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Hope for Youth?

(The President's Page)

IN a charming autobiography, Edna Ferber remarks that this is the first time in history that middle-aged or older people do not envy youth. Formerly those of us in the advanced stages of life were accustomed to look wistfully at younger contemporaries and say, "They have everything before them." Now we look somewhat uncertainly and say, "What is before them?"

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If this statement is true, it is the most devastating indictment to be brought against our civilization; undoubtedly there is enough of truth in it to arrest the attention of us all, particularly of those whose work is in the field of education.

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It is not necessary to share the pessimism of the gloomy spirits who believe that man's insanities are about to destroy the world he himself has created, or even to believe that things are getting materially worse, in order to feel reasonably sure that youth of today goes forth into a troubled era and probably into an unpredictable destiny.

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It has for its comfort, however, certain resources that other generations did not know. For one thing, today's young people have a more complete analysis of the fundamental causes of the world's dilemma than any other group has had. This is not to say that diagnosis will necessarily guarantee cure; but the wisdom of our day has at least indicated that certain unpleasant situations are the result of definite causes and not the elements in the cycle of a hideous necessity. Today's youth has also a few gleams of light that no other generation has seen so clearly. There have been those whose voices may yet be heard that have understood what must be done in order to make a secure world instead of a vicious and self-destructive one. There is in the heart of man today more troubling of conscience about international wrong than was common in the generations just gone.

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We must not minimize this power of the conscience of man. Slowly and almost imperceptibly it has moved from one social evil to another, gradually forcing some

kind of happier adjustment, and now it has turned as never before to those problems of relationships between the huge units of our common family.

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Education that is to be serviceable for this generation of youth will, of course, be as explicit as possible about these matters of the causes of war, the points of view arising from the long heritage of different nations, the balance between privilege and underprivilege of peoples as well as of individuals. But in the larger mode the most helpful education will be most effective in so far as it enforces certain ideals.

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It will not be possible to diagnose every cause, or to draw the quicker responding sentiment around the circumference of the world to reach every problem or every need. Education may, however, align human life with such ideals that these problems and these needs as they arise through passing years will appear in true perspective and will prove incentives to adequate action. They are the simple ideals, the enduring ideals, that cry out for new emphasis. Honesty and kindness and a certain measure of selflessness are today, as they have always been, the true solvents in which the swiftly changing irritations may be dissolved. We come back again to the definition of the prophet of old "to deal justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly."

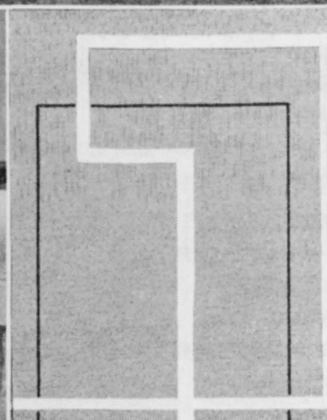
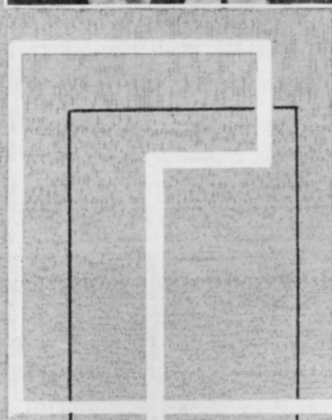
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We like to believe that Washington and Lee offers, in addition to its formal instruction and its mental disciplines, things of the spirit which make possible an understanding of these ideals and a devotion to them. The honor system, the mode of friendliness, the true democracy of kindness—these are the manifestations on this campus of an attitude toward ideals; and this manifestation, we fervently hope, will be strong and expansive. For such youth there should be no occasion for despair.



Francis Peyton Quincy

President



1. Bill Dickey, 1910, in earnest conversation with Bill Delaplaine, 1909; Pop Ainsworth, 1911, and L. J. Boxley, 1909, standing by; 2. Jimmie Caskie, 1906, greets fellow-alumnus while Arthur McCain, 1914, Bob Ramsey, 1912, Tom Kirkpatrick, 1913, and Harrington Waddell, 1893, pose for the camera; 3. Three interested alumni, Reynolds Vance, 1892, Bill McElwee, 1879, Dr. S. C. Lind, 1899, with Dr. Howe;

4. Heartsill Ragon, 1908, and Bernie Harper, 1913, were among several alumni from Arkansas who enjoyed the festivities; 5. Earl Paxton, 1908, passes the camera as Steve Chadwick, 1914, The National Commander of the American Legion, and Ben Haden, 1913, pose for their picture. In the background Martin Burks, III, 1932, chats with Mrs. Forest Fletcher.

The University's 190th Finals

ONE HUNDRED and eighty-nine seniors were awarded their degrees at Washington and Lee University's 190th commencement exercises June 9.

Four students won the degree of master of arts; one, master of science; thirty-four, bachelor of laws; one hundred and two, bachelor of arts; eight, bachelor of science; and forty, bachelor of science in commerce.

Honorary degrees were given two alumni. Dr. Samuel C. Lind, 1899, president of the American Chemical Society and dean of the Institute of Technology, University of Minnesota, was awarded the degree of doctor of science. The degree was voted him last year but was not conferred then because of Dr. Lind's absence in Europe. The Rev. Harry S. Coffey, 1912, pastor of the Methodist Church of Covington, Virginia, was awarded the degree of doctor of divinity.

Washington and Lee recognized the centennial of the Virginia Military Institute by conferring degrees upon three members of the staff of V. M. I. at the commencement exercises, which were held in Lee Chapel in accordance with a long-established custom. The V. M. I. men honored were General Charles E. Kilbourne, superintendent of V. M. I., doctor of laws; Colonel Hunter Pendleton, professor emeritus of chemistry, doctor of laws; and Colonel Francis Mallory, professor of physics, doctor of science.

In conferring these three degrees Dr. Gaines said:

"Mindful of the centennial of our sister institution, Washington and Lee is happy to be able to honor three men who have been identified with the Institute in various connections for many years, who incarnate the fine achievements of that institution, and who are universally beloved by its great circle of alumni and friends. At the same time, the awarding of these degrees is definitely on the basis of the individual distinction of the men themselves."

In his address to the graduates, Dr. Gaines urged them to keep in touch with their Alma Mater, and "come back to see us." He told the class that when personal contacts with the University were not possible, comfort could be found in recalling the ideals for which the University stands.

The graduates were welcomed into the alumni association by Alumni President Lykes, and many of them attended the alumni luncheon and general alumni association meeting following the commencement program.

The commencement program was the highlight of the last day of the 190th finals, which started officially with the baccalaureate sermon by Dr. William Elliott, Jr., of Atlanta, Georgia, on June 4.

The Interfraternity Ball was held Wednesday evening, June 7, with Will Osborne and his orchestra playing; the Senior-Alumni Ball was staged Thursday evening, with Hal Kemp playing; and the traditional all-night Final Ball, with Gene Krupa playing, brought the full program to a close.

Those awarded degrees were:

Master of Arts—D. H. Miller, Hagerstown, Md.; E. J. Milligan, Danville, N. Y.; J. R. Nicholson, Spangler, Pa.; E. A. Smyth, Lexington, Va.

Master of Science—L. D. Williams, Jr., Elizabeth, New Jersey.

