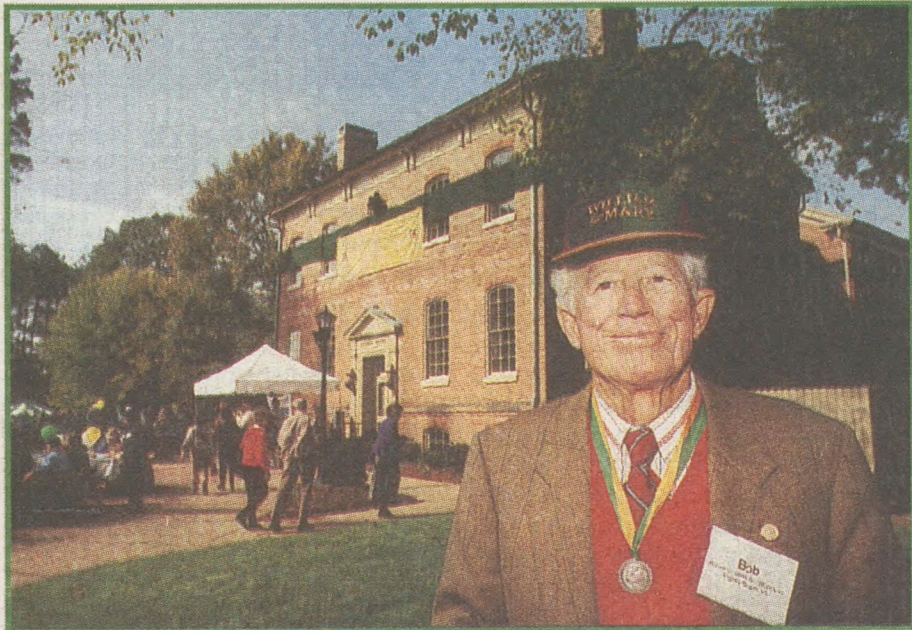


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Commentary

Thanks for Giving, Thanks for Caring

There is an old adage about giving and volunteerism that asserts "You cannot hold a torch to light another's path without brightening your own." Given that axiom, this issue of the *Alumni Gazette* may be the most glowing ever published.

Inside you will find a special supplement that attempts to list, for the first time, the names of all alumni and friends who have given \$1,000 or more to any fund or combination of funds, and/or have volunteered 40 hours or more to the College through alumni activities, organizations, leadership boards, or individual schools and departments during the fiscal year 1996-97 (July 1, 1996 to June 30, 1997).

It is an impressive directory of people who have given their talents and resources (often both; often more of each) to light another's way. Who, you might ask, benefits from this grand illumination? Students, faculty, alumni, friends, community members, educators, researchers, politicians, businessmen and women, leaders, the Commonwealth, the nation, the world, are all on the receiving end of good things from a strong College of William and Mary. To quote Martha Stewart, "It's a good thing." (Please forgive me oh journalism gods.)

For some time the Society has been interested in the incorporation of volunteer hours into a registry of notable institutional shareholders. Forty hours seemed a good delineation point — if you are a college graduate who gives 40 hours of time, the *average* value of a week is said to be at least \$1,000. Forty hours of service means it is likely you have been involved in leadership of a chapter, constituent organization or council, or have devoted a week in support of a board, committee, as a class reporter, a docent, a class agent, or a whole host of volunteer roles that are played out everyday on this campus.

The \$1,000 or more given to any fund or combination of funds was an



RINGING FAR AND NEAR

by W. Barry Adams

easy list to obtain — computers are wonderful for keeping track of donations — from the Athletic Educational Foundation to the Annual Fund to VIMS to many others, if you gave at this level (or above) in the past fiscal year your

name should appear.

Volunteer hours were harder to obtain. Every organization, committee, board, etc. has different and varying expectations. Here we relied on submissions by leaders, chairs, presidents and staff who had firsthand knowledge of who set aside at least 40 hours of time for William and Mary. If your name doesn't appear and it should, we apologize. Let us know so we can find out why — it could be as simple as the organization that benefits from your volunteer hours not reporting or not calculating. Remember, this is the first time we have ever included this "volunteer" donation level. We want to insure we don't forget or overlook anybody should we publish it again.

Above all, the list is intended to offer the gratitude of the Society of the Alumni and the Endowment Association (an old African proverb notes that "One volunteer is better than ten forced men."). It shines brightly on your path and is a beacon for generations to come. Thank you. Best wishes for the holiday season. ❧

Inside

This issue contains two special supplements. The *Homecoming Gazette* contains full coverage of the major events that happened at Homecoming 1997 "There's No Place Like Home." Read about the parade, the Choir's 75th reunion and the always touching Sunset Ceremony.



The second supplement, *Alma Mater's Love They're Telling*, serves as a thank-you to the 3,000-plus donors and volunteers to the College.

Enjoy them both!

In the News

Dedicating the Dream

by Jackson Sasser '98

"Welcome home."

All weekend long those words rang in the ears of the nearly 8,000 alumni and friends who returned to campus for Homecoming 1997, Oct. 23-26. The grandest welcome of all, though, greeted the home itself when the Society of the Alumni dedicated its new and improved Alumni Center on Saturday morning. Several hundred alumni, administrators, and friends of the College gathered on the Ukrop Terrace to celebrate the real dedication demonstrated by so many alumni over the quarter century since the project's inception.

The morning's speakers headed the long honor roll of those who contributed both "the dream and the labor" that built the Center. Barry Adams, executive vice president of the



John Paul Hanbury, architect of the new Alumni Center, listens to one of the dedication speakers during the ceremony. (Photo by Steve Morrisette)

Society, issued a general welcome to all those who, as he quoted Yogi Berra, "made this day necessary." Clyde Culp '65, president of the Society, then issued a special welcome to those members of the Kappa Alpha Order, whose house was purchased by the College in 1943 and has been the home of the Alumni Society since 1972. Culp praised the 11 Kappa Alpha's in attendance for their place "among the last to turn off the lights and leave their fraternity house for a world at war in 1943" and invited them to be the "first alumni to walk into our new home on campus."

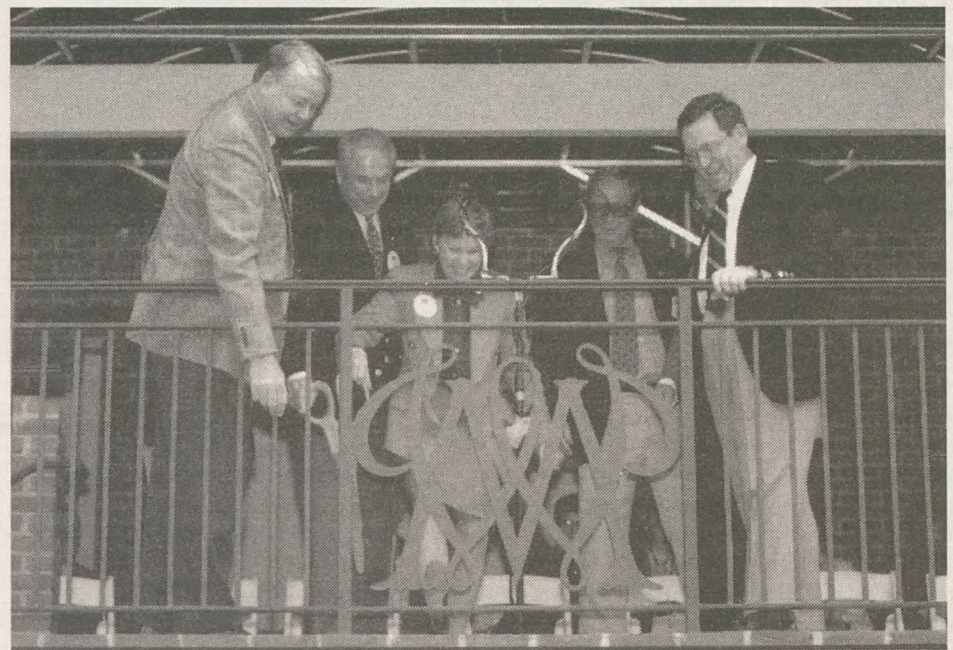
Culp then welcomed classmate and chair of the Alumni House Expansion Committee, Joe Ellis '65, to the podium where he emphasized the challenge symbolized by the new Alumni Center. Lauding the successful drive to raise over \$3.5 million in private funds for the expansion, Ellis suggested that similar efforts must follow if the College is to remain "the greatest university in the United States."

Ellis recognized Jim '60 and Bobbie '61 Ukrop, co-chairs of the Alumni Center Campaign, for demonstrating time and again their dedication to making that dream a reality. The Ukrops' tireless promotion of the expansion not only brought together the necessary funding but also cemented the feeling that, as College Rector Marshall Acuff '62 later pronounced, "this is a special home for a noble group."

President Tim

Fast Facts About the Alumni Center:

- The old Alumni House was 13,000 square feet. The expansion, with over 14,000 square feet, doubles the space;
- The old Alumni House hosted dinners for 35 guests. Leadership Hall is designed for 130 guests. Receptions can range from intimate parties of five or six to much larger gatherings;
- There are four terraces surrounding the new facility for the many outdoor events the Society sponsors. Outdoor parties can host 2,000 people on the terraces.



(From left) Clyde Culp '65, president of the Society of the Alumni; Timothy Sullivan '66, president of the College (not shown); Jim Ukrop '60, Barbara Berkeley Ukrop '61, co-chairs of the National Leadership Committee for the Alumni Center; Joe Ellis '65, chair of the Alumni House Expansion Committee; A. Marshall Acuff, Jr. '62 rector of the College; and W. Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Society of the Alumni, watch the ribbon fall from the William and Mary cypher on the Ukrop Terrace of the new Alumni Center at the dedication ceremony on Saturday, October 25. (Photo by Steve Morrisette)

Sullivan '66 closed the remarks with a proclamation that expressed the pride felt by all those in attendance. "With unbridled faith and absolutely no modesty," Sullivan said, smiling broadly, "I proclaim the Society the finest alumni body in the land."

The proceedings concluded with the cutting of the ceremonial ribbon, in this case a large green and gold bow that fell to the ground, revealing

the William and Mary cypher that adorns the railing around Ukrop terrace. As the bow fell, many guests thought that sheets of rain weren't far behind, but the wind lifted, the sky darkened, and then, as if by a divine second of Sullivan's proclamation, the skies broke into resplendent sunshine.

As the members of Kappa Alpha proudly made their way into their former home, it was easy to imagine that another alumnus, Thomas Jefferson, may have watched with approval, perhaps even noting that "a little renovation every now and then is a good thing."

KA's Relive College Days in Old Bright House

by Jacqueline Genovese '87

Although their college years were interrupted by a world at war, the bonds of friendship formed at William and Mary brought 11 former Kappa Alpha members back to their old fraternity house during Homecoming 1997.

For those listening to the friends reminisce, the years slipped away and it was easy to imagine the carefree young men who once lived in what was then referred to as the Bright House. His eyes twinkling, Dixon Foster '44 remembered one particular Christmas when he and a few others saved the house from an invasion...of mice. "We had come in to check on the house, and we saw these mice scurrying in the kitchen. We had these old Civil War swords hanging in the living room, so

we got a sword and stationed ourselves at a mouse hole, with the swords raised above our heads, like this," Foster explained, wielding an imaginary sword over his head. "We threw a loaf of bread in the middle of the kitchen and waited for those mice to come out."

Laughing and shaking his head at the memory, Foster went on to explain that despite the mice, the fraternity house did have a house mother who cooked meals, and even a butler. Rolling her eyes in amusement, Nancy Norris Foster '44, leaned over and whispered, "The house may have been falling down around them, but they had a butler!"

Bill Lucas '48 remembered the ritual softball and football games played every night on the field that now houses Zable Stadium. Another ritual, one

none of the returning classmates could quite explain, was that of sleeping in the attic with the windows open. "We'd go to bed all bundled up, with stocking caps on, and sometimes we woke up with snow on the covers," Lucas explains, shaking his head a bit in disbelief. "I think in those days people thought it was healthy to sleep with your windows open."

In addition to reliving warm memories, Lucas and Foster both agreed that they were pleased and proud that their old home was now part of a new, beautiful home for



From left: Randon Webber '99, current KA president, Nate Coleman '43, Bill Lucas '48, Corky Wampler '48, Bob "Rubber Dog" Matthews '43, Dixon Foster '44, Lyon Tyler, Jr. '47, C.J. Claudon '43, Merritt Foster, Jr. '40 and R.C. Williamson '45, pose with the "Auction Sale" sign that adorned the Kappa Alpha house in 1943 during Homecoming 1997 festivities.

all alumni. Pausing a moment, Lucas noted quietly, "This is how it should be."

Viewpoint

Global Warming Summit: Is It Hot In Here?

by Joel S. Levine, visiting professor of environmental science and policy

World leaders will meet in Kyoto, Japan, this month, in an attempt to agree to limits on the production of atmospheric "greenhouse gases."

Greenhouse gases have the ability to absorb and then re-emit longwave infrared radiation or heat energy emitted by the Earth's surface. The portion of the re-emitted heat energy reaching the Earth results in an additional heating of the surface, called the "greenhouse effect." It is important to note that certain greenhouse gases are natural components of the atmosphere and as a result of their presence in the atmosphere, the mean surface temperature of our planet is about 60° F warmer than it would be without these gases, making Earth a very hospitable planet for life.

However, the concern is that human activities are significantly accelerating the buildup of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere. These gases include carbon dioxide, chlorofluorocarbons or CFCs, a class of human-produced compounds once used in aerosol spray cans and in refrigeration and air conditioning systems, methane, and nitrous oxide. The atmospheric concentration of all of these gases has increased with time.

During the 1980's, scientific evidence about global climate change and its environmental and societal consequences led to growing concern among scientists, policy makers, and the public.

In 1988, the United Nations Environment Program (UNEP) and the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) jointly established the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC). Through the IPCC, more than 2,000 atmosphere and climate scientists from more than 150 countries have assessed the available information on climate change and its environmental and societal consequences, and are providing the scientific understanding needed to help formulate appropriate responses.

According to the first IPCC assessment, for the period from 1980-1990, the greenhouse effect was controlled by the following atmospheric gases: carbon dioxide—55%, chlorofluorocarbons 11 and 12—17%, other chlorofluorocarbons—7%, methane—15%, and nitrous oxide—6%. Clearly, carbon dioxide is the big player in the greenhouse effect. The importance of carbon dioxide as an atmospheric greenhouse gas will increase in the future as a result of the world-wide ban on chlorofluorocarbons due to its impact on the Earth's ozone layer, which protects the surface of our planet from biologically lethal solar ultraviolet radiation. Chlorine liberated from the CFC molecule leads to the

destruction of stratospheric ozone. One chlorine atom can destroy 100,000 ozone molecules!

The IPCC concluded that our planet has already warmed about 1°F over the last century, and that "the balance of evidence suggests that there is a discernible human influence on global climate." As a result of the buildup of carbon dioxide and the other atmospheric greenhouse gases, the IPCC estimates that the global temperature of

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our planet will increase 2 to 6.5°F in the next 100 years. The IPCC "best guess" is that we will experience warming of about 3.5° F by 2100, which would be a faster rate of climate change than experienced during the last 10,000 years, the period in which modern civilization developed.

Warming of the magnitude predicted by the IPCC will affect many aspects of our lives as it changes regional and global patterns of temperature and precipitation, induces sea level rise in the world's oceans, and alters the distribution of fresh water supplies. The impacts on our health, the vitality of forests, and the productivity of agriculture are all likely to be significant. As the risks of global climate change become increasingly apparent, there is a genuine need to focus on actions to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and to minimize the adverse impacts of a changing climate. These are the objectives of the leaders of the world as they meet in Kyoto, Japan.

Closer to home, we have been doing our part in global change research.

In 1992, the College established an Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences Track within the Applied Science Department. The College is the only institution in the Commonwealth to offer a masters and doctorate in atmospheric sciences. Global climate change and global sources of greenhouse gases, especially carbon dioxide, the major greenhouse, were selected as areas of research concentra-

tion for the fledging atmospheric sciences program.

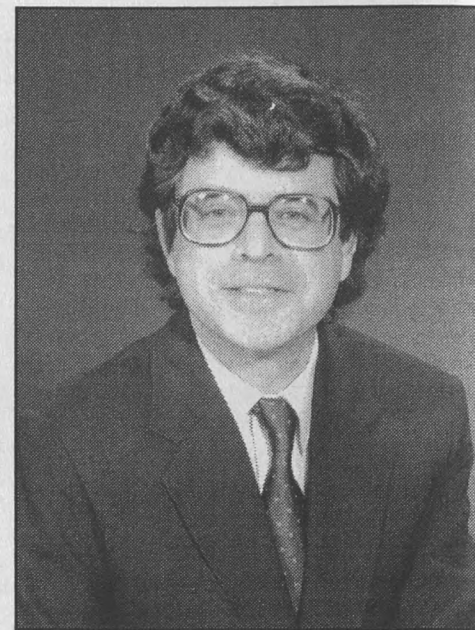
William and Mary graduate and undergraduate students, working in the Atmospheric Sciences Division of the NASA Langley Research Center in Hampton, have investigated and better quantified an important source of global carbon dioxide — atmospheric carbon dioxide resulting from the burning of the world's forests, grasslands, and agricultural fields after the harvest. Undergraduate geology major Kathy O'Neill '92 investigated the geographical and temporal distribution of burning over Africa using satellite measurements as her senior thesis research.

This study was the first to use satellite measurements to study burning on a continental scale and was published in *Nature* magazine. Applied Science student Philippe LeCanut '93 also used satellite measurements to investigate burning over Western Europe for his masters research. Physics student Alex Kambis '95 developed a computer model to assess the impact of burning on the atmospheric budget of carbon dioxide for his doctoral dissertation research.

At the present time, Applied Science doctoral candidates Veronica Krasovic and Lawrence Mtetwa are using satellite measurements to better quantify the production of carbon dioxide by global burning. Environmental science undergraduate Theresa McReynolds is using satellite measurements to study the extensive forest fires occurring in Indonesia.

In March 1995, the College, along with NASA, sponsored an international conference on Biomass Burning and Global Change that took place at the Williamsburg Lodge. Scientists and environmental managers from more than 25 countries participated in this conference. The conference proceedings were published by The MIT Press as a two-volume series, *Biomass Burning and Global Change*. Three William and Mary students contributed chapters to these volumes.

The College was selected as a remote site for the White House Satellite Conference on Climate Change, The Challenge of Global Warming on October 6, 1997. College students and faculty participated in this unique science and policy event conducted by the President and Vice President via microwave hookup in Waterman's Hall at the Virginia Institute of Marine Science (VIMS). The White House Conference provided a good platform to highlight the College's expertise in global climate change research. Professor L. Donelson Wright, the dean and director of VIMS, discussed the impact of global change on coastal environments.



Joel S. Levine

The world's oceans are a major sink or repository for atmospheric carbon dioxide. The uptake of atmospheric carbon dioxide in the oceans is controlled by both ocean biology and ocean chemistry. These are the areas of research of VIMS Professors Hugh Ducklow (biology) and James Bauer (chemistry), also speakers at the White House Conference on Climate Change.

Global climate change is a perfect example of the relationship between environmental science and policy — the IPCC provided the scientific framework for understanding global climate change and the FCCC established the policy route for reducing greenhouse gases emissions. Once again, the College is on the forefront with the establishment of an Environmental Science and Policy Cluster headed by Professor Lynda L. Butler of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law. Professor Butler also coordinated the College's participation in the White House Conference.

In the Spring semester, the Applied Science Department and the Environmental Science and Policy Cluster will offer two undergraduate courses dealing with global climate change — Applied Science 492: Global Change and Applied Science 494: Climate: Science and Policy.

When the leaders of the world meet in Kyoto this month, the events will have a special meaning to a handful of William and Mary students and faculty, whose research on global climate change, its environmental and societal consequences, and the global sources and sinks of atmospheric carbon dioxide, will form the basis for some of the most difficult international negotiations in recent history. ☞

Joel S. Levine is a senior research scientist in the Atmospheric Sciences Division at NASA Langley Research Center.

Alumni Society Today

Society Says Goodbye to 'Betsy C.'

by Jacqueline Genovese '87

Many alumni and friends who returned to campus for Homecoming 1997 missed seeing a friendly and familiar face. For the past 19 years, whether she handed out registration packets, worked in the gift shop or helped alumni find their way around a changed campus, Betsy Cobbledick never failed to make those returning to William and Mary truly feel welcome.

In recognition of her dedicated service to the Society and her role as an "unwavering supporter and tireless advocate of William and Mary," the Board of Directors of the Alumni Society passed a resolution bestowing the "permanent and distinctive title of Honorary Alumna" on Cobbledick, who retired to Maine with her husband, Tom, in June. The Board made note that "there are few who attain the intensity of respect, admiration and affection from their co-workers and alumni that have become standard with Elizabeth E. Cobbledick."

At an emotional farewell gathering for Cobbledick, Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Society, noted "we will never be able to replace Betsy Cobbledick. There just isn't another Betsy, and we will miss her terribly."

The status of honorary alumna is quite fitting for Cobbledick, who says her love of the College was only enhanced by the experiences of her daughter and two sons-in-law, all William and Mary graduates. "It's easy for me to see why alumni feel so strongly about the College," Cobbledick explains. "It's so nice to see how people maintain friendships and ties over the years."

Another thing Cobbledick witnessed over the years was incredible change and growth at the Alumni Society. "Back in the olden days, it took 15 steps to get an address changed," Cobbledick laughs. "But on the other hand, there were times when the Governor was



C. James Gleason

standing in the hall and he would call you by your first name. That was neat."

If anybody knows the Alumni Society inside and out, it is Cobbledick. "I think I worked in every department," Cobbledick says, shaking her head at the thought. "Records, the Gift Shop, Communications, Alumni Affairs, and finally, in the executive vice president's office. But I'd have to say my favorite thing was working on events. It was so much fun to work with people on their reunions, because they were always so happy to see each other. I enjoyed working on something over a period of time and seeing all the planning and work come together in a successful event."

Cobbledick says she will perhaps miss Homecoming the most. "Even though it was always a lot of work — one year we were all here until 2 a.m. everyday the week before — it's always such a happy time." Despite being officially "retired", Cobbledick recently wrote to her friends at the Society and said, "The local college here has an overworked alumni staff (what else is new?)...maybe I'll see if they need help..."

Fall Banquet Spotlights Teachers, Coaches and Staff

When the Society's board of directors met in March, the Alumni Center was still under construction. At its fall meeting on Sept. 25-26, the board realized what a difference six months can make. With less than a month before Homecoming, the new part of the renovated building was nearly finished, with several touch-ups needed in the older section before its completion. On Thursday, Sept. 25, the board was treated to presentations by students who had spent the summer as interns for WorldCom and MBNA America, two of the Society's affinity partners. In the afternoon, President Timothy Sullivan '66 met with the board to discuss the College's progress in the past year, and its recent ranking in *U.S. News & World Report*.

After a quick walk to the Alumni Center, each of the four departments within the Society made presentations describing each department's mission, purpose and function. Thursday evening marked the Society's annual Fall Awards Banquet. Five College professors, Keith Griffioen, Paul Heideman, Lu Ann Homza, Christopher Howard and James Bauer, were honored with the 1997 Alumni Fellowship Awards. Also honored at the banquet were Jayne Barnard, Kay Domine, David Holmes and Roy Williams, with the Society's Faculty/Staff Service Awards. The first recipients of the Society's new Coach of the Year Award, Men's Soccer Coach Al Albert '69, M.Ed. '71, and Football Coach Jimmie Laycock '70, were also honored at the banquet. (For profiles on each of the Fellowship honorees as well as the Coach of the Year recipients,

refer to the August issue of the *Alumni Gazette*.)

- In other business, the board:
- Named the Georgia and Lower Northern Neck Alumni Chapters as the Outstanding Chapters for 1997. The Greater Metropolitan Washington, D.C., and the Charlottesville/Highland Chapters received Honorable Mention;
 - Named Arthur "Bud" Metheny '40, M.Ed. '53, Judy Poarch Nance '69, Peter M. Nance '66, R. Bradshaw Pulley '39, Spencer L. Timm '66 and Mel Wright '47 recipients of the 1997 Alumni Service Award. (Profiles of each of the recipients will appear in the *Alumni Gazette* when each receives their award.);
 - Approved a bylaws change for the Graduate Alumni Council to become the Graduate and Professional Schools Alumni Council;
 - Approved slate of nominations to be sent to the Governor for Board of Visitor appointments, as required by Virginia law;
 - Passed resolutions honoring Al Page, outgoing dean of the School of Business, and Betsy Cobbledick, retiring Society staff member with 19 years of service, naming both as honorary alumni;
 - Appointed an ad-hoc committee to begin drafting a role for the Society in the next capital campaign;
 - Reviewed the completed annual audit of the Society;
 - Reviewed the performance of the Society's endowment, and recommended changes in the investment policies for the Society;
 - Reviewed and approved rental and fee schedules for Alumni Center usage.

Nominations Sought for Alumni Medallion, Society Board of Directors

Alumni and friends are invited to submit nominations by **Jan. 19, 1998**, 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 1998.

Presented annually to as many as five individuals, the Medallion recognizes outstanding alumni for exemplary accomplishment in their professional lives, service to the community, state or nation, and loyalty and commitment to the College of William and Mary. Qualified nominees must be members of a class that graduated at least 10 years prior to their receiving the award.

All alumni are also encouraged to submit names in consideration for next year's election for the Society's board of directors. Information and supporting materials on each nominee should be submitted on a nomination form, available by writing Alumni Board of Directors, P.O. Box 2100, Williamsburg, Va. 23187-2100, or by calling the number below. Nominations must be received by **March 2, 1998**. The nominations committee, chaired by Constance Warren Desaulniers '75, will review suggested nominees in early spring. The slate of nominees will appear in the June *Alumni Gazette*, and elections will be held next fall. All alumni who contribute to a recognized fund of the College are eligible to vote. Call 757/221-1165 for nomination forms.



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Alumni Society Today Affairs to Remember

CALIFORNIA SAN FRANCISCO Reception with Provost Gillian Cell

February 10. All details to be announced. Contact: David P. Beach J.D. '65, 415/854-1225.

GEORGIA Holiday Party

January 10. 8 p.m. Home of William Lotz Jr. '71 and Condit Cooper Lotz '70. No charge. Contact: Lou Frost J.D. '96, 770/850-7077.

Television Broadcast of W&M vs. U. of Richmond Basketball Game

February 7. All details TBA. Contact: Karen Wright '92, 404/378-5884.

ILLINOIS CHICAGO

Barn of Barrington Champagne Brunch

February 8. Noon. Barn of Barrington, 1415 S. Barrington Road. \$25/person. Contact: Karen Yanity Darch '77, 847/382-1186.

NORTH CAROLINA GREATER CHARLOTTE

Twelfth Night Party
January 10. 7-10 p.m. Home of Tim Wilson '82. Cost \$10. Contact: Tim Wilson, 704/845-6006.

TRIANGLE Twelfth Night Party

January 10. Time and location TBA. Bring a gift with a value of \$10 or less. Contact: Leslie Zuidema Winesett '93, 919/839-0542.

NEW JERSEY NORTHERN NEW JERSEY Twelfth Night Party

January 3. Time TBA. Parrot Mill Inn. Cost TBA. Contact: Andy Yacos '86, 908/665-5408.

PENNSYLVANIA PHILADELPHIA

Happy Hour
January 15. 6 p.m. Dickens Inn, Center City, Pa. Pay-as-you-go for food and beverages. Contact: Julie McGravey '93, 609/768-8931.

TEXAS Dallas

Tribe Thursday Happy Hour
February 19. Time and place TBD. Contact: John Wise '78, 972/735-0040

VIRGINIA CHARLOTTESVILLE/ HIGHLAND

Oratorio Society Christmas Concert/Reception
December 21. 3:30 p.m. Old Cabell Hall, Charlottesville. \$10/person (dues-payers); \$12/person (others). Contact: Jim Newman '73, 804/974-7808.

GREATER METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON, D.C.

Social Committee Meeting
January 5. 7 p.m. Rio Grande in Ballston. Contact: Beth Loudy '86, social committee vice-chairman, 703/824-1565.

Tribe Thursday Happy Hour
January 8. 6:30 p.m. Hard Rock Cafe in D.C. Pay-as-you-go for food and beverages. Contact: Beth Loudy '86, 703/824-1565.

Networking Breakfast
January 20. 7:30 a.m. University Club, 1135 16th Street NW. \$10/person (dues-payers); \$25/person (others;

includes one year's dues). Contact: Robert Van Niman '91, 703/524-2285.

Wine Tasting
February 12. 6:30 p.m. University Club, 1135 16th Street NW. Cost TBA. Contact: Vikas Chawla '96, 202/327-8931 or Jillian Wood '93, 202/327-5726.

Dinner at Marrakesh
February 20. 9 p.m. 617 New York Avenue, NW. Cost \$22/person (chapter members and guests); \$37 (others); includes seven-course meal while surrounded by Moroccan culture. Reservations have been made for 30-40 people. Contact: Pamela Allen M.Ed. '96, cultural committee chair, 703/465-0713

LOWER NORTHERN NECK Valentine's Day "Pot Luck" Cocktail Party for 60s, 70s, 80s Club

February 14. 6:30 p.m. Home of Ben and Amy Gibbons Humphreys '88. Contact: Amy Humphreys '88, 804/580-0829.

White Stone Dinner Theatre Musical
February 19. All details to be announced. Contact: Joy Straughan, 804/435-0790.

**SOUTH OF THE JAMES
Valentine's Day Party**
February 14. All details to be announced. Contact: Donald Spengemen '69, 757/562-2942.

**WILLIAMSBURG
Superbowl Party**
January 25. 4 p.m. Port Ann Clubhouse, South Henry Street. Cost TBA. Contact: Keith Reagan '88, 757/229-1330.

Colonial Evening and Beer Tasting
February/March. All details to be announced. Contact: Keith Taylor '66, 757/253-0339.

**CONSTITUENT GROUPS
ALUMNI BAND ORGANIZATION
Board Meeting**
January 17. All details to be announced. Contact: Jim Gilley '72, 301/490-5803.

**GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS
ALUMNI COUNCIL
Council Meeting**
February 7. Time TBA. Alumni Center, One Alumni Drive, Williamsburg. Contact: Kathleen McKeon '97, assistant director of alumni affairs, 757/221-1184.

**HULON WILLIS ASSOCIATION
Board Meeting**
January. Noon. All other details to be announced. Contact: Nancy Scogna, associate director of alumni affairs, 757/221-1204.

**YOUNG GUARDE
Third Annual New Year's Eve Bash**
December 31. 9 p.m. \$55 per person by December 10. \$65 after deadline. Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, Virginia. Contact: Tim Kelly '94, 202/862-2796 or Joe Price '93, 804/947-6915.

Quarterly Meeting
February 7. Time TBA. Alumni Center, Leadership Hall. Contact: Janet West '94, assistant director of alumni affairs, 757/221-1183.

Gazette Gallery



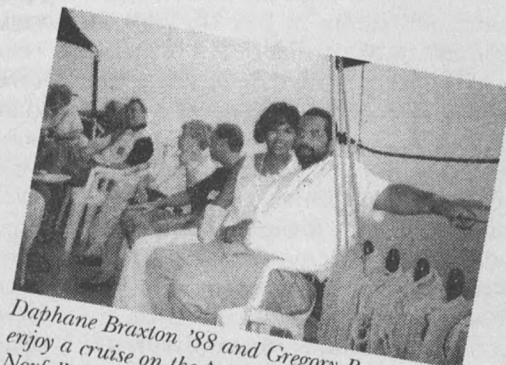
Members of the Central Indiana chapter met in August for a picnic and basketball game with W&M students in the area.



Members of the Charlottesville/Highland and Roanoke Chapters tailgated before the Tribe faced VMI on September 13. The Tribe won the game 41-12.



In September, the men's soccer team won the Nike/Coca-Cola Classic Tournament in Santa Clara, Calif. The San Francisco chapter celebrated the championship with the team after the match.



Daphane Braxton '88 and Gregory Braxton '85 enjoy a cruise on the American Rover in Norfolk, along with other members of the South Hampton Roads Chapter in July.

Alumni Society Today

In Honor of Unsung Heroes : Alumni Service Award Recipients

Arthur "Bud" Metheny '40, M.Ed. '53

If it weren't for the New York Yankees, Bud Metheny '40 M.Ed '53 wouldn't have a William and Mary degree. Metheny was playing for a semi-pro team in Culpepper, Va. — earning \$2 to \$3 a game when he was only 13 — when Yankee scouts discovered him and made him an offer. If the young Metheny agreed to sign then, the Yankees would pay for his education at William and Mary.

So it seems William and Mary has the Yankees to thank for one of its most accomplished and dedicated alumni. Metheny, a Virginia baseball legend, is also a legend with the Alumni Society's Order of the White Jacket. In nominating him for the Alumni Service Award, the executive committee of OWJ noted, "Bud Metheny has actively served OWJ and the College throughout his lifetime ... He has been a personal mentor and teacher of values to OWJ members for over 50 years." Metheny is a charter member of OWJ and founded its scholarship program, creating the plan for annual contributions from members of \$1 for each year since leaving William and Mary.



Metheny (left) with Everett P. Skipper '83, president of the Order of the White Jacket, and Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Alumni Society. (Photo by Logan Wallace '97)

Metheny received the Alumni Service Award at this year's OWJ Homecoming dinner, where he said the award came as quite a "surprise. It is special to receive an award for something you really like to do."

After playing in the "big show" for the Yankees, wearing Babe Ruth's number, Metheny went on to a successful teaching and coaching career, serving as Old Dominion University's baseball coach for 32 years.

R. Bradshaw Pulley '39

When Brad Pulley '39 was asked to be King Neptune for the 1982 Neptune Festival in Virginia Beach, he was flattered but a bit hesitant. Apparently Pulley, who has been described as the "soul of dignity," wasn't so sure about dressing up in Neptune's robes, wearing a thick heavy beard and carrying a trident. At the time, Pulley noted, "You know, that's so uncharacteristic of me. You all must have caught me at a weak moment."

What is characteristic of Pulley is to give to his community and his alma mater. In nominating Pulley for the Alumni Service Award, members of the Society of the Alumni's Olde Guard Council noted, "Brad has always parlayed his sincere enthusiasm and belief in W&M into awakening support (both participation and financial giving) from more dormant alumni. His ongoing dedication to the College and the concrete returns from them are exemplary."

Pulley, who received the Alumni Service Award at the Olde Guard lunch during Homecoming, is a past

recipient of the Alumni Medallion, the highest honor the Society of the Alumni bestows on an alumnus. His involvement at William and Mary touches almost all aspects of the College: he has served as chair of his 50th Reunion gift committee, as a Class Agent, on the Alumni Society's Board of Directors, as a board member of the Order of the White Jacket, as chair and member of the Olde Guard Council, as a trustee for the Athletic Educational Foundation, as a member of the President's Council and a dues-paying member of the South Hampton Roads Alumni Chapter.



Pulley (right) with Olde Guard Chairman Robert Faulconer '43. (Photo by Curtis Boggs)

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Mel Wright '47

Mel Wright '47 was raised by a coal-mining grandfather who spent 67 years underground, rising at 4 a.m. every morning. "I knew there had to be a better way of living," Wright explains. "Without money, it had to be athletics."

Fortunately for the Tribe, Wright brought his football skills to William and Mary, where he played football with the legendary "Iron Indians."

"William and Mary gave me so much," Wright says. "Both of my wives, along with a feeling of pride, comradeship, and a bond to last a lifetime."



Wright (left) with Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Alumni Society.

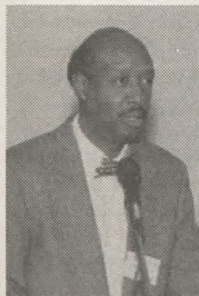
Wright serves as the Class of 1947 reporter and started the Volunteer Reading Program in the Lower Northern Neck Chapter of the Alumni Society. Wright is also a member of the Alumni Admissions Network and has given financial support to the Annual Fund, President's Council, the Athletic Education Foundation, Swem Library, the Dixie-Delta Bowl Scholarship fund, the Alumni House Expansion and McCormack-Nagelsen Tennis Center.

In nominating Wright for the Alumni Service Award, the Lower Northern Neck Alumni Chapter noted: "Mel never goes anywhere — England, Australia, even Disneyland, without wearing his W&M cap and tee shirt. He asks every cashier or bus boy if they're going to William and Mary ... few alumni love and give more to their alma mater than Mel."

Wright received the Alumni Service Award at the October meeting of the Lower Northern Neck Alumni Chapter.

Buck, Ukrop Elected to Society Board; Incumbents Reelected

Three incumbents and two new members will take their seats on the Society of the Alumni Board of Directors in March. First-time board members Warren Buck M.S. '70, Ph.D. '76 of Hampton, Va., and James E. Ukrop '60 of Richmond, join incumbents Howard Busbee '65, J.D. '67, M.L.T. '68, James Kaplan '57 and Patrick J. Walsh '66 for three-year terms on the board.

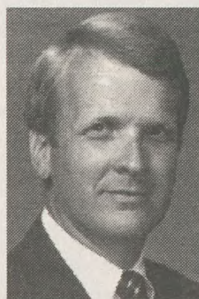


Buck

Warren Buck is professor of physics and director of the Nuclear/High Energy Physics (NuHep) Research Center of Excellence at Hampton University in Hampton, Va. Buck currently serves as chair of the Graduate and Professional

Schools Alumni Council and on the board of directors of the Hulon Willis Association.

Howard Busbee is a tax partner and past regional tax director at



Busbee

Coopers & Lybrand, where he has been employed since earning his master of law and taxation from William and Mary in 1968. A member of the Society of the Alumni's Circle of Friends, he is also a member of the President's Council, Business Dean's Council, Law Dean's Council and Campaign for the Fourth Century. In addition to serving as the chair of the Finance Committee and Telethons for his 25th Class Reunion, Busbee has been actively involved in the Atlanta and Richmond Alumni Chapters, the William and Mary Law School Foundation, and the William and Mary Tax Conference.

James Kaplan is owner and president

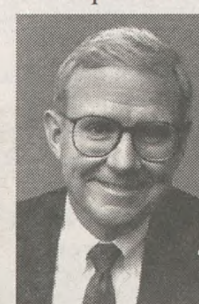


Kaplan

of Cornell Dubilier Electronics, a leading manufacturer of electronic components. A member of the Alumni Society's Circle of Friends, Kaplan is a trustee of the William and Mary Endowment Association, was chair of the Northern New Jersey area for the New York Regional Campaign, is a member of the President's Council and is a past trustee of the Athletic Educational Foundation. Kaplan and his wife, Jane Thompson Kaplan '56, are class agents for the Annual Fund.

Jim Ukrop is vice chairman and CEO of Ukrop's Supermarkets, Inc. He received the Society of the Alumni's highest honor, the Alumni Medallion, in 1982. Ukrop has served on the W&M Endowment Association, the board of the Richmond Alumni Chapter and the W&M Board of Visitors. Ukrop is currently serving on the W&M

Business School Board of Advisors and the executive committee of the W&M Athletic Educational Foundation. A member of the Society's Circle of Friends, Ukrop and his wife, Bobbie Berkeley Ukrop '61, co-chaired the National Leadership Committee for the expansion of the Alumni House.



Walsh

Patrick J. Walsh is the senior vice president and director of human resources at Merrill Lynch & Co. He is a member of the Executive Management Committee of Merrill Lynch and a board member of the

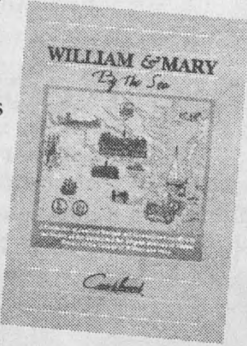
Merrill Lynch Foundation. As an alumnus, he chaired the Class of '66 25th Reunion class gift committee and has been a class agent for the Annual Fund as well as a member of the President's Council and the Alumni Society's Circle of Friends.

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William & Mary By The Sea

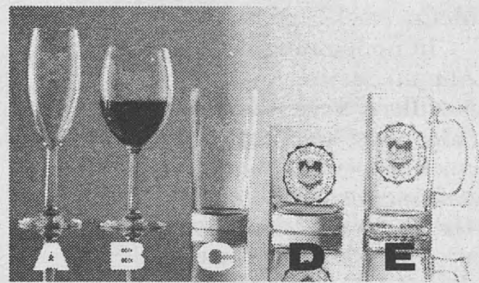
Our newest cookbook features delectable delights from the sea! Over 150 pages full of wonderful recipes from alumni and area chefs. The perfect gift for those who love fine food. Listings of regional seafood festivals are also included for your additional dining pleasure. Bon appetit! **\$16.93**



The William & Mary Cookbook

This award-winning cookbook is seasoned with memories of the College and reflects the tastes and regions that define the William & Mary family. Recipes from alumni appear along side favorites from Williamsburg-area restaurants and include more than 50 heart-healthy recipes. Edited by Jackie Good Legg '60. **\$16.93**

Glassware



Perfect for entertaining during this Yuletide season!

(A) Champagne Flutes, set of two 6 oz. glasses with etched W&M Cypher **\$19.95**

(B) Wine glasses, set of four 10 oz. glasses with etched W&M Cypher **\$29.95**

(C) Tumblers, set of four 13 oz. glasses with the etched W&M Cypher **\$29.95**

(D) Executive glasses, set of four 14 oz. glasses with College Seal imprinted in gold **\$32.50**

(E) Sports Mug, 12 oz. mug with College Seal imprinted in gold **\$4.95**

Wine & Cheese Tote

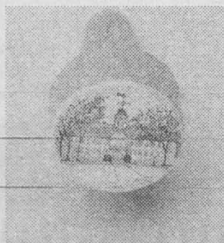
A very popular gift this season is our new wine and cheese tote.

Keep your favorite vintage chilled with this insulated totebag that comes equipped with a cork screw, cheese board and serving knife. Two bottle capacity and a

handle for easy carrying. Dark green with gold W&M cypher printed on bag. **\$29.95**

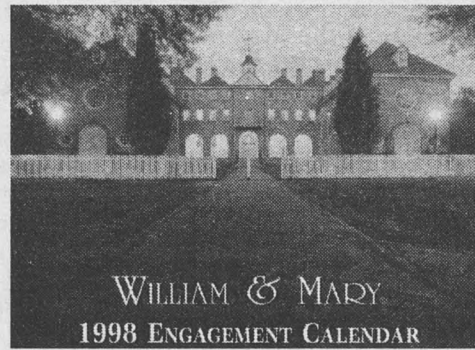
Wren Wine Stopper

A perfect stocking stuffer, this unique wine stopper features the Wren Building "scrimshawed" in black on a white



polymer surface. A perfect accessory for the Wine & Cheese Tote or a wonderful gift alone. **\$12.95**

1998 Calendar



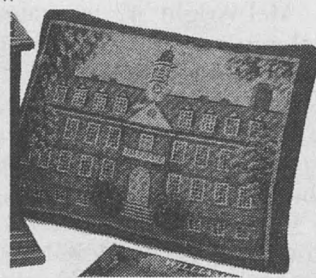
Plan now for a memorable 1998 with this official William and Mary Calendar. Capture the beauty and memories of William and Mary throughout the seasons with this colorful 12-month calendar, depicting campus scenes. A timely holiday gift! **\$10.95**

Landmark Miniatures by Brandywine

These wonderfully handcrafted wooden replicas of the Wren Building, Zable Stadium, and the new Alumni Center are created by local artists in Yorktown, Virginia. Look for more miniatures to appear in this continuing series. Wren Building **\$14.95** Zable Stadium **\$14.95** The Alumni Center **\$14.95**

Wren Pillow

This beautiful hand-stitched needle-point pillow features the Wren Building. One can see the intricate needlework that went into creating this treasure. A handsome adornment for any home or office. 100% Australian wool with dark green velvet back. **\$39.95**



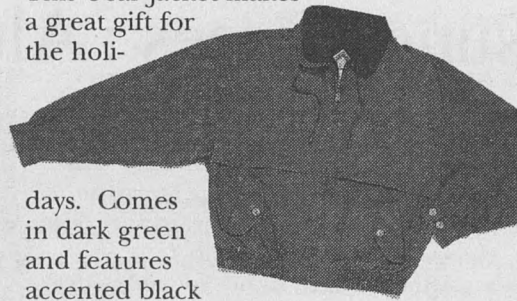
The Wren Sweatshirt



This beautiful crewneck sweatshirt features the landmark Wren Building on the front in embroidery and applique. This sweatshirt has been one of our best sellers this season! 80% cotton/20% polyester, 11oz. Comes in dark green or dark blue Sizes M-XL **\$59.95** XXL **\$61.95**

William & Mary Jacket

This Gear jacket makes a great gift for the holi-



days. Comes in dark green and features accented black collar, caped front, adjustable cuffs and vented back. Two way front pockets and an inner pocket to protect valuable treasures. William and Mary embroidered in black over left chest. Sizes S-XL **\$89.95** XXL **\$91.95**

Vintage William & Mary Sweatshirt

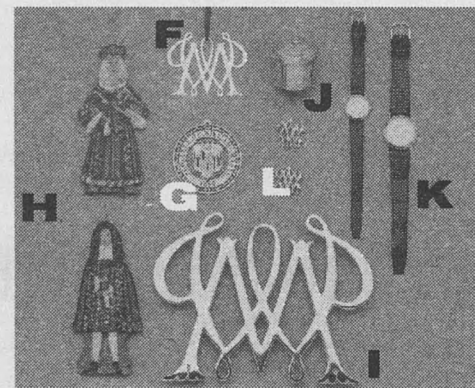
Journey back to the time of open roadsters, pinned sweethearts, and big bands with this nostalgic sweatshirt by Champion. Comes in oxford grey with William and Mary in hunter green felt. Sizes M-XL **\$49.95** XXL **\$51.95**



WM Sweatshirt

This sweatshirt comes in hunter green with WM embroidered in silver with an overlay of William & Mary embroidered in gold. A great addition to your William & Mary wardrobe. Sizes M-XL **\$39.95** XXL **\$41.95**

(F) Cypher Ornament



Virginia Metalcrafters continues its tradition of producing fine brass pieces in this beautiful cypher ornament. Measuring 2" x 3", it will surely brighten your holiday season. Comes with a red ribbon for hanging and attractive gift box. **\$14.95**

(G) 1997 Pewter Ornament

Introducing the 1997 ornament from Adams & Adams: the College Seal in polished pewter. **\$15.00**

(H) William & Mary Wax Ornaments

These hard wax ornaments are hand-made using antique German cookie molds from 1689. Representing King William III and Queen Mary II, these hand-painted treasures are sure to add character to your tree. **\$19.95/pair**

(I) Trivet

Adorn your holiday table with this beautiful trivet handcrafted by Virginia

Metalcrafters. A perfect gift or keepsake. **\$32.50**

(J) Cupola Stamp Box

Handcrafted by silversmith Mark Shields. This polished pewter stamp holder is a wonderful keepsake featuring the College cupola. **\$29.95**

(K) Bulova Watch

Bulova Caravelle Quartz Watch with College Medallion Seal—great for work or play. Men's and women's styles available. Men's **\$120.00** Women's **\$120.00**

(L) Cypher Jewelry

This beautiful jewelry is available in sterling silver or vermeil (24K gold plate on sterling.) Made in Virginia by Hand and Hammer.

Cufflinks, 3/4", Sterling **\$24.95**

Cufflinks, 3/4", Vermeil **\$36.95**

Earrings, Pierced, 14K Post, Sterling **\$24.95**

Earrings, Pierced, 14K Post, Vermeil **\$29.95**

Earrings, Clip, Sterling **\$19.95**

Earrings, Clip, Vermeil **\$24.95**

Pin/Pendant, 1 1/8", Sterling **\$25.00**

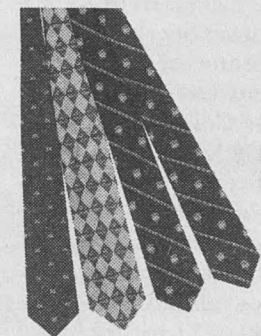
Pin/Pendant, 1 1/8", Vermeil **\$32.50**

Lapel Pin, 3/4", Sterling **\$14.95**

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William & Mary Neckties

Enhance your wardrobe with these distinguished ties from one of the oldest colleges in the country. Made of 100% silk. Shield on navy **\$35.00**



Shield on green **\$35.00**

Green and gold diamond tie. Features the W&M and weather vane. **\$35.00**

Green cypher tie **\$29.95**

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Blackwatch Romper

For the littlest William & Mary fan, this blackwatch plaid bubble suit is designed for comfort and easy access with snaps on the legs (Parents, you know what we mean). Comes with navy buttons and ribbing on collar, wrists and legs. William & Mary printed in white on left chest. Sizes 6, 12, 18 & 24 months **\$19.95**

WM Socks

Keep those little toes warm with our WM baby socks. White with hunter green and gold accents. Size 18 months **\$3.95**

(M) Cheerleader Jumper

Go Tribe! This new cheerleader outfit is sure to please the most spirited William & Mary fan. Comes with dark green jumper and gold turtleneck. William & Mary embroidered in gold. Sizes 2 & 4 **\$27.95** Sizes 6 & 8 **\$29.95**

Sports

Earning Their Place In History

by Jacqueline Genovese '87

They played before Billie Jean and Chris Everet made women's tennis a household word. They played before winning Wimbledon or the Wightman Cup meant a fat paycheck. They played and excelled at the game because they loved it.

Although Louis Blackburn Bryan, Donna Floyd Fales '62, Carol Caldwell Graebner, Darlene Hard, and Virginia Mack may not have been in the media spotlight when they played and coached, they took their place in history on Nov. 1 when they were inducted into the Intercollegiate Tennis Association's Women's Tennis Hall of Fame at William and Mary's McCormack-Nagelsen Tennis Center.

At the induction ceremony, President Timothy Sullivan '66 described the five inductees as "Much more than players and coaches, they are legends of the game, willing pioneers for all women in sports." President Sullivan noted that he

was particularly pleased that this year's group included a fellow William and Mary graduate, Donna Floyd Fales '62. "Welcome home Donna," he said.

Fales, who was a national champion at the age of 15 and the Collegiate Singles Champion while at William and Mary, said the occasion was most meaningful for her because she was being inducted in the presence of her first coach, Millie West, currently W&M's director of special projects for athletics. "I was on the first team that Millie coached, and I share all of my achievements with her." Turning to West, Fales explained, "This day is as much yours as it is mine."

