

## Scholarship Increase Set By Trustee Group

**Athlete Number Upped; Limit Is Pegged at 50; In Revamped Set-Up**

Action by the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees has increased the flexibility of allowances to athletics and has placed control over these expenditures in the hands of the University Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics, University Treasurer E. S. Mattingly, Secretary of the Board of Trustees, announced today.

The Treasurer reported that Dr. J. Morrison Hutcheson, Chairman of the Trustee's Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics, had submitted a report and tentative budget of the University Athletic Committee to the Executive Committee of the Board in February.

The following action was taken by the Trustees' EC.

1. The tentative improved budget making allowances for athletics was approved and control over it was left with the University Committee on Athletics.

2. An account was set up in the University Ledgers as the Department of Athletics.

3. This account will be perpetuated on the University books as to deficits or surpluses.

4. The number of scholarships for desirable and needy athletes was increased.

5. The Student athletic fee was raised from seven to ten dollars. The balance of the Breakage Fee, as in the past, will be given over to the Athletic Fee. This makes the Athletic Fee nearly \$15.

The action on the number of athletic scholarships definitely increases the number formerly allowed. Increase in the Student Athletic Fee will come from regular student fees and will in no way increase any University Fees, Mr. Mattingly explained.

These decisions came as a result of proposals made by a special group of members in Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary leadership fraternity. These proposals were presented in **The Ring-tum Phi** in January of this year.

Members of the University Committee on Athletics include Dean C. E. Williams of the Law School, chairman; Dr. Robert W. Dickey of the Physics Department; Dean of Students, Frank J. Gilliam; Raymond T. Johnson of the Law School; R. A. Smith, Director of Athletics; Dr. William Hinton of the Psychology Department; Wil-Rafferty and Stuart Moore, Alumni representatives. Fred Vinson and Don Moxham were appointed by the Executive Committee of the Student Body to the group last fall as student members.

Commerce Students Hear Andrews' Address Tuesday

T. Coleman Andrews, director of Corporations Audits Division, U. S. Government General Accounting Office, will speak to commerce students Wednesday night, April 30, at 7:30 in Lee Chapel on "The Cost of Government."

Andrews is the second in a series of speakers presented in accordance with a plan to give students an insight into the functioning and problems of business, and to supplement classroom teaching by presenting prominent men in all phases of commerce, economics and business administration.

Initial speaker in this program was Harvard's Professor of Economics, Dr. Alvin Hansen, who spoke this morning in Washington Chapel on "The Business Cycle."

In announcing the forthcoming address by Mr. Andrews, Commerce Class President Dick Heard said that it would be "one of current interest to Washington and Lee men as students and future men of the business world and would be of special interest to commerce students."

Shake-Up in Voice Staff

Two key members of the Voice, Washington and Lee's recently formed student newspaper, have resigned from the staff because of "journalistic differences of opinion" with the present editor in chief.

## Dr. Charles Warren Will Join Faculty in September

The appointment of Dr. Charles R. Warren as assistant professor of geology was announced this week by Dr. F. P. Gaines. He will assume his position at the beginning of the fall semester.

Dr. Warren attended Yale University where he received his Ph.D. in 1939. After graduating from Yale, he worked for various oil companies in the South America and later with the U. S. Geological Survey on strategic minerals in the western part of the United States.

During the war, Dr. Warren served in the Army Air Forces, attaining the rank of captain. After the war, he went to Japan as an interpreter. Since the war, he has worked for the U. S. Geological Survey and at present is teaching at Yale.

## Edward Weeks Speaks Monday

**Atlantic Monthly Chief To Join Phi Beta Kappa**

Edward Weeks, editor of *Atlantic Monthly*, will deliver the annual public Phi Beta Kappa address in Lee Chapel on the Washington and Lee University campus at noon Monday.

The occasion coincides with initiation ceremonies of the W and L chapter of the national honorary scholarship society, and later in the day Mr. Weeks himself will be taken into Phi Beta Kappa. Along with the *Atlantic* editor, Professor Oscar Wetherhold Riegel, director of the Lee Memorial

There will be a voluntary University Assembly under the general auspices of Phi Beta Kappa in Lee Chapel at 12:05 Monday April 28.

Class schedule for Monday, April 28:

8:25 - 9:05
9:05 - 9:45
9:45 - 10:25
10:25 - 11:10
11:10 - 11:55

12:05—Assembly: Speaker, Dr. Edward A. Weeks, Editor of the *Atlantic Monthly*.

Mr. Weeks has consented to hold an informal conference in the Student Union at 3 p.m. with any members of the student body and faculty who are interested in writing.

Journalism Foundation at W and L, one alumnus and seven students will also be initiated by the organization.

The alumnus, Dr. James E. Bear, class of '20, is now professor of Biblical literature at Union Theological Seminary in Richmond.

The students awarded membership are: Rodney M. Cook of Atlanta, Ga. (Continued on Page Four)

## Glee Club's Premiere To Be Given Saturday Night in Conjunction With Hollins

The Washington and Lee Glee Club gives its first public concert of the season Saturday night, April 26, at 8:15 in Lee Chapel, and will combine with the Hollins College Choral Group to present a program of spiritual and popular compositions.

Both groups will give several individual choruses in addition to combining for several songs.

Following this concert the Glee Club will present a concert on Friday, May 2, in conjunction with the Glee Club from Mary Baldwin. On the following day the W and L group will go to Staunton for the concert.

The W and L vocalists are directed by Paul Meadows, a member of the mathematics department, who has had many years of experience with choral groups, both as soloist and director. He has been tenor soloist at several leading churches in Louisville, Ky., Columbus, Ohio, Detroit, Mich., and New York City. While doing graduate work at Columbia University in 1941-42, he sang with the Fred Waring Chorus under Robert Shaw. He has also directed church choirs and high school musical productions in Louisville and Pontiac, Mich.

## 'Dogpatch Day' To Be Theme of IFC Weekend

**Conventional Dress Not Necessary on May 10; Square Dance To Be Held**

In order to carry out the "Dogpatch Day" theme of Interfraternity Weekend on May 10, Washington and Lee will toss traditions to the wind and allow students to attend classes minus the conventional dress of coat and tie.

The unprecedented move, announced by IFC President Al Philpott after the Interfraternity Council meeting Tuesday night, will allow students to walk unmolested about town and on the campus attired in anything that "doesn't exceed the bounds of decency."