Bachelor of Laws—V. C. Adamson, Garden City, N. Y.; W. S. Ammerman, Jr., Cynthiana, Ky.; R. W. Bain, Portsmouth, Va.; J. A. Ballard, Exmore, Va.; J. W. Beaire, Charleston, W. Va.; J. V. Beale, Franklin, Va.; E. T. Cannon, Timmonsville, S. C.; L. J. DeVita, Stamford, Conn.; D. A. Fallat, Yonkers, N. Y.; A. Foster, State College, Pa.; P. M. Grabill, Woodstock, Va.; J. L. Hawkins, II, Charleston, W. Va.; J. D. Head, Fort Worth, Texas; R. L. Howell, Roanoke, Va.; R. F. Hutcheson, Jr., Charlotte Courthouse, Va.; S. G. Jones, Jr., Norfolk, Va.; J. A. MacKenzie, Portsmouth, Va.; A. R. Marcum, Huntington, W. Va.; R. W. Mills, Roanoke, Virginia.

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Bachelor of Arts—H. C. Alford, Jr., Elmore, Ala.; A. W. Archer, Jr., Kansas City, Mo.; W. H. Baldock, III, Lynchburg, Va.; F. Bartenstein, Jr., The Plains, Va.; A. E. Basile, Brooklyn, N. Y.; W. A. Beeton, Lexington, Va.; C. E. Bowles, Jr., Pulaski, Va.; A. M. Brombacher, West Palm Beach, Fla.; R. A. Brower, Cincinnati, Ohio; W. W. Brown, Toledo, Ohio; T. R. Bryant,

Roanoke, Va.; E. F. Burrows, Oswego, S. C.; T. W. Christopher, Union, S. C.; T. R. Cleek, Staunton, Va.

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D. B. Remmers, St. Louis, Mo.; M. A. Rippe, Danville, Va.; J. R. Robinson, St. Louis, Mo.; F. P. M. Roth, Miami Beach, Fla.; J. A. Saltsman, Washington, D. C.; R. P. Schlabach, Jr., Newport News, Va.; H. M. Schriver, Cincinnati, Ohio; W. T. Shafer, Oberlin, Ohio; E. F. Shannon, Jr., Lexington, Va.; J. H. Sherrill, Jr., Pensacola, Fla.; H. C. Sigvartsen, Grantwood, N. J.; R. D. Sloan, Clarksburg, West Va.; G. N. Smith, Jr., Richmond, Ky.; V. A. Snow, Jr., Man, West Va.; A. R. Sphar, Winchester, Ky.; J. A. R. Stewart, Independence, Kans.; J. R. Sutherland, Coldwater, Mich.; M. J. Swan, Jr., Evanston, Ill.; C. W. Taylor, Lynchburg, Va.; T. N. Tennant, Hammond, Ind.; H. R. Thompson, Jr., Clifton Forge, Va.; C. D. Tolley, Lexington, Va.; J. H. Ward,

III, Louisville, Ky.; T. P. Waring, Savannah, Ga.; R. J. Watt, Jr., Glencoe, Ill.; H. W. H. Weidmann, Belleville, Ill.; S. R. Weinsier, Brooklyn, N. Y.; B. E. Wilson, Greensboro, N. C.; G. W. Wilson, Alpena, Mich.; P. K. Yonge, Pensacola, Fla.

Bachelor of Science—W. G. Derr, Marietta, Ohio; J. B. Furr, Picayune, Miss.; G. C. Graff, Lynchburg, Va.; S. B. Harper, Jr., Fort Smith, Ark.; A. R. Larrick, Jr., Plant City, Fla.; C. Steenbergen, Point Pleasant, West Va.; A. P. Stuart, Buena Vista, Va.; G. L. A. Webb, Webb, Miss.

Bachelor of Science in Commerce—H. P. Avery, Buffalo, N. Y.; E. A. Basse, San Antonio, Texas; A. R. Bassett, Jacksonville, Fla.; G. M. Bohman, Hagerstown, Md.; T. W. Bradley, Jr., Bristol, Va.; A. E. Buck, Jr., Darien, Conn.; J. F. Coffey, Lexington, Va.; R. T. Crawford, Decatur, Ill.; J. S. Crowder, Washington, D. C.; R. M. Duncan, Caldwell, N. J.; C. G. Gilmore, Elizabeth, N. J.; F. O. Glenn, Jr., Brooklyn, N. Y.; F. M. Hankins, Jr., Bridgeton, N. J.; R. S. Harris, Fredericksburg, Va.; C. R. Hart, New York, N. Y.; H. P. Henshaw, Jr., Huntington, West Va.; P. L. Holden, Jr., Cleveland Heights, Ohio; M. T. Howard, Oroya, Peru; S. T. Jones, Jr., Sweetwater, Tenn.; J. R. Kateley, North Adams, Mass.; A. R. Kreimer, Cincinnati, Ohio; C. D. Lowrie, New York, New York; C. P. Lykes, Houston, Texas; C. W. Middelburg, Charleston, West Va.; G. T. Myers, Frederick, Md.; A. E. Neilsen, Engelwood, N. J.; W. U. O'Ferrall, Birmingham, Ala.; J. C. Paera, Camden, N. J.; H. E. Redenbaugh, Pittsburgh, Pa.; R. D. Rouse, Newport News, Va.; W. K. Self, Marks, Miss.; C. H. Semple, Jr., Louisville, Ky.; H. C. Sigvartsen, Grantwood, N. J.; R. H. Smith, Charleston, West Va.; A. T. Snyder, Glenside, Pa.; R. P. Southworth, Minneapolis, Minn.; R. S. Thompson, Jr., Bluefield, West Va.; E. H. Thurman, Cleveland Heights, Ohio; B. M. Trotter, Jr., Norfolk, Va.; G. H. Vanta, Bayside, N. Y.

H. C. HARRISON, of Rutland, Vermont, B.S. 1931, received his Ph.D. from Cornell in 1938, and is now a member of the faculty of the College of Ceramics of that institution. He was to read a paper on "Some Applications of the Spectrograph to Ceramic Problems" at the Seventh Annual Spectrographic Conference at M. I. T. in July.

HERBERT DOLLAHITE, II, class of 1932, has been named assistant manager of the Rangeley Lake Hotel at Rangeley Lakes, Maine.

JULIAN H. BLACK, class of 1930, has opened law offices at 622 Hamilton National Bank Building, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

The Queen Is Kin to Washington and Lee!

(Reprinted by permission from the *New York Times* of June 15, 1939)

QUEEN ELIZABETH of Great Britain was revealed yesterday as having American colonial ancestors, stemming from a line that made her a second cousin, six generations removed, of George Washington, and a fifth cousin, four generations removed, of Robert E. Lee.

The genealogy, compiled by Anthony R. Wagner, a Royal Herald, bearer of the official title of Portcullis Pursuivant at the College of Arms of London and director of the heraldic display in the British Pavillion at the World's Fair, will be published on July 1 in *The Record*, official organ of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society.

Mr. Wagner came upon the connections, it was learned, while digging up the family roots of Washington for the British display at the Fair. The results of his research were known to officials of the Society of Colonial Dames, of which Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt is a member, at the time of the Queen's visit, and it was understood that some efforts had been undertaken during her stay in the United States to offer her an honorary membership in this organization of descendants of Colonial Americans. Whether the offer actually was made and whether the Queen was receptive to it was not learned yesterday.

Meanwhile, however, the results of Mr. Wagner's search showed that Queen Elizabeth and George Washington had in common several ancestors, among them Captain Nicholas Martiau, on whose family lands in Yorktown General Cornwallis tendered his sword to Washington in token of the British surrender to American independence. The line began, so far as this connected branch is concerned, with Colonel Augustine Warner, who came to America and settled in 1628; he died in 1674. He had two children, a son and namesake and a daughter named Mary. The son married Mildred Reade, daughter of Colonel George Reade and granddaughter of Captain Martiau, and from the daughter Mary, the line descends to General Robert Edward Lee.

