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WSSF Collectors Receive \$914.54 In Local Drive

Pledges Add \$297.30 To Total; Campaign Fails To Realize Quota

With the World Student Service Fund drive officially over, a total of \$914.54 has been collected from the students, faculty and town, according to Mark Waldo, chairman of the drive. Pledges totalling \$297.30 are due by Monday, Dec. 15.

Four groups made their quotas, the town, Kappa Kappa Gamma house, Phi Mu house and the Jamestown dormitories. Money received is as follows: faculty box, \$13.05; town students, \$135.92; Old Dominion hall, \$132.50; Monroe hall, \$74.30; Brown hall, \$14.90; Tyler hall, \$27.15; Taliaferro hall, \$25.64; Morris house, \$13.00; Sigma Rho house, \$3.69; Jamestown Road dormitory, \$81.76; Richmond Road dormitory, \$12.75; all sorority houses, \$94.95 (three houses have not yet reported); Jefferson hall, \$58.47; Barrett hall, \$119.46; Chandler hall, \$107.50. Waldo stated that these reports are not final but doubted if the drive would net over \$1,000.

Waldo laid a part of the drive's failure to the lack of training of solicitors of the full meaning of the World Student Service Fund. The drive on the William and Mary campus was sponsored by the Student Religious Union, and Waldo stated, "This drive should have been conducted by a committee composed of an important member of the student government, the faculty, and the administration, since the scope of the drive is based on an appeal of far greater extent to the college community than sponsorship by the Student Religious Union would imply." The drive should be the responsibility of the whole college and not the representatives of the organized church groups on campus. It should have been started by a convocation of the entire student body rather than at the Wednesday evening chapel service which 150 people attended."

The drive's purpose was to aid needy students over the world who are in need of food, medicine, clothes, shelter and equipment.

Dr. Foltin To Speak At Chapel Services

Edith (Dee) Isele, president of the YWCA, announces that chapel services Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. will be sponsored by the YWCA with Dr. Edgar Foltin, head of the psychology department, as speaker.

"Everyone is urged to bring canned food for Thanksgiving relief," Dee declared.

C&O Representative Will Conduct Sales

On Wednesday, Nov. 26, a representative of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad will be in the second floor corridor of the Wren building to sell tickets for the morning train to Richmond on Thanksgiving day.

The train will leave Williamsburg at 10:27 a. m. and will arrive in Richmond at 11:25 a. m. The returning train will leave Richmond at 7 p. m. and will arrive in Williamsburg at 8 p. m. Round-trip tickets will cost \$2.88, tax included.

There will be no special buses to Richmond on Thanksgiving day, and any student going on the regular bus should purchase his tickets prior to noon on Wednesday, Nov. 26. The fare for the bus trip is \$2.07.

Author To Speak At Anniversary Of Phi Beta Kappa

Walter Lippman, news analyst, and Allen Tate, American poet, will take part in the 171st anniversary celebration of the founding of Phi Beta Kappa fraternity to be held Friday, Dec. 5, at the College of William and Mary.

Mr. Lippman will address a public meeting to be held at 8:15 p. m. on that date in Phi Beta Kappa hall. His subject will be "Philosophy and the United States Foreign Policy."

A Harvard graduate, Lippman has served as associate editor of the *New Republic* and as editor of the *New York World*. At the present time he is special writer for the *New York Herald-Tribune* and newspapers all over the country carry his syndicated column. He is the author of 20 books on phases of American political thought and contributes to *Life*, *Harper's*, and the *Atlantic*.

During the first World War he held the rank of captain in the U. S. army military intelligence. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, the National Institute of Arts and Letters and the American Academy of Arts and Letters.



Dr. D. D. Holt

Dr. D. D. Holt Speaks To Chapel Audience

"New patterns for living are needed in these changing times, for the world can never be the same as it was before Hiroshima," stated the Rev. D. D. Holt, guest speaker at the vesper service held last Wednesday in Wren chapel.

Dr. Holt, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, of Durham, N. C., and a member of the faculty at the Divinity School of Duke University, spoke informally before a capacity congregation at the Methodist-conducted vespers. He discussed the methods by which an ideal world could be created, stressing the importance of conviction, sensitivity and imagination, and faith "not only in God, but also in our fellow men, ourselves and in the possibility of change."

A reception and discussion in Barrett hall followed the service. Appreciation was extended to the choir for its assistance in the service by Dr. Holt, who had previously heard it when he attended *The Common Glory* last summer.

George Sheehan, chairman of the Red Cross, announced that there will be mixed swimming in Blow gym on Friday from 8 to 9:30 p. m. "If not enough students appear, the practice will be discontinued," he declared.

Greek Rushing Season Will Begin Monday

Freshman, Transfer Women Attend Pan-Hellenic Forum On Regulations

Rushing preliminaries for women began yesterday at 7 p. m. in Washington 200 with a mass meeting for freshman women and transfers, and the Fraternity association will hold a reception for new men on Sunday, Nov. 30, in the Dodge room of Phi Beta Kappa hall at 3:30 p. m.

Rushing will begin Monday, Dec. 1, and end Friday at midnight for the men and at 10 p. m., Monday, Dec. 8, for the women. Pan-Hellenic rushing regulations provide that there shall be no association or sorority talk between rushees and sorority women beginning Dec. 1,

outside set rushing hours.

Rushing shall be confined to the campus and transportation shall be arranged by the rushee. There shall be no outside entertainment at the parties, and no men may attend them or rush for the individual sororities.

Sorority Rushing Hours

On Monday, Dec. 1 from 4-6 p. m. and 7:30-9:30 p. m., women with a .64 average whose last names begin with letters A-L and who have received invitations will visit the sorority houses for fifteen-minute periods. The following day rushing will be from 4 to 6 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m. for the women whose names are from L-Z.

The schedule remains the same throughout the week with the exception of Thursday when rushing is from 3 to 6 p. m. for 20-minute periods and from 2-6 p. m. on Sunday for 30-minute periods. There will be no rushing on Saturday.

Final Parties

On Monday the final parties will be held from 7-10 p. m., and Tuesday is silence day. Bids must be returned to Phi Beta Kappa hall by 12 noon and can not be changed after that time.

Acceptance day is Wednesday, Dec. 10. Sororities will issue invitations in the morning, and the See RUSHING, Page 9

Backdrop Heads Listen To Try-outs For Varsity Show

Work on the 1948 varsity show moved into a new phase this week as Ken McGinn, Jean Cutler and Dick Beatty, respective chiefs of acting, dancing and music, prepared to hold departmental try-outs.

In the last two weeks production heads have held two lengthy sessions of preliminary try-outs where more than 60 students displayed their talents. The cast for the forthcoming musical revue will be selected from among these 60, plus the members of last year's show for whom preliminary try-outs were optional.

McGinn Selects Actors

Director McGinn will be seeking persons suitable for the speaking roles, while Cutler, the choreographer, will have an eye out for a qualified, uniform chorus line in addition to tap, ballet and specialty artists. Beatty must find musicians for the band, arrangers, composers, singers, and a squad of rehearsal pianists.

Work on the script is nearly completed, but approximately 15 songs remain to be written, with six finished numbers in the folio at this point. The production schedule calls for a complete script and score before the Christmas See VARSITY SHOW, Page 3

'Keep Ticket Books,' Gooch Tells Students

Students were reminded in an announcement from W. S. (Pappy) Gooch, business manager of athletics, that they should keep their student athletic books even after the last football game, since that book will be the means of gaining admission to the basketball games this winter and the baseball games of next spring.

"A number of students have shown a tendency to want to throw the books away as soon as they received their last football ticket," Gooch said, "but they will be needed for admission to future athletic events."

Dr. Merrymon Resigns As Physics Professor

The resignation of Dr. William W. Merrymon, professor of physics, because of ill health was received by Dr. John E. Pomfret, President of the college, last week.

No successor has been appointed for Dr. Merrymon, and, for the present, the members of the physics department will assume his duties.

Dr. Merrymon came to William and Mary in 1927 and received his present rank as professor in 1945. A graduate of Southern Illinois State Teachers' College, he received his A.B. at the University of Missouri, his M.A. at the University of Illinois and his Ph. D. at the University of Chicago.

'Blithe Spirit' Immerses W&M Players In Matters Supernatural

By Ronald King

As the William and Mary Players move into the third week of rehearsals for *Blithe Spirit*, which will be produced at Phi Beta Kappa hall on Dec. 3 and 4, the cast and Director Althea Hunt are immersing themselves in matters supernatural.

Noel Coward's comedy, a ghostly, ghostly affair, features Charles Condomine, a well-to-do young Britisher who outlives one wife, then takes another trip up the aisle with a gal named Ruth. When Madame Arcati, clairvoyant colossal, sets up shop in the Condomine home, strange things happen.

Elvira Returns

Whoever launched Elvira into eternity must have used stale champagne at the ceremonies, inasmuch as the deceased returns, all decked out in "new-look" ecstasium, to do a few encores on her swan song. This, according to Charles and the new wife, is not exactly "cricket."

The Players have been reading books and articles about ghosts, pixies and hobgoblins to get into the spirit of the play. One of the

cast of seven is practically a technical advisor on the subject of spooks. Dulcie Duke had her fellow-artists in a whirl with a tale about a mystic materialization which she herself witnessed.

Haunted Laundry

Miss Duke, exchange student from England (a place where ghosts are highly respected), relates that when she was in the Wrens in Scotland, her unit was investigated by authorities who heard rumors that the service laundry was haunted. It seems that washing machines moved about in space unaided, hats flew off their racks into the tubs; in fact, the girls in the laundry became so rattled that they refused to work.

One particular woman was under suspicion. The girls claimed that she was inhabited by a "poltergeist," an evil spirit which attaches itself to humans.

Dulcie and a high-ranking officer went out one night to investigate. As they approached the darkened laundry, they heard screams, dashed in, saw a tremendous wash tub filled with water and clothing move across the room.