Highlight of the weekend will be a square dance Saturday night in the gym, Philpott stated. Details of who will play and what other attractions will be stressed have not yet been worked out, but the dance will also feature modern music, as well as the "hill-billy" square dance.

At the same time, Philpott announced that he had appointed Dick Heard to take charge of all preparations for the annual affair.

Heard said he hasn't decided what band will play for the Saturday dance, but stated that it will probably be one from nearby, and a name-band. He estimated the admission price at "around a dollar" and said that the decorations inside the gym will carry out the hill-billy theme.

In addition to the dance, many fraternities are planning picnics, and hayrides throughout the day, to add color to the affair.

Philpott said that the IFC has received permission for the one-day tradition break from Dean F. J. Gilliam. "Everything is legal, and no one will be assimilated," said Philpott. He added, however, that students will not be allowed "to make spectacles of themselves with 'indecent costumes.'"

## Name Delegates To State Meet

Student Body President John Fox announced Thursday that Shep Zinovy and Charlie Belcher would represent Washington and Lee at a state-wide student conference at Hampden-Sydney this week-end.

The conference, which will be held on the 25th and 26th, will be attended by student leaders from all state colleges and universities. It is hoped that the conference will serve to improve relations between the various schools and to set up a basis for long-term co-operative planning.

In this line Zinovy and Belcher announced that they hoped they would be able to submit plans to the group for a co-operative method of arranging name-band tours of the state colleges at reduced costs to all. There will also be discussions of various student organization problems—constitutions, Honor System operation and procedure etc.

Belcher, a former dance president and now a member of the Dance Board, will represent that body while Zinovy, an Executive Committeeman and member of the Constitutional Study Panel, will represent the E.C.

## Big Rally For All Campus Politicians Forthcoming As Nominating Convention Is Held Tuesday Night

When General Lee built the Chapel in front of Washington College, he probably never intended it to be used for the purpose it serves every year around this time. But nevertheless, next Tuesday night at 7 o'clock, the old brick building will resound with the speeches and cheers of this year's Nominating Convention, meeting for the purpose of choosing the candidates for the General Student Body Elections next Friday.

And this year's crop of delegates to the Convention promises to be the biggest in its history, with some one hundred and sixty or more scheduled to be in attendance. This is how it works: Each fraternity, and the NFU, elects a delegation to the Convention—one delegates for every seven men in the fraternity, with the same proportionality from the NFU. These delegations represent their respective organizations at the Convention, and from them come the nominations for candidates.

Five Minute Limit on Speeches

Having elected a Chairman, the members of the delegations are called upon to nominate their candidates, and to second the nominations. Each nomination speech is limited to five minutes, and each second to three.

After each nomination has been seconded and the nominations for the office closed, the Convention is thrown open to a general discussion on that particular set of nominations. At this point, you may see something comparable to the remarks that were thrown around Doremus Gymnasium last December during the vote on the Constitutional amendments.

If three or more candidates are nominated for the same office,

## Exhaustive Poll Of Student Body Just Completed

**224 Students Queried As To Dances, Faculty And Studies This Year**

By Owen Easley

Statistics students completed one of the most exhaustive polls taken on the Washington and Lee campus this week as the final questionnaires were turned in to Prof. A. R. Coleman's Commerce 206 classes this morning.

Students in charge of the project designed the poll to answer three questions about the student body and current opinion:

1. What are the characteristics of the student body?  
2. What is the prevailing campus opinion on student body issues?  
3. How do the majority of the students feel on current national and international issues?

By employing two different methods of studying campus opinion, Coleman expects the results of the current poll to be more accurate than the tabulations from questionnaires which were filled out by every student for the fall statistics project.

One of the classes assigned to the public opinion project was instructed to take a random sample of the student body by interviewing every tenth man listed in the university directory. The second class, using Gallup control methods, queried carefully determined numbers of students from all representative social and economic groups on the campus.

Answers Confidential

Initial questions in the survey pertaining to fraternity affiliations, service and marital status, state of residence and automobile ownership were expected to stratify interviewees into social and economic groups for further study. All answers on the questionnaire were confidential between the interviewer and the subject, Mr. Colman explained.

A second group of questions contained in the survey deals with questions on the conduct of school dances at Washington and Lee. Other queries under the same general heading probed for opinions on curricula and faculty practices in various schools and departments here.

Another section of the questionnaire was designed to reveal the political leanings of students as well as their parents' party connections. This section also contained queries on both the Roosevelt and Truman administrations, American foreign policy and other current national and international issues.

Results of the "little Gallup poll" will be tabulated by the Commerce school statistics classes and published in **The Ring-tum Phi**.

224 Students Interviewed

Unlike the fall poll, the current project called for extensive comment from the students on most of the issues. Ample individual comment is expected to offer an even more accurate view of student opinion than the "yes and no" variety of opinion survey, Mr. Coleman explained.

"We feel that this survey will be far more accurate in indexing student views than our fall project which was supposed to have reached every student on the campus. The inability of our inter-

viewing to determine the two men who will oppose each other in the General election. All voting is done orally by the roll call system, and it is here that the Convention comes closest to the national party conventions every four years.

When a vote is necessary, the roll of the fraternity and NFU delegations is called. The delegates from each house sit together and are represented by a spokesman. He answers the roll call for that fraternity, and announces its vote. Only once in a blue moon has a fraternity been known to split its vote on two candidates, but the NFU has done it in the past, and you can never tell what will happen.

The Convention is open to the student body, and as Lee Chapel is reputed to hold six hundred people in a pinch, there should be room for a few spectators.

## 400 Delegates Are Registered As First SIPA Convention Since 1941 Starts Here Today

**Dr. Carriere Will Address French Group on May 2**

Dr. Joseph M. Carriere, professor of French at the University of Virginia, will address the Lexington French Group Friday evening, May 2, at 8 o'clock in the Student Union. His speech will be on "Jefferson and France."

Dr. Carriere is president of the American Folklore Society, and is vice-president of the American Association of French Teachers.

## 'Angel Street' In Rehearsal

**Lanich Sees New Play As Best of the Year**

Rehearsals for the new Troubadour production, *Angel Street*, are progressing satisfactorily according to producer-director Jack Lanich who feels that it is going to be the best play given this year.