Colonel Augustine War-

ner, Jr., had two daughters. One married Lawrence Washington, who was the grandfather of George Washington. The other married John Smith, and their daughter Mildred married Robert Porteus. Porteus, a landowner and official in the Virginia colonial government, felt it impossible to educate his children satisfactorily in the New World and returned to England.

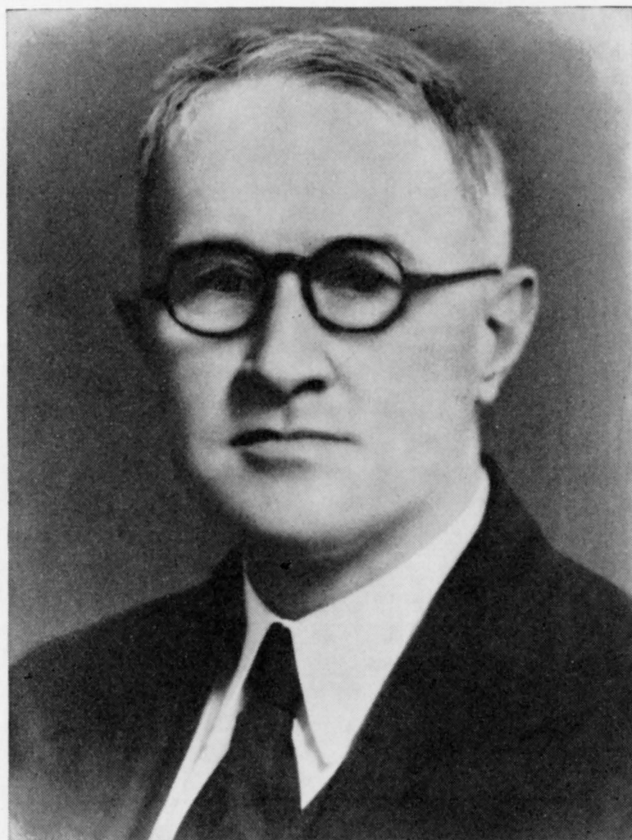
He was twice married and had eighteen children. One was the Rev. Robert Porteus, who married Judith Cockayne. Another was Bishop of London. From the marriage of the Rev. Robert Porteus and Judith Cockayne there was a daughter who married Robert Hodgson of Congleton, and their son was the Rev. Robert Hodgson, Dean of Carlisle. He had a daughter, Henrietta Mildred, who married Oswald Smith, and a daughter of this union, Frances Dora Smith, became the wife of Claude Lyon-Bowes, a name later transposed to Bowes-Lyon, the thirteenth Earl of Strathmore and the grandfather of Queen Elizabeth. Thus the line goes directly back to Colonel Augustine Warner, Jr., who was the great-grandfather of George Washington.

Mr. Wagner summed it up: "Her Majesty is not only descended from several of the earliest pioneer settlers in the Virginia Colony, but she is through this descent cousin to many families which remained in America and played a prominent part in later history. Notably, she is second cousin, six times removed—that is to say eighth in direct descent from his great-aunt—of George Washington. In case this relationship may seem rather distant, it is worth pointing out that to Washington at least few living people

can be related much more closely. It is somewhat ironical that among Washington's nearest of kin now living should be numbered the Queen of Great Britain.

JAMES A. BLALOCK, 1937, has opened a law office at 706 Lamar Life Building, Jackson, Mississippi. He is a member of the bar of Mississippi, West Virginia, and Virginia.

A large number of subscriptions to the ALUMNI MAGAZINE have expired since the 1939 Class Agents' letters were sent out. The Alumni Office has sent no notification of these expirations, hoping that they would be renewed by subscriptions of \$5 or more to the Class Fund. We have continued to send the magazine to all of these expirations. It is not too late to take advantage of the offer of a full year's subscription to all alumni making this \$5 Class contribution, as we do not close our books on this fund until October. If check is sent direct to the Alumni Office, your Class Agent will be duly notified, and your magazine subscription extended for a full year.



Dr. David Vance Guthrie

DR. DAVID VANCE GUTHRIE, who took his A.B. from Washington and Lee in 1903 and his M.A. in 1904, after whom the new observatory at Louisiana State University has been named. He has been at L.S.U. for the past twenty-seven years; he studied at Johns Hopkins after leaving Washington and Lee, then taught at Virginia before going to L.S.U. *The State-Times* of Baton Rouge paid Dr. Guthrie high editorial praise when the new observatory was designated "Guthrie Observatory" in honor of the man who is head of the physics and astronomy department at the University. *THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE* in October, 1936, called attention to the "seven generations of Guthries" at Washington and Lee—Walter Guthrie, class of 1940, is a nephew of Dr. David Vance Guthrie. Walter's father, Frederic P. Guthrie, class of 1911, is district communications manager of RCA in Washington.

THE APPALACHIAN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION held a dinner meeting at the Hotel Bristol, May 20, and heard a talk by Cy Young. The meeting was well attended by alumni and guests and their wives. Homer Jones, 1917, was elected president, and Ed Wright, 1929, secretary.

Tradition Lives On

THE FOLLOWING letter reached President Gaines' office under date of June 7. It came from a distinguished physician of the middle west; it speaks for itself in compliment to Washington and Lee:

A week ago I came to Lexington, Virginia, and as a visitor, anxious to observe your university and the wonderful natural phenomena around your city. I arrived very early in the morning, and after breakfast at one of the most unusual inns in all this country, I went to the campus and was impressed by the dignity, serenity, and the affectiveness of the grouping and the type of your college buildings. We took the lower drive about the hour the nine o'clock classes were being released and a very unusual experience came to me. Every young man who is a member of your university, seeing I was a stranger, with all the dignity and spirit of your school, when he met me at the walk, said "Good morning, Sir." This happened on each occasion that I met one of your students. It was such a very unusual, gracious, and elegant experience that I cannot help but write to you and express my appreciation of the leadership of a university where such a custom is endorsed and so wholesomely used.

I am a university graduate and have been on the campuses of a great number of universities. I enjoyed the Virginia University with a great deal of satisfaction, a wonderful institution at Charlottesville, and a very affective one down at Williamsburg, but I was made to feel a certain feeling that made me feel at home at your wonderful university.

May God prosper you because nothing but good education and a fine attitude towards man and living can come from a background such as your school offers.

OGDEN SHROPSHIRE, class of 1924, has announced the formation of Shropshire and Company, engaging in general investment banking business and specializing in Alabama municipals; offices are located in the First National Bank Annex, Mobile, Alabama.

(PETE) PETERSON, 1937, is a special district agent for the Bankers Life Company in charge of Duluth and the outlying territory. His address is 2505 East Second Street, Duluth, Minnesota.

(HOSS) RICKESON, 1937, is with the Penny Stores in Indianapolis. He is married and has a small daughter. His address is 1342 North Alabama Street, Indianapolis, Ind.

Washington and Lee Plates by Wedgwood

By JOHN GRAHAM, 1914

Associate Professor of Romance Languages at Washington and Lee

HAVEN'T you always thought, with a vague distaste, of commemorative plates as gaudily colored china atrocities with "SOUVENIR OF THE WORLD'S FAIR" painted across them in large letters? Well, I always had, until one day five years ago "Scram" Sale wrote me enclosing a circular offering "Yale Plates by Wedgwood" to Yale alumni.

"Dear John," he said, "I am not particularly interested in a set of Yale plate, but I *would* prize very highly something similar from Washington and Lee and I feel sure that there are lots of other boys who would welcome some such memento of our school. Why don't you or somebody do something about it?"