They hurriedly flipped on the lights, found no wires or strings—but they did find the suspected woman, whom they shipped to a booby hatch, and there was no ghost trouble after that.

No Explanation

Dulcie contends that she is not superstitious, but that she can find no rational explanation for viewing a huge, heavy tub, moving rapidly and freely in the air, and not spilling a drop of the water in the tub, at that.

The strange story takes on added significance in that Dulcie plays the part of Edith, the Condomine's servant. An American audience, unfamiliar with the "poltergeist" myth, may fail to catch the point that Edith is the party responsible for bringing back the dead wife from the "better land." Madame Arcati does a lot of spiritualistic hocus-pocus, but Edith is the "poltergeist," the real explanation of the shadowy shenanigans.

Miss Hunt and the Players hope that this bit of revelation will add to the enjoyment of *Blithe Spirit* when the boys and ghouls on campus view the show in December.

Arthur Thompson Claims Federalist Plan Perfect --- On Paper

A modern "Confucius" has said, "Man who not communist at twenty, sure to be policeman at forty". Another has declared that world federation has replaced communism as the "fad" among college sophomores.

We do not quite subscribe to that drastic analysis, but we do think some of our World Federalist friends are inclined to resemble the stereotyped description of the "typical college sophomore" in one respect. They have a nice, neat, solution for all of the problems confronting the world. Their scheme is perfect in every detail --- on paper. There is just one flaw. It doesn't work.

No one should deny the sincerity of the average World Federalist. At any rate, we have a high estimate of the sincerity of those students whom we know to be World Federalists. Further, no one should call them "radicals." In fact, idealists who take an extreme, "reform-seeking", position can be extremely valuable assets to the world.

Get Out Of Clouds

We do claim, however, that the Federalists would do well to heed the advice of Dr. Charles O. Lerche, given to their chapter in Richmond. His advice? "Get your heads down out of the clouds, and start planning the next step."

The World Federalists started out with a burst of enthusiasm. This was true at William and Mary, as well as elsewhere. The few faithful adherents to the movement, locally, are having much difficulty keeping the spark of interest burning. The evangelistic effect on the students has worn off, and the flaws in the Federalists' scheme are beginning to be noticed.

The Federalists, heads sublimely in the clouds, ignore the doubters, and go blithely about the business of planning their Utopia. Fine! But how is this Heaven on earth to be established? By dreaming? Hardly. True, dreamers have their place; but it is the "dirty politicians" who do things in this world, whether those things be good or bad.

IRC Speaker "Evangelist"

The recent International Relations clubs conference furnished an illustration of the problem confronting the Federalists at the moment. The theme of the conference was, "Peace, through a balance of power, or world government." The solution to be reached by the conference was a foregone

conclusion. The keynote speaker was an official of the United World Federalists in Florida, and he is one of their regular evangelists. Most of the delegates seemed to be in favor of world federation.

One of the conference roundtables discussed the balance of power, and concluded that it was unworkable. Two groups discussed world federal government. One of these groups concluded that it was a distant ideal. The other group favored federation, but added nothing constructive. The fourth roundtable, assigned to discussion of the UN, at least made some specific proposals for a gradual conversion of the UN into a federal government. Workable proposals? Probably not, but they do represent an effort in the direction of a practical program for attainment of the Federalists' goal.

Saute Trapped

Dr. Saute allowed himself to be trapped by a student's question. The student asked for details of the governmental set-up, apparently assuming that the world government would be similar in form to that of the United States. The speaker blithely discussed such bases of representation as economic strength, educational status, and others which just happened to be "stacked" in favor of the United States in particular, and of the Occident in general.

Probably, more than 99 percent of the students reading this (and certainly the writer) would be in favor of a democratic set-up, assuming the establishment of a world government. But we Americans happen to represent a very small minority of the people of the world. The majority of the world is ignorant of—and, consequently, suspicious of—the American form of government.

Form Of Government

Are the American Federalists willing to face this fact? Are they sufficiently anxious to achieve world federation, that they are willing to take the very strong risk that it probably would not be even close to democracy? Even if the government were democratic in form at the beginning, this writer claims that, as long as we are governed by human beings, concentrated power tends to become more and more concentrated—and abused.

The Federalists' expert debaters will have noticed, before reaching this point, that we have not presented a carefully outlined rebuttal to their arguments. None is needed. Their scheme is beautifully logical—on paper. But this world does not operate logically.

Surrender Of Sovereignty

The key to the whole Federalist program is the surrender of national sovereignty. They point out all kinds of logical reasons why national sovereignty should be abandoned. But, as they are so careful to remind us, national sovereignty is not logical. It has an emotional basis. What emotion has ever been overcome by logic? How do the Federalists propose to overcome what they term the "universal prejudice" in favor of national sovereignty?

As a matter of fact, what constructive steps do the United World Federalists propose to take to get their whole program down to earth?



"What! Me Go Out There And Get All Muddy?"

William And Mary To Discontinue Department Of Library Science

(Reprinted from the Nov. 21 issue of the Richmond Times-Dispatch)

Discontinuance of the department of library science at the College of William and Mary after the current school year and the establishment of a similar course at one of the State teachers' colleges was approved by the State Board of Education meeting here yesterday.

The recommendation was made following the report of a committee on State training of public school librarians, composed of Assistant State Superintendent R. C. Haydon, Director F. O. Wygal and Supervisor C. W. Dickinson, Jr.

The course at William and Mary is being discontinued at the request of President John E. Pomfret because of the small enrollment. The head of the department had resigned, and only courses in library science necessary for four seniors to graduate are being offered this year.

The report pointed out, however, that 217 additional librarians, certified by the State Board of Education, are needed for high schools in the State and 500 to 600 additional trained librarians are needed for elementary schools this year. Other trained librarians will be needed annually, the report showed.

The board authorized the establishment of a Department of Library Science at one of the State teachers' colleges beginning with the academic year 1948-49. State Superintendent G. Tyler Miller was requested to complete the arrangements and to support the institution selected in securing a supplement to its annual budget for the purpose of financing the department. Dr. Pomfret has offered to donate about 95 per cent of the book collection in the library science department of William and Mary for the new course.

In 1931 and 1935, the General Education Board made grants of \$33,200 and \$6,500 to establish the

department at William and Mary to train public school librarians, with the provision that after 1936-37, it be continued at State expense.

Of the first 28 graduates, who were located in 1935, 22 were giving satisfactory service in the public schools of Virginia. Only a small number, however, of the graduates since 1940, when William and Mary was accredited for training of all librarians, have accepted positions in the public schools.

ODK Members Sponsor Sale Of Christmas Seals

A sale of tuberculosis Christmas seals will be sponsored by Omicron Delta Kappa, men's honorary leadership fraternity. Tom Mikula, president, stated that the seals will go on sale about the first week in December. ODK was asked to sponsor the sale by the Williamsburg Tuberculosis Society.

Cambridge Graduate To Speak At Meeting

"Dollars for Britain" will be the topic of John Chadwick, when he speaks at the meeting of the IRC to be held tomorrow at 8 p. m. in the Apollo room.

Chadwick, a graduate of Cambridge University, has long been a member of the British civil service. He is now first secretary and personal assistant to the minister in charge of economic affairs, Sir John Magowan, of the British Embassy in Washington, D. C. He served in India from 1938 to 1945.

Power Shows Movies At Veterans' Hospital

Thomas Power, assistant football coach, showed movies of the William and Mary Indians at Keoughan veterans' hospital, Hampton, Wednesday, Nov. 12.

Power showed the pictures twice in the recreation room for the hospitalized patients and gave a commentary on the various pictures.

This program is a part of the entertainment series the college chapter is producing at the hospital. Frances Saunders, chairman of the camp and hospital committee of the William and Mary Red Cross chapter hopes to be able to draw on the best campus talents for entertainment down there, giving a program as often as once a week. The Red Cross provides transportation both ways.

Sophomores Sponsor Sadie Hawkins Dance

Publicized beforehand with a Sadie Hawkins skit in the large cafeteria, the Saturday night dance was sponsored by the sophomore class.

Hay was piled high along the dance floor in Blow gym and was strewn over the band stand. Sprays of autumn leaves hung from the balcony, while corn husks and signs indicating Skunk Hollow and Lover's Leap added further to the decorations. Among the notables present were Lonesome Polecat, Mammy and Pappy Yokum, Available Jones and Salomey.

Pat Jones, class historian and social chairman, was in charge of the event. Joe Potts served as publicity chairman.

United World Federalists Hear Address By Lerche

Dr. Charles O. Lerche, assistant professor of government, addressed the Richmond chapter of the United World Federalists on Monday, Nov. 24.

The meeting was held at the St. James Parish house in Richmond, the state headquarters for the organization. His topic was "World Federation As a Practical Program."

Varsity Show

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vacation, with first rehearsals commencing immediately after final exams in January.

Officials Hear Auditions

Varsity show officials who heard the preliminary auditions were Beatty, Cutler, McGinn; technical director Wilford Leach; costume head Sue Earles; crew chiefs Howard Rayfiel and William Kepner; Michaela Grenata, secretary; John Dayton, treasurer; and Warren Rockwitt, business manager. Miss Blanche Duffy, faculty advisor of the Backdrop Club, attended one of the try-out sessions.

