Pi Beta Phi sorority. Among survivors are two sisters, Christine Mckell Henderson '29 and Mary Henderson Saunders '46.

ROBERT LEE CORR '26 of Waynesboro, Va., died Nov. 12, 1993. He was an insurance sales manager. Surviving is his wife, Edith.

FLORENCE HICKERSON '27 of Alexandria, Va., died April 10, 1994. Surviving is a cousin, Ann Potterfield Gregory '48.

HELEN OSMOND HUNTER '29 of Spokane, died June 11, 1994. She was a secondary school teacher. While at the College, she played field hockey and tennis, belonged to Kappa Delta sorority, the Monogram Club and the Anthropology Club. Additionally, she served on the *Flat Hat* staff. Survivors include her husband, Hugh, a son, two grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

HARRY DOWN NELSON '30 of Palm Beach, Fla., died June 24, 1994. He worked in real estate sales for Studstill & Hollenbeck Inc. At William and Mary, he played tennis and football and wrote for the *Flat Hat*. He is survived by his wife, Bunny.

JAMES ELDRED SWARTZ '31, '42 M.A. of Mount Jackson, Va., died July 14, 1994. He served the people of Shenandoah County 50 years as teacher and school principal and as an elected member of the County Board of Supervisors. As a William and Mary student, he won the Cincinnati Award. He was a member of the Mount Jackson United Methodist Church. Surviving are a daughter, Sue Swartz Zirkle '67, and three grandchildren.

RUTH AGNES ODENEAL SHEARON '32 of Blacksburg, Va., died July 29, 1994. A former public schoolteacher, she was former regent of the Clinch Bend Chapter of the D.A.R. in Oak Ridge, Tenn., and was a member and served on the altar guild of St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Oak Ridge. She also belonged to Trinity Episcopal Church in Myrtle Beach, S.C. Survivors include a daughter, a son and three grandchildren.

#### Vital statistics

WILLIAM ALEXANDER WILLIAMS '33 of Rocky Mount, N.C., died in November 1990. He worked in the retail industry. Surviving is his wife, Mary.

WILLIAM GORDON WILLIAMSON '34 of Petersburg, Va., died July 25, 1994. He retired from the U.S. Army after 21 years of service during World War II and the Korean conflict. He was a member and deacon at First Baptist Church, a member of the Petersburg Historical Foundation and the National AARP. In addition, he belonged to the Petersburg Art League and the Virginia Dahlia Society. At the College, he joined Beta Gamma Sigma business fraternity. He is survived by a son, a daughter, a sister and three grandchildren.

LOUISE GODWIN FLOYD JOHNSON '35 of Parksley, Va., died Aug. 5, 1994. She was a charter member of the Soroptomist Club and a member of the Women's Club of Accomack County and the Eastern Shore Historical Society. Surviving are her husband, Brooks, a daughter, a son and six grandchildren.

MARK MILTON NEALE '35 of West Point, died July 10, 1994. He was a dentist for 47 years in West Point, opening his practice after graduating from the Medical College of Virginia School of Dentistry in 1938. His practice was interrupted by World War II, where he served in the U.S. Army Dental Corps. He belonged to the Richmond Dental Society, the Virginia Dental Society and the American Dental Society. Past president of the West Point Kiwanis Club, Neale was a former member of the West Point School Board and the West Point Town Council, and was a member of Masonic Lodge 238 and the West Point Christian Church, where he was elder emeritus. Survivors include his wife, Laura, three daughters, a son, two brothers, including William Hoskins Neale '37, and 10 grandchildren.

MARGARET MURRAY YEAMAN PAIGE '35 of Abilene, Texas, died July 31, 1994. She taught physical education for many years in the Dallas and Abilene school systems and also was a long-time volunteer at the Presbyterian Memorial Hospital in Dallas and the Abilene Regional Medical Center. While at William and Mary, she joined Chi Omega sorority, the Women's Athletic Association and the Biology Club. She also participated in Orchestras, field hockey, basketball and track, as well as belonging to the Dorm Council and serving on the Colonial Echo staff. Surviving are a sister, Lucy Denny Yeaman '40, a son, two daughters and four grandchildren.