The proposed Yale plates looked different from anything of the sort I had seen before and when Wedgwood's representatives in this country sent me samples of what they had done for Yale, Harvard, West Point, Smith and Sweet Briar I began to get enthusiastic about the matter. Though I hadn't tried to draw since I was in the seventh grade, I even made a sketch of what I thought would be an effective design for Washington and Lee. Then, after talking the matter over with one or two people, we decided that depressions and recessions being what they were it was not a propitious moment for bringing the project to the attention of the alumni and the whole affair was dropped.

Last year a group of enthusiastic alumni of our neighboring sister institution decided that she needed something to mark her centennial and that nothing would be more appropriate than a set of commemorative plates made by the celebrated English pottery firm of Wedgwood. Virginia Military Institute now has her plates, and beauties they are. This started me thinking (an unusual professional activity, perhaps, but an occasional one). If hard-boiled military men can be interested in such things why not the effete sons of Washington and Lee? I talked to a number of alumni about the matter and their reaction was always the same. "If the Alumni Association would get out such a set of plates, I would feel they would be doing me a service and not making any demands on me."

So—Alumni President Lykes, Cy Young and I got together with Mr. Leech, representing the Wedgwood company, and it was decided to go ahead with the project. President Lykes appointed a committee consisting of Cy

Young, Stuart Moore and me to arrange details and we got busy with the results that you may read below. The center views were chosen and Wedgwood submitted a tentative design for the border which was exhibited at finals to the visiting alumni and me with universal approval. A reproduction of their design will be sent every alumnus in the fall.

A word of explanation about the choice of views to go in the center of the plates: Some one is going to say: "Why didn't they include a picture of Washington and Lee?" Well, we decided that there are things more appetizing than eating off other people's faces and that it wouldn't contribute to the success of a dinner party to have Old George peering out at you from a mound of mashed potatoes or to see a wisp of spaghetti festooned over General Lee's moustache and beard.

You will be interested, of course, in a description of the plates:

Extreme care has been exercised in making these plates a fitting reminder of our school. A special border characteristic of Washington and Lee has been designed and the eight center views have been chosen for their artistic merit as well as for their sentimental value.

The plates are to be made in England at the famous Wedgwood potteries. They will be of a fine earthenware and the designs are to be printed from hand-engraved copper plates in blue, mulberry and green and laid on under the glaze so as never to be damaged by wear. Since the subscription lists will not be closed until fall and the plates must be made in England, delivery cannot be expected until early in 1940.

The border has been designed specially to suggest the history, architecture, landscape, flora, etc., of Washington and Lee and its beautiful campus. We are proud to boast that the design contains not a dot or line of decorative material that is not inspired by our school tradition.

Flowering sprays of the campus dogwood, moving clockwise, lead the eye around a series of medallions enclosed between the alternate square and round columns of our colonnade. These insets indicate in chronological order: first, Liberty Hall Academy; then, Washington College; and last, Lee Chapel. At the bottom appears the coat-of-arms of the University worked into a formal arrangement with the athletic monograms. Inside the floral

border is the legend "Washington and Lee University" with the lettering taken from the official seal of the school. In the center of each plate there is some familiar campus scene.

Each set of eight plates will contain the following center views:

1. WASHINGTON COLLEGE, the familiar south view of the oldest building on the campus, sometimes called the Main Building.

2. LEE CHAPEL, looking down the walk toward the south side of the chapel with the row of old ash trees on the left.

3. LEE-JACKSON HOME, the most historic building on the campus, with the century-old dogwood trees in bloom. Here lived Robert E. Lee, Stonewall Jackson, and, in

our days, Professors Quarles, Gurrell, Shannon and Moreland.

4. CAMPUS WALK, the fork in the path near the Episcopal Church showing the monumental old ash tree that, for generations, every student has passed every day. Washington College in the background.

5. CARNEGIE LIBRARY, view from the east with House Mountain in the background.

6. DOREMUS GYMNASIUM, shown on top of the hill with the bridge to Wilson Field in the foreground.

7. TUCKER HALL, the new law building with the old sycamore tree and Dr. Howe's iris blooming to the right.

8. WASHINGTON COLLEGE, 1857, a view of the campus from a quaint old print of Lexington, now in the
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Center Views

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Washington College.....[] | 5. Carnegie Library[] |
| 2. Lee Chapel.....[] | 6. Doremus Gymnasium[] |
| 3. Lee-Jackson Home.....[] | 7. Tucker Hall[] |
| 4. Campus Walk.....[] | 8. Washington College, 1857.....[] |

Washington and Lee Alumni Association, Inc.
Lexington, Virginia

One of the "Lee Boys" Writes—

(Reminiscences of Jas. McFaddin Blanding, from the years 1681 to 1871)

THE boat reached Lexington about 8:00 a. m. and I went to the hotel and put on my dress suit and went over to the college to matriculate about nine o'clock in the morning.

There were very few on the campus and information from the janitor pointed out General Lee's office, advising me that he was there. Of course I was immensely excited over meeting the greatest leader of the South and before entering his office I was shaking with fear. I found General Lee alone and he met me at the door and gave me a grip of friendship with a kindly smile which made me feel as if he was an old acquaintance. He sat in front of his large table with piles of papers, orderly arranged with weights on them; he drew up a chair opposite himself and asked me to be seated.

Colonel Asberry Coward, who was principal of King's Mountain school of York, South Carolina, had written a letter of introduction for me to General Lee; also there were letters from General Kershaw, General Kennedy and my father. I handed the batch over to him, he opened my father's letter first, took out the check for my tuition fees, etc., and had me sign the matriculation pledge. He spoke very kindly of my father, who was for eighteen months colonel under him in Virginia, and expressed regret that his health had failed him but was glad to know that he had partially recovered his health later. He then read the Kershaw and Kennedy letters and then read the Coward letter which was signed A. Coward as Colonel Coward always signed his name. When he reached the end of the letter with a smile he looked at me and said, "A. Coward?"; he looked again at the signature and with a brighter smile said again, "A. Coward?" Looking at the name the third time with a very broad smile on his face he said, "A. Coward?"; then he looked at me with a solemn face and said, "Mr. Blanding, A. Coward with his splendid regiment served with me in the army of northern Virginia and a braver, truer or more efficient officer I never knew, and whenever I had a difficult maneuver to be carried out Colonel Coward with his regiment was one of the first officers I called upon to execute it and it was always done just exactly as it should have been."

Thinking that he was a very busy man, I tried several times to leave his office but he insisted upon my remaining, asking about his friends and his army companions in

South Carolina, many of whom I knew quite well. After being in the office with him for one-half or three-quarters of an hour, I went back to the hotel and wrote a letter to Colonel Coward, trying to use as nearly as possible General Lee's words spoken of him. Colonel Coward and I were great friends and I had a reply from him thanking me for the letter and saying that it was an heirloom which was to remain in his family.

General Lee was very busy after that, having hardly a moment to give anyone except on business and I saw very little of him except of his going and coming from his home to his office; but on many occasions I, like the other students, made it a point to meet him on these trips so as to salute him and to receive his salute.

A few weeks after I matriculated, about October 1, there came up a very cold wind which might compare with our Texas northers and the storm overtook him while he was on West Main Street, riding as he did almost every day after office hours on his faithful "Traveller," wearing a broad brim black felt hat with a large cloak, which I think was lined with red flannel. Some eight or ten of us were standing on the corner of the main cross street in Lexington and someone called, "Yonder comes General Lee!" Looking west on Main Street some three or four hundreds yards away he came at full lope and sweeping around the corner on which we stood, saluting us and we returning the same; then turning northward reached his home about three blocks away.

