

Eleven D.U. Groups Meet Here Today

Leyburn, Fishwick Featured Speakers

Delegates from Delta Upsilon chapters in 11 colleges and universities began a two-day convention here this afternoon.

The delegates from Province III of the fraternity will hear Dean James G. Leyburn speak at a banquet tonight at the DU house. Dr. Leyburn will discuss the trends in increased college enrollment and the effect it will have on fraternities in the future.

Tomorrow night, Dr. Marshall Fishwick will speak at the convention banquet at Natural Bridge Hotel. At the same time awards will be presented.

This is the first time the fraternity's provincial conference has been held at Washington and Lee since 1948.

In addition to nearly 50 delegates, many alumni and officials of the national fraternity will attend the weekend gathering.

Activity tonight and tomorrow will include five panel discussions on fraternity operations covering pledge training, rushing, public relations, scholarship and chapter management.

Convention Chairman Tony Sargent, of the W&L chapter, will deliver a paper on rushing and pledge training.

Schools represented at the convention are Lehigh, Lafayette, Bucknell, Penn State, Pennsylvania, Swarthmore, John Hopkins, Rutgers, Virginia and North Carolina.

Alumni Plan 25th Reunion

The academic and law classes of 1930 will gather May 13 and 14 in Lexington for their 25th Anniversary Convocation and Reunion meeting.

The program, planned for more than 275 members of the 1930 graduating class will have its headquarters in the Mayflower Hotel.

Heading the faculty committee making preparations for the first 25th anniversary meeting is James D. Farrar, assistant dean of students. On the faculty committee are: Cy Young, alumni secretary; Dr. Theodore Smedley, professor of law; Henry Ravenhorst, assistant professor of engineering; Watty Bowes, president of the student body; Frank Gilliam, dean of students; Don Smith, director of development, and Frank Parsons, News Bureau head.

Dr. Francis P. Gaines will be the convocation speaker, highlighting the two-day Lexington meeting.

Alumni will be the guests of the University for the weekend events. The wives and families of alumni have also been invited to attend the anniversary gathering.

Another feature of the affair will be the special discussions set for Friday and Saturday. Six topics, including talks on the arts and sciences, commerce, law, ROTC, athletics and student activities will be discussed.

Dr. James G. Leyburn, Dean of the University, will deliver the opening address to the group.

Also planned on the program is a "campus open house" which will give returning alumni the opportunity to view the campus, buildings, fraternities and other sites at W&L.

Anderson Appointed News Editor of Friday Edition

Dick Anderson, a Pi Kappa Phi from Gambrills, Md., was appointed News Editor of the Friday Edition of The Ring-tum Phi.

According to an announcement by Managing Editor Andy Greenman he will succeed Fred Tarrant who resigned recently, because of other work.

Others appointed to the staff are Henrik Wanscher of Copenhagen, Denmark, and R. Bane Jones of Clifton Forge, Va., who will serve as proofreaders.

No other changes are expected.



PHILIP ADAMS, whose talk will climax fine arts program Monday night.

Newly Formed Parent Council Meets in April

The Parents' Advisory Council, first committee of its kind organized at Washington and Lee, will get underway with the opening meeting scheduled for April 23 in Lexington.

The chairman pro tem of the committee is Marion M. Caskie, Jr., of Washington, D. C., father of Maxwell Caskie, a W&L freshman.

Heading the W&L faculty committee, which is seeking mutual arrangements for the council meeting is Frank Gilliam, Dean of Students.

Calling on between 40-50 parents to serve on the new committee, President Francis P. Gaines said the University was setting up the committee in the conviction that through it the University will gain valuable service and counsel.

In a letter of introduction to par- (Continued on page four)

IFC Votes Permanent Representative Rule

Two permanent representatives will be elected to the IFC from each fraternity beginning next year, according to a resolution passed at the IFC meeting this week.

IFC representatives will be elected by individual fraternities. The two men elected will be required to represent their fraternity at the weekly IFC meetings. No other delegates will be recognized as representatives by the IFC.

This resolution was passed to correct the present situation in which any fraternity member could represent his group at IFC meetings. The IFC decided orderly business could not be carried on and the interests of the interfraternity group could not be best performed if a permanent group of representatives could not be present at the meetings.

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Dr. R. E. Alley To Join W&L Physics Staff

Richmond Professor Will Fill Lothery's Post

Dr. Reuben Edward Alley, Jr., associate professor of physics and for the past year chairman of the department at the University of Richmond, has been appointed to the faculty of Washington and Lee, Dr. Francis P. Gaines announced today.

Dr. Alley's appointment as associate professor of physics will become effective next September. He will fill a vacancy created last summer by the accidental death of Professor Thomas E. Lothery.

A 1938 graduate of the University of Richmond, Dr. Alley received his graduate training at Princeton, earning his E.E. degree in 1940 and his Ph. D. in 1949. During World War II he was with the U. S. Navy as a radar expert, with overseas service in the Pacific.

His professional background includes positions as physics and electrical engineering instructor at Richmond and Princeton, and staff work at the M.I.T. Radiation Laboratory and the Bell Laboratories.

In 1948, Dr. Alley was made assistant professor of physics at Richmond, and in 1949 he was promoted to an associate professorship and made chairman of the department. He was with the Bell company from 1951 to 1953, returning to the University of Richmond in 1953.