HAZEL JOHNSON SIZEMORE '35 of Halifax, Va., died July 26, 1994. A homemaker for many years, she was a member of Beth Car Baptist Church in Halifax. An active alumna, she was instrumental in establishing a scholarship fund in her husband's name for the Alumni Society's Order of the White Jacket. She is survived by her husband, Herman Mason Sizemore '35, three sons, including Herman Mason Sizemore, Jr. '63, two sisters, including Charlotte Johnson Abel '38, seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

CAROLYN F. MAHER '37 of Lynchburg, died June 22, 1994. She retired as director of nursing from Detroit Memorial Hospital. As an undergraduate, she joined Gamma Phi Beta sorority. Several nieces and nephews survive her.

JAMES WILLIAM ROWE JR. '37 of Richmond, died Dec. 23, 1989. He was a retired director of statistical services with Virginia Power Company. Among survivors is his wife, June.

OSCAR RAGNAR GELOTTE '39 of Timonium, Md., died May 16, 1994. He was employed in the offices of Bethlehem Steel until his retirement. Surviving are his wife, Elvie, a daughter, Karen Gelotte Baird '67, and a son, Robert Gunnar Gelotte '72.

BEVERLEY BROCK STEEL '40 of Altamonte Springs, Fla., died Aug. 4, 1994. A photographer in the Army Air Corps during World War II, he moved to the Orlando area in 1946 and was an active member of the community serving as a past city commissioner of Maitland and a former senior warden at All Saint's Episcopal Church. He had dedicated the last 30 years of his life to aiding those recovering from addictions. As a College student, he joined Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. He is survived by four children and three grandchildren.

DOROTHY MILLER OGDEN NEWMAN '41 of Haverford, Pa., died July 11, 1994. She worked in the news department of radio station WIP in Philadelphia, for the Office of War Information in New York and the old Lower Merion Newspapers Inc. of Ardmore, Pa. She also had worked in real estate on the Main Line. For many years, she was a volunteer with the Powel House in Philadelphia and the Arts Guild of the Episcopal Academy of Merion. During her undergraduate years, she served on the *Flat Hat* staff and belonged to the Royalist Club and the Backdrop Club. Surviving are her husband, Joseph, a son, a daughter and two grandchildren.

JOY ALLEN RAULFS '46 of Powhatan, Va., died Aug. 17, 1994. She was a retired Henrico County schoolteacher and a past president of the Woman's Club of Powhatan County, where she served her community in many volunteer capacities. Also, she attended the First Congregational Christian Church and was active in a number of educational programs during her lifetime. In 1948, she earned a master's degree from the University of Chicago. Survivors include her husband, George, a son, a daughter, a sister, Ann Allen Robey '48 and two grandchildren.

ANN CALLAHAN CHAPPELL '48 of Richmond, died July 31, 1994. Active in civic affairs in the Richmond area, she was a skilled and enthusiastic chef. A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of William and Mary, she belonged to the Monogram Club, the German Club, the International Relations Club and the Red Cross Club. She also participated in Orchestras and field hockey, as well as being an Orientation Aide and serving on the *Colonial Echo* staff. In addition, she belonged to Chi Omega sorority. As an alumna, she was named an honorary lifetime member of the President's Council. Surviving are her husband, Robert Harvey Chappell Jr. '48, '50 B.C.L., '84 L.L.D., a son, a brother, James Francis Callahan Jr. '52, and a niece, Bryar Chappell Nettles '81.

NORMAN LANE PHILLIPS '48 of Martinsville, died July 18, 1994. He was a retired vice president of the personnel office of Bassett-Walker Inc. and previously a manufacturer's representative for American of Martinsville. A veteran of the U.S.