Fales wasn't the only one to acknowledge West that night. Mark McCormack '51, president and CEO of International Management Group and the only man to be inducted into the Women's Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame, noted that he, "wrote the checks" for the tennis center, but it was really Millie West who made it happen. McCormack then



Donna Fales, who was Collegiate Singles Champion while at William and Mary, was inducted into the Women's Tennis Hall of Fame on Nov. 1. (Photo by Ellen K. Rudolph)

presented West with a plaque and a lifetime membership to the McCormack-Nagelsen Center.

West said it was overwhelming and a bit ironic to be honored that night. "You know, the Hall of Fame was Paul Verkuil's idea when he was president. Before we had a commitment for the indoor center, he came to me and said 'Let's do this,' and I really tried to ignore him," she laughs. "But Paul was persistent, and so here we are today."

Gesturing around the spacious, colorful Hall, West says, "I think this is the best kept secret on campus." Indeed, visitors are often surprised at the museum-quality displays that depict the history of women's tennis, as well as the achievements of the inductees.

Display cases in the hall contain numerous sterling silver and crystal awards, including a Wimbledon Plate, a Wightman Cup, and the first Intercollegiate Championship trophy to be awarded in Women's Tennis. In addition, an assortment of tennis rackets, Hazel Wightman's ABC's of Tennis — including Hit Hard, Vary Volleys and Always Attentive, and a display of Ted Tinling tennis clothing adds a sense of whimsy to the Hall.

"This is the only place in the nation to honor female collegiate players," West explains. "It's quite a feather in William and Mary's cap that we were chosen by the ITA to house it."

Eight Selected for W&M Hall of Fame

Eight outstanding former Tribe athletes will be inducted into the William and Mary Athletic Hall of Fame during the Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony on March 28th, 1998. For more information, call the Tribe Club Office at 757-221-3350.

William J. (Billy) Barnes '82 holds W&M's career steal record of 207 for men's basketball. During his tenure as point guard from 1978-1982, Barnes played in all 109 games, and started his last 97 games. A member of the William and Mary 1,000 point club with 1,031 career points, Barnes led the team in rebounding from the point guard position for his first three years, and led the team in assists and steals throughout his four-year career. Barnes was named the Defensive Player of the Year three times, and holds two single-game William and Mary records for steals (7) and assists (11).

Scott Bell's '87 record for all-time scoring (46 career goals, 113 points) in men's soccer held for almost 10 years after his graduation. A member of the 1983 NCAA playoff and CAA championship team, Bell captained the 1986 men's soccer team and was named Most Valuable Player. A two-time All-South Atlantic Region selection in 1985 and 1986 and an All-CAA selection in 1986, Bell has played for the Hamilton Steelers and the Dallas Sidekicks. In 1987, he was part of the Budweiser East-West Soccer Class, an indoor all-star game for seniors.

Michael Clemons '89 used remarkable speed and a flashy running style

to overcome his 5-5, 165-pound size and tear his way through Tribe football record books. Clemons ended his four-year football career with a school record 4,871 yards (2,135 rushing; 1,393 receiving; 1,013 in kickoff returns and 330 in punt returns). In 1986, Clemons recorded 2,000 all-purpose yards. His average of 212.2 all-purpose yards per game still ranks sixth all-time in the NCAA Division I-AA record books. A 1986 first-team Kodak All-American, Clemons was also named the Virginia Major College Player of the Year. After stints with the Kansas City Chiefs and Tampa Bay Buccaneers, Clemons now plays for the Toronto Argonauts in the Canadian Football League. A crowd favorite, he is affectionately referred to as "Pinball," and was named the CFL's Player of the Year in 1990.

As a tri-captain of the men's swimming team in 1965, **Ronald (Ron) Good '65** set W&M records in the 50-yard freestyle, 100-yard freestyle, 60-yard freestyle, 200-yard freestyle and 100-yard butterfly. Good claimed the Southern Conference championships in the 50-yard freestyle from 1962-65 and set conference records in the 50-yard freestyle and the 100-yard butterfly. Good was also a member of the W&M record-setting 400-yard medley relay team from 1963-65 and the 400-yard relay from 1964-65. He qualified for the NCAA championships in 1964-65, and went undefeated during 1964-65 season in the 50-yard and 100-yard freestyle.

The Southern Conference's Most

Valuable Swimmer in 1965, **Peter (Pete) McIntosh '65** holds W&M records in the 200-yard breaststroke, the 200-yard fly, the 200-yard individual medley, the 160-yard individual medley and the 400-yard individual medley. A co-captain of the varsity swim team in 1963-64, and a tri-captain in 1964-65, McIntosh qualified for the Eastern Championships in 1964 and again in 1965. McIntosh was also a member of the record-setting 400-yard medley relay team and the 400-yard free relay teams. McIntosh coached the Tribe from 1971-73.

Women's lacrosse All-American **Christine (Chris) Paradis '84** kept making history after her days with the Tribe ended. From 1985-90, Paradis was a member of the U.S. Lacrosse Team. After a knee injury knocked her out of play for two years, she returned to the squad in 1992, and made the World Cup Team in 1993. As a student, Paradis was named to the VIL all-tournament team in 1984, was also selected to Virginia I team and to second team All-American honors. In 1982, Paradis was picked for post-season All-Virginia Lacrosse team. Her accomplishments, however, weren't limited to the lacrosse field. Paradis also played field hockey and ran track, where she broke the state's record in the 3,000-meter run. A recipient of the Martha Barksdale Award, Paradis is currently the head field hockey and lacrosse coach at Amherst College, where she won Regional Coach of the Year honors in field hockey in 1996.

Four-time All-American gymnast

Lori Pepple-Yacobi '86 won four Virginia state titles and revised six school records during her tenure. In 1983, she led W&M individual competition with 9.3 on floor and 36.0 all-around. The ECAC co-gymnast of the week, and regional champion in the bars and floor qualified for the NCAA Division II championships in 1985, she went to the finals in the vault and floor, before finishing ninth all-around. In 1986, Pepple helped the team secure a wildcard bid to the NCAA championships, where the team finished seventh, while she finished sixth in the uneven bars. Pepple was also named W&M Outstanding Senior Athlete.

As a student, **William (Billy) Pincus '81** posted a 106-21 record in wrestling during his tenure for the Tribe. As coach for the Tribe wrestling squad from 1984-90, he compiled a 68-51-1 record, earned two state titles and produced an All-American, four EIWA champions and 12 national qualifiers. Pincus, himself a two-time NCAA qualifier, was named W&M Outstanding Athlete in 1981 and was a Rhodes Scholar nominee. Pincus was a gold medalist in freestyle and Greco-Roman wrestling at the 1977 Maccabiah Games. He also holds a master's degree in psychology and a law degree from the Marshall-Wythe School of Law.

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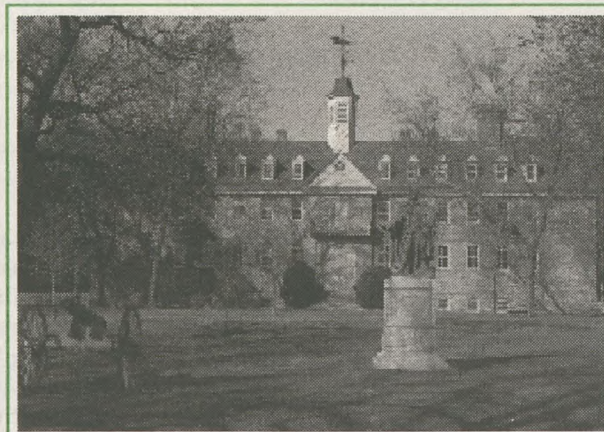
The Mary Morton Parsons Foundation has generously agreed to give \$250,000 to the Wren project, *only* if the College can raise twice that amount by February 28, 1997.

YES, I want to help meet the Parsons Foundation challenge. Enclosed is my check for:

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RENEWING THE WREN

To prepare the Wren Building for its fourth century of use, the College is planning a comprehensive renewal and replacement project. The major components of the project are: restoration of architectural features such as floors and panelling; replacement of all mechanical systems; safety upgrades; and repair and stabilization of the antique brick walls and foundation.

The College is seeking \$4 million for this renewal project, and a \$1 million endowment for the continuing care of the building.

Class Notes

1939

Thanks to the help of two loyal "stringers," i.e. **Peggy Prickett Miller** and **Fran Metheny**, we have some notes on our classmates to share with you. I could not attend Homecoming, and, therefore, relied on the telephone and the above-mentioned allies to gather the notes.

Fran, of course, pulled it all together in her own inimitable fashion, so food and festivities proceeded smoothly, and **Bud '40** won an Alumni Service Award on behalf of the Order of the White Jacket., which helped to make it a special occasion for the Metheny family.

Brad Pulley also won an Alumni Service Award for service to the Society, and won our appreciation for bringing Louise with him. She, in turn, brought dozens of her homemade cookies, and we were delighted to have share some of her "up" time with the Class of '39.

Others who were in attendance included: **Maurine Dulin**, Ed and **Helene Vogt '38**, **May** and **Cornell Berry '37**, **Ed Ferguson**, **Ray Dudley** and Jackie, **Lucille Eldridge Harkless**, **Lee Shimberg** from Florida (Esther was playing in a golf tournament), **Bill Altenburg**, **Gervais Wallace Brekke '40** and Nils, and **Ed Ware** and Tina.

Beal Sale Thomas, who is now living at the Marriott Colonnades in Charlottesville, gave us a nice surprise by showing to help celebrate.

Hanne Sweetnam brought a long-time friend from Chicago. **Martin Gracey** came to play golf, but returned home for other pre-scheduled activities. **Margie Hoskins Bloxom** and **Red '37** love their life at Williamsburg Landing, and, as usual, split their time between his class activities and hers.

Alma Van Blarcom and **Lorimer Walker** brought their daughter, Suzanne, and **Dee Dee Allen Bunch** brought her daughter, **Susan Bunch Blanchard '65** for us to meet.

Missing from the regulars were **Dick Crane** and Adele. They were attending the 100th anniversary of the Penn State Thespians, of which Adele is a member. Their attendance at Homecoming '98 is in doubt. Although they lost their son, Spencer, last summer, they both continue their numerous activities — tennis, volunteer work and downhill racing. Dick has won both a silver and a gold medal in this sport.

Also absent was **Don Stetson**, who did not make his usual trek from Sequim, Wash. Brad's efforts to contact him were in vain, so if anyone has information to his whereabouts, please let Brad, Peggy or me know. He has been faithful in his attendance at these gatherings the we full much concern about the lack of communication.

Note to **Jordan Sizemore**. Where are you? I have called off and on all summer to no avail. Write or phone, or have **Jeannie '52** send a card. Hope all is well.

Jeanne Kinnamon has been recognized for her generous contribution of 40 gallons of blood to the Red Cross bank since leaving the WACS at the end of World War II. Her modest explanation, "The need is there, and it is something I can do!"

Peggy Prickett Miller moved her 80th birthday celebration from January '98 to last July, so that all of her own — her very own — 50 offspring could be included. Her family took over an entire hotel just outside of August, Ga. Elders planned the meals and parties. Little ones put on a show, and played with innumerable cousins. Not so incidentally, the elders collected a purse to send to mother, grandmother, great-grandmother Peggy on a world cruise — right after her mother celebrates her 100th birthday in March, and her granddaughter is graduated from West Point in 1998. The granddaughter represents the 10th generation in Peggy's family, and the first girl in the family to graduate from the Academy. Peggy also has numerous relatives who have attended the College. But that's another statistic for another time. Carry on, Peggy!

As reminder to you all, please note the address and telephone number at the end of this column. I can still read and hear. Can you still write and speak?

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1945

Best wishes to all of you once again from Florida's Suncoast where we have recently begun to enjoy cooler weather as I write this in the beginning of November.

On behalf of our class, I should like to extend our most sincere sympathy to **Joan Worstall Carter** and family on the loss of their husband and father, **Jack '44**, our former classmate and former '44 secretary. As '44 secretary Jack often shared news with me, and in this letter I have some news which came from him. He will be sorely missed.

As I was preparing this letter, I learned of the death of **Audrey Hudgins Thompson** just before Homecoming. On behalf of our class I should like to

extend our most sincere sympathy to her family as well.

In my last letter I reported a wedding anniversary celebration enjoyed by **Bill Lazell** and Adair. Somewhere between my letter and the printing of the *Gazette*, the anniversary changed from 50th to 30th. So once again congratulations to the Lazells on their 50th wedding anniversary! In fact, my calculations show that their 51st is now close at hand.

Mary Jane Chamberlain Howard and **Vaughn '43** celebrated their 50th anniversary with a family party in April at Kingsmill Resort in Williamsburg. Congratulations to the Howards as well!

According to **Ruth Weimar Tillar**, '45 was again third in participation in the Annual Fund, reaching our goal of \$26,000. Ruth is vice chair of the Olde Guard Council, with **Jack Merriman** also serving on the Council. In the only photograph in the Fall issue of the Olde Guard Newsletter, Ruth is shown, along with classmates **Ellie Harvey Rennie** and **Mary Jane Chamberlain Howard**.

Charley Harrington was planning a trip to "do Quebec" in August and look for whales in the St. Lawrence River.

In June, **Sunny Manewal Murray Connor** enjoyed a cruise on the Norwegian Cruise Lines' ship, Norwegian Crown. They viewed fjords and were treated to some absolutely fabulous scenery. The cruise went as far north as you can go on the continent of Europe. Passengers were initiated as Honorary Vikings after crossing the Arctic Circle.

Jeanne Schoenewolf Preston and Page joined friends sailing up the Hudson River on their friends' boat in June. In September, Jeanne visited England and Ireland with a friend while Page fished in Montana.

Floss Metius Johnson has been keeping busy. Floss and three friends toured New England on a bus tour late in September and early in October to view the Fall foliage. Floss and these same friends get together often and enjoy a variety of activities. Floss has been getting rid of "belongings" accumulated over the years in preparation for moving to smaller quarters.

Willie Anne Boschen Wright and Jack went to Atlanta to visit their son Jack, Jr., and family in June. Willie Anne, her daughter-in-law and granddaughter, saw Tina Turner, who, Willie Anne said, was fantastic. Willie Anne had heard from **Lee Anne Avery Merrifield** who expected to visit Richmond in September.

Just days before I sat down to begin this letter, your secretary had the pleasure of a reunion with **Susie Scav Henzie '47**, the first time we had seen each other since before my graduation. Susie and her husband George have been living in Los Angeles for many years. They were staying with Susie's brother, Perry, and his wife who live near Punta Gorda, which is south of Sarasota. Susie and her sister-in-law and I spent a Sunday afternoon lunching together here in Sarasota, visiting an outdoor art show, and "catching up."

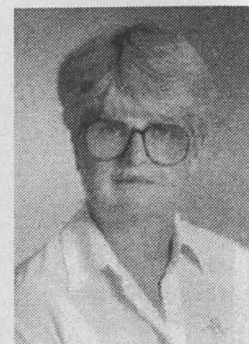
Once again, Faithful Correspondent Ruth Weimar Tillar, "covered" Homecoming for those of us who could not be there. According to Ruth, it was a very special weekend, with the dedication of the Alumni Center a highlight. The beautiful Grand Foyer with our 1945 plaque is there for all to see.

One hundred and twenty attended the Olde Guard luncheon in Trinkle Hall, including from '45, in addition to Ruth and Cato, **R.C. Williamson** and **Betsy, Bunny Davis Faulconer** and **Bob '43**, and **Betty Aurell Schutz** and **Henry '44**. During the weekend Ruth also saw **Connie Westerman Wolf** and **Bob and Lyon Tyler**.

Ruth reported that the Homecoming Ball was outstanding and that the Parade was the best in years. The day started out cloudy but then the sun came out. Ruth and Cato joined **Sunny Trumbo Williams '44** and Rolf, with whom they stayed in Williamsburg, at the Fourth Century luncheon at the Muscarelle Museum.

Before closing, I should like to extend my best wishes for every success to **Bill Smith '44** who has taken over Jack Carter's job as class secretary. And do remember your '45 secretary when you have some news to share. Deadline for the June '98 Gazette is May 15, 1998.

— **Virginia Lee McAlinden**
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1947

Carol '49 and I were recently exposed to two beautiful scenes: 11 days in the Canadian Rockies and our Fall-colored Alma Mater with the new Alumni Center (more later). I called **Jim Macken '49** in Vancouver where he is retired. He plays some golf and tennis and has a W&M choir tape in his car. Jim hears from his old roommate **Joe Rego '48**. Jim has 12 grandchildren who live in the area. His brother, **Brent Macken '48** lives in Toronto. Jim mentioned an upcoming tennis reunion at William and Mary.

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Bill Lazell '45 called from Los Angeles. He went to the University of Colorado after the war for engineering and is now retired after many years in the aircraft industry. He wanted to talk to Carol about the Alumni Board candidates.

Lou Creekmur '49 wrote about playing golf in Williamsburg at the Virginia Hall of Fame tournament with **Vito Ragazzo '51** and **Buddy Lex '50**. I sent Lou a photo of Vito, Buddy and **George Hughes '49** at the Virginia Sports Hall of Fame.

There's a note from **John Pforr '60** who visits the area periodically. John is a retired Secret Service agent and promised to see some W&M ball games at home or away.

We got a beautiful colored postcard from **Tonga** and **Stella Withers Hardee**. They missed our 50th reunion because they were sailing from Fiji to Tahiti in the South Pacific.

Tom Hardy '45, one of 1941 roommates, called from Chino, Calif., and asked about Coach Voyles, **Nick Forkovitch '45**, **Bill Safko '48** and **Bill Abbotts '44**. Tom was a marine in WWII, and served two years in the Korean War. He played semi-pro ball with the Hollywood Bears while based in El Toro. Tom saw **Tex Warrington '44** at Parris Island and **Joe Battalico '44** in Hawaii. Joe was a Navy pilot and was killed in the Pacific. Come and see us on your next Eastern trip, Tom. I met Mrs. Voyles outside of the Alumni Center recently. She's very gracious!

Coincidentally, the following data is from letters of **Nancy Safko '46** and **Bill Abbotts**. Nancy wrote that she just had a letter from Bill and is in contact with **Jud Nixon '49** in Richmond, who lost his wife of 50 years in 1996. (More on Jud in this column.) Nancy added that her Bill even danced at the nursing home Father's Day party. Johnstown, Pa., football players can't dance.

Bill missed the spring Hall of Fame and **Howard Smith '43** Awards Dinner, but asked about **Glenn Knox '42**, **Herb Poplinger '48** and **Steve Chipok '48**. Bill mentioned his past health problems, which prevented distance driving. You need a driver, friend.

Marvin Bass '44 is back in football with Dan Reeves and the Atlanta Falcons, after a nomadic career in Canada and the U.S. Reeves was his quarterback in 1961 at the University of South Carolina. Marvin lost his wife, **Audrey Wallace Bass '42** (who ate at my table in 1941 in Trinkle Hall) in 1996, and decided to come out of retirement. The best of luck, Marvin!

Roy Shelor '49 called from California to check in. He and **Olive Ann Hasty '46** recently returned from Alaska. Roy goes to the fitness center every morning and will attend a large Shelor family reunion this fall in Roanoke. Come see us for sure.

We were in Canada for the Hampton game. We had planned to go to the Georgia Southern game, but went to Williamsburg for an Alumni Leadership Assembly instead. There, we saw **John Fritz '48**, **Tuga Wilson Adams '49** and **Bob Faulconer '43**. Bob helped me with biology in 1942. Thanks. We played tennis with **Denys "No Kisses" Grant '58**, who is also an old handball player.

While attending a session on class notes, I sat next to **Genie Crosby Underhill '51**, another class reporter. She's an interesting person, and especially so after I read her column in the June issue of the *Gazette*. Genie, did you see any Canadian geese down in the Galapagos Islands? We have them here now, but no swans yet.

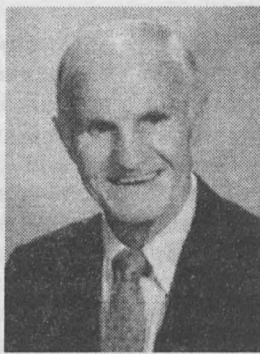
We went to the Boston University game and joined the AEF activities. We played tennis in the new tennis center. We talked **Sunny Trumbo Williams '44** into playing, too. We stayed with Sunny and Rolf for the alumni board meetings and the AEF weekend. We even changed our sheets when we left. We all attended the barbecue at the new Alumni Center and wondered if it would be completed for Homecoming. It was good to see **Bill Tucker '58**, who always asks about **Jack Freeman**. I introduced **George Raffey '44** to **Jimmy Seu '53** at the post-game party on the patio. Both are sports historians. Jim was holding court on the wall with **Al Gross '54**. I also talked with **Julian Dunn '48**.

We took in the VMI game at Lexington and stayed with **Jane Achenbach Freeman** and **Jack**, our perennial hosts. We attended a cocktail party at Maple Hall; a beautiful old B&B with a W&M contingency of: **Sunny Williams** and **Rolf**, **Marilyn Miller Entwisle '44** and **John, Jane Spencer Smith '48** and **Bill '44**, **Evie Cosby King** and **Hal '43**, **Jane and Herb Young '41**, **Jean Canoles Bruce '49** and **Bill '44** and **Lois Spratley Donald '44** and **Doug**.

The theme for Homecoming '97 was, "There's No Place Like Home."

The Order of the White Jacket dinner on Thursday kicked off the Homecoming weekend. We had dinner with **Lucy Jones Murphy** and **Bill '48**, **Shu Struse Shook '48** and **Henry '47** and **Sue Hinds Davis** and **Randy '50**. Awards were given to **Bud Metheny '40** and **Howard Smith**, who wore Bill Murphy's little freshman beanie during his abbreviated thank-you.

During cocktails, we talked to **Betty Carter Zable '40** and **Walt '37**, **Julie** and **John Dayton '50**, **Bev Simonton Kelly '53** and **Jim '51**, **Tom Riennerth '52**, **Tommy Martin '53**, **George Young '49** and **Jud Nixon**. Jud looked very happy with his beautiful new bride-to-be. Lucy was having trouble reading name tags and had



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some interesting pairs "joined together," with all the discussion of new brides-to-be, until she put her glasses on.

Carol and I were among the 42 tennis players in the 20th Annual Sandy Kelly Tennis Tournament. Among the players were **Baxter Bell '49**, **Jean Harrup Cogle '49**, **Mike Jordan '55**, who knew Jack Freeman, and **Penny Pendleton Simpson '63**. Tom Riennerth watched last year. He said, "If Mel Wright can play, so can I." So he played this year. Next time you see Tom, ask him how many games he won.

We visited the Olde Guard luncheon in Trinkle Hall in our tennis clothes. I didn't wear my medallion and was denied admission for being too young. I saw **Helen Young Langton**, **Jack Garrett '40**, **Betty Aurell Schultz** and **Henry '45**, — Betty said they saw **Jean Myers Boudreau '48** and **Buddy '49**, who were looking for us, but we never got connected — **Ann Litts Lucas '51** and **Bill '48**, **Leah** and **T. Waller '40**, **Nancy Norris Foster '44** and **Dixon '44** and **Sunny** and **Rolf Williams**, again. We attended the cocktail party and Homecoming Ball. The only name we can add here is **Ann and Ed Grimsley '51**.

There was an outstanding and long parade Saturday morning. There were six different Shriner units, the U.S. Marine Marching Band, the Anhuenser-Busch Clydesdales and all the past presidents of the Alumni Society. It had to be a success as Carol and I were in it. We represented the Lower Northern Neck Alumni Chapter, which won the 1997 award as the small (under 1,000) outstanding chapter. The chapter has won it three out of the last four years. Thank you loyal members for your help. We had fun honoring **Lucy** and **Bill Murphy** at our fall dinner, and reviewing our college days with pictures from the yearbooks 1940 to 1949. Members of our chapter 1945-49 along with **Lucy** and **Bill Murphy** are: **Sueann** and **Bill Bangel '48**, **Betty Lu Brann Ramsey '50** and **Knox '48**, **Audrey Hutchison Saunders '50** and **Dick '50**, **Jere Bunting '50**, **Patty Wachtel Fairlamb '49**, **Harold Eubank '48** and **Beth Spain Newman**. We are representing a great school. And thanks to **Kate Hughes** for the great snapshot of our part in the parade.

The parade ended at the new Alumni Center's dedication ceremony, with the KA's, who had been the last to leave the house, serve as the first ones to enter. Some of the KA's entering the new center were **Henry Edwards '41**, **Dixon Foster**, **Bill Hubbard** and **Corky Wampler '48**. We visited with **Fred Frechette '46** and his new wife, **Joy**, **Dick Baker '46**, **Lou Bailey '49**, **Wessie** and **Bo Chappell**, **Margie Oak Jolly**, **Nellie Jackson** and **Evelyn Stryker Peyton**.

The new Alumni Center's three-story addition makes the complete building a work of art. There is an elevator and all the amenities and furnishings to make it unique. The landscaping accentuates the entire building. A similar wall, as near the stadium, will be extended along Richmond Road to enclose the property, as a result of the 1947 50th Class Gift to the College. I especially like the green carpeting with the interwoven gold W&M letters. A must-see for sure. **Barry Adams** and the current efficient staff make the building "your home away from home!"

We finished up the memorable weekend at the Alumni Center's continental breakfast and saw **Marie** and **Surry Harrison '46** and **Jean** and **Warren Smith '49**.

The Sunset Ceremony with the Memorial Roster for 1947 listed **Garland Isaacs, Sr.**, **Margaret Bubb Tichy** and **Carolyn Thomas McGregor** as deceased.

The following class members registered for Homecoming: **Ben McLaughlin**, **Peggy Walker Marlatt**, **Sidney Aron**, **Helen Young Langton** and **Lydia Stagnaro**.

On a sad note, the November 2 issue of the *Richmond Times-Dispatch* reflected the death of **Jimmy Howard '42**. Jim was a baseball and football player, and a prominent businessman. Our sympathy to his wife, **Kathlyn**.

Marvin "Big Stone Gap" Graham '49 called recently about the death of **Dr. Robert "Doubleclutch" Ailsworth '43**. Bob lived in Florida at his death. He was retired and living in Irvington, Va., prior moving to Florida. His nickname was due to his shifting gears when he ate. Bob kept Gap alive.

Fall is in the air with the Holidays upon us. To you old faithful, remember that May 15 is the deadline for the next odd-year *Gazette*.

Note from Carol, a devoted wife: Mel is too humble to mention this, but he was one of the recipients of the Alumni Service Award for 1997. Part of his service and love of his alma mater is this column, which he works on for weeks, then spends hours revising and editing. Keep those letters coming.

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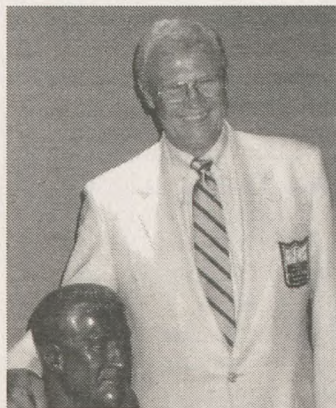
1949

I was delighted to receive a lengthy letter from **Lou Creekmur** in which he brought me up to date on the exciting things that have happened in his life in the past year. Last summer he was proud to be the first William and Mary graduate to be enshrined in the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio. Most of his family and many of his friends were present at the induction. There is now a bust of him on display in Canton. What a thrill! In addition, this past spring he

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returned to Woodbridge, NJ, where he had graduated from high school, in order to be the guest speaker at their Hall of Fame dinner. While there, the mayor of Woodbridge dedicated the plaza outside of city hall as "Lou Creekmur Plaza." Another thrill! The plaque reads in part: "Lou Creekmur Plaza — Proud Son of Woodbridge Township — U.S. Army Veteran — Detroit Lions 1950-1959." Lou was back in Virginia later in the spring to attend the Virginia Sports Hall of Fame dinner where he was able to visit with teammate **George Hughes**.

I also had a letter from **Virginia Murphy Krahenbuhl**, a synopsis of the last 48 years of her life. After graduation,



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she married a Swiss, lived in San Francisco, Switzerland and Tokyo before returning to California in the 80's, where she started her own direct mail business, which was an immediate success. Over the years, she had a series of health problems — ruptured disks in neck, two by-pass surgeries, removal of kidney and several small strokes, but now is doing extremely well and is able to work out in the gym every day. Now Virginia is semi-retired, works from her home in a condominium resort and has become a computer nerd. She has two grown sons, one of whom sailed his 30 ft. boat from California to Hawaii and now lives on it in Honolulu harbor while he works for an educational laboratory. The other son is married to a Japanese woman, speaks fluent Japanese and works for a Japanese company exporting American products to Pacific rim countries. Virginia's address is 22817A Nadine Circle, Torrance, Calif., 90505. I wish more people would send me letters like these two!

Herb Bateman, member of the House of Representatives, was awarded an honorary degree at commencement exercises this past spring. **A. Marshall Acuff, Jr. '62**, rector of the College, in awarding Herb an honorary doctor of law degree, lauded him as an educator, counselor and legislator. Herb served in the Virginia Senate from 1967-1982 and was elected to the United States Congress in 1982.

Martha Daniel Cornwell and husband Jack were featured in an article in the Madison County, Va., newspaper about how they met. During the war, she was working at Camp Lee in the academic records section of the Officers Candidate School and he was working in personnel classification. They kept in touch when she returned to College and he was transferred to Camp Chaffee, Ark., and have now been married more than 50 years.

Natalie Allen has been in residence in her new home in Point Pleasant Beach, N.J., for the past year and especially enjoys entertaining her four great grandchildren there. She had fun this past fall cruising up the Hudson River as far as West Point and the first lock of the Erie Canal.

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1951

Five Ecuadorian crew members had to carry this reporter kicking and screaming from the lagoon on Isla Bartolomé, Galapagos. I couldn't bear to leave my new friends, but ahead was a 12-hour cruise to Isla Fernadina. I had learned to communicate well using phonetic syllables and appropriate body language with these natives. I first met the youngest member while I was relaxing on a lava rock. By tugging my toe he indicated he wanted my company in the warm tidal pool; but at that moment, the regiment of sluggish marine iguanas a few feet behind me were warming up their bodies to the prescribed 90 degrees and were moving toward the sea to seek their breakfast of succulent algae. I didn't want to be in their paths; so I waited until the coast was clear, so to speak.

These iguanas are harmless, I thought, I wasn't sure, and I didn't want, in any case to be a paragraph in *National Geographic*, so I waited until they were out of spitting distance to join the family. While the mother swam by occasionally to make sure I was minding my manners, the baby's siblings performed a synchro-



Anthony

nized water ballet especially for me in the surf. The baby gazed curiously at me with his big brown eyes just an inch away from mine. Nonpulsed penguins darted in and out. This family had no fear of strangers. By the way, the family, did I mention were sea lions — and their pup, my very favorite new friend.

Jim Baker is a magician, he really is! A press clipping from *The Daily Press* informs us that magic has been his avocation for 60 years. He is co-founder and vice-president of the Williamsburg Chapter of the Society of American Magicians. We learn further that he has developed a specialty, that of teaching simple magic tricks to children and he has written more than a dozen books of kids' magic. Baker was so enchanting, the reviewer was enthralled. He kept asking, "How did he do that?" After Jim's first book, *Illusions Illustrated*, the publisher asked if he could combine the subject of magic with holidays. "Kids like magic, kids like holidays." He then wrote 12 such books, "By the time I got down to *Arbor Day Magic*, I was scraping the bottom of the barrel," Jim related. He has performed at schools, hospitals and orphanages in many countries. As you know, Jim has retired to Williamsburg, and is teaching magic classes for kids at Hampton Roads Academy and in Williamsburg. Jim says, "Magic has been so good to me as a hobby, I like to give something back—get some kids hooked on magic the way I was when I was nine." His chapter of the Magician's Society has named the chapter for him. "We meet once a month and perform for each other and also attempt to improve our performances." I am sure the youths of the Peninsula feel fortunate to have Jim in their midst. He is making a valuable

College Clips Still Implementing Dreams

After 38 years at the College, Millie West continues her duties with the same zeal as her first day on campus. As Director of Special Projects for the Athletic Department, West's focus continues to be fundraising, primarily for the Olympic Sports program.



West

For example, with 120 amateurs and 30 pros, the 14th Annual Joseph J. Plumeri/William and Mary Pro-Am boasted its largest field ever this past May. "In general, this was a tremendous year," says West. "Besides the record-setting number of participants, we enjoyed outstanding support from our sponsors. This year's event netted an all-time high of over \$70,000 for the Olympic Sports program."

All told over the 14 years, the Pro-Am has raised over half a million dollars for scholarships - all due to West's persistence, diligence and attention to detail.

West also played an integral part in the realization of the McCormack-Nagelsen Tennis Center (MNTC), William and Mary's state-of-the-art indoor tennis center, and of Plumeri Park, the new baseball facility to be completed in 1998.

"Millie's vision, commitment to excellence, determination, and leadership have served the Athletic Department in countless ways," says Terry Driscoll, W&M athletic director. "Her perspective, knowledge and

enthusiasm have been of enormous help to me in my first year at William and Mary. I fully anticipate that Millie will continue to make significant contributions to the Athletic Department as she identifies and accepts new projects."

West will be headquartered in the tennis center as of this fall - partly to accommodate her love of the sport, mostly to better undertake her latest role as curator of the ITA's Women's Intercollegiate Hall of Fame. (see related story on page 10.)

West began her latest chapter of affiliation with the College in 1991 when she retired as associate athletics director. During her tenure at W&M, she also served as Women's Athletics Director and held various coaching positions, including a 13-year stint as head women's tennis coach. In April 1995, her 1978-79 squad was inducted into the W&M Athletic Hall of Fame for achievements which included a third-place showing at the AIAW Small College Nationals.

A 1957 graduate of Georgia College, West received that school's Alumni Achievement Award three years ago and was recently honored by the Virginia Sports Information Directors with the Distinguished Service Award. She currently is a member of the Virginia Sports Hall of Fame Honors Court and a member of the Williamsburg Old Point National Bank Advisory board.

West, who announced in July of 1991 that she planned to take an early retirement that October, was quickly re-recruited by then-athletics director John Randolph '64, M.Ed. '68, in a part-time position as "coordinator of special projects."

Today, West continues as the behind-the-scenes administrator who has the knack for implementing dreams.

— by Jean Elliott



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contribution to children's welfare in this sharing. Jim is also listed in *Who's Who In Entertainment* and *Who's Who in the Media*. He, along with his wife **Elaine Campton Baker '49**, retired from the foreign service of the U.S. Information Agency after 20 years, 17 of which were spent overseas. It was during this period in which he honed his magic set.

The Alumni Leadership Assembly during a warm, balmy September weekend in Williamsburg, presented the Blueprint for the 21st Century to those of us fortunate to participate. The College's goals were clearly listed for us: William and Mary is to become the most distinguished small public university in the nation. A distinct promise has been made — to build a future by sustaining the excellence of the undergraduate program and by offering only select graduate and professional programs. You may have seen the national survey which presented W&M as "The Best Small Public University in the Nation." College enrollments are rising over the U.S. Especially in the South; but W&M has vowed to keep its enrollment at current levels to preserve its character and integrity. The College rated 6th in the nation in this survey and is the only one of those with less than 20,000 students. W&M spends about \$10,500 per student whereas the competition may spend as much as \$40,000. However, it was patently obvious that state funding is not keeping up with the present needs. Virginia public colleges are now considered "state assisted," and not "state supported." The administration must persuade the Commonwealth legislators that they are helping themselves through this crisis as much as possible; but the public would do well to encourage allocation of more state tax funds to education. W&M has taken several steps to show its dedication to its ideals, not the least of which is raising private funds, endowments, curtailing expenses, and lowering budgets. We wonder where state tax revenues are being funneled. After all, what is more important than Virginia's youth? Two-thirds of the student body at W&M is from Virginia; 833 freshmen are Virginians. There are two areas which need immediate improvement—financial aid and faculty salaries. We alumni who now have time to do what we always wanted to do, should probably spend some time now doing what we don't necessarily want to do which may mean involving ourselves in politics. One useful activity might be to contact our representatives to try to persuade them that nothing is more important than the welfare and education of our youth. By posing these problems squarely to government representatives, perhaps these present-day needs one day will be met and the future of state-supported colleges insured.

In 1993 the decision was made—"we would not grow"—in order to keep the sense of community. The College closed nine graduate programs and redirected these to the undergraduate program. Sixteen percent of today's students represent minorities which add new flavor to modern campus social life, and about 25% of the entire student body is "Greek." W&M has three Rhodes Scholars, a famous choir which sang at the presidential inauguration as well as the Harriman funeral, and many of its teams are ranked first in its sports conference.

Our assembly was privileged to be the first to be introduced to the beautifully renovated Alumni Center. There are luxurious appointments in the new addition including a dream kitchen, as well as renovations to the old house. The gift shop, terraces and patios with its memory bricks in place all lend themselves well to parties and fellowship. The closing balmy night barbecue became a Hawaiian luau complete with flickering torches.

Reminiscing during the social events including cocktail party, banquet, luncheon and tours were **Judith Hein Harrell '66**, **Marguerite Kelly Morris '65**, **Sunny Trumbo Williams '44**, **Jane Spencer Smith '48**, **Tuga Wilson Adams '49**, **Marilyn Miller** and **John Entwisle '44**, **Pamera Hairston '81**, **JD '84**, **Bob Faulconer '43**; Reporters **Delbert Wilson '57**, **Ginnie Peirce Volkman '64**, **Willard Smith '44**, who also heads the Robert Boyle Society, **Elaine Elias Kappel '55**, **Mary Land Gill '28**, **Eleanor Hooker Boisseau '36** and **Barbara Clawson Henderson '40**.

Donald Taylor received his degree in history and taught at Hampton High School for ten years. He received his M.Ed. at the College also, and in 1962 became the first curator of education at Tryon Palace here in North Carolina. In 1974 he was promoted to administrator. In 1983 he joined Gunston Hall, in Virginia as director. This house, which, as everyone know, is the home of George Mason, Father of the Bill of Rights. He recently retired as Director Emeritus and returned to New Bern where he serves as curator for the local historical society from whom he received the President's Award which recognized his substantial contribution of his time and talent. He is helping with the restoration of the historical Attmore-Oliver House which was damaged by the last two hurricanes. He and his wife Johanna, to whom he has been married 46 years, are active in their church and enjoy guiding tours of its 1822 sanctuary. Their two sons are with the Division of Marine Fisheries and live nearby.

Since formally retiring from Colonial Williamsburg after many years as director of communications, **Hugh Desamper's** career as a writer has continued, his former employer being his principal client. His new book, *Welcome to the Williamsburg Inn* has recently appeared in bookstores. Hugh's text is accompanied by beautiful, crisp illustrations. He also wrote the text for a photographic essay entitled *Williamsburg, Jamestown, and Yorktown: America's Historic Triangle*, as well as a souvenir booklet on the history and spiritual legacy of Bruton Parish

Church. He has been married to **Carol Raymond '54** since his early years in Williamsburg. Hugh manages to stay in good physical shape by running his long-standing goal of three miles several times a week and is an active member of the York River Concert Band, which performs several times a year for celebrations such as graduations.

Hugh and Carol were responsible for raising funds from the private sector to purchase a church school and renovating it for use by 14 local charities and public service agencies. Hugh explains, "Being located in the Historic Triangle Community Services Center facilitates new opportunities for networking among the tenants and what might be called 'one-stop service' for the clients of in-house agencies." Hugh is a board member of the parent group, The Community Services Corporation. One of their two daughters, **Kimberlee DeSamper Goldsmith '78** received her M.D. from Eastern Virginia Medical College, and is a practicing physician OB/GYN in Westchester County, NY. Their other daughter, Stephanie, is a graduate of the University of South Carolina and lives near Greenville, SC.

Good news concerning two other classmates whom we enjoy following: At ceremonies last spring, **Mark H. McCormack** was awarded an honorary doctorate of humane letters at Commencement by Margaret Thatcher, chancellor of William and Mary. Mark is founder, chairman and chief executive officer of IMG, the world's largest sports management and marketing agency.

Media General and the *Richmond Times Dispatch* have given \$30,000 to an endowment at the College to honor **Edward Grimsley**, retired chairman of the newspaper's editorial board. We applaud these very fine honors.

At Thomas Jefferson's 50th reunion in Richmond with me this fall were **Martha Wood Kongshaug** of New York, **Dot Franklin Eckles**, **Betty Swecker Abbott**, **Shirley Spain Smith** all from Virginia as well as **Henry Moughamian '52** who arrived from Mt. Pleasant, Ill. We were quite elated to find that most of us could still jitterbug.

One final interesting change in the college. The balance of female to male students is now 60-40. I feel that we women of the 50's can be of service to these new alumnae by sharing our career and retirement experiences and offering encouragement to them through the *Gazette*. I have received positive feedback from readers, many of whom did not attend college at the same time, who say they enjoy reading about you even though they have never met you! I would like to hear from more women; but I would also like to hear from all of you who haven't written lately. The editors and reporters hope you like the new *Gazette* format and find it colorful and reader-friendly.

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1953

By the time you read this, Homecoming will have come and gone. I still would welcome news of our "There's no Place like Home" Homecoming. It's not too late to write; those of us who were unable to attend would enjoy reading about your good times and of the long awaited dedication of our new Alumni Center. The front foyer is being named for **Jim Kelly '51**; more about Jim later.

Tina Bass Menzel, **Emmy Ketterson Smith** and **Beth Forester Hansen** had such a fantastic time together at our 40th Reunion that they decided to travel together touring Copenhagen and Norway, Beth's home, allowing almost three weeks to enjoy a myriad of activities and unforgettable experiences. Tina's 11 page letter tells "all"; I shall attempt to capture some of her fascinating details and share them with you.

Tina's choice of one pair of shoes, black Reeboks, was her wisest decision, since they walked forever! She quickly realized that clothes for all seasons were needed. The journey began with Beth, having taken the overnight boat from Oslo, meeting the other two at the Savoy Hotel on Vesterbrogard in Copenhagen. First stop was the famed Tivoli Gardens crowded with many restaurants and areas for free concerts and readings, marionette performances, and attractions for children. There are 65 museums in Copenhagen; the girls were able to visit over 20 indicating perhaps strong legs or pure determination. Next they took the train system to the medieval town of Helsingor where Kronberg Castle, immortalized in Shakespeare's *Hamlet*, is located. Stops were made at national WWII Resistance Museums in both countries and at the Telemark region of southern Norway in the town of Rjukan, which in 1911 contained the world's largest water production plant. An overnight stopping place was in the Telemark region at Beth's second daughter's home, a charming Norwegian farmhouse being restored by its owners. The Menzel family had brought some of



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their Biedermeier furniture with them when they came from Czechoslovakia in 1939. The best of Danish shopping was discovered at Stroget - expensive but fun to browse. Beth's home in Oslo was a welcome retreat where they loved outdoor dining on her patio and much needed relaxing in her comfortable, charming home. Emmy and Tina helped Beth harvest currants from her bushes for making jam and freezing and discovered how wonderful cherry juice from her cherry trees could be. After everyone had returned to the states, the Hansen crop provided 300 pounds of cherries! All set off another day in Beth's Saabmobile for Bergen. On the way they spent a night at a campground where the resident pet reindeer wandered into their primitive cabin. Welcome the unexpected! The last day in Norway was spent in a charming seaside resort town along the Oslofjord where the weary travelers enjoyed quaint streets, window shopping and lunching. Among all the days of touring, much salmon, shrimp and draft Carlsberg, the national beer, was "sampled"! My apologies to Tina, Beth and Emmy for any misspelled words.

Bob and Maxine '55 Mahaffy have a home in Newport News, Va., but since September have set up residence in Sofia, Bulgaria, where Bob is associated with the Sofia Bible Institute. Both taught English in Mainland China universities for two years and now have returned to full-time Christian ministry. In addition to speaking and teaching, he and Maxine are conducting Marriage and Family Seminars. Next year both will be ministering in the Czech Republic, Albania, Macedonia, Minsk (Belarus), Kiev (Ukraine), Latvia and Moscow. Bob also plans to visit ancient Bible sites in Turkey and northern Greece. The Mahaffys hope to be in Athens and Corinth during the holiday season. While back in the states they saw their 10th grandchild and in January will become great-grandparents!

Harriet Willimon Cabell's sad letter arrived telling of the death of her beloved husband, Ben. There have been tragedies in their lives, but reading about the goodness and caring ways of Ben somehow make one feel the rewards of his dedication to living. His service was officiated by the Rev. William Morgan and Dr. William (Will) Willimon, Harriet's brother. Ben was a retired loan officer at Am-South Bank and was active in the Tuscaloosa Exchange Club, Bank Investment Club, and the Tuscaloosa High School Group of 1942-44, a volunteer for Meals on Wheels, and held varied offices in First United Methodist Church. He had attended Lafayette College and the University of Alabama. Harriet (Harry) continues her consulting several times a month and visits her three chil-



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dren and two grandchildren. Our thoughts reach out to her.

Bev Simonton Kelly included an article from Williamsburg's newspaper, *The Daily Press*, entitled *Williamsburg Life*. It tells of the thriving success of the two-year-old Bruton Parish Book and Gift Shop, which came to be because of Bev's dedicated efforts. She now acts as chairman of its founding committee. \$70,000 has been given during the first half of this year; the yearly goal is \$100,000. All profits are given to the Bruton Parish Church Outreach Ministries including Meals on Wheels, FISH, Avalon women's shelter, Olde Towne Medical Center and Big Brothers- Big Sisters. The shop also helps fund an international project, the Moscow Soup Kitchen, and state and national projects. I loved seeing the colored picture of Bev in the newspaper! In September the Kellys were off to Spain for a 10-day visit with daughter B and her Navy husband, Tom, stationed at Rota near Cadiz. Congratulations to **Jim '51** upon receiving the prestigious Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award at Commencement. As assistant to President Sullivan and secretary to the College Board of Visitors, it is an understatement to say that he is invaluable as promoter of political and financial support to the College. He works quietly behind the scenes at the College and in the community so that we as alumni may enjoy the rewards. The *May Virginia Gazette* carried an informative article about Jim.

Bill Farley's postcard came from Colchester, Vt., which means he acted in *Funny Money* and Agatha Christie's *The Patient* at St. Michaels College.

I was unable to attend the first Alumni Leadership Assembly held at the College this fall but would be happy to receive any input you might wish to pass on concerning the *Alumni Gazette* Class Notes. What do you think of the new format as shown in the August issue? Jay and I are visiting our son Jack and his wife in Raymond, Maine. I even brought along my portable typewriter (I'm one of the few who is not into computers) in order to meet our deadline! PLEASE WRITE.

— Barbara Jo Mott Woolston
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1955

Hey there Classmates!

I was fortunate enough to be invited to and attend the Alumni Leadership Assembly September 5-6 which sought to bring together alumni leaders from the College's distinctive constituencies. As a class reporter I attended scheduled events from 9:00 A.M. through the closing event at our new Alumni Center both

College Clips

Illuminating The Grand Illumination

Although we may think of the Grand Illumination celebration in Colonial Williamsburg as centuries old — it isn't. But William and Mary President John Stewart Bryan had a hand in the development of what today is considered one of the most beautiful of holiday traditions.

There was no official Christmas decorating of any sort in 1934, the first year Colonial Williamsburg's historic area was opened to the public. No one expected visitors during the holiday season. A few days before Christmas, almost as an afterthought, someone selected ten evergreens growing in the historic area and decorated them with strings of colored lights.

Underwhelmed by the effort, Colonial Williamsburg President Kenneth Chorley suggested that the colored lights be replaced the following year by a revival of authentic colonial customs. He directed the Research Department to study Christmas celebrations during colonial times and make recommendations. The research department discovered very little.



President John Stewart Bryan (right), decked out in colonial attire, at the 1939 Christmas party in old Phi Beta Kappa Memorial Hall. Bryan unknowingly helped make Grand Illumination the success it is today. (Photo courtesy of the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Excerpted from Hark Upon The Gale.)

Diaries and letters from the colonial period made almost no mention of celebrating Christmas in Virginia. Typical is one of George Washington's Christmas day diary entries in which he notes laconically, "Went to Pohick church and returned to dinner."

Christmas Day in colonial times typically involved a visit to church if one were near and plenty of food and spirits. Servants and slaves customarily received a small coin and a few days off;

tutors gave students a break from their studies. For the gentry the days preceding and following December 25 were the focus of a winter social season sprinkled with fox hunts, games, weddings, music and dancing, and feasting and drinking. Common folk participated in such entertainments on a more modest scale or not at all. Guns were often fired into the air on Christmas Day or New Year's, but Santa Claus, presents, Christmas trees, nativity scenes, caroling, the "Nutcracker" and decorations were as yet unknown.

So Chorley hit on a modified version of the "illuminations" that occurred during colonial times when a single candle would be placed in each window to commemorate a royal milestone or important battle. The town's entire population (408 houses) was encouraged through an announcement in the *Virginia Gazette* to participate.

The response was tepid. Candles in every window needed to be replaced daily — no insignificant expense during the depths of the Depression — and it was necessary to stay home while they burned. Most townspeople politely ignored the request and did whatever it was they had always done to decorate their homes for the holidays.

So did President Bryan, a devotee of colored lights. Each year he decked the

halls of the Wren Building with glowing red electric candles and strung the boxwood out front with colored bulbs.

President Bryan had been "tactfully told about the Restoration's plan for authentic decorations" for several years to no avail. It was not until 1940 that he graciously acceded to the Restoration's request to join a coordinated Christmas effort — but not before getting in the last word on the matter of authenticity.

"The College of William and Mary will be happy to cooperate with you and the colored lights will be removed," he wrote. "However, I would like to call your attention to the fact that I think red electric lights look better than white ones. Also, I do not think that there is any record or evidence of Christmas illumination in Colonial times. . . It is very interesting to have things historically correct but if Williamsburg is to have a real Colonial Christmas we had better buy some Arrack Punch, cut out Church services, and go to it in a historical way."

Historically accurate or not, the idea of white lights in the windows at Christmas time appealed to most people and the custom spread across the country, defining for many the essence of a "Williamsburg Christmas."