I have seen many graceful riders but he was the most graceful I have ever seen.

In October he attended a meeting of the Episcopal Church of which he was an officer and there he caught a cold which caused pneumonia, resulting in his death a few days thereafter. General Lee was desperately ill for a short time and on Tuesday morning the professors were notified that he was very ill and probably would not last through the day, and they were advised that in case of his death the college bell would toll.

I was in my Moral Philosophy class room between 11 and 12 o'clock. This class was taught by Dr. Kirkpatrick, father of Mrs. Prather, whose husband was later president of the University of Texas. We had hardly commenced the recitation before the bell tolled and at the first sound, the professor and the students drew their

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Carves Chest for Queen

MISS MARY BARCLAY is well known to Washington and Lee alumni as Cy Young's secretary, but she isn't well known to them for her wood carving, a hobby that has developed into such fine proportions that she completed a handsome chest which was presented to the Queen of England on her recent visit to Washington. A similar chest, also Miss Mary's handiwork, was presented to Mrs. Roosevelt.

Miss Mary has been carving wood into beautiful things for some time now, but the creation of the chests for the Queen and the First Lady came about this way:

Several months ago she was asked to make the two chests for Bolling L. Robertson of Short Hills, New Jersey. The chests were to be filled with candles which he manufactures, and in turn presented to the two "first ladies." The chests, 22 by 15 inches and six inches deep, were made of Cuban mahogany.

The two chests were identical except for the crest, the one for the Queen bearing her personal crest and the one for Mrs. Roosevelt bearing her family crest. A silver fork from the White House was sent to Miss Mary, for her to

follow the Roosevelt crest imprinted on it; a copy of the Queen's crest was obtained from the Herald's College in London. The crests, as carved by Miss Mary on the finely-made chests, were six inches square.

Mrs. Roosevelt's chest was delivered to the White House, and the one for Queen Elizabeth was delivered to the British ambassador at the British Embassy in Washington.

Miss Mary does most of her carving on Cuban mahogany. Her work includes large chests, fraternity crests, images for gardens, and other designs.

Lauck Elected President

C. HAROLD LAUCK, superintendent of the Washington and Lee Journalism Laboratory Press, which prints THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE, recently was elected president of the National Graphic Arts Education Guild at its meeting in New York City. Meetings were held at Columbia University.

Lauck prepared, and printed at the Journalism Laboratory Press, a keepsake for the members and friends of graphic arts education—a booklet which was distributed at the association's annual banquet, entitled, "The William Parks Paper Mill at Williamsburg," by Rutherford Goodwin, of Colonial Williamsburg, Inc.

Lauck's election to the presidency of the national organization followed numerous honors bestowed upon him in recent years for his work in typography. In addition to superintending the work of the press at Washington and Lee, he teaches a course in "Mechanics of Journalism" in the department of journalism.

Also he has been instrumental in organizing the Eastern Typographers, a group of typographers associated for the purpose of exchanging typographical specimens and ideas. Membership is by invitation only. Lauck serves the group as "librarian."

ALFRED H. WISHNEW, class of 1937, has announced the opening of offices for the general practice of law at 153 Pierrepont Street, Brooklyn, New York.

R. C. GILMORE, class of 1932, has been appointed manager of the Washington agency of the Bankers Life Company of Des Moines, Iowa.

THOMAS H. ALPHIN, class of 1936, is on the research staff of The Blandy Experimental Farm, Boyce, Virginia, where he has been since September, 1936. Upon completion of his work there he plans to enter the University of Virginia Medical School.

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Random Notes on Sports

LOOKING back over the spring sports season, it's obvious that the Generals didn't fare so badly on the baseball diamond, the cinder path, the tennis court and the golf course. The black mark, if it could be called that under the circumstances under which they row, went to the crew with three losses in intercollegiate competition. Not equipped or trained up to par with their competitors, the oarsmen simply were outclassed.

The spring of 1939 witnessed a resurgence of interest in track, with Coach Fletcher's well-balanced squad brushing aside all dual meet foes with the exception of Maryland, which boasted one of its best teams in years. In the Southern Conference meet at Chapel Hill, the Generals' Heartsill Ragon stepped the 440 in 48.9 to win. The Generals placed second in the state meet.

The Washington and Lee nine won seven games, lost ten, several by close decisions, and was rained out of five scheduled tilts.

Coach Ollinger Crenshaw's tennis team won seven matches, losing during the season only to Michigan, in the first meet of the year, and to Virginia's hard-hitting courtmen. In the Conference tournament, the Generals were outclassed.

Coach Cy Twombly's golf team lost only three dual matches this spring, and won the others by comfortable enough margins.

In the recently inaugurated sport of lacrosse, the Washington and Lee stickmen under Coach Larkin Farinholt tied for leadership of the Dixie League. The Generals capped their season's record with a convincing 9-5 victory over North Carolina in the last game of the season, played at Lexington.

Briefly speaking, then, it was a fairly good season all around.

Now for some brief notes about football:

The Generals again will train at Nimrod Hall, secluded retreat in the Alleghanies about fifty miles west of Lexington. Dick Boisseau, giant tackle from Petersburg, Virginia, is captain of the 1939 eleven; he will be holding down his side of the line in his usual fine style, but there'll be a gap in the other tackle slot because of the

graduation of Joe Ochsie, the "sixty-minute man" of Washington and Lee football. Ochsie will play pro football this fall with the New York Giants.

From this distance—speaking in terms of weeks and months—it looks like two major factors will hinder the team's chances for considerable success on the 1939 gridiron. They are: (1) lack of capable reserves, and (2) lack of weight.

There just won't be many fine reserves. And the boys just don't tip the scales as heavily as many of their opponents.

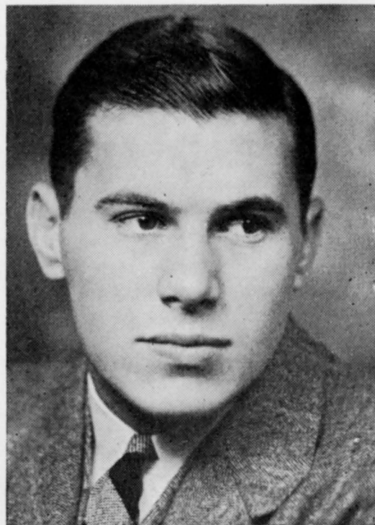
One chief and unexpected loss this fall is Harrison Hogan, the triple-threat back who elected not to return to school after spring holidays this year. His place in the backfield will be hard to fill.