## Vital statistics

Navy during World War II, he was a member of the Piedmont Masonic Lodge, the Scottish Rite, the Kazim Temple of the Shrine and a longtime member of Forest Hills Presbyterian Church. At William and Mary, he played football and joined Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. He is survived by his wife, Jane, a daughter, two sons, including Martin Jennings Phillips '77, a brother and four grandchildren.

JEAN CAPPELMANN LENSKE '49 of Chapel Hill, N.C., died June 7, 1994. She was the author of a highly praised collection of her poetry, *Genesis: The Poetry of Jean Lenski* and co-author with her husband, Gerhard, of six editions of *Human Societies: An Introduction to Macrosociology*. In addition to her husband, survivors include four children, eight grandchildren and three sisters, including Mary Cappellmann Killian '48 and Elsie Lee Cappellmann Gruver '48.

HOWARD DALTON WINTERS '49 of New York City, died May 22, 1994. He was a faculty member of the Department of Anthropology at New York University since 1968. A veteran of many archaeological excavations in the United States and Mexico, his most recent digs included the Baehr-Gust site in Brown County, Illinois and in the Illinois River Valley and in southern Illinois. Until 1984, he was the archaeologist-in-residence at the Kampsville Archaeological Center. He was an active member of the board of directors for the Center for American Archaeology. In 1953 and 1967, respectively, he earned master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Chicago. He was the author of many publications and held honorary positions with a number of archaeological organizations. Prior to joining the faculty of New York University, he taught at the University of Virginia. At the College, he joined Sigma Pi fraternity.

STEPHEN BERNARD DELK '52 of Hampton, died Aug. 8, 1994. He was retired from the United States Coast Guard Customs Service and established Seaworthy Marine Consultants, Inc. of Hampton. A veteran of World War II, he served in the Army during the Battle of the Bulge. He was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church, the American Legion and the American Boat and Yacht Association. Survivors include his wife, Metta, three daughters, a brother, a sister and six grandchildren.

DAVID STAFFORD WHITE JR. '53 of Newport News, died March 10, 1994. At the time of his death, he was retired. During his College years, he joined Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity.

STANLEY WADE MITCHEM '54, '60 M.Ed. of Newport News, died July 15, 1994. He retired in 1986 after 32 years of service as a teacher in the Hampton school system. As an undergraduate, he belonged to Beta Gamma Sigma business fraternity. He was a member of Gwynn's Island Baptist Church. Surviving are a sister and two nieces.

LLOYD QUINBY "HADACOL" HINES JR. '55 of Suffolk, Va., died July 29, 1994. He was vice president of Ferguson Manufacturing Co. A 1989 inductee into the W&M Sports Hall of Fame, he also was a former president of the William and Mary Athletic Educational Foundation. As a student, he was active in the Student Education Association, ROTC, the Interfraternity Council, the Student Association and Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. A member of the Alumni Society's South of the James alumni chapter, he also belonged to Main Street United Methodist Church. He was a board member of the Suffolk Rotary Club, active with the Suffolk Chamber of Commerce and the Suffolk-Nansemond Historical Society. Additionally, he served on the Salvation Army Board and was a former board member of the Southern Farm Equipment Association. Survivors include his wife, Ann Callihan Hines '55; two sons, including Marc Cambridge Hines '79; two daughters; his mother, Elizabeth J. Hines '29; two sisters, Sue Hines Davis '50 and Ann Hines Fuller '53; three grandchildren; three nieces, including Mallory Davis Horbal '76; and two nephews.