He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Pi Sigma, Sigma Xi, and Kappa Alpha Order. While at Princeton he received the Charles Ira Young Medal for research work during preparation for his E. E. degree.

The 36-year-old native of Petersburg, Va., is a member of the American Physical Society, the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, the Institute of Radio Engineers, and the American Association of Physics Teachers.

SWMSFC Plans Spring Events

Two Virginia girls' college lacrosse teams will fight it out on Wilson field during a spring weekend according to temporary plans announced today by Gordon Gooch, chairman of the Student War Memorial Scholarship Fund Committee.

The girls' event, sponsored by SWMSFC, will pit two of these teams, Hollins, Randolph-Macon, or Sweet Briar, in the afternoon program.

Gooch also announced plans for "The Ugliest Man on Campus Contest." Details concerning the contest will be released next week.

Winner of the "Ugliest Man" competition will receive a bouquet of roses and a kiss during halftime of the girls' lacrosse game.

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Troubs 'Charley's Aunt' Set To Open At 8:15 Tonight



TROUBS FINAL REHEARSAL for tonight's opening of "Charley's Aunt."

Famous Comedy 3rd Production of Year

"Charley's Aunt," the Troubadour's third production of the 1954-55 season, opens tonight at 8:15 in the Troub Theater.

Starring in the world famous comedy, which will be seen tonight, and tomorrow at 8:15 and Thursday, Friday and Saturday March 17, 18, and 19, are John Duncan, Carl Barnes, Fritz Kackley, Dale Cornelius, Andy Dalton, and Tom O'Brien.

Dale Cornelius, president of the Troubadours, will play the part of Lord Fancourt Babberly. Cornelius has appeared in many Troub plays, including the lead in "Mr. Roberts." John Duncan, who appeared in the Troubs' "The Male Animal" and "Detective Story," will take the part of Stephen Spettigue.

Fritz Kackley, last seen in "The Madwoman of Chaillot," will play Jack Chesney. Tom O'Brien as Bras-set and Andy Dalton as Charley Wyckham, will appear on the Washington and Lee stage for the first time in "Charley's Aunt."

Carl Barnes, playing the part of Sir Francis Chesney, was seen in "Detective Story."

Three of the four female parts are being taken by Lexington High School girls. The three are: Julia Coates, Susan Coe, and Jeanne Tracy. The fourth is Margaret Davis.

Julia Coates, who plays Amy Spettigue, and Sue Coe, taking the part of Ella Delahay, both appeared in "Winterset." Jeanne Tracy, as Kitty Verdun, was in the Troubs' "Detective Story."

Margaret Davis, who plays Donna Lucia d'Alvador, will make her first appearance since returning to Lexington. She was seen in "The Valiant."

"Charley's Aunt" was first presented in the Royalty Theater in London on Dec. 21, 1892. It was produced in America for the first time in 1894 on the stage of the Standard Theater in New York City.

Directing the Washington and Lee production is Troubadour advisor, Carlson Thomas, who announced earlier in the week that his cast would be well prepared for tonight's opening. Assisting Thomas is Dale Cornelius, also a member of the cast.

The comedy is centered around the love affairs of two Oxford undergraduates and the complications which result from their attempts to by-pass Victorian niceties.

The set decorations have been constructed by Henry Heymann. Striving for something new in background coloring, the backdrop shadings for each of the three acts will be different. The base walls located upstage will be yellow but between acts the rest will change from mustard yellow to dull red and finally to red and green.

Morgan Casts Parts for Three Female Roles in 'My 3 Angels'

Mrs. Marshall Fishwick, Miss Pris Quimby, and Miss Patsy Nuckols have been selected to play the three female roles in "My 3 Angels," according to Phil Morgan, production director.

Mrs. Fishwick, who took comedy parts in "The Male Animal" and "Detective Story," will play Madame Parole in the new Troubadour production. Her part is another comic role.

Pris Quimby, voice instructor of Southern Seminary, will play Emilie, wife of the shopkeeper. She was graduated from the Westminster Choir College in Princeton, N. J. She is active in several local choral groups and while in high school appeared in the production, "Button, Button."

Patsy Nuckols, a Lexington High School senior and head cheerleader, will play the part of Marie Louise. She will make her first appearance on the Troubadour stage in "My 3 Angels."

Rehearsals for the production scheduled to open April 5 began on Wednesday with practices being held in the Student Union Building, until "Charley's Aunt" finishes its run next week.

Morgan said that special stress would be put on getting the three new cast members ready for the production date. He said that members of the male cast would also be especially drilled on parts and tech-

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Storey To Give Tucker Series

The Honorable Robert G. Storey will deliver the John Randolph Tucker Lectures on April 15 and 16 in Lee Chapel. Mr. Storey, Dean of the School of Law at Southern Methodist University, is past president of the American Bar Association.

"Current Peril of the Legal Profession" will be the theme for the three lectures. Storey will talk on "The Rule of Law and Present Danger," at 12 p.m. Friday, April 15, and that evening at 8 p.m., will speak on "The Impact of Communism Upon the Legal Profession." Saturday the series of lectures will be concluded by a talk on "Mobilization of the Legal Profession in the Age of Peril."