We could go on and on about the prospects, but we won't. We'll save more comment about the gridiron until the fall issue, when football will be in the air. At this time of the year it's en-

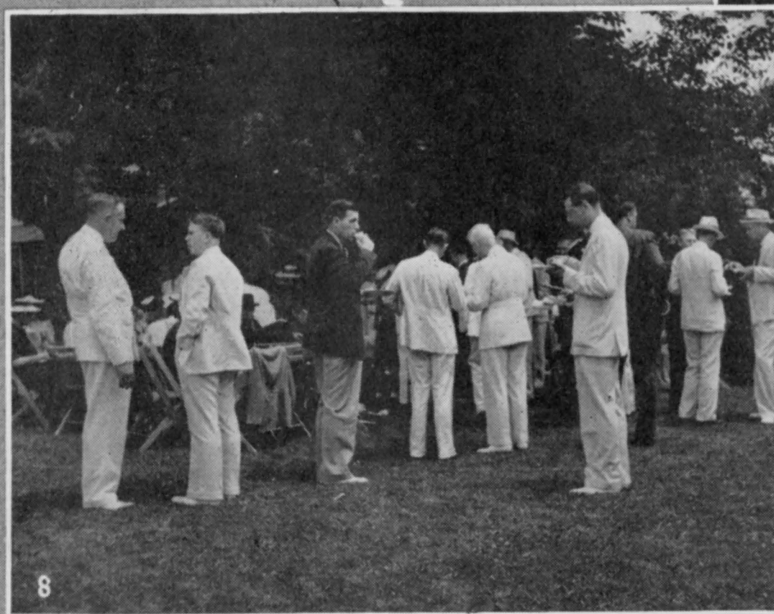
tirely too hot to think or talk football! Spring sports results are as follows:

BASEBALL

Washington and Lee, 8; Ohio State University	6
Washington and Lee, 5; Lynchburg College	4
Washington and Lee, ..; Bridgewater College	Rain
Washington and Lee, 4; Randolph-Macon College	17
Washington and Lee, 3; William and Mary	9
Washington and Lee, 0; University of Richmond	21
Washington and Lee, ..; University of North Carolina	Rain
Washington and Lee, 5; North Carolina State	3
Washington and Lee, ..; Duke University	Rain
Washington and Lee, 4; University of Michigan	9
Washington and Lee, ..; University of Maryland	Rain
Washington and Lee, 1; University of North Carolina	2
Washington and Lee, 4; Roanoke College	7
Washington and Lee, 4; William and Mary	3
Washington and Lee, 13; Virginia Polytechnic Institute	3
Washington and Lee, 8; University of Virginia	10
Washington and Lee, 1; University of Richmond	3
Washington and Lee, 4; Virginia Polytechnic Institute	1
Washington and Lee, 2; University of Virginia	9
Washington and Lee, 7; Randolph-Macon College	8
Washington and Lee, 5; Georgetown University	4
Washington and Lee, ..; University of Maryland	Rain

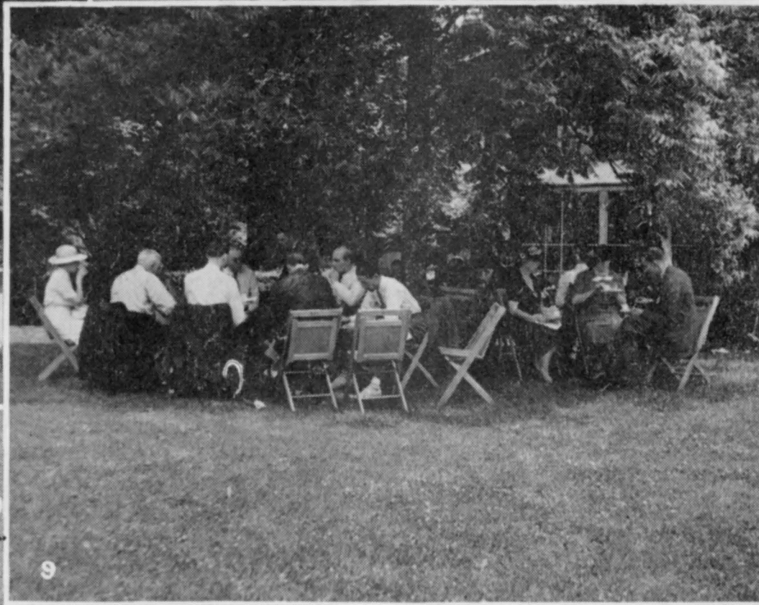


Dick Boisseau



6, 7, 8, 9. Casual shots at Alumni Luncheon; 10. Among the graduates of 1939 were sixteen sons of alumni. These are listed below with their fathers. Asterisks indicate those not appearing in the picture. *Fred Bartenstein, 1908, Fred Bartenstein, Jr., 1939;

*Ernest Beale, 1908, *J. V. Beale, 1939; *G. W. Cleek, 1912, *T. R. Cleek, 1939; M. E. Crusier, 1909, M. E. Crusier, Jr., 1939; *J. J. Davis, 1892, *J. J. Davis, Jr., 1939; W. T. Delaplaine, 1909, W. T. Delaplaine, III, 1939; H. A. Derr, 1910, W. G. Derr, 1939; *E. W.



Foreman, 1911, *F. W. Foreman, 1939; H. L. Handley, 1906, H. L. Handley, Jr., 1939; Bernie Harper, 1913, *Bernie Harper, Jr., 1939; R. F. Hutcheson, 1910, R. F. Hutcheson, Jr., 1939; A. R. Larrick, 1907, A. R. Larrick, Jr., 1939; *W. S. Parkins, 1914, J. A. Parkins,

1939; Heartsill, Ragon, 1908, *Heartsill Ragon, Jr., 1939; G. M. Smith, 1905, G. M. Smith, Jr., 1939; Larry Wilson, 1910, Ben Wilson, 1939. These pictures were made at the annual Alumni luncheon at the University Dining Hall.

TRACK

Washington and Lee, 78 ; William and Mary	48
Washington and Lee, 80½; University of Richmond	45½
Washington and Lee, 85 ; Virginia Tech	41
Washington and Lee, 49 ; University of Maryland	77
State Meet at Richmond	Placed Second
Southern Conference Meet	Tied for Fourth Place

LACROSSE

Washington and Lee, 5; Navy "B"	3
Washington and Lee, 7; University of Virginia	5
Washington and Lee, 5; Swarthmore	8
Washington and Lee, 5; Duke University	3
Washington and Lee, 4; Duke University	3
Washington and Lee, 8; North Carolina	3
Washington and Lee, 7; University of Virginia	2
Washington and Lee, 9; North Carolina	5

TENNIS

Washington and Lee, 3; Michigan	6
Washington and Lee, 9; Manhattan	0
Washington and Lee, 9; Hampden-Sydney	0
Washington and Lee, ; North Carolina	Rain
Washington and Lee, 7; North Carolina State	2
Washington and Lee, 7; Wm. and Mary (Norfolk Division)	0
Washington and Lee, 0; University of Virginia	9
Washington and Lee, ; University of Maryland	Rain
Washington and Lee, 7; Elon College	0
Washington and Lee, 9; William and Mary	0
Washington and Lee, 9; North Carolina State	0

GOLF

Washington and Lee, 3 ; Boston	6
Washington and Lee, 15½; Apprentice School	2½
Washington and Lee, 13½; William and Mary	4½
Washington and Lee, 12 ; University of Virginia	13
Washington and Lee, 18 ; Richmond	0
Washington and Lee, 7 ; Navy	2
Washington and Lee, 2 ; Duke University	16

CREW

American International College	Lost
Rollins College	Lost
Richmond University	Lost

VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE FOR 1939

Sept. 30	Sewanee	Lexington, Va.
Oct. 7	Richmond University	Lexington, Va.
Oct. 14	Southwestern University	Memphis, Tenn.
Oct. 21	West Virginia	Charleston, West Va.
Oct. 28	Virginia Polytechnic Institute	Lynchburg, Va.
Nov. 4	Washington University	St. Louis, Mo.
Nov. 10	Univ. of Virginia (Homecoming)	Lexington, Va.
Nov. 18	William and Mary	Williamsburg, Va.
Nov. 30	Univ. of Maryland (Thanksgiving)	Baltimore, Md.

JOHN H. TUCKER, JR., class of 1910, who is a prominent member of the bar in Shreveport, Louisiana, has been appointed acting president of the Louisiana State Law Institute. This organization, recently created by the legislature of that state, has been given the task of stating, commenting upon and bringing up to date the civil law of that state.