DONNA KAY PRICE '57 of Waccabuc, N.Y., died Aug. 20, 1994. She was a vice president with the Houlihan-Lawrence, Inc. real estate firm. Although she had lost her sight 21 years ago to diabetes, she managed the Katonah and Bedford Village offices of the real estate firm, always accompanied by her seeing-eye Labrador retriever. Her success as a real estate agent was inspirational to others who saw her named four times to the million dollar club. From 1984 to 1988, she served on the Hudson Valley region board of The Lighthouse, Inc., an organization that provides services to the blind. From 1989-1991, she was on The Lighthouse's board in Manhattan. A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the College, she also played tennis, wrote for the Colonial Echo, and belonged to Pi Beta Phi sorority, the Panhellenic Council, the Athletic Association, the Pep Club and the Women's Honor Council. She was a class officer and also an orientation aide. Surviving are her husband, Kenneth, a daughter, a son, her mother and a sister.

GERTRUDE BOWERS SLOOP '57 M.Ed. of Ellicott City, Md., died March 14, 1994. She was a retired teacher. While at William and Mary, she joined Kappa Delta Pi education fraternity. In 1930, she earned a bachelor's degree from Gettysburg College. Among survivors is a daughter.

DIANE BETH RICKARD KELLY '62 of Excelsior, Minn., died June 28, 1994. At the time of her death, she sold children's clothing at Tonka Tot Shop and was active with the state Republican party. She is survived by her husband, Terry, three sons, a granddaughter and a sister.

DAVID MICHAEL BOOKER '65 of Fredericksburg, Va., died June 22, 1994. He practiced law in Washington, D.C. in the law office of Arthur Konopka. As an undergraduate, he swam and joined Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. In 1975, he earned his law degree from the University of Delaware. From 1965-68, he served in the Peace Corps in Gabon. Later, he worked for the Office of Economic Opportunity in Atlanta and for the National League of Cities in Washington. Surviving are his wife, Katherine, a son, his parents, two brothers and a sister, Judi Booker '68.

DOROTHY HILLSMAN ROBBINS SCOVEL '67 M.Ed. of Virginia Beach, died June 28, 1994. She was a retired English teacher, having taught in Virginia for over 30 years. She was a Sunday columnist for the state edition of the *Virginian-Pilot* for 10 years. In 1942, she earned her bachelor's degree from Randolph-Macon Woman's College, and was a former president of the school's Alumni Association Tidewater Chapter. Also, she belonged to Princess Anne Chapter of the D.A.R. and was a past

president of the Virginia Beach Association of Teachers of English, a member of the Virginia Historical Society and was active in various civic and women's clubs. She is survived by a stepdaughter and a stepson, Elwood Hundley Richardson '56.

MAE McIVOR ANDREWS '69 M.Ed. of Hopewell, died July 26, 1994. She was a retired schoolteacher and guidance counselor, having taught in the Chuckatuck/Petersburg/Hopewell area for 39 years. At her retirement in 1972, she was chairman of the science department of Hopewell High School. Her bachelor's degree was received from Randolph-Macon Woman's College. At William and Mary, she belonged to Kappa Delta Pi educational fraternity. A charter member of Wesley United Methodist Church, she also belonged to the Women's Club of Hopewell, the Col. John Bannister Chapter of NSDAR, the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, the Zeta Chapter of Kelta Kappa Gamma, the Hopewell Retired Teachers Association, the National Retired Teachers Association, Kappa Gamma Pi and the Alumnae Chapter of Randolph-Macon Woman's College. Survivors include a nephew and a niece.

LINDA LEE SCHUELER-NORRIS '69, '75 M.B.A. of Columbia, S.C., died July 2, 1994. She was employed by Westinghouse Educational Foundation. While a William and Mary student, she participated in Young Republicans, W&M Theater, the W&M Chorus, and was chairman of Theta Alpha Phi sociology fraternity. She is survived by her husband, Joseph, her mother, Eleanor Yates Curry '45, two cousins, William H. Yates, Jr. '78 and Kathleen Yates Malloy '79, and an aunt, Lois Yates Giltinan '75.

OTIS L. VICK JR. '72 of Norfolk, died July 7, 1994. He worked as a personnel management specialist with the United States Department of Commerce. His parents survive him.