Dewitt Beckner has been appointed stage director and has issued an appeal to all those interested in helping backstage to contact him or Lanich as soon as possible. Beckner stressed that this work, while lacking in glamor, is very important to the success of the play.

Business Manager Fred Loeffler has requested all students desirous of assisting the business staff to contact either Ken Wacker or himself sometime next week. Ticket salesmen are needed especially, Loeffler added.

Cast in the leading roles are Jim Brewster and Jane Judy, wife of the RTP columnist. The former last appeared in the very successful Troubadour production of *Arsenic and Old Lace* in 1943. These actors are supported by Sam White as Detective Rough; Peggy Boykin, brilliantly acclaimed by campus audiences, as the maid; and Mrs. J. S. Moffatt, veteran of many Troubadour productions, as the housekeeper.

The exact date of the production's premiere has not yet been announced, but Lanich expects to give it in the May slot vacated by the Varsity Show. The business staff will decide next week on the ticket prices. Admission to this play is not covered by the Campus Tax. Ticket Manager Ken Wacker has stated.

## Turner Named To Replace Hicks as Speaker of FU

Edward F. Turner, leader of Washington and Lee's victory over the Gettysburg debating team last week, was elected to the speaker's chair of the Forensic Union Monday night to fill the unexpired term of Henry Hicks. Turner will remain in office until the regular election of officers on May 12.

Attributing his reasons for resignation to bad health and poor grades, Hicks said: "I feel that I must improve my grades as much as possible and at the same time conserve every bit of mental strength and energy that I can."

## Literary Society Elects New Officers; Makes Plans For Presentation of Award

Bob Thompson was elected new president of the Washington Literary Society Monday night and will succeed retiring president Ryland Dodson.

Ellis Zuckerman was named vice president to succeed Emmett Epley, and Rogers Fred was elected to the post of Secretary-Treasurer vacated by Wiley McGehee.

After extending a "resolution of thanks" to Ryland Dodson and Clint Van Vleet for the job they did in reorganizing the society after the period of inactivity during the war, the Society formulated plans for the presentation of the annual Washington Award to the member of the student body who has shown the most outstanding service to the University within the past year.

The name of the recipient and the date of presentation will be announced shortly. Last year's award went to Rex Crimale.

The society also decided that its final meeting of the year would be held on Monday, May 5.



ARTHUR GORDON

## SDX Will Tap 7 At Convention

**Initiation To Include Publisher of 'Time'**

Five professional journalists and two students will become members of Sigma Delta Chi tonight at initiation ceremonies on the Washington and Lee campus.

In conjunction with the convention of delegates of the Southern Interscholastic Press Association, the national professional journalistic fraternity will initiate the following at 9:30 in the Student Union building:

James Linen, publisher of *Time* magazine; Louis Spilman, editor and publisher of the *Waynesboro News-Virginian* and visiting professor of journalism at W&L; William Atkinson, managing editor of the *Roanoke Times* and also visiting professor at W&L; Josiah P. Rowe, manager of the *Fredericksburg, Va., Free Lance-Star* and former president of the Virginia Press Association; Carleton Harkrader, editorial director of the *Bristol, Va., Herald-Courier*, and two campus columnists: Ray Winder of the *Voice* and B. Judy, author of the RTP's "On the Other Hand." Mr. Rowe is the father of Charles Rowe, vice-president of SDX's local chapter.

The initiations will follow an address by Mr. Linen to the assembled five hundred delegates of the SIPA. A dance, sponsored by the fraternity, will be given for the delegates during the course of the evening. The members are also assisting in registration and other arrangements for the convention.

Plans are already being made for next year's Sigma Delta Chi national convention, at which the W&L chapter will play co-host with the professional chapter from Washington, D.C. Arrangements for this highlight of the year, scheduled for Nov. 12-16, were discussed at a meeting of the fraternity's executive council, attended by Ed Jackson, local SDX president, last week in conjunction with the Washington chapter's Founder's Day Banquet.

## Banquet in Hotel

Today's round table discussion leaders are: Mr. Allen and Mr. Gordon; William Atkinson, managing editor, *Roanoke Times*; Clay Ferguson, Jr., and Gerald W. Canaday of the Stone Printing Company, Roanoke; Dr. Rowland W. Nelson of the W and L faculty; and Ben Sites, C. M. Horton, and M. J. Duncan, of the Caldwell-Sites Company, Roanoke.

Mark Sauer, editor of the *Leesburg (Ohio) Citizen*, will be the principal speaker at a Quill and Scroll banquet this evening in the Robert E. Lee Hotel, at which the Quill and Scroll chapter of Greenbrier Military School will play host.

James A. Linen, who has been associated with Luce publications since his graduation from Williams College in 1934, will speak to delegates and advisers tonight at 8:15 in Lee Chapel. Mr. Linen's topic will be "Confessions of a Publisher."

As a conclusion to the day's activities, the Washington and Lee chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalistic fraternity, will sponsor a dance for delegates tonight in Doremus Gymnasium. Music will be provided by the Southern Collegians.

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ABC's Mark Woods Speaks Sat.

Following Mr. Foster, Mark Woods will speak at 10:15 on "Should Radio Have an Editorial" (Continued on page four)

## Heads of Magazines, ABC Network Speak To Representatives

Approximately 400 delegates and faculty advisers from preparatory and high schools in eight states and the District of Columbia registered here today, as the 18th annual Southern Interscholastic Press Association convention got under way. Founded in 1925, SIPA is sponsored by Lee Memorial Journalism Foundation of Washington and Lee University.

Addresses by prominent guest speakers will highlight the program of this year's two-day convention, the first since 1941. Other scheduled events include round table discussions of scholastic publishing problems, a banquet and dance for delegates, motion pictures, and a current events contest.

Delegates arrived last night and early today from schools in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Maryland, West Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Texas, and the District of Columbia. The Convention will continue through tomorrow under the supervision of SIPA Director O. W. Riegel and E. W. Withers, Executive Secretary, both faculty members of W and L's department of journalism.

Prominent Journalists To Speak

Among speakers addressing the convention today and tomorrow are: Arthur Gordon, editor, *Cosmopolitan* magazine; John E. Allen, editor, *Linotype* News, a printing trade journal; Leonard Glover, Lynchburg Engraving Company executive; Watson Davis, director of *Science Service*; James A. Linen, publisher of *Time* magazine; Harold R. Foster, creator of *Prince Valiant*; and Mark Woods, president of the American Broadcasting Company. The public is invited to hear each of these speakers.