**Washington and Lee Alumni, Inc.
Treasurer's Report**

Year Ending June 1, 1939

RECEIPTS

Bank Balance, June 1, 1938	\$2,760.30
Contributions to Alumni Fund	5,451.43
Magazine Subscriptions	198.50
Magazine Advertising	104.40
Refund for Telephone Call	1.25
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	\$8,515.88

DISBURSEMENTS

Office Supplies	\$ 352.00
Postage	168.30
Public Utilities	106.67
Bulletins	219.65
Magazine	1,511.89
Salaries	1,422.85
Alumni Luncheons and Smokers	403.85
Traveling Expense	336.25
Alumni Fund Expense	809.46
Miscellaneous	170.49
Checks returned	10.00
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	\$5,511.41

RECAPITULATION

Receipts and Money in Bank	\$8,515.88
Disbursements	5,511.41
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	\$3,004.47

TRIAL BALANCE

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Magazine Advertising		\$ 104.40
Bulletins	\$ 210.65	
Alumni Luncheons and Smokers	403.85	
Alumni Fund		5,441.43
Alumni Fund Expense	809.46	
General Account (Net Worth)		2,760.30
Magazine	1,313.39	
Miscellaneous	170.49	
Office Supplies	352.00	
Postage	168.30	
Public Utilities	105.42	
Rockbridge Bank	3,004.47	
Salary Account	1,422.85	
Traveling Account	336.25	
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	\$8,306.13	\$8,306.13

Notes on Meeting of Alumni, Inc.

PRESIDENT LYKES called the meeting to order at two o'clock, and asked that those present stand for a moment in memory of Miss Annie Joe White and Mr. Henry Boley, beloved friends of the University, who died during the past year.

President Lykes then introduced Dr. Gaines, who made a short speech of welcome to the alumni, reporting that in every way he feels the University has had the best year in its history.

Dr. Richard Fowlkes, of Richmond, read the report of the Resolutions Committee, and introduced a resolution that hereafter the University hold the Commencement exercises on the lawn, rather than inside the chapel. This resolution was endorsed by the meeting.

Stuart Moore reported as treasurer an exceedingly good year, and referred the alumni present to detailed mimeographed reports available. The treasurer's report was accepted and approved.

Cy Young, alumni secretary, gave an oral report, in which he announced that the Class Agent Plan had its most successful year.

Mr. Lykes gave an oral report as president of the alumni, calling attention to various plans to enlarge the scope of alumni work, and announcing that Mr. Young would hereafter give his undivided attention to the alumni work. He mentioned the necessity of some means of interesting the outgoing classes more promptly in alumni matters.

Ki Williams gave the report of the Nominating Committee. The following names were suggested:

For members of Alumni Board of Trustees: W. Car-

roll Mead, 1925, Baltimore, Maryland; Allen Morgan, 1929, Memphis, Tennessee.

Local members of Athletic Council: Charles Glasgow and Matthew Paxton.

Non-resident members of Athletic Council: Will H. Smith, 1915, Ardmore, Oklahoma; Amos Bolen, 1924, Huntington, West Virginia.

On motion these men were approved.

President Lykes then called on Professor John Graham, who gave a description and explanation of the commemorative Washington and Lee plates, to be made by Wedgwood.

Dr. Gaines made the presentation of the Thomas Nelson Page award, which is presented annually to an alumnus of Washington and Lee for his devotion and service to the University, to L. J. Boxley, LL.B. 1909, of Roanoke, Virginia.

Stephen Chadwick, LL.B. 1914, National Commander of the American Legion, was called on to speak a few words, and he called attention to the friendly spirit of the alumni of this institution and expressed pleasure in being able to attend the twenty-fifth anniversary reunion of his class.

Mr. Young called attention to the fact that the class of 1929 is the leader of the Class Campaign for this year, and that its class agent is Allen Morgan, newly-elected member of the Alumni Board.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

The meeting was held in the recently restored Chapel in the Washington College building.



L. J. Boxley, LL.B., 1909, of Roanoke, Va., who was presented the Thomas Nelson Page award this year, an award made annually to an alumnus for devotion and service to Washington and Lee. Mr. Boxley is president of the Blue Ridge Stone Corporation and of the Trego Stone Corporation and is vice-president of the New Hotel Corporation and the Pembroke Limestone Corporation.

Class Fund Standing, June 17, 1939

Class	Contributors	Amt.	Class Agent
1869-91	18	\$113.00	Alumni Office
*1892	10	125.00	Hale Houston
***1893	13	185.00	B. A. Judd
1894	2	15.00	Alumni Office
1895			
**1896	9	155.00	H. H. Larimore
1897	3	11.00	Alumni Office
1898	11	91.00	Edward A. O'Neal
***1899	11	88.50	Rev. Jas. A. McClure
**1900	4	70.00	Hilton S. Hampton
***1901	5	32.50	Clarence C. Burns
1902	10	85.00	Osman E. Swartz
***1903	17	141.00	Col. James Warren Bagley
1904	6	32.50	K. I. McKay
***1905	9	48.50	Walter G. Riddick
***1906	18	119.50	Dr. F. R. Crawford
***1907	13	69.50	W. R. J. Dunn
1908 A	15	71.00	Peyton Hobson
1908 L	8	45.00	E. L. Beale
***1909 A	16	217.00	Dr. Devall L. Gwathmey
1909 L	5	142.50	Judge E. C. Caffrey
***1910 A	24	230.00	Rayford W. Alley
***1910 L	4	75.00	Orange W. Richardson
1911 A	16	96.00	F. P. Guthrie
***1911 L	7	33.50	Omar T. Kaylor
*1912 A	21	123.00	Dan B. Owen
***1912 L	9	55.00	Judge A. G. Lively
***1913 A	26	139.00	Lewis Twyman
1913 L	5	29.50	Howard P. Macfarlane
*1914 A	19	136.00	Wayne Ely
*1914 L	11	70.00	Ben D. Smith
***1915 A	21	132.20	Paul C. Thomas
1915 L	3	40.00	Arthur M. Birdsall
***1916 A	10	65.00	Battle Bagley
***1916 L	5	22.00	Sam P. Kohen
***1917 A	19	130.50	Marion Sanders
1917 L	1	5.00	Lafe B. Chafin
***1918 A	13	70.00	A. S. Marx
1918 L			
***1919 A		71.50	Dr. T. Dewey Davis
1919 L			
1920 A	24	123.00	Thomas M. Stubbs
1920 L	5	36.00	L. Berkeley Cox
1921 A	12	79.50	John L. Patterson
***1921 L	7	35.00	John Bell
***1922 A	13	80.00	Troy C. Musselwhite
***1922 L	4	20.00	Edmund D. Campbell
***1923 A	5	21.50	Edward Aull
***1923 L	3	15.00	Cy Hall
**1924 A	11	65.00	Frank C. Switzer
**1924 L	4	35.00	Randolph G. Whittle
1925 A	11	75.00	Murrel D. Klein
*1925 L	9	57.50	George T. Clark

Class	Contributors	Amt.	Class Agent
***1926 A	8	55.00	Emmett MacCorkle
***1926 L	4	22.00	Basil G. Watkins
*1927 A	15	93.43	Kenneth A. Durham
***1927 L	5	25.00	Rhea Whitley
***1928 A	5	35.00	Ed Miller
*1928 L	5	22.00	R. W. Jordan
***1929 A	26	146.00	Allen Morgan
1929 L	1	5.00	Ralph M. McLane
***1930 A	23	88.50	Edward S. Graves
***1930 L	4	30.00	Leonard H. Davis
***1931 A	19	94.00	Ben M. Ayars
1931 L	3	20.00	James B. Martin
***1932 A	13	48.50	Kemper Jennings
1932 L	6	47.00	Martin P. Burks, III
*1933 A	17	75.00	Luther Violett, Jr.
***1933 L	4	22.50	Donald K. Crawford
1934 A	8	55.00	George D. McClure
***1934 L	6	27.00	Taylor Jones
***1935 A	6	47.00	William Schuhle
***1935 L	2	7.00	W. W. Brown
***1936 A	8	36.00	Tyree F. Wilson
1936 L			
***1937 A	11	48.00	Fielden Woodward
***1937 L	6	16.00	Stanley C. Higgins, Jr.
1938 A	6	26.00	Sam P. McChesney, Jr.
1938 L			
1939-40	1	5.00	Alumni Office
1957	1	10.00	Alumni Office
Totals	753	\$5135.63	

*More contributors than last year.
 **More money than last year.
 ***More contributors and more money.