— Mary Theobald '74

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days. This was the first time in the history of the College that the Society of the Alumni staff and administrators, College staff and administrators and Alumni leaders have gathered together on the campus at the same time. Alumni leaders represented 14 different groups. I must say that it was one of the most rewarding experiences I have experienced in my William and Mary years. Remarks by President Sullivan and other administrators on the "Blueprint for the 21st Century," "The Changing Face of William and Mary," and "We Stay in Touch So You Can Be in Touch," were just a few of the many subjects offered. I could go on forever complimenting the hard work of all involved and the potential broad successes of the Assemblies of the future, time permitting, which it isn't, however I must tell you how much I enjoyed our Class Reporter conference. From the wise comments of Mary Land Gill '28 through the input of the rest of us later reporters I left with a feeling that all profited from the input of others and the outlooks of the group.

Dick and I were unable to attend Homecoming this fall as we were in Egypt for our fifth trip. When I asked **Fred Malvin** to please check the Alumni Board at the Center to see how many of you checked in, he commented that soon I would be lecturing on the subject! **Fred** found **Bernie** and **Darrell High Wittkamp**, **Terry** and **Barbara Higbee Slaughter**, **Larry** and **Lavinia Phillips**, **Linwood** and **Shelly Cox**, **Bob** and **Cynthia Kimbrough Barlowe**, **Don** and **Cissey Spivey's** names and reported that he had heard from **Joe Campagna** and **Julie** who were unable to attend Homecoming as they were traveling in Italy and Sicily (trying to find their ancestors). **Fred** and **Marge** had a big traveling year... Grand Cayman in May; on an Alaskan Cruise (Seabourne Legend) in July and to China in September. Both **Fred** and **Marge** work full time (at least when they aren't traveling!). I also heard from **Elsa Stromberg Bandi** that she and **Fred** were planning to be in Williamsburg for Homecoming weekend and were looking forward to a glorious weekend. A postal from **Bunny Scheie Belford** said that **Joan Mattson** took a four day cruise to nowhere this summer....out to sea for four days with no stops. **Mary Lou Riggan Baird**, **Marcia Sefrin Wennberg** and **Bunny** met in Richmond for lunch this past March.

I'll close by wishing all '55ers a healthy, happy new year and hope you honor my wish for the new year....letters from you! (P.S. Thank you **Fred Malvin** for being assistant class reporter!)

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1957

By any standard, the 40th reunion of the class of 1957 was a success! The "There's No Place Like Home" theme seemed to resonate with everyone.

The weather threatened the outdoor festivities, but the skies cleared Saturday morning. The weather for the picture-taking, the dedication of the newly renovated Alumni House, luncheon on the lawn, the football game, and the tailgate party after the game was perfect. The results of the football game with Villanova were not so perfect. The Tribe led at halftime, but a late 4th quarter drive to overtake Villanova fell short.

I had a good response from my request for news from the '57 class members.

Dick Calvert and his wife, **Hilda**, came from Seattle. I had not seen **Dick** for 40 years but I recognized him immediately. It was good to see him and to meet **Hilda**.

Dick Shively and wife, **Barbara Saunders '58**, who live in Northridge, California (near LA) were also in attendance. They have three (3) sons and are active in a ministry initiated by one of their sons.

I saw **Phil Colclough** briefly. In a letter to me this week he explained that he is not retired but is enjoying a more leisurely pace after selling the insurance company he owned for 30 years. He and his wife, **Marilyn**, are avid golfers, and they spend a month or two in Florida each winter. They have four happily married children and 7 grandchildren.

Gail Bowen Jordan was another of the West Coasters who returned for our 40th. She writes that she and her husband, **Mike '55**, lived in Hawaii for 20 years and the last 10 in Coronado, California. She retired from the police department in Coronado. She and **Mike** have three children and nine grandchildren. **Gail** sends a special thanks to roomie, **Mickey Curro**, for urging her to come. She had a great time and invites classmates to look them up when they are in the San Diego area.



Kappel



Speaking of **Mary "Mickey" Curro**, she sends her love to all and writes that it was an absolute joy to see so many classmates. Her door is always open to everyone (757-393-7999). **Mickey** is a holistic practitioner, specializing in renewal through hypnotherapy and humor, working both privately and with the Renaissance Center in Portsmouth, Va. They do both personal and business workshops and seminars. Most interesting! Say hello to **Marshall** for me, **Mickey**.

Mary Talmage Kaylor and husband, **Jack**, enjoy retired life, he from NASA in '86 and she from teaching in '94. Their youngest graduated from W&M in '92; who was celebrating his 5-year reunion. They have two other sons and live in Hayes, Va.

Lavinia Pretz Phillips, who lives in Orange, Va., advanced the "There's No Place Like Home" theme of our 40th by singing meaningful and memorable lyrics she composed to the tune of "Bless This House" at the class banquet. She still has that beautiful voice! **Lavinia** sent me a copy of the lyrics. For those who would like a copy of them, I will be happy to mail them to you if you write me a note (a little more incentive here). Thanks, **Lavinia**.

The Reverend **Don Harris's** invocation before the banquet was particularly meaningful, also. I asked **Don** for an update on his life, but have not heard from him yet.

Wayne Adams, class president, gave his greetings to begin the program after the banquet.

Ed Schefer was the master of ceremonies for the program. He and wife, **Fay Smith '56**, are planning to move to Naples, Fla. **Ed** has retired for the second time. He says that he retired six years ago, but that time it did not take. This time he is ready.

Jack Yohe '58 was acclaimed the male class member who has changed the least in 40 years! He retired from teaching in '93 but continued coaching football through the '96 season. He was inducted into the Pennsylvania Scholastic Football Coaches Hall of Fame in '95. **Jack** bemoaned the fact that everyone seems to remember him for his injured thumb. I must admit it was one of the things that stuck in my mind over the past 40 years.

In my opinion, **Fritz Trinler**, who traveled the furthest to come to our reunion, (he lives in Costa Rica), tied with **Jack Yohe** for the male class member who had changed the least. **Fritz** has a "wonderful wife, **Carmen**", of 37 years, two children, both in Costa Rica, and two grandchildren. He is doing OK business wise and welcomes all classmates to phone him. He adds that he loves fishing and boating. **Fritz's** phone number is 506-290-0050. His E-mail is: trisan@sol.racsa.co.cr and his web-site is: www.trisan.com.

June Rickard Aldridge, AKA **June Bug**, lives in Newton Square, Pa., and is enjoying "fabulous" Elder Hostel trips - cross-country skiing in Quebec and Ontario and international trips to Burgundy, France, for a food and wine tour, and to Turkey for a study-cruise. She is setting up the church library at St. Francis-in-the-Fields Episcopal church, and heads the Tri Delt alumnae chapter poinsettia sale to raise funds for children's cancer research at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. She also enjoys reading, party-giving, and attending concerts and theater. Both daughters are presently in Sacramento. Whew! Someone should decaffineate this gal!

Incidentally, **June** and **Mickey Curro** tied for the class members who had been married the most times - three. I think my information on that is correct.

Mary Jo Milam Rink was acclaimed the female class member who had changed the least. She has my vote.

One class member had a record fourth children to graduate from the College. Who was it? Someone, write to let me know who.

Ron Clark is retired from the insurance business and keeps busy playing golf. He lives in Fairfax Station, Va.

John Bain "Bananas" retired a little over a year ago after more than 36 years of employment. He is spending time between New Jersey and Cape Cod.

Harriet Rippel Doub, who lives in Virginia Beach, writes "what a great time we had at homecoming!" **Harriet** and her husband sat with **Sue Journee Lunsford**, **Anne Price Hannegan**, **Boo Luck Bane**, **Jo Ann Abbott Gordon**, and their spouses at the class banquet. Also, **Nancy Ramsay Thompson**. "Those who stayed home missed a good time!"

Speaking of **Nancy Ramsay Thompson**, a note from the Alumni Office advises

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us that after many years in Canada, she is spending part of her time in the States - in California. The best of two worlds (her words). In addition to consulting she is traveling, and is active in museum work, as well as seeing family and friends. Nancy has five children.

Gil Granger, mayor of Williamsburg, has five grandchildren, all living in Williamsburg. Gil and wife, **Connie Hill '59**, had an open house Thursday evening for the class of '57. There were about 60 present for that event, according to Gil. I regret that I was unable to attend.

I enjoyed seeing **Graham Palmer '56**, who traveled from San Antonio to be with us. Graham was one of the Korean War Vets to return to finish their education at W & M. In one sense, Graham was a member of the class of '57. A back injury ended his career as an orthopedic surgeon. He says he has become an archeologist, and has enjoyed digging in South America and the Middle East. Archeologists are more than pleased to have an orthopedic surgeon in their midst. Graham has two children; a daughter and a son.

I had a brief conversation with **Walt Brodie**. I asked him if he had finished the book that he said he was going to write. He said that he had finished it and was trying to get it titled and published. I then introduced myself to his lady companion. Walt apologized and said, "social graces ain't my bag." I suggested that would make a good title for his book. Walt laughed and agreed that it might. He is another candidate for the classmate who has changed the least.

It was good to see **John Ottaway**. John has retired from his law firm and spends the winter months in Florida and summer months in Michigan. His four children are grown, married, and live in the Detroit area.

I spoke with **Carolyn Norfleet Rumage** Sunday morning at the continental breakfast in the new addition to the Alumni House. Carolyn is a retired teacher, now living in Williamsburg. She has written a book about the years that she and her husband were step-parents to her nephew who was the product of a difficult home situation. At the time she and her husband had two teenage daughters. She invites classmates and others to drop her a line or call her if they would like to share experiences regarding step-parenting.

While I was at the breakfast Sunday morning, I recognized the son of my good friends, the Fronczaks, in Fairfax, Va. **reg Fronczak '80, MBA '82**, and his wife were celebrating Greg's 15th reunion. Greg's wife was seeing the W&M campus for the first time. They reside in Florida.

The Alumni Office sent me some information on classmates who were not present for our 40th. **Bill Wingate** is retired from United Airlines, Inc., and is teaching at Lorain Community College in Ohio. He says he is "still active but his days of traveling are slowing, but not stopped". He wished he could have attended our 40th, but had a previous commitment.

Scott Kitt Payne wrote in a note to the Alumni Office that she and husband, Bill, after 40 years of marriage and 26 years of living in Houston, are moving to a small town in Texas hill country called New Braunfels. They built a new home and are "sitting on our back porch looking at the river."

John Bair (Jock) writes that the more things change, the more they remain the same. He and his wife, Jeanne, moved to Dallas in '64, and raised three children. The nest is once again empty and retirement is a couple of years away. In the meantime, there will be plenty of golf, hunting and fishing.

Elizabeth Shell Allen lives in Chula Vista, Calif. She writes that she may be the only member of our class to belong to a religious community. She is a member of the Secular Franciscan Order, the third order established by St. Francis of Assisi. She serves as the vice minister of Immaculate Conception Fraternity of the Order.

Ben Field was present at the 40th. I did not get a chance to talk to him, but from the Alumni Office I learned that he and his wife, Maureen, are coasting, a step before retiring from his work as a real estate broker. They spend the spring

and fall in North Carolina, and the summer and Winter in New Jersey.

Dr. Diane Oakerson Fleming (Di) was also at the 40th and very much involved in the planning and activities associated with the Class of '57 float. Di still enjoys her consulting work. She has the flexibility she needs to travel and to visit her grandchild. She is planning to return to Williamsburg to live. She currently lives in Bowie, Md., halfway between Washington, D.C. and Annapolis.

Pat Moyer Allred reminded me when we first met, at the Wesley Foundation. Yes, Pat, I remember. At the Methodist Church that used to be on the corner of Richmond Road and Duke of Gloucester Street. Please send me an update on you and your activities.

Paul Georg Gutermuth of Germany didn't make the 40th reunion, but wrote to the Alumni Society and gave an update on his life. He received a doctorate in Anglo-American law and joined the Federal Ministry of Economics in 1966. In 1993, he was elected to a membership of the United Nations Committee on New and Renewable Sources of Energy and Energy for Development. He returned to W&M in 1996, and delivered a speech on, "Renewable Energies for a Sustainable Energy Economy."

I spoke with **Carol Simmerman Luter** and husband, **Tom**. Carol is retired from her high school teaching career. She and Tom are enjoying the good life in Florida. Good seeing you both.

I said hello to **Junior Duff** and his wife. They have four children and how many grandchildren, Junior? More than enough for a football team, if I recall.

It was good to see **Lynn Llewellyn** and **Larry Babcock**. I remember Lynn saying he was living in Rockville, Md. We could use more information on you both.

Terry Slaughter is an oral surgeon in California.

I spoke briefly with **Dick Bell**, who lives in Flourtown, Pa. He is still working with the seed company, and enjoys it. I did not get to see his wife, Elaine. Let's get together, soon, you guys.

Conspicuous by their absence were: **Alice Weir Flemer '58** and husband, **Dave, Bob Anchell, Spider Levy, and Ron Masnik**. I remember you guys saying you would be at W&M for our 40th five years ago. Or did I dream it? I don't think so.

I received a touching letter from **Sally Darner Nicholas** this past week. She was speaking to those who were not there, and those who, perhaps have never returned for a reunion. It seems that Sally came, despite reservations that she would not feel welcomed, that she would not recognize people, or she would be recognized, or whatever. In addition, she lost her husband this past summer after a long illness. But, she found classmates who were in the same boat and felt welcomed. Sally said she was glad she came, and encourages others to take the plunge and plan to attend the next reunion. It will most likely turn out to be a pleasant experience. Many of us have expressed the fact that our college days were some of the happiest of our lives. Those days were relatively carefree, all things considered, and lasting friendships were formed. These sentiments Sally expressed in her letter, and I agree.

I look forward to hearing from you.

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My e-mail address published in the *Gazette* last Spring brought four responses, two of which were not from the class of '59 - although I was delighted to hear from them.

From Jacksonville, Fla., **Dan Livermore** sent the following: "As one who married an Englishwoman in 1996, imagine my surprise to find an English address for our class agent! My wife lived in south London and was a chartered accountant in Swanley when we met. Unfortunately, I haven't been able to find a way to return to England since I married Janet last August. I think I miss it nearly as much as she does ... She at least has the excitement of discovering the USA. So far, I've taken her to the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta, Athens (soccer, of course) and Miami (more soccer) and to the Florida Keys and New Orleans." Dan and Janet have a goal to visit New Zealand - preferably during the next America's Cup.

I also received the following from **Carol Blum Anderson**, now living in York, Pa., who wrote "I was a member of the entering class of 1958 and the leaving class of 1959. My roommate and I both entered and left in this, for those times especially, odd manner because we spent a year in the middle at University College, London. In those days one did not get credit especially if one went off without official blessing ... My daughter, Meg, newly graduated from Wooster, and I are coming through England this fall en route to visiting the Swedish family with whom she stayed 6 years ago as an exchange student. (Meg is the fourth of our children and the last to graduate from various schools, hence my infrequent trips abroad.)"

I received the following two responses from the class of '58 but thought I'd include them anyway:

College Clips New Name, Same Mission

Last spring, the executive committee of the Athletic Educational Foundation decided to promote support for William and Mary Athletics under a new name ... the Tribe Club. Formerly referred to as the AEF, the Tribe Club is still the organization that raises funds to pay for student-athlete scholarships. The Tribe Club Board wants all alumni to share a feeling of camaraderie with Tribe Athletics, and to encourage those not involved to join the club.

"We have fun supporting the best

student athletes in the country, and we want other people to get involved," said Connie Desaulniers '75, chair of the Tribe Club and secretary to the Society of the Alumni's Board of Directors. "Our main goal is to support W&M scholarships, but to also have fun doing it."

Keep an eye out for joint Tribe Club and Alumni Society events as the Tribe travels to your region.

Remember, the Tribe Club is the AEF. It's not a new organization, just a new name. Gifts still support the outstanding student-athletes at the College. Join the Tribe Club today, and encourage a friend to do the same. For more information call 757/221-3350.

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Bob Doughtie '58 e-mailed from Colorado where he and **Martha Cawley '61** are now living. Bob retired from the Air Force several years ago having served for many years and in many places around the world as an air force chaplain. Bob, I can't find your e-mail anywhere. If you want to share more up-to-date information about you and yours, send me another one.

Polyann Stadel Wrinkle '58 tested out her new e-mail connection from Richmond in August to tell me she and husband Davis would be staying with friends in Sussex following a week's tour of Ireland. Try as we would, we couldn't mesh schedules and meet - Would have loved to do just that as I haven't seen her since 1959! We'll have to try again.

Someone else contacted me in the good old-fashioned way by putting pen to paper and I had the surprise of my life to hear from **Carole Kennon** after a lapse of 39 years. Carole went off to Sweden for her junior year in the fall of 1957, then decided to finish up at a university closer to her home in Ohio. She now lives on Capitol Hill in Washington and has a private psychotherapy practice. She's been a licensed clinical social worker for about 30 years. Wonderful to make contact with you, Carole. I know your Theta friends from '59 will also be glad to know where to find you at last.

The Alumni Society has passed on the following information about fellow '59ers:

Richmond-based artist, **Emma Lou Martin**, was selected as this year's judge for Hanover Art Fest '97. She has been active on the Richmond Art Scene, serving as President of the Metropolitan Artists Association and helping to found the Uptown Gallery where she was Director for three years.

Paul Wiedenmann, who lives in Mission Viejo, Calif., has been re-elected to the Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod Foundation's Board of Trustees. The Foundation manages funds to produce income for the support of ministries in the U.S. and throughout the world. Paul is chief financial officer for Harte-Hanks Shoppers in Brea, Calif. He is a certified public accountant and followed his degree from William and Mary with an MBA from Stanford.

I'm getting ready for my next U.S. trip in early December - New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Detroit. I'll try to touch base with some of you en route. I expect an avalanche of news for the next Class Notes - no excuses. You know where to find me so let's hear it for and from the Class of '59!

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1961

Dear friends,

This has been an exciting Fall for William and Mary and William and Mary Alumni. In September, the College held a leadership forum on campus and as class reporter, I was invited to attend. I wish you all could have been there - the campus was beautiful and the events exciting. It recharged those in attendance and renewed an incredible pride in our university. After hearing all the wonderful things the College has accomplished and notoriety achieved, most of us agreed we'd have a tough time getting admitted today!!

Then, Homecoming. **Joe** and I attended in this off reunion year to be part of the Alumni House dedication and celebration. The house is beautiful and we were very proud to have our classmates, **Bobbie Berkeley** and **Jim Ukrop '60** responsible for its success. Be sure to visit the campus soon and see for yourself.

We attended the Homecoming Ball for the first time. Great band and good friends. We spent the evening with **Ron Monark '61** and his wife Deb, and **Pat King Sell '58** from the San Diego area.

I received a nice note from **Sally Branham Chestek**. Another classmate has moved to Williamsburg and is building a home at Ford's Colony. She's working at the Craft House at the Williamsburg Inn, has two married daughters, a son who is a senior at Penn State and a daughter who is a W&M 1990 graduate. If you get to Williamsburg, call her: 258-9590.

Another nice note from **Ed Perkins** who will be serving as a Fulbright Distinguished Lecturer in American History at Moscow State University. He's teaching a course on U.S. economic and business history. After returning to the U.S., he will be retiring from USC and relocating in Maryland. Look for his book, *Wall Street to Main Street: Charles Merrill and Middle Class Investors*, to be published this fall. After I heard from **Fred Clayton**, I enjoyed a wonderful conversa-



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tion with him. After enjoying many years of good health after by-pass surgery, he again had to undergo surgery to repair another closed artery. Again his W&M Sigma Nu friends rallied around and called many times at the hospital to keep his spirits up. Now isn't that just like our William and Mary classmates? I plan to see Fred in San Diego in June - anyone in that area let me know.

News from **Jerry File** that he was honored last May by the Alexandria Sportman's Club for distinguished service to the Alexandria Community. Noteworthy were his 12 years of service to the Boys and Girls Club of greater Washington as President of the Alexandria Club and Director of the Boys and Girls Club Foundation. Jerry is currently vice president and retirement plan consultant with Legg Mason Wood Walker Inc. in Washington, D.C., where he was recently cited by *Washingtonian Magazine* as "an expert who can help put your financial house in order."

From **Alan R. Weaver, Sr.**: he is writing a book which is a collection of good memories, upsetting memories, and just plain memories which have special meaning. Let us know, Alan, when you get published!!

Oh yes - the computer - a voice from the past - **Tom Buntin '62**. He is living in San Jose, Calif., and has just retired from GTE Government Systems Corp. as the public relations manager. He is now starting another career as marketing manager for a small printing firm.

It was good to see that some of you remember how to write! I was getting concerned. I'm sure more of you also remember - let's hear from you.

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1963

Jerry Van Voorhis has been named vice president of development at Shenandoah University in Winchester, Va. He and his wife, **Lockett '67**, now live in Northwest Virginia. The university has four schools, and Jerry will oversee fund raising for all of these operations. He plans to establish his own "think tank" and be a part of some private ventures of a futuristic bent. He also wants to serve on many technology boards and write, speak and consult.

As I am writing this, **Don '61**, is preparing to go to Williamsburg to present a seminar on leadership and conflict for the American Colleges of Hospital Executives. He is also writing another book. This one is on the new wave for elderly services.



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Let the good times roll!

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Jane Noland Williams writes that her husband, John, has retired from his position as professor of psychology at Wake Forest. He was the recipient of a Fulbright Fellowship, and she accompanied him to India for seven months. While he taught at the University of Allahabad and at Uktal University in Bhubaneswar, Jane worked as a consultant at the State Institute of Educational Management and Training. She was working on a research project on underachievement and wrote a monograph about school psychology. They had the opportunity to travel to many places in India.

David M. Maytnier has spent the last 23 years as a trader on the floor of the Chicago Board Options Exchange. While he still owns a seat on the exchange, he recently disengaged from active day-to-day trading and has moved with his new family to Raleigh, N.C. David and his wife, Karen, honeymooned in South Italy and Sardinia. Now within traveling distance of Williamsburg, David hopes to take an active part in William and Mary activities.

Robert Andrialis was honored last year with the Alumni Medallion, the highest



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honor the Society of the Alumni can give a graduate. Bob is a principal with Berwick Capital Management, Inc.

Marty Boyd Gresham is still working for NationsBank. Her husband Steve's job requires that he commute between North Carolina, New York and Europe. Their daughter and her family have moved to Nashville, and Marty delights in her grandson, Davis, being closer.

Jinny Blount Fluet and Joe live in East Wakefield, N.H. Jinny is loving retirement, though she does volunteer work at church in addition to walking, bridge and painting. Joe is restoring an old wooden Chris Craft.

Glenda Hudgins Anthony is teaching French part-time and supervising student teachers in foreign language at Kent State. She will soon finish her master's degree in specific learning disabilities at Kent State. **Jay** is working as an independent representative of Great Western Business of Dallas, Texas, which may allow them to relocate to a warmer climate. They currently live in Hudson, Ohio. As a graduation present for both of their children, the whole family went to New Mexico and Arizona, including Sedona and the Grand Canyon. Justin is an Ohio State University graduate, and Alexis attends Miami of Ohio.

Telluride, Colo., is home for **Joe Anne Erickson** and her husband, David. They have run the Ace Hardware store in Telluride for 17 years. Joe Anne is doing management consulting for the Telluride Film Festival. Joe Anne made a 520-mile bike ride from the Grand Canyon to Nogales, Ariz., during a record heat wave.

Barbara Wampler Melby is full-time director of adult education St. Simon in Los Alto, Calif. **Tom** is still involved in commercial real estate, and they celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary this year.

Sally Wells Quigley and David in Harwich Port, Mass. Sally plays tennis while David plays golf in the stock market. They spent three weeks in Colorado selling their summer home.

Bonnie Chesire Greenwalt still does a puppet show one day a week for the Reynolds Homestead, and gets in regular tennis and golf. As one of few area mothers not employed full time, she finds she is a permanent volunteer for many school functions. Bonnie and Frank live in Stuart, Va., with their son Daniel, a high school junior.

Bonnie Edwards Gordon is doing lots of tutoring and helping Roger photograph children and families. They live with their two children, Josh and Sarah, in Stuart, Fla.

Patsy Canady Buchanan still works at Newport News Ship Building as an information systems specialist. Patsy and Donald enjoy trips to Nags Head and Las Vegas.

Melinda Duke Ball is director of STAIR, Inc., a non-profit organization that provides tutoring to disadvantaged second-graders in reading. She and Stuart live in New Orleans. They vacationed in the Outer Banks in August. Their son, Stephen, works in Raleigh, N.C., and their daughter, Jennie, completed her master's degree in education from LSU.

Val Janz Forster sends news from Panama City, Fla., where they moved last year from Alabama. Her husband, Ron, owns six independent grocery stores in Florida, Alabama and Georgia.

Jean Freeman Reed has become General Counsel for the Medical College of Virginia, which became a separate entity from Virginia Commonwealth University on July 1, 1997. Her daughter, Molly, works in Miami and her son, Mason, is working for a public relations firm in D.C.

Judy Pollard Harned teaches gifted fourth-graders and Dave still works in human resources for the Carpenter Company in Richmond, Va. Judy enjoyed a two-week class in marine biology on the Chesapeake Bay; it included canoeing on salt marshes and visits to the Rappahannock River and Port Isabel near Tangier Island.

Barbara Rielly Scott lives in Cincinnati, where she works for a bank. **Peggy Peacock Bartos** lives in Sterling Heights, Mich., where she has been busy with work, school and single parenthood. She has obtained degrees in both business and geology. **Lavaille Robinson** is retired from the department of defense and lives in Arlington, Va.

Congratulations to **Joe Ellis!** Not only did he receive the Alumni Medallion this fall, but his book, *American Sphinx: The Character of Thomas Jefferson*, won the National Book Award for History.

Jeanne English Bedell provided much of the above information from the Tri-Delt newsletter. Jeanne and Dave make their home in Atlanta, Ga. They made a lovely trip to Italy last fall, and were in Pompeii on their 20th wedding anniversary. Jeanne is a clinical social worker in private practice, and shares an office with her husband, who is a psychiatrist.

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The Two-Faced Gene

Patty Zwollo didn't realize the full significance of her discovery until she started getting the phone calls. Cancer researchers from all over the country wanted reprints of her paper that had appeared in *The Journal of Biological Chemistry* detailing her discovery about an unusual gene called Pax-5.

"Pax-5 has been connected to certain types of lymphoma," says Zwollo, an assistant professor of biology. "Now these scientists are thinking it may also be involved with other forms of cancer."

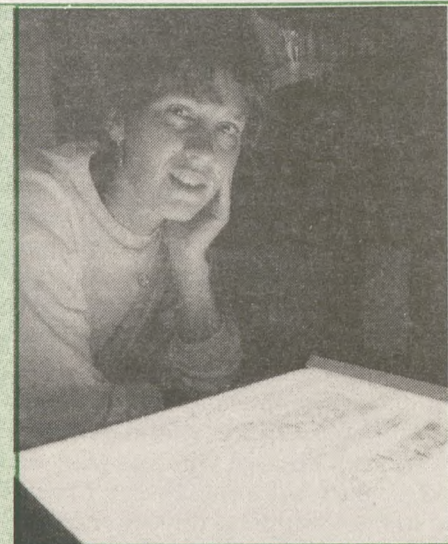
What sparked the researchers' interest in Zwollo's work was her finding that Pax-5, which plays a vital role in normal cell proliferation, produces at least four different proteins instead of only one as previously thought.

Nearly all processes essential to life are regulated by proteins that are formed and released as a result of gene activity. Sometimes, for often inexplicable reasons, genes will produce too much or too little of a particular protein, causing a range of effects — the most detrimental being the uncontrolled multiplying of cells. An abnormally functioning Pax-5 has already been connected to one form of cancer and may be involved in others.

First identified in sea urchins and thought to exist in all animals, Pax-5 is particularly instrumental during embryonic development. Scientists believe it plays a role in the formation of the immune system, but are uncertain of the mechanisms involved in this process.

This mystery has been compounded by Zwollo's discovery recently of the new proteins. While most genes produce only one protein with a distinct function, Pax-5 is among a group of genes that have a unique ability to produce multiple or "alternative-spliced forms" of proteins with many different functions. Scientists know that at least one of the Pax-5 proteins "activates" processes that allow cells to multiply. Oddly, studies also suggest that another of the Pax-5 proteins suppresses cell proliferation. This ambivalence fascinates researchers like Zwollo for its potential implications.

"We are only beginning to understand the relationship among these proteins and whether they act individually or together," explains Zwollo, who first became interested in Pax-5 while studying a related gene at Johns



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Hopkins University. "What we suspect is that if Pax-5 turns on at the wrong time and causes an imbalance in the protein levels, cells begin multiplying when they're not supposed to."

Zwollo hopes to begin shedding light on this conundrum over the next few months. She's finishing a \$250,000 grant from the National Science Foundation which funded her preliminary research and is hoping to secure additional support from NSF by the end of the year.

"My early research was focused on identifying the proteins and their structure," says Zwollo. "Now I want to look at their function."

To accomplish that, Zwollo is planning a series of experiments with transgenic mice whose Pax-5 gene has been altered to overproduce one of the proteins. "This will allow us to observe the effect of each of the proteins more directly and hopefully pin down their functions," she says.

Once the proteins' functions are better understood, Zwollo believes that it may be possible in the very long term to develop a "gene therapy" for cancers arising from a malfunctioning Pax-5. Zwollo has already enlisted several biology concentrators in her research, and plans to collaborate with geneticists at the Medical College of Virginia, the University of Virginia, and in her own department who have worked with genes similar to Pax-5.

Despite the significance of her early findings, Zwollo is circumspect about the potential applications of her research.

"There are so many variables involved in cancer that it's often impossible to single out any one as the source," she said. "We're a long way from determining how much of a role Pax-5 has in the growth of some cancers. But often times, some of the most basic research involving the disease starts in labs like mine."

— Poul E. Olson

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1967

I missed our 30th reunion and am sitting looking at some wonderful pictures **Betty Bishop Griffin** sent (taken by husband Gene '66 during our class photo gathering) ... amazed that more than 30 years have passed since we said goodbye and set off on the paths to the rest of our lives. I first looked at these faces forgetting the years between then and now...and seeing **Mary Nuernberger Mason**, **Nonie Turville** and **Ellen Campana Weaver**, I experienced one of those flash moments of fleeting sanity when the then and now are indistinguishable. These women look the same as I remember them then! For those of you reading this who unable to



be there, we missed a very special weekend, during which time the realization was discussed and acknowledged that our College years were a unique and indelible period of our lives. **Carol Jones Horner**, who I believe is still with the Wall Street Journal on Capitol Hill, and **Ann Yount**, an Episcopal priest, were on the colloquy panel that touched pretty profoundly on where we were then and how many of us have come to where we are now.

I wish I'd sent a tape recorder and had more time to gather news from those of you who were there, but the column deadline is too near, so although the mentions are brief, the opportunities to submit news for the next odd-year issue are limitless.

Nonie Turville (lives in Alaska) and **Ginnie Carbone Muller** were back for the first time. **Dickey Barron Sopchak's** son Barron is a senior at the College. **Bob** and **Chris Coggins Rowland** have two daughters who graduated from the College; one is now married and lives in California. **Janie McKay Marvin** still lives in Williamsburg and said the Chi O's had a great time at the dinner dance. **Bob Owen**, our class chairman for the reunion, tried to sell straw class hats to everyone. **Jeff Gaber** and his wife, Sharon, **Charlie** and **Anne McCandlish**, **Chuck Sievers** and his wife, **Anne '68**, and **Katie** and **Tron Brekke** rented a bed and breakfast right on Richmond Road and watched the parade from their front lawn. Jeff is a transportation consultant with Parsons Brinckerhoff, has a daughter who is a senior at the College and another daughter at the "other school" in Charlottesville. He and Sharon live in Chantilly.

Charlie and **Anne** live near Raleigh, N.C.; he is sales manager for North America and Europe for a Dupont product chemical line. **Chuck** is a judge in Prince William County. **Tron**, recently named national press spokesman for the FBI and interviewed on *Nightline* with Ted Koppel, lives in Annandale. He and **Katie** are expecting their first child. Others who were back but about whom I lack specifics: **Carol Harlow Rafter**, **Malcolm Crist** (somewhere in California at last report), **Ginny Goolsby James**, **Rod** and **Mary Beth Coleman**, **Bonnie Robertson Lent**, **Ken Phillips**, **Diane Stallings**, **Terry Thompson**, **Larry White**, **Nancy Dyson Shaw**, **Bob** and **Susan West**, **Dwaine Harrell**, **Jim '68** and **Joellen Bell**, **Charles Oliver** (also immediately recognizable!), **Ray Dodge**, **Mary-Alan Brown Beckley**, **Alan** and **Judy '66 Harrell**, **Dan Langdon**, **Bob Bradenham**, **Stu Spirn**, **Glad Bulwinkle** and **Russ Hatchl '66**, **John Spellman**, **Roger** and **Trish Atwell Hall**, **Joan Simpson Dainer**, **Mike '66** and **Julia Ann Dickinson Greenwood**, **Ken Williams**, **Margie Arnold**, **Marilyn Day Benedict**, **Linda Rains Ragsdale**, **Linda Lee Berryman**, **Ruth Eye Sours**, **Ann Winfree King**, **Suzanne Barksdale Rice**, **Peter Heyne**, **Kathy Hill Court**, **Louise Hudgins**, **Chris Scheid Sloane** and **Roy Chaney**.

I wish I had more to include, but that's up to you for the next issue. Please send me a line or two...just a little news from those of you who were overlooked above, who have never been mentioned in 30 years. One of the first pages turned to when a *Gazette* issue reaches our mailbox is the page with the 1967 column ... and without your input, there is no news, so please take some time this time!

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1969

Dear Friends:

What fun! Three e-mail "letters" since the last Gazette. I'll start with their news and give them jointly the "Old codgers technology award".

John Lowry writes from Charlottesville that the W&M alumni chapter there is very active and that he and his wife **Nancy '70** have enjoyed several of the recent events. Their son **Jim '89** is completing his residency in Emergency Medicine at U.Va. this year and they are looking forward to Homecoming '99 for our next big bash. I can tell from his e-mail address that John is with Wheat, First but no details.

Rick Sills wrote that he retired from the Army last year after 26 years, and then signed on at the Joint Warfighting Center at Ft. Monroe. He and his wife live in York County, have a son running cross-country at Radford and a tenth-grade daughter. They are looking forward to getting the kids through college so they can do some real sailing.

Karen Arnold McPherson wrote a nice long note to catch me up. **Tim** went to law school at U.Va., and has practiced in Northern Virginia since 1972. They live in Herndon and have a daughter who's a public defender in Fredricksburg and a son who's a junior at Brown University, where he's pre-med, sings bass in an a capella group, plays trumpet in the jazz band, and coaches Little League- whew! **Karen** earned a master's and Ph.D. in Political Science at Catholic University and teaches high school in Prince William County. **Tim** and **Karen** are starting a transition and planning to move back to Williamsburg. **Karen** is working on a graduate degree in early American history and hopes to teach or find some other suitable thing in the historic triangle. They are purchasing a house in the 'Burg. (If anyone has any career ideas for her, please get in touch. They would also like to talk to other classmates who have made the move "back".) I did not see them, but they were signed in for Homecoming last weekend.

Thanks to all of you for e-mailing. I feel positively modern and technical!

Janet Berglund and I had dinner in September while she was in town for a training program. She lives in Indianapolis where she works for the Dept. of Defense. She is chief of the Database Management Division of a computer group that works on computer security issues - at least that how I understand it. **JB** hasn't changed a bit over the years and we had a great time together!

Mary Chris Schmid Williams sent me the KD newsletter last May, but my two-a-year column schedule means that this is the first opportunity to pass along her news. Her husband has recovered from an illness last spring and moved to a new company as regional manager. She is still doing some projects for Coca Cola, but her main project has ended and she was looking for some new ones (last spring). She did a lot of remodeling and updating in their home this summer and enjoyed the break. Their daughter is in college this year and the boys are in the sixth- and eighth-grades, so **Mary Chris** is plenty busy with "soccer mom" type things to do, too. They took a family trip to London over spring vacation this year. Thanks for the newsletter, **Mary Chris**, it's a huge help!

Sally Barner Leslie is somewhere in the Americas. She and her family lived in seven homes over the past year and at least three countries. Her husband is in insurance and has had several assignments in Latin America this past year. They have lived in Uruguay and Brazil and learned both Spanish and Portuguese! She says life is good and they are thrilled with the opportunities they have had.

Nancy Beachley Newins is here in Richmond and head librarian at Randolph-Macon College. She's done a bit of traveling this year, too. **Judy Carhart Meminger** is a doctor in Harrisburg, Pa. She does a midday "Health Digest" on the local ABC affiliate TV station, and has a 13-year-old daughter to keep her busy.

DeNette Garber Steverson is also in Richmond with a son at JMU this fall. She and her husband had a nice cruise to Bermuda last fall. **Kathy Jordan** is busy in Radford with a thriving counseling practice and an adjunct teaching position at Radford University. Both daughters are at W&M - one in grad school, now - and **Kathy** and **Bill** have moved into a new home this summer. I believe I read that **Kathy** is on a community board of some sort, too.

Dorothy Kilgore Robertson is in Williamsburg, but with all her children away at college or working. Two went to JMU, one to Tech and one is in Southern California. She stays busy visiting the kids and working in the garden - a woman after my heart! **Carol Knight Mullen** is also here in Richmond, where she is taking a break after work by taking drawing classes at the museum. They are planning a family vacation in Colorado this year before the children start off to college.

Sue Miller Long and **Bruce** are in Poquoson, where he works for C.S.C. **Sue** has had some back problems, so she has not been as busy as she likes. But the girls are grown and doing fine.

Jackie Mitchell Harris and her husband **Al** are still in Boone, N.C., where they both teach at Appalachian State.. They spent much of the summer traveling to see their daughters and touring some of the great parks in the west - Yellowstone and Grand Teton, among others. **Al** made full professor this year. Their younger



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daughter has just taken a job with the State Department in D.C., so they are also looking forward to more traveling as she moves around. Sounds like fun to me! **Sandy Skeen Spengeman** and **Don** are in Franklin where she teaches Latin and English at the high school and he is an elementary principal. One son graduated from W&M this spring and the other one started this fall. Their girls are still in high school. They get to Williamsburg often.

Cindy Smith Powell is here in Richmond where she works for the IRS as the staff assistant to the division chief in the education area. She and her husband like to spend time at their beach house near Wilmington, NC.

Mary K. Thompson Pruiett moved back to NY with her boys last spring to take a new job with IBM. She will consolidate the financial plans, budgets and measurements of several divisions and advise on strategic direction. It sounds like a really great opportunity. Although the boys miss their friends in Raleigh, they are only an hour from Manhattan and anxious to learn all about the Big Apple! Sounds like a good year, Mary K.

Becky Vaughan Gillette is also in Franklin, where she and her husband Walker and Sandy Spengeman celebrated their birthdays together this spring. They are adding to their home - themselves - and hope to have the new space ready by Christmas. They've done a little travel this year for golf tournaments, but mostly enjoyed a year at home.

Nancy Verser Brumback has also spent the year moving - four times in 10 months. Her husband's firm provides the on-board navigation systems for rental cars, so he travels a lot. They have one daughter in college and one in high school. Thanks to Mary Chris and all the KD's for their news. They had input from all but one sister in our class. I doubt that there are many sororities that still get that much participation in their newsletters. Good work, ladies!

Phyllis Kline Appler and **Dave '68** sent me their semi-annual Christmas in July letter - always a pleasure to receive! Their daughter graduated from W&M last year and is a puppeteer! She is currently at the Dell'Arte School in California. They also have a son at Tech. Dave is a dentist and Phyllis teaches high school, where she was chosen "teacher of the year" last year. They are also active in both community and church boards. Happy July, Phyllis!

Susie Smith Stewart's husband **Ron '70** sent me a nice letter. Although we see them several times a year, it was delightful to get mail. It seems a high school friend of Ron's read *his* daughter's *Gazette*, recognized Ron from my article and they reconnected after 30 years - neat! Susi and Ron have sent their youngest off to JMU, and their oldest is a senior at the College - where she lives in Lodge 12. I don't know about the rest of you, but **that** seems like too many things have changed! Susi is teaching and Ron is a consultant. We missed them at Homecoming, but it was Parents Weekend at JMU.

Sharon Reeder McCarthy sent a mini-newsletter from the Chi O's. Sharon has taken up horseback riding - specifically barrel racing. Sounds like fun! She still does a little fund raising in Evansville - this year for the theater scholarship fund at the local university - but they now spend the winters in Naples, Fla., so she is not fund raising year round. She also reported that **Ed Derringe** is thinking about retiring from the moving business. Otherwise he's just fine.

Ann Nelms McDowell is now director of major gifts at the United Way, and has taken up tennis seriously again. She played in the USTA finals in Tucson last fall. Good for you, Nelmsie! She and Steve are still skiing, sailing and diving when they can.

Ann visited with **Carolyn Lawhorne Ethridge** in Colorado recently. Carolyn is now in marketing for the Aspen Chapel. I hope you all got the letter from **Gale Gibson Kohlhagen** with the update on our Class Gift. Gale and her team have con-

tinued to do a good job of collecting the money we committed. I guess it's not too late to send a new pledge or contribution to the 1994 gift. (Although I'm sure there will be a '99 gift, too, so you could start planning for that!) It's nice to know, though, that the computers are installed and being used.

The Alumni Office sent me a nice article about **Jim Cobb** and his travels for the Lutheran Church. Rev. James Cobb is the minister at First Lutheran Church in Norfolk, and traveled to Hong Kong in July as part of the Lutheran World Federation. As the first western group to travel to Hong Kong after the reversion to China, there were many questions about the future, including religious freedom for the colony. The Lutheran delegation met with the chief executive of Hong Kong and they were encouraged by the reception they experienced there. Jim has done other traveling for the church in the past.

All of this and I am just getting to Homecoming last weekend. Actually there's nothing to say. **Gayle Harper Davis** wrote that she was coming, but I didn't see her. I waved to **Mike Lubeley** and **Bob Fitzgerald**, and saw that the McPhersons were signed in. Otherwise, no one from '69 crossed my path, except **Anne Bradstreet Smith**, with whom I spent the day. There were tons of folks from '67, so be sure to read their column if you have friends in that class.

Milton and I are well - doing the same things: working, cycling and diving. We are spending Christmas on our favorite sailboat this year. We are also planning a cycling trip for Thanksgiving if the weather holds. We had a great time in September with the Williamsburg and Richmond alumni chapters' combined party at Colonial Downs. I could learn to enjoy betting on the ponies! **Ted** and **Cathy Coleman Zychowski '70** were there, as was **Bill "Tex" McKinnon**. We went with Susi and Ron Stewart, and Anne and **Les Smith '65**. There were lots of other folks from nearby classes whom we knew. Ted loves teaching and he and Cathy both said they were happy to have moved back to the 'Burg. This is my last chance in calendar '97 to wish you a happy 50th birthday. By June when my next column appears we will all have crossed the threshold to the second half of our lives. Let's make it a good one. Make a 50th birthday resolution now, to send me news of you and your family (especially if you've never written or if it's been a long time - aren't you tired of hearing about my friends!), and start now planning to come to Homecoming in '99. Love to all.... e-mail!

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Another fall, another year older and another excuse as the memory fades to harken back to the days at W&M in the early 70's. My wife told me that Ginkoba would work! With that intro it's time to enlighten you about Homecoming '98 - our 25th! **Andrew Purdy**, esteemed barrister with the U.S. Courts System in Washington, D.C., has again agreed to attempt to marshal the forces for our Silver Anniversary Reunion. In January, 1998 a group of your fellow classmates will gather in the 'Burg to begin mapping out our strategy for a memorable October 22-25th, 1998. Your suggestions and assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Now on with the news.....Another legal eagle, **John R. Pagan**, has been appointed dean of the T.C. Williams School of Law, University of Richmond. John, our former Razorback, State Senator and recent N.Y.U. Law Prof will now be putting his master's from Oxford and J.D. from Harvard to use in the Capital City. John has also called the University of Arkansas, California Western and Marshall Wythe School's of Law home during his teaching career.

Jane Frances Lindsay, now harkening from the U.K., specifically Kingston University in County Down, Northern Ireland, has been a senior lecturer there since 1991. Jane, a Belfast native, was a foreign exchange student at the college in '73 and completed her undergraduate in graduate work at St. Andrew's, Scotland.

Returning to American soil, we find **Dr. John D. Sterrett, DDS** in Augusta, Ga., where he was recently awarded Diplomate status by the American Board of Periodontology. John worked his way through the University of Tennessee, Dalhousie University and Goteborg University, Sweden as he reached this pinnacle of the dental profession; obviously he's not an "anti-dentite" like Jerry Seinfeld.

Closer to Williamsburg, **Chuck Hall** and his wife Kathy are in Suffolk, Va.



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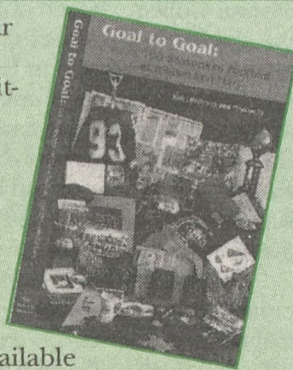
College Clips Book Covers 100 Seasons of W&M Football

The long-awaited *Goal to Goal: 100 Seasons of Football at William and Mary*, a book which took seven years and three writers to complete, has been published by the Athletic Educational Foundation at William and Mary.

Containing almost 400 pages of narrative and statistics and 528 historical photographs of William and Mary football since its inception in 1893, the book can be ordered by calling (757) 221-3365 or by sending \$29 plus \$6 for handling to the AEF, P.O. Box 399, Williamsburg, VA 23187,

along with your name and address. A limited number of the books in Imperial Leather and signed by the authors and seven living football coaches are available for \$125.

Besides seven chapters of narrative, the book contains profiles on Tribe greats and a 66-page appendix which includes the name of every player, the score of every game, all team and individual records and honors and every Tribe player who was successful in professional football.



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Chuck, who also received his master's from W&M, is managing the Mental Health Community Service Board for Hampton and Newport News, as executive director since 1986. Kathy is also involved in the mental health realm in the Virginia Beach CSB-Substance Abuse Division. Their 21-year-old son is graduating this month from Elon College. Sigma Chi alums should get in touch with Chuck at ChuckHCSB@aol.com.

From our obscure "where are they now" alums, **Paul Rosser** e-mailed his whereabouts from Denver, Colorado, after touching-down in Atlanta, Houston and Dallas (only urban haunts, right, Paul?) Paul has been in medical sales and hospital business development and is now pursuing his master's at the University of Denver. Paul is shifting focus to public/private health care collaboration in the Colorado health industry as well as raise a 15-year-old son and 12-year-old daughter, with his wife. They have also kept in touch with fellow alums **Scott Young** and **Al Coleman**.

Okay folks, now it's your turn. Write, e-mail, fax or pony express your status and ideas for our 25th to me. There are over 700 of us out there, so we should be able to come up with least 25 innovative ways to celebrate.

Peace.

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Dear Classmates,

It's finally happened! Spending one night in a college dorm on the Clemson campus during Sarah's orientation made me realize I'm no longer a college girl. Shared bathrooms, steel furniture, thin mattresses, and cafeteria food aside, these kids don't even start their evening festivities until it's past my bedtime. If anyone else is in denial, call me for a dose of reality. However, lest you believe otherwise, we're aging gracefully!

Oddly enough, Dave and I weren't the only ones wallowing in nostalgia on the Clemson campus in June. **Mark** and **Kathy Duffner** have also sent their daughter, Christy, to be a Tiger, and we ran into them by pure chance. The Duffners live in Cincinnati, Ohio, now where Mark is the linebacker coach for the Bengals. (Big boy Tigers) They're doing grreeeaat ... and send greetings to all.

Happy and **Ernie Copley** e-mailed from Maine with an update. Ernie has returned to teaching and is chair of the Business Administration Dept. at Andover College in Portsmouth. Happy is Medical Librarian at St. Mary's Regional Medical Center in Lewiston. For the first time in 22 years, they both love their jobs. Genius dog, Lily, and the tremendous summer stock theatre in Brunswick provide highlights for their free time. **Tracy** and **David Wyman** are two hours away in Goffstown, N.H.

David Fedeles, the best Chi Omega owl that Derby Day has ever seen, e-mailed from St. Croix where he has been selling real estate for 10 years. He describes a Jimmy Buffet-like existence far different from his corporate life in NYC and Atlanta working for the Bell System, Northern Telecom, and Cox Cable. Dave has gone from selling "half-houses with great views" courtesy of Hurricane Hugo, to being the top producer since 1992. He has a personal web page at www.davidfedeles.com or e-mail info@davidfedeles.com and invites old friends to get in touch. In addition, Dave wants to hear from you, **Nancy Norman** and **Melinda Wolff**.

Heldur Liivak e-mailed from Hampton where he's assigned to the Joint Warfighting Center at Fort Monroe as an Army Lieutenant Colonel. **Beth Ann DiPace '76** continues to keep him in line after 21 years of marriage. Their son, Nicholas, may be the second oldest W&M baby at 19, and is a sophomore at VCU's art school. Livaks' new address is 10 Jayne Lee Dr., Hampton, Va., 23664.

The class of '75 received a thank you letter from Nancy Marshall, dean of university libraries at W&M in appreciation of the generous support from the Class of 1975 Endowment for Swem Library. Your contributions continue to enhance the collections and resources which help attract exceptional students and faculty to William & Mary.

This section of the letter is once again devoted to those who are over-achieving while still aging gracefully. Not surprisingly, there's a long list.

Stephen Barley has co-edited *Between Craft and Science: Technical Work in U.S. Settings*, published by Cornell University Press 1997. The book "brings together leading scholars from sociology, anthropology, industrial relations, management, and engineering to consider issues surrounding technical work, the most rapidly expanding sector of the labor force." (from the back cover) Stephen is currently Professor of Industrial Engineering and Engineering Management at Stanford University.



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Tom Markham was the recipient of a scholarship provided by the Embassy of Spain. Tom was selected by the Northeast Conference on Teaching of Foreign Languages to receive the 1997 Premio Nordeste/ Salamanca, which allowed him to complete a summer study in Spain. Tom was selected for his commitment to and excellence in teaching Spanish at Kemps Landing Magnet School in Virginia Beach.

Connie Warren Desaulniers was reelected secretary of the College's Society of the Alumni. Connie has served on the board since '93, where she also sits on the Alumni Service and Executive committees.

Sandra Rusak recently was named associate director of the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts' education. Responsibilities include overseeing the museum's Statewide Educational Resources Department and its school and family, adult and adult studio programs. She also supervises volunteers and serves on the senior management team.