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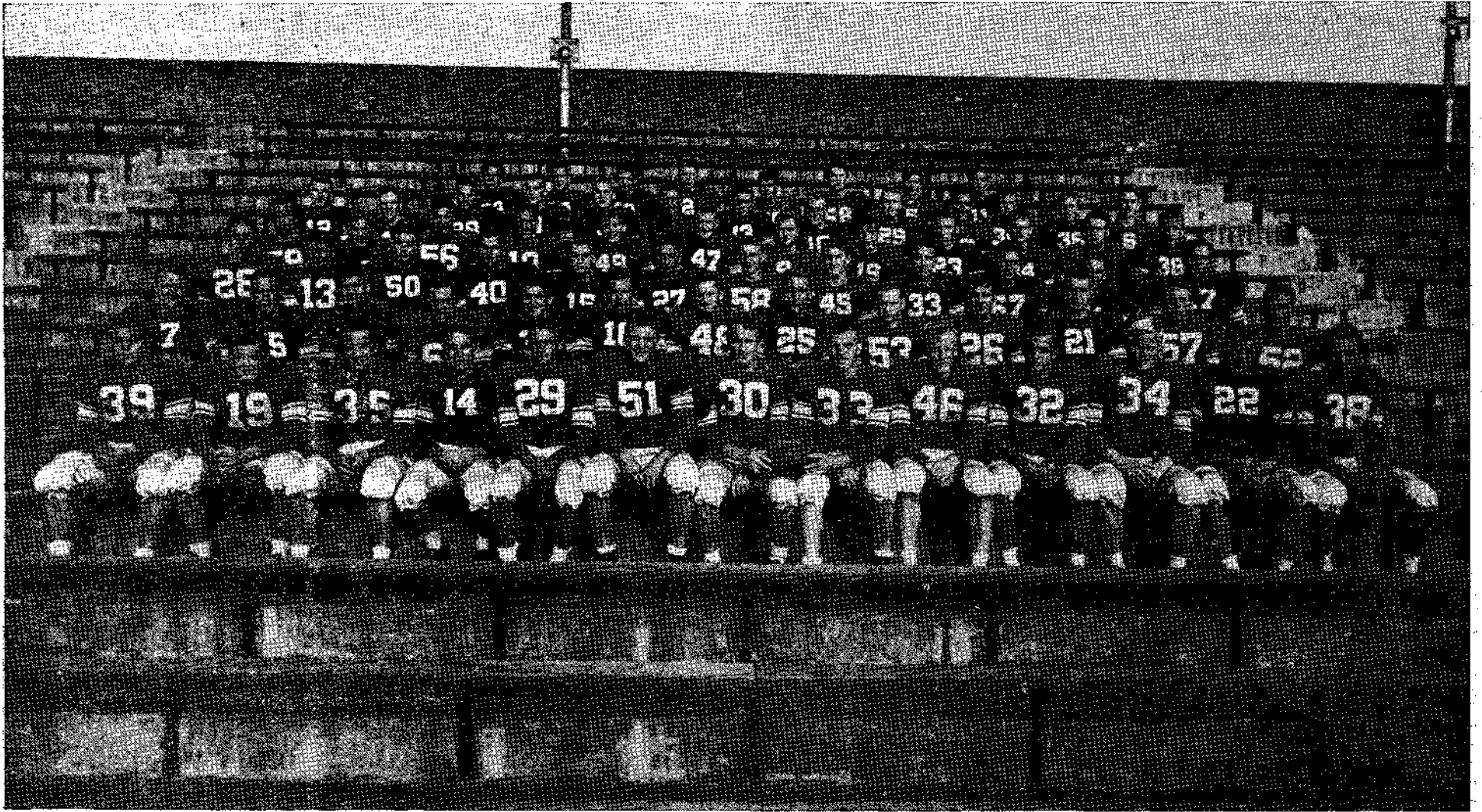
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Braves Face Richmond In Thanksgiving Day Clash



Indians Seek Pair Of Titles In Final Game

Another Thanksgiving brings together the traditional Turkey day rivals, William and Mary and the University of Richmond in a Southern conference game at City stadium in Richmond Thursday at 2 p. m.

Both schools have plenty of reason to want to win this one, besides the fact that it has been the big game of the year for a long time—45 years over a 49-year period, to be exact. This year should be the one when the trend of the games takes a shift, with each team holding 22 victories and three ending in ties.

It will be the last game in which Coach Johnny Fenlon of the Spiders will serve in that capacity. He leaves Jan. 1, to take a job in Fredericksburg, and he will be replaced next year by Dick Esleack.

In Line For Titles

William and Mary, by defeating the Spiders, could win the Southern conference championship by virtue of the North Carolina defeat of Duke last week, the title being decided on percentage basis. A victory would also give the Tribe a tie with the University of Virginia for the Virginia "Big Six" title. Each team would have a record of four victories and no defeats.

The Indians will rule as a heavy favorite on the basis of their record this fall. They have won eight and lost one so far, while the Spiders have won but three games while dropping six. The Richmond eleven has defeated Randolph-Macon, Hampden-Sydney and VMI while losing to Washington and Lee, Rollins, Maryland, Virginia, Davidson and Virginia Tech.

McCray Unscored-on

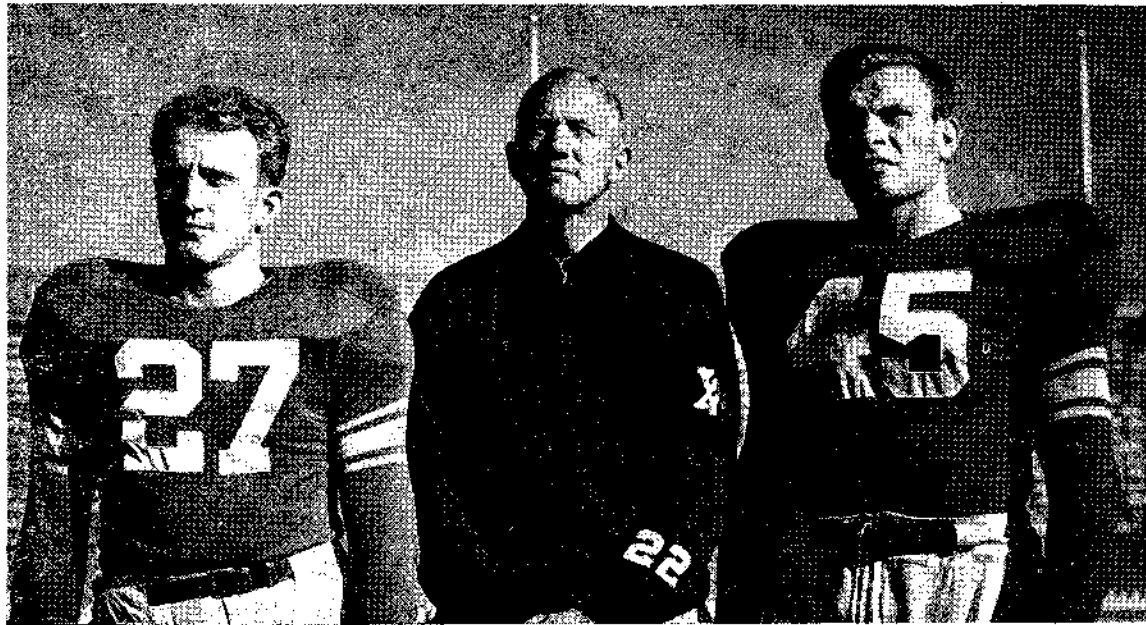
Richmond has been unable to score a touchdown on William and Mary since 1938, the last time the schools played before the beginning of the restoration in Williamsburg — football restoration, that is. The Spiders have not scored on any team coached by Rube McCray.

Starting for the Spiders are expected to be Bill Long and Douglas MacLachlan at ends, George Hodges and Don Bermont at tackles, John Zizak and Wes Curtter at guards and Jack Jones at center. Backs include Co-Captain Jim See SPIDERS, Page 5

1947 Southern Conference Champions?

- FIRST ROW:** Jim McDowell, Earl Massey, Bill Saffko, Tommy Korczowski, Henry Blanc, Lou Creekmur, Bob Steckroth, Ralph Sazio, Red Caughron, Lou Holtsma, Tommy Thompson, Knox Ramsey, Stan Magdziak.
- SECOND ROW:** Jack Hoey, Steve Chipok, Judson Nixon, John Pellack, Sonny Davis, Mike Mikula, Colin Davis, Harry Wenning, Carl Pirkle, Doug Robinson, Clint Sayre, George Gibbs, Marvin Graham.
- THIRD ROW:** Dick Hungerford, Buddy Lex, Jack Cloud, George Hughes, John Kirk, Vito Ragazzo, Gene Links, Russell Kremer, Alex Skultety, Chris Kroll, Leon Goodlow, Moe Kish.
- FOURTH ROW:** Gus Calos, Tom Mikula, Herb Poplinger, Jack Bruce, Jack Seiber, John Dawkins, Don Howren, Ted Gehlmann, Bob Finn, Jimmy Smith, Mordie Jones, Hillsman Wilson.
- FIFTH ROW:** Harry Hilling, David Otey, Paul Walzak, Joe Mark, John Schwarzmann, Ed Magdziak, Ewell Lane, Ed Miluskewicz, Bill Grady, Charles Fox, Herb McReynolds, Nick McMahon, Roy Caywood.
- SIXTH ROW:** Bob Hendrick, Bobby Bowie, Doug Weiland, Tiff Kiser, Ted Berger, Dick Carter, Charles Poland, Jack Vollmer.

Below are Co-captain Bob Steckroth, Coach Rube McCray and Co-captain Ralph Sazio, left to right.



SMOKE SIGNALS

By BILL GREER

An interesting problem was brought to our attention last week in a letter regarding the participation of Negro athletes in contests in the South, and in contests regarding Southern teams. We noted several misconceptions as to the rules on the subject, and on some of the incidents which have happened in the past.

The letter read as follows:

To the Sports Editor:

Over the past year, several instances regarding Southern conference rules and regulations on athletic contests with schools having Negro players have involved the fine name of this college. Much to my dismay, and I am sure to the dismay of other students, I have found the sports department of The FLAT HAT to make no mention of those incidents nor take any stand to correct the bad feeling aroused in certain quarters over these incidents.