The John Randolph Tucker Lectures were established and conducted by the Board of Trustees of Washington and Lee University in honor of Mr. Tucker, a former dean of the School of Law.

Storey was executive trial counsel to Justice Robert H. Jackson at the Nuremberg trials of major war criminals. He is former president of the Texas Bar Association and of the Dallas Bar Association. He has been on the board of governors of the American Bar Association since 1949 and was president of the A.B.A. from 1952-53.

Three Fraternities Crown Sweethearts

Two W&L fraternities, Sigma Chi and Pi Kappa Phi, crowned their "Sweetheart" last week and another, Sigma Nu, made plans to honor their queen this week, according to the house social chairman.

Miss Dede Crater, a Sweet Briar senior, was crowned "sweetheart" of the Zeta chapter of Sigma Chi at the party held in the Hotel Stonewall Jackson in Staunton on Saturday.

Miss Crater, who is from Livingston, N. J., is engaged to Monte Pearse.

Mrs. Hal A. Hamilton, a graduate of Greenbriar College and wife of a W&L senior, will be crowned "Sweetheart" of Lambda Chapter of Sigma Nu.

Serving on the Sigma Nu Queen's Court are: Mary Ann Prugh, a Hollins sophomore; Cis Kolman, from (Continued on page four)

Phi Delta Phi Initiates 21

One of the largest groups of law students ever to pledge a professional legal fraternity in the School of Law will be initiated into The International Legal Fraternity of Phi Delta Phi next week.

Tucker Inn of Phi Delta Phi will receive 18 freshman lawyers and three intermediates into membership, according to Magistrate Armour Beckstrand.

Dr. Marshall W. Fishwick, professor of American Studies, will be the guest speaker at a banquet at the Robert E. Lee Hotel. Province President Ralph H. Dawn of Phi Delta Phi will also be present.

The new initiates are: Noel P. Copen, Charles, W. Va.; Samuel L. Davidson, Washington, D. C.; Douglas K. Frith, Bassett, Va.; Charles B. Grove, Lancaster, Pa.; Robert R. Huntley, Winston-Salem, N. C.; Lewis S. Lee, Jacksonville, Fla.; Thomas E. Lohrey, Jr., Bluefield, W. Va.

Also, Robert H. Mann, Jr., Kansas City, Mo.; Lewis S. Minter, Richmond, Va.; William E. Moore, Jr., Waynesboro; John S. Moreman, (Continued on page four)

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FIRST PLACE

FOR COLLEGIATE NEWSPAPERS

THIS IS IT—The Virginia Intercollegiate Press Association citation naming the Friday Edition of The Ring-tum Phi as the best college newspaper in the state. Judge for VIPA newspaper competition was Fred Mennagh of The Lynchburg News and Daily Advance. The judge cited the Friday Edition's excellence in make-up, news and photographic coverage, consistency, and editorial campaigns. He also complimented the newspaper on its liveliness, its reader-appeal, and its professional appearance.

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A Fraternity Presidents Association?

Watty Bowes' suggestion several weeks ago about a "council of fraternity presidents" is a suggestion which should not be allowed to die.

While such an organization could not very appropriately replace the Interfraternity Council, as Bowes originally suggested nevertheless it would be an extremely worthwhile group.

It would bring—to use Bowes' words—"the most influential and respected men of

each fraternity" together to talk over mutual problems. While the organization would not be part of the IFC, it would serve as a valuable adjunct to the IFC. The organization would be in many ways similar to the Fraternity Housemanagers' Association. Its regularity of meeting would not have to be too frequent—probably once a month.

The Fraternity House President's Association proposal holds much merit and deserves earnest consideration.

IFC Action Is Step in Right Direction

The Interfraternity Council should be commended for the action it took on the representative-attendance problem Monday night.

While the action is not final since the proposal is subject to another vote, it is definitely a step in the right direction.

The motion Monday night was passed unanimously on the first vote. If given final approval next week it will require that either the junior or the senior representative be present at every meeting, or the house will be fined. Thus it would be no longer possible for the representative to get a "collared-at-dinner" delegate to attend meetings.

The motion now before the IFC does not allow the representatives "cuts" from any meetings as suggested in a letter to the editor last week. However, there does not seem to be any need for these "cuts" now; because if one representative cannot attend meetings, the other certainly can.

There is no reason why the IFC should not make the motion into law at its next meeting. It would be difficult to find a proposal which would be much fairer and at the same time so adequately takes care of the situation.

It was pleasing to see the IFC set aside the proposal requiring attendance of the senior representative, and the senior representative only. While this solution to the problem obviously had several merits, it completely left the junior representative out in the cold.

The junior delegate should share almost equally the representation duty.

In view of Monday's unanimous vote on the question there is every promise that the proposal will be passed next week. If the measure is approved, it will make a fine organization even better.

Student Bar Association

Members of the Student Bar Association deserve credit for the way they have rejuvenated the organization this year.

The most noticeable improvement of course, is the group's re-entry into intramural sports competition. Although law teams have not participated in the program for some time, they plan to enter every sport next year. This step will be extremely worthwhile for the organization itself as well as the intramural program.

The organization brought Melvin M. Belli, noted personal injury lawyer, here last month. Few speakers have succeeded in drawing as many students to Lee Chapel as he did.

This month the group will present Stanley C. Morris, president of the International Association of Insurance Councils.