WILLIAM HARRIS GAINES III '74 of Richmond, died July 3, 1994. He was a records manager with the Virginia Department of Welfare. Surviving are his mother and a brother, John Ransone Gaines '81.

JOSEPH EDWARD PEARSON II '75 of Newport News, died Aug. 4, 1994. At the time of his death, he was self-employed. He earned a master's degree from the University of Richmond. Survivors include his parents, two sisters and two brothers.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SHAW III '75 J.D. of Georgetown, Del., died April 28, 1994. He was an attorney in private practice. In 1972, he earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Virginia.

## Friend of the College

BRUCE J. NEILSON of Gloucester Point, Va., died Aug. 30, 1994. He was professor of marine science emeritus, at Virginia Institute of Marine Science, the School of Marine Science and the College of William and Mary. The author of numerous articles and reports on water quality and natural resource management issues, he received his A.B., M.A. and M.S.E. degrees from Princeton University and his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins University. During his tenure at VIMS, he led the program in environmental engineering and directed the research program in physical oceanography. He worked closely with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, the Virginia Department of Health and the Marine Resources Commission. He helped lead a pioneering effort to establish the first endowed graduate fellowship at VIMS/SMS, the Matthew Fontaine Maury Fellowship Fund. Additionally, he was a former chairman of the Gloucester County Democratic Committee and a delegate to the 1984 Democratic National Convention. A state director of Virginians for Justice, he was a friend of the New Life Metropolitan Church and a member of Abingdon Episcopal Church. Survivors include a daughter, a son, his parents, a sister and his life partner.

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## FROM MTV TO ALL T.V.!

You may have known him as Jon Lebowitz '84, but now late-night America knows him as Jon Stewart, host of *The Jon Stewart Show*. Formerly a critically praised, exclusive MTV talk-show, *The Jon Stewart Show* premiered in first-run syndication on Sept. 12.

The former W&M soccer player realizes that while it's a big career move for himself, he's not breaking new ground. "There's no way I'm going to suddenly reinvent the late night talk show format. We're really trying to set up a playful environment where guests are really comfortable and both guests and audiences can have a little fun," said Stewart, who is also executive producer of the program.

Stewart's other television credits include "HBO Young Comedians Special," Comedy Central's "Short Attention Span Theater" (which he hosted) and MTV's "You Wrote It, You Watch It," which led to the October 1993 debut of "The Jon Stewart Show."

## UKROP RECOGNIZED FOR GOOD WILL

James Ukrop '60 recently received the Thomas Jefferson Award for public service from the Old Dominion Chapter of the Public Relations Society of America. Ukrop, his brother, mother and father all work together operating the 22 Ukrop's grocery stores, a central bakery and the downtown Fresh Express. Presently James Ukrop and his wife, Bobbie, are chairing the National Leadership Committee for the Alumni Center at the College and are the Grand Marshals at this year's Homecoming parade. Ukrop is also the chairperson of the Metropolitan Richmond Chamber of Commerce, on the board at Goodwill Industries, and has become active in economic development and city politics. He has served two terms on the College's Board of Visitors. Bobbie is a current member of the Endowment Association.

## CORRECTION

The McGlothlin Courtroom was misspelled in the *The Homecoming Supplement of the September Gazette*. The courtroom was named after alumnus and benefactor James McGlothlin '62, '64 BCL. *The Alumni Gazette* regrets the error.

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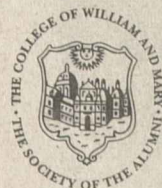
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## The Luck of the Irish

Ireland awaits with good fortune! Pack your bags and join fellow alumni on a special trip to Ireland sponsored by the Society of the Alumni, June 4-13. Just for luck, you'll be joined by the Kellys—Jim Kelly '51, assistant to the president, and Bev Simonton Kelly '53, your hosts.