Mr. Gordon, who served overseas with the Eighth Air Force and earned the Air Medal and Legion of Merit before becoming editor of *Cosmopolitan*, addressed the convention this morning on "Writing for Magazines."

In addresses later this morning, John E. Allen and Leonard Glover talked about the technical side of publications work. Mr. Allen spoke on "Newspaper Designing" and Mr. Glover's subject was "What Yearbook Staffs Should Know About Photo-Engraving."

Watson Davis, who conducts a weekly radio program, "Adventures in Science," in addition to his news service duties, will speak to delegates in Lee Chapel this afternoon at 2:30. His subject will be "Frontiers of Science."

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## Welcome Back

It's been a long time since the SIPA last met at Washington and Lee—much longer than we care to remember. And we do not like either to think of all that has happened in that interim. The truly important things, however, are those which exist in fact, not in memory; and the fact is that SIPA is one more meeting at Washington and Lee. We're thankful that the opportunity of publicly welcoming you back after your long absence is ours.

It would be in error to say that your return signifies a complete restoration of the days of late 1941. They will return; but on our small campus—and in a comparatively short time—we have learned that no such change, however desirable, is to be realized by merely bringing the surface "show" up to its pre-war par. It's the stuff underneath that counts, and at the moment it's a little weak in everything from sleeping for five years.

But things have waked up with an increased interest in themselves and their world. From the number attending this conference and from the work we have seen put out on it to date, we would say this is particularly true of SIPA. And not even a war can slow down such a group as yours if that interest is sustained. Interest!

Thumbing back through old issues of the paper, we haven't been able to find anything that would compare with the program Mr. Riegel has arranged. It is truly a winner!

By the time this paper is in your hands the convention will be nearly at an end. One of our hopes is that you have enjoyed it as much as we have.

Besides just being a period of release from your school life, however, we hope—and this first—that when you leave us it will be with a feeling of having learned something; of being informed... and inspired.

To those who have won honors—congratulations!

To all—good luck! And please come back.

## Down and Out

For almost an entire school year now we have deluded ourselves into believing that here in Lexington, if nowhere else, we were doing a pretty efficient job of combating inflation. For that reason, it was with somewhat of a shock that we awoke the other morning to find we had been sticking with the inward and upward inflationary spiral all along... and that now, as a result, we were pretty well down and out.

Analyzing it now, the whole bad result seems traceable to our zealously to return, in a minimum time, to the outward "show" of pre-war campus life. The eagerness in itself is not bad—except when we forget that that "show" stood on a sub-structure built up through long years of work and gradual improvement. Immediately, we know, the Dance Board will point an accusing finger and ask that we stop talking about them. The fact, however, is that we aren't just talking about dances. We refer to everything and every person on the campus.

Unofficial figures indicate that at least half of the eighteen fraternities on the campus are running in the "red." All of the publications are fighting an unsuccessful battle to break even. Our last two dances have lost money.

With the fraternities, the case would seem to be one of too much "high living." There are, of course, certain things like food and rent which cannot be reduced. This being the case, then, if we are really to live within our means, we must cut down on the luxuries like an excessive number of guests for meals and the "all out" house party.

In the field of publications, the only remedy is to cut down on volume and divert every effort to improving quality. Our annual this year, which is approximately the same size as the 1941 issue, is costing almost one and one half times as much as that earlier edition. The Ring-tum Phi is costing over twice as much as it did in 1942.

Our dances have been better than anything seen before the war according to the "old timers," but two of them have been financially unsuccessful. In this, as in all of the things mentioned, the case is one of being sucked in by the post-war spending spree. There's more money in circulation now; but it just won't buy what it did back in the glorious days of 1941.

Practically speaking, the damage is done for the 1946-47 session. Only by sticking to the present system with our present knowledge of it can we hope to end up as well off as we are. A complete turnover at this point could only mean disorganization and further losses.

But let's return to school in the fall determined to make concessions—every last man of us—and save ourselves worry, and gripping, and financial difficulties.

- Lets have:
1. Either fewer or less elaborate house parties.
  2. A thinner Calyx and Southern Collegian.
  3. A smaller Ring-tum Phi twice a week.
  4. Smaller bands for our dances.
  5. Dance decorations put up by students.
- They're more effective anyway if everyone will pitch in and do his part.

### To the Advertiser:

The codfish lays a million eggs,  
The barnyard hen but one;  
The codfish doesn't cackle  
To show what she has done.  
  
We scorn the modest codfish,  
The cackling hen we prize.  
Proving that beyond a doubt,  
It pays to advertise.

## In Our Time...

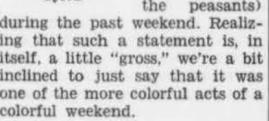


## Campus Comment

By Ty Tyson

### M w Than You Know Dept.

What my eminent friend and not too cautious colleague Chas. "Choo - Choo" Mc D o w e l l would probably term the "grossest" happening of the Spring Soiree occurred over at the local chapter of the Auto Club (Phi Delta Theta, to the peasants) during the past weekend. Realizing that such a statement is, in itself, a little "gross," we're a bit inclined to just say that it was one of the more colorful acts of a colorful weekend.



'Twas just another Saturday night in the Auto Club lounge. Numerous Sigma Nus were stumbling through looking for the lavatory and an occasional frenzied Phi Kap could be heard in the distance trying to break out of the front hall closet that had been mistaken for the steps to the basement. John McWhorter was in one corner, selling an occasional Confederate war bond, while his compatriot Cap'n Bob Gates and date quietly sat in another corner munching on a box of Chocolate B-Bs.

Every now and then a fluid Phi Delt would try to break away and take his date to the dance, but would get trapped in the complete maelstrom in mid-floor and find himself forced to dance just one more in the labyrinth of the lounge. Since there were already some 75 couples on the floor, there was some confusion about who was dancing with whose date, but Auto Clubbers are a pretty amiable lot, where women are concerned, and didn't seem to mind dancing with even Stan Carmichael's date. In a few words, it was crowded.

But, soon chaos turned to confusion; for, there, plodding down the steps came a silent figure, dressed in white tie and tails, with a lawn-mower casually thrown over one shoulder. Without a word to the astounded on-

lookers, he nonchalantly set about his business. Putting the infernal machine to the floor, he proceeded to mow methodically around the edge of the room. With each circuit of the lounge the circle got smaller and smaller until he had covered the whole area.