The group—especially its president, Walter J. McGraw—deserves praise for its rejuvenation program.

Hawk and Pogo

Where To Get What You Want When in Need

You asked for us! Therefore, by your incessant yapping we are back. Thanks for your cards and telegrams, your well-wishing letters and your...ah, let's get on with the yuks!

Ever read a newspaper? A real newspaper? Right behind the sports section and Mark Trail there's a classified section, in which you won't find the following.

PUPPIES FOR SALE: You can't beat our puppies. Try it and you'll get your arm torn off! Miller Kennels, 6101.

GET A LOT while you're young. Then when you settle down you'll have a place to build. Jelke Real Estate Agency.

FOR SALE: One small elephant tusk flask, holds almost a pint. See Gerike, Red Square.

FOR SALE: 9,000 feet of tapeworm. Warm and cuddly, goes where you go, eats anything! Call Lilly's Lunch.

FOR SALE: One birch-bark canoe, used only by retired war chief on Sundays. Call Rho Dammit Rho chapter, Royal Order of Iroquois.

Orchids—to our Friday edition for copping the duke at the recent Virginia Intercollegiate Press Convention. Among the prizes awarded Editor Clinger were twelve tons of cigarette ads, a date for a house party, sixteen boxes of pencils inscribed "Great Going—J. P. D.," a French naughty-word dictionary for Edmonds' use, Andy Greeman, and a large banner saying, "On to the Garden in '56!"

File and Forget: the following bits of knowledge were culled from our vast filing system recently discovered after being buried for years under old geology quizzes.

The chief export of Outer Mongolia is horses. (Modesty prevents us from disclosing the chief export of Inner Mongolia!)

There are 295 miles of dirt road in Rockbridge County. (We have seen some girls in Rockbridge County that look like the first 294 miles).

In New Zealand, sheep outnumber people 17½ to 1. (In Lexington lawyers outnumber children 21 to 1).

Twenty years ago, Richmond police were reported planning a crackdown on booking operations. (Results are expected soon.)

In closing, remember this—before you louse it up, THINK.

Colonial Dames, Cincinnati Competition To Close Soon

Students interested in entering the Colonial Dames and Cincinnati Society essay contests were reminded today by Dr. Charles W. Turner that the deadlines for these contests are rapidly approaching.

The Colonial Dames contest, offering a \$200 prize for the best 4,000 word essay on some figure or phase of colonial history is open to students of educational institutions in the state of Virginia. Entries must be in by April 15.

The Cincinnati Society contest is open only to students of Washington and Lee. It offers a prize of \$50 for the best essay on a phase of colonial history or national history up to 1865. Entries for this contest are due on May 1.

Dr. Turner said that he would like to see all interested students and help them with bibliographies and other details.

This Week

5 p.m.—Chemistry Seminar. W. R. Holmquist will speak on "Free Radicals." Chemistry Building, 204.

8:15 p.m.—The Troubadours present "Charley's Aunt." Troubadour Theater.

Saturday, March 19

8:15 p.m.—The Troubadours present "Charley's Aunt." Troubadour Theater.

Wednesday, March 23

1:30 p.m.—Rockbridge Concert Theater Series presents the National Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Howard Mitchell. VMI Fieldhouse. Public invited. Admission, 50 cents.

8 p.m.—Rockbridge Concert Theater Series presents, for its subscribers, the National Symphony Orchestra. VMI Fieldhouse.

Fine Arts Review

Trio Recital Presents Music Of Director Robert Stewart

By WILLIAM TURNER
and JIM MARVIN

On Monday night March 7, at 8 p.m., the first performance given in the superbly designed and much needed, new, fine arts auditorium was a Trio Recital by Mrs. Margot Junkin (piano), Mr. Robert Stewart (violin), and Mr. Frank Wagner of Charlottesville (violin).

The evening program consisted of: Beethoven No. 4 opus 11, Robert Stewart No. 2 (1954), Schubert E. Flat opus 100. This colorful and contrasting selection strikingly represented prime examples of classic, contemporary, and romantic eras of music.

Beethoven's Grand Trio

Beethoven's Grand Trio, No. 4 of Opus 11, was originally intended for the clarinet, violoncello, and piano; it was first published on Oct. 3, 1798 was dedicated to the Princess von Thun, i.e., of Thoune, Switzerland, as a favor to his patron Prince Lichnowsky the first Maecenas of his muse. This apparent dependence on a generous patron made the music produced at that early, unblighted stage of his career a result of the need for productivity instead of the result of inspiration of his genius.

The allegro con brio, adagio, and tema con variazioni movements of the Grand Trio are indicative, in their formal, purely aesthetic, and non-emotional character, of Beethoven's earlier classical style—as opposed to the romantic style which he later developed, with its complete freedom of emotion and expression. This work also portrays Beethoven's dynamic force and foreboding, as well as his lighter, gayer, less philosophical side.

Stewart's Trio No. 2

Mr. Stewart's Trio No. 2 (1954) was composed in the spring of last year in commemoration of the 150th Anniversary of the Louisiana Purchase, celebrated in Conway, Arkan-

sas. The motifs, themes, or melodies of this work were therefore constructed so as to simulate French folk-like tunes; the idiom of Mr. Stewart's Trio 2 appears to be both atonal and polytonal.