John Gerdelman was one of four people appointed by Virginia Gov. George Allen to serve on the State Council of Higher Education, whose responsibility is to make budget recommendations for the colleges and approve new academic programs. John is the president of network MCI of MCI Telecommunications Corp.

Judith Baroody, a foreign service officer with the U.S. Information Agency, won a meritorious award for her work in support of U.S. efforts to promote a peaceful settlement in Cyprus. Judith is the Public Affairs Officer and Chairman of the Fulbright Board at the Embassy of the United States in Nicosia.

Dr. Anne Etgen, a professor of neuroscience and psychiatry, has been appointed director of the Sue Golding Graduate Division of Medical Sciences at Albert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University. Anne has been at Einstein since 1985 where she has served as a researcher specializing in the role of steroids in the brain and in the regulation of reproductive function, as well as coordinator of minority student recruitment. She has earned the prestigious 10-year MERIT Award from the National Institute of Mental Health.

Patricia Watkinson has received a Thomas Branch Award for Excellence in Teaching at Randolph-Macon College. She joined R-MC in '93, and is a visiting instructor of history.

Congratulations to all those mentioned above for their wonderful achievements, and to those who are quietly achieving but forgetting to tell me. In fact, congratulations to those of you who, like myself, are polishing off Halloween candy while polishing floors while aging gracefully. Please send in your news, Christmas cards, unpublished manuscripts, etc. Your classmates would love to hear from you!

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The good news from Homecoming 1997 is: our fondly-remembered campus is still as beautiful as ever, thanks to the administration's commitment to beautifying the campus with new gardens, sculptures, and benches; the bookstore has gone upscale (clothing on the first floor, textbooks in the basement!); the new Alumni Center is decked out with antiques and an impressive W&M cipher on the exterior; the library sports a new entrance; and a new student center has sprung up behind the football stadium — swallowing Lodge 1 in the process, but commemorating it by naming a cafe in the building in its honor. And our old freshman haunts: DuPont, the Caf, Yates, and the Botetourt Complex are hardly recognizable because those little, newly-planted trees that I remember around the buildings now look like they've been there forever! Hmmm, what does that say about US?

Well, I'll tell you: five years ago, our class gathered in jeans and khakis for hotdogs and baked beans at a picnic shelter, and a classmate observed that the women had aged more than the men. For our 20th reunion, we wore suits and dresses to a reception at the Williamsburg Winery, and this time the men had **SURPASSED** the women in ... shall we say ... their "maturity." **GUYS**, I hardly recognized most of you! Unanimous votes for the "least aged" went to **Doug "make it stop!" Jones**, senior vice president and CFO for East Coast Oil Corp. in Richmond and **Glenn Crafford**, managing director for BT Wolfensohn, a brokerage firm in NYC. For the rest of us: NordicTracs for Christmas!

OK, enough snideness; I have lots of scoops on lots of folks: Doug and **Barb Leary Jones** had their only child, Anna, now three-and-a-half, after 16 years of marriage! Barb works part-time as a physical therapist for the Chesterfield County School System. **Karen Allen McCutcheon** is an MIS manager for American Express in Phoenix and has three children. **Mitch Bean** is a CPA and



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partner in Goodman & Co., LLP, a CPA firm with five offices in Virginia. He's in Norfolk and has two children: 15 and 5. **Alex Balian** (remember Nathan Detroit in *Guys & Dolls*?) is a dentist and passionate golfer in Fredericksburg, Va. Alex's golf prowess helped his team capture second place at the Homecoming Golf Tournament on Friday. He says fellow actor **Peter Holloway** is acting professionally.

Theta sisters turned out en masse this year: **Susi Acha Reddish** and her husband, Jim, recently moved from Baltimore to Bucks County, Pa. Susi was in international banking until her retirement with their third child, now 6.

Carrine Klingman Reilly caught me up on herself and several folks. After W&M she worked in Atlanta for Arthur Andersen, then married **John Reilly '78**. John and a partner recently started an import business specializing in 17th and 18th century museum reproduction pieces, and their major customer is CW! Carrine has worked part-time with a Baltimore accounting firm since the birth of her second child (first daughter) nine years ago. Another Theta sister, **Janet Alexander Aylor** MBA '86, enjoyed showing her three-year-old daughter around campus during Homecoming. Janet and her husband, **John** MBA '97, got their MBAs at W&M and live in Mechanicsville, VA. Janet has been with the Virginia Resources Authority for 10 years, where she's director of finance. Her DuPont 1st East roommate **Becky Bragg Henderson** has been with IBM in Richmond since graduation. She's married and has a 7-year-old son. Becky & Janet work just a block from each other and get together frequently.

Other Thetas at Homecoming included **Kathy Eason**, Theta president our senior year, is with IBM in Poughkeepsie, N.Y. **Anne Waring** works in PR at Reynolds Metals Corp. in Richmond; **Karen Peacock** is an attorney with Shell Oil in Houston; and **Laura Graves** has a Ph.D. in social psychology and teaches organizational management at Clark University in Wooster, Mass. I also have news of one absent Theta, **Bette Christoffersen Daniele**. She lives in Edison, N.J., has been married for 15 years to a lawyer, and they have a 10-year-old daughter. Bette works part-time as a tax accountant with KPMG.

Alpha Chi's also returned en masse: DuPont 3rd center roommates **Brenda Whitesell**, vice president of quality at GE Capital Mortgage in Raleigh, N.C., and **Mary Comer McKinney**, who lives in Durham, N.C. **Jessie Frederick Goyne**, who got her master's degree in 1984 in education at W&M and is now a reading specialist in Loudon County, Va. She has three children. **Virginia Carter Collins** is working in development communications at Colgate University and has a young son, Grant. I saw **Gail Minter** from a distance in Sorority Court ... Gail, write & tell me what you're up to! **Anne Midyette** is a math teacher in Virginia Beach. **Anne Weekley Thompson** teaches physical therapy at Armstrong Atlantic State University in Savannah, Ga., and continues to see patients. She and husband Tom have a nine year-old daughter, who, Anne says, has her mother's sharp tongue and evil sense of humor. **Leigh Seward Huston** still lives in Virginia Beach, close to family and much doted-on nieces and nephews. She taught for five years after graduation and now does lots of volunteer and community service work. And it wouldn't be Homecoming without **Sandy Fuller Spicknall**. (Forgive me if I didn't mention all Alpha Chi's who returned!)

Maggie Kneip lives in Manhattan and is director of creative marketing for Scholastic School Book Clubs, which service approximately 85 percent of the teachers and their classrooms in this country. She has a son and daughter who are as irrepressible as their mother. **Debby Mayer** is a freelance video producer living in New York City, and godmother to Maggie's daughter. Other Pi Phi's spotted at reunion included **Susan Shank**, a lawyer with three kids living in San Antonio, Texas; **Debbie Kelley Davis**, an elementary school teacher who, with her Lambda Chi hubby **Chris '76**, have two practically grown children; and **Emily Hunsicker '78**, who runs her own travel agency in Philadelphia.

Lisa Flexer Ragland lives in Columbia, Md., with husband Stuart and two daughters, age 7 and 9. She teaches part-time at Howard Community College. **Joe Stover** is still pursuing a writing career and working for the Maryland State Arts Council as a poet-in-the-schools. After W&M, he married classmate **Lois Thomas**, who is chair of the department of educational studies at St. Mary's College in southern Maryland and was recently promoted to full professor. The Stovers have one daughter, age 10. Joe, who reminded me that we danced together in W&M's production of *The Hostage*, has recently returned to the stage, via community theater.

Rich Chambers spent about 10 years in France after leaving W&M, learning French and medicine. He's an old bachelor internist practicing in Ada, Mich. He caught up with freshman hallmates **Mark Palmer** who lives in Gaithersburg, Md., and works for the Woodbourne Group, a child welfare social services



agency in Baltimore; and another bachelor, **Mike Gornicki**, who lives in Ft. Salonga, N.Y., and is starting a new job with Price Waterhouse as director of internal audit services. Mike, how's the yacht and the blonde? **Hatsy Sagan Cutshall** is a staff accountant with Bruce Robinette, CPA, in Herndon, Va. She passed the CPA exam in May, 1996 and says she's "working as slave labor" to get her Virginia CPA license. She and husband David have two children.

Dan Dickenson is a lawyer with the Portsmouth, Va., firm of Griffin, Pappas & Scarborough, and he has two children. He keeps up with **Mike "pull the sheet over my eyes" Moore**, a physician

in Lebanon, Tenn.; lawyer **Andy "there's a novel in those briefs" Lax**, who lives in Charlotte, N.C.; and **Bruce Akey**, a veterinarian in Richmond, Va.

Karen Staha recently bought a home in Arlington, Va., and works in the Department of Labor in a jobs training program for the poor. She invites all classmates to visit and help in her garden. Free tomatoes? **Pat Steele** owns her own veterinary practice in northern Baltimore County and is expecting her second child in April. **Peggy Schott** lives in Bethesda and is on the faculty at Georgetown University where she does cancer research. Over the years, she's worked at Dow Chemical and NIH. **Richard Sisisky** is a management consultant and partner in The Shircliff Group, Jacksonville, Fla. He received his law degree from T.C. Williams School of Law, University of Richmond, and is a former trustee of the Endowment Association at W&M. He was recently inducted onto the Board of Governors of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, the seminary for Reform Judaism, and has held leadership roles in his temple congregation and Jewish community activities. He and his wife have two children. Former *Flat Hat* colleague **Wayne Studer** lives in Newark, Calif., in the San Francisco Bay area, where he's a producer for The Learning Company, creating reference software. He sends greetings to "Animal Farm" residents.

After graduation, **Marie Forcier Shoffner** writes that she got a master's degree in electrical engineering at UVa., worked as an electronic design engineer in Charlottesville, married, and had two children. She's been a single parent for 10 years. In a major career change, she returned to school in 1987, completed a masters in counseling and worked as an elementary school counselor for five years. She completed her Ph.D. in 1996 and is now an assistant professor in the department of counseling and educational development at UNC in Greensboro. She'd love to hear from **Carol Mallon Sivley** and **Diane Hull Gansauer**. **Nan Weirup Stewart** lives in Richmond, where she's a scientist for the Global Can Business Unit at Reynolds Metals Co. She and her husband have two

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The program is free, but participants are responsible for covering the cost of their own meals, transportation to the campus and any incidentals. Applications will be accepted through March 6, 1997. For more information or to receive a brochure and registration form, contact the Society of the Alumni at 757/221-1172.



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daughters, ages 10 and 12. She'll get together this winter for family ski trips with former W&M roomie **Ellen Moor Walk** and her family.

Anne Ward married Jack Horton in May and lives in Arlington, Va. She manages publications for the National School Board Association. **Kay "kamikaze" Wellener** got her MBA at U.Va., and spent 14 years on Wall Street, then moved back to Richmond as a business administrator for Commonwealth College. She recently left Commonwealth and is anticipating the next phase of her career ... perhaps entrepreneurship! **Katherine Owens Vaccaro** is a customer relations manager with Sprint Publishing and Advertising in Orlando, Fla. She married Daniel Vaccaro in April 1997. Our Homecoming football game might have had a better outcome if **Ivan Fears** had been on the field again. Unfortunately for us, he was unable to make it to Zable Stadium, since he's coaching pro ball for the Chicago Bears.

At least two classmates came across country for their first-ever return trip to the 'Burg. Former Sinfonicron member **David Rock** is still in the entertainment biz: he and his wife own a post-production company in L.A., and have three children. **Deb Habel** came back from Portland, Ore., where she's in marketing at Intel. She job shares, which allows her time at home with her husband and two young sons. Both David and Deb said their first trip back was a huge success and they promised to return for our 25th. Also returning for the first time was **Renee Thurston Moore**. She's in a Ph.D. program at the University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, Texas, where she works as dean of student affairs. Renee is married to **Reggie Moore '76**, a pediatric oncologist and Army Lt. Col. at Brooks Army Medical Center, San Antonio. They have three daughters. Also returning was **Bonita Saunders**, who is a Ph.D. mathematician for the National Institute of Standards and Technology, U.S. Department of Commerce.

Shelley Rubenking Rockwell has stayed in the 'Burg since graduation and says it's been interesting to see the change from sleepy college town to a bustling area that's becoming known for a variety of entertainment venues and as a popular spot for retirees. Shelley is an association management specialist for the National Center for State Courts. **Betsy Radd** also stayed close to home: she still lives in Norfolk, and I'm pleased to report that the years have not subdued her: she's kept her trademark tan, works for Signet Bank, and brought another new beau to Homecoming.

Craig Hoffman teaches at Georgetown University Law School. After W&M he got a Ph.D. in linguistics and a postdoc in cognitive science, and then went to law school. He practiced for nine years, but left his firm three years ago to teach. He much prefers a professor's schedule to that of a corporate lawyer! **Debbie "I break hearts & ankles" Rennolds Taggart** looked like a million bucks at Homecoming and regaled her fellow Kappas with rowdy tales we thought we'd forgotten! She married a Princeton man who moved her to Carmel, Ind ... somehow I can't see Debbie in Hoosierville, but she loves it, and she and husband Rip have four children, including twin girls! **Debbie Locke** married Milton Dixon last year. She's a government teacher in the Chesapeake, Va., school system.

Cindy Folsom Murphy didn't make it to Homecoming but wrote that after W&M she went to UNC for grad school in geology, married fellow W&M grad **Sean Murphy '79**, and moved to Athens, Ga., where he went to grad school in geology. They worked in Houston briefly and lived on a 150-year-old, 10,000-acre ranch. The vistas were awesome but the living conditions rather primitive. They moved to Austin while Sean got his MBA and both worked at Motorola in manufacturing. Sean is now a manager with Motorola's Strategic Technologies Group. The Murphys have three sons, 10, 11, and 1, and keep a boat on Lake Travis. Cindy works at MCC, a small R&D electronics consortium, and enjoys having her parents live just around the corner ... really.

Gayle Powers Park and her husband, Doug, had their second son in December, 1995. After graduation, Gayle received her BSN in nursing from MCV and practices at the Sheltering Arms Physical Rehab center in Richmond, Va. **Deborah Parker** is president of the Hulon Willis Association, (HWA) Society of the Alumni. The group established five years ago is named for **Hulon Willis, Sr., MEd '56**, W&M's first African American graduate. Approximately 1,500 African Americans have attended the College in undergraduate, graduate and Ph.D. programs. HWA provides mentoring and scholarship assistance for undergraduate students; networking, professional and social forums for alumni, and partners with College administrators on issues relevant to the college community. Deborah is really doing her bit for W&M because she's also a trustee of the school's Endowment Association Board. In her spare time, she owns a human resource development and consulting firm, DPJ Associates, in Alexandria, Va.

FYI: I've made a job change recently. I'm now at Duke's Fuqua School of Business (ranked number 9 in the nation, thank you very much!), and I've transitioned out of PR and communications and into bona fide fund-raising. My e-mail and vital stats have changed, so take note of the new info at the bottom of this column. And, if you're a classmate who got your MBA at Fuqua, I'd love to hear from you! I PROMISE I won't ask you for money ... just get in touch! I'll be visiting alumni in the Southeast, and I hope to visit a few W&M alums along the way.

In closing, let me conjure a few Late Seventies memories that arose collectively during Homecoming 1997: Streaking through DuPont. Stairway to Heaven.

Project Plus. The French House & Prof. Cloutier. Biology 101 & Dr. Coulsen's illustrated Halloween lecture on photosynthesis that turned into a pumpkin. Frat mixers during freshman orientation. Grain punch. Cheap pitchers at the Dirty Deli. Dr. "ask no questions" Cilley, the infirmary, and cases of mono. Ominous drumming on the Caf tables that signaled an impending "FOOD FIGHT!" Mashed potatoes stuck to the ceiling. Guys rating girls 1 to 10 in the Caf. Sunbathing on the DuPont roof. Orientation week romances that lasted FOUR YEARS. The Colonial Deli & the Holly, Julie, Chandler and other gastro classics (the names are STILL the same, guys!). Dawn breaking over Frank's Truck Stop. Lake Matoaka. Being kissed on Crim Del bridge. The Green Room at PBK. Lou Catron. The "real men" of JBT. Eastern State. Bad student poetry discussed earnestly in Peter Klappert's apartment. Hale Chatfield. Elsa Nettles & Walt Wenska. The Greenleaf Cafe. The SA Film Series, featuring Beatles Week and Flash Gordon serials. President Ford on campus. DOG Street at dusk. Lighting the Yule Log Lots of special people making lots of good memories. Start planning now to rekindle it all in another five years. Meanwhile, keep those e-mails coming!

Thanks to Janet Alexander Aylor, Deb Habel, Pat Geirmak Millea, and Deborah Parker who served as unofficial roving correspondents for this column!

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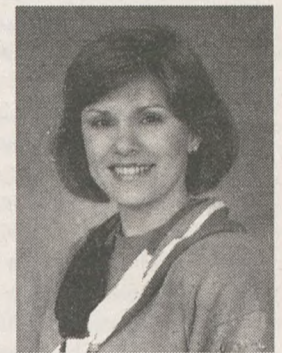
A number of you, including friends of my mother-in-law's, noticed the announcement of my May 16, 1997 wedding in the last issue of the *Gazette*. While I'll happily accept gifts from one and all, I feel compelled to set the record straight, for the sake of my two dear boys, both of whom WERE born in wedlock if not for my mother-in-law's reputation in Urbanna, Va. Merle and I were married in January of 1985 — whoever posted the more recent date — aren't you clever!!

Since my last column, I've received numerous e-mails — thank you all. Rather than cause additional brain damage (beyond what my 9 and 5 year olds have already created), I'll dispense with attempts at creative writing and extract the messages directly. I may edit some for length, but certainly not for content!! If anyone knows the etiquette for extracting e-mail messages and injecting them into a college class newsletter, please keep it to yourself.

E-mail from **Sherry Jennings Frost**, "We moved to the grand city of Dalton, Ga., this summer. It's 90 minutes from Atlanta, and is much smaller - 25,000 people (after 3 million in Atlanta). Jack's job took us here - he's still with Wachovia Bank. We're also about 30 minutes from Chattanooga, Tenn., so we hopefully will get the best of a small town, with large metro areas nearby when we need a shopping or restaurant fix! So far, it's been very nice. A big change for us after more than a decade in Hotlanta, but after the excitement of the Olympics, it's nice to have the advantages of a small town for family, etc. I had also (coincidentally) just quit working at United Way in Feb - had decided to hang up my PR director hat after nine years there, and become a full time mom. I've loved being home with the kids - perfect timing, as they are both in school now (kindergarten for Rich, and second-grade for Jack) - so I now have time to settle in here, get involved and meet people, and be an adult again after 19 years of working, and 10 of family!"

Sherry went on to report that **Pattie Bagley Schutte** still seems to be doing fine in Kahoka, Mo. They are spending time working on their house - some renovations and expansion planned. Apparently Bill and Pattie are doing most of the work themselves over time — their 40-year-old bones must not feel like mine!! The Schuttes also went to Disney World, this past summer with their son, Rob.

E-mail from **Phil Ashford**: "The *Alumni Gazette* finally caught up with me some months ago and I caught your Class of '79 column and was stunned to realize just how much time has passed! My folks now live in Williamsburg (Kingsmill-retired) so I get down to the area a couple of times a year but have not really kept in touch with things for the most part. After college I took my econ degree and moved to Milwaukee where I produced animation for television for several years, including all three networks and stations in virtually every state and some in Canada. After a falling out with my partner (my best friend from the third grade on) I left the fledgling business and became a manufacturer's rep in the office products industry and eventually bought the company, which I ran until the end of '94 when changes in the marketplace forced our closure. Several stop-gap positions in between but now I cover 14 states as the Northeast



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regional marketing manager for a start-up company out of Nashville - Corporate Supply Network, a consultant and resource helping small independent distributors (office products at this time) to compete and prosper in the face of national chain competition. I now live in Columbia, Md., with my wife, Janet, of 17 years and sons Ryan, 13, and Kevin, 10, and a beagle named Life O' Riley (Riley for short). Janet and I met after college through a shared hobby (four-part barber-shop harmony) and continue to sing. In fact, I am sending this from the Mid-Atlantic District Contest in Ocean City, Md. where my chorus placed 6th out of 22. This may be of interest because I ran into **Gary Plaag** and can report that his chorus, The Alexandria Harmonizers, won the contest and will represent the district at the international competition in Atlanta next summer. Gary's quartet, Hijinx, also competed and missed winning the District title by only 14 points! 2796 vs the winning quartet's 2809!"

Scott Custer unearthed himself enough to come to Richmond to play golf with my husband recently. He, Betsy, and their two girls have settled nicely into life in Rocky Mount, N.C. Scott is on Centura Bank's senior management committee, which is headquartered there. Scott manages to get to Homecoming most years, and I believe, still runs in the DOG Street run every Homecoming Game Day. (Sure wish we could say the same thing!)

E-mail from **Carol Arnold Hollenbek**, "We did take a vacation in August and went out to Oregon to see my sister, her husband and our nephew. We went to Crater Lake for a couple of days and did some hiking, boat tour, driving around and had a great time - it is absolutely one of the most beautiful places I have ever been. So far, Crater Lake, Yosemite and Sequoia National Forest are on my list of most beautiful places. We're planning to go to Hawaii next year for our 5th anniversary - somehow I expect that's going to make the list also!! We've been spending a lot of time with our families, since they're both so close - I feel like I'm hardly ever home on the weekends." This seems to be a recurring theme for all of us — too much to do, not enough time!

E-mail from **Kathy Yankovich Hornsby** divulged the following, "I guess you could write that I am the president of the board of the private-non-profit Williamsburg Land Conservancy, a land trust seeking to preserve natural and historic lands around the Williamsburg area. We are embarking upon a capital campaign to raise money to buy historic Mainland Farm, farmed continuously since 1618. Colonists left Jamestown Island to come to 'the main-land' and this was the first land they farmed. We are saving it from development. The conservancy also works with landowners to encourage conservation easements on property to preserve open land. In addition to Board work with Children's Museum of Richmond and Child Development Resources, I continue to work as [husband] Bruce's business manager. He is currently at work on his sixth album. Twins Keith and Russell are in kindergarten. I enjoy kayaking and biking in my spare time." In Kathy's defense, and in my ultimate laziness, she begged me not to reprint the actual text — Kath, it was so much easier to cut and paste . . .

Kathy also passed on news of **Mary-Paula Bailey Allegaert**, who has, at least for the time being, left her New York City roots behind and moved to Glen Ridge, N.J., complete with husband, Chris, three boys, and their Chevrolet [I'm making some of this up Mary Paula!!] Mary Paula continues her commute to the City to work at Elizabeth Arden. Somehow I suspect, you can take the girl out of Greenwich Village, but you'll never take the Village out of the girl. Stay tuned for more news!

John Gilstrap's first novel, *Nathan's Run*, now in paperback is being hailed by those in the industry as 'one of the literary sensations of the year.' Warner Brothers is in the process of transforming the book into a screenplay. John's second novel, *At All Costs*, a thriller in the editing phase tells the story of a husband and wife on the run for 14 years from false charges of murder and environmental terrorism, who risk their lives and freedom to save their teenage son. It should hit the stands in time for prime beach reading, in June of 1998. John, his wife, Joy, and son, Chris, have recently relocated to Vienna, Va., surrounded by "a pastoral, country setting suitable to a writer's needs!"

Congratulations to the **Reverend Para Drake**, who graduated in May from Duke University's Divinity School with a master of divinity degree. Para was awarded the Hoyt Hickman Award for "Outstanding Liturgical Scholarship and Practice" from the Order of St. Luke by a faculty committee of the Divinity School. Para will be appointed to serve in the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church.

More congratulations to Navy **Lt. Cmdr. Michael Chase**, who received his master's degree from the Naval Postgraduate School, in Monterey, Calif. The school is the only naval institution of its kind in the world, and provides students with courses of study in a variety of scientific, management and engineering fields. [It's also the only naval institution of its kind able to boast being located about 12 miles from Pebble Beach!]

Peggy Doyle Grant e-mailed with news about **Amy Moll Newman** having organized a team of W&M alums to participate in the annual Race for the Cure in memory of **Ellen Bodie Ellis**. The event is a nationwide 5K race/walk to support breast cancer research. The Washington, D.C., race took place on June 6th. The participants included Ellen's husband **Kevin Ellis**, their daughter Lauren Ellis,

Amy Newman, Jeff and Peggy Grant, Pete and Lu Bowen Desrosiers, Anna Barron Billingsley, Frank Hire, Debby Brand Baum '80, Elizabeth Simms Wash '80 and Barb Abbott '82. Pattie Bagley Schutte and **Sue Cofer** participated in absentia by making contributions. Kevin placed 2nd in the Masters division. According to Peg, "We plan to make this an annual event in memory of Ellen and all are invited to participate."

Speaking of **Rob '76** and Anna Barron Billingsley, Anna wrote to give an update on their no longer recent move to Fredericksburg. She reports that they love Fredericksburg and sends her address: 1604 College Avenue, Fredericksburg, Va., 22401

E-mail from **David Hopkins**, "It looks like my life is starting all over again. My second son, Jacob Tyler was born on April 29th. **Donna '82** and I have been trying to have a second kid (after Zachary in '87) for years. We finally gave up last summer and sold everything in a yard sale — the crib, little clothes, toys, boxes of this and that, etc. A month later, surprise!! If we'd known it was going to be that easy we would have sold EVERYTHING years ago. Gosh, we have forgotten so much since those earlier years.

"A couple of weeks after Big Jake was born, a couple of my college buddies, **Paul Mendez** and **Jeff Wright** stopped by for a peek. They had spent a week at the beach and wanted to see the family and to see how I was coming along with the review of Paul's new book. Jeff had his 3-year-old daughter, Charlotte, and she was really great with Jake. After she went home and spent hours talking about Jake to her mom, we received a huge box in the mail with lots of the Wright family's toys!! Charlotte thought Jake needed some toys.

" . . . and while Donna was pregnant and holding down a job with the Fredericksburg Community Services Board as one of their physical therapists, she studied for and took the test to become a certified pediatric physical therapist — passed on her first try! I have to go. Jake is asleep so we have to get some sleep too."

E-mail from **Caryn Wagner**, "Noticing that you can receive e-mail finally got me to send in the update I have been promising myself to send for years now . . . I know putting a letter in the mail isn't that hard, but somehow it just never seemed to happen. [Interesting how e-mail is making everyone feel guilty about not communicating!!!] Anyway, here goes: I have been in Northern Virginia for the last ten years, after leaving the Army in 1987. I got married to Carlyle Lash, a retired Army officer and native Alexandria, in August 1994. Until recently I was a staffer on the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence; I am now a senior executive at the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA). I still socialize with many of my friends from W&M, in fact I belong to a book club that includes **Patty Gibson, Cathy Wolford Spinella, Mike Spinella '78, Paul Strella and Devon Rawson Little '78.** There are a couple of other W&M grads at DIA also, although I am not sure what class they were in: **Russ Travers '78 and John Brantley**, both also in the senior executive service.

"While I have enjoyed my 10 years here both personally and professionally, my husband dreams of living in the Southwest, which he fell in love with while in the Army. We are planning to move to the Santa Fe/Albuquerque area within the next few years — hopefully, there is an alumni chapter there!" Thanks for the update Caryn.

Frank McQuarry was recently promoted to zone manager of First Virginia Bank-Piedmont. As zone manager, Frank will oversee the daily operation of the 11 branches in the Lynchburg and Danville areas. Frank has proved to be a truly loyal First Virginia employee, having joined the Bank in 1979 as a management trainee! He and his wife Laurie live in Forest, Va., with their two children.

E-mail from **Chris Smith Eure** with lots of news on her and Brad's goings-on in Charlottesville, where Brad continues acquiring radio stations [I'm the one who asked her to clarify everything!], "Brad's stations currently are 3WV and WCHV am. After the merger he will be acquiring WINA, WQMZ, WKAV and rights to WUVA. He will be a busy boy [Chris' words not mine!] and is very much looking forward to it all being done with the FCC. My part-time job is executive director of First Night Virginia — Charlottesville's New Year's Eve festival. This is my fifth and final year as I am hanging up my festival gloves to stay home with Maddy [their 4th] and be a bum!

"I am also halfway through the year of being president of the Junior League so am really looking forward to a break. Hopefully I'll be reading more, so if any one has good tips on books send them on." Chris also reported on her high school reunion with the school she attended in Belgium. She "had a blast" and additional details will not be forthcoming. [See, I don't print everything].

I received a great update from **Donna Robusto Krache '78** and will defer her news to her class' column. Let it be known that all is well with their household in the shadow of Kennesaw Mountain outside of Atlanta.

E-mail from **Mary Heyser Wright**, "The good news for me is I completed my Ph.D. in Education at VCU in May!! Free at last, free at last!!! I am now consulting with various non (!) education groups. My focus was leadership training so that applies to every organization!!! Working part-time with two kids is a luxury but a great balance!"

Finally, the *Richmond Times-Dispatch* printed a wonderful article in their Travel section penned by none other than **Mason Tokarz** [I didn't know accountants

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could write!] Seriously, Mason talked about tour running, which he finds himself doing daily, since arriving in Europe. Since arriving in Europe (he was transferred there with KPMG), he says he's logged about 2,000 miles, primarily in his home city of Prague, but also "along cobblestone streets too narrow for cars, over ancient bridges and along the walls of a fort that once protected a city from those pesky Hussites."

He describes a wonderful variety of running routes in cities such as Budapest, Amsterdam [yes, through the famous red-light district], Paris, Krakow, and Prague.

Before I purge any more information, I'll sign off until next time. My apologies to anyone who e-mailed sometime before October. Not wanting to have "cluttered" files, I wondered what would happen if I clicked on "Delete Archives". I found out — so to **Dave O'Neill** (Beast!!) in Michigan, from whom I received a lengthy update, and others, write again. I promise to be more careful about your precious news. Until next time, Happy Holidays and best wishes for a prosperous New Year.

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Another year has passed, and as autumn slips quickly into winter, I find myself apologizing for missing the last deadline.... So, let's get started:

First, **Rebecca Young** was honored by Columbia Theological Seminary, in Decatur, Ga., where she received a master of divinity degree last May. Rebecca was given the Columbia Friendship Circle Graduate Fellowship, which recognizes superior academic achievement, to help her continue her theology studies at Fordham University. Way to go, Rebecca!

Clark Beil has been named to represent southwestern Virginia on the state's United Way Board of Trustees. During his full-time, normal work day, Clark is chief executive officer of Johnston Memorial Hospital, a position he's held since 1991. He also serves on the boards of the Virginia Hospital Association, Healthcare Providers Group, and the American College of Health Care Executives, among other organizations. Clark, I've got a nagging pain right here, could you take a look?

Our classmates **Laura Sanderson Healy** and **John Healy** report from London, where they've returned after three years in Buenos Aires Sounds like there's a story there, but the postcard was small Anyway, their daughter, Lucile Sanderson Healy, celebrated her first birthday in early September, with her godfather, '81 classmate **Eric Rowe**, acting as master of ceremonies Laura is freelancing for *People* magazine, and John is a regional controller for the Marriott Corp. They can be reached at 29 Chiddingstone Street, London, SW6 3TQ.

Going back to what I should have included in the last newsletter, **David Grogan** was planning a move to the Washington, D.C. area for graduate studies in international law at either Georgetown or George Washington ... The Navy is letting Lt. Cmdr. Grogan regain his land legs after a tour in the Adriatic and the Mediterranean ...

Katja Parsons Stokely finished her master's degree in computer science this year and immediately fled the East Coast for Colorado and the snows of El Nino. She's working for Lockheed Martin in satellite ground control software.

Katherine Frazer Bell is a Triangle, NC, freelance writer. She can be reached by E-mail at kfbell@mindspring.com.

Chris Phillips is "determined to make philosophy a relevant part of the mainstream" in Montclair, N.J., where he sponsors popular philosophy cafes and consults with the public schools. When he wrote earlier this year, Chris was hoping to continue his philosophy studies at the Sorbonne this autumn. He was also keeping busy writing articles for national magazines such as *Parade* and editing for several organizations in the DC area. "All in all, life is good, albeit quite hectic," Chris says, philosophically. (Read more about Chris in the Fall issue of *W&M Magazine*.)

Teresa Martin White chimes in from somewhere unclear. She has her hands full, having given birth to her fourth child (a boy after three girls) late last year. Teresa reports that **Susan Marks** is a tenured professor at Winthrop College in Rock Hill, S.C., **Rick Reams** is teaching 5th grade in Richmond, and **Ann Reardan Gregory** is also living in the Richmond area....

Chuck Swaim moved to Richmond as well early this year. He's working for IPC Technologies, but specifically on projects for the City of Richmond's Dept. of Information Technology. Chuck says he ran into **Caroline Bolte**, who is doing well.

Reformed English major **Mark Hilbrink** reports that he's officially been a computer geek since 1984. Mark is now working for a small company contracting with the Postal Service to write software that sorts mail. So if your *Alumni Gazette* is torn or lost, you know who to call.

Duane Williams and his wife, Deborah, are both majors in Army Intelligence, now stationed in the D.C. area after stints in west and in South Korea. On a sobering note for those of us who think age will never creep up on us, Duane reports that his daughter, **Tonya**, graduated from William & Mary last December! ... (Doing the math, I realize why I don't remember seeing Duane much at the Hoi Polloi ...) Wow. Way to go, you guys! The Majors Williams can be reached at 2501 Henson Valley Way, Fort Washington, MD 20744, or by E-mail at AFwildu@dia.osis.gov.

Cheryl Hogue received an M.S. in environmental sciences and policy from Johns Hopkins University in May. She continued to work full-time as a reporter at *The Daily Environment Report* at the Bureau of National Affairs during the 3-1/2 years it took to finish her degree. By the time you read this, she will have journeyed to Kyoto, Japan, in early December to cover United Nations negotiations on climate change. I can't top that, but it has been an eventful year. I missed the last deadline because I was making my first pilgrimage to France, where I researched the philosophy of the croissant. I also interviewed the five-star Michelin chef Alain Ducasse for an article that appeared in *The Washington Post* Food section in October. And I will be writing wine features for *WashingtonSidewalk.com*, the online city entertainment guide from Microsoft. If it is not online by the time you read this, it will be soon. Please log in and let me know what you think.

Cheers, and all the best for a wonderful 1998!

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Shields Minds His Manners

If you think gossip is a 20th century phenomena, David Shields' '73 new book, *Civil Tongues, Polite Letters in British America*, can set you straight.

In his book, published by the College's Omohundro Institute of Early American History, Shields explains that "the elite men and women of 18th century British America came together in a variety of private venues to communicate and interact. They met to exchange news and gossip, to play games, to share pleasures, and to demonstrate their mastery of finer manners."

Shields, a professor of English at The Citadel, explains that these

exchanges took place in taverns, tea rooms, salons, coffee houses, card parties, clubs and fraternities. "The tea rooms grew out of the women's desire to counteract what the

men were doing when they got together in the clubs that were traditionally closed to women," Shields explains. "When the men got together for discussions, what they talked about usually became the political and financial news of the day. That was a powerful tool, one that the women of the time were quite aware of."

Mary Kelly, a professor at Dartmouth College, notes that



Shields' book "introduces us to ...not only the men whose presence we might have anticipated but the previously invisible women who were central to these discursive institutions."

Although *Civil Tongues* is not Shields' first book, he takes a certain pride that it was published by the Institute. "Even as an undergraduate student, I was very aware that the Institute was hallowed ground, and the Institute's thorough and rigorous approach to publishing is legendary in the academic field, so I was enormously pleased to have my book associated with the Institute."

Shield's book isn't the only thing associated with the Institute. He was chosen last spring to serve on the Institute's Council, a post he clearly relishes. "Love of Early American History runs in my family," he explains. "That love is what brought me from Maryland to William and

Mary as a student."

It wasn't the first time that Williamsburg had welcomed a Shields. "If you walk down Duke of Gloucester Street in Colonial Williamsburg, you'll see Shields' Tavern. That Shields was my grandfather's grandfather," Shields explains with a smile. "And I talk about taverns in my book, which is a fitting tribute I think."

It also seems fitting that Shields has come back to the very hallowed ground that he was so aware of as a student. "William and Mary is a special place for me. I met my wife, Lucinda Emley '75, here, and I had a chance to mature and grow intellectually and really sort of set the course for my academic future, and I'm grateful for that."

— Jacqueline Genovese '87

Class Notes

1983

We are fortunate to have news from classmates all over the country this time. Many of their reports are their first updates since graduation! News is welcome from everyone; please send me an e-mail or drop a note about your job, family, or recent adventures, and I'll be sure to include it in the next column.

Sherry Bowden and husband Jim live in Hinsdale, Ill. Their son Duncan is now two-and-a-half years old. Sherry is director of the finance department at SPS, a subsidiary of Morgan Stanley, Dean Whitter, Discover, and Co. **John Daniel Huber** and wife Jennifer are also living in Illinois. They have three children: Jack, 4, Sarah, 3, and Bennett, 1. John lived in Hawaii after graduation and now works for Spyglass, an internet software company in Naperville, Ill.

Mike Barnsback and wife Lynn recently celebrated their sixth wedding anniversary with a tour of Spain, Portugal and Morocco. They also combined business trips to New Orleans to celebrate the eighth anniversary of the day they met. Mike and Lynn are expecting their first child in early December. Mike practices law, primarily employment litigation, in Old Town Alexandria. He had the distinct pleasure of questioning neurosurgeon **Dr. Brent Greenwald '84**, who acted as an expert witness for a case in Cheyenne, Wyo. Both described the situation as rather surreal!

Candace Carlisle and Steven Tompkins celebrated the birth of their daughter Laura Carlisle Tompkins on May 4, 1997.

Pamela George Freeman reports that since graduation she has worked as a high school teacher of biology and earth science in Richmond and as a forensic scientist for the states of Virginia and Rhode Island. She has most recently worked as a senior DNA analyst for the Armed Forces DNA Identification Laboratory in Rockville, Md., identifying remains of unaccounted for U.S. service members from Southeast Asia (Vietnam era), Korea and World War II in an attempt to reassociate them with their families. Pamela married William Howard Freeman, USNA '84, in 1990. Their son, Richard Howard, was born on Oct. 1, 1996 and they are expecting their second child in January. William recently started a new job as project engineer at Avondale Shipyard in New Orleans, La., and Pamela is considering switching her career from the lab to the homefront.

Lora Jean Hayes and husband Jeff have lived in Fayetteville, Ark., since 1990 and now have three children. Nicolle Katherine was born on Oct. 9, 1996; Austin is 3-years-old; and 5-year-old Alex has just started school. Jeff works for IBM Corp. on the Wal-Mart account.

Kriss Fillbach Hayward reports that she lives in Santa Clara, Calif., where she is a staff/organizational specialist for the Santa Clara County Office of Education. She spent several years in Milan, Italy, where she was director of external relations for the MBA program at SDA Bocconi and then returned to the United States when her children began to arrive. Daughter Jett Carina was born on April 22, 1997, and daughter Flynn Jade is now 2-years-old.

Myunghi J. Lee-Renslo is also settled in California. She reports that after graduating from W&M she went to MCV and then on to a residency program in Southern California. She has completed an OB/Gyn residency and has been working with Kaiser since 1992. In 1992 she married Richard Renslo, a radiologist, and they now have two children, Jonathan, 4, and Bryan, 3.

Ida Cowgill Kearney lives in Salt Lake City, Utah, and is now working toward a nursing degree. **John Scott McClintock** will be married to Alicia Sigler this winter. The couple met in Mexico while John Scott was doing a fellowship last year. They plan to live on the West Coast and start a family. Both John Scott and Alicia are plastic surgeons and John Scott is now also working toward a law degree. They are planning to construct a congenital deformity clinic in Mexico.

Helen Towles Palmer moved to Coralville, Iowa, after she received her Ph.D. in industrial/organizational psychology from the University of Georgia in 1992. She recently received a promotion to head her department at American College Testing (ACT).

Cathy Evans Pollack and husband Evan are now proud parents. Their son Jesse was born Nov. 26, 1996, at 10:14 p.m. after Cathy spent a full day at work. Realizing that she was in labor at 6:30 p.m. Cathy decided that she had better leave the office. Jesse's photo is available from Cathy via e-mail; I've seen it and he's very cute! The Pollack family lives in Arlington where Cathy is an attorney and Evan is a musician.

Linda Symons Raab and husband Frank have lived in Bloomington, Minn., for eight years. They celebrated the birth of their second son, Brian, on Nov. 24, 1996; son Stephen is now 4-years-old. Linda works in the research lab at the University of Minnesota Medical School and Frank is a periodontist.



Let the good times roll!

HOMECOMING 1998 - October 22-25
College of William & Mary - Society of the Alumni
15th Reunion

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It was great to see everyone at Homecoming for the reunion festivities! **Matt '86** and I got an early start on the long weekend by attending the Order of the White Jacket banquet Thursday evening. We saw a lot of familiar faces but it dawned on me that many people in the class of '87 are eligible for membership in this alumni group that is over 25 years old, and just may not know it. OWJ is comprised of alumni who supported their education at W&M by working in some aspect of a food service occupation. OWJ is the oldest and largest of the alumni constituent groups. It currently grants about \$15,000 in scholarships to current students. If you are looking for your niche in alumni involvement, this may be it! Just contact the Society of the Alumni for more info.



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Colleen Costello Collins is a family nurse practitioner in Virginia's Northern Neck where she and her husband Shawn live with their four-year-old son Flannery and one-year-old Eamonn.

Barbara Daniel is living in NYC where she is an investment banker at Merrill Lynch and specializes in corporate finance for telecommunication companies. She began there about 4 years ago after receiving her MBA from Cornell.

Rachel Rowland is in Alexandria and is Director of Intergovernmental affairs for the Federal Emergency Management Agency in D.C. She was appointed to coordinate the President's National Arson Prevention Initiative which grew out of the church fire crisis last year. She was able to meet personally and offer recommendations to President Clinton. Her normal responsibilities include dealing with governors, mayors, and constituency groups for FEMA.

Elizabeth Knightly Fitzpatrick, and husband Tim are in Pittsburgh. Tim is an associate athletic director at the University of Pittsburgh. She is currently in accounting with Deloitte & Touche.

Jeff Spoeri is executive director with Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia fraternity in Indiana. After graduation, he received his M.Ed. in secondary education at Vanderbilt and his J.D. at Washington University in St. Louis.

Rick Borge earned his M.D. from Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia. He completed his residency in informal medicine at New England Deaconess Hospital in Boston, and ended his cardiology fellowship at Jefferson Hospital this summer. He plans to specialize in Cardiac Electrophysiology. He married Julie McMahon, a Boston College grad in June '94. They are expecting to become parents before the end of '97!

Martha Connell married Neil Cooper of Thames, New Zealand in April of '96. They met through Habitat for Humanity in Portland, Oregon. Both are carpenters and in their "spare time" are restoring their four-story Victorian home.

Michael Richards is a professor in American Studies and recently authored a textbook in the same subject. He married **Karen Wintermute**, and they have a six year-old son, Seth, and a two year-old daughter, Kelsey. Karen is a pediatrician and they recently moved to Chapel Hill where Karen started a Fellowship in Pediatric Neurology there.

Jennifer Sarbacher Cloud spent several years at Peat Marwick but is now with an entrepreneurial telecom company doing business in Africa. Her husband, David, works as the State Department correspondent for the *Chicago Tribune*.

CPT **Jennifer Morsch Hoyle** and husband MAJ Phil Hoyle are stationed in D.C. after a year in Korea. Jennifer was a Brigade S-2 (intelligence officer) for Armor Brigade in the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea, which was precedent-setting for women in the Army. She is a special assistant to an Asst. Secretary of the Army at the Pentagon.

Mark Locke lives in Wilmington, N.C. and tells me that it has more golf courses in a fifty mile radius than anywhere in the U.S. and invites everyone down for eighteen. He is working for Mabey Bridge & Shoring Construction.

Debra Chini married Charles Sullivan in October '93 and just had a son, Joseph Charles in March. She is an attorney with Hancock & Estabrook in Syracuse.

Marie Damour works as a Foreign Service Officer for the State Department and recently worked in France before transferring back to D.C. in August. Her degree in International Law is from American University.

Liese Cochran Mosher and husband **Jeff '85** had their first baby a few weeks prior to Homecoming so were not able to be there for obvious reasons! Liese is in public relations with Powell Tate.

Lisa Luxton Lucas and **Al '86** just had their fourth child, Quinn, in April and he just enjoyed his first Homecoming! They are still in the Baltimore area but may be moving soon. She tells me that **Mary Brennan Connors** (I can't remember her married name) is due with twins soon—she already has a three year-old at home!

Amy Beauchamp married **Edward Scherer III '86** in March of '91 and they just had their baby, Teddy, in March. Amy and Ed work at a securities firm in Richmond.

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Kirsten Teschauer is in Eastern Germany where she is a Senior Manager at Peat Marwick. She has lived there for the past five years.

Brooke Wanner Lucas had a baby girl, Madison, in August of '96 and was also recently promoted to account service coordinator for National Accounts Marketing East Coast Division with Kaiser Permanente. She and her husband John live in Stafford, Va.

Ellen Sullivan Blair received her M.Ed. in learning disabilities and is teaching at Oakridge Elementary in Arlington, Va. She writes that **Samantha Drennan** works as a legislative assistant with Multistate Associates in Arlington.

Edmund Pendleton and **Laura Harris Pendleton** are in Arlington with their son, Edmund, who is two.

Mark McMahon '88 and his wife Birgit live in Bern, Switzerland with son Brendan and are expecting their second child.

Julia Bonham Adair just began law school at T.C. Williams and is in Newport News with husband, Tom, and daughter Amelia.

Lynda Brown Turner is a pediatrician and is living in Iowa.

Jeff White lives with wife Lianne "on the bayou" about an hour southwest of New Orleans. He recently accepted a job with Marsanto Chemical Company and is a new dad to daughter, Julia Grace, who was born in February.

Theresa Whelan has worked for over six years in the Office of the Secretary of Defense in Foreign Affairs issues. Her specialty is Africa and she most recently traveled there in May. She was selected to attend the National War College for a year starting this past August. She resides in Alexandria.

George Buckley and wife **Julie Frakes Buckley '88** just had their second child, Abigail, this summer. Their oldest daughter Elizabeth turns five in January. Julie is with Merrill Lynch in N.J. and George began the MBA program at Hofstra University this fall. They are living in Baldwin, NY.

Andy Furnas is Plant Controller of Geon's LaPorte, Texas Vinyl Chloride Monomer plant and lives with wife Darlene and one year-old son Jonathan.

Lisa Koehl Mooney and husband Eric have just moved to Cooperstown, NY and are on staff at The Bassett Hospital. Lisa is in Pediatrics and Eric just completed his surgical training for three years at UMass Medical Center.

Andy Hunt recently returned to Virginia after leaving and working in Northern California for the last four years. He is District Controller for USA Waste in Richmond.

John "Jay" Black will step down at the end of this year from the Mathews County Board of Supervisors. He was first elected to a four year term, then re-elected in '93. He served twice as Chairman, and twice as Vice-Chairman. He works in investment brokerage with Davenport & Co. in Gloucester, VA.

James Homer Roberts Brady received his MBA from the Darden School of Business at UVA. in May. He is working for Friedman, Billings, Ramsey, & Co. in D.C.

Gay Ivey was recently awarded a Ph.D. in reading education at the University of GA. After school she got her M.Ed. at UVA., then worked as a teacher in Albermarle County, Va. She is now on the faculty of the Graduate School of Education at Rutgers University.

Kathy Healy is planning a May wedding in New Monmouth, NJ. She will marry Brian Fitzsimmons, a St. Bonaventure graduate. Kathy is a foreign language teacher and Brian is a mortgage underwriter for Provident Savings Bank in NJ.

Shannon Lilly married Edward Holland in July at the Founders Day Inn in Va. Beach. Kathy Healy and **Nancy Prutzan Paonessa** were bridesmaids.

Jeffrey Dodd received his M.D. at Medical College of Virginia in '92 and completed a three-year residency in Family Practice at Riverside Hospital in Newport News. He and wife Stephanie have a son and live in Powhatan, Va.

Sue Koester married **Chuck Rohde '90** in August. Chuck is a prosecutor and Sue is a neurobiology graduate student at the University of Illinois in Chicago. **Kendall Ramsey Delorier**, **Glen Gormley '84**, **Emily West '89**, her husband, **Charles Viles '88**, **Bob and Dana Leighty '86**, **Wayne and Tracey Moe '90**, **Jeff Kotter '90**, **José Quinterro '90**, **Shane '91** and **Kristin Eddy '90**, **Greg Slone '90**,

and **Sean O'Connell '90** all attended.

Karen and **Mark Hoerrner** welcomed daughter Ingrid Elizabeth on April twenty-fifth. Mark is an attorney with Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher, & Flom. He and Karen live in Chatham, N.J.

Chris Kidder moved to London from Brussels last year and established two companies to commercialize a Belgian product he had been involved with there. One company is charged with marketing and distribution in the U.K. and the second worldwide. Since moving to London, **Eric Jowett** and **Rusty Andrews** have paid visits. At a dinner party, he sat beside **Leslie McCormick '88** and it was awhile before the two realized they knew each other from W&M!

Tim Carroll spent a few years in California with a start up company and ended up back in Baltimore in the technology sector. He spent several years with Toshiba and five with Compaq. He has worked for an Internet start-up company called Digex since October. They have recently gone public and were acquired by ICI. He gets the opportunity to travel quite a bit and speaks at conferences throughout the country.

Nicole Drapeau Gillen lives with her husband, Bob, and four month-old baby, Gabrielle, in Herndon, Va. Nicole and Bob got married in October of '95 at Holy Trinity Church in Georgetown. **Wendy Coleman Stoddard** was a bridesmaid. Wendy is also married and has two daughters. Nicole works at Cable & Wireless doing Internet strategic development. Bob is a data network consultant for AT&T.

David Koman married Mona Rica Krukowski on September 1, 1996 at the Wren Chapel. With a reception following at Kingsmill Resort. Mona Rica graduated from Catholic University and works for MCI in its Brand Marketing Division. David is a trial attorney for the Department of the Navy, Office of General Counsel.

At Homecoming, I saw **Eric Fedewa**, who just celebrated his one-year wedding anniversary in October. He and his wife are living in Northern Virginia. **Danny Sheehan** was on hand at the tailgate as well and also is still in NOVA and works Downtown.