This college, founded in this cradle of democracy of our country should never allow race prejudice to be a deciding factor on an athletic field. In this respect, we have taken a back seat to the University of Virginia whose recent attitude on the football game with Harvard received favorable comment everywhere. If it requires a revision of the Southern conference rules to remedy this situation as

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Tribe Smacks Bowling Green For 20-0 Win

Coach Rube McCray's William and Mary Indians won as expected over Bowling Green, of Ohio, here last Saturday, although the extent of the devastation caused by the Tribe is not indicated by the 20-0 score. Playing against an under-rated but still inferior team, the Green eleven flubbed several scoring opportunities.

The visitors threw up a surprisingly strong defense against the W&M ground attack, but their aerial coverage and offense were not of the same calibre.

Perhaps the outstanding back on the field was Buddy Lex, hard-running Indian tailback, who alternated at the post with Jack Bruce. The whole W&M line looked good, with Ramsey, Thompson and Steckroth standing out.

Indians Score

Late in the first quarter William and Mary drew blood, climaxing a 79-yard drive. Jack Cloud and Jack Bruce did much of the carrying in moving the ball to the Falcon 16; where Bruce passed to Bob Steckroth on the 10. Steckroth took the pass, shook off a tackler who had stopped him, and went over standing up. Magdziak kicked the extra point on the 25 after the home team had been penalized 15 yards on the first attempt.

Lex Goes Over

The last Cary field touchdown of the year was scored by Lex on a three-yard sweep around right end in the fourth period after Sonny Davis had intercepted a pass for the Braves. Magdziak converted again.

One Bowling Green drive, coming on the heels of a W&M fumble, was halted when Vito Ragazzo intercepted a pass in the end zone. One William and Mary touchdown was called back, and several Big Green drives penetrated deep into enemy territory without any scoring being done.

W&M-RICHMOND SERIES

(Indian Score Given First)

Year	Score	Year	Score
1898	0-15	1924	20-6
1899	0-40	1925	14-0
1901	11-27	1926	14-0
1904	15-6	1927	0-0
1905	0-0; 4-0	1928	7-0
1906	0-24	1929	25-0
1907	0-40	1930	19-0
1908	21-18	1931	2-6
1909	15-0	1932	7-18
1910	15-6	1933	6-0
1911	3-0	1934	0-6
1912	0-20	1935	6-6
1913	13-20	1936	0-6
1914	3-7	1937	0-6
1915	0-28	1938	7-10
1916	0-48	1939	7-0
1917	0-28	1940	16-0
1918	0-7	1941	33-3
1919	7-0; 0-17	1942	10-0
1920	0-13	1944	40-0
1921	7-17	1945	33-0
1922	3-12	1946	40-0
1923	27-6	1947	?

SMOKE SIGNALS

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far as William and Mary is concerned, this must be done as soon as possible. If revision of the rules is impossible, then our college should leave the conference.

At the present time, the football and other athletic schedules for next year are being arranged. It is no secret that all the present students and the alumni want this college to achieve fame and glory in the field of athletics. In that respect, more intersectional games must be scheduled with the larger schools to the North and West. The publicity received after the recent Boston University tilt clearly demonstrates the value of these intersectional games. The great teams that we will send out in the future must not be restricted by the antiquated regulations of the Southern conference.

Positive Stand?

Therefore, I request the sports department of The FLAT HAT to take a positive stand on this issue. It is imperative that this be done as early as possible in order to prevent any further blights on the fine name of our college, and to permit our great teams to compete with teams of any other school, regardless of racial differences among the players.

May I suggest that the Southern conference regulations on this matter be published in The FLAT HAT. May I also suggest that any "incidents" that have arisen, or that will arise be given speedy publication in the college paper in order that the student body can be aware of the situation and demand a change.

Very truly yours,

Allan H. Schwartzman.

To begin with, rules regarding the participation of Negro athletes in Virginia, regardless of the team they are playing against, are virtually non-existent. Southern conference rules do not take a stand on the subject, and neither do William and Mary rules, which are virtually the same as the conference standards.

Segregation Laws

A quick review of Virginia statutes regarding segregation reveals that, while the spectators are required by law to be seated in separate stands, no mention is made of the players.

The participation of the Negro player for Harvard against the University of Virginia in Charlottesville was something which was unusual in the South, and an occasion which was well handled, although it was something of an experiment. When such situations arise, the best possible handling is to treat the man just like any other athlete, which should not be too difficult for college students.

William and Mary has not been involved in any serious controversy regarding Negro athletes. One occasion which arose last spring brought to the school a certain amount of undeserved bad publicity. Dartmouth, which had a Negro tennis player representing the school, cancelled the match on its own initiative a short while before the scheduled match in Williamsburg. That story was misconstrued and the publicity which the college received was bad and unnecessary.

Basis For Ban

The whole basis for the rather complete ban on Negro athletes in the South is a long-standing custom which has been adhered to by virtually all schools on the Eastern seaboard and south of Washington.

This is a type of segregation which cannot be regulated by law, and which would continue, probably, after any change in legislation on the subject of international relations. Any change from this situation would have to come about over a long period of time and would be possible only with the help of generally improved relations.

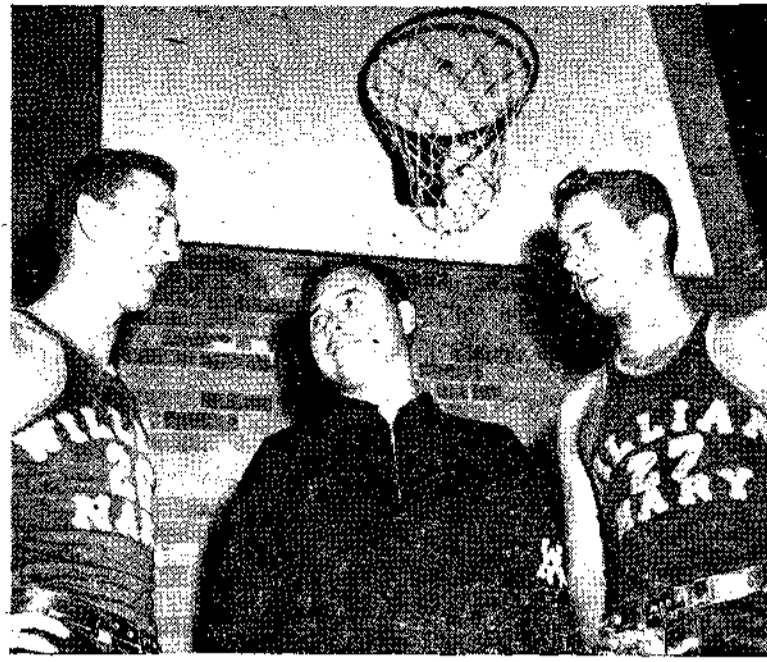
No Pass Defense

While William and Mary has been considered for several of the bowls over the nation, the final outcome of the discussion and feelers reflect a desire for a certain kind of show on Jan. 1.

Some people from Jacksonville, the site of the 'Gator Bowl, agreed that William and Mary has a fine team this year, but had some criticisms of the Indian pass defense and a few other points.

The things most sought after by the bowl representatives are flashy teams with sensational plays, and teams that will draw large crowds. They want well-known teams to be matched in intersectional contests which will give an indication of relative strength of different areas.

If William and Mary gets a bid to a post-season contest, and battles with a team with a style of play similar to the power football seen in Williamsburg all fall, Little Tommy Korczowski can be counted upon to offer plenty of sensationalism. With his foot healed and ready to go again by the first of the year, Tommy could go a long way toward making it an enjoyable afternoon for some thousands of holiday spectators.



TRIBE CAGE COACH, CAPTAINS are shown following the election of the basketball team leaders last week. They are, Charlie Sokol of Newport News (left) and Charlie Teach of Long Beach, Cal., (right), the co-captains, and Coach Barney Wilson in the middle.

Cagers Select Sokol, Teach As Co-captains For Basketball

The East and the West met last week when members of the 1947-'48 William and Mary basketball team elected Charlie Teach of Long Beach, Calif., and Charlie Sokol, of Newport News, as co-captains of the Indian basketball team.

Both Charlie's came to William and Mary after serving in the United States Navy, and both had had plenty of experience their first year here. Teach had played under Coach Dick Gallagher while in the service, and Sokol played at both the University of Richmond and the University of South Carolina while studying first as a V-12 and later as a Naval ROTC student.

In 1945 Sokol was high scorer in the Southern conference, and was named to the all-Southern mythical team.

Both men showed up well last season, and both are listed as seniors although they have some eligibility left.

Poor Organization

Dr. Caroline Sinclair, coach of previous aquatic teams, scheduled three try-outs and exactly three upperclassmen plus a few freshmen turned out. We cannot give the dates of the try-outs because to our knowledge no printed word of the event has ever been distributed. How can members of the physical education department expect girls to come out for a sport that has not been scheduled in the proper places and that the girls know nothing about?

Last year William and Mary was blessed with a squad composed of a dozen girls and they posted a record far superior to most of the other varsity teams. At least 15 swimmers are necessary to have a well-balanced team; attending the college now are approximately 25 of 30 women of exceptional ability in water sports. Many of them hold records, both state and national, and in any other college would be mainstays on a swimming squad.

Degradation of Athletics

It is gradually becoming apparent that within a year or even several months co-ed varsity sports will be history on campus—a rut everything here sooner or later falls into. In addition, a movement is in progress to reduce the intramural program, and physical education as a major is out.

By February the principal sport will be brick-walk navigating! LONG LIVE ARTEMIS!

Basketball practice has been in progress quite regularly, with Coach Barney Wilson working his men five and sometimes six days a week. The players have gotten into shape satisfactorily and have been doing some more advanced work during the past couple of weeks.

Much of the time has been centered around shooting, and Wilson has been especially pleased with several of his players, including Sokol and Teach. Others who have looked good are Chester Giermak, rangy center, freshman guard "Fuzz" Milligan, Vic Janega and Bob Holley.

The first squad will consist of 13 or 14 men, Wilson stated, adding that he intended to drop one or two more men from the first group.