Forceful Third Movement

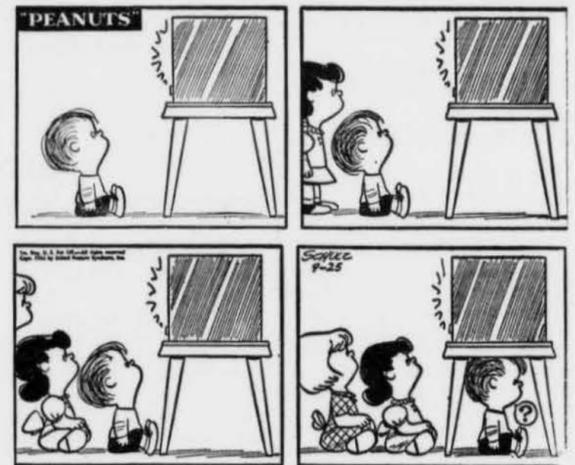
Of the three movements, the bright, first movement is in modified sonata-form and is very forceful as well as frivolous in nature; a pizzicato by both the violin and cello introduces the main theme. The 2nd movement appears in ternary form and is principally a violoncello solo, with the other instruments serving as accompaniment. The main theme of the ternary is clearly defined in the first section and is developed rhythmically and harmonically in the next, the final section serving as a restatement of the main theme with new harmonic structure.

The last movement has a powerful majestic introduction to contrast the slower second movement, in which the main theme of the ensuing rondo is clearly presented by the simultaneous sounding of four notes by all three instruments. The character of the rondo is the cyclic treatment of the four-note theme, in its original version or with embellishments, by all instruments. The theme appeared sporadically and was for the most part obscured by the polytonal and sometimes atonal chord progressions.

Schubert's Piano Trio

Schubert's piano trio in E flat major was written in the fall of 1827. The most probable reason for its somewhat sudden inspiration was the formation in Vienna of a splendid ensemble organization composed of many outstanding musicians of the day.

The theme in the andante is based on a folk melody, presumably Swedish. According to Robert Schumann, the themes of the trio were described as "active, masculine, and dramatic."



AT THE Cinema

with
FRANK
GIDDON

Spring is here (at least until it gets cold again, which may be momentarily) and the incentive to envelop myself in the rich blackness of the respective movie houses has been dulled by this annual phenomenon. I would much rather spend my time investigating outdoor things, like the unopposed election of Lexington's mayor, or the efficacy of the Assimilation Committee's rules against Bermuda shorts. But my devotion to the cause of art and allegiances to those kind, free-thinking gentlemen, who gratuitously provided me with passes, demands that I spend some time in the dark recesses outside of time and space, namely, the State and Lyric theaters.

THE PRINCE OF PLAYERS would have been superb had they done away with everything save Mr. Burton's Shakespeare. The plot was shaky and disjointed with no conviction. Mr. Derek was totally unconvincing and stiff, while Miss McNamara though quite beautiful and charming still sounded like she was in THE MOON IS BLUE.

We certainly should all thank the Miami Chamber of Commerce for providing us with that thrilling campaign, THE MIAMI STORY. We can all go down to this city now, feeling assured that crime has been eradicated by the Rotarian vigilantes and that there is no Big Boss anymore. (The character, a Mr. Brill in the film, was interesting—a sort of conglomeration Italian, Greek and Jew. Hollywood is obviously afraid of carrying the specific stereotype too far for fear of incurring the wrath of the minorities.)

20,000 LEAGUES UNDER THE SEA is delightful for children who seek the subtlety of an unsuitable screen play. (I expect this was unavoidable considering the book.)

Bread and Circuses

by
CECIL
EDMONDS

It was in the days of the great god, Change, that a band of journalistic Moses ventured forth from the Print Shop with their printed wisdom designed to lead Washington and Lee out of the wilderness.

Little men wearing blue blazers and riding white chargers, they did not know what they wanted to change but they knew they had to change something. "I think Washington Hall should be painted green," one of them said.

Immediately 34 Ring-tum Phi reporters were set out to conduct a public opinion poll.

Beau Redmond was the first to be sought out.

"Yes," he said.

So delighted were these print shop wonders that they published an extra edition that very same evening declaring that Washington Hall should be painted green.

The second editor could not be outdone. He called a hurried conference of his followers.

"These are desperate times," he said. "We do not have a crusade."

Then a lonely freshman suggested: "What is more sure around here," he said, "than that Henry Heymann will be appointed vice-president of the next dance set?"

The editor was delighted. Here was a fancy morsel for the great god, Change.

That night, he and 17 of his disciples carried Henry Heymann into darkness. Then as the train approached they dropped Henry Heymann from the footbridge into the path of the only train that comes into Lexington.

The next dance set was different. Things had changed. There were no decorations.

DU Wins IM Wrestling Crown

Valen Wins 5th Straight As DU's Score 84 Points

Delta Upsilon copped the 1955 intramural wrestling championship scoring a total of 85 points. Trail- ing the champions were Sigma Chi in second place with 74 points, while Phi Psi collected 72 points for third place.

In the opening match of the finals, Bob Stone, SAE, pinned Jim Hanscom, DU, for the 123-pound crown. Hanscom had won the 115-pound championship last year.

Ned Grove, Phi Psi, won by default from Phil Laughlin, PiKA, who injured his knee in gym class and could not wrestle the 130-pound class.