Sharon Meyers Levine and her husband Kenneth just had a baby girl in October. They are living in Charlotte, NC.

Wendy Willard Spalding and husband **Henry '88** are still in Richmond and have a son, Ben, and are expecting their second baby this spring.

There were so many of you that I had hoped to catch up with at Homecoming but never ran into. It would be great if you could each drop me a short note with what you are up to since so many people asked about you that weekend. I would love to hear from/about: **Jon Doyle**, **Eric Gorman**, **Dennis Whelan**, **Scott Flynn**, **Ellen Jaffe**, **Courtney Joyner**, **Ron Weber**, **Sue Pijawka**, **Scott and Janet Trimble**, **Mark Batzel**, **Susie Cruiser**, **Mariellen Alesso**, **Toni Jean Lisa**, and **Dana Baldwin**. I saw many of you but did not get a chance to write down much: **Leslie and Brian Anderson**, **Shawn Anderson** and husband Mark, **Dave and Kelly Pocta**, **Bruce Chase**, **Mark Costley** and **Drew Gillfillan**.

Jackie Genovese reports that she was happy to see some old classmates, including **Heidi Greenfield Gray** and her husband Al; **Pat Shembri**, **Molly Mulquin**, **Zach Palmer**, **Cindy Du Puy**, **Mike** and **Christine Bailey** and their three lovely children; **John Derrick**, **Patty Elliot** and **Jim Daughtery**, **Elizabeth Overstreet Trumbull**, her husband, Scott and beautiful baby girl; **Sasha Mobley**, **Mike Lorch '85**, **Karla Palmer** and **Tom Repke** and their lovely daughter, Hannah. Others who couldn't attend were **Suzan Eye Mann** and **Gerry Mann '85**, and their two children, Elizabeth and Forrest, and **Chris Foote**. Extra special thanks to **Kelly Metcalf-Meese**, **Elizabeth Shapiro**, **Christopher Bright**, **Katherine Healy**, **Steve Rosenberg**, **DeAnne McGranahan**, and **Alton Martin** for organizing the great Class of '87 party!

Happy New Year! Please keep the cards and letters coming — I really appreciate copies of holiday newsletters that some of you send! **Matt** and I are expecting a baby brother or sister for three year-old Matthew in February so I can use all the help with the next article that I can get!

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1989

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! Yet another Homecoming has come and gone, inching ever closer to our 10th reunion! Perhaps a bigger milestone was reached first though, as most of us turned the "Big 3-0" this year. If you have any comments, ideas, or insight on the newest decade of our lives, drop me a line and I will compile your theories in my next column!

Speaking of my next column, I have a few friendly reminders for anyone sending information; please include your name on all correspondence — especially important with e-mails! Deciphering screen names isn't an easy task Also, whenever possible, please include the class year of the people about whom you are writing (if not '89) and indicate whether a classmate's spouse is a W&M grad. This

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will be a tremendous help to me! Thanks for all of the great letters! E-mail is definitely becoming the most popular method of submitting news.

I saw only a few classmates during Homecoming, but I hope many of you were able to return and enjoy the weekend. On Sunday, I ran into **Jay Austin** and **John Fedewa** at a brunch for the Annual Fund's Fourth Century Club. Jay is living in N.Y.C., where he's employed by Philip Morris. John is still in Northern Virginia, planning the busy social calendar for W&M's D.C. Alumni Chapter. Anyone wishing to be on the chapter's e-mail list may e-mail John at john.fedewa@wtg.net.



Gayle

Scott Rhodes received a fellowship to work on his Ph.D. in Public Health at the University of Alabama. The focus of his studies is adolescent risk-taking behavior. Scott forwarded the news that **Darren Bowie** continues to travel the country for his job as an attorney with the Federal Trade Commission; and **David Bachetti** is steadily moving up within Riggs Bank.

Susan Riley Tracy and her husband, **Alex**, are busy raising their one-year-old daughter, Elizabeth, in Atlanta. Alex is in his second year of the Ph.D. program at the University of Georgia in Biochemistry/Molecular Biology, and Susan operates a family day care from their home.

I recently ran across an article in the *Richmond Times-Dispatch* about **Sarah Mendelsohn Kim**. She was promoted to executive director of the Science Museum of Virginia Foundation. Her husband, **Steve**, works with Ukrop's in Richmond.

Caryn Chittenden called a few months ago to get directions to **Karen Schultz Dash's** house, which is in my neighborhood. Caryn and **Kiki Dunton Hugill** were road-tripping to Richmond to surprise Karen on her 30th birthday. Caryn left the practice of law and now works at First Union in investment banking. She is also president of W&M's Alumni Chapter in Charlotte, N.C!

Charlotte seems to be a magnet for our classmates! **Cary Fishburne '90** is a doctor in the Queen City, and **John Norman** works there for Wheat First Butcher Singer Securities.

Kiki Dunton Hugill lives in nearby Winston-Salem with hubby, **John**. She is a law student at Wake Forest, and he is employed by Deloitte & Touche. Also a student at Wake, **Deborah Queeney** will soon complete her executive M.B.A. there. She works for First Union as a consultant in the Personal Estate Strategy and Capital Management Group.

Lauri Gabig Dragelin wrote a nice letter updating us on the happenings in her and husband **Tim's** lives. They live in NOVA with their four-year-old son, Alec, and one year-old daughter, Hope. Tim is back at Coopers & Lybrand after a brief "stint" with Capital One. He's now a director in C&L's Tysons Corner office of Construction Litigation Services. It sounds like Lauri is still an avid runner, having just run her sixth marathon — the N.Y.C. — with **Katie Hornbarger '90**.

Lauri and Tim look forward to visiting **Sallie Wellons McOwen** and husband, **Steve**, in San Francisco in February. Sallie teaches Spanish, while Steve is establishing a career with the F.B.I.

Lauri mentioned that **Charlotte Webb Taylor** moved to Oak Park, Ill. after marrying Doug, who is a professor.

Steve McKee lives in south Florida and manages a Rent-A-Center store. I suspect it's his life after hours that provides more excitement, however. His band, *Scream of Consciousness*, has just released a self-titled debut CD! Sales are great, and the band has appeared at lots of festivals, among other engagements. E-mail him at SMck20@aol.com for cd's and other information.

Kristin May Coulter lives in NOVA with husband, Jim, and daughter, Sara. She works part-time with KPMG as a tax manager.

Becky Pike Winebrenner e-mailed me about lots of babies, including one of her own! She and husband, **Jon '90**, welcomed the newest addition to their family just in time for Christmas 1996. Baby Maxwell joined his sister, Mary Kate, who's three now. Becky and Jon moved last year to Boca Grande, Fla., where Jon is the general manager of The Boca Bay Pass Club.

Other baby sightings according to Becky include **Linda Hartevelde McHale** and husband Mike's son, Connor, born last June; **Lisa Simpson Michaels** and husband Marc's, son Ryan, born in September; and **Ruth Philipp Baxley** and husband John's son, Jack, born last March. That's quite a few baby boys!

Amy Underhill Lythgoe and husband Mike welcomed daughter, Corinne Marie last April 23rd.

Steve McCleaf and wife Natalie celebrated the arrival of their first child, Andrew Homme, on August 23rd.

Kristin Master Slacin gave birth to her first child, Kathryn, in January of 1997. Kristin is a project manager for an environmental consulting firm in Arlington, and received an M.S. degree in systems management. She and husband Tim make their home in Annandale.

Leslee Fettig Dirnberger's and husband Tim's first child, Timothy Ryan, was born on March 31, just in time to move into their new Chicago home.

Amy Johnson Ford and husband **Mike** moved to Johnson City, Tenn., last summer and welcomed son, Miller Grey, on July 2nd. Miller joins sister, Madeline,

who turned two-years-old in August. Mike was recently named chief executive officer and president of Medical Management Services, and Amy is the national sales manager for the local Fox television affiliate.

It's official! The baby boom is now exceeding the marriage rate among classmates!

Dan Berry married Abbitha Wilcox on June 21. Groomsmen included **Jack Lebowitz** and **Peter Flora**. **Karen Barsness Boksen** and **Bobby Clontz** were among the guests. The newlyweds live in Greensboro, N.C.

Bethany Parker wed high school sweetheart Morris Mullin in Ocho Rios, Jamaica on June 6. About 50 friends and family made the trip to celebrate. The two honeymooned in the Greek Islands and now reside in Columbus, Ga., where Bethany is a bank vice president.

Janet Offerman works at William M. Mercer, Inc., in Richmond. She saw **Marlene Kiesel** not long ago, who is a sales representative for a pharmaceutical company in Pennsylvania.

In addition to announcing her daughter's birth, Kristin Master Slacin also passed along quite a bit of news concerning other classmates. **Jackie Brockman Tury** received a master's degree in social work and lives in Fairfax with husband, Paul.

Lisa Voelker Headley and husband, John, reside in White Stone, Va., along with their son, Jacob.

Kim Votava lives and works in N.Y.C. She is another marathon runner from our class, having run in the N.Y.C. marathon!

Tracy Lucas Moe just bought a house in Richmond's Fan District with husband, **Wayne**. Tracy teaches high school English in addition to being certified as a personal trainer.

Aurelia Amory Scharnhorst and husband, Ed, live in Blacksburg. She has earned a master's degree in forensic science.

Kristin would love to hear from Chicagoan **Larissa Galjan**. So Larissa, if you're reading this, please contact her at mslacin@erols.com.

Both Becky Pike Winebrenner and **Derek "Tuna" Turrietta** reported traveling to Nags Head last May for **Maureen Flaherty's** outdoor wedding to Bill Crone. The newlyweds now reside in Vincenza, Italy. The wedding sounds wonderful — one of the highlights (according to Derek!) was two canoes full of wine and champagne! A plethora of W&M alums attended, including **Kim Hogge Whitley '90**, **Eddie Cannon**, **Laurie Soltman**, **Mary Beth Rathert Crawford**, **Anne Lynch Smith**, **Laura Sutherland '90**, **Mary Ann James Clarke** and her husband, **Matt '88**, **Margaret Revere**, **Laurie Pearce**, **Liz Forrester '90** and **Katie Flaherty '90**.

In another Flaherty wedding, **Mike Savage** wed Maureen's sister, **Katie Flaherty '90** last June in Williamsburg. They make their home in Atlanta.

Derek and his wife just celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary and have a four-year-old daughter named Anna. Derek is in his fourth year of law practice as a civil litigator with the Norfolk firm of Stackhouse, Smith & Nexsen. His 30th birthday bash attracted guests such as **Elizabeth Gagliano Voorhees** and husband, **John**, who have a daughter named, Hannah.

Ashley Anders Schroeder is working on her ENT residency at Portsmouth General Hospital. Her husband **Mike** flies with the Navy. Word has it he was last seen "roughing it" on training flights in Key West.

Suzanne Hartley Abbot's company "McKenzie Kids" was recently profiled in an issue of *Child Magazine* for one of her innovative diaper bags. She and her husband **Steve '90** are considering moving to Atlanta from Oregon.

A letter from **John Powers** uncovered the fact that he's back in D.C. after spending two years working at the Lyndon B. Johnson Library at the University of Texas in Austin. His responsibilities entailed processing and editing the former President's recordings of telephone conversations for public release and publication. What an interesting and enlightening job that must have been! John loved the Texas lifestyle, but is happy in D.C., where he works for the National Archives processing President Nixon's tape recordings for public release.

While in Austin, John renewed some W&M friendships. **Niels Christensen** and his wife, Kathy, graciously let John live on their sofa for a few weeks while he searched for a place of his own. Niels was enrolled in the M.B.A. program at U.T., but has now graduated and moved to Philadelphia. John drank "many margaritas" with **Sue Haney '88**, who works in Austin for Arthur Andersen. Last summer, John, along with **John Bell '91**, spent 5 weeks backpacking around South America. Their journey covered the Amazon rainforest, Andean mountains and the Sacred Valley. John met up with **Lisa Londino Eggleston** and husband, **Kirk**, in Quito, Ecuador. The Egglestons have lived there for two years and teach at Academie Cotopaxi. They now have a one-year-old son, Nathan.

John's 30th birthday party was chock full of W&M grads. **John Boyd**, who is finishing his master's degree in marine biology, actually organized the festivities. Most of the party-goers live in or around D.C. **Kathleen Taylor** works on Capitol Hill in the office of the Speaker of the House. **Laura Stotz** works for an export company and lives in Old Town Alexandria. **Jeanne Foster** works for MCI in Arlington. **Jen Bidlake Cooper** lives in D.C. with hubby **Michael "Coops"**. They're busy chasing after their twins, Benjamin and Nicholas. Coops also has another job, as an economist for the Treasury Department. **Debbie Growitz** works at

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Marymount University while living in nearby Arlington. **Alisa Weaver** just bought a house in Burke with her husband Doug.

Jill Howard Daigle and her husband, **Dave**, live in N.Y.C. Dave works at Andersen Consulting and is currently on a year-long assignment in Chicago, where classmate **Jeff Kelly** resides.

Jennifer Bracken spent last summer traveling through Europe after completing her residency. She is now in an OB/GYN practice in Reston.

As for what's going on in my life, my husband **Al M.B.A. '95** and I are opening a Bassett Furniture Direct home furnishings store in Richmond's West End in January! Stop by and say hello if you're in the area! In an effort to update you on the goings on of even more classmates, I'm initiating a "Blast from the Past" section for this column. Each edition, I'll list several names of classmates we haven't heard from in a while, in the hopes of getting information about their whereabouts. So, send me the names of anyone you'd like to find! I'll kick it off with a few names of my own for next time; **Meghan Muldoon**, **Roy Wright** and **Courtney Christensen**, please write and let me know how you're doing. Anyone with information about these "Blast from the Past" inductees, please drop me a line! A big thanks to everyone who sent news. Keep up the good work! My next deadline is May 15. I look forward to hearing from you!

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Well, it certainly doesn't seem like six months since I last wrote the column, but it's true. I think that I must've missed a month somewhere in the middle of the summer. I hope that lots of people were able to make it to Homecoming. Please send all the Homecoming gossip, as I didn't have the pleasure of attending this year.

But most importantly, here's the most recent news:

The newlywed **Kerri Klimas Gray** wrote with tons of news. Fellow Georgetown University Hospital resident, **Michele Trippel**, was recently engaged to Gerald Radican, a friend of **Steve Hagenlock's** that Steve originally introduced to Michele about 2 years ago. The wedding is planned for May, right before Kerri, her husband Mike, and Michele finish their residencies at Georgetown.

Kerri writes that **Heather Swain Shupp** was recently promoted to assistant director of marketing for a publishing company in Bloomington, Ill. She and husband **Rob** will be there for at least another year while he writes his economics dissertation at Indiana U.

Jen Stowe is now the director of public relations for the National Libraries Association in D.C. Kerri wrote that she was also recently a star bowler in Arlington for her company's team in the local league. **Leah Tobin** is still living in Savannah, working on her residency.

Kim Luu Wence also wrote with lots of news: Kim and husband Dean have recently moved to Pensacola, Fla., where Dean is instructing naval aviators how to fly, and Kim is with a local CPA firm as a Senior Tax Accountant. Kim and Dean are also new homeowners, having their own new home built in Pensacola.

In other news, at the time of Kim's e-mail, **J.D.** and **Cathy Clayton Boon** were on the verge of having their first child, expected to be a girl.

Kim also wrote that **Carolyn Dilley** also has good news on the domestic front, being wed to Brian Dempsey this summer in her hometown of Fremont, Nebraska.

Heidi Mesmer had lots of news as well: Heidi and husband Eric recently moved from Maryland to Tampa, Florida where they are both pursuing Ph.Ds at the University of South Florida. Dedicating themselves to our youth, Heidi is studying for her degree in reading education and he is in the area of school psychology.

Heidi also wrote that **Tessy Joyce Wesley** and her husband, Marty will be moving from Charlotte, N.C., to Chapel Hill where Marty will be pursuing an MBA. Tessy will be teaching in nearby Cary at Davis Hill Elementary.

Jennifer Horrocks Francois and **Kent** are currently living in Australia, where Kent works for Deloitte and Touche. Recently they were in the country for Kent to attend training and to introduce the newest member of their family, Emma Jane Francois, born on May 18, 1997.

Bryan Brendley, whose e-mail title of science laboratory coordinator/lecturer in biology is the most impressive I've seen thus far, wrote that since his last news, he finished his Ph.D. in Plant Physiology in Jan. '96 from Penn State — and was congratulated by President Clinton himself at his graduation. Following a postdoctoral position at PSU, Bryan has been working at Penn State Altoona College as a lecturer, tutor, and science lab coordinator (hence the impressive title). Bryan was recently hired as an assistant professor of biology at Gannon University in Erie, Pa. Bryan and his wife, Deb, moved at the end of July and are hoping to finally stay in one place for a bit, having moved four times in three years of marriage.

Michael Kendall, a newly ordained Elder in the United Methodist Church

(Michael described himself as a "fully armed & dangerous ordained minister"). Michael continues to serve a church in the hamlet of Carson, Va. (sunny Southside, Va). Michael welcomes anyone travelling I-95 between Petersburg and Emporia is invited to stop by. Find Exit 37 on Interstate 95 just south of Route 35. Michael says: Go west of 301 into Carson, and ask, "Where's the Methodist preacher's house!?"

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Art: Alaskan Style

"The way I work in Alaska is a lot like the old way of working in Alaska," says David Stephens '83. "In the long days of summer, you work hard to make a living. Winter is a more introspective time, in which you make art and display your cultural wealth."

Although he grew up in Virginia, Stephens feels quite at home in the northern annual rhythms. During the summer, he travels the Northwest Coast leading natural history tours aboard ecotourism cruise ships. The colder months find him in Olympia pursuing the art of Native American woodcarving. His masks, totem poles, and rattles are displayed in galleries across the country.



David Stephens '83 considers himself a traditional Native American artist. His pieces include totem poles, engravings, carvings and rattles.

Stephens has always been interested in the Native American art and culture of the Northwest Coast, though his first trip west wasn't until he graduated from William and Mary. When a classmate announced that he was hitchhiking across the country to visit a friend at the University of Washington, Stephens saw a good opportunity. Together they hitchhiked 5,000 miles to "where the mountains meet the sea," and Stephens has been there ever since.

Upon arriving in Washington, he was overwhelmed by the Native art that surrounded him there. "I thought, forget biology-I had to

learn as much about this art form as I could," Stephens remarks. While working as a naturalist at a National Park, Stephens took classes on Northwest Coast art and culture at the University of Washington. He simultaneously studied hands-on carving techniques from artist Duane Pasco, and within two years, he was carving professionally.

Stephens considers himself a traditionalist in the art form, and his works include 13-foot totem poles, intricate rattles, silver engravings and ivory carvings. He also carves masks and bent-wood boxes based on Native American mythology. "The best known myth is about the Raven," he said. "It is considered one of the most intelligent birds, and with its many different kinds of calls, it's easy to imagine that it has a soul. In most myths, Raven is always trying to serve himself, but in doing so he ends up serving humanity."

According to Native American mythology, Raven is credited with carrying the sun to the sky and bringing light to the world. Stephens has expressed this myth through a raven mask with an articulated jaw. "When its mouth opens, you can see that Raven is holding a disc in its mouth, which represents the sun," he explains.

As it turns out, Stephens didn't completely "forget biology." His natural history tours, which span the West Coast from southeast Alaska to Baja California, serve as both an outlet and a source for his art.

"The two dovetail nicely," he says. "During tours, I have the chance to interpret art and culture, while I see lots of bald eagles and ravens and killer whales."

Although the land changes little, Stephens tries to build variety into every trip. Most of the time he does this through slideshows, but if travelers are lucky, they may have the opportunity to see what few others have seen. "I learned traditional dance from Henry Seaweed of the Nakwaxadaxw tribe," he says. "He has given me the right to wear certain ceremonial regalia and do certain dances. On rare occasions, I dance for people with whom I travel."

Conscious of the Native American stereotypes, Stephens refrains from trying to articulate his attraction to this rich culture. "I was drawn to the beauty of the art," he says simply. "I'm interested in the culture in a very material way."

— Amanda Roche '97

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Carrie Hendrickson Wendelburg wrote with lots of news. Carrie was married to **Kevin Wendelburg** in October '94 and the couple are currently living in Atlanta with their Standard Poodle, Jack. Kevin is a captain with ValuJet Airlines, and Carrie recently joined Kevin's father's financial planning business. Carrie and Kevin recently attended **Ashok Subramanian's** wedding to Monica Petrean in Wilmington, Del. Kevin was a groomsman along with W&M alums **Jeremy Dawson '92** and **Tony Nobili '92**. Other W&M guests included: **Aaron Zebley '92**, **Rick Kim**, **Pete Kageleiry**, **Robin Obenchain**, **Jim Jones '90**, **Tamara Tieman** and **Chuck Allenberg JD '91**. Ashok is completing his residency in emergency medicine in Detroit, Mich.

Paige Edwards was an Atlanta resident while working as a summer intern at Ernst & Young. Paige is pursuing her MBA at UNC.

Angela Hosang Gillian wrote to give us her life update. While living and working in D.C. for a couple of years after graduation, Angela met her future husband, Kevin, while attending **Annette Shaw's '90** wedding in N.J. Angela and Kevin dated for the next five years, and although only living in the same city for about 1.5 years of that time. Eventually, the couple both ended up in Minneapolis, where Angela went back to grad school for an MBA at the University of Minnesota. Since their experience in the Minnesota cold, Angela and Kevin moved to California a couple of years ago, again, destined to live apart. Angela was working in San Francisco for a marketing research company called Information Resources, Inc. while Kevin was working in Sacramento. The couple finally found themselves in the same place this spring at their April wedding. The couple moved to Sacramento this summer. Angela is still working with the same company, telecommuting from home.

Brenda Chase Hill and husband Ted are living in Corona, Calif. Brenda and Ted had their first child, Mandy Victoria, on April 2. Prior to Mandy's birth, Brenda was working as a fourth- and fifth-grade teacher at a private Christian school. Brenda is now working as a full-time mom and keeping the books for Ted's two businesses. **Rich Smith**, perhaps my most entertaining correspondent, wrote with lots of news from Moscow. I will attempt to succinctly sum up. First, **Steve Faherty** is back in the States from an extended stay somewhere in China. He was studying Chinese at an international school attended by, as Rich put it that Steve put it, "at least one student from every country in the world." Steve is currently doing legal work of some sort in the D.C. area.

Barney Bishop visited Rich and his fiancée in late June, conveniently in town to act as Rich's best man at his July wedding. Rich relayed that he and his wife Viktoria Mikhailovna Komarovskaya, or Vika, are trying to lure Barney back to Russia by setting him up with one of Vika's girlfriends. Barney also had the luck of accompanying Rich and Vika on their honeymoon (or Rich and Vika honeymooned during Barney's visits through Russia). The threesome traveled together through European Russia and Finland. Barney, post-honeymoon/travels, returned to the States to finish the last stages of his Ph.D. in inorganic chemistry, and to begin his post-doc work at Yale.

With regard to more details on Rich's life, Rich quit his job as international programs director for Tver InterContact Group in Tver about one year ago, and moved to Moscow to be closer to his fiancée. With her help, he found a job as a legal secretary with the Moscow office of the second largest law firm in the world, Clifford Chance. When the Moscow office expanded, Rich was promoted to attorney. Rich's comment: "So here I am now, working for the most prestigious law firm in Russia, sitting on a job I am grossly unqualified for and would never have landed in the U.S., I might add... all thanks to a bit of knowledge of Russian and my wife's getting me an interview as a secretary."

Phil Reynolds is teaching mathematics to seventh-graders, and also coaching several of his school's sports teams.

Karen Farabaugh, perhaps my most faithful writer, wrote about the updates in her, and husband **Michael's**, lives. The Farabaughs, with daughter Megan, moved to Charlottesville in April, as Michael was accepted into the masters of teaching program at UVa. Karen is currently working as a home care physical therapist at the Martha Jefferson Hospital.

Beth Agee Chancy also dropped me a line. After completing graduate school, Beth was hired by the University of Denver (DU) to be the director of Greek Life. While in Denver, Beth lived with **Amy Heefner '92**, a psychology Ph.D. student at DU. Beth married Scot Chancy, a UVa. grad, in the chapel at the University of Richmond in November 1996. **Martha Agee '95**, **Nancy Cornell Sommerfeld** and **Andrea West Wortzel** were in the wedding party. Beth and Scot currently live in Aylett, Va., in a house that Scot built (wow!) and have been spending their spare time finishing the second floor themselves.

Eric Kauders and **Keane Dabney** recently announced their engagement. The happy couple is planning to be married in July in Richmond. Eric is still working for the law firm of McGuire Woods and Keane is working as a high school teacher in the Richmond area.

John and Robyn Seemann Mehlenbeck recently moved to San Diego from Memphis. Prior to the move, Robyn defended her dissertation. She'll earn her Ph.D. in clinical psychology at the end of her internship year. Robyn is working specifically with teenagers. John just finished two years as a pediatric intensive care nurse at LeBonheur children's Hospital in Memphis and recently started a job working with abused and neglected children.

Joanne Arnold is currently living in Minneapolis, where she works for the

Godchild Project, an organization which focuses on family development in Guatemala. Prior to this position, Joanne spent several years working for Habitat for Humanity.

Mike Minieri recently joined the Philadelphia law firm of Schnader Harrison Segal & Lewis. Mike is working in the Business Department of the firm. Mike graduated from the University of Texas School of Law, where he wrote for the business law journal.

Alane Cameron Miles is currently a master of divinity student at Union Theological Seminary. Alane will be spending this year as an intern at the first Unitarian Church in Richmond. Alane and her husband, **Scott '90**, live in Charlottesville. **Sarah Stover** recently received her MBA from the Darden School at UVa. Sarah is currently working at Arthur Anderson.

Lynn Markovich Smith, a first-grade teacher at Hampton Oaks Elementary School in Stafford, was recently one of seven Washington metropolitan area teachers selected to participate in the Kennedy Center ArtsEdge Fellow Program, a pilot program which integrates arts and technology in the classroom. Lynn received her masters from George Mason University.

As for me, life seems not to have changed much since last I wrote (except for the seasons, of course). I'm still working for Societe Generale in the project finance group. I've been travelling quite a bit this year on business and on what I called the Wedding Tour, attending weddings across the globe, notably in Italy and Turkey. I also spent two weeks in Sao Paulo on business this summer, managing to drink only about two caipirinhas and not eat in the hotel restaurant only twice. Other than that, I'm just doing the same stuff in New York, working too much, staying out too late and not eating enough vegetables. I hope that everyone has a chance to drop me a line with their news (even if it's to let me know that you are eating enough vegetables). Happy holidays, and write soon.

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1993

Holiday greetings from the Big Apple! My best wishes to all of you for a joyous and successful new year.

Weddings: **Colleen Bellamy** and **Bradley Cutler Galle** were married on May 31, 1997, in the Wayne United Methodist Church in Wayne, Pa. **Heather Russell** and **Holly Hartman Simmons** were Colleen's bridesmaids. There were several W&M classmates at the wedding, and we all had a great time. Colleen is working for J.P. Morgan in the global credit department. She and I are on the NY Chapter Board, and try to catch up between meetings, but recently things have been too busy.

Heather Russell married **Darren Andrew Koeing** on Aug. 19, 1997, at Christ Church in Georgetown. Heather's maid of honor was her sister, **Holly**, and her matron of honor was **Holly Simmons**. **Colleen Bellamy Galle** and **Crystal Anderson Polis** was also a bridesmaid in the wedding. Heather is currently clerking for a judge in D.C., but may join us in New York to work for the Federal Reserve Bank in 1998. The usual suspects gathered for Heather's wedding, and as expected, we spent most of our time gossiping and catching up with each other.

Michael Mattozzi was married to **Louisa Parker** in Saint Paul's Memorial Church in Charlottesville, Va., on May 31, 1997. Mike is working for the University of Virginia, and the couple works in Charlottesville.

Laura Romano married **Dan Stimson** on June 28, 1997, at Raspberry Plain in Leesburg, Va. Laura's bridesmaids included **Kary Bartenhagen Phillips**, **Anne Barrett** and **Debbie Bayster McKinsey**. **Sal Cianci** was a groomsman. Both bride and groom are working on graduate degrees in biomedical sciences at the University of Arizona in Tucson.

Birth announcements: **Katie** and **Ed McCormack** sent me the birth announcement of their son, **Seamus Kelly McCormack**, who was born on Aug. 28, 1997. Katie included a photo of her little one, and although I may be a biased opinion, I can state with confidence that Seamus is a beautiful child.

Elizabeth Beehler Woodward wrote to announce the birth of her son, **Ryan Cary Woodward**, who was born on Feb. 4, 1997. Last I heard, Elizabeth and her husband planned to relocate to Maryland, where she planned to get her MBA at the University of Maryland.

April and Bruce Redmond '91 had a baby boy, **William Peyton**, who was born



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Let the good times roll!

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March 7, 1997, in Reston, Va. April is working as an international trade specialist in the Office of NAFTA and Inter-American Affairs at the U.S. Department of Commerce. Bruce is a software developer for SRA International in Fairfax, Va.

Chris Whitechurch Ingraham and her husband, Ivan, had a baby boy, Sean Kevin Ingraham. Chris also wrote that on Aug. 19, 1997, **Shelley Cunningham Harber** had a daughter, whom they named Megan Lynn Harber.

Amy Corner has become the world traveler with a whirlwind tour of several cities in Greece, Turkey, Tunisia, Egypt, Kenya, Nepal, India, Thailand, Singapore, Indonesia, Australia and New Zealand on a grand backpacking adventure. From London Bridge to African safari, she has been keeping us posted on her travels through postcards and updates to her web site.

Holly and **John Simmons '92** have been doing a bit of traveling also. In the summer, the two flew to Africa to visit some of the game parks in Zimbabwe and Victoria Falls, and then headed to Seattle for Labor Day. After safari, John told adventurous stories of canoeing in alligator-infested rivers, hiking through lion-inhabited brush, and whitewater rafting. The brave couple returned to NYC, where they both still work for J.P. Morgan.

Mari Capestany joined **Anne Westfall** and me for Homecoming this year. Mari is finishing up her MBA at UVa., and Anne is still in Atlanta. While we were in the 'Burg, we caught up with **Ana Dzura** and **Ann Leddy '92** at the Green Leaf during the football game. Ana is living in Connecticut on the coast and is working on a consultant project with Unilever. Although just a Metro-North train ride away, it has been tough finding time to get together because she and I have both been traveling a lot lately.

I did not get to see **Laura** and **Steve Newmark** at Homecoming, but did chat with them in D.C. when we attended Heather Koeing's wedding. Laura and Steve are still living in North Carolina and have a new addition to the family ... a new puppy, which Steve gave to Laura for their anniversary.

Jen Reichl is still in Philly, getting her Ph.D. at U. Penn. Jen often runs into Crystal and **Dan Polis**, who are also living in the City of Brotherly Love. Last I heard, she was trying to schedule some time off from her studies to join Amy Corner in at least one leg of her international travels.

Michele Lemons is also in the last year of her Ph.D. in Florida. Michele has been quite a Dave Matthews Band groupie lately, and has seen several concerts. When she is not the avid concert-goer, she travels around the country giving presentations on the great work she is doing in spinal cord injury research.

Katherine '92 and **McGregor Gould** have bought a house in the Richmond area. I ran into the Homeowners briefly at Homecoming, and they mentioned that **Edie Luther's** grandparents once owned the house. What a small world.

Kelly and **John Curtiss** are now living in Boston, where John is getting his MBA at Harvard. The two are happy to be back in the states after their time in Hong Kong, but they still miss China.

Elizabeth Corrie sent me an e-mail recently to update us with her news. Elizabeth is currently working on her Ph.D. in religion at Emory University in Atlanta after receiving her Masters of Divinity. Last spring, she traveled in Brussels with **Anne Smith**, who is working on a master's degree in European studies at the Universite Libre Buxelles.

Shannon Lynn Russell wrote to tell me that she is working on her MBA at William and Mary. Shannon and her husband, John, live in Virginia Beach, which is a bit of a commute. She noted that she misses the walk to classes from Monroe where we both lived freshman year.

Karl Otto and **Alexandra Scott** recently channeled their Tribe spirit into the creation of Green & Gold spirits! Karl and Alexandra planned a W&M happy hour to brew beer and the group came up with several tasty brews. Other classmates in attendance were **Rob Lowry** and **Jessica Johnson**. Cheers!

Karl also spent some time with **Valerie Kazanjian** in San Francisco on vacation. After about a year and a half without a break, the vacation was a welcome holiday. Valerie works for the House Oversight Committee and lives in Washington, D.C.

Missy Santoro left her position as legislative assistant and counsel in the office of Congressman Robert C. Scott (D-Va.) in order to fulfill her longtime goal of lobbying environmental issues. She has accepted a position at the American Wind Energy Association in Washington, D.C. Missy reports she is thrilled with the career move and life in the city she now calls home.

After running the Virginia State Games in 1995 and an AAU National 14-Under Boys Basketball Tournament in 1996, **Michele Kavulich** left Richmond for Charlottesville. Michele is now working for UVa. as the director of sports promotions.

Brandy Brooks '92 sent me an e-mail updating me with his news. He is working as a veterinarian in Hampton, Va.

Last I heard, **Margaret Bergamin** was planning a move to San Diego. Margaret wrote to announce that she graduated from GMU with a master's degree in childhood education. Her plans were to teach a class from kindergarten through third-grade. She also wrote that **Margaret Bartee** was in a rainforest in Peru, volunteering for an environmental organization that collects data on regional wildlife.

Sean Forschler dropped me a line to mention that he is now a fourth-grade

teacher at Anthony T. Lane Elementary School in Fairfax County, Va., and is living in Arlington, Va.

Jen and **Mike Condro** are both doing well. Recently, they took a Caribbean cruise, and, last I heard, the two were planning trips to Scottsdale and Las Vegas, where Mike was attending training for Deloitte & Touche.

Anne Redd Chamberlin e-mailed me with some news about herself. Anne and her husband, David, moved to Washington, D.C., where David is an associate at Burson-Marsteller. She has run into several classmates, including **Liz Wood** and **Lindley** and **Coby Beck**. Anne mentioned that Lindley and Coby are still in Williamsburg, where she is in her fifth year of teaching, while Coby is in his final year of law school. Thanks for the note, Anne.

Jon Guhl wrote with his exciting engagement news. In traditional fashion, Jon proposed to Heather Lewis on the Crim Dell bridge, and has plans for a May wedding. Jon also wrote that **Steve Rubin** was finishing an internship for the Senate Committee on Natural Resources, and **Cleve Fisher** is managing a shoe store in Atlanta, Ga.

Hilary Williams dropped me a line from Thailand, where she is still working for the Peace Corps. Her tour was going to end this year, and last I heard, she planned to do a bit of travelling in Southeast Asia before heading back to the 'Burg for Christmas. Hillary mentioned that she heard that **Maureen Peed** was engaged with plans to move to California, and that **Genevieve Dodge** was working on her teaching degree in Boston, and had recently purchased a thoroughbred horse named Questionnaire.

Robyn and **Todd Harold** moved to Michigan, where Todd works for Follett Library Resources as an account manager. Robyn and Todd have a two-year-old daughter named Kathryn Joy.

Heather Scott dropped me a note with news that she is completing her master's degree in physical therapy at the Mayo School of Health-Related Science in Rochester, Minn. She accepted a job with the Johnson City Medical Center in Northeast Tennessee, and planned to begin work by the end of the year. Congratulations on your new job!

Wendy Lochridge Cook and her husband, Marc, have moved from North Carolina to the Big Easy. In June, Marc matched his residency at Tulane, and the two moved to New Orleans. Enjoy your time in Cajun country!

Andrea McClellan graduated from Shenandoah University in the spring with a master's degree in physical therapy, and was working for the hospital at UNC-Chapel Hill.

Jamie Lemmond is working for K-Life, a junior high school/high school in Dallas, Texas. He plans to stay with the school for at least three years.

Sal Cianci relocated to San Diego, Calif., from Arlington, Va., in September. He is still working for the Navy.

Cathy Degneova wrote to inform me that she just graduated from law school and is working as an attorney for Brown, Hay & Stephens in Springfield, Ill. She noted that she just got engaged to a law school classmate named Rob Carter. Cathy is planning a wedding in June 1998. She also wrote that **Jenny Gornall** is practicing law in Erie, Pa., and met a group in Virginia last August. They met up with **Andrew Comerford**, who is in his first year at Indiana pursuing his MBA. Cathy also included in her e-mail that **Zeke Knox** just graduated from law school at Boulder.

Classmate **Mei Li Garcia-Beane** has been making headlines recently. In the spring, she performed a voice recital at Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church in April that included a collection of Broadway tunes. She is also formally engaged in vocal lessons with Mary Fletcher at William and Mary.

Michael R. Wojciechowski is a second-lieutenant in the Army and was awarded the Expert Field Medical Badge, the Army's highest non-combat proficiency award for medical personnel. Michael is a medical platoon leader with the Fourth Infantry Division at Fort Hood, Texas.

Heather McIntyre graduated in May with a J.D. from Washington University in St. Louis. Heather was presented with the Charles Trobman Memorial Award for the highest grade in immigration law, and the Family Law Award for outstanding scholastic achievement in family law. In addition, she was selected to the Order of the Coif for academic excellence.

Brian Caton wrote that he is traveling to Pakistan and London conducting dissertation research. He has plans to return to the U.S. in May 1998, but will continue his research in India for the '98-'99 academic year.

Brian Foster has been appointed to town manager of Altavista, Va. He was formerly the assistant town manager for the town of South Hill.

Klaus Planton has returned to the Tri-State area. He was recently working in Atlanta, but relocated to New York, where he is working for IBM while pursuing his master's degree at Columbia University.

Keith Booker dropped me a line to announce his graduation from Wake Forest Law School. Keith is working as an account executive for International Management Group (IMG) in Kansas City, Mo. Despite a job right out of the movie *Jerry McGuire*, he still gets to see **Jay Cunningham**, who is working for Ferguson Enterprises as a sales manager.

Kristine and **Sean Blackman** are living in Washington, D.C., where Sean is an attorney with the Enforcement Division of the U.S. Securities & Exchange

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Commission. Christine is the director of development research for George Mason University.

As for me, I was just appointed to a new position in the American Arbitration Association. I am now the director of educational outreach for the Association, and am responsible for continuing legal and professional education programs as well as corporate in-house trainings in all areas of conflict avoidance, dispute resolution and creative business solutions. Work has kept me very busy, but I have had the chance to visit with some old friends, including a July 4th trip to Seattle with **Scott McDaniel '92**, who lives and works in San Francisco. At the end of the summer, **Craig Phillips '92** and **Jacques Herman '92** threw a great party, where I ran into **Todd Carter**, **Jamie Stern '95**, **Joe Jordan '95**, **Nick Joseph '92**, **Seth Bromberger '92**, **Derek Gottschall '94** and several others. Craig just got a great job with the 20th Century Fox, where he will be developing the international market share of the company's motion pictures.

I know it's early to discuss our fifth-year reunion, but **Mike Murphy** asked me to pass the word that he is currently brainstorming for next year's Homecoming. If you are interested in passing along some ideas or thoughts, please e-mail him at mjmurphy@siu.edu. He was taking notes at Homecoming and has some great ideas for next year. Also, classmate, **Craig Connell** developed a Class of '93 website (www.geocities.com/CollegePark/Union/7935/index.html).

Thank you all for your news and e-mails. Please continue to keep me posted throughout the new year.

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1995

Hello All,

An unexpected trip East gave me the chance to make it to Homecoming this year, and I realized this was my first "official" trip back to school since we graduated. **Krisna Davis**, the recently bearded **Chuck Becker**, and **Big Mike Dyroff** joined me for Homecoming adventures. There is nothing like wandering down DOG street, swinging beer mugs while throwing peanuts at a tavern, and strumming tunes down by Matoaka. Me, well, I've moved again - that's 4 times in 2 years - always on the search for cheaper rent. I now live in the heart of San Francisco in a cute little flat surrounded by shops and restaurants. Life out west is good, **Mitch Sava '93** and I spent the weekend wandering around the Sonoma Valley, tasting the wines and enjoying the warm winter weather. We went to see *School House Rock* in the city on Saturday night, and it was a great way to catch up on old memories. I want to thank everyone who replied to my plea for information, I was overwhelmed by the responses. So here we go:



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GRAD SCHOOL

Aleksandra Holod is at the University of Oregon working towards a masters in fine arts in painting. She's finding the West Coast a world apart from the East Coast, "I think every retired dead head comes here to live out his/her last years." **Stephanie Hamilton** is WONDERFUL! Along with pursuing graduate studies in veterinary medicine at Virginia Tech, she has been named super-model of the year among graduate student women. When she isn't neutering small animals, she is sunbathing on the beaches of the Cayman Islands, enjoying tropical drinks brought to her by cabana boys. **Julie McGhee** is in the same program at Virginia Tech and interned this summer with a large animal veterinarian in Winston-Salem. She performed her first operation this summer, a castration to a kitten, which was performed on her kitchen table (don't worry, she used anesthesia). She became so attached to the kitty that she decided to adopt him. **Harjot Kaur Singh** spent the summer doing sickle cell research at MCV. She started her second year of med school this year and is excited that her brother is starting at W&M in the fall. **Eric Hermes** is in his second year of Med school at the University of Southern Florida. **Lisa Math** has already earned a master's degree at Harvard in biology/medicine, and is continuing to pursue a Ph.D. **Melissa Morris** is on her third year of law school at Washington and Lee. She was in Richmond for the summer working as a legal intern at the Virginia Office of the Chesapeake Bay Foundation. She just got a job with the Air Force JAG for the next four years. **Monica McCarrol '94** started her first year at UVa. law and is surviving quite well! **Jeff Jaeckel** is in his last year of law school at University of Wisconsin - Madison. He spent last summer in D.C. working for Dow, Lohnes & Alberston. He will be returning this summer to work for the same firm. **Brien Schiappa** is finishing her masters work at Case Western. **Cathleen Corrie** is currently pursuing graduate study in French at Emory University. **Carrie Euler** spent the year after graduation at the University of St. Andrews in Scotland, where she

earned a masters degree in Reformation History. She was able to travel around much of Britain and Europe before returning to the states in October, 1996. She spent a year at home working in D.C. and doing Ph.D. applications. She was accepted at John Hopkins University where she is now beginning a Ph.D. in history. **Danny** and **Katy Pattarini '94** live in Northern Virginia. Prior to attending American University, where he is working on a masters in Middle Eastern studies, Danny worked as a legal assistant at Hogan 7 Hartson, in D.C. Danny is involved with an Improvisational Theater troupe called Comedy Sports and is a show almost every week. Katy teaches elementary school in Alexandria.

WORKING WORLD

Jennifer Boulden worked at IBM as a marketing specialist for two years and recently gave her resignation to sow those wild oats and see the world. She is currently living in Antigua, Guatemala and then plans on moving to NYC to pursue a part time MBA at NYU and a new career. She will be working in the new media division of Hearst Publishing, the company that publishes *Cosmopolitan*, *Redbook*, etc. and she has never been happier. **Katherine Eddy** earned a master of science degree in human nutrition and foods from Virginia Tech and is now working as a dietetic intern in New Haven, Conn. **Bryan Cheek** is a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army and has been serving in the First Armored Division for two years, the first in Bosnia. In March, he married **Jennifer Cleghorn '96** and they have been touring Europe together in their spare time. He keeps in touch with several alums through e-mail including **Jeff Jaeckel**, **Tim Wolfe**, **Kelly Winter**, **Brien Schiappa**, and **Julie McGhee**. The Psi U web site also keeps him posted with chapter happenings. He manages to see **Roger Nelson** a few times a year who is also serving in Germany. **Marty Smith** is working as an Oracle DBA for the Baptist International Mission Board, the agency responsible for sending out missionaries and volunteers from Baptist churches. Marty lives in Richmond in a great little townhouse with **Kim Lee '96**. When he's not working he find the time to play in the garden, teach a few piano lessons, take piano lessons and enjoy time with the folks in Richmond. **Randy Lee** is in Missouri working full-time for Barnabas Ministries, an amazing camp for handicapped children who need attention and love. **Shannon Schinagl** lives down the street from Marty, and gave teaching a whirl last year. She rewarded herself with a much needed vacation in Seattle, Washington. **Michelle Mystkowski** survived as a six month leave replacement for a high school Spanish teacher, then went on to teach English as a second language in an intensive language program to priests, sisters, and seminaries for the summer. In August she relocated to Texas as a Jesuit Volunteer teaching ESL to Mexican ladies in the Rio Grade Valley. Her brother **Chris Mystkowski '94**, AKA "Stork" continues to keep the computers running in the Georgetown University Law School Library. **Mikki Sargent** wrote with an abundance of news! She is active in Young Guard and loves the monthly Tribe Thursdays which are great social gatherings for those W&M NOVA alums. She is living in Fairfax with **Jen Morgan '96** and recently switched jobs at PRC. She went from being an associate engineer to a consultant. She is excited about the possibility of the travel to client sites and hopes when this is published she can read it on the Florida beaches (if it's not raining). She recently ran into **Jen O'Dell** and **Tanya Batavia** who live together in Fairfax. Both are happy with their jobs and Tanya recently switched from teaching fourth-graders to fifth-graders, which she seems to enjoy much better. She saw them at the townhouse of **Liz Hall**, **Tara Palmquist**, **Kristinia Kreamer '96** and **Amie Long '96**, in Arlington, Va. Liz and Tara are busy working long hours for Coopers and Lybrand but are both really enjoying it and have found themselves traveling all over the place, from Florida to Boston. **Allison Wilder** is on her second year of teaching at the Olney Friends School in Barnsville, Ohio. She is getting a different perspective on teaching as this is a boarding school and when she isn't teaching, she's supervising a dorm full of girls. **Scott Simpson** is keeping himself busy working for Capitol One in Richmond. He had kept close contact with **Joby Decoster** and **Chris Ibsen**. Joby is currently living in Boston and Chris and **Lisa Ibsen** recently moved from Houston to Charleston. **Robin Jones** recently left Arthur Andersen to work at the Discovery Channel. **Glen Nofsinger** moved to San Diego this summer and works for Cymer. **Nick Dusenbury** has been working at Arthur Andersen for over a year. In July **Christa Cully**, **Kelly Winter**, **Katie Jarmon** and **Aline Christensen** met in NYC to see *Rent*. Katie is an Account Manager for Deluxe Financial Services, in Albany, NY and on the weekends she is a Ski Ambassador at Killington, Vt. Aline is in Fairfax County teaching special education to kindergarten and first graders after completing her masters at George Washington University in May, 1996. Crista moved from DC to Atlanta, Georgia and is now working for Dean Witter as an assistant stockbroker.

Wendy Teepe recently returned from Switzerland with AMS and is now working in Birmingham, Ala., where **Sally Jones Gay '94** lives with her husband, **Noah Gay '93**. **Mary Reed** joined William Morrow, the book publisher, as an associate managing editor in Manhattan, NY. **Marisa Gabriel** is a member of the marketing department of the Franklin Mint in Philadelphia. **Teresa Younger** works at *Family Circle* in NYC. **Colleen Gorman** is a Clinical research associate with Alteon pharmaceutical and runs marathons in her spare time. **Cally Coddling** continues to teach elementary school in Norther Virginia and is enjoying it quite a bit. **Joanna Pleasant** is working as a dean of admissions for W&M. After **Lisa**

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Ferrante got her masters in Italy, she returned to the states where she spent the last year working as an Italian professor. During her summer off, she traveled to California where she taught Italian during the week and traveled to the coast on the weekends.

MARRIAGES: **Alice Rannenberg** and **Jim Nyberg** were married on November 1, 1997. **Jessica Seffrin**, **Rebecca Nahoum**, **Leigh Daniels**, **Aaron Norfolk**, **Tom Pappalardo**, **John Finarelli** and **Allison Ingram Stansbery** were in the wedding. Alice recently switched jobs and is now working for Coopers and Lybrand. Jim continues to work on the hill. Jessica lives in Richmond and is living with **Lane Aulick**, she works in a medical center and is applying to Med School. The anonymous person who sent in this information, wanted me to mention that Jessica hasn't changed a bit and is still as crazy as a loon. **Tracy McNeish** got married in September, and moved to Richmond. She recently finished her internship at the national Institute of Health in NOVA. Before moving, she lived with **Jennifer Riche** who works as the manager for Richmond Montessori's Extended care program. **Angela Ray Ellet** was married this summer, **Malorie Southworth** and **Beth Vachet Lewis** were both in the wedding. Beth lives in Richmond with her husband **Livingston Lewis '94**. **Elena Barnard** married William Frank in Minneapolis in September, 1996. Bridesmaids were **Marianne Hamel '96**, **Karen Good '94**, and **Soo Kim**. Cathleen Corrie also attended the wedding. Elena worked in a hospital emergency room for 18 months after graduation and in April moved with her husband to Portland Oregon.

Tim Wolfe married **Lynn Damerson '97** in August, 1996. Tim is working at the admissions office at W&M. **Deanna Buxton** married **Andrew Grider '89** in Williamsburg this July. She managed to plan a wedding while finishing up her first year of teaching Spanish in the 'burg. Deanna's bridesmaids were all W&M grads: **Michelle Campola Piotrowski '94**, **Allison Wilder**, **Mikki Sargent**, and maid-of-honor **Jennifer Morgan '96**. The couple took a honeymoon cruise and are now living in Williamsburg.

Staci Iannucci is keeping herself busy working for NBC in New York. **Gaelle Kennedy** was married in November, 1997. Her attendants included **Joanna Pleasant**, **Lisa Ferrante** and **Mikki Sargent**. Currently Gaelle lives in Connecticut. **Eve Cooley '94** married **Randy Perkins '94** in August, 1997, in Clintwood, Virginia. Carrie Euler was a bridesmaid at the wedding.

OTHER NOTABLES

Jimmy Zednick and **Phillipe Herndon** have released a CD with their band Mudcat Jones. **Jen Volpe** wrote from Katmandu to let us know she is traveling around Asia for nine months. Her e-mail is <jennifer.volpe@mailcity.com> and she encourages people to write! She finished up her second tour with JET in July and has been through China and Tibet. Jen ran into **John Derlega '94** one day standing in line at the Indian Embassy waiting to get a visa. He also spent two years on the JET program and now traveling for 5 months. Quite a random occurrence, but one that seems to happen often when folks travel abroad.