While closed practices are still being conducted, the team will scrimmage the Medical College of Virginia in an evening encounter here Dec. 1, and students will be admitted. Certain other scrimmages and workouts will be open after that date.

Barrett, Chandler Tie

The result of the Barrett-Chandler intramural hockey game was a 1-1 tie. Scoring for Barrett was Millie Johnson and for Chandler Karyn Mereness.

Touch Teams Approach End Of 1947 Play

Highlight of the week's intramural touch football program is the game between SAE and Sigma Rho which will have much to do with the final outcome of the Fraternity league standings. The date was to be decided last night after The FLAT HAT went to press.

SAE is still the only undefeated, untied team in the league, although Sigma Rho lists six victories, one more than the leaders, but also has a tie. Pi KA played SAE in a game which resulted in a disputed 14-7 victory for the latter. It was decided that the game would be replayed entirely, or partially with the score tied at the time the replay starts.

Last week Sigma Rho defeated Theta Delt, 15-0, although the winners were held to six points until late in the game. Sigma Rho came through with nine points in the last two minutes of play.

In the game always ranking high in rivalry, Pi Lambda Phi dropped Phi Alpha with little difficulty, 38-0. OD "A" piled up another impressive victory in the Independent league by trouncing the Chicken Coop Clippers, 47-7. The victory boosted the OD team's point average to 39.4 per game, the highest mark in either league.

Other games saw SAE run over Phi Alpha, 36-0, KA squeeze past Phi Tau, 7-0, and Kappa Sig win by forfeit.

Several games have been rained out and these must be played as soon as possible if the season is to end Dec. 3 as scheduled.

One more player has reached the tennis quarter-finals, Johnny Boyer taking the measure of Bill Lehrberger, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1. The Jere Bunting-Ken Schmalenberger match is the only fourth-round remaining to be played. Howard Smith, intramural director, said that the quarterfinal matches must be played immediately or it will be impossible to finish the tournament before permanently unfavorable weather arrives.

Deadline for entries in the intramural swimming meet is Dec. 4. Entry blanks may be obtained at the supply room of Blow gym. Preliminaries will be conducted Dec. 9 at 7:30 p. m., while the finals are slated for Dec. 18.

Spiders

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LaLuna at quarter, Jack Wilbourne and Tom Billingsly the halfback posts and Ed (Sugar) Ralson at fullback.

W-M At Peak

The Braves should be at near-peak strength for the tilt on Turkey day. Leading the way will be co-captains Bob Steckroth and Ralph Sazio, each playing his last regular college game. Other outstanding players who will not return include guards Knox Ramsey and Bill Saffo, two of the best in the history of William and Mary. Rounding out the forward wall will be Lou Hoitsma at end, Harry Caughron at guard and Tommy Thompson at center.

Backs slated to get the starting nods are Henry Blanc at wingback, Tom Mikula at blocking back, Jack Cloud at fullback and Buddy Lex or Stan Magdziak at tailback. Magdziak will be playing his last game for the Indian football team, too.

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Vito Ragazzo Shows Ability As Flankman

By Earle M. Copp, Jr.

A position on the football team which hasn't worried Coach R. N. McCray very much is left end. Holding down the starting post is Bob Steckroth, but he has a worthy substitute in Vito Ragazzo, from Aflex, Ky.

The lanky freshman, who has harried the Indians opponents constantly, has turned four pass receptions into touchdowns. Altogether he has gathered in nine passes for 219 yards, an imposing record in any league. These records do not include the Bowling Green game.

One score was the all-important first touchdown against Wake Forest when Stan Magdziak flipped the ball to Vito running into a corner of the end zone. That play went for 15 yards.

Scored Against Boston

In the melee up in Boston Ragazzo racked up six points for the Big Green when he snared a throw from Buddy Lex for a tally on a play that accounted for 38 yards. Two other scores came in the VMI game, the second being another toss from Magdziak for 15 yards which Vito took on the 20 and ran the rest of the way down the sidelines.

Ragazzo, who collects silver dollars as a sideline, came to William and Mary in February of 1945, from Williamson high school in Williamson, W. Va., across the river from Aflex. In high school he earned the captaincy of the West Virginia All-State team, and also played in the state's North-South game.

Played Basketball

During his first semester here he earned a letter as center on the basketball squad, and in the spring went out for the informal track team. He left college to enter the army that summer.

Serving in the armed forces from 1945 through November of 1946, Vito was in the Signal corps and also the Tank corps. He returned to the campus last February in time to take part in the spring practices.

Al Thomas Expects Early Track Work

Track coach Al Thomas has stated that, weather permitting, there will be pre-Christmas track training this year. Also, he hopes to hold intra-squad timing try-outs before the holidays.

Track prospects look bright here at William and Mary this year. Among those who are expected to be outstanding in their respective fields are: Clarence Roy, who can do the half-mile in 1:59; pole vaulter Jack Reymier, who won the State title last year; Lou Creekmur, who possesses great possibilities in shot-putting; and Francis McFall, sprinter, who was undefeated last year until he injured a leg muscle.

On the schedule are the Apprentice School, two meets, Maryland, Wake Forest, Virginia, V.M.I., Richmond, the Big Six meet, the Southern Conference Meet and the State A. A. U.



ALL-ENGLAND HOCKEY TEAM—Shown above are members of the outstanding All-England hockey team which visited the William and Mary campus while on tour of the United States playing outstanding American teams. They defeated the All-Virginia team at Richmond, 15-0.



FRESHMAN INDIAN END—Vito Ragazzo (above), reserve end on the William and Mary football team, is one of the most promising flankmen of the 1947 crop of Freshman talent. Weighing 190 and standing six feet, three inches tall, he is 20 years old.

Bridge Intramurals Begin; Finals To Start Next Week

Bridge intramurals started last week in Barrett living room. Rubbers were played Nov. 21 and 24 with the final days of play scheduled for next week—Dec. 2 and 3 at 4:00.

Another table of four girls is needed to complete the round; if anyone is interested she should contact Virginia Rassinier at the Kappa Delta house before Thanksgiving.

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Hockey Expert Visits Campus During Tour

By Jeanne Bamforth

An interview with Miss Constance Appleby, acclaimed queen of women's field hockey both in England and America, was conducted under different circumstances than would be expected. Instead of holding a hockey stick, she was winding balls of yarn to send to England where the yarn would be knitted into afghans. These blankets are needed badly by the children in the English hospitals due to the lack of heat.

Miss Appleby started her hockey career in her native country, England. She came to America in 1901 to attend Harvard summer school and was persuaded to teach hockey to American girls by Miss Pallantyne of Vassar. Enthusiasm for hockey grew and Miss Appleby went on to teach the game at Wellesley and Smith. She also started a school where she taught physical education teachers the rudiments of hockey. Her visits to the United States are now devoted to her summer camp located in the Pocono mountains in Pennsylvania.

All-England Team

Miss Appleby has been very influential in starting international hockey games between England and the United States. The All-England team arrived in this country Oct. 16 and has played our All-America team and many of our best club teams. So far they have beaten all the teams we have put on the field. They downed our All-America team 2-0 at Adelphi, Long Island. The All-Philadelphia team lost to them 3-0. They won both of their games from Smith and Earlham 20-0 and 24-0 respectively. The English team came here to see the Restoration Wednesday, Nov. 19.

Many Americans have thought that the war years have hindered both sports and athletes in England, but looking over the triumphs of this one English team we must abandon this stereotype.

"The American defeats can be seen in the **HOCKEY**, Page 9

Richmond Jayvees Top W&M, 20-12

William and Mary's Junior Varsity gridgers ended their season with a 20-12 defeat at the hands of the Baby Spiders of the University of Richmond there Friday afternoon.

Johnny Thomas of Richmond passed to Billy Cox for the first touchdown and Anderson converted in the second period. Later in the same quarter, Al Skultety broke loose on a 73 yard dash to the two to set up the first W&M score, and Randy Davis plunged over.

Charlie Webber scored the second UR touchdown to climax a 60 yard drive, and Anderson converted again. The last Richmond score came on run from the 28 by Paulette.

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Meet The Man Of Brain And Brawn; Fantail Speaks As Wheel Rolls On

By Fanny Fantail

Somewhere between the detailed accounts of McCray's Marauders and the place where the leering, insipid face on the Chesterfield ad usually is, FLAT HAT readers find this week a feature story about a "campus personality." It was with much hesitancy that Donald Ring, big wheel on campus, consented to this interview. After learning that there would be no pictures, he altogether refused, but was finally persuaded to reveal his "real-self" when he was assured that his name would appear in bold face.

"Regurgitating"

"Regurgitating," yawned Ring with nasal intonations when asked his opinion of the change in the color of our cafeteria books. "We don't need new colors on our meal tickets. We don't even need meal tickets—as a matter of fact, why eat at all? Eating is nothing but a shoddy proletarian habit. Let your minds feast on the finer things of life—as I do."

With that, Ring picked up his dog-eared copy of Max Schulman's "Bare-foot Boy with Cheek" and, flicking a wayward curl from his brow, began laboriously reading it backwards. (He reads it from cover to cover at least twice a week, and since he's ambidextrous, it makes no difference to him which cover he starts with.) "This," he said, "is the finest thing in life. It reminds me so much of my favorite author."

Favorite Author

When queried as to the identity of his favorite author, Donald refused to admit that his column, "Millions of Mary's Go-Round",

brought him any *Jole de Vivre*, but he pulled a scrapbook full of clippings from his coat pocket. "As a vehicle for my talents, the weekly newspaper which now prints my columns doesn't satisfy me at all.



Donald Ring

—But any port in a storm. No one else will have them."

Donald's future plans include trying to eliminate all articles from the newspaper except the sports page, the Chesterfield ad and "Millions of Mary's Go-Round." He would really like to eliminate everything, because he finds it so much easier to destroy than to construct.