Taking the 137-pound class was Dick Grower, Phi Delt, who defeated Oscar Bing, NFU.

Tony Valen, DU, scored his fifth straight intramural wrestling championship in pinning Bill Fowler, Delt, in the 147-pound class.

Action in the 157-pound class found Harry Brunett, Delt, taking a close decision over Roger Clark, Phi Psi.

Coming up with pin number three of the evening was Greg McNeer, SAE, who gained the nod over Buddy Mower, Sigma Chi, for top honors in the 167-pound championship. McNeer was runner-up in the class last year.

The closest match of the finals occurred in the 177-pound class between Bill Haynes, Phi Delt and Don Stine, Delt. The score was deadlocked after the regular wrestling time was over; but Stine gained the crown on a decision by referee, Howie Davis.

Lee White, Delt, gained a close decision over Lee Bentley, Phi Kap, to capture the championship in the 191-pound division.

Completing the wrestling action was the heavyweight match between Ike Smith, Phi Delt, and John Pipkin, DU. Pipkin provided stiff competition for Smith, but the latter's weight advantage proved to be the deciding factor as he captured the championship with a 7-5 man decision.

Sports carnival competition this past week saw Ted Kerr, Delt, dethrone Bob Boernstein, Phi Kap, for the rope-skipping championship.

Intermediates Top Seniors

The intermediate law class defeated the senior lawyers 41-40 in basketball last night. High scorer for the intermediates was Jack Osborne while Glenn Bare led the losers. The freshmen lead the league with a 1-0 record.

The ping pong and handball tournaments entered the quarter-final and semi-final stages this week. The finals in these two sports will be played sometime next week.

There are several more basketball games to be played before the end of the season according to Jay Jackson, who is directing the athletic program for the Student Bar Association.

Sports Banquet Monday

The Winter Sports Banquet will be held at the Dutch Inn Monday, March 16, at 6:30. Any member of the basketball, wrestling or swimming team is invited to attend.

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Twombly Gets Golf Under Way

The golf season here at Washington and Lee has come once again accompanying the first indications of spring, and once again Cy Twombly's golfers will attempt to uphold their more than tolerable record of past years.

Twenty men appeared Monday on the cold, wind-swept Lexington course to begin the 72-hole qualifying round that is required. The try-outs appeared Thursday also, and are scheduled to play today and Monday in an attempt to complete the 72 holes. In case of bad weather the schedule will be pushed up.

According to Coach Twombly, prospects seem bright with the team depending upon the play of last year's undefeated freshmen and the two left-overs from last year's squad, Doug Monroe and Fred Bear. The freshmen are: John Wellford, Ted Kerr, Don Rosenfeld, Don Farris, and Tom Smith. In addition two of this year's freshmen, Don and Buck Chapoton, may well add to the squad.

In comparison to the outset of last season this year's squad appears more experienced and has more depth. "This year I have something to work with," Twombly said. "There should be no real outstanding player but a good six-man balance." The previous season's squad had no returning veteran players.

The official schedule will open April 8 in Hot Springs, Va., when the Generals will meet Colgate University.

The schedule follows:
April 8 — Colgate Univ., Hot Springs, Va.

April 14—Virginia, Lexington, Va.
April 19 — George Washington, Washington, D.C.

April 20—Georgetown Univ. Washington, D.C.

April 26—VPI, Lexington, Va.
April 28—W. Va. (tentative) White Sulphur, W. Va.

April 29—W. Va., White Sulphur, W. Va.

May 2—VPI, Roanoke (Hidden Valley).

May 6—Southern Conf., Danville, Va.

May 11—Quadrangular Meet (Va., VPI, W&M, W&L), Hot Springs, Va.

May 16—State Meet, Hot Springs, Va.

Varsity Tennis Starts Practice

Washington and Lee's varsity tennis team began practices yesterday in preparation for its first match against Hampden-Sydney April 6. A practice match with Amherst College is scheduled for March 22 on the home courts.

Coach Dick Miller, who is starting his first year as tennis coach, reported that 30 candidates have turned out for the team.

The nucleus of the team will be built around the four returning lettermen: Pat Patterson, Dick Cobban, Lee Waltz, and Captain Art McCain.

The four freshmen letter winners from last year will also be heavily counted on. They are Dick Buttrick, Herb Hummers, Jim Carter, and Bill Doyle.

This year's freshmen candidates that have been showing great promise are Ted Rich, Bill Childs, John Peale, and Kim Wood. Childs, Wood, and Peale finished one, two, three respectively in the fall university tennis tournament.

Paul Bobbitt, tennis pro at The Homestead in Hot Springs, Va., is assisting Coach Miller occasionally in the coaching department.

The 1955 tennis schedule is as follows:
March 22—Amherst College (practice match), home.

April 6—Hampden-Sydney, away.
April 8—Colgate University, Hot Springs, Va.

April 13—Wayne University, home.
April 16—Davidson College, home.

April 18—Virginia Tech, home.
April 19 — George Washington University, away.

April 20—Georgetown University, away.
April 25—University of Virginia.

April 26—Maryland University, away.
May 3—Rollins College, away.

May 5-7 — Southern Conference, Davidson, N. C.
May 9—Virginia Tech, away.