Again, without a word to cringing observers, he slung the lawn-mower over one shoulder and stumbled up the stairs into the outer world.

Explanation? Your guess is as good as ours, but we've heard Charlie Belcher say that it was probably just some frustrated freshman with an aversion for grass widows.

**Potshots at Random and Others**  
...Observed "Casanova Chris" Dunn of the Auto Club at work in the bus station Friday afternoon. The deliberate Dunn was on hand with two dozen roses, a clean shave, and a smile, but no date. Seems she had arrived about two hours earlier... Elliot Schewel also on hand at the Greyhound stables trying to coax his girl off the bus with a cool lemonade. She kept trying to get him to hand it to her so she could go on to Charlottesville... Speaking of Charlottesville reminds of the convertible kid that filled in as Phi-Sigher Bob Kearsse's date between trips to UVA. Said kid had a late-date in WahooLand Sunday a.m. and was good enough to let Kearsse ride along to Staunton for the laughs. Our hero grabbed a groaning Greyhound for the return trip and woke up in Roanoke. Don't



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**Tail Between Legs Dept.** My boy scout training went for nought, I was censured last week. A paragraph was deleted in fear that someone would be offended should it appear.

**Pursued** found Robert Mitcham the most beset-upon individual individual we've ever seen. Being born a Rand, and having to inhabit New Mexico, he was being continually shot at by one Callum, in the person of Dean Jagger.

Even after being wounded in the War with the Spandards, and having the Medal of Honor conferred upon him, he suffered seriously from the lack of a G. I. Bill of Rights. He was the star of the picture, though; so he escaped death and lived to settle down on an erosion-ridden ranch with Teresa Wright.

Emotions were changing at an unbelievable pace, and Max Steiner endeavored to have his music keep up with them. It seems that Teresa Wright acted out the old psychological maxim that a very fine line divides hate from love.

It's my opinion that the stars of this picture are worthy of a much better vehicle in which to parade their talents.

Perhaps 13 Rue Madeleine would have been better entitled "The Last of the Nazis." Chances are that with the dropping of the atomic bomb by M-G-M, and Alan Ladd being so successful in O.S.S., the Hollywood extras who have been playing Nazi for so many years will finally surrender, and the studios will let the whole matter drop.

The war in the E.T.O. ended

see how his conscience would let him sleep... Hope all of you made the mass melee at PIKA Plaza Friday aft. The prolific PIKAs were on hand with warm hospitality, cool drinks, and red carnations in their lapels. Members of the Laredo Ale and Quail subsidiary could be distinguished by the wilted carnations. Vedd nice party... Ex-PIKA Clancy (Continued on page four)

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## Reporter-at-Large

by Charley McDowell

Somehow or other, for various hazy reasons, we got involved recently in some research into the history of the curve ball. We combined with Messrs. Booth and Brennan in spreading our findings to the daily press, but for fear that it failed to appreciate its opportunity, we'll pass some of the side-lights on to you so you'll be sure to have the word.

First of all, understand that we only concerned ourselves with the collegiate curve ball; as far as we can find out, professional baseball players have been throwing curves since the beginning of time. Of course there is always Mr. Luce's old, wet-blanket, Life magazine, which insisted some years ago, with pictures, that curves simply can't be thrown by anyone, professional or collegiate.

Life arranged for Lefty Grove to throw what he thought were curves at a stroboscopic camera, and the pictures showed the ball following a dishearteningly straight path. We personally have always thought it was too early in the season for Lefty's curve to break, but some people actually

suspect Mr. Luce of foul play. Any ball-player or reasonably alert fan will tell you, though, that baseballs very definitely will curve.

But to get back to the point, you will be happy to know that the first curve ever thrown in intercollegiate baseball competition was hurled by a Washington and Lee player. His name was George Augustus Sykes, he tossed the revolutionary ball in 1878, and best of all, his perplexed and totally confused victims were the Wahoos. After Mr. Sykes had struck out sixteen consecutive batters, one of the Wahoos announced in a loud voice that he thought the whole thing was a "scurvy trick." But Mr. Sykes went right on twirling the curves and the Wahoos were soundly trounced, 12-0.

The Virginia University Magazine, in its write-up of the game, said that Mr. Sykes' pitches had "gyrated with abnormal curvings." The Charlottesville boys played safe the next year and refused to play, but in 1880 the rivalry picked up where it had left off. Tomorrow afternoon over

across the longest, concrete, non-suspension, footbridge in the world the series goes into its eightieth happy year. Both teams will have curve-batters this time and there will probably be hell to pay.

The only man still alive of the two teams which met in the history-making 1878 game is Mr. William McElwee, now a resident of Lexington. Mr. McElwee was on the receiving end of the world's first collegiate curve ball and he still likes to talk about it. He told Charlie Brennan, who went down to his house to interview him, that Mr. Sykes had a "very strong outcurve and a rising ball on the in-curve."

Mr. McElwee remembered that in the course of that first defeat of the Wahoos he hit a home run that went under the bleachers in left field. The big home-run hitter for the Virginia team, Prestman, struck out four times; Mr. McElwee, a catcher who knew a good thing when he saw it, just kept signaling for the curve ball.

And Mr. McElwee says that back in those days the catcher's job

was a lot different from what it is today. There were no masks or gloves and those curves were not a cinch to catch. Mr. McElwee says, in fact, that most catchers used to stand way back behind the batter except on the last strike. And, at that, if he could manage to grab the last foul on the first bounce, the batter was out.

When the victorious Washington and Lee team returned to Lexington from across the mountain, a math professor gave a garden party for them—a custom that should have never been allowed to die. Mr. Sykes and Mr. McElwee told the professor about the amazing curve ball, and he couldn't believe it. So Mr. Sykes took the professor out to a tree in the yard and stood him a few yards behind it. Then he returned to a position about 40 or 50 feet in front of the tree and threw the ball. To the wonderment of all, it curved around the tree and hit the dubious professor squarely on the noggin.

Maybe Mr. Luce would submit to one more experiment.



Washington and Lee's first sacker, Bryan Bell, beats a single at first base. General backers are hoping for more of the same tomorrow against Virginia.

# W&L Faces Wahoos On Diamond Saturday

Washington and Lee's off-and-on baseball club will open a month long home stand against the winning Wahoos of the University of Virginia Saturday at 3:30 p.m. on Wilson Field.