One of the "Lee Boys" Writes

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handkerchiefs from their pockets and tears dimmed their eyes. We were dismissed at once. The funeral was held on Friday. In the long funeral procession Old Traveller was led by his faithful groom and followed behind the hearse and looked as if he understood that his great master had left him. General Lee's body was temporarily placed in a vault in the library under the chapel and certain of the students were appointed to take their turn as a special guard, while the library doors were thrown open to the public. It was my privilege to act as a guard several times over the tomb of General Lee before I left college in 1870.

G. C. CROWELL, 1937, is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Hugo, Oklahoma, going there in 1934 from Buchanan, Virginia.



Cy Young, Now Full-Time Alumni Secretary

By RICHARD P. CARTER, 1929

It is a real pleasure to be here in Lexington where it's sometimes cool and sometimes very hot in the summertime and not many people are around—it is a pleasure to sit here and write about Cy Young.

(Cy is away on vacation now, and I'm leaving any hour, so the task of finally editing this piece of copy will fall into the capable hands of Harold Lauck, who as director of the Journalism Laboratory Press at Washington and Lee handles the mechanical production of this magazine. I'll be brief. It's too hot anyway to write or read very much.)

There's a new story to tell about Cy. Perhaps you've already heard it; perhaps you haven't:

Cy is to be full-time alumni secretary for Washington and Lee.

The appointment was given approval at the 190th finals program this June, and announced to the general alumni meeting by President Lykes of the Alumni Association.

Some details remain to be worked out, but beginning this fall Cy will give up his myriad coaching activities and devote his full time and energy to the Alumni Association.

That's the present plan, and if I may speak editorially it's a plan that will make the Alumni Association "hum." Cy has that ability to throw considerable energy into his work, and he'll work as hard at it as he ever did at any important athletic contest when his team was in the thick of a battle for supremacy.

Let's quote in part from a column by Cawthon Bowen, sports editor of the *Roanoke, Virginia, Times*:

"... For some time now Cy's coaching duties have been something of a secondary nature to his other jobs in the General stronghold. He's had a mass of work to do serving as alumni secretary, basketball coach and tutor of freshman footballers and baseballers.

"We never witnessed him in action in the work he will now do but in the other three we have seen him and the impression is a lasting one. One thought only that here was some life and death matter, more important than anything else in the world, when Cy was coaching those boys of Washington and Lee. . . ."

Cy will carry that energy to his new assignment. I know. I've been watching him at work for the few years I have been on the University staff. (If he were here to

read this, he undoubtedly would ask me to "cut down on that stuff about me"; but he isn't here, and besides, I'd probably sneak it into print anyway.)

Cy, perhaps the best known basketball coach in the Southern Conference and certainly one of the most popular, is to give up all of his coaching activities.

Cy came to Washington and Lee from William and Mary where he had been freshman football and basketball and varsity baseball coach. Since the Southern Conference basketball tournament was inaugurated at Raleigh, his Washington and Lee cagers have won two championships, one in 1934 and one in 1937. The Generals were runners-up in 1935 and 1936.

In point of games played at the tournament, the Generals under Cy have won more games than any other team, and he has placed to date more men on all-conference teams than any other coach.

You know most of the rest about Cy—how he served overseas, how he returned to enter the lumber business but couldn't stay away from colleges and college athletics and alumni work, how he was a four-sport captain at Washington and Lee, when he was a member of the class of 1917.

Alumni President Lykes voiced the opinion of alumni when he said the appointment of Cy as full-time secretary was "very much in accordance with the wishes of the alumni."

Cy will be missed in sports, of course. Anyone with as much "color" as he had as a basketball coach especially will be missed.

But he has a more important job to do now. I know he will do it well.

Marriage

LONDON V. BUTLER, A.B. 1937, and Miss Sydney William Johnston were married April 27 at the Crawford Street Methodist Church, Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Births

MR. AND MRS. J. L. LOCKETT, JR. (B.A. 1929 and M.A. 1930) are the parents of a son, born January 10, 1939. The Locketts live in Houston, Texas.

A son, Atherton Clark Lowry, was born March 20, 1939 to the REV. AND MRS. CHARLES W. LOWRY, JR. (B.A. 1926). The Rev. and Mrs. Lowry are at the Virginia Seminary in Alexandria.

In Memoriam

THOMAS E. BATTLE, who was one of the student guards of honor at the bier of General Lee, died May 11 at Marlin, Falls County, Texas. He was a student at Washington College-Washington and Lee from 1868 to 1871. Mr. Battle was ninety-one years old and was founder and president of the First State Bank at Marlin; he remained active in the business until several weeks before his death.

BENJAMIN FLOURNOY, well known Washington architect who received his C.E. from Washington and Lee in 1897, died April 25 at his home in the capital. For the past few years he had been senior architect in the office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury; he was a close student of architecture and a magazine contributor on the subject.

FERDINAND J. WALZ, B.S. 1903, of Louisville, Kentucky, died on October 23, 1938. Mr. Walz was a native of Lexington, Virginia, and visited the Washington and Lee campus shortly before his death.

Washington and Lee Plates

(Continued from page 10)

Treasurer's office, showing the old dormitories, Paradise and Purgatory, students playing on the front lawn, the ruins of Liberty Hall in the middle distance and House Mountain dominating all.

DISTINCTIVE FIRST EDITIONS: Collectors—or those with the collector instinct—will be interested to know that first edition plates will be designated by a back-stamp of the official University seal, bearing the portraits of Lee and Washington.

The designs may be ordered printed in Staffordshire blue, mulberry, or green, so as to fit in with any scheme of decoration. Each plate will be 10 and 11/16 inches in diameter and thus suitable for use as either dinner or service plate.

In anticipation of a large demand, the cost of the Washington and Lee plates has been set at the low price of \$1.50 each, \$12.00 for the complete set. There is no packing charge, but express or postage is extra. Subscriptions must be paid in advance.

THE UPPER POTOMAC ALUMNI CHAPTER met at Cumberland May 5 for a dinner meeting, with high school seniors as guests. L. Leslie Homer, president of the group, presided, with Billy Wilson acting as toastmaster and introducing Dr. Walter A. Flick, head of psychology and education department at Washington and Lee.

Class Notes

1893

H. A. ALBRIGHT is secretary and treasurer of Robertson and Company, wholesale grocers of Columbus, Mississippi. Mr. Albright was class agent for this class in 1893 and made a fine job of it. He has been dreaming of a world-tour and says he is rubbing up on his French, Spanish, German, Japanese and Chinese.

ELIJAH FUNKHOUSER is Commander, Central Division, Sons of Confederate Veterans. His address