May 12—Hampden-Sydney, home.

Coach Herbert Not Optimistic About Season

Forty candidates for Washington and Lee's 1955 lacrosse team, the largest number ever to turn out, are working out daily under the direction of Coach Charley Herbert.

Herbert, who is in the midst of a lacrosse building program aimed at bringing General teams up to a par of those around Baltimore, is encouraged, but he's not optimistic over prospects for a good year.

There are eleven lettermen returning from last year's fair team, and a fine crop of freshmen may provide a winning combination.

Heading the list of returning lettermen is Dick O'Connell, a Baltimore product who last year led the team in scoring and received All-American honorable mention.

Other veterans are Dick Johnson of Manhasset, N. Y., and team captain "Ducky" Drake of Short Hills, N. J. Drake will team with letterman Dick Gwathmey and Harry Ford, both from Baltimore, to give the Generals a potent mid-field.

The defense positions were hardest hit by graduation, the biggest loss being third-team All-American goalie Fletcher Lowe. But Coach Herbert may have the problem solved in Freshman Jim Lewis, who was a two-time All-American high school goalie at St. Paul's School in Baltimore.

Dick Johnson, who plays on defense, will get help from another Dickey Johnson, returning to lacrosse after a one-year lay-off. Carl Bailey, a letterman from New York City, will see plenty of action as a crease defenseman.

Herbert's best freshmen prospects include two former teammates, Dave Nichols and Tommy Martin, of Friends High School in Baltimore. Nichols, who performed well on the Generals' basketball team this winter, is 6-4, while Martin is only 5-7, every inch a lacrosse man, according to Herbert.

"We have the material, but in many ways we are in the same boat as our basketball team was this year," says Herbert. "If they develop with experience, then we should win a few games."

Track Coach Lord Anticipates Impressive Squad This Season

Washington and Lee track coach Norm Lord has his work cut out for him in trying to whip his squad into shape before their opening meet, March 25.

Over 50 candidates have reported for practice, including seven lettermen from last year's squad and an ex-GI who ranks among the best track men the Generals have ever produced.

Back from the service is hurdler and broad-jumper Pete White, the former Big-Six high-hurdle champ and two-time winner of the Forest Fletcher Trophy, awarded to the outstanding General trackman in memory of the former coach and Olympic star.

Coach Lord believes the high hurdles may be W&L's strongest event, what with veteran Harry Kennedy and promising Freshman Albert Steves showing steady improvement.

Other returning monogram winners include dash men Don Stewart and Roy Simkins, broad-jumper Rudy Stutzman, pole vaulter Ned Grove, discus thrower Harry Shendow, and Bob Mann and Bob Wood in the distance runs.

Mike Barry, a freshman cross-country runner, will provide a boost for Lord's mile and two-mile hopes, as will John Arnold and Charley Duffy, two more hill and dale boys.

Three freshmen with sparkling high school records have turned up among a large number of first-year men out for the team. Dick Leap, a big 210-pounder from Milwaukee, Wis., has thrown the discus over 150 feet and Lord is expecting big things from him this season.

Paul Ironside, of Haddonfield, N. J., has posted 9.8 and 22.0 times in the 100- and 220-yard dashes, but so far he hasn't been turned loose by Coach Lord to show his speed on the Wilson Field track.

Arthur Seeger of Glenside, Pa., has bettered 21 feet in the broad
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Baseball Team Opens Season Over Vacation

With the opening game of the season coming up very shortly on March 28, Coach Bill McCann must mold his starting team around the six returning lettermen.

McCann said that all the positions were open despite the returning lettermen and no positions were decided as yet. Co-captains Lowell Hamric, and Dick Kops are spear-heading the attack to retain their positions.

The six returning lettermen that McCann is depending heavily on are Fred Benham, Dave Wouters, Tom Baker, Hamric and Kops. However, Coach McCann said he plans to use many freshmen and sophomores this season.

The Schedule

March 28 and 29—The Citadel, away.

March 30 and 31—Furman, away.

April 1 and 2—Davidson, away.

April 5—University of Mass., home.

April 7—Trinity College, home.

April 8—Colgate U., home.

April 14—Virginia, away.

April 16—West Virginia, away.

April 20—Virginia, home.

April 22—William and Mary, away.

April 23—Richmond, away.

April 26—VPI, home.

April 29—Maryland, away.

April 30 — George Washington, away.

May 3—William and Mary, home.

May 6—VPI, away.

May 11—Richmond, home.

May 13—Hampden-Sydney, away.

May 14 — George Washington, home.

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EC To Drop Plans For Ring Change

"There is not enough sentiment to warrant the increased price for a change in the design of the W&L class ring," Watty Bowes, president of the student body, said today.

Following completion of a student poll conducted through the fraternity houses, the Executive Committee in a meeting this week decided that a majority of students are satisfied with the present design.

Bowes said, however, that this does not mean that the EC committee studying the class ring situation will drop the problem altogether. The only significance of the poll is that the EC will no longer consider the adopting of a new design for the ring.

Other problems which the committee will continue to study involve the selling of the ring and adoption of an official W&L ring.

Fraternity Queens

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Washington, D. C.; Harvey Brewer, a Hollins freshman; and Susan Forrester, a Hollins freshman.