After a disastrous trip to VPI earlier in the week, the Generals returned to the home diamond to proceed to work out in preparation for Saturday's contest, which will pit them against one of the best teams in the Old Dominion circuit. Virginia boasts a record of nine wins over two losses. Yale took the Cavalier measure in the opener at Charlottesville, and Richmond blanked them last Saturday on the three hit pitching of Kilpatrick. However, the Wahoos bounced back Wednesday with a convincing victory over the Colonials of George Washington. Coach Smith had been counting on starting Graham Leslie, after Ligon pitched the Tuesday contest, but the Lexington moundsman has been out of action for a week because of sickness, and may not be ready for the Saturday battle. In the event that Leslie is not ready, either Ligon or Newcomb will start the

distance for the Generals. Cap'n Dick was hoping that the junior varsity game with Covington yesterday would bring out some more mound talent. Wheeler was given the nod to start the game for Washington and Lee.

Virginia will probably start either Charles or Wade at the pitching post, both of whom show a good record for the season.

The generals in eight games have amassed 69 hits from 265 times at the plate, with 53 runs scored. They have a team average of .260.

Standings:	G.	A.	B.	R.	H.	A.	E.
Ligon	6	21	2	5	238		
Leslie	5	12	1	4	333		
Radcliffe	2	5	1	0	000		
White	1	1	0	0	000		
Tenney	2	6	0	1	167		
Newcomb	5	8	1	1	125		
Putney	1	3	0	1	333		
Riker	1	3	0	0	000		
Heinze	8	27	3	4	148		
Dillon	5	15	4	4	267		
Working	7	24	3	3	125		
J. Bell	6	24	6	7	292		
Woods	8	32	10	9	281		
Vinson	8	26	9	14	539		
B. Bell	8	29	8	8	276		
Hillock	8	29	5	8	276		

## West Va. Tech Routed As Vinson Clubs Four

General pitchers Johnny Ligon, Nelson Newcomb, and Graham Leslie shared winning honors in the slug-fest, 11-1 rout of West Virginia Tech last Saturday on Wilson Field, as Coach Cap'n Dick Smith instructed his diamonders to hit the ball hard and far. Following orders, Washington and Lee's third baseman Fred Vinson led the hitting with two singles and two triples, while outfielder Don Hillock added to the lopsided victory by knocking out a round tripper.

The Lexington nine faltered in an early contest during the week against VPI. After leading the Gobblers for most of the nine-inning fracas, and looking toward stacking up an extended win streak against Virginia Saturday, pitcher Johnny Ligon threw one bad ball in the last frame, tagged by Tech second baseman Poole for a circuit hit. The homer drove in two Gobblers already roosting on the bases and gave them the contest by a 10-9 count. General baseballers accounted for the loss because of the unseasonably cold weather and the strange diamond at Blacksburg.

Tomorrow which W. and L. plays host to the delegates of the 18th annual SIPA convention, the General nine will face the Wahoo team.

## Thinclads Face West Va. In Week End Dual Meet

Coach Harry Broadbent's trackmen snapped back from an earlier defeat at the hands of VPI's Gobblers, and overpowered Richmond 76 1/3 to 54 2/3 on Wilson Field last Saturday afternoon. The victory was a glad surprise to Broadbent, for the General coach had previously been pessimistic about cinder success this season, and had stressed that next year would be the year to look for impressive Washington and Lee track victories.

Jim Lukens, with a first place in the javelin throw, a tie for first in the high jump, and a second place in the discus throw, for a twelve-point total, was high-point man for the Generals. Dave Croyder, freshman hurdler, took first in both the high and low hurdle events. Bob Smith, a potential Decathlon performer, gathered ten points in discus, shot put, high hurdles, and the broad jump.

Ray Prater will be back for the West Virginia meet in the 880-yd. run, and Bill Metzler will again be seen in action in the mile relay and the high jump. The Generals are not predicting anything starting against the Mountaineers, but West Virginia may be in for a surprise.

Jim Sunderland, Kansas City,

## I-M Briefs

By Walter Frye

Have you heard John Carmichael tell about the long home run he hit over the fence the other day in an intramural softball game? "Man, that ball was really hit—why I don't believe I've hit any ball harder since my brother Stanrod and I were playing ball back in Bowling Green."

The softball tournament has produced some thrilling games but none any more exciting than the 10-9 victory the Kappa Sigs registered over SAE. The victors came up with five runs in the last inning to erase a four-run deficit. Then, in the last half of the same inning, the winning run was thrown out at the plate. Ray Prater's triple was the big blow in the five-run frame.

The law school and Sigma Nu locked horns in the closest contest of the season thus far, with the lawyers coming out on top, 2-1. The tying run was left stranded by Sigma Nu in the last inning. Down at the Beta house, they're calling Bob Tyson "croquet wicket" just because he let quite a few third strikes slip through his legs in the last game.

A few gripes were heard at the intramural meeting on Monday. The forfeiture system is not popular with some of the managers and may be modified somewhat.

The track blanks were given out on Monday. These must be by May 2. There will be a total of thirteen events, with each contestant limited to three events. No last-minute changes will be accepted, and contestants are urged to be prompt because there is an elaborate time schedule to be followed. The meet will take place on May 13, with the finals on May 15.

A little delving into the records discloses the following facts:

The 1943 meet was won by the Deltas. Jack Schofield, in the weights, Jim Holloran and Ken Fuller in the sprints, and Ken Wilson in the high jump are still in school today.

Some of the intramural track records are interesting, and plenty good, too:

100-yard dash	10.5	1939
220 "	24.1	1941
440 "	56.7	1940
880 "	2:13.6	1934
Mile run	4:56	1940
High jump	5'8"	1941
Broad jump	18'9"	1941
Pole vault	10'	1940
Shot put	38'	1943

We don't wish to discourage any of the intramural golfers, but just as a point of interest, a score of 75 won the tournament in 1943.

## Late Scores

Varsity golf... Washington and Lee played Virginia's high powered golf team to a 4 1/2-4 1/2 tie. The PiKA's beat the Kappa Sigs in a softball game 13-12... The Phi Gams beat the PEP's 10-2... The Law School beat the Deltas 7-5.