Home Ec Organization Dines New Members

A banquet was held by the Home Economics club Wednesday Nov. 19, at the King and Kay Tearoom for their new members, Barbara Bechtol, president of the club, announced.

Initiation of the new members was held Monday, Nov. 17, in the Dodge room. They are Barbara Dautrey, Nat White, Helen Stauff, Mary Jane Keen, Phyllis Struse, Jean Myers, Sara Fowlkes, and Muriel Wadsworth.

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November 25 Through December 2 On The College Calendar

TUESDAY, Nov. 25

Student Religious Union meeting—Barrett, 3-4:30 p. m.
Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa, 3-6, 7-10 p. m.
Woman's Athletic council—Jefferson, 4 p. m.
Chandler hall tea—Chandler, 4-5 p. m.
Basketball practice—Jefferson gym, 4-6, 7-10 p. m.
Intercollegiate Debate council—Apollo room, 6:15-7 p. m.
YWCA committee meeting—Kappa Delta house, 6:30-7 p. m.
Varsity club meeting—Blow gym lounge, 7-8 p. m.
Dance class—Great hall, 7-8:30 p. m.
FLAT HAT editors meeting—FLAT HAT office, 7 p. m.
Colonial Echo staff meeting—Colonial Echo office, 7 p. m.
Kappa Chi Kappa—Dodge room, 7-8 p. m.
French club movies—Washington 100, 7 p. m.
Chemical society—Rogers 212, 7:30-8:30 p. m.
Balfour-Hillel club meeting—Baptist church, 7:30 p. m.
FLAT HAT staff meeting—Marshall-Wythe 302, 8 p. m.
International Relations club meeting—Apollo room, 8-9 p. m.
Kappa Delta Pi—Barrett east living room, 8-9 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 26

Canterbury club communion—Wren chapel, 7.25 a. m.
Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa, 3-6, 7-10 p. m.
Basketball practice—Jefferson gym, 4-6, 7-10 p. m.
Delta Delta Delta Founders' Day banquet—Inn, 6 p. m.
Thanksgiving service—Wren chapel, 6:30-7 p. m.
Baptist Student Union meeting—Baptist church, 7-9 p. m.
Pep rally—Phi Beta Kappa, 7 p. m.
Orchestrations—Jefferson gym, 7-8:30 p. m.
Library Science club—Library Science lab., 7:30 p. m.
World Federalists—Apollo room, 8 p. m.

THURSDAY, Nov. 27

W & M-Richmond game—Richmond, 2 p. m.
Canterbury club evensong service—Wren chapel, 5 p. m.
National Hockey tournament—Philadelphia

FRIDAY, Nov. 28

Sigma Alpha Epsilon picnic—Shelter, 3-6 p. m.
Play rehearsals—Phi Beta Kappa, 3-6, 7-10 p. m.
Balfour-Hillel club services—Wren chapel, 7-7:30 p. m.
Alpha Chi Omega dance—Great hall, 9-12 p. m.
Phi Alpha dance—Small cafeteria, 9-12 p. m.

SATURDAY, Nov. 29

Sigma Rho picnic—Shelter, 1:30-5 p. m.
Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa, 3-6, 7-10 p. m.
Phi Mu buffet supper—Phi Mu house, 5-7 p. m.

SUNDAY, Nov. 30

Wesley Foundation—Methodist church, 9:45 a. m.
Baptist Student Union—Baptist church, 9:45 a. m.
Inter-fraternity reception—Dodge room, 3:30 p. m.
Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa, 3-6, 7-10 p. m.
Canterbury club evensong service—Bruton Parish, 5 p. m.
Student Religious Union Supper—Presbyterian church, 6-8 p. m.
Lutheran group meeting—Apollo room, 6:30 p. m.
Wesley Foundation—Methodist church, 6:45 p. m.
Newman club—Dodge room, 7 p. m.

MONDAY, Dec. 1

Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa hall, 3-6, 7:15-10 p. m.
Sorority rushing—7:30-9:30 p. m.
Basketball practice—Jefferson gym, 4-6, 7-10 p. m.
Red Cross meeting—Red Cross office, 4 p. m.
Home Economics club meeting—Washington 300, 4-5 p. m.
WSCGA meeting—Phi Beta Kappa, 6:45-7:15 p. m.
Fraternity rushing—Dodge and Apollo rooms, 8 p. m.

TUESDAY, Dec. 2

Play rehearsal—Phi Beta Kappa, 3-6, 7-10 p. m.
Bridge intramurals—Barrett, 4-6, 7-10 p. m.
Basketball practice—Jefferson gym, 4-6, 7-10 p. m.
YWCA cabinet meeting—Kappa Delta house, 6:30-7 p. m.
Wesley Foundation cabinet meeting—Methodist church, 6:30 p. m.
Colonial Echo staff meeting—Colonial Echo office, 7 p. m.
FLAT HAT editors meeting—FLAT HAT office, 7 p. m.
Student Assembly—Apollo room, 7 p. m.
Water Safety Corps meeting—Barrett west living room, 7 p. m.
Clayton Grimes Biological club—Washington 100, 7 p. m.
Balfour-Hillel club meeting—Baptist church, 7:30-8:30 p. m.
FLAT HAT staff meeting—Marshall-Wythe 302, 8 p. m.
Psychology club—Barrett east living room, 8-9 p. m.

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VA Gives Rules About Enrollment

Enrollment of a veteran in two institutions at the same time is allowed only under certain conditions, the Veterans Administration explained today.

In such a case, the veteran must meet the following conditions:

The one complete course which the veteran desires to take under the G. I. Bill is not available at the principal institution in which the veteran is enrolled; the principal training institution prescribes or recommends the course of training and approves the enrollment in the second institution; the training furnished by the second institution is part of the veteran's course and can be scheduled satisfactorily; and books, supplies and equipment furnished the veteran in connection with his course of training at the principal institution are not duplicated in the second institution.

"When the above conditions are found to exist," the VA said, "the school in which the veteran is enrolled may recommend to the Veterans Administration that the needed instruction be provided concurrently by another institution approved for veterans' training."

Greek Letters

Gamma Phi Beta announces the initiation tonight of Frances Hawley, of Hilton Village, and Estelle Tankard, of Machipongo.

A buffet supper was held at the Pi Beta Phi house Friday night. Gloria McCawley, '47, visited the Delta Delta Delta house last week. A dessert party was held at the house last Sunday evening.

The Williamsburg alumni chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma entertained the actives at an afternoon coffee Thursday at the house. Jane Welton Anderson, '45, visited the house last week end.

An after-dinner coffee was held for the new housemother, Mrs. O. C. Pratt, at the Phi Mu house on Wednesday night. Ellen Diggs Wilson, '47, spent last week end at the house.

Lambda Chi Alpha announces the pledging of Robert Carter.

The Nu chapter of Kappa Sigma announces the initiation of William E. Barksdale, Jack Hight, George S. Lex, Jr., and Donald L. Merriman, on Nov. 17.

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Religious News

Westminster Fellowship

The second Union Supper of the year will be held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday, Nov. 30, at 6 p. m.

This supper, sponsored by the Westminster Fellowship, will commence at 6 p. m. and will be followed by a speech by Eleanor Foxworth, traveling secretary for the Presbyterian committee of Christian education.

Wesley Foundation

Following the regular Sunday evening supper at 6 p. m. at the Methodist Church, Dr. Katherine R. Jeffers, dean of women, will address the members of the Wesley Foundation.

Last week end several members of the group attended a Methodist regional conference at Camp Roslyn, near Richmond, at which 12 Virginia colleges were represented. Two of the outstanding speakers at the conference were the Rev. D. D. Holt, who spoke in Wren chapel, on Nov. 18, and Dr. DeWitt Baldwin, chairman of the Lisle Fellowship in New York, N. Y.

The Wesleyans will hold a party at the church on Friday night, Dec. 5, from 7:30 - 11 p. m.

Newman Club

On Sunday, Nov. 30, there will be a discussion group in the Dodge room of Phi Beta Kappa at 7 p. m.

Balfour-Hillel Club

Dr. George J. Ryan, professor of ancient languages, will address the Tuesday, Nov. 25 meeting of the Balfour-Hillel club at 7:30 p. m. Movies will also be shown.

This meeting is being sponsored by the Newport News B'nai B'rith Lodge and is being held in the Baptist student center.

Four Students Present First Recital Of Year

Walter Williams, Margaret Pitz, Anne Howard Dunn and Dennis Cogle presented the first of the student recitals in Phi Beta Kappa hall Sunday afternoon, Nov. 23.

Williams, a baritone, sang "Avant de quitter ces lieux," from Faust, by Gounod and "The Vagabond" by Speaks. Margaret's first selections included two sonatas, in C minor and C major, by Scarlatti and Bach's "Prelude and Fugue in C major."

Anne, soprano, sang "Ouvre ton coeur," Bizet; "A Birthday," Woodman; and "Carissima," Penn. Schumann's "Papillon, Opus 2" was Margaret's second number.

Cogle concluded the program with the baritone solos "Bois epais," Lully; "My Lady Walks in Loveliness," Charles; "De Glory Road, Wolfe."

Kay Ratzburg, Connie Carhart and Jeanne Anne Harrup were the accompanists.

Club Plans Broadcasting

Wilford Leach, president of the radio club, announced that broadcasts will be resumed in the near future and that all those who are interested in taking part in the production should contact either him or Molly Prince.



Inmates Of The Morris House Shown As They Busily Prepared For Mid-Semesters
Kilroy Was Never Here But You Can Find Almost Any Other Type Of Character

Morris House Inmates

Declare, 'You Don't Have To Be Crazy, But It Helps'

By Nicky Dillard

"If we put up any more signs the college won't have to paint for another twenty years," declared Johnny Dayton when interviewed about the recent activities of the inhabitants of the Morris house. During the last month the 21 boys living there have gone all out for William and Mary publicity by means of large posters on and around the house and on numerous places on the campus and through a public address system. "We felt a need for more display of school spirit" Johnny said, "and we took advantage of the location of the Morris house."