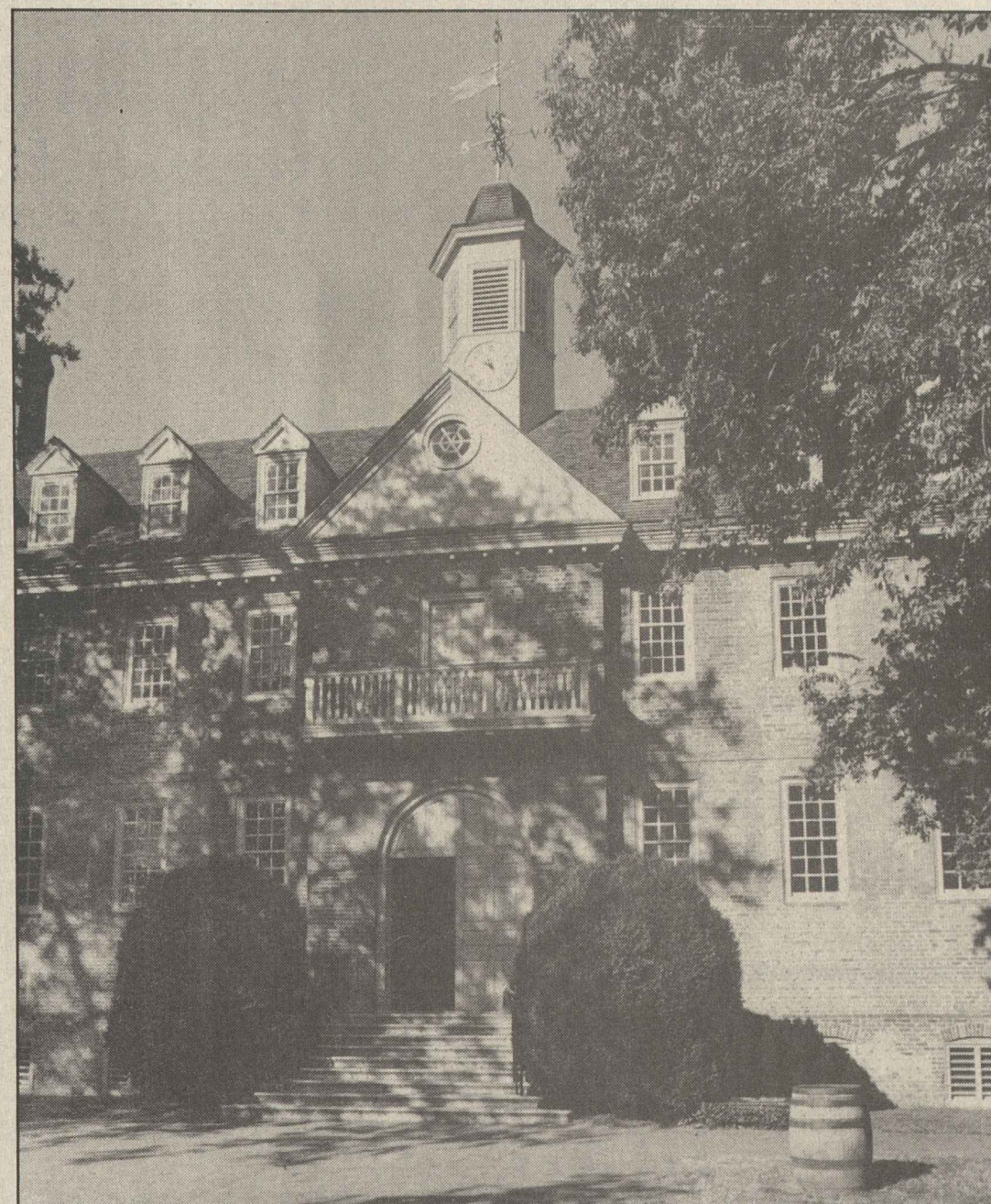
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