## Stickmen Aim To Trip Va. On Charlottesville Field

Coach Baxter pronounced his stick team "ready" yesterday as the General lacrosse men went through final rehearsals before leaving for Charlottesville to engage the Cavaliers on their home field Saturday.

After a full week of overtime practices which concentrated on a high-geared close attack punch, playing assistant coach Frank Brooks announced that the entire team will be available for action for the Wahoo-W&L stick-wielding event. Several men were injured last week as the General netters dropped before a powerful Duke field aggregation, 5-3, after leading past the half by a 3-1 count.

Virginia's record shows that they whipped Drexel Tech, a Pennsylvania lacrosse hangout, by a 5-2 score last week. The Cavalier roster contains a number of Maryland high-school all-state lacrosse players, who will be out to stop Washington and Lee's prep all-stars Brooks, Tongue, fill, Stieff and Pacy.

## Linksmen To Go On 2-Day Trip

Coach Cy Twombly and his sharp-shooting Blue and White golfers will take to the road next week for the first time this season when they open a two-day Northern tour against Georgetown in Washington on Tuesday. The following afternoon on the return trip to Lexington, the Generals will stop off in Charlottesville for a return engagement with the Wahoo linksmen.

Yesterday afternoon the Twomblymen ended a long home stand when they faced the Wahoo golfers on the local course in one of their toughest matches of the year.

Twombly announced that he will take possibly seven men on the trip to the nation's capital, including Gordon Sibley, Jack McCormack, Bob Carr, Dan Wells, Howdie Wilkins, John McKelway, and one other man who will be chosen later.

Last Tuesday afternoon the Generals racked up their fourth straight victory as against one setback when Dan Wells made a sensational finish by winning his last four holes and bringing the Blue from behind and giving them a 5-4 victory over the Newport News Apprentice School links team.

The Generals' four victories this year include decisions over Georgetown, George Washington, Hampden-Sydney, and the Apprentices. Their lone loss came at the hands of Michigan by whom they were severely clubbed in the season's opener.

When asked to comment on the Generals' showing thus far, Coach Twombly stated, "Although the team is composed mostly of men who are playing their first year of varsity ball, the team is fairly well off." The loss of Bill Hilton-Green hit us pretty hard but in spite of this the boys have played a good brand of ball."

Mo., speedster, annexed top honors in the 100-yd. dash, posting a time of 10.8 seconds. Kyle Holley crossed the finish line first, with Sunderland right behind him, to take first place in the 220-yd. dash. Time in this event, as with the 100-yd. dash was slow, due to the poor condition of the Wilson Field track. Warren Hobson took the mile event in the unimpressive time of 4:54. The broad jump was taken by Steele, with a leap of 18.7 feet.



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# Intra Softball, Tennis Advance As Deltas Lead in Both Sports

## Delta Tau Delta Places 14 in Net Tournament

After three weeks of spirited play in the intramural tennis tournament, the racketeers from Delta Tau Delta, boasting fourteen would-be Fred Perrys still in the running, were leading the field as the tourney progressed into the quarterfinal brackets late this week.

Eleven Phi Delta Theta motor-men had rolled over their opposition to annex second place for the "ole Motor Club" while the NFU and the SAEs were deadlocked for third place with nine entrants apiece.

Tourney director Norman Lord said that the large number of contestants still in competition made the selection of any favorites as yet very hazardous but he disclosed that he might venture a few guesses after the field had narrowed down during the latter part of next week.

Several other fraternities with large numbers of entrants remaining included PiKA and the Betas with eight each, the Phi Gams with seven, and the Phi Psis with six. These runner-ups were rated as dark horses by Director Lord.

## Four Unbeaten Teams Advance in I-M Softball

Four teams—the Deltas, Law School, PiKA, and Kappa Sigs—advanced into the semi-finals of the winning bracket of the intramural softball tourney this week.

Probably the most important contest of the week was the win of the strong Delt team over their arch-rival NFU by a 9-6 score.

Although outbid by Sigma Nu, the Lawyers, with Toole on the mound, managed to eke out a 2-1 win over their rivals from "Red Square," in a hard-fought contest, while on the other field the PiKA's, led by the hitting of Wilson, were downing the Phi Kaps 6-3.

The Kappa Sigs with Ray Prater on the mound got off to a fast start against the ATO's. Starring at bat as well as on the mound, Prater lead his team to a 8-6 victory.

Wednesday found the Intramural Field crowded again—this time with losing-bracket teams. Victors were the Betas 20-5 over the ZBT's; the Phi Gams by forfeit over the PEP's; the SAE's over the Pi Phi's; and the Lambda Chi's in an upset over the Sigma Chi's.



## Deltas Take I-M Swimming To Increase Loop Lead

Shown above are the Delta Tau Delta Swimmers who copped the intramural tournament last week and increased their lead in the I-M bracket.

Dan Ball, Jimmy Holloran, Lee Redmond, and John McKelway, posed for the photographer. Dike Norman, who won the diving events for the Deltas is not shown.

The Deltas won with a 23 point total, with an additional 10 points given for the victory. The Phi Deltas took second place in the tournament, while the NFU team, which was leading the intramural field, did not pick up any points in the tourney.

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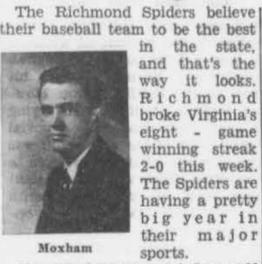
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# Generalizing . . . by Don Moxham



The Richmond Spiders believe their baseball team to be the best in the state, and that's the way it looks. Richmond broke Virginia's eight-game winning streak 2-0 this week. The Spiders are having a pretty big year in their major sports.

were edged out by the University of Southern California led by Bobby Falkenburg. However, Falkenburg is chasing Brazilian headdresses this season, so the door is open for William and Mary.

The General's track team is beginning to come along now with constant practice. The poor times and distances in Saturday's meet were due as much to poor field conditions as to the ability of the performers.

Art Lewis will hold some more Spring practice early in May. The weather restricted the practice before Easter. Virginia is going through its workouts now, and from the size of the squad, the Wahoos should be fairly powerful next fall. In Charlottesville they are counting heavily on Johnny Papit, the Philadelphia schoolboy with the high rep. Papit was all set to go to West Point, but changed his mind because he wanted that "real college life." Papit is probably now on the downgrade as a football player if he is so fond of "real college life."

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I-M Track Stars Aim To Break Past Records

When the finals in intramural track roll around on May 15, it is possible that quite a few previous records will be broken. Big Mike Boyda of the NFU's will have a good chance of breaking records in all the field events. Lynch Christian, Delt and defending champ in the 880, may surpass the record of 2:13.6 in that event. Bill Townsend, NFU, will be gunning for a better time than 4:56.7 in the mile run. Nate Adams, Delt, and George Bryan, Phi Delt, both outstanding high jumpers in prep school will be trying to exceed the mark of 5 ft. 7 in. set in 1940. Harry Broadbent will help anyone desiring coaching help, in the afternoons from 3 to 6.

Campus Comment (Continued from Page 2)

Ballenger, shoe salesman extraordinaire, was present all weekend to lend a little color to the drab proceedings. Spent most of his time at the Cotillion Club blow-out looking at girls' legs, trying to guess their shoe size. "Jovial John" West of the same club was also glimpsed at the C.C. soiree in a carefree clinch with what might have been his date. "Cheerful Charlie" Rowe, Delta Shelter operative, very much in evidence all weekend with Fredericksburg's Jane Bean. Veddy preddy gal... "Charitable Charlie" Brennan of the same lodge spent most of the weekend on a nature hike with his date, which he will probably deny. When last glimpsed, though, Brennan and beauty were seated softly on what he thought was a secluded bridge telling lies to each other. Treat-em-rough devotees will be interested to hear that Cliff "Hoodwink" Hood really showed "Influence" Cunningham, mandatory Maconite, who was running his life. She did talk him into going to Lynchburg Saturday night, but the dominating Hood just up and left her flat at 10:30 Sunday night making some flimsy excuse about having to get back to classes. Large bouquets of bravos are due for those that made Spring Dances the best party of the year. Jack Schuber and Shep Zinovy are probably the men most responsible for the set success. Many thanks to Jack and Shep and all the rest. Incidentally, Schuber's winsome wife Pat helped in no small way to start a happy tradition hereabouts by being the first student wife to lead a dance set. Pulchritudinous Pat was the prettiest girl on the floor. Probably, the lone dissenting voice of the weekend was that of old Cap'n Bob Gates, who was heard to utter caustically, "It won't do a thing for the Bicentennial." That boy is such a cynic! Overheard over a sweet young thing's shoulder in the Phi Delt lounge: The voice of Dave Clark and, "I'm not easily embarrassed, you know." No comment. Funniest sight of the proceedings was probably old "Rumblin' Russ" Huffman, Phi Kaperer, rolling a well-worn tire down Jefferson street in the early a.m. The boy would go great guns at Vassar, but we're afraid he had a slight blowout in the middle of Red Square. Wanta send our greetings to Fritz, Joan, Ann, and Carrie in "The Dungeon" at the Briar Patch. So do about four million others guys. Old Stan "Sad" Sacks surprised all more than somewhat by making his 10:15 Monday morning for the first time since General Lee was president. Have heard it said that "Sad" is currently devoting his fleeting waking hours to sending records to glamorous Gloria Valdez, his South Sem heartthrob. Just heard that Buck Gilman, SX, and magnificent Millie Parrish of the Hollins team are planning to smile down the aisle about 26 July. Hope they'll be happy, though married.

Elliott Schewel Given PEP Achievement Award

Phi Epsilon Pi's Delta chapter Achievement Award was presented this week to Elliott Schewel, commerce senior from Lynchburg, Va. Schewel, second member of his family to receive the award, is a former president of the local chapter, is a member of the Interfraternity Council and has taken a leading part in other campus activities.

Weeks Speaks (Continued from page one)

cently named valedictorian of the class of 1947; John Lloyd Dorsey, Jr., Henderson, Ky.; James W. Harman, Jr., Tazewell; Lloyd Jackson Lanich, Jr., Cumberland, Md.; Omer Thomas Kaylor, Jr., Hagerstown, Md.; Edward Paul Lyons, Jr., Memphis, Tenn.; and Kenneth G. Smith, Manitowish, Wis.

After a lapse extending over several years, the Phi Beta Kappa event was revived here only last spring when Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson addressed the Washington and Lee group.

Dr. Allen W. Moger, secretary of the W. and L. Phi Beta Kappa group, in making arrangements for the public exercises, described Mr. Weeks as "a writer and editor of exceptional distinction who has attracted broad attention in the literary world by bringing freshness and vitality to the pages of one of America's most respected publications."

Taking undergraduate work at Cornell before receiving his B.S. degree from Harvard, Mr. Weeks later studied at Cambridge in England. He became editor of the Atlantic Monthly Press in 1928 and editor of Atlantic Monthly ten years later.

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SIPA (Continued from page one)

Policy?" Mr. Woods has spent half his lifetime in radio. He was associated with the National Broadcasting Company, becoming president of the American Broadcasting Company when that organization was formed.

A special convention feature will be the publication contest, in which SIPA schools will enter their newspapers, yearbooks, and magazines. Contest groups will be divided according to enrollment at schools entering the competition and a trophy will be awarded to each publication judged best in its group.

Awards Presented by Dr. Gaines Awards will be presented at the convention banquet Saturday night in the V.M.I. dining hall, after addresses by President Francis P. Gaines of Washington and Lee and Carleton Harkrader, editorial director of the Bristol (Va.) Herald-Courier.

Delegates will attend clinics tomorrow in which their school publications will be discussed and criticized.

Clinic chairmen will be: Mr. Withers and Dr. Nelson; Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Cannaday; M. Cowi Rider of the Richmond News Leader; Harry Nash, managing editor, Waynesboro News-Virginian; A. T. Gunn, city editor, Lynchburg News; William Buchanan, Roanoke College faculty member; Dr. James A. Moffatt, head of Washington and Lee's department of English; and Claude Harrison, of the Roanoke Engraving Company.

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General Tennis Team Swamps Richmond Squad

Recovering from the ignoble drubbing handed them Tuesday by a Wahoo racket squad, the Washington and Lee tennis team recovered some of its scoring punch and swatted out a victory over an impotent University of Richmond net team here Wednesday, 8-1.

For the first time since varsity coach Fred Perry left on a national tour to combat juvenile delinquency, the Generals appeared to be in form as they swept through the singles matches and copped two of the three doubles games.

In the Virginia match, Moxham saved Washington and Lee from a complete white-washing by trimming his Cavalier opponent on the singles court.

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