Formerly For Indians

The house located on Jamestown Road was formerly an Indian school and it is rumored that arrow heads are still found daily. In its more recent history the Morris house housed the football players. It was at this point that the house had a front porch where the team sat and whistled at all feminine passersby. This practice was frowned upon by the administration and the porch was taken off. Now the boys sit on the grass and whistle at the girls.

The boys in the house are very proud of their numerous priorities. They are the only group on campus who celebrate everytime the Chinese eat rice, and it is alleged that after a party the maid sweeps the bodies into a corner and if

they haven't moved in three days representing five fraternities, five freshmen and several independents are Johnny Dayton, Don Davis, Earl Graham, Ed Magdziak, Bob Finn, Fred Eckert, Jack Grimes, Ted Cohen, Bill Greenwood, Bob Miles, Harvey Chappell, Bud Galbreath, Don Palese, Jim Pantele, Gordon Oser, Art Cox, Tom Cox, Leo Mays, Eddie Dunbar, Cris Kroll, Tiff Kiser and Roy Caywood.

Hop-Scotch Match Planned

The boys have many and varied plans for the future. After recovering from the strenuous homecoming week-end where they went all out, they made plans for Thanksgiving, which they hope will not be cursed in any way. This week end they wanted to graze an elephant in the front yard but to their consternation it was brought to their attention that there is a city ordinance prohibiting this, and, furthermore, the Union objected. In the athletic line plans are being completed for a hop-scotch match on Jamestown Road with Sigma Rho.

Johnny vowed that it is not absolutely necessary to be crazy to live in the Morris house, but he added that it helps. Perhaps the insanity is an aftermath. The boys

Education Council Will Give Exams

National teacher examinations by the American Council on Education will be given in Williamsburg on Saturday, Feb. 7 and Saturday, Feb. 14, 1948.

The common examination battery, consisting of general education and professional information, will be given on Feb. 7. Special examinations covering the subject-matter to be taught will be administered on Feb. 14.

Teacher examinations are being administered at the college with Leslie L. Carter, graduate assistant in the department of education, serving as local examiner. Applicants for the test should apply to Carter during the remainder of this month or the first two weeks in December. No applications will be received after Jan. 10, unless the additional late fee of \$2.50 is paid.

College students preparing to teach are given the examinations for \$4.50. Regular candidates are required to pay \$7.50.

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Joe Buchanan, W&M Stage Veteran, Finds No Time For Phi Beta Kappa

By Nicky Dillard

Joe Buchanan, veteran actor on the William and Mary stage and acclaimed comedian of the *Common Glory* cast, hails from Hilton Village where he spends long week ends when he can find time to make "the exhaustive 26-mile trip."

Entering William and Mary in 1944, Joe has lived in Bruton Parish house for all four years. "Most anything can happen there—and does," Joe ventured. "From upstairs we hear all sorts of weird noises and our imagination works overtime."

First Role

In William and Mary productions, Joe's first role was in *Murder in the Cathedral*, followed by the role of a lawyer in *Too Many Husbands*. "I like small parts," he declared, explaining, "I don't want people to get tired of me." Joe remarked that he liked variety parts, "but I have found from experience that a person's personality colors a role regardless of the part he is playing." In *Arsenic and Old Lace* Joe was cast as a Brooklyn cop, in which role he was able to play a type of part which he finds interesting.

Joe was gratified at being given a straight role in *Arms and the Man*. "People always expected me to be funny," he said, "and this was a relief." This was followed by a small part in *Jean of Lorraine* and a leading role in *The Skin of Our Teeth*.

At present Joe is catching his breath and has no definite future commitments. As an English major, he commented that he had no time to make Phi Beta.

Plays Chicken Thief

"I hope to act in the *Common*



Joe Buchanan

Glory again. Last summer I went into it blue-eyed and with question marks and came out green-eyed with dollar marks," he laughed. In the comedy role of a chicken thief, Cephus Syclemore, (originally Sycamore but changed because Syclemore is a good old Virginia name) Joe perhaps received more favorable criticism than any member of the cast.

"This is the first role I've ever really brought to life and not felt I was stepping into someone else's shoes. It was a real challenge to see how much I could do with the part. In a long-run play you can gauge the audience reaction and change the part accordingly. In college an actor is handicapped by the fact that each play is only presented twice. A different audience makes a big difference," Joe commented. "Sometimes last summer we practically had to get on our knees and beg for applause."

In addition to his dramatic activities, Joe is president of Eta Sigma Pi, vice-president of Lambda Chi Alpha and a member of Theta Alpha Pi, honorary dramatic fraternity.

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Rushing

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new pledges are not to associate with sorority women until they go to their house at 1 p. m. All rushing is by invitation only.

Fraternity Rushing Hours

At the reception of the fraternity association, Nov. 30, for all men with a 5 average, interested in joining fraternities, two representatives from each of the 11 fraternities will be present. Rushing begins the following day at 12 noon and continues till 12 midnight. The schedule will remain the same throughout the week with the exception of Thursday when it will not begin until 9:30 p. m. to permit fraternity men and rushees to attend the play at 7.

Rushing parties will take place between the hours of 7 and 12 p. m. with the exception of Thursday. Saturday is silence day, and no fraternity man may mention a fraternity to a rushee beginning Friday at 12 midnight until Sunday at 1 p. m.

Pledge Invitations

Invitations to pledge will be delivered after midnight Saturday, and acceptances will be indicated at the meetings on Sunday, Dec. 7, between 2 and 5 p. m.

"I am confident that concurrent rushing seasons of fraternities and sororities this year will assure the least possible disturbance of normal college activities," stated William (Bill) Norgren, president of the inter-fraternity council.

Miss Cooke Becomes Housemother In Barrett

Miss Lillian Rogers Cooke has been appointed a housemother for Barrett hall, substituting for Miss Bessie Payne who is ill, according to Marguerite Wynne-Roberts, assistant dean of women.

Coming from Newport News, Miss Cooke was connected previously with Riverside hospital there. She arrived in Williamsburg Nov. 17.

C&O Representative To Take Reservations

"Students interested in having a representative of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad visit the college on Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 3 and 4 to take pullmen reservations for travel during the Christmas holiday period are requested to inform the dorm housemothers or managers of this fact," declared John E. Hocutt, dean of men, on Thursday.

Hockey

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attributed to over-eating," said Miss Appleby. They have led a much softer life and have not cultivated as much enthusiasm for hockey as have the English.

Miss Appleby stressed that the future of American hockey rests with schools, colleges, and clubs. Girls must start playing hockey at an early age, and realize that it can be lots of fun instead of thinking it is something that must be taken during gym classes. This idea should accompany every girl into college, and then when she leaves, she will join a club for the sheer joy of playing a good game of hockey.

Library To Remain Open

Robert H. Land, associate librarian, has announced that the library will be open on Thanksgiving day from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 2-5 p. m.

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Bot-E-Talk

Botty decided what the school needs is a few more "campus personalities." So, I propose this week to take a little nobody and put him in the limelight. Donald Ring, (here's your big moment) dating Edith Sherman.

Nice to check from the church steps: Joan Padden, Lucille Brent, Joyce Hodges and Betty Davis.

In need of advice: You can't play the field—June Mercer; Bill Low. Then there's: Buddy Canoles taking time out from organizing his quartet to date Helen Thomson; Sue Hines looking happy as Joe Mark comes to the rescue; Mary Minton Cregor receiving roses from England; Cherry Whitehurst makes good — marrying a guy named Wood sometime in the near future; Dixie Walker-back to see the campus and Nancy McFadden.

Questions: Is Ray Cooper dating anybody on campus? And if not, why not? Any repercussions from Marianna Brose's picture of several weeks ago?

Botty hears that: The Big Green is playing Slippery Rock in the Soup Bowl next year. A Texas high school has a woman playing tackle. Hmmm—say you're transferring to Texas? Bud Grady's been seeing Dot Dettmer; Likewise with Harvey Chappell and Ann Callahan. Adna Collins and Jim McDowell watching the parade.

J.H. Wilkinson To Speak At First Business Forum

J. Harvie Wilkinson, vice-president of the State Planters Bank and Trust Co., will discuss the field of banking at the first business forum on Wednesday, Dec. 3, at 4 p. m. in Rogers 212.

The forum began last year and presented six speakers. Men representing various fields of business spoke on what training would be most useful in the field of business, what training they wish they had and presented a picture of a typical day's work.

Charles F. Marsh, head of the department of business administration, stated that all students are invited to attend the forum.

Willis Requests Students To Return Annual Proofs

Lois Willis, editor of the *Colonial Echo*, declared that students must return their proofs to Chidnoff Studios within one week after receipt if their choice is to appear in the yearbook.

Lois also announced, "All organizational write-ups should be submitted to Jean Foote, organizations editor, immediately." Jean may be reached at the publications office on the third floor of Marshall-Wythe hall or at Barrett hall.

William and Mary: Bill Smith and Mary Virginia Cline. Ginny Lore getting the big rush Saturday night and Pete Quynn chasing butterflies to pass the time of evening.

Despite the cold weather: Molly Diggs pinned to SAE Bill Fanny. (Botty must inspire somebody)

Johnny Dayton datin' Joanne Collins; Leo Martone and Nancy McLaughlin.

George Fricke tutoring Nancy Walton in biology; George Gibbs explaining the finer points of football to Nancy Leigh Hall; Scott Chisholm just fast talking to Jean Struve. Charlie Teach and Ruth Maroney.

"Like the older men?" the "Over 50" club in Barrett—with pin-ups of "men of distinction."

Tom Mikula getting WEAK, you know, opposite of STRONG.

Heard about: The Phi Beta party at Chownings for Mark Waldo; Jean McLeod and Eddie Dunbar at the same.