The crowning of the queen will be the climax of the Sigma Nu White Rose Ball to be held at the Mayflower Hotel tomorrow evening.

Miss Jenny Woernle, Sweet Briar freshman, was crowned "Sweetheart" as part of the "Rose Formal," an annual Pi Kappa Phi event."

Phi Delta Phi Lawyers

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Frankfort, Ky.; Townsend Oast, Portsmouth, Va.; O. P. Pollard, Ashland, Va.; Lacey E. Putney, Big Island, Va.

Also, Stephen M. Quillen, Lebanon, Va.; Gerald W. Smiley, Manhasset, N. Y.; Jason B. Sowell, Jr., Dallas, Tex.; Beverley G. Stephenson, Wakefield, Va.; John S. Stump, Clarksburg, W. Va.; Carl D. Swanson, Kansas City, Mo.; and Wiley R. Wright, Jr., Arlington.

New Parents' Group Organizes

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ents asked to serve on the first council, Gaines said the University has been considering ways in which parents of students might be brought into closer relationship with Washington and Lee. He pointed out that the University wanted to know the parents better, and he was aware parents want to know more of the day-to-day role of the University in the lives of the boys in whom "we share such a keen interest."

Earlier this year the University sent parents copies of special Newsletters which pointed out significant aspects of the University program.

For example in February parents of freshmen were sent a Newsletter explaining the Washington and Lee Honor System. Parents of sophomores and juniors received a specially prepared Newsletter on "Freedom and Guidance."

Parents of W&L seniors were sent a Newsletter in February titled, "The Final Semester." The introduction to this pamphlet said, "Seven semesters of undergraduate college experience

are now behind the young men who will graduate from Washington and Lee in June; the final semester lies immediately ahead. Because this is an important time in their lives, and because their lives hold great importance for you to whom this Newsletter is addressed and for us, it seems proper to explore the significance of this period."

The Parent's Council, made up of non-alumni, will work with the University to help create interest in W&L and present the University clearly to parents so that they may understand it better.

The April 23 meeting will consist of two business sessions according to preliminary plans released by Don Smith, University Development Director.

'CHICKADEE' SET MARCH 14

"My Little Chickadee," a feature length burlesque western film, with W. C. Fields and Mae West, will be shown to the public at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the new classroom building.

Track Squad Impressive

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jump in high school, "without any trouble at all," he told Coach Lord. By giving him a little trouble, Lord says he hopes to squeeze at least another foot out of Seeger.

Lord will enter his team in the Southern Conference competition at Williamsburg, May 13-14, and the Big Six meet there on May 16. On May 21, the Generals will compete in the State AAU meet, to be held on W&L's Wilson Field.

Schedule: April 9, VPI; April 15, Lynchburg; April 19, Bridgewater; April 26, Hampden-Sydney; April 29, Davidson; May 2, William and Mary; and May 6, Richmond.

IFC REPRESENTATIVES

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Other business included the Rush Week budget proposals and the Easter Egg Roll sponsored by the IFC.

The Rush Week budget proposals, referred to the fraternities once before, are still being discussed and definite resolutions will not be passed until a later date.

Three Female Roles Cast For 'Angel' Production

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niques. The production team for "My 3 Angles" includes between 30-40 men, said Morgan. Assistant director for the show is Pete Moses. Moses will supervise stage design, lighting, and sound effects.

Henry Heymann, heading the stage construction work, will be assisted by Fritz Kackley. Both will attempt to build a 'highly realistic' set.

Lighting and sound effects will be directed by Bob Stroud. Stroud will be assisted by Carl Barnes and Ed Wallace.

Responsible for backstage work are stage manager John Smith and assistant stage manager Dudley Thomas.

John Hollister will serve as assistant director, supervising the publicity, make-up, props, and costume committees. Clay Carr and Buck Buchanan have charge of publicity; while John Duncan and Bill Towler will handle make-up for the production.

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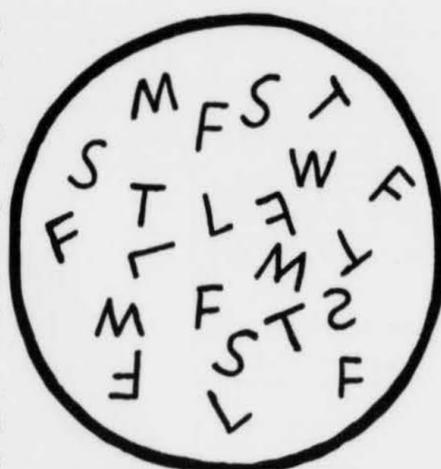
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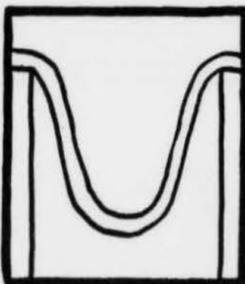
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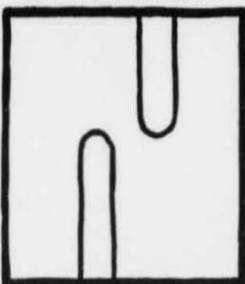
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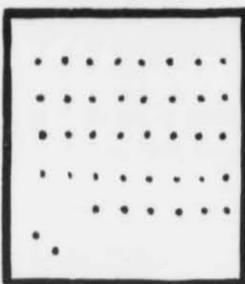
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