Beth Abbondandolo showed Jen around in Beijing or a week, they went out for some Mongolian delights and grain laced with snake bile. Beth works for I Will Not Complain, an experiential learning/adventure travel company and is often off in the Mongolian grasslands or the Gobi desert. **Jenny Alkema** has returned to Europe for another year of speaking German (but I can't remember if it's Austria or Germany!) Happy Holidays, may the new year be a good one for you - bella ciao!!

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1997

Greetings Class of '97! I hope these past few months have given you enough time to get over the culture shock of the "real world." I know that I'm not over it yet!

For those of you who don't know, **Ben Rooker** and I were married on May 17, 1997, at the Wren Chapel. (Yes, that was the weekend after graduation!) Members of our wedding party included **Rebecca Alves**, **John McGee**, **Joanna Cook '96** and my sister **Abby Roche '01**. We've "settled" in Durham, N.C., where Ben is a first year M.Div. student at Duke Divinity School. Since April, I've been working at Senior PHARMassist, a local nonprofit that provides health education and financial assistance in paying for medications for senior citizens.

Also in Durham are **Karin Henins Maloney '95** and **Patrick Maloney '94**. Karin is working towards a master's degree in environmental science at Duke University, while Patrick is attending night school to become a police officer.



Rooker

Natalie Sandoval writes that she spent her summer as an OAS intern in Washington, D.C. and afterwards spent a breathtaking vacation in El Salvador. She notes that "the government there is much more productive than ours here." A number of our classmates have also relocated to Washington, D.C., including **Stacy King**, **Dani Barbour**, **Marsha Bischoff** and **Andrew Foos** (who are engaged!). I know there are many more of you, so please drop me a line to let me know how you're enjoying our capital city!

The Society of the Alumni sent word of **Erica Walsh's** new position as graduate assistant with the Bucknell University Athletic Department in Lewisburg, Pa. In addition to her responsibilities as Bucknell's assistant women's soccer coach, she will be working towards a master's in biology. Also from the Society: **Stephen Michael Snow** is in Moscow working for an advertising agency! He left for the land of vodka and kasha in September.

I apologize for what is certainly the shortest class notes article in history. I've already given you my excuse, now I want to hear yours! Send me news on how busy (or bored) you've been: jobs, relocations, marriages, vacations...and what you've heard from other class members you've been in touch with. I welcome letters, phone calls, e-mail, and Christmas cards! Have a peaceful holiday season.

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School of Arts & Sciences

Hi everyone! I hope all of you are doing well and looking forward to exciting summer plans. It's been a good year for me, with promotion to editor in the social studies department of Holt, Rinehart and Winston, and a Christmas trip to Vienna and Budapest as well as a vacation in Los Angeles. I also enjoyed a January visit with **Pam Gulley Hardin M.A. '94** and husband Paul, who bought a townhouse last summer in Alexandria. In May, Pam started her new job as assistant director and curator of the Carlyle House, also in Alexandria.

Travel seems to be something of a theme. **Mary Carroll Johansen Ph.D. '96** has finished a year of teaching history at Appalachian State University in Boone, N.C. She celebrated the end of finals with a trip to Austria, Germany, and Switzerland.

In May, **Chris Hendricks Ph.D. '91** spent a week in the Dominican Republic, where he participated in an archeological and architectural survey of a plantation. Chris is the graduate director of the history department at Armstrong Atlantic State University in Savannah, Ga.

Scott Atwood M.A. '91 practices law in Atlanta with the firm of Elarbee Thompson & Trapnell. Scott and wife Janet recently bought their first house, in Marietta.

Close to home, **Dr. Tim Kinkead M.A. '85** is putting his veterinary medicine expertise to use at All Creatures Animal Clinic in Lanexa.

Troy Weldy M.A. '95 received coverage in a number of Virginia newspapers for his discovery of a colony of Kentucky ladyslippers in Lancaster County. The rare orchid is found primarily in Arkansas, and no other colonies are known in Virginia. Last fall Troy made a trip down from Vassar College — where he is now teaching — to present a slide lecture about his find to the Northern Neck Audubon Society.

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School of Education

Dear Fellow Alumni of the Graduate School of Education: I felt compelled to take up service as class reporter for the School when I saw the vacancy in the last issue. I see this column as a way for us to keep in touch during the year, now that we are scattered across the country, and I hope you'll be inclined to send newsnotes and other information on your personal and professional activities on a regular basis. We want to hear from you! Here are a few notes that the Alumni Society forwarded to me this fall:

On July 31, **Dr. E. Michael Staman Ed.D. '80** was named vice chancellor for information and instructional technology and chief information officer for the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia. Since 1991, Dr. Staman had served as president of CICNET, Inc., a non-profit organization located in Ann Arbor, Mich., created in 1988 by the major research universities throughout the upper Midwest (often referred to as the Big-10 universities).

David I. Joyner M.Ed '64 was recently elected Portsmouth, Virginia's School Board chairman (the first since Portsmouth's first elected School Board began its

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work a year ago). Joyner began his career as a Portsmouth vocational education teacher, and holds undergraduate and doctorate degrees in education from Virginia Tech. A former Old Dominion University professor, Dr. Joyner had spent nearly four decades in education and thought a School Board position would make good use of his interest in educational issues.

Richard Parker M.Ed. '96 was recently featured in the *Daily Press* for his work as director of StageLights, a summer drama group for youth. He is chair of the English department at Christchurch School in Middlesex County, Va. Richard has more than twenty years' experience with children's theatre productions.

William N. Owen M.Ed. '75 has recently retired as headmaster of Nansemond-Suffolk Academy's Upper School after 21 years of service.

Linda M. Wallinger '74, EDS '97, a doctoral student in educational planning and leadership, has been appointed assistant principal of Stonewall Jackson Middle School. She had previously taught French and was the director of the Foreign Language Immersion Center at J.R. Tucker Higher School in Henrico County.

Harold David Gibson Ed.D. '81 has recently retired as assistant to the superintendent for Chesterfield County Schools. A teacher, principal, college professor and administrator, Dr. Gibson served more than 38 years in Richmond and Chesterfield schools.

Louise Gray M.Ed '64 turned 90 in December, and was recently featured in the *Daily Press* for her volunteer work in local preservation. A Middlesex County historian and retired schoolteacher, Louise had written a column, "Reflections," that appeared in *Neighbors* and then in the Life section of the *Daily Press* since 1990. Her final column appeared on February 6, 1997. She is currently a member of a commission established by the Middlesex Board of Supervisors to plan for the 325th anniversary of the county in 1998.

As a way of introduction to my fellow alumni, I received my M.Ed. in higher education administration in 1991, and currently serve as interim executive director of the College Consortium for International Studies in Washington, D.C., a non-profit organization of over 150 colleges and universities that offer study abroad programs for undergraduate students in 26 countries worldwide. CCIS sends approximately 1,500 students abroad each year. The opportunity to be involved with a broad spectrum of institutions and administrators in higher education is immensely rewarding. My wife **Joyce '92** and I were married in the Wren Chapel on July 20, 1996, so we have strong ties to W&M, and we try to visit as often as possible.

I look forward to my service as class reporter for the Graduate School of Education, and hope to see this column grow with your help. Please drop me a note before May 15, the deadline for the next issue of the *Gazette*. You may write, fax, or e-mail. Have a joyous holiday season!

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School of Law

David Morewitz '53, B.C.L. '57 gave a talk in October at the College of Law at the University of Illinois on an exhibit displayed there regarding the S.S. Quanza.

The Hon. **C. Edward Knight III J.D. '68** is serving as judge for the Hampton General District Court in Hampton, Va. He was appointed to the bench on May 1, 1996.

Bruce E. Titus '64, J.D. '71 has become a principal with the firm of Rees, Broome & Diaz in Vienna, Va.

Edward McGuire, Jr. J.D. '73 joined the law firm of Stein, Sperling, Bennett, DeJong, Driscoll, Greenfeig & Metro, P.C. on August 6. The firm has offices in Rockville, Md., and Falls Church, Va. He recently co-authored a book on estate planning entitled *Legacy: Plan, Protect and Preserve Your Estate*. He is now working on a second book concerning integrating retirement benefits into the estate plan, to be called *Ways and Means*. It is due for publication in October 1998. He is looking forward to his 25-year class reunion at next year's Spring Alumni Weekend.

Mary A. Tuttle Discini J.D. '73 and her husband become grandparents in July, when their daughter Lisa had a baby daughter, Savannah. Their son Adam is attending Marquette University.

Stanley W. Preston, Jr. J.D. '74 announces the formation of the law firm of Weiss & Preston, LLC in Richmond, Va. He is a senior partner specializing in business development and financing, as well as related litigation.

Kenneth Krantz J.D. '77 has been working for the last four years as a Navy court-martial trial judge in Norfolk, Va. He has now reported for duty as a judge at the Naval Air Station in Jacksonville, Fla.

S. Craig Lane J.D. '78 writes, "My law partner (**William D. Hamner J.D. '78**) and I reoccupied our office in Chesterfield County this year after a devastating fire which occurred in February 1996. Recovery was difficult but is complete, and busi-

ness is good."

Randolph Baker J.D. '81 was married to Karen Ann Killian on Oct. 5, 1996.

Jonathan Coupal '79, J.D. '82 and wife **Cathy Coupal '81** are doing well in Sacramento, Calif., where they have been for 15 years. Jon continues to do high-profile tax litigation and also drafted a state-wide ballot measure (Proposition 218), which passed last November by a one-million vote margin.

Linda M. Kramer J.D. '82 writes, "Life is very hectic. All four of my children are now in school. Andy is in first grade, Alan in third and Alix in fourth. Surprise, surprise! Rob has finally decided to go to college."

Kevin O'Mahony J.D. '82 and his wife, Lisa, became the proud adoptive parents of their son, Conor Alexander, in Serov, Russia, on July 21, 1997.

Bill Wells J.D. '82 has recently relocated to San Antonio, Texas, where he is working at the Headquarters Air Education and Training Command Legal Office.

Robert R. Church M.L.T. '83 was recently promoted to lieutenant colonel in the Judge Advocate General's Corps of the U.S. Army Reserve. His "civilian" job is as a partner in Keefer, Wood, Allen & Rohal, LLP, a firm of more than 20 lawyers in Harrisburg, Pa., where his practice is primarily in estate planning, probate and federal tax matters.

Ronald G. Reel J.D. '83 just finished a one-year term as a Special Assistant U.S. Attorney. He has now returned to state prosecution as a senior prosecutor in the Commonwealth Attorney's Office in Portsmouth, Va.

Louise A. Schmidt J.D. '83 reports, "our first year back in Europe with the Army has gone by quickly. With our 7-year-old son in the picture now, we've added such travel destinations as Legoland (in Denmark) to the itinerary. The Army's sexual harassment woes have kept me busy!"

Mary Jo White J.D. '84 recently left the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission to join Long Aldridge and Norman LLP as a partner in their Washington, D.C. office.

Gene Brooks J.D. '85 is currently serving as Commandant of Cadets at the U.S. Coast Guard Academy in New London, Conn.

Charles Bennardini J.D. '86 is now an associate at Tew & Beasley in West Palm Beach, Fla, where he practices in complex commercial litigation.

Jon Huddleston '82, J.D. '86 completed a year as chair of the Conference of Local Bar Associations for the Virginia Bar Association this past June. He has been named to the professionalism faculty for USB for a three-year term from 1997 to 2000.

Cmdr. Robin K. Kutz J.D. '86 has been transferred from his job as the Seventeenth Coast Guard District Legal Officer in Juneau, Alaska, to the Army War College in Carlisle, Pa., where he will be pursuing a year-long curriculum in strategic studies for the 1997-98 year.

Renata Manzo '82, J.D. '86, formerly with the legal department at Reynolds Metals, has opened The Lawyer's Advantage, Inc., specializing in the temporary employment of attorneys, paralegals and support staff for Richmond area law firms and legal departments.

Brian K. Stevens J.D. '86 writes, "I got remarried in June 1997. My new wife, Lee, is a research librarian at the University of Richmond. I have been in my solo practice in the Richmond area for almost five years now, emphasizing real estate and domestic relations. My son, Ben, is 9 years old, and I now have a stepdaughter who graduated this year from Hollins College and a stepson who is a sophomore at Hampden-Sydney College."

Christopher P. James '88 and his wife Gina had a baby boy on January 4, 1997. His name is Jagger.

David E. Watson J.D. '88 has become a partner at Gray Cary Ware and Freidenrich in San Diego, California. He also has been appointed to the City of San Diego Planning Commission by the Mayor and City Council.

Sharon Glover J.D. '90 is now with LeClair Ryan in Richmond, practicing in the area of employment and products liability law.

Paul D. Katzman J.D. '90 married Deborah J. Golden on July 26, 1997 in Washington, D.C. In December, he received his doctorate in higher education administration from the George Washington University. His doctoral dissertation was nominated for two national dissertation awards. In June, he presented a paper titled "Changing and Learning in the Lives of Lawyers" to the Adult Learning Project Advisory Committee of the ALI-ABA Committee on Continuing Professional Education, and presented the same paper to the first World Symposium on Self-Directed Learning in Montreal, Canada, in September.

Will Murphy J.D. '90 has been certified by the Supreme Court of Florida as a mediator for circuit, family and county court cases and is the founder of Dispute Resolution Services, Inc. He has authored "The Small Claims Court Survival Guide" for pro se litigants, and also lectures to volunteer attorneys assisting pro se litigants.

Ingrid E. Olson J.D. '90 writes, "I have a wonderful daughter, Annika Olson Basch, born Nov. 16, 1996. I can't believe she's almost a whole year old!"

Rodney T. Willett '85, J.D. '90 was recently promoted to the position of senior associate counsel with the International Municipal Lawyers Association in Washington, D.C. IMLA is an education resource for local government attorneys.

Michael Garvey J.D. '91 reports the birth of his first child, daughter Megan Morgan Garvey, born on Sept. 16, 1997 in Cleveland, Ohio.

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Tina Autry Schepker J.D. '91 was married to Gerald Henry (Hank) Schepker IV on May 10, 1997. The Schepkers moved to Manhattan in June.

Steven Zweig J.D. '91 writes, "My wife, Susan, and I were blessed with the birth of a daughter, Leah, in January 1996."

Deborah B. Hillyard J.D. '92 reports the birth of a daughter, Ashley Bryce Hillyard, on April 19, 1997.

Jeff Huber '84, J.D. '92 reports the birth on his first child, Collin Wyatt Huber, born on Jan. 8, 1996 at the height of a blizzard.

Kathleen Wobber Parler J.D. '92 was married to William C. Parler, Jr. in March 1997 and has three stepchildren: Jacqueline Parler, 16; William C. Parler III, 13; and Bradley Parler, 11.

Linda Blackburn J.D. '93 returned to the Tidewater area this past February, leaving the firm of Kenyon & Kenyon in Washington, D.C., to work as a patent attorney for Kaufman & Canoles' Intellectual Property and Technology Group.

Tom Book J.D. '93 was married to Emily Tipton on June 21, 1997. He has also begun his own law practice.

Andrea Phelps J.D. '94 co-sponsored a seminar held in Chesapeake, Va., in November entitled "Year 2000: Prepare Now or Pay Later," designed to aid small businesses in dealing with legal, accounting and technical issues of the year 2000.

Robin M. Vogel '94 is with Crews & Hancock in Richmond, Va. She is doing appellate litigation.

Beth Weatherly Aude J.D. '95 was married on July 26, 1997, to Carl William Aude.

John Crouch J.D. '95 is practicing with Crouch & Crouch, and is also executive director of Americans for Divorce Reform, which supports efforts to reduce and restrict divorce.

Martha McGlothlin Gayle '89, J.D. '95 is opening a home furnishings store in Richmond in early 1998, to be called Bassett Furniture Direct.

Amy Rollins Kreisler J.D. '95 was married this past April to Nevin Kreisler, M.D. The couple moved to Charlottesville in July for his residency in anesthesia. Amy is debating whether to take the Virginia bar exam or to take a new career path.

Gretchen Lynch Knoblauch J.D. '95 has recently been elected president of the Roanoke Chapter of the Virginia Women Attorneys Association.

W. Carter Santos J.D. '95 recently joined the State and Local Tax department of Arthur Andersen LLP in Atlanta, Georgia, as a tax consultant. He is concentrating on transactional taxes, including sales and use taxes and environmental taxes and fees.

Jon Sheldon '87, J.D. '95 opened a law office in Boston this past June. He and wife **Tina Sheldon** J.D. '97 celebrated their first anniversary on Oct. 5.

Donna Michael Donlon J.D. '96 completed a judicial clerkship with the Honorable Raymond A. Jackson of the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia. She has joined the firm of Long, Aldridge & Norman as an associate in the Washington, D.C., office.

Rebecca Godby '96 is director of temporary attorney placement with Bellon and Associates in Atlanta, Ga.

Jim Love J.D. '96 and his wife, Jennifer, are the proud parents of a new daughter, Michaelie Ann, born on Aug. 13.

Frank Lynch '91, J.D. '96 is an associate with the Richmond firm of McSweeney, Burtch and Crump.

Shawn Renee Salyer '96 just completed a clerkship with the second Judicial Circuit in Virginia Beach and is now an associate with Heilig, McKenry, Fraim & Lollar in Norfolk, Va.

Chris Ambrosio J.D. '97 started as an associate this past September in the commercial department of Vandeventer, Black, Meredith & Martin in Norfolk.

Anne K. No '94, J.D. '97 and **Adam Walsh** J.D. '97 will be getting married on April 18 in Reston, Va.

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School of Business

Harold T. Campbell '71 of Kahului, Hawaii, reports, "After having been retired for over three years, I was asked to return to my former position as Harbors District Manager for the Hawaii Department of Transportation. This, I must say, is a unique experience and I will participate in the recruitment of a permanent District Manager. I would like to hear from others via my e-mail address at halc3@juno.com."

Richard D. Spurling '69 of Hamilton, Bermuda, has become a member of Parliament and is currently the Government Whip. He is also an attorney and partner of his firm, Appleby Spurling-Kempe.

Roger L. Calvert '74 in Washington, D.C. was elected President and COO of Ferris, Baker, Watts, Inc. A regional investment banking firm headquartered in Washington, D.C. with offices throughout Delaware, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia.

Ron Gilden '76 in Atlanta, Ga., was elected president/CEO of Healthcare Technologies International and Chairman of the board of Healthcare Operations International.

James Nolde '77 in Richmond was appointed to the Wealth Managers at Andersen & Studwich Board of Directors for a two-year term.

John L. Young '77 in New York, NY, has joined Donaldson, Lufkin, & Jenrette Realty Services, Inc. as senior vice president of corporate real estate services.

Pate Felts '78 is in Washington, D.C., and started his new job as special counsel for investment and financial Policy in the Office of U.S. Trade Representative/Executive Office of the President.

Charles R. Fletcher '79 of Birmingham, Ala., was recently hired as market manager, agricultural products for the Riverdale Mills Corporation. In this newly created position, Fletcher will handle direct sales and distribution management for Riverdale's coated wire mesh products. His emphasis will be on the company's line of PVC-coated wire products, used in the poultry industry for flooring, wall wire and other applications.

Hugh Newton '79 in Charleston, W.Va., left Baltimore last summer to become president of the Charleston division of Huntington National Bank.

Frank Talbott, IV '80 in Richmond reports, "I recently left NationsBank Capital Markets to work for Key Capital Markets as senior vice president, Taxable Institutional Fixed Income Sales."

Courtenay Berger Carter '81 lives in East Sandwich, Mass., and has been home since the birth of her son, Gregory Berger Carter, on November 20, 1995. She says, "Being a mom is the toughest but most rewarding job I have ever had or could hope to have."

Scott Burns '83 of Milwaukee, Wis., reports, "After working for NationsBank in Tampa for eight years, I moved north and currently work as an attorney specializing in corporate and commercial law (primarily consulting with smaller companies). I earned a CFA and CCM a few years ago and am putting them to good use. Best wishes to my fellow alumni."

Shotaro Ishihara '83 lives in Penang, Malaysia, and reports, "We opened an international standard golf resort, Kristal Golf Resort in Penang, Malaysia. Malaysia is known as the Pearl of the Orient. If any alumni come to this part of the world, please let me know. I will extend special privileges to those alumni of William & Mary."

Mitchell Levy '83 of Cupertino, Calif., says, "I build websites for friends for fun. The latest website (<http://www.topwine.com>) was for Passport Wine Club, a wine of the month club. Check it out and send e-mail to the webmaster, which is me."

Joyce A. Hann '84 and **Robert A. Hunt** '80 were married on August 2, 1997. The couple lives in Richmond.

Mark Greer Saine '84 and his wife, Margaret Fletcher, are proud to announce the birth of their third child, Thomas Henry Saine, on July 3, 1996. Mark was also promoted to assistant controller at Philip Morris USA. They live in Richmond.

Jeff Eckert '86 of Kansas City, Mo., is chief financial officer of Mid-America Cardiology Associates, P.C. He is proud to announce that he recently earned the certification in financial management, CFM, designation and joins a rapidly growing number of professionals who have become CFM's. Jeff was part of the first group in the nation to earn the CFM designation.

Deborah Kurata '86 of Pleasanton, Calif., recently published her second book on object-oriented software design and development entitled: *Doing Objects in Microsoft Visual Basic 5.0*. As of July, she has also incorporated her software consulting company, InStep Technologies, Inc.

Julia S. Leslie '86 of Annandale, Va., is pleased to announce the birth of her third child and second daughter, Sydney Anne on October 5, 1996. She joins sister Alexandria Mae (born November 13, 1989) and brother Collin Paul (born October 27, 1996.)

David '87 and **Anne (McCarron) Applin** '87 are thrilled to announce the birth of their son, Ryan Livingston, who was born on June 20, 1997. Ryan joins his big sister, Rebecca Anne, who was 2 years old on July 24. "We've been living in Fairfax Station, Va., the past two years and love it. After 20 years with the Army, Dave retired and is a Program Manager with SAIC. I've taken a break from my career to be a full-time mom to Rebecca and Ryan, who are great teachers of time management skills."

Ralph Schorr '87 of Lawrenceville, Ga., is pleased to report that in November 1996 he and his wife, Vicky had their second child, Robert Hartman. He joins his sister Julia Elaine, who is now 2 years old.

Ron Norgle '88 is working for Unicom Thermal Technology, Inc. in Chicago.

Charles Watkins '89 recently took over DukeSolutions, the newest company in the Duke Family of companies in Charlotte, N.C. DukeSolutions is a retail energy service company serving large end users of all energy firms.

Kathi Mestayer '90 was promoted to associate with Malcolm Pirnie, an environmental consulting firm with 25 offices nationwide. She is the first woman to make Associate in the southern region of the U.S. She lives in Newport News.

Karla J. Z. Scanlan '90 of Richmond reports, "I changed jobs with Westvaco last July. Now I'm responsible for recruiting sales reps and MBA's. I'm delighted that two members of the class of 1998, Ann Marie Williams and Mike Belzile, interned at Westvaco this summer."

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Birgit Starmanns '88, MBA '90 reports, "I have recently taken a position as Project Manager for Sapient Software, Inc in Palo, Alto, Calif. Sapient is the Certified Business Solutions provider in the western states for middle-market companies who are implementing SAP. I will be responsible for implementation teams completing projects on time and on budget, as well as for configuring and designating business processes in the financial and cost accounting modules of the software."

David Hackworth '94 of Oakmont, Pa. reports, "After three years of working on the railroad, I have accepted a position with a new company. I will be working for Consolidated Natural Gas (CNG) as a corporate planner. Please call me if you find yourself in the tourist hot-spot of Pittsburgh."

David C. Miller '91 is senior vice president of medical affairs and medical director for Northeast Medical Center in Concord, NC.

Daniel Wiggins '91 lives in Richmond and reports, "Alice and I are happy to announce the birth of our daughter, Erin Delaney, who checked in at 6lbs. 14oz. on June 14, 1997. I have been with the consulting group at McGladrey & Pullen, L.L.P. for just over a year now. If you would like to keep in touch, my e-mail address is daniel_wiggins@rsmi.com."

Eileen Burklow '92 was married to Michael Turner on April 6, 1997, in Williamsburg. Eileen and Michael met by chance in June 1992 at a restaurant in Hampton while Eileen was on semester break from her EMBA studies. Eileen is employed by Newport News Shipbuilding in International Naval Marketing. She specializes in establishing offset/countertrade projects to support ship sales to international customers. Since obtaining her EMBA from William and Mary, Eileen was instrumental in establishing a commercially viable shipyard in Abu Dhabi, the United Arab Emirates. She is currently working on projects in Asia and Europe. Michael is employed at Langley AFB in the field of environmental management.

Michael W. Dick '92 has moved back to D.C. from Boston in February and is now working for METLIFE Real Estate Investments. He just passed the level 2 CFA exam.

Terri Dispenziere '88, MBA '92 has made a career change from being a marketing analyst for Eli Lilly and Company to a manager of new business development at IMS America. She would love to hear from any fellow grads anytime they're in the area of Plymouth, Pa.

Lisa P. Semmes '92 of Parsippany, N.J., reports: "Ben and I are so proud to announce the birth of our son, Andrew Lawrence Semmes, born July 1, 1997. He's a joy! After several months at home with Andrew, I'll be going back to my new job as Product Manager on Snackwell's Candy at Nabisco."

John Prescott Rowe '92 reports, "I joined NationsBank in Richmond in September 1997 in their Business Loan Department Center as an assistant vice president and business specialist."

Congratulations to **Lee Scruggs '88, MBA '92!** Lee's computer firm, College and University Computers, has been named one of the "fastest growing companies in the United States" by *Inc.* magazine. College and University Computers ranks 218th (out of 500) on this year's list.

Thomasina R. Wright '92 was recently promoted to director of subcontract management at Newport News Shipbuilding. She is also pleased to announce the birth of her first child, Ashleigh Nicole on July 20.

John Campbell '93 reports, "I left Healthpoint in July, a medical software company that I founded with a small team of Glaxo Wellcome executives in 1994. It has grown to over 100 employees and is doing well. I am now President of two small startups. Campbell Alliance Group is a five-person consulting company that specializes in business development, new business formations, strategic alliances, and management consulting in the Healthcare & Information Technology sectors. Simplify is a home-delivery company with great potential. Tricia and I hope that all of you are doing well. Please call us if you are ever in the Triangle area."

Lindabeth Doby '93 and her husband, John Doby are pleased to announce the birth of their beautiful baby girl, Gillian Frances on May 1, 1997.

Danny H. Goad '93 of Narrows, Va., reports, "My wife Connie and I celebrated the birth of our fourth child, and first daughter, Allyson Suzanne on April 16, 1997. She weighed 6 lbs. 10 oz. and was 19 1/2 inched long. She has three brothers, Cameron Danny (born August 31, 1985), Cullen Daniel (born December 19, 1990), and Taylor Conlan (born August 12, 1993.)"

Kathy Kimball '93 reports, "Bill and I are thrilled to share the news of our second child, Elizabeth Anne, born on January 29, 1997! Rob is a very proud big brother and keeping us busy with the social calendar of a first grader! Oh yes, the career; I am a senior manager on the economics consulting group of Ernst & Young, LLP in Washington, D.C., specializing in international transfer pricing. Since I joined the firm in 1994, our group has more than tripled in size and is continually diversifying into other areas of economics ranging from transfer pricing to litigation support. My best to you all!"

Andrew S. Liess '92 took a new role as Production Business Team Leader with GE Appliance division in Bloomington, IN.

Jeffrey R. Majtyka '88, MBA '93 is pleased to announce the birth of his daughter, Kendall Koehler Majtyka, born July 25, 1997. He is vice president of investor

relations and financial communications at Brainerd Communicators, Inc. in Maplewood, N.J.

Jabish Gregory Smith '93 is engaged to be married in July of next year to Miss Julie Ferioli, who works as a chemical engineer for Dupont in Wilmington, Del. He has just taken a job as a public relations associate for a small, rapidly growing PR firm in Wilmington. Before that, he worked for three and a half years as PR director for a free-market think tank in Washington, D.C.

Courtney Colvard Spencer '93 of Winston-Salem, N.C., is pleased to announce the birth of her first child, Tyler Colvard Spencer on April 16, 1997.

Rob Voeks '93 of Richmond completed his dissertation and graduated with a PhD in finance from the University of Georgia in December 1996. "While teaching one of my classes, I had the pleasure of having T. Williams, son of Professor Stu Williams, as a student. He's a chip off the old block!" I'll be working on middle-market M&A transactional at Matrix, a boutique investment bank in Virginia, North Carolina and D.C.

Chequeta D. Chisom '94 is chief administrator of the department of internal medicine for Virginia Commonwealth University/ Medical College of Virginia in Richmond. She reports, "I was recently appointed for two years as a member of the Research and Projects Awards Panel by the Board of Directors of the AAUW (American Association of University Women) Educational Foundation."

Hillary Cox '94 is still a part of Andersen Consulting's change management practice. She states, "I recently transferred from Washington, D.C. to a new business unit in Chicago concentrating on object-oriented systems, development, and commerce. Hope everybody is doing well."

Ann Marie Kennedy '94 recently became the cost accounting coordinator for IBM's East Fishkill manufacturing site in Hopewell Junction, N.J.

Sheri Susi Nygaard '91, MBA '94 reports, "I am still working at Andersen Consulting. I also married Jeff Nygaard on April 26, 1997 and moved into a new house in Springfield, Va."

Lawrence A. Goldstein '96 recently completed the sale of his company, Virginia Design Packaging, to Berry Plastics Corporation. He states, "I am very excited about joining Berry. They are the leader in our industry. Berry is a well capitalized company and is a technical innovator in the plastic packaging market. Look for our name on the container bottoms of your salad, sour cream, cottage cheese, or the bottoms of your soda cups (the ones with the dynamic graphics). I have been named the northeast regional sales manager, and am very excited about my new responsibilities."

James D. Griffin '95 is a senior financial analyst with the securities sales & trade group at Freddie Mac in McLean, Va.

Christopher G. Harlow '95 of Newport News is pleased to announce the birth of his daughter, Amber Agnes Harlow on March 21, 1997.

Jay Pease '95 reports, "I'm still living in the middle of horse country (Kentucky) and selling hard hats for Bullard! Doing my best to keep Tom Kiddle, '95, on his feet and far from harm's way."

Lynda D. Wise-Stielow '96 of Norfolk is pleased to announce that she and her husband, Kevin, are expecting their second child the end of December 1997. Meredith, their first, will be 21-months old.

Katherine M. Witham '95 reports, "I received my master's degree in sports management in December 1996 from West Virginia University. As part of my course work I fulfilled an internship in the Wake Forest University Athletic Department where I witnessed Tim Duncan's senior season!! I am currently working as an account manager (project manager) for Paciolan Systems, Inc. in Long Beach, Calif. Paciolan is a software company which designed the software used by the vast majority of athletic ticket offices and development offices."

Sarah E. Mullen '96 reports, "I am currently working in the mergers and acquisitions department at J.P. Morgan in New York. If anyone would like to know more about my job or J.P. Morgan in general, I would be more than happy to speak with them. Morgan currently is recruiting for internal consulting and equity research at W&M, but I encourage anyone who is interested in investment banking to go to the presentation and drop their resume!"

Mike Tobias '96 says, "No more blues for this eastern boy. FedEx has transferred me to the Mid-Atlantic Region office in Reston, Va., where I am the financial analyst in support of regional sales efforts. We're living in Leesburg if anyone wants to drop a line."

Emily Erkel '97 of Virginia Beach is a regional marketing & sales analyst for 360 Communications.

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Class Notes

VIMS/SMS

I must apologize to the VIMS/SMS alumni for not keeping up with the "Notes". Because of the mix-up in the Alumni Office last year, the fall notes did not get published until spring, and I let the summer "Notes" deadline sneak right by me. I wonder if any of the alumni who have been around as long as me have noticed that time has sped up, with days, months and even years passing by much faster.

First let me catch you up on our "recent" grads (Dec. '96; May '97; and Aug. '97). December '96 saw a big jump in our alumni numbers, nine Ph.D.s and six M.A.s completed at that time. Our new Ph.D.s scattered far and wide. Two of them wound up going to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineer Waterway Experiment Station in Vicksburg, Miss. **Chris Buzzelli** as an NRC research associate and **David Nelson** as a research biologist. Three of the Ph.D.s took post-docs: **Jian Shen** here at VIMS; **Zhaoging Yang** at the Center for Coastal and Land Margin Research, Oregon Graduate Institute of Science & Technology, Portland Ore.; and **Kewen Liu** at Harbor Branch Foundation, Fort Pierce, Fla. **Peter Cooper** took a position as an IRTA Fellow at the National Institute of Environmental Health, Research Triangle, N.C. **David Dixon** took a position as a fisheries biologist with ERM, Inc., Annapolis, Md. **Patrick Lay** is the Chief Fisheries Officer for the Ministry of Agriculture, Lands and Fisheries, Antigua. **Rochelle Seitz** is a collaborating scientist with the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center (SERC), Edgewater, Md.; a guest investigator with the Chesapeake Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve in Virginia, VIMS; and is teaching as an adjunct faculty member of the Biology Department at the University of Richmond.

Two of our M.A.s are continuing on for Ph.D.s, **Elizabeth Hinchley** here at VIMS and **Tong Li** in the Department of Pharmacology at Emory University, Atlanta, Ga. **Mark Terwilliger** joined the research staff of the Florida Department of Environmental protection. **Jessica Schulman** took a biologist position with ICF Kaiser Engineers Inc, Edgewood, Md. **Geoffrey White** took a marine scientist position at VIMS to work on tautog biology. **Renee Pardieck** did not indicate plans after graduation.

May '97 saw the awarding of the last three M.A. degrees from the School of Marine Science. **Katherine Farnsworth** took a position as a Marine Scientist with the geology program at VIMS. **Ing Wei Khor** is a research assistant in the department of zoology, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Ore. **Michele Horvath** indicated she was going to travel through Mexico to get exposure to another culture and look for work while there.

In August '97, our first two M.S. students finished their programs. **Sara Gaichas** took a position as research fisheries biologist with NOAA/NMFS Alaska Fisheries Center, Seattle Wash. **Dan Redgate** took a position with Vanasse, Hangen and Brustlin, Inc. an environmental consulting firm in Hayes, Va.

Jeff Brust M.A. '96 is now with the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission, Washington DC as a fisheries statistics specialist.

Bob Huggett, Ph.D. '77, had a very busy month of June. He completed a three year tour as EPA assistant administrator for research & development, returned to VIMS long enough to retire after 26 years on the faculty and then moved to East Lansing Michigan as the vice president for research and graduate studies at Michigan State University.

Aswani Volety, Ph.D. '95 ended his stay as a post-doc at VIMS and moved on to a position as NRC Associate at EPA's Gulf Breeze FL laboratory this past March.

This summer **Sureyya Ozkizilcik Ph.D. '95** stopped by for a chat while on a visit from Turkey to do some legal work on a joint patent application with **Fu-Lin Chu Ph.D. '82**. (Fu-Lin tells me that they have to date had 3 of their 13 claims accepted, whatever that means) He is now very much of an entrepreneur involved in many aspects of the aquaculture industry through his firm Siste Mar A.S. in Alsancak-Izmir, Turkey.

Willy Reay M.A. '89 has joined the VIMS staff as a research assistant professor, to fill the research coordinator position with the Chesapeake Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve in Virginia. Willy had been a visiting scientist from Virginia Tech with the reserve for about the past year.

While on the annual Research Reserve Workshop which was held in Oregon this fall, I had a mini-reunion with **Rick Swartz Ph.D. '72** recently retired from the EPA lab in Newport, Ore., (he is presently working part time with the lab on a contract basis) and **Janet Olmon Lamberson M.A. '73** a research aquatic biologist at the same lab. Janet has switched from toxicity studies to habitat studies and now enjoys sampling mudflats on the Oregon Coast from an EPA hovercraft. **Bob McCormack, M.A. Ed. (Marine Science emphasis)'90** was on the same trip and managed to spend a little time with **Cliff Ryer M.A. '81** who works at the same complex (The Hatfield Marine Center) with a joint NMFS/Oregon State University Fisheries Behavioral Ecology Group.

Two of our alumni with the Marine Minerals Service have made news recently. **Ken Turgeon, M.A. '68** was made chief scientist for MMS. When I asked his wife **Donna M.A. '68** what he did as chief scientist she said, "enjoys himself very much". **Bob Middleton M.A. '79** assistant to the director, MMS received a

Meritorious Service Honor Award from the Secretary of Interior. Honor awards are the most prestigious awards granted by the Department for career achievements. Bob's award cited his successful management of environmental scientific research studies, participation in the Vice President's National Performance Review of the Department's mission and activities, and continual advancement of new technology to increase the effectiveness and efficiency of departmental programs. In addition, the Secretary highlighted Bob's work in Hungary since 1991, helping to facilitate its economic and political transformation to a free market economy and his organization of a subsequent international conference in Budapest to share this information with the other newly independent states of Poland, Slovenia, Croatia, Khazakstan, Bulgaria and Romania.

An interesting sidelight on our MMS contingent is that just a few days after I wrote the notes column last November, Bob sent me a news clipping from the Sept '96 Department of Interior's newspaper, "People, Land and Water" that featured a photo of Ken on the beach of Virginia's Eastern Shore teaching a group of NSF Young Scholars who were attending a month-long summer marine science program at the Marine Science Consortium Wallop's Island Marine Science Center. The student's in the course were all deaf or hearing impaired, and Ken had to work with the assistance of sign language interpreters. In the article, Ken said he was particularly pleased to be participating that year because his agency, MMS, and NOAA had supported three of the students. He indicated he would like to work with this program in the future. Maybe I'll get another clipping soon.

Those of you that are on any group e-mail lists know how often the stuff coming across your screen is totally valueless to you. I've learned, however, that you can never tell what items of interest you might come across. In a message from someone at EPA to a person in Australia that went out to a whole list, I saw that **Charlie Barr M.A. '91** had replaced **Jill Goodman M.A. '92** at the Center for Marine Conservation as the point contact for the National Marine Debris Monitoring Program. A quick call to Charlie (whose phone number was included in the message) got me the information that Jill had taken a position as Restoration Coordinator with the Elizabeth River Program.

In April, **Mike Vecchione Ph.D. '79** gave an informal seminar to the Fisheries students on an Antarctic trawling survey on the German icebreaker Polarstern. It's good when our alumni talk to our students. It proves to them that there is a life outside of VIMS.

This June, Bill Hargis, who was dean/director during the tenure of many VIMS alumni (including me) was honored with the presentation of the Mathais Medal for contributions to the use of science in Chesapeake Bay management. At the presentation Bill, Gene Cronin (long time director of the Chesapeake Biological Laboratory, the University of Maryland), and Don Pritchard, (long time director of the Chesapeake Bay Institute, the Johns Hopkins University and holder of an Honorary Doctorate from William & Mary) regaled a packed Waterman's Hall with tales of marine science in the Chesapeake in the 50's, 60's and early 70's while **Don Boesch Ph.D.'71** (President of the University of Maryland Center for Estuarine and Environmental Science) as a representative of science in the bay today wished he had the authority to direct recalcitrant scientists as did his predecessors.

Pam Tyler Lindstrum's ('62-'64) daughter Ty began her graduate studies at VIMS this fall. As near as I can tell, this is the first instance of a VIMS alumni offspring coming to VIMS. (I'm sure if I'm wrong I'll hear about it as soon as this column appears.)

Lisa Ayers M.A. '96 has returned to the Hampton Roads area and is now employed as a research scientist with the Center for Coastal Physical Oceanography at ODU.

Most of the time writing this section is fun, because I get to find out where people are and what they're doing. Every once in a while though I have to report on some sad events. This past winter **John Brokaw M.A. '80** passed away after a long five-year battle with cancer. I attended a memorial service for John in Northern Virginia and was both saddened and heartened by a magnificent eulogy by **Glenn DeLaney M.A.'86**. As Glenn reviewed many of the times he and John shared, I thought of the many close bonds we develop with our fellow graduate students and how lucky we are that many continue beyond our student days. As a result of the phone solicitation of VIMS alumni this spring we heard that **Ernie Ladd M.A. '58** had also passed away.

Back several columns ago, I encouraged alumni to check the VIMS home page on the WWW at <http://www.vims.edu>. If you haven't done so recently (or at all), I again encourage you to do so. The home page has recently been re-done, and it is easier than ever to find your way around. The Alumni Directory should be posted in the near future. The only thing holding us up is a security issue. We want the alumni to have access, but we don't want the directory open to anyone logging in to the VIMS Homepage.

I was glad to get an e-mail note from **Paul Hargraves, Ph.D. '68** saying that he from time to time vicariously revisits VIMS via the web site to see what's going on there among former co-students; to keep up with the happenings in Gloucester Point; and to see what his competition is doing. (Paul is a professor of oceanography at the University of Rhode Island). Paul had some comments

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about how a hot topic *Pfiesteria piscicida* ("the cell from hell") life history and biology, was being presented and is now in an e-mail dialog with the head of the VIMS *Pfiesteria* task force. We like to hear from alumni, whether they contact us to tell us we should be doing better or hopefully to tell us they like what we're doing.

I've been told the new alumni section, when up and running will have forms for both updating directory information and providing comments back to VIMS. In the meantime, do not hesitate to send me anything you want passed on. I can usually figure out who should get the information right away.

Again my e-mail address is mlynch@vims.edu, and I welcome your mail. My next "Notes" column is due may 15, 1998. Anything that I get between now and then is fair game for that column.

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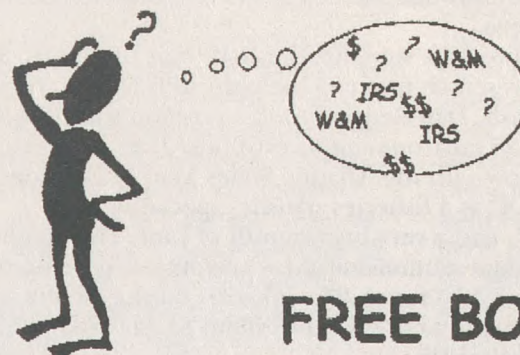
Marriages

- Suzanne Duis Carico '55 to Don L. Freeman, August 30, 1997.
- Robert E. Resch '62 to Lenny Lianne Iddings, April 29, 1997.
- Janet Faulstich '64 to Joseph J. Tarrody, October 6, 1996.
- Samuel A. Kushner Jr. '67 to Faye Sauder, December 26, 1996.
- Anthony Paul Connery '72 to Libby Kathryn Lott, Mar 16, 1997.
- Dale Wanderer McDermott '72 to Brian John Matt, July 5, 1997.
- Carol Lynne Moravitz '76 to Richard Thomas Bettinger, June 15, 1997.
- Deborah Anne Jackson '78 to Keiron G. Lynch, May 10, 1997.
- Nancy Lee Kent '78 to John Anthony Jones, February 1, 1997.
- David Michael Roberts '82 to Molly Sullivan, June 25, 1996.
- Cynthia Leigh Robinson '82 to Frederick A. Trippe, August 30, 1997.
- Stacy Ann Alexander '82 to John R. Stacey, October 4, 1997.
- Carl Edward Adkins III '84 to Ramona Angela Adkins, June 14, 1997.
- Lucy Anne Blevins '84 to Timothy Dwight Jordan, October 12, 1996.
- Myra Magdalene Pierson '85 to Elliott McGuiggan Brooks, September 27, 1997.
- Genevieve Kaiser '86 to Gregory L. Silvas, August 1, 1997.
- Scott John Ward '86 to Susan Marie O'Loughlin '80, August 24, 1996.
- Naomi M. Albright '87 to Andrew Siwko, June 22, 1996.
- Katherine Lynn Stewart '87 to Richard V. Carleton, March 15, 1997.
- Melissa M. Barlow '88 to George R. Stratts, February 15, 1997.
- Melissa Leigh Brooks '88 to Kerry Lee Harrison, April 14, 1997.
- James Harold Franklin '88 to Karen Lynn Laslo '92, October 11, 1997.
- Cynthia Jean Little '88 to Mark William Jordan, July 5, 1997.
- Bernard Peter Puc '88 to Marcia Smith Puc, July 7, 1996.
- David Gordon Ranson '88 to Tracy Alison Perkins '92, June 28, 1997.
- Vicky Duncan '89 to Jerry Copley, July 5, 1997.
- Maureen Deirdre Flaherty '89 to William Crone, May 10, 1997.
- Andrew Thomas Grider '89 to Deanna Lee Buxton '95, July 26, 1997.
- Jennifer Ann Jewusiak '89 to John Robert Stevens, September 27, 1997.
- Jeryl L. Rose '89 to Gregory Scott Phillips, June 15, 1997.
- Michael Vaughan Savage '89 to Kathleen Maura Flaherty '90, June 28, 1997.
- Shelley Hunnings Smith '89 to Timothy Garvey Turkington, June 15, 1996.
- William James Becker '90 to Katja Anne Litchfield, February, 1996.
- Michael Dawson '90 to Michelle L. Steenland M.B.A. '96, April, 1997.
- Elizabeth Warfield Delo '90 to Edward Bernard Dobranetski III, October 26, 1996.
- Julianne Marie Peterson '90 to Raymond Nolan, July 26, 1997.
- Ellen Flores Ramos '90 to Daniel R. Kelly, September 20, 1997.
- Charles August Rohde '90 to Susan J. Koester '87, August 9, 1997.
- Annette Evans Shaw '90 to John Hildebrandt, September 7, 1996.
- John Hilary Steele '90 to Anna Murray Branscome '92, May 17, 1997.
- James Grant Wilkins '90 to Kimberly Cannon Wilkins, September 27, 1997.
- Elizabeth Merle Agee '91 to Scot Andrew Chancy, November 2, 1996.
- Brad David Brewer '91 to Laura Marie Dancy '95, September 6, 1997.
- James Gregory Crook '91 to Nancy Lynn Jackson '91, July 12, 1997.
- John Charles Dustin '91 to Claudia Lynn June, April 26, 1997.
- John Thomas Finn '91 to Natalie Jeannine Beck '91, March 30, 1996.
- Shelly Ann Griffin '91 to John Hanna, June 29, 1996.
- Stephen Scott Kalland '91 to Tricia Alden Richardson '93, December 28, 1996.
- Catherine Matthews Lareau '91 to Darrell Edward Gilman, August 2, 1997.
- D. Scott Mackesy '91 to Jennifer Robin Tepper '91, August 24, 1996.
- Sarah Catherine Morgan '91 to Michael Ottomanelli, April 20, 1996.
- Carrol Leah Mullen '91 to Mark Kwan-Shin Ching, May 10, 1997.
- Wendi Marie Rhodes '91 to Timothy David Black, August 16, 1997.
- Sarah Elizabeth Smith '91 to Jeffrey Scott Rogers, August 16, 1997.

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Marriages

- Amy Lynne Alexander '92 to William Ralph Gilliland Jr., December 14, 1996.
- Geoffrey Morgan Baker '92 to Anne Marjorie Wilde, August 2, 1997.
- Kristin Lee Bedell '92 to Paul Byrne, June 14, 1997.
- Kimberly Leann Cathey '92 to Jon Kaminer, October 12, 1997.
- Elizabeth Johanna Cooke '92 to Glen R. Cuscino, June 14, 1997.
- Brian Patrick Curran '92 to Bridget Mary Keenan '92, September 6, 1997.
- R. Donald Doherty Jr. '92 to Christina Jo Milanovich '94, May 31, 1997.
- Eric Wayne Finch '92 to Allison Elisabeth Muhlenfeld M.Ed. '97, August 2, 1997.
- Patricia Ann Gollin '92 to Mark Raymond Clow, August 16, 1997.
- Gilbert Edward Keegan III '92 to Kristina Ann Fisher '93, April 26, 1997.
- Christopher James Layton '92 to Rebecca Lyn Nations, June 7, 1997.
- Brooke Elliott Loth '92 to David Jefferson Birdsong, September 26, 1997.
- Matthew Alexander Manning '92 to Allison Boyd Dinwiddie '93, September 20, 1997.
- John Joseph Marcoux '92 to Jennifer Kathryn Baumann '94, August 23, 1997.
- Kathryn Claire McGovern '92 to Patrick Brown, April 19, 1997.
- Christopher Lewis Paradise '92 to Oksana Soudak, September 22, 1996.
- Joseph Francis Wajszczuk Jr. '92 to Kristine Hurst, October 11, 1997.
- Michael William Weneta '92 to Lisa Carole Whitt, July 5, 1997.
- Heidemarie Workman '92 to Boris E. Gregoriev, August 16, 1997.
- Michael James Zickel '92 to Susan Elizabeth Berquist '94, October 18, 1997.
- Colleen Rebecca Bellamy '93 to Bradley Cutler Galle, May 31, 1997.
- Scott Andrew Estes '93 to Margot Gerdson, August 9, 1997.
- Beverly Daniel Holley '93 to Jennifer Lynn VonEime, August 16, 1997.
- Brian Glen Jenkins '93 to Michelle Carey Robin, August 2, 1997.
- Brandis Nicole Leonard '93 to Peter King, June 28, 1997.
- Whitney Carleton Lester '93 to Elizabeth Lane Jowaisas '93, June 28, 1997.
- Lori Ann Manganelli '93 to Charles E. Wiesner, July 5, 1997.
- Kristin Leigh Mays '93 to Andrew Nelson Bliss, July 12, 1997.
- Daniel Lee Polis '93 to Crystal Yvonne Anderson '93, September 28, 1996.
- Sarah Lynn Turner '93 to Keith Allam Pedro, February 22, 1997.
- Donald Andrew Winesett '93 to Leslie Gail Zuidema '93, June 7, 1997.
- Elizabeth Caroline Billings '94 to Timothy Gregory Schafer, June 21, 1997.
- Kathy Ruth Cable '94 to Mark Smaltz, July 11, 1997.
- Thomas Nathan Collins '94 to Anne Elizabeth Thompson, July 19, 1997.
- Amy Carolyn Corneal '94 to Sean W. Kelley, August 9, 1997.
- Michelle Margaret Dandar '94 to Luke Beaty, January 25, 1997.



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Wilson Parrish Daugherty '94 to Lori Anne Carter '94, June 28, 1997.
 John Allen Evans '94 to Robyn Leigh Elam '95, September 20, 1997.
 Suzanne Jeannette Ferree '94 to David Huey, March 15, 1997.
 Mary Ann Forrest '94 to Carson Rector Jr., July 5, 1997.
 Karen Lynn Good '94 to Robert Neil Dunevant, August 9, 1997.
 Daniel Michael Hardy '94 to Jessica S. Lucia '97, June 21, 1997.
 Brent Stuart Holliday '94 to Jennifer Hope Dombrowski '94, September 6, 1997.
 Jenna Lynn Juszynski '94 to Scott Loomis, December 27, 1996.
 Frank Dominick Marcoccio '94 to Marypat Patricia Howard '94, July 5, 1997.
 Leslie Christian McCoulough '94 to Scott Poling, September 14, 1996.
 Christie Laverne Meredith '94 to Mark Kelsey, August 2, 1997.
 James Joseph Richmond '94 to Renee Smith '96, May 17, 1997.
 Amy Neaf Shaner '94 to Craig Alan Korte, July 5, 1997.
 Gonzalo Christian Vincente '94 to Wendy Anne Sauer '94, May, 1997.
 Dian Irene Witter '94 to John Christopher Martin, July 5, 1997.
 Tyler Gregory Wright '94 to Anne M. Stuker, August 16, 1997.
 Robert Sean Bassett '95 to Christine M. Korb, June 28, 1997.
 Cordis Brian Colburn '95 to Andrea Leigh Adams '95, June 28, 1997.
 Christopher Todd Farrar '95 to Jennifer Gayle Thornton, September 6, 1997.
 Angela Shawn Freeman '95 to Kenneth Claude Massey Jr., August 9, 1997.
 Erin Christine Jenkins '95 to Christopher Pendelton, August 23, 1997.
 A. Carter Nowell '95 to Courtney Helen Collins J.D. '96, August 30, 1997.
 Angela Paige Ray '95 to Todd Montague Ellett, June 28, 1997.
 Joseph Ingle Scott '95 to Katherine L. Shirley, May 31, 1997.
 Sybil Louise Smith '95 to Robert Winston Spurgeon, August 9, 1997.
 Melanie Wilhite '95 to Myrchas B. Glenn Jr., August 2, 1997.
 Daniel Walter Andersen '96 to Beth Ann Zuskin '97, July, 1997.
 Jennifer Lynn Bridges '96 to John King Oast Jr., August 9, 1997.
 Christopher William Buddendeck '96 to Kristie Louise Toulson '96, May 18, 1996.
 Timothy Scott Hamilton '96 to Laura Elizabeth Lacy '96, September 6, 1997.
 Ian Emmanuel Heiman '96 to Amy Marie Johnson '97, June 21, 1997.
 Cora Leanne Oates '96 to Jason David Cave, July 12, 1997.
 Angelia Ellen Ragland '96 to Eugene Edward Baime, July, 1997.
 Gretchen Elizabeth Reinhardt '96 to Clinton Earl Plaisted, June 7, 1997.
 Michael Robert Saraniero '96 to Melania Delacruz '96, August, 1997.
 Madison Sean Tarter '96 to Ashley Louise Quarles '97, May 25, 1997.
 Stacy Anastasia Basis '97 to Matthew R. Pappas, August 31, 1997.
 Rebecca Lynn Behnken '97 to Kyle Thomas Gauthier, June 28, 1997.
 Christopher Jason Hulbert '97 to Dena Rae Scott, May 31, 1997.
 Susanna Lynn Pendleton '97 to Jonathan Burke Villines, October 25, 1997.
 Neil Allen Pifer '97 to Anne Melissa Harwell '96, October 11, 1997.

Graduate Alumni

Christopher Robert Ryan M.B.A. '75 to Sally Shumaker, February 15, 1997.
 John F. Quensen III M.A. '76 to Janet Marie Murphy '75, July 15, 1997.
 Bruce Thamer Hashim M.B.A. '83 to Sarah Read Edmunds, September 27, 1997.
 Thomas William Moriarty M.B.A. '85 to Meegan Reilly, September 13, 1997.
 Brian Keith Stevens J.D. '86 to Lee Stevens, June, 1997.
 Gary Grant Robinson M.A. '87 to Mary E. Robinson, March 30, 1996.
 John P. Fendig J.D. '90 to Jennifer Tyler Crawford, June 7, 1997.
 Steven Ashley Hunt M.B.A. '90 to Lauren K. LaMadrid, September 14, 1997.
 Bronte Meredith Ward M.B.A. '91 to David James Abraham, May 31, 1997.
 F. Eileen Burklow E.M.B.A. '92 to Michael Turner, April 6, 1997.
 Dennis Eugen Nagel J.D. '92 to Allison Monique Lewis, May 31, 1997.
 Lisa Sarah Brook J.D. '93 to James Benedict Bain, May 25, 1997.
 Paul Richard Montopoli M.B.A. '93 to Alicia Michelle Wiecek, Septemeber 29, 1997.
 Jill Marie Beekma J.D. '94 to Jim Presseller, August, 1997.
 John Leslie Brownlee J.D. '94 to Lee Ann Necessary, August 30, 1997.
 James Preston O'Brien Jr. J.D. '94 to Anne Regan, July 19, 1997.
 Rhett Jui-ti Woo M.S. '94, Ph.D. '96 to Deborah A. Coe, August, 1997.
 Paula Colleen Archer M.B.A. '95 to William David Beiser, October 25, 1997.
 Patrick Halpin M.S. '95 to Mary Pat Sullivan M.S. '96, July 19, 1997.
 Rachel Louise Knudsen M.A. '95 to Anthony Giunta, July 26, 1997.
 Amy Claudine Rollins J.D. '95 to Nevin Kreisler, April, 1997.
 Victoria Stevely Moss M.A.Ed. '95 to Daniel Lee Delaney, August 2, 1997.
 Leesa Ruth Smith M.Ed. '95, Ed.S. '96 to Mark Edward Parnell, October 11, 1997.
 Troy Wayne Weldy M.A. '95 to Gwendolyn Paige Hudgins '94, August 16, 1997.
 Jared M. Carlson J.D. '96 to Lucy G. White J.D. '96, August, 1997.
 Michael L. Chasey M.A. '96 to Kathleen Anne Garreis M.A. '96, June 28, 1997.
 Donald Staley Gibbs M.A. '96 to Lesley Garofalo, August 1, 1997.
 Dennis R. Kaizer M.B.A. '96 to Quimby June Horrell M.B.A. '97, June 14, 1997.
 Eric Hahl Messick M.P.P. '96 to Colleen Heather Dugan '87, August 23, 1997.
 Michael David Moore J.D. '96 to Diane Marie Preston '87, September 6, 1997.
 Karen Patchin M.B.A. '96 to Parker Monroe Burden III, September 20, 1997.
 Bradley Walter Finch J.D. '97 to Lara Mary Vukelic J.D. '95, August 9, 1997.
 Karyn L. O'Hara M.B.A. '97 to Rakesh Chandra, May 31, 1997.
 Lynn Bobbitt Robinson M.Ed. '97 to Stephen John Ellis, December 28, 1996.

Births

TO: John William Black '62, third child, first son, William Rafael, August 27, 1997.
 TO: W. Wilford Kale Jr. '66, third child, second son, John Carter, August 26, 1997.
 TO: Deborah Anne Federhen '76, first child, a daughter, Alexina Tamsen, April 25, 1997.
 TO: Karen Yanity Darch '77, sixth child, third daughter, Kimberly Christine, September 10, 1997.
 TO: Nancy F. Joyner '77, first child, a daughter, Amy Leigh, January 12, 1996.
 TO: Douglas Levon Pearson '77, third child, third daughter, Sondra, August 30, 1996.
 TO: Elizabeth Wagner Baskin '78, second child, first daughter, Mary Peyton, June 20, 1997.
 TO: Nancy J. Brandenburg '78, first child, a daughter, Jamie Nicole, September 19, 1997.
 TO: R. Richard Rowland Jr. '78 and Susan Olsen Rowland '78, third child, first daughter, Caroline Kerr, March 11, 1997.
 TO: David Emerson Hopkins '79 and Donna Fenwick Hopkins '82, second child, second son, Jacob Tyler, April 29, 1997.
 TO: Keri Sue Viehweg Johnston '79, first child, a son, Andrew Thomas, July 27, 1997.
 TO: Susan Warren Nadolski '79, second child, second daughter, Laura Kristen, March 1, 1996.
 TO: Gerald Meredith Evans II '80, second child, first son, Gerald M. III, July 27, 1997.
 TO: Alexander Joseph Tafro '80, first child, a son, Alexander Philip, May 9, 1997.
 TO: Deanna Kraus Zeilmann '80, third child, third son, Noah Arthur, July 26, 1996.
 TO: Susan Marks '81, second child, second son, Alexander Joseph Schmidt, May 15, 1997.
 TO: J. Barton Seitz '81, third child, first son, Graham Frederick, August 1, 1997.
 TO: Robert James Short Jr. '81 and Sandra Jean Short '81, first child, a daughter, Taylor Chilton, June 11, 1997.
 TO: Ellen Bathe Timmer '81, second child, second son, Riley Chance, July 4, 1997.
 TO: Richard Veres '81 and Beth Mettler Veres '83, fourth and fifth children, second and third daughters, Elizabeth Trusley and Grace Amadon, March 27, 1996.
 TO: Amy Ross Crane '82, first child, a daughter, Sophie Xiaocui, March 17, 1996.
 TO: Peter Ryan Culpepper '82, second child, second daughter, Audrey Jean Felix, May 14, 1997.
 TO: Heidi Ames Guglielmino '82, first child, a son, Robert John, October 5, 1996.
 TO: Thomas Kermit Hearn III '82 and Dana Disque Hearn '82, third child, third son, Cooper Disque, August 5, 1997.
 TO: Catherine Glancy Kurzenknabe '82, fourth child, third daughter, Kathryn Marie, April 16, 1997.
 TO: Stuart Charles Pickell '82, first child, a son, Jonathan Stuart, July 3, 1997.
 TO: Alice Lawson Sperapani '82, second child, second daughter, Joanna Ellen, September 15, 1997.
 TO: Marsha Caudill Turner '82, second child, first son, Austin Reed, January 4, 1997.
 TO: Peter William Atwater '83 and Janet Rollins Atwater '84, second child, first son, Bennet William, August 6, 1997.
 TO: Jeffrey David Campbell '83, second child, second daughter, Alison Hopkins, September 16, 1997.
 TO: Candace C. Carlisle '83, first child, a daughter, Laura Carlisle Tompkins, May 4, 1997.
 TO: John Charles Chuday '83, first child, a son, Jonas Chesney, October 24, 1996.
 TO: Cassandra Harrison Cooper '83, first and second child, twin daughters, Devon Brinkley and Alexandra Darden, July 20, 1997.
 TO: Thomas McNeel Gilmore '83 and Lesley Brent Gilmore '83, first child, a son, Carey McNeel, April 26, 1997.
 TO: Kriss Fillbach Hayward '83, second child, second daughter, Jett Carina, April 22, 1997.
 TO: Alan Jones '83 and Mary Carson Jones '83, third child, second daughter, Abigail Reese Jones, September 22, 1996.
 TO: Edward Warren Lull Jr. '83 and Lynn Rosenberry Lull '83, third child, third daughter, Hanna Rose, May 15, 1997.
 TO: Helen Long McGinnies '83, first child, a daughter, Sophie Alaina, April 13, 1997.
 TO: Cynthia Duck Metz '83, first child, a son, Jacob Philip, September 12, 1997.
 TO: Deborah Krasich Munson '83, first child, a son, Benjamin Allen, September 24, 1996.
 TO: Linda Symons Raab '83, second child, second son, Brian Thomas, November 24, 1996.
 TO: Louis Paul Slothouber '83 and Karen L. Slothouber '84, third child, second daughter, Laura Jean, March 8, 1997.
 TO: Thomas William Cullen '84, second child, first son, Thomas W. Jr., May 30, 1997.
 TO: Melinda Riggle Hess '84, first child, a son, John Michael, May 15, 1997.
 TO: William Henry Joyner '84, second child, second daughter, Caroline Marie, August 25, 1997.
 TO: Colleen K. Killilea '84, second child, second daughter, Bridget Kathryn, January 7, 1997.
 TO: Leslie Bones Maclay '84, second child, second son, Spencer Cornell, August 22, 1997.
 TO: Robert Dennis Ramsey '84 and Lisa Hope Ramsey '84, third child, first son, Patrick Logan, December 19, 1996.
 TO: Scott Charles Vachris '84 and Michelle Albert Vachris '84, second child, second son, Brendan Charles, October 16, 1997.
 TO: Virginia Kost Wilson '84, third child, a son, Douglas James, December 18, 1996.
 TO: Susan Frier Wiltsie '84, third child, second daughter, Margaret Tobin, November 5, 1996.
 TO: Alan Clark Ashworth '85 and Anna G. Ashworth '86, fourth child, second daughter, Jillian Delaney, September 5, 1997.
 TO: Kathryn Ann Born '85, first child, a daughter, Sarah Maire Colborn, August 24, 1996.
 TO: Thomas Henry Douglas '85, second child, first son, Scott Bradford, June 26, 1997.
 TO: Kimberly Lebo Earle '85, first child, a son, Julian Harold, June 30, 1997.
 TO: Daniel Martin Head Jr. '85 and Justina Johnson Head '84, third child, second daughter, Emily Grace, February 12, 1997.
 TO: Bradford Dudley Hirschy '85 and Stephanie Jane Hirschy '90, first child, a daughter,

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- Isabelle Priscilla, May 16, 1997.
TO: Elizabeth Cabell Jennings '85, second child, second daughter, Grace Cabel, April 28, 1997.
TO: Thomas Francis Jensen '85, second child, second daughter, Kelsi Marie, May 14, 1997.
TO: Randal William King '85 and Tanya Hranowsky King '85, first child, a son, Nicholas Charles William, July 7, 1997.
TO: Elizabeth Powell Mullen '85, third child, second son, Andrew Douglas, June 11, 1997.
TO: Margaret Halstead Bussan '86, second child, first daughter, Kathleen Randle, June 3, 1997.
TO: Donald Gordon MacKay '86 and Susan Maybury MacKay '85, first child, a daughter, Lydia Rose, November 11, 1996.
TO: Sherri Givens Mylott '86, third child, first daughter, Torian Grace, November 6, 1997.
TO: Joy Dibble Nagy '86, first child, a daughter, Emily Ayers, January 16, 1997.
TO: Michelle Lengyel Roland '86, first child, a son, Andrew David, July 17, 1997.
TO: Andria Silver Wojtunik '86, first child, a son, Adam Nicolas, January 19, 1997.
TO: Frederick Richard Ablondi Jr. '87 and Susan Metcalfe Ablondi '89, second child, first son, Timothy Robert, September 27, 1997.
TO: Doreen Ferree Barnes '87, second child, second daughter, MacKenzie Beth, April 30, 1997.
TO: Karen Eccli Brownfield '87, second child, first son, Jon Paul Jr., March 31, 1997.
TO: Colleen Winn Collins '87, second child, second son, Eamonn, January 8, 1997.
TO: Kevin Michael Davis '87 and Aimee Bellaria Davis '87, second child, first daughter, Shannon Marie, November 5, 1996.
TO: Robert Leonard Garnier '87 and Martha Crannis Garnier '88, second child, first daughter, Corinne Elizabeth, May 14, 1996.
TO: Amy Furr Goodman '87, first child, a daughter, Anne Grace, January 15, 1997.
TO: Brooke Wanner Lucas '87, first child, a daughter, Madison Hope, August 27, 1996.
TO: Kellie Jones Owens '87, second child, first daughter, Sidney Ann, May 20, 1997.
TO: Stephanie K. Thompson '87, first child, a daughter, Michelle Elisabeth Hermes, May 13, 1996.
TO: William Michael Bynum '88 and Susan Camillucci Bynum '88, first child, a son, Matthew William, July 7, 1997.
TO: James Andrew Calpin '88 and Karen Rodgers Calpin '87, second child, second daughter, Erin Catherine, June 13, 1997.
TO: Janice Capone Cheshire '88, third child, first son, Andrew Joseph, May 3, 1997.
TO: Thomas Francis Dungan III '88 and Teri Dale Dungan '88, second child, second son, Matthew Mayes, August 11, 1997.
TO: Kristin North Eye '88, second child, second son, Jeremy William, June 26, 1997.
TO: H. Allen Hall '88, second child, second son, Fredric Mason, May 8, 1997.
TO: Christopher Lane Johnson '88, first child, a son, Kip Robin, September 29, 1997.
TO: Kevin Smith Kearns '88 and Anne Wilson Kearns '88, first child, a son, Thomas William, December 31, 1996.
TO: Priscilla Lubbers Kilgore '88, second child, second daughter, Peyton Elizabeth, July 8, 1997.
TO: Jeffrey Ronald Majtyka '88 and Blair Koehler Majtyka '88, first child, a daughter, Kendall Koehler Majtyka, July 25, 1997.
TO: Melissa Orndorff Markham '88, first child, a son, John Gordon, December 20, 1996.
TO: Christopher Wallace McDonald '88 and Corey Morck McDonald '88, second child, first daughter, August 6, 1997.
TO: John Albert Morgan '88 and Marcella M. Morgan '71, first child, a daughter, Emily Elizabeth, May 28, 1997.
TO: Johanna Wyboraski Naccash '88, third child, second son, Luke Anthony, August 14, 1997.
TO: Jay Gordon Sailer '88, first child, a son, Noah Gordon, April 19, 1997.
TO: Lee Cleveland Scruggs '88 and Pamela Reese Scruggs '92, third child, second son, Noah Alexander Reese Scruggs, October 23, 1997.
TO: James Douglas Young '88, second child, first daughter, Allison Keenan, June 25, 1997.
TO: Virginia Lee Acha '89, first child, a son, Aidan Henry Ball, April 27, 1997.
TO: Timothy John Dragelin '89 and Laurianne Gabig Dragelin '89, second child, first daughter, Hope Noelle, December 13, 1996.
TO: Julie Shepherd Emery '89, second child, second son, Benjamin Pierson, May 26, 1997.
TO: Michael Lee Ford '89 and Amy Johnson Ford '89, second child, first son, Miller Grey, July 2, 1997.
TO: Todd David Martin '89, first child, a son, Stuart Todd, May 20, 1997.
TO: Steven Douglas McCleaf '89, first child, a son, Andrew Homme, August 23, 1997.
TO: Elizabeth Sommer Spratt '89, first child, a daughter, Victoria Sommer Spratt, January 26, 1997.
TO: John Augustine Stewart '89, first child, a daughter, Madeline Jane, July 19, 1997.
TO: Brian Louis Sykes '89, first child, a daughter, Margaret Burton ("Molly"), September 9, 1997.
TO: Harry Paul Warren '89 and Amy Reichart Warren '89, second child, second son, Christian Lewis, May 28, 1997.
TO: Wallace Bruce Wason Jr. '89, first child, a daughter, Emma Jane, March 30, 1997.
TO: Terri Drake Wigley '89, second child, first son, Steven Owen Jr., October 28, 1997.
TO: Katherine Binswanger Grubb '90, second child, first daughter, Madison B., July 18, 1997.
TO: David Kent Hood '90, first child, a daughter, Sabrina Marie, January 16, 1997.
TO: Tierney Weinhold Little '90, first child, a daughter, Molly Ann, February 8, 1997.
TO: Stanford Leroy Stevenson '90 and Nita P. Stevenson '91, first child, a daughter, Samantha Elaine, August 7, 1997.
TO: David Jason Cordeiro '91, first child, a son, Jacob Gooch, December 19, 1996.

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- TO: Scott Hinsdale Goodrich '91 and Jennifer Jones Goodrich '91, first child, a daughter, Courtney DuVal, April 18, 1996.
TO: Michael Francis Sola '91 and GERALYN McLernon Sola '91, first child, a daughter, Meghan Marie, June 2, 1997.
TO: Denton D. Woodward '91 and Elizabeth Beehler Woodward '93, first child, a son, Ryan Cary, February 4, 1997.
TO: Kenneth W. Collins Jr. '92 and Kimberly S. Collins '89, first child, a son, Kyle William, July 20, 1997.
TO: Edward John Efkean '92 and Hillery Stubbs Efkean '92, first child, a daughter, Emma Claire, August 1, 1997.
TO: Susan Greenwood Judson '92, first child, a daughter, Sarah Elaine, December 11, 1996.
TO: J. Brock Klich '92, first child, a daughter, Grace, March 27, 1996.
TO: Jason H. Kaiser '93 and Meredith Laura Kaiser '93, first child, a daughter, Elizabeth Marie, November 21, 1996.
TO: Christy Devers Matuga '94, second child, first son, Joseph Skyler, July 31, 1997.
TO: Amy Kirkpatrick Duncan '96, first child, a son, Bennett William, January 24, 1997.
TO: Stacy Malgee Weissner '96, first child, a son, William Malgee Weissner, June 25, 1997.

Graduate Alumni

- TO: Barrett H. Carson M.A.Ed. '75, C.A.S. '76, third child, second daughter, Meredith Lee, May 25, 1996.
TO: Kevin P. O'Mahony J.D. '82, first child, a son, Conor Alexander, July 21, 1997.
TO: Tina Schober Thomas J.D. '83, first child, a son, William Marshall, January 31, 1996.
TO: Mark Greer Saine M.B.A. '84, third child, second son, Thomas Henry, July 3, 1996.
TO: John H. Sprinkle Jr. M.A. '84, Ph.D. '92 and Esther C. White Sprinkle M.A. '91, first child, a son, James Harrison ("Harry"), April 24, 1997.
TO: Julia Sidhu Leslie M.B.A. '86, third child, second daughter, Sydney Ann, October 5, 1996.
TO: Barbara Turotsy Del Graco J.D. '87, first child, a daughter, Christina, October, 1996.
TO: Fernand Albert Lavallee J.D. '88, second child, first daughter, Catherine Anne, March 17, 1996.
TO: David Charles Gould M.B.A. '90 and Ellen Winstead Gould '90, fourth child, fourth son, Samuel, March 13, 1997.
TO: William Carter Mixon M.B.A. '90 and Cindy Joyce Howard '87, first child, a son, William Allen, June 5, 1997.
TO: Tyler Skipwith Carr M.B.A. '91, second child, second daughter, Elizabeth Anne, February 12, 1997.
TO: Paula Minor Hicks Mooradian M.B.A. '92, first child, a daughter, September 18, 1997.
TO: Lisa Pasquale Semmes M.B.A. '92, first child, a son, Andrew Lawrence, July 1, 1997.
TO: Scott McIntosh Zimmerman J.D. '92, first child, a son, Andrew Scott, August 22, 1997.
TO: Russell Martin Basch M.B.A. '93 and Ingrid Ellen Olson J.D. '90, first child, a daughter, Annika Olson Basch, November 16, 1996.
TO: Courtney C. Spencer M.B.A. '93, first child, a son, Tyler Colvard, April 16, 1997.
TO: Brian Keith Williams M.B.A. '93 and Kelly B. Williams '91, first child, a daughter, Savannah Noel, August 16, 1997.
TO: Darryl James Mitchell J.D. '94, second child, second son, Trent Andrew, July 18, 1997.
TO: Phillip Lee Rodenberg M.P.P. '94, second child, first daughter, Emma Caroline, August 17, 1997.
TO: Sheldon Lee Stept M.B.A. '94, first child, a daughter, Melissa Ayn, July 15, 1996.
TO: Christopher Gordon Harlow M.B.A. '95, second child, first daughter, Amber Agnes, March 21, 1997.
TO: Thomas B. Kiddle M.B.A. '95 and Christina Adinolfi Kiddle M.A. '95, first child, a son, Thomas B. Jr., April 14, 1997.
TO: Jeremy Thomas Walker J.D. '96, first child, a daughter, Rebecca Sophia, May 6, 1997.

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Anna Haile Burks '23 of Bedford, Va., died Aug. 28, 1997. She taught school in Culpeper County and Bedford. A charter member of both the Blue Ridge Garden Club and the Friday Book Club, she also belonged to the American Association of University Women and was an active supporter of numerous community organizations and activities, including St. Thomas Episcopal Church. At William and Mary, she was named to Mortar Board. Surviving are a son, three daughters, eight grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Hugh Trenwith Hancock '24 of Richmond, died Sept. 12, 1997. He was a manufacturer's representative in Houston and southeast Texas for Oakite Products, Inc. of Berkeley Heights, N.J., for 28 years, before retiring in 1970 and returning to Richmond. Prior to his association with Oakite, he was with Biggs Antique Co. and opened branch stores for Biggs in Atlanta in 1936 and New Orleans in 1939. A longtime member of Second Baptist Church, he also belonged to the Houston Rotary Club and Holland Lodge #1 AF&AM of Houston. During his William and Mary years, he was captain of the 1924 track team and played tennis and football. He also was sports editor of the *Flat Hat* and was on the *Colonial Echo* staff, in addition to joining Kappa Sigma fraternity. He is survived by two daughters, including Sandra Hancock Martin '62, four grandchildren, including Todd David Martin '89, and one great-grandchild.

Pearl G. Griffin '25 of Williamsburg, died July 6, 1997. She had retired as a professor of

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chemistry at Lynchburg College and was a member of Williamsburg United Methodist Church. Survivors include three nephews, a niece, two great-nephews and three great-nieces.

Margaret Muse Trible '26 of West Point, Va., died June 24, 1997. She taught school for several years. Surviving are a son, two daughters, a brother, ten grandchildren, one great-grandchild and a nephew.

Anne Lucille Holloman '27 of Victoria, Va., died Sept. 27, 1997. A lifetime member of Victoria Baptist Church, she taught in the public schools of North Carolina and Virginia prior to joining the Best Oil Company. She is survived by several cousins.

John Bell Etheridge, Sr. '28 of Richmond, died Oct. 6, 1997. He retired in 1971 from Westinghouse Electric Corporation as an electrical engineer, having begun working at the age of 12 as an office assistant at Camp Penniman (now Cheatham Annex). Also, he was employed at Newport News Shipbuilding as an electrician and worked as an electrician in Pearl Harbor. In 1951, he earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Virginia. His William and Mary interests included writing for the *Flat Hat* and joining Kappa Alpha fraternity. Surviving are his wife, Dorothy, two daughters, a son, a sister, Jeanne Bell Etheridge '39, and five grandchildren.

Elizabeth Peirce Henley '29 of Irvington, West Va., died Sept. 1, 1997. For many years, she taught history in the Kanawha County public schools. She was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Charleston, the Junior League of Charleston and the National Society of Colonial Dames. She also was a member of St. Mary's White Chapel Episcopal Church and the Mary Ball Washington Museum. Survivors include a son, three grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and a nephew.

Louise Phillips Craig '30 of Newport News, died July 11, 1997. In 1936, she earned a bachelor's degree from James Madison University. An in-law, Joan Hampton Phillips '64, survives her.

Sarah Brewster Edwards '30 of Weston, West Va., died June 20, 1997. She was assistant to the dean of women at Greenbrier College, from which she had graduated, and also served on the board of trustees for several years. A member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Colonial Dames of America, she had joined Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority as an undergraduate. A son, a daughter and five grandchildren survive her.

Millison Finney '30 of Belle Haven, Va., died Sept. 7, 1997. She joined Kappa Delta sorority at the College.

Mildred Akers Marcuson '30 of Winston-Salem, died June 20, 1997. She was a teacher in the public schools in Patrick and Henry counties, Va., before moving to Winston-Salem and teaching school in Winston-Salem/Forsyth County schools for 14 years, ten of which were at the Methodist Children's Home School. Retiring in 1972, she was a member of Ardmore Baptist Church and its Dorcos and Esther classes. Also, she was a charter member of the Winston-Salem Women's Club and a former member of the American Association of University Women. Surviving are her husband, William, a son, a daughter, three grandchildren and a sister.

Dorothy Harper Urquhart '30 of Courtland, Va., died Sept. 1, 1997. Among survivors is a son.

Christine Thomson Carroll '31 of Hilton Head Island, died April 30, 1997. She was active in the Spanish Club and Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority at the College.

Janet Brooks Munsey '31 of Lee County, Va., died July 26, 1997. As a William and Mary student, she joined the Southwest Virginia Club, the Anthropology Club, the Literary Society and the History Club. Among survivors is a son, William R. Munsey '71.

Abraham E. Silverman '31 of West Hartford, Conn., died Sept. 2, 1997. He taught physical education for 41 years in the Hartford school system and was the basketball coach at Hillyer College. He belonged to the Hartford Dixies, a professional basketball team in Hartford in the 1920s, which went to the national championship in 1925. A 50-year member of Level Lodge No. 137 AF&AM, he also was a member of the Hall of Fame for Greater Hartford Jewish Athletes and Sports Figures. He earned a master's degree from Columbia University. Surviving are a son, a daughter, a sister, three grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Marjorie Lanston Fitzgerald '32 of Annapolis, Md., died Sept. 14, 1997. A lifelong and ardent student of many cultures, she was an avid collector of oriental and modern art and traveled widely with her husband, a Navy rear admiral. She donated the diptych "Area Code" by James Rosenquist to the Joseph and Margaret Muscarelle Museum of Art in Williamsburg. As a William and Mary coed, she joined Eta Sigma Phi Greek and Latin society, the Panhellenic Council and Pi Beta Phi sorority. She also wrote for the *Flat Hat* and *Colonial Echo*, and participated in W&M Theater. Three sons, including Peter L. Fitzgerald '73, and three grandchildren survive her.

Joseph A. Gianelli '32 of Fort Lauderdale, died Sept. 21, 1997. Among survivors are his wife, Sonia, a son and a daughter.

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Sydney Lynn Manson, Jr. '32 of Alexandria, died Oct. 12, 1997. He worked for a Washington sporting goods store, then spent more than 30 years with the sales staff of Ithaca Gun Company, retiring as their eastern sales representative about 1965. During his College years, he joined Kappa Alpha fraternity. He belonged to Christ Episcopal Church and Belle Haven County Club. Survivors include his wife, Virginia Leary Manson '32, a daughter, a brother, a sister and two grandchildren.

Letitia Hairston Hodges '33 of Roanoke, died July 9, 1997. She was part owner and active in Hodges Lumber Company until her retirement. At the College, she belonged to Pi Beta Phi sorority and the Backdrop Club. Survivors include four sons, ten grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and a niece, Margaret H. Furr '65.

Dorothy Trent Smither '33 of Suffolk, died June 8, 1997. She was a retired librarian with the Department of the Navy in McLean, Va., having earned her master's degree from Catholic University. A member of Pi Beta Phi sorority as an undergraduate, she was a member of West End Baptist Church and Order of the Eastern Star. She is survived by a daughter, a son and four grandchildren.

Margaret Irving Waldo '33 of Norfolk, died June 12, 1997. An avid golfer and bridge player, she was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Portsmouth. Active in sports at William and Mary, she ran track and played basketball, baseball, tennis and field hockey. She also joined the Monogram Club, the German Club, the Women's Athletic Association and the Botetourt Bibliographical Society. She is survived by two daughters, a son and seven grandchildren.

Alice Lee Cox '34 of Alexandria, died July 9, 1997. She began her career as a librarian at the Department of the Navy in the 1950s, later working for the Department of the Army.

Ruth Wilson James '34 of Norfolk, died Oct. 7, 1997. She was a well-known social activist who championed causes such as civil rights and any issue that promoted fairness for all. She and her family faced public scorn in the desegregation cause when they joined the Norfolk Committee for Public Schools to save schools that were closed under the state's "massive resistance" policy. In the early 1970s, she earned a master's degree from Old Dominion University and taught until she retired in the late 1970s, after which she continued to work with community groups, including the YWCA. A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the College, she joined the German Club, Kappa Delta Pi education fraternity, the Audubon Society, Phi Mu sorority and the International Relations Club. Two sons and a daughter survive her.

Sue Lancaster McLean '34 of Roanoke, died Sept. 3, 1997. She taught in the Richmond public school system and also was active in church and civic affairs. A founding member of the Pearisburg Women's Club and twice the club's president, she was also a founding director of the Giles County United Way. She served twice as Regent of the George Pearis Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution and was a member of the Pearisburg Presbyterian Church, where she served as president of the Women of the Church, as an elder and also a Sunday School teacher. She was honored as a life member of the Women of the Church and as an elder emeritus of the church. An active Collegian, she joined Chi Omega sorority, the Biology Club, the History Club, the French Club, the Literary Society and the Athletic Association. She also wrote for the *Flat Hat*, was a Class Officer and participated in the YWCA. A son and two grandchildren survive her.

Lowery Reginald Sanders '35 of Richmond, died July 10, 1997. The retired chairman of Northern Neck State Bank since 1996, he worked for the bank for 46 years, serving for many years as president before becoming chairman in 1978. Prior to his career as a banker, he taught math and history at Warsaw High School, served as principal of Oak Grove High School and played for the Warsaw semi-pro baseball team between 1938 and the time he entered the Army during World War II where he served in Burma. A member of the Warsaw United Methodist Church, he had served as president of the Warsaw Chamber of Commerce, the Richmond County Ruritan Club and the Warsaw Rotary Club and was a charter member and treasurer for 30 years of the Richmond County Fire Department. He served 20 years on Warsaw Town Council, including a stint as vice mayor, and was a charter member and commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7167 in Warsaw. At William and Mary, he belonged to the Order of the White Jacket. Surviving are a niece and two nephews.

William C. Fitch '36 of Fairfax, died Sept. 17, 1997. He began his career with the Social Security Administration in 1937 and served as the manager of the agency's branch offices in New York and Baltimore. In the 1950s, he came to the national headquarters, where he served on the staff to help establish a social security system in Israel. In 1961, he became executive director of AARP, a post he held until 1967, after which he served as executive director of the National Council on Aging for three years. He returned to the Social Security Administration, retiring in 1997 as director of its office of public concern. While a College student, he swam and was a member of the "7" Society, Theta Delta Chi fraternity and Omicron Delta Kappa. He also wrote for the *Flat Hat* and participated in W&M Theater. Two sons, two grandchildren and his companion, M.J. Sangassan, survive him.

William Pinkham Gove '36 of Concord, N.H., died Sept. 17, 1996. He served on Concord's Board of Aldermen from 1954-1959 and was Alderman-at-Large in 1967. From 1967 to 1969, he served as mayor of Concord during the transition from strong mayor to city manager form of government. He served two terms in the State Senate from District 15 from 1967 to 1970. An avid golfer and gardener, he was a former member of the

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Wonolancet Club and the Concord Country Club, and was a longtime member of the Unitarian Universalist Church. A veteran of World War II, he served in the U.S. Army Air Corps. While attending the College, he swam and was a President's Aide. He also wrote for the *Flat Hat* and joined the Literary Society, Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity and Alpha Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is survived by his wife, Anne Ender Gove '36, a son, three daughters, including Anne Margaret Gove '67, seven grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Charles M. Smeltzer, Jr. '36 of Deltaville, Va., died July 8, 1997. He was a retired lieutenant commander from the U.S. Coast Guard. As a College student, he excelled in track and was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. Surviving are his wife, Peggy Layman Smeltzer '39, a son, a stepdaughter, a stepson, five step-grandchildren and one step-great grandchild.

Gladys Tooke Barnett '37 of El Paso, died July 16, 1997. She served with her husband, an Army officer, at a number of posts both in the U.S. and overseas. For almost a year, she guarded a dozen Prisoners of War in Japan, whom she taught to landscape her share of land around the quonset hut where the family lived. In El Paso, she served on several committees at St. Alban's and All Saints Episcopal Churches, played a part in beginning the Child Crisis Center, and was a member and chair of various committees in the El Paso Women's Club. She also was active in the Texas Womens Council of National Garden Clubs, joining four local garden clubs and serving as president of each, as well as holding several high positions within the Texas Garden Clubs. While at William and Mary, she joined Chi Omega sorority and remained active with the organization throughout her life. Survivors include her husband, Billy, a son, a daughter, five grandchildren, a brother and two nephews.

William Woodrow Savage '37 of Richmond, died May 20, 1997. He served as dean of the College of Education at the University of South Carolina from 1956-1965 and as professor of education from 1956-1979, along with holding several other positions in the 1970s and 1980s. A member of the staff of the Virginia State Department of Education, he was the first dean of Longwood college and was associate director of the Midwest Administration Center at the University of Chicago, from which he earned his master's and doctoral degrees. Listed in *Who's Who in America* and *Who's Who in the World*, he was the author and co-author of two books and authored more than 100 articles in the field of education. A member of Washington Street United Methodist Church, he taught the John Harper Class. During his College years, he played in the W&M Band and was active in the Asia House. A son and grandchild survive him.

Robert Edward Whitehead, Jr. '37 of Hampton, died Aug. 29, 1997. A retired major in the U.S. Army, he was a veteran of World War II, the Korean War and Vietnam. He was decorated with the Purple Heart and the Bronze Star medals. While attending the College, he joined the Bar Notes Association. Survivors include his wife, Barbara, a daughter, a grandchild and two sisters, including Susan Whitehead Byars '44.

F. Preston Hansberger '38 of Mount Jackson, Va., died Sept. 13, 1997. He retired as teacher and principal at schools in the Conicville, Columbia Furnace and Mt. Jackson areas after 27 years. A lifetime member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, he served as a Sunday School teacher, superintendent, councilman and organist. A Navy veteran of World War II, he received his master's degree from Madison College. Survivors are his wife, Gladys, four sisters and two brothers.

Benjamin Reynolds Parker '38 of Richmond, died July 13, 1997. His wife, Elizabeth, survives him.

Robertson, Jr. '38 of Culpeper, died June 22, 1997. During his College years, he belonged to the Badminton Club. He is survived by his wife, Marguerite, and two daughters.

Sara White Peake '39 of Norfolk, died Aug. 30, 1997. A member of Larchmont United Methodist Church and a former member of the board of directors of St. Mary's Infant Home, she also was a former member of the board of the Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters and its Royster Circle, as well as a member of the Redwood Garden Club. Survivors include a daughter, a sister and three grandchildren.

Phyllis J. Stevens '39 of Lively, Va., died Aug. 29, 1997. She played field hockey at William and Mary and also belonged to Alpha Chi Omega sorority, Kappa Delta Pi education fraternity, the Backdrop Club, Balfour-Hillel, and participated in W&M Theater. Surviving are a son, a daughter and six grandchildren.

Elsie V. Cotterman '40 of Ukiah, Calif., died July 26, 1997. A homemaker for many years, she was a World War II Japanese POW camp survivor. She was a member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church and sang in the choir for more than 20 years. Her William and Mary years included involvement in the Glee Club, the Spanish Club, the YWCA, the Literary Society, the French Club, the Spanish Club and Pi Beta Phi sorority. She was preceded in death by her husband, Stewart Kay Cotterman '39. Survivors include six daughters, a sister, five grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, a sister-in-law, Catherine Cotterman Hoskins '42, and a cousin, Susan Butler Niblock '80.

James Archibald Johnson, Jr. '40 of Richmond, died Sept. 9, 1997. He was a chemist for the state of Virginia for 47 years. At the time of his retirement in 1988, he was supervisor

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of the seed and fertilizer laboratory with the Division of Consolidated Laboratories. He was a nationally known numismatist and collector, a past president of both the American Numismatic Association and was a member of the National Association of Watch and Clock Collectors. Additionally, he was a Scottish Rite Mason and a member of the Northside Lodge #292, AF&AM and was a lifelong member of the Franklin Baptist Church. While at William and Mary, he joined Sigma Phi Sigma fraternity and Beta Gamma Sigma business fraternity. Surviving are two sisters, nine nephews and nieces and eleven great-nephews and great-nieces.

Wesley Alexander Boatwright '41 of Newport News, died Aug. 20, 1997. He retired from dentistry in 1996, having practiced for more than 50 years. A charter fellow of the Virginia Dental Association, he fellowshipped at International College of Dentistry, Pierre Fauchard Academy and the Academy of General Dentistry. He was a secretary and treasurer of the Peninsula Dental Society for 13 years, and also belonged to the Virginia Dental Association and the American Dental Association. A vice president of the Peninsula Academy of General Dentistry and secretary-treasurer of the Virginia Academy of General Dentistry, he had served as a captain in the Army Dental Corps during World War II. An avid fisherman, golfer and gardener, he was a charter member and first president of the Peninsula Sport Fishing Association and was consulted by the Virginia Department of Fisheries on the study of bluefish. In 1943, he earned his dentistry degree from the Medical College of Virginia. As an undergraduate, he played golf. In addition to his wife, Hannah, he is survived by a son, two brothers, three nephews, two nieces, a great-niece and a great-nephew.

Una Madeline Norris '41 of Kilmarnock, Va., died July 25, 1997. From 1932-1942, she taught at Lancaster County public Schools. During World War II, she worked for the War Department in Newport News until 1946, after which she joined the central office staff of the Veterans Administration in Washington, D.C. and retired to Kilmarnock in 1978. She was a docent at historic Christ Church, a volunteer at Rappahannock General Hospital and was active with the Episcopal Church Women at Grace Church. In addition, she served on the fundraising committee for the Tree of Lights, Lancaster Public Library and the Rappahannock Foundation. A brother survives her.

Robert Guilford Taylor '41 of Englewood, Colo., died May 9, 1997. Among survivors is his wife, Mary.

William George Brown '42 of Pittsburgh, died Aug. 5, 1997. He was a member of the Pan American Club at William and Mary.

Norman B. Funsten '42 of Arcadia, Calif., died Oct. 8, 1997. He belonged to Kappa Alpha fraternity as a College student. Surviving is his wife, Sara.

James Edward Howard '42 of Richmond, died Oct. 30, 1997. He was the president of Howard Distributing Company. A veteran of World War II, he was a longstanding member of the Richmond Rotary Club. He played baseball and football at William and Mary, and was inducted into the W&M Athletic Hall of Fame in 1970. Active in many Richmond civic and social organizations, he was past president of the Virginia Beer Wholesalers' Association and a member of numerous trade organizations. Survivors include his wife, Nathlyn, a sister, two nephews and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

Claire Bardwell Debo '43 of Altoona, Fla., died Jan. 9, 1997. She was a medical technician for Waterman Medical Center of Eustis for many years and also worked as head lab technician in her husband's medical office. An active Collegian, she joined the German Club, the Monogram Club, the Varsity Club and Chi Omega sorority. Also, she participated in the YWCA, W&M Theater, the Panhellenic Council and was a class officer. She also swam, belonged to Theta Chi Delta fraternity, and was named to *Who's Who*. Surviving are her husband, Raymond, three sons, two daughters and six grandchildren.

Henry Bowers Pitzer, Jr. '43 of Forest, Va., died Aug. 16, 1997. He was an engineer for General Electric Co. in Lynchburg for more than 24 years. A scout leader of several Boy Scout troops and Explorer Posts, he was a member of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church and former member of the Lynchburg Society of Engineering and Science and the IEEE. During World War II, he served as radarman on the USS Groton with the U.S. Coast Guard. While attending the College, he ran track and cross country and belonged to Sigma Pi fraternity, the Bar Notes Association and Delta Omicron music fraternity. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth, a son, a daughter, a brother and five grandchildren.

John Paul Carter '44 of Sewanee, Tenn., died Aug. 28, 1997. As a minister for many years, he served parishes in North Carolina, was Episcopal Chaplain at the University of Texas, was executive secretary of college work of the third province of the Episcopal church, executive secretary of the National Association of Episcopal Schools and Rector of St. John's in Ellicott City. He also led overseas projects in Mexico, Japan, Tanzania and Haiti. He earned a bachelor's degree from Virginia Theological Seminary in 1947, a master's degree in 1957 and a doctorate in 1979 from the University of Virginia. During his William and Mary years, he played football and wrestled, and also belonged to the Order of the White Jacket, the Student Association, the Canterbury Club and Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. He also wrote for the *Flat Hat*, participated in W&M Theater and was named to *Who's Who*. As an alumnus, he served as Class Reporter for several years. Survivors include his wife, Joan Worstell Carter '45, three sons, three daughters, including Christine Dryden Carter-Husk '73, eight grandchildren, two brothers and two sisters.

Helen H. Dressler '44 of Poquoson, Va., died Aug. 25, 1997. She played basketball at the

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College. Among survivors is her husband, John.

Isabel Sprague Spear '44 of Napa, Calif., died Oct. 22, 1996. She was a homemaker for many years and is survived by three sons, two daughters and two grandchildren.

Robert Dea Ailsworth, Jr. '45 of Port Orange, Fla., died Oct. 28, 1997. Following his tour of duty with the U.S. Army Medical Corps in internal medicine, he established a medical practice in Keysville, Va., that lasted for 40 years. Along with other community activities, he was on the board of directors of Southside Community Hospital and also taught Sunday School at Ash Camp Baptist Church. An avid golfer, he was one of the co-founders of the Briery Country Club. In 1948, he earned his medical degree from the Medical College of Virginia. At William and Mary, he played baseball and joined Sigma Rho. He is survived by his wife, Helen, four sons, two daughters, seven grandchildren, two stepdaughters, three brothers and six sisters.

Lucile Burbank Carlton '46 of Hampton, died July 5, 1997. She worked for ten years as a public librarian and a children's librarian in Hampton, Newport News, Pittsfield, Mass., and Louisville. In 1980, she retired as a librarian in the Fairfax County public schools after 25 years of service. She then served as part-time librarian in the Virginia Tech Northern Virginia Graduate Center from 1981 to 1993. An active member of the First Presbyterian Church in Hampton, she was leader of a prayer group and was president of the women's work there. She also helped at Grace Fellowship Church and at Burbank Elementary School with the tutor and mentor program. A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the College, she wrote for the *Flat Hat*, joined Phi Delta Kappa, and was named to *Who's Who in American Women*. In 1956, she earned a master's degree from Catholic University of America. Survivors include two stepsons, two sisters and two brothers.

Sally Stevenson Hughes '46 of Princeton, N.J., died July 14, 1997. She studied art history her entire life and this pursuit included fellowships at Winterthur and at the Museum of Early Southern Decorative Arts in Winston-Salem. A docent at the Princeton University Art Museum for more than 30 years, she also taught a series of art courses at the Princeton Adult School. In the last six years, she became a lecturer in art history on cruise ships for the Cunard Line, traveling to such ports as Buenos Aires. An active volunteer for many causes and organizations, she was a trustee of the Family Guidance Center, on the board of the YWCA, a trustee and vice president of the Princeton Historical Society, a member of the Princeton Rug Society and the Middle East Society, and a trustee of the New Jersey State Museum. Surviving are her husband, John, and two daughters.

Priscilla G. Norris Moore '46 of Wayne, Pa., died April 29, 1997. For 20 years, she served as a judge of elections in Wayne and was secretary of her bowling league for 15 years. As an undergraduate, she belonged to Chi Omega sorority and the Association of Computing Machinery. In addition to her husband, Laird, she is survived by two sons, a sister and nine grandchildren.

Ann Vineyard Roach '46 of Memphis, died in October, 1997. During her College years, she joined the Scarab Society, Alpha Chi Omega sorority, the French Club, the Monogram Club, the Honor Council, the Canterbury Club and Kappa Omicron Phi home economics society. She also played basketball, archery and intramural sports, participated in W&M Theater, and was named to Mortar Board and *Who's Who in American Colleges*. Among survivors are her husband, Maurice, and a cousin, Pamela Pauly Chinnis '46.

Jane Barteaux White '46 of Guerneville, Calif., died May 31, 1997. She owned Ring Canyon Campground for many years. Also, she was a medical laboratory technician with Kaiser in Panorama City, retiring in 1983. While attending William and Mary, she wrote for the *Flat Hat*. She is survived by her husband, Robert, four children, several grandchildren, a sister and many nieces and nephews.

Carolyn Thomas McGregor Picard '47 of Williamsburg, died July 16, 1997. She was employed as an interpreter with the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation from 1967 until her retirement in 1997. A member of Chi Omega sorority at the College, she also belonged to Orchesis. Surviving are her husband, Conrad, two sons, a daughter, a sister and eight grandchildren.

William Boyd Tyler, Jr. '47 of Cape May, N.J., died Aug. 16, 1997. He retired as vice president of Horizon Bank in 1981 and previously had been a director of First National Bank of Cape May. A U.S. Army veteran of World War II, he served with the 95th Infantry Division in Germany and France. He attended Babe Ruth Baseball School and played semi-pro baseball in Ocean View. A 50-year member of First United Methodist Church, he sang in the choir and served on the building committee. He wrote the fishing column "Tight Lines by the Old Angler" for the *Gazette-Leader* from 1961-1996. An avid fisherman and a member and secretary-treasurer of the Cape May-Hatteras Anglers Club, he was inducted into the Cape May County Fishermen's Memorial in 1975. He was a member and past commander of Thurston Elmer Wood American Legion Post 198 and was past president of the Kiwanis Club. Surviving are a son and two grandchildren.

Joan Kelley Condell '48 of Bethesda, Md., died Aug. 15, 1997. During her undergraduate years, she joined Kappa Delta Pi education fraternity, Pi Beta Phi sorority, the Newman Society, the Monogram Club and the German Club. She also participated in the YWCA. Among survivors is her husband, William.

Denver Burton Mills, Sr. '48 of Wytheville, died Nov. 4, 1997. He worked 40 years for the

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C&O Railroad Company and during that time held the posts of president, secretary, local chairman and delegate in the United Transportation Union, representing railroad train service employees. After retirement, he continued to work part time as an award winning insurance sales representative for the Locomotive Engineers and Conductors Mutual Protective Association and was a member of the Thomas N. Nelson Masonic Lodge No. 351. Prior to beginning his C&O career, he was an outstanding athlete on the football field, having played briefly for the Chicago Cardinals and most notably for the Richmond Rebels of the old American Football League, where he led the league in pass receiving in 1949 and made the All-Pro team from 1948-1950. While at William and Mary, he played both offensive and defensive end and was the first underclassman elected to be captain of the team. Also, he joined Sigma Rho and was selected captain of the Associated Press All State Team, as well as the AP's All Southern Conference Team. A track star, too, he lettered on the 1945-1947 teams and was undefeated in the 100 yard low hurdles. While in the Army, he made the All Service Team and set scoring records. Surviving are his wife, Gloria, three sons and five grandchildren.

John William Spillane '48 of Westmont, N.J., died Aug. 15, 1997. He specialized in the recruiting, training and placement of technical personnel for various companies before retiring in 1991. During World War II, he served in the U.S. Army's 4165th Quartermaster Depot Company for three years, supplying front-line troops with food, clothing and fuel in France, Germany and Belgium. He also worked in Quartermaster public relations in the Philippines, where he wrote several stories on the fall of Bataan and the Island of Corregidor. While a College student, he played in the W&M Band, sang in the Glee Club, and also joined the Anthropology Club and Kappa Sigma fraternity. Survivors include his wife, Margaret, a son, two daughters and three grandchildren.

Evelyn Schwan Hecht '49 of Norfolk, died Aug. 24, 1997. A homemaker for many years, she was a member of Ohel Shalom Temple and its sisterhood. Additionally, she was a member and past co-president of the Norfolk Chapter of the National Council of Jewish Women and served on its scholarship committee, and also served on the audit committee of the United Way. Surviving are her husband, Joseph, a daughter, a son, a brother, two grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Lee A. Wallace, Jr. '49 of Arlington, died Oct. 9, 1997. A nationally recognized military historian and author, he entered the National Park Service in 1950 as historian at Petersburg National Military Park where he worked for seven years. He also served as historian at Chickamauga-Chattanooga National Military Park and at the Museum branch of the National Park Service in Washington, D.C. He retired in 1977 to devote his time to editing and writing numerous books and articles related to Civil War history, compiling *A Guide to Virginia Military Organizations 1861-1865* and authoring *A History of Petersburg National Battlefield*. He also authored several books on Virginia Infantry in the Virginia Regimental Histories Series. In Petersburg, he was a sergeant in the 176th Infantry Regimental Combat Virginia Army National Guard, from which he was a World War II veteran, and was a founder of the Cockade Rifles, a member of the North-South Skirmish Association, a charter member of the Company of Military Historians, a founding member of the Eastern National Park & Monument Association and past president of the Fort Valley Hunt Club. He belonged to Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity during his undergraduate years. In 1950, he earned a master's degree from the University of North Carolina. Surviving are his sister, two nephews and three nieces.

Fred Leonard Aron '50 of Virginia Beach, died Jan. 28, 1997. He belonged to Phi Alpha at William and Mary. Among survivors are his wife, Natalie, a brother, Sidney Aron '47, and a nephew, Marcus Jay Aron '82.

Robert Alden Orr '50 of Leesburg, died May 1, 1997. He practiced medicine from 1955-1996 and was often referred to as one of the last country doctors, taking whatever one could afford in exchange for his services. One of those payments was a registered thoroughbred mare, who later became the grandmother of Mighty Ben, a racehorse that won more money at Charles Town Race Track than any other horse. Among his community activities, he held several offices with the Loudoun Medical Society, was past president of the Loudoun County Hospital and chief of staff there several times, was a past member of the Town Council of Leesburg, a vice mayor of Leesburg, president of the Catoctin PTA, president of the Leesburg Rotary Club, a commander of the American Legion, a former director of the Paxton Home and a former jail physician. An outstanding track athlete at the College, he came within 100th of a point of going to the Olympics. A U.S. Army veteran, he served during World War II and in Korea as a second lieutenant. As a College student, he belonged to the Bar Notes Association and the Biology Club. Survivors include his wife, Pauline, a daughter, three grandchildren, a stepson, a stepdaughter and a sister.

AnneMarie Menefee Schroeder '50 of Roanoke, died Aug. 2, 1997. She was a teacher in the Roanoke school system. While at William and Mary, she played basketball and belonged to the Monogram Club and the Women's Athletic Association. She also joined Chi Omega sorority, the German Club, the Varsity Club, the Biology Club and participated in the YWCA. In 1954, she earned a master's degree from the University of Virginia. Her husband, Bill Schroeder '51, and three daughters survive her.

Elizabeth Graves Barthlow '51 of Williamsburg, died Aug. 30, 1997. As an undergraduate, she played tennis and field hockey. She also belonged to the Monogram Club, the Spanish Club, the Backdrop Club and Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. She is survived by a son, Norman Thurlow Hornsby, Jr. '75, and two grandchildren.

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Samuel Anthony Lupo '52 of Colonia, N.J., died Sept. 4, 1997. He was a successful coach and director of athletics at Woodbridge High School for 34 years, having begun his career in 1963 and posting impressive winning records for many years. In 1969, after winning his conference championship, he was named Football Coach of the Year and also received the N.J. Interscholastic Coaches Association Honor Award and the Middlesex County Coaches Association Award. In addition to coaching, he was head of the school's department of physical education, health and driver education for 17 years. A football star at the College, he was All-Southern and Honorable Mention All-American and, in 1996, was inducted into the W&M Athletic Hall of Fame for football and baseball. He also belonged to Sigma Nu fraternity. An Army veteran of World War II, he served in the Corps of Engineers. He was a member of the New Jersey Education Association, the New Jersey Principals and Supervisors Association, the Middlesex County Coaches Association and the Middlesex County Athletic Directors Association, as well as past president of the Middlesex County Athletic Conference. Survivors include his wife, Anna, a son, four daughters, a stepdaughter, a stepson and five grandchildren.

Janet L. Waldman '52 of Bremerton, Wash., died June 23, 1997. She had participated in W&M Theater and joined the Backdrop Club, Theta Alpha Phi dramatics society and the French Club at the College. Also, she was on the fencing team. Among survivors are her husband, Jay, two daughters and two sons.

George Zupko '52 of Barnstable, Mass., died July 14, 1997. He played football at William and Mary and also was a member of the Asia House, Sigma Nu fraternity, the Men's Honor Council and R.O.T.C. Among survivors is his wife, Helen.

George E. Kilpatrick, III '53 of Norristown, Penna., died May 21, 1997. A sports enthusiast at the College, he ran track and swam. He also belonged to the Philosophy Club and Phi Kappa Tau fraternity. His wife, Pat, and a sister survive him.

Robert Lee Locher '54 of Newport News, died Oct. 23, 1997. Certified as a land surveyor in 1957, he began his career as a consulting engineer, receiving his professional license in engineering in 1959. From 1962, he served as president of Newport News Pipe and Sewer Co. until the company was merged with E.W. Muller Contractor. In 1974, he became president and CEO of the firm, a position he held until his death. Active in state and community affairs, he served in many clubs and on numerous boards, including the State Board of Contractors from 1982-1986. He dedicated his time toward improving the lives of community youth by serving on the board of the Boys and Girls Club of the Virginia Peninsula for many years. In later years, he sang in the choir of Colony Friends Church. His duty in the U.S. Maritime Service lasted from 1944-1950 and he also served in the U.S. Army from 1955-1957. In 1954, he earned a bachelor's degree from Virginia Tech. He is survived by his wife, Clarice, a daughter, a son and a grandchild.

Jack Victor Place '54, M.L.T.'57 of Roanoke, died Sept. 22, 1997. He was a practicing attorney and senior partner in the Roanoke area law firm of Jolly, Place, Fralin and Prillaman, P.C. A member of the American Bar Association, he also belonged to Roanoke Moose Lodge #284. A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the College, he was a member of the famed "Iron Indians" football squad of 1953 and a member of the W&M Athletic Hall of Fame. His undergraduate activities included belonging to the Accounting Club, Omicron Delta Kappa, the Varsity Club, Phi Alpha Delta law fraternity and Phi Kappa Tau fraternity. In addition to his mother, he is survived by two sons, including Kelly Victor Place '81, and three grandchildren.

Ann Baird Millard '57 of Upper Arlington, Ohio, died in June, 1996. She sang in the W&M Choir and joined Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and Alpha Kappa Delta sociology society at the College. Among survivors is her husband, William.

Bernie Bolt '58 of Roanoke, died July 19, 1997. He was national sales manager for Syntex Laboratories and vice president of Reid Provident Laboratories. Also, he established a successful pharmaceutical company and was president of Bolt Drug Sales. A graduate of the University of Southern Mississippi in 1958, he received the Woodrow Wilson Fellowship Award, is listed in *Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges*, and was inducted into the USM's Alumni Hall of Fame. A veteran of the Korean War, he served as a captain in the U.S. Army. Along with his mother, he is survived by his wife, Ann, a daughter, three sons, two brothers, three sisters and two grandchildren.

Thomas A. Farrington '60 of Mitchville, Md., died July 19, 1997. He practiced law in Bowie with the firm of Farrington and Christian, specializing in civil litigation, personal injury cases and medical malpractice. He also practiced in the District of Columbia. In the 1970s, he was chairman of the Maryland Democratic Central Committee and was the Democratic National Committeeman from Prince George's County, where he managed the gubernatorial campaign in Prince George's County for Marvin Mandel. A law graduate of Yale University in 1963, his William and Mary years found him playing basketball and belonging to the Men's Honor Council, R.O.T.C., Omicron Delta Kappa and Kappa Sigma fraternity. He enjoyed coaching youth soccer, football and basketball teams in Prince George's and was a member of the H.L. Mencken Society. A U.S. Army veteran, he served as a ranger and paratrooper. Survivors include his wife, Deborah, three sons and four stepchildren.

Lillie May Wood Payne '63 of Urbanna, Va., died July 1, 1997. She taught school in Middlesex County for 24 years and was a member of the Middlesex-Mathews Retired Teachers Association and the Middlesex County Woman's Club. As a lifelong member of

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Lower United Methodist Church, she served as church organist and choir director for over 40 years. She was also a Sunday School teacher and a member of the United Methodist Women, where she served on the administrative board and on many church committees. In recent years, her special contributions were directed toward writing the church history. As a College student, she joined Alpha Chi Omega sorority. She is survived by a daughter, a son, five grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, a brother, a sister and many nieces and nephews.

Denise Brooks Anderson '64 of Fairfax, died Sept. 11, 1997. She taught physics at McLean High School in 1964-1966 and was a member of the Northern Virginia Alumnae Chapter of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority, which she had joined at William and Mary. She also belonged to the Abelian Society, the Math Club, Sigma Pi Sigma physics society, the Student Education Association, Kappa Delta Phi education fraternity, Orchesis and wrote for the *Colonial Echo*. She also was a member of Saint James Catholic Church in Falls Church and enjoyed reading and family genealogy. Surviving are her husband, Edward, two sons and a brother.

Carrie Stacey Doggett '65 of Carrollton, Va., died July 5, 1997. Among survivors is a daughter.

Thomas K. Yerkes '65 of Santa Cruz, Calif., died Jan. 14, 1997. He was executive vice president of finance and administration for Seagate Software in Scotts Valley. A hiker and athlete, he coached the Walnut Creek Little League Senior All-Stars in the 1984 Little League World Series. At the College, he ran track and cross country, played baseball, and belonged to the Badminton Club and Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity. He is survived by his wife, Lynne M. Yerkes '65, a son, a daughter, his parents and a sister.

Regina Armentrout Brown '68 of King George, Va., died Aug. 8, 1997. She last worked at the Lewis Edgerton Smoot Memorial Library and was a member of Oakland Baptist Church in King George. As an undergraduate, she joined Gamma Phi Beta sorority, the Abelian Society and Kappa Delta Phi education fraternity. Survivors include her husband, Frederick Lee Brown '68, two daughters, including Abigail Leigh Brown '96, a son, her mother and two sisters.

Bruce S. Dallas '70 of Mechanicsville, Pa., died Sept. 30, 1997. He was director of communications for the Department of Environmental Protection and had won awards from the Pennsylvania Wildlife Federation, the International Association of Business Communicators and the Council of State Governments. Prior to this position, he was a journalist with the Germantown Courier and for the Associated Press, winning several reporting awards. Also, he was assistant coach of the Hampden Hurricanes, a youth travel soccer team. At William and Mary, he was Virginia and Southern Conference high jump champion a number of times. He also ran track, was named to *Who's Who in American Colleges*, and belonged to the Student Association, Omicron Delta Kappa, the Dorm Council, Alpha Kappa Delta sociology society and Kappa Sigma fraternity. Along with his wife, Sylvia, survivors include a son, a daughter, a brother and a sister.

Stephen Herbert Slagle, Jr. '74 of Amsterdam, the Netherlands, died June 1, 1997. He worked extensively with HIV patients as a translator and counselor. While at the College, he was known for his proficiency in foreign languages and his advocacy for human rights. His mother survives him.

Vincent Terrell Boyd '80 of Charlottesville, died Dec. 10, 1996. Prior to his death, he worked as a special case manager for R.T.C., then F.D.I.C., and also had worked in several banks including the National Bank of Washington. In 1986, he was included in *Who's Who of Outstanding Young Americans*. While at William and Mary, he was in the marching and symphonic bands, Omega Psi Phi fraternity, the Dorm Council, the Black Students Organization and Project Plus. Survivors include his parents, two brothers and three sisters.

Sandra Maria Zembruski '90 of Fairfax, died June 18, 1997. She was employed by Fairfax County's Office on Children, and was active at many volunteer jobs, such as working the Northern Virginia hotline, teaching afterschool religion classes at St. James Catholic School and tutoring her friends' children. She also was a volunteer teacher at Belvedere Elementary School. Her parents and two brothers survive her.

Laura Lynn Bateman Cottrell '95 of Newport News, died Aug. 5, 1997. Survivors include her husband, Eric, her parents, her maternal grandmother, two sisters, two brothers, and nine nieces and nephews.

John Raymond Parkinson '98 of Winchester, died Oct. 10, 1997. He was an outstanding chemistry major, selected as one of two Dow Scholars in the department in recognition of the quality of his work and his interest in pursuing graduate study in chemistry. In 1996, he received one of the College's special summer research scholarships and had presented the results of his project at a Science Research Symposium on campus. He was an officer in Sigma Nu fraternity and participated in intramural softball, football and other fitness programs. He is survived by his mother.

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John Daggett Wells M.Ed. '53 of Staunton, died Oct. 14, 1997. An instructor at Woodrow

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Wilson Rehabilitation Center, he taught a wide variety of subjects to a broad spectrum of students with special education needs. Prior to this post, he taught in Pennsylvania and Loudoun County, Va. A longtime member of Tinkling Spring Presbyterian Church, he was an active participant in church affairs. In 1948, he earned a bachelor's degree from Denison University. He is survived by two brothers and numerous nieces and nephews.

Martha Seward Rollings M.Ed. '67 of Elberon, Va., died July 9, 1997. She was an elementary school teacher at Beechland School in Elberon. A lifelong member of Moore's Swamp Baptist Church and a member and former teacher of the Ladies Adult Sunday School Class, she also belonged to the Women's Missionary Society of the church.

Lucy Head Trimm M.Ed. '67 of Emporia, died Oct. 25, 1997. She was a retired educator, having taught in Greensville, Sussex and Southampton Counties during her career. Survivors include her husband, Milton, a daughter, two sons, a stepdaughter and eight grandchildren.

Joseph Wallace Moore M.Ed. '68 of Newport News, died Oct. 18, 1997. A colonel in the U.S. Army, he served in the South Pacific in World War II and in various assignments until his retirement after 27 years, having been awarded the Bronze Star, the Army Commendation Medal with Two Oak Leaf Clusters and the Legion of Merit with Oak Leaf Cluster. He then worked at the Education Center at Fort Eustis and was instrumental in establishing Saint Leo College in Southeast Virginia. Later, he worked for Drucker and Falk and H.W. Roberson Company. An active member of Saint Jerome's Catholic Church, he was a fourth degree Knight of Columbus and a member of the Retired Officers Association and the Peninsula Track Club. He was a avid runner, having completed six marathons, and was a volunteer for Mary Immaculate Hospital, Meals on Wheels and AARP. In 1964, he received a bachelor's degree from George Washington University. He is survived by his wife, Sue, two daughters, a son and two brothers.

Phyllis Jayne Maxwell M.Ed. '70 of Hopewell, died Jan. 4, 1997.

Anne Goodloe Williams M.Ed. '70 of Virginia Beach, died Oct. 2, 1997. She was a master teacher who retired after 32 years of teaching in Ohio, Richmond, Chesterfield County and Virginia Beach, where she taught at John B. Dey Elementary, Kellam High School and Princess Anne High School. At William and Mary, she joined the Boot & Spur Club. A member of Eastern Shore Episcopal Church, she is survived by her husband, Kim, a daughter, a son, two grandchildren, a sister and a brother.

Hugh W. Wiseman J.D. '73, M.L.T. '74 of Hampton, died Oct. 3, 1997. He was a tax attorney and was active in the local business community. Also, he belonged to Emmanuel Episcopal Church and was a former member of the Vestry and the former treasurer. He had earned his bachelor's degree in 1970 from the University of Virginia. Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth Bowers Wiseman '74, four daughters, including Elizabeth Winifred Wiseman '00, a sister, two nephews and two nieces.

Joan Waggoner Gibson J.D. '79 of Afton, Va., died June 13, 1997. After raising four children, she graduated summa cum laude from Virginia Wesleyan College in 1976 and then earned her law degree from William and Mary. She practiced law in Virginia Beach and ran for Virginia House of Delegates, 82nd District in 1983. A past president of the Virginia Women's Attorneys Association, she was a member of King's Grant Baptist Church in Virginia Beach and Rockfish Presbyterian Church in Nellysford, and also belonged to the Rockfish Valley Ruritan Club, Oak Ridge Hunt Club and Nelson County Hospitality and Travel Association. She was also in the Nature Conservancy, Habitat for Humanity and the Sierra Club. She is survived by her husband, Jack, three daughters, a son, eight grandchildren, four sisters, two brothers and several nieces and nephews.

John Arthur Zetes M.B.A. '87 died July 23, 1997. He was the founder and president of ANEVAL Inc., Virginia Beach; an MBA graduate of the College of William and Mary; past president of the International Test and Evaluation, and member of the Broad Bay Sailing Association.

Lawrence Patrick Mellon E.M.B.A. '91 of New Rochelle, N.Y., died July 15, 1997. He was a senior vice president of affiliate sales and marketing for ESPN, Inc. and was based in its New York office. Prior to joining ESPN, he was vice president of programming for TeleCable at the multiple system operator's corporate office in Norfolk. He had also worked for the National Cable Television Association and was a staff attorney for both the Federal Trade Commission and the Subcommittee on Telecommunications Consumer Protection and Finance. He served on the boards of several organizations, including Howard University's school of telecommunications, and was also an adjunct professor in communications at both Hampton University and Indiana University. He was one of the founding members of the National Association of Minorities in Cable and served on its board of directors during the first ten years of its existence. He received the organization's Lifetime Achievement Award of dedicated service in 1996 and was inducted into its Hall of Fame in 1997. His other degrees earned were a bachelor's from Vassar College and a doctorate from Indiana University at Bloomington. In addition to his wife, Aleta, he is survived by two sons, his parents, a sister, two nieces and several aunts and cousins.

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Francis L. Loewenheim of Houston, died Oct. 17, 1996. He was a longtime Rice University professor who was an authority on modern diplomatic history. In 1957-58, he was a visiting professor at William and Mary. He had been on staff at Rice from 1959 to 1997, after working in the historical division of the Department of State from 1958-1959. Earlier, he had taught at Princeton and elsewhere and had a special interest in Germany. His many writings included contributions to a dozen books and almost 600 articles in roughly 50 newspapers in the United States, Canada and Britain. He served as editor or co-editor of several works about the World War II era. A brother survives him.

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Annie A. Blake of Grafton, Va., died April 10, 1997. A charter member of Grace Baptist Church in Williamsburg, she retired in 1988 from the College after 22 years of service in the Bureau of Business Research. Four children and seven grandchildren survive her.

Lawrence M. Furey of Urbana, Ill., died in February, 1997. Among survivors is a daughter.

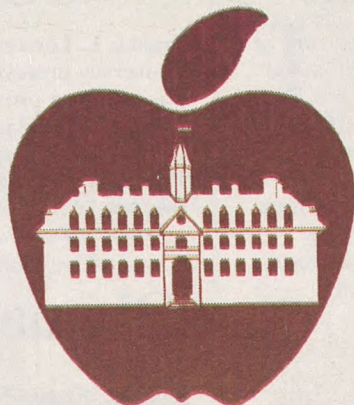
Joseph B. Martin of Williamsburg, died Aug. 1, 1997. He had worked as director of labor relations for American Electric Power Service Corporation. After retiring to Williamsburg, he held several volunteer positions, including serving as a proofreader for the communications office of the Society of the Alumni. A decorated World War II veteran, he served in the Army and was awarded the Silver Star, the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster. Surviving are his wife, Hallie Rennie Martin '44, a son, a daughter, a sister, two brothers and six grandchildren.

Betty Shabazz of Mt. Vernon, N.Y., died June 23, 1997. The widow of El-Hajj Malik El-Shabazz, better known as "Malcolm X", she was director of communications and public relations at Medgar Evers College of the City University of New York. She received a nursing degree from the Brooklyn State Hospital School of Nursing, bachelor's and master's degrees from Jersey City State College, and a doctoral degree from the University of Massachusetts. She joined Medgar Evers College in 1976 as an associate professor. In 1974, she was appointed to a two-year term as trustee of the William and Mary Endowment Association.

William B. Spong, Jr. of Portsmouth, died Oct. 8, 1997. He was elected to the U.S. Senate in 1966 and served one term. After leaving electoral politics, he served nine years as dean of the Marshall-Wythe School of Law, retiring in 1985. During his tenure at the College, he headed drives that resulted in a new, \$5 million law school building and library and was a leader in the establishment of the Institute of Bill of Rights Law at the school. Also, the law library collection grew from 85,000 to 190,000 volumes, with the addition of an area for special collections and rare books. He also was interim president of Old Dominion University for 18 months. A graduate of Hampden-Sydney College, he earned a law degree from the University of Virginia and served in the Army Air Forces during World War II. Survivors include a son, a daughter and five grandchildren.

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Gazette Welcome Home!

by Jacqueline Genovese '87

Sasha Mobley '87, who had traveled from California to celebrate her 10th reunion with former freshman hall roommates at Homecoming 1997, expressed her surprise and pleasure at the appearance of the Alumni Center. "When we were students, it was kind of hidden away behind some bushes. Now look at it," she said, gesturing toward the well-landscaped, renovated building. "This is definitely very cool."

Cool was just one word alumni and friends used to describe the newly renovated Alumni Center throughout Homecoming weekend. "Beautiful," "classy," and, "long overdue," were a few others. Having the Center in operating condition meant that some facets of the Homecoming celebration changed, and new traditions were added. Registration, which for years had taken place in a tent set up outside the Alumni House, took place in Leadership Hall of the Alumni Center. The Gift Shop, also located in the tent in previous years, was set up in its permanent location on the first floor of Alumni Center. A Sunday morning brunch, dubbed "Continentially Yours," was a popular new addition to traditional Homecoming offerings, including Luncheon on the Lawn, the Academic Festival, the Sunset Ceremony and the Homecoming Ball.

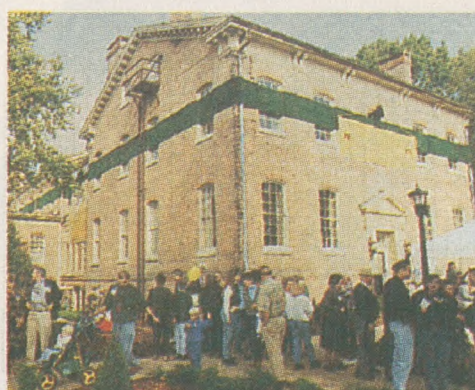
The Sunset Ceremony, held every year in the Wren Courtyard, is a time for family and friends of deceased alumni and friends of the College to gather and hear their loved one's name read as the bell in the Wren Chapel tolls. Father Ed Wisbauer '52 told those gathered, "Our beloved classmates with whom we learned and laughed and loved are now in that City of God for whom we were searching all along...the God who is 'No Place Like Home'."

The Academic Festival, held Friday, included diverse offerings: from "Recent Trends in Post-Soviet Russian Cinema" to "Did the Universe Really Start With A Big Bang? Who Says So?" The festival wasn't all esoteric academics however, as "Beer 101: The History of Micro Beer," allowed alumni to sip while they learned.

The festive spirit continued Friday night as alumni traded casual clothes for tuxedos and ball gowns and danced to the Kings of Swing at the



The 1997 recipients of the Alumni Medallion were: (from left) Joseph J. Ellis '65, Rebecca Beach Smith '71, J.D. '79, Robert L. Simpson, Sr. '38, B.C.L. '40, G. Elliott Schaubach, Jr. '59 and Carroll W. Owens, Jr. '62. (Photos by Steve Morrisette)



Covered in green ribbon, the new Alumni Center provided a great backdrop for Luncheon-on-the-Lawn.

Society of the Alumni Homecoming Ball. This year's ball included several standing ovations for the five winners of the Alumni Medallion, the highest honor the Society bestows on an alumnus. This year's winners, Joe Ellis '65, Carroll Owens Jr. '62, Elliott Schaubach Jr. '59, Rebecca Beach Smith '71, J.D. '79, and Robert L. Simpson, Sr. '38, B.C.L. '40, who were accompanied by family members and friends, delighted the audience with their funny and touching acceptance speeches. Carroll Owens, who thanked several people, including the William and Mary football coach who helped him stay in school after his father passed away, saved his most heartfelt thanks for his wife, Patrisia Bayliss Owens '62. His eyes misting, Owens

his diplomatic way, that everyone involved didn't lose sight of our goal." After the dinner and awards, the dance floor was filled with alumni of all ages dancing to the tunes of the King of Swing until well after midnight.


Those same late-night revelers joined hundreds of other alumni and community members early Saturday morning for the traditional Homecoming Parade (see parade coverage on pages 6 and 7).

Parade participants and onlookers joined numerous others on the Ukrop terrace of the Alumni Center shortly after the parade, for the dedication of the Alumni Center. (For complete dedication coverage, please see page three of the Gazette.)

More than 1,000 people enjoyed Luncheon on the Lawn, highlighted by delicious food and a jazz ensemble that played throughout the afternoon. Following the luncheon, the Tribe played to a packed house against Villanova, ultimately losing in a heartbreaking 20-13 match. But Tribe fans had a chance to nurse their blues with some suds and bratwurst at one of three post-game tailgaters held at the Alumni Center.

Helen Smith Oderisi '82, who lives in Williamsburg but hadn't been able to attend any of her past reunions, says she was surprised by how many people she knew at her 15-year reunion. "I was surprised at how much fun it was. I knew more people than I thought I would."

After enjoying beautiful weather all weekend, alumni awakened to a rainy Sunday. "Well, it wouldn't feel like Williamsburg if there wasn't a little rain," joked Richard Goldstein '87, who stopped by the Alumni Center to pick up his Class Photo and attend the Sunday morning brunch along with some two hundred other alumni and friends who enjoyed one last visit before heading home.

As people stopped to talk in the hallways and on the stairs of the Alumni Center, often marveling at the Center's appearance, it was easy to understand the sentiments of Barry Adams, executive vice president of the Alumni Society, who told alumni, "Visit often, and this will be the most beautiful house in the Commonwealth." 



Two young alumni enjoy the view from the Ukrop Terrace during the post-game tailgater on Saturday.

looked to his wife and said, "Patty, you are truly the wind beneath my wings."

In addition to the Medallion winners, Jim '60 and Bobbie Berkeley Ukrop '61 were recognized by the Alumni Society for their incredible determination in seeing that the dream of an expanded Alumni Center became a reality. "Without these two, I can definitely say, we wouldn't be here today," said Clyde Culp '66, president of the Alumni Society.

In addition to the Ukrops, Medallion winner Joe Ellis '65 was presented with the first annual "Joey" Award, a wooden statue of Thomas Jefferson that Howard Busbee '65, J.D. '67, M.L.T. '68 commented looked a lot like its recipient. "Seriously though, as chair of the Alumni House Expansion committee, Joe kept us all focused on the task, and made sure, in

Back to the 'Burg

Homecoming '97 wasn't only for reunions, get-togethers and festivals. It also served as a time to recognize alumni for their achievements on the tennis court, the golf course, their alumni chapters at home or for their support to the College and the Society. Below are pictures of those who left Homecoming with something extra in their suitcases.

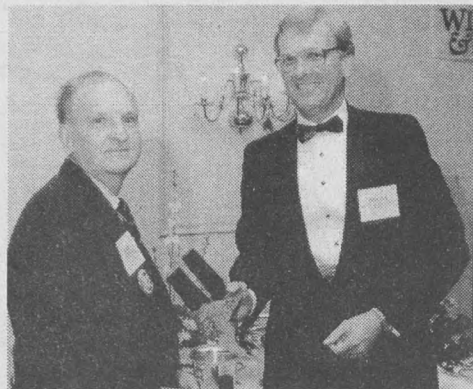
Society Bestows Annual Giving Awards

At its annual meeting before the Homecoming Ball, the Society presents four special giving awards that symbolize the traditional association and commitment to the financial support of the College.

The Class of 1925 trophy, established to annually recognize the class that had the most outstanding increase in total giving over the previous year, went to the Class of 1942, which reported an increase of 116 percent, from \$26,622 to \$57,630.

For the fifth consecutive year, the Class of 1954 trophy, awarded annually to the class with the best percentage of participation among its members, went to the Class of 1942. The class won the honor with over 73 percent of the class participating.

Individuals were also honored for their support and enthusiasm. Hugh Watson '42 received the Baltimore/Annapolis Trophy for outstanding individual effort to the Annual Fund. J. Andrew Lark '79 was honored with the Board of Directors Cup, which is awarded for the best all-around support of the Annual Fund. Lark has served as a member of the Annual Fund Steering Committee, and is a charter member of the Annual Fund Board of Directors.



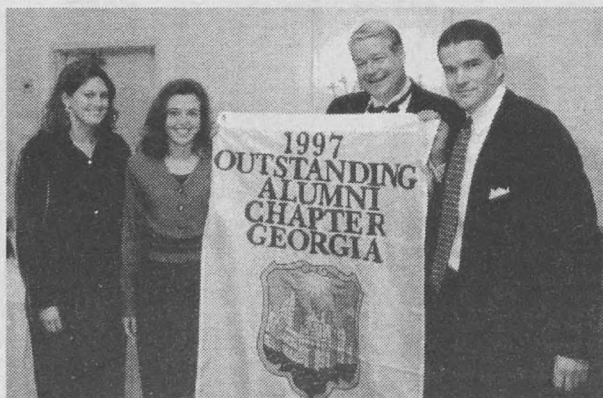
Howard Busbee '65, JD '67, MLT '68, treasurer of the Society's Board of Directors, presents the Baltimore/Annapolis Trophy to Hugh Watson '42 (top) for support to the Annual Fund. J. Andrew Lark '79 (bottom) received the Board of Directors Trophy for best all-around support of the Annual Fund. (Photos by Steve Morrisette)

Order of the White Jacket Awards 14 Scholarships at 25th Anniversary Dinner



Students receiving OWJ scholarships at the annual banquet included (from left) Megan Walker '99, Kristen Mahan '98, Emily Sharp '99, Nicole Panagopoulos '98, Don Fox '00, Kathryn Brammer '98, William Johns '99, Corinna Fisher '98, Nicole Miller '98, Kathleen Jendron '98 and Ling Ling Phung '99. (Not pictured: Nancy Baer '98, Anthony DeStefanis and Elaine Kessler '98) (Photo by Logan Wallace '97)

Georgia, Lower Northern Neck Earn Outstanding Chapter Accolades



From left: Angela McGowan '92, Karen Wright '92 and Brendan McCarthy '86, JD '89, officers in the Georgia Alumni Chapter, display the Outstanding Chapter banner with Society President Clyde Culp '65.



From left: Clyde Culp '65, Carol Wright '49, Nancy Foster '44, Mel Wright '47 and Dixon Foster '44 display the Outstanding Chapter Banner for the Lower Northern Neck Alumni Chapter. (Photos by Steve Morrisette)

Hitting the Links and the Courts

The 1997 alumni golf tournament was held at Williamsburg National Golf course and was sponsored by WorldCom.

Twenty-six foursomes competed in the captain's choice tournament under overcast skies. The team of Murray Rudisille, Steve Thompson '72, Ray Morgan and John Eppler '70 earned first-place honors with a score of 60 on the par-72 course.

John Van Namen '82, Andy Salita '86, Alex Balian '77 and Craig Amo '79 finished second with a score of 61.

Homecoming also served as the 20th anniversary of the Sandy Kelly All-Alumni Memorial Tennis Tournament. Harry Cross '72 finished first among the men with a .848 winning percentage, while Josie Smith won on the ladies' side with a .741 winning percentage.

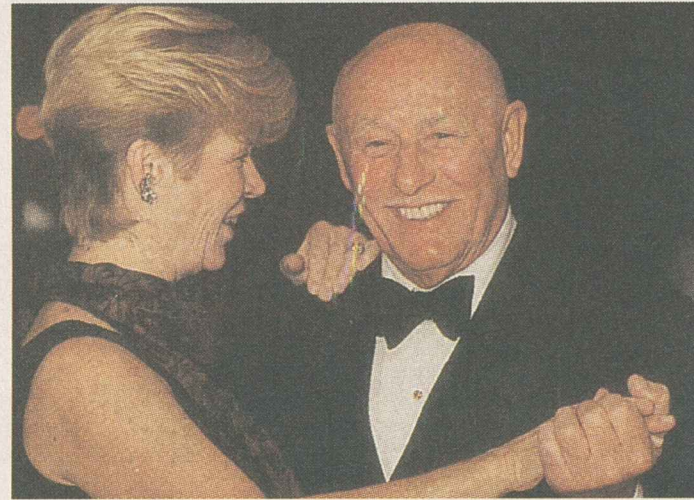
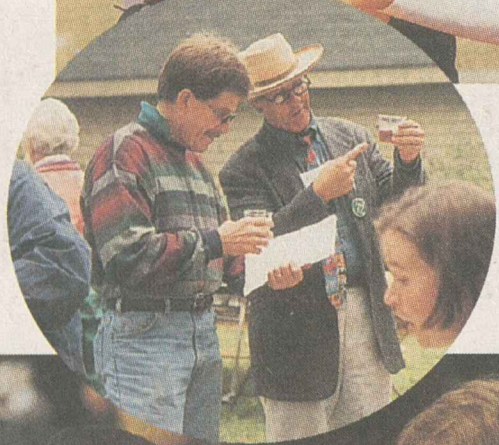
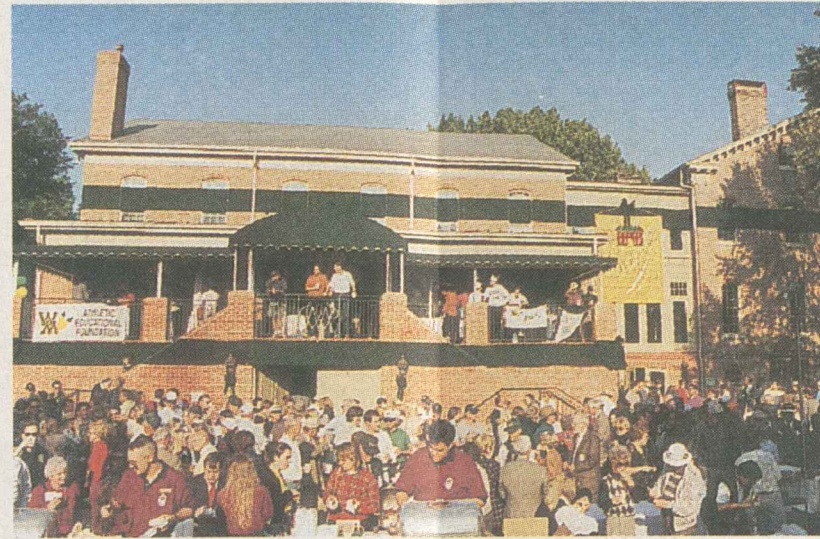
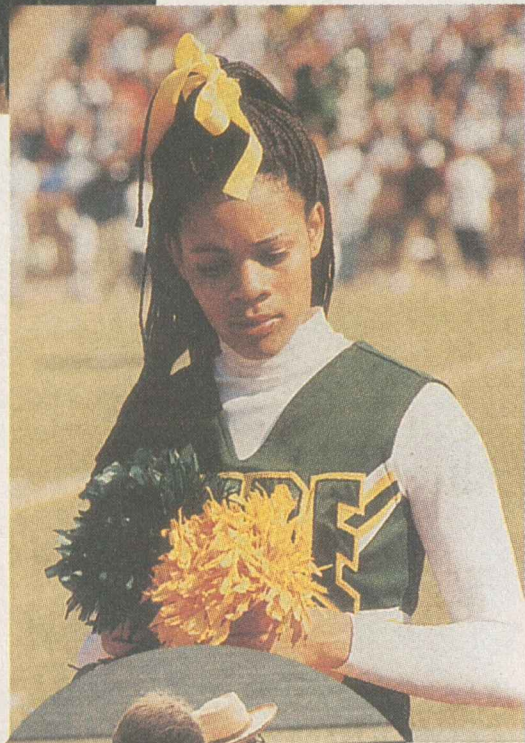


(From left) Steve Thompson '72, Ray Morgan and John Eppler '70 are all smiles after winning the 1997 Homecoming Golf Tournament with a score of 60. (Not pictured: Murray Rudisille.)



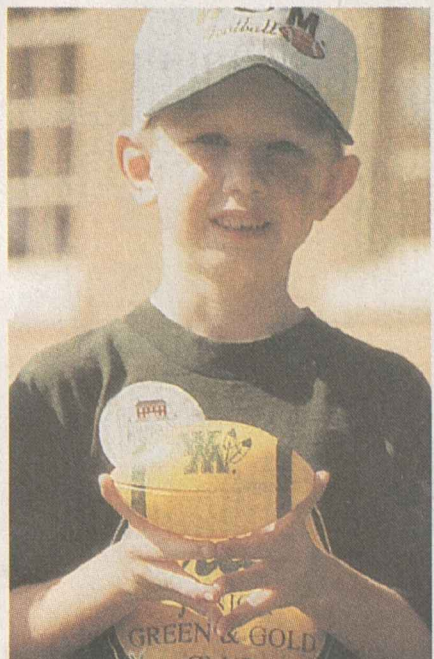
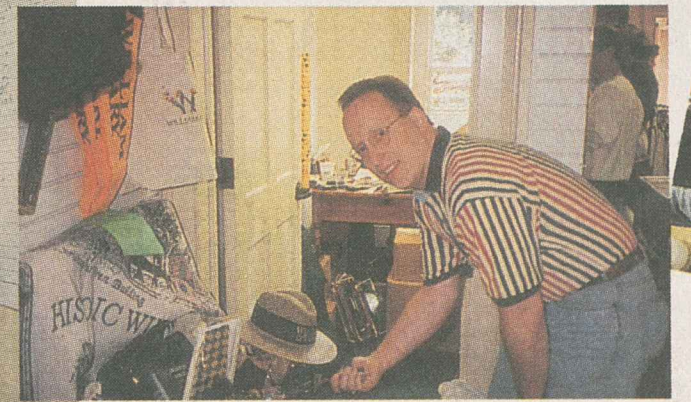
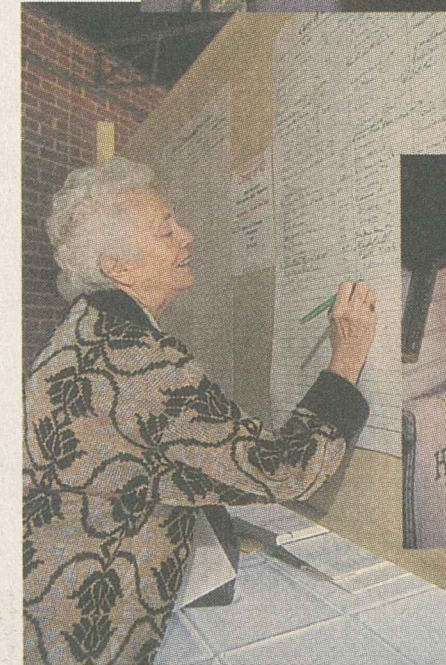
Josie Smith and Harry Cross '72 took first place honors at the Sandy Kelly All-Alumni Tennis Tournament.

Homecoming 1997 "There's No Place Like Home"

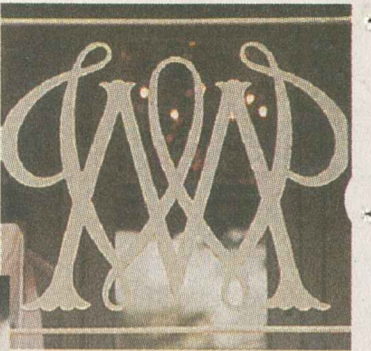


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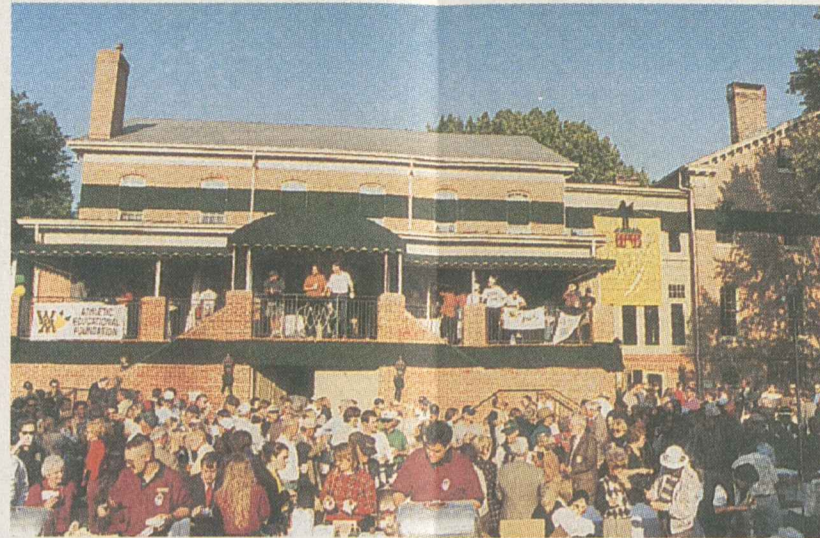
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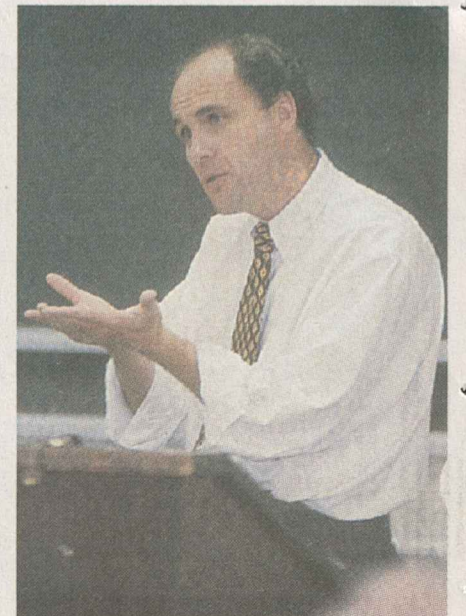
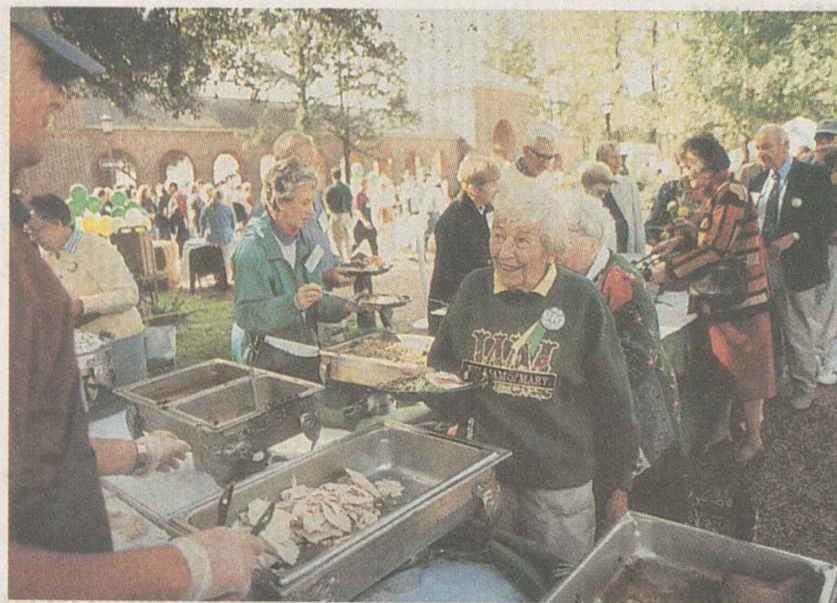
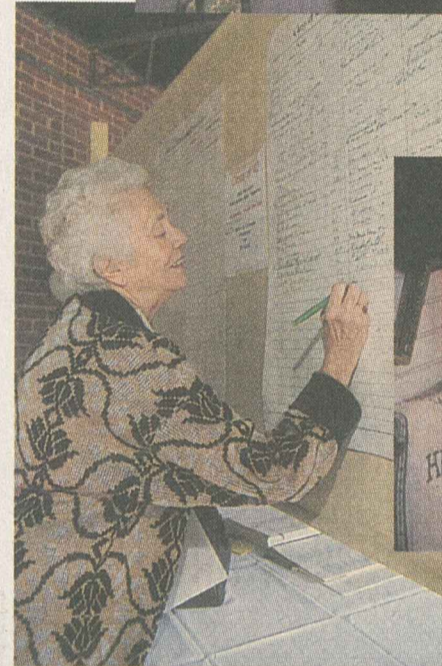


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Struttin' Their Stuff



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Richmond Road

Considered one of the best ever, the 1997 Homecoming parade delighted alumni and local residents with its diverse offering of entries. Besides the traditional array of floats and bands, the Anheuser-Busch Clydesdales, the U.S. Marine Corps Marching Band, along with six Shriner Units that included a Hillbilly Band, an ATV unit and an Oriental band, could be found marching down Duke of Gloucester to Richmond Road before turning onto Brooks Street.

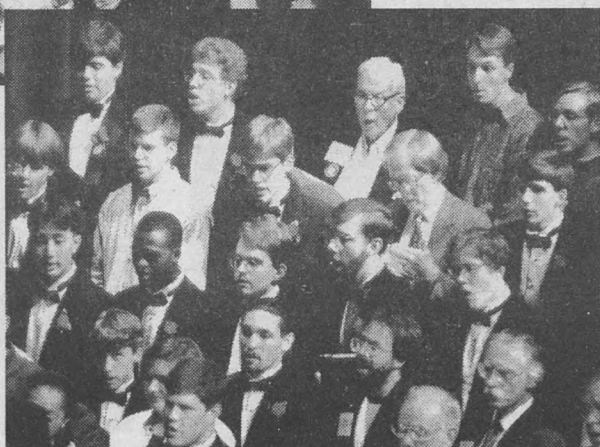
The W&M Choir picked up first-place honors for their float, while Kappa Delta and Sigma Pi placed second for their Phoenix float. Kappa Delta Rho and Delta Gamma earned the third-place spot.

In the band competition, Henrico High School (from Richmond, Va.) won for best high school marching band, while James Blair Middle School (from Williamsburg) won for best middle school marching band.



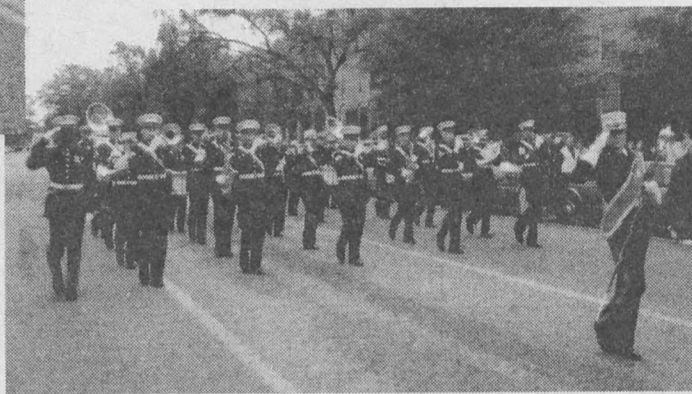
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W&M Choir Celebrates 75 Years with Reunion Concert



Besides the traditional class reunions, the W&M choir celebrated a milestone of its own as it turned 75 over Homecoming weekend. Alumni from all classes joined the current choir in a memorable, and often emotional, reunion concert in Phi Beta Kappa Hall on Saturday evening. One attendee said they had never heard the Alma Mater sung with as much emotion or volume. (Photos by Logan Wallace '97)

At the 1997 Homecoming Parade

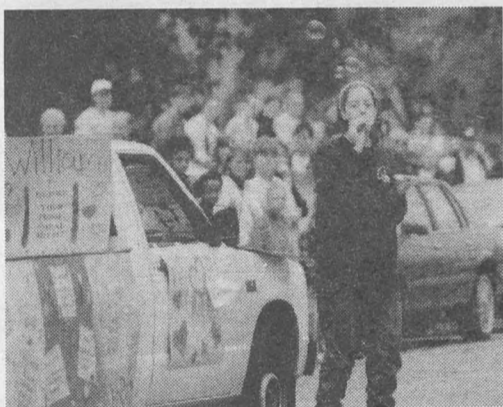
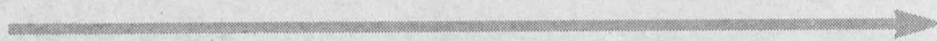


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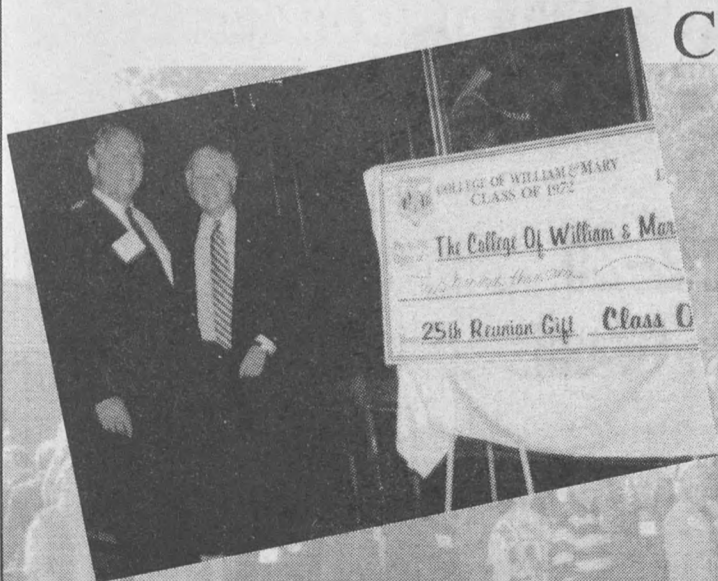
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Class of 1972 Turns 25



All reunions at Homecoming are special, but the 25th reunion stands out as an extraordinary event. This year, it was the Class of '72's turn to mark that special moment in time. The class held the traditional reception (center) in the Great Hall of the Wren Building, which included the presentation of the class gift (upper left.) At the end of the program, the class was escorted by lantern (top right) across the campus to the University Center for dinner and the class party. (Photos by Bill Jenkins)

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