Away for a spell: Suzelle Hull to U. of Virginia; Penny Allenbaugh to Princeton; Pat Arnold to Yale and Bob Adams spending a quiet week end at home; Bertie Coulter to Annapolis while Jack Lawson spends his time with Bren; Stu de Murguiondo up to VPI; and Betty Cox to the same.

Reprinted from the *Richmond-Times Dispatch*: (for all you chillun who suffer from the same) Dear Miss Bly: I have a very peculiar problem. After my boy friend and I have been to the movies, when he brings me home we usually sit in the car a few minutes before I go in. He will begin to get romantic, but for some reason after he's kissed me a couple of times my stomach gurgles, because it's been so long since supper. This makes him laugh, and he isn't serious any more which ruins everything. What can I do? This isn't funny. Brown Eyes. Answer: Dear Brown Eyes: You might try chewing gum. (Botty suggests a sandwich to be nibbled on at leisure-tucked securely away in your pocket.)

Chillun, if you'll get out and create some scandal, Botty will stay within the rules—of course.

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Botty

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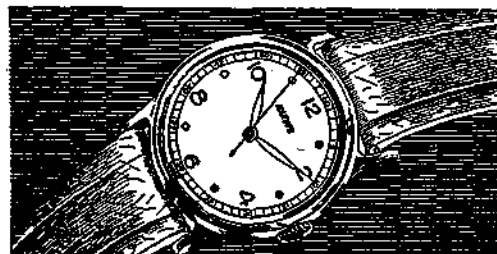
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— Ginny Parthenis — Reigns As Randolph-Macon Queen

By Ethyl Pollock

Presentation of the crown and the title, Miss Randolph-Macon College of 1947-48, was the beginning of the honors bestowed upon Virginia (Ginny) Parthenis, William and Mary junior, who was chosen Homecoming Queen of the Ashland school on Nov. 15.

Ginny was entered in the queen contest by George Anderson, Randolph-Macon sophomore and Phi Delta Theta member. Pictures of girls invited to the college for the homecoming festivities were submitted to judges composed of heads of the student body. "I thought it was just one of those lucky things," Ginny said when she discovered that she was one of 12 finalists. "But I never thought I'd have a chance when I saw the other girls!"

Crowned at Homecoming Game

Ginny was lined up on the field with the other finalists between the halves of the Homecoming football contest and was selected as queen by a board of alumni judges. Charles Lankford, member of the Class of 1916 and Commissioner of Fisheries of Virginia, conducted the ceremonies.

"I couldn't say a thing when he put the crown on my head," Ginny confessed. "They rolled a throne out on the field, and I just couldn't make my feet take me there. I was startled."

The honored co-ed was guided to the throne by Lankford, after which she led the parade around the gridiron. Phi Delta Theta and the other fraternity houses feted her and presented her with souvenirs.

Souvenirs of Royalty

Upon her return to the Williamsburg campus, Ginny was given a corsage of yellow roses by her sorority, Alpha Chi Omega. Her collection now includes a pearl crown and a large bouquet of mixed flowers from the coronation activities, a sparkled scepter from KA decorations, a tiger from the Phi Delta float and a football from the Kappa Sig float.

Ginny will be given a two-page spread in the 1947-48 Yellow Jacket Annual. The spread will in-

Clyde Baker Stars As Tribe Runners Revive Sport Here

The William and Mary cross-country team has completed its official season, and from this squad, the first since the war, several potentially fine runners have emerged.

Clyde Baker, who hails from New York City, was one of the team's standouts. Had he not developed a stomach cramp, he probably would have finished among the top ten in the Southern conference meet. He shows great promise as a half-miler or as a quarter mile man. Baker is a freshman.

Others who showed exceptional promise were sophomore Wallace Hedman, who placed in every meet, and freshman Ernest de Samper and Bob Carter.

"The entire team deserves a vote of thanks from the college. The men worked hard, often under unfavorable weather conditions. The squad has been a credit to William and Mary," said Coach Thomas.

clude a full-page reproduction of the picture which put her in the finals and an assortment of snapshots taken on the Randolph-Macon and William and Mary campuses.



Virginia Parthenis

Ginny also is required to reign at all the major Randolph-Macon dances and will hold her title until a new queen is chosen next year.

The Randolph-Macon title is the second such honor she has received. In 1945 she reigned as May Queen at her high school in Clifton Forge. Ginny also was a member of the cast of *The Common Glory* last summer.

A junior at William and Mary, she is majoring in textiles in order to fulfill a childhood ambition to be a buyer in New York or Chicago. She participates in the Orchesis dance club and is a member of the Colonial Echo staff.

Sinclair Lists Pool Periods

The swimming plans for this year have been drawn up by the Athletic Association and are as follows:

Blow gym will be opened to mixed swimming Friday nights from 8 to 9:30 p. m. Plunge hours for girls will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7 to 8. A girls' diving group under Dr. Caroline Sinclair will be held every Thursday night at 8.

The Senior Life Saving course has already begun and they meet every Tuesday and Thursday from 8 to 10. A certificate from the Red Cross is given to the people that pass this course.

All Senior Lifesavers who are members of the Water Safety corp will meet the first Tuesday of every month.

The girls' dressing room in Blow is going to be refinished. It will be partitioned off so the girls will have a door leading to the outside and another door directly into the pool. These alterations are to be finished by March.

Der Stuben Verein Meets

The regular meeting of Der Stuben Verein was held Tuesday, Nov. 18, in Barrett living room. Joan Carpenter, Virginia Lynch and Margaret Haynes gave informal talks about their personal experiences while living in Europe.

Ratings Place Tribe Defense Third In U.S.

The fine forward wall of the William and Mary football team has been largely responsible for the high rating the team has posted so far this year in defense in relation to other teams of the United States. The Indians are listed second in rushing defense with an average 71.4 yards per game, and they are third in total defense for the U. S. with a 144.7 yards per game average.

Penn State leads the country in total defense with a 22 yard average, and in total defense with a mark of 81.0 yards per game given up. The other team ahead of the Tribe is Kansas, with a 140.8 average. Another performance like the Washington and Lee game would likely put William and Mary in second play to stay in both departments.

Many of the top teams of the country are listed in the 15 best in each department. In total defense, the ranking goes down to Texas, with an average of 178.9 yards per game, while rushing defense lists as 15th the University of Pennsylvania, with a 99.9 average.

Coach Rube McCray's team is not ranked among the first 15 of the country in total offense, the department where Michigan is first with 3,264 in eight games for an average of 335.9, and the Indians would be about 17th with some 322 yards per tussle, if the teams were rated past 15th place.

In other statistics released last week, Buddy Lex, tailback for W&M, was found to be seventh in the nation in kickoff returns. He had run them back for an average of about 30 yards per try.

Philadelphia Alumni Plan Holiday Dance

Members of the Philadelphia chapter of the Alumni association will sponsor a dance in the Mirage room of the Hotel Barclay in Philadelphia on Saturday, Dec. 27, at 9 p. m.

Admission to the formal event is \$3.00; Dr. George P. Glauner, president of the Philadelphia chapter, declared, "We are trying to make this an annual dance for the students."

Students who will be in the Philadelphia area during the Christmas recess and who plan to attend the dance may write Dr. Glauner at the Mermont, Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Scarab Society Will Offer Exhibition Of Student Art

An art exhibit limited to William and Mary students will be held in Phi Beta Kappa hall the week beginning Feb. 3, Susanne Earls, president of the Scarab society announced today.

The exhibition will include architectural models, sculpture, ceramics, woodcarvings, paintings, ink sketches and engravings. "The exhibits can be only work done during the student's years in college, or in the service in the case of upper classmen, or in the last two years of high school, in the case of freshmen," Susanne declared.

The pieces to be entered must be taken to the Fine Arts building not later than Jan. 27.

Sinclair Releases Results Of Survey On Physical Education Department

Results of a survey, conducted last spring for the purpose of determining the strong points and inadequacies of the existing physical education program for women, were released on Friday by Dr. Caroline Sinclair, department chairman.

Two questionnaires, one drawn up by a joint student-faculty committee and the other by the WAA, were submitted to the women students last spring.

Approximately 317 students filled out the first questionnaire, which dealt primarily with required physical education courses and the intramural program. Dr. Sinclair's compilation of the questionnaire results showed that 274 students approved the two-year program of required physical education.

Proficiency Tests Favored

One hundred and eighty-four students favored proficiency tests in all sports and dance classes, similar to the tests offered in swimming. The expanded testing program was inaugurated this fall.

The six sports in which the students were most experienced were basketball, swimming, dance, softball, badminton and tennis. Individual sports were the most popular, with the women selecting tennis, riding, basketball, swimming, badminton and archery in that order. The students especially favored basketball, softball, badminton, swimming and tennis among intramural activities.

The survey revealed a need for more adequate dressing facilities and some dissatisfaction with the regulation gym suit then in use. The WAA questionnaire showed

that a large majority of the students favored the present varsity program but that only a few students wished to participate in varsity sports. Seventy-six per cent of the students declared that they would be interested spectators at all women's sports events.

Committee Members

Faculty members of the student-faculty committee which prepared the department questionnaire were Dr. Sinclair; Marion D. Reeder, assistant professor of physical education; Martha E. Barksdale, associate professor of physical education, and R. Wayne Kernodle, instructor in sociology. Gloria McCawley, Martha Adams, Betty Littlefield, Betty Coumbe, Jeanne Payne and Joan Felix were the student representatives.

This committee, with a few changes in membership, will continue its study this year and endeavor to meet the needs of the department which were brought out as a result of the survey. Complete results of the survey and a progress report of the committee will be presented at the WSCGA meeting on Monday, Dec. 1.

FBI Representative To Conduct Interview

A representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation will be in Marshall-Wythe 206 at 3 p. m. today to conduct a group interview. A copy of necessary qualifications is available to men students between the ages of 25 and 40 at the Placement bureau office in Marshall-Wythe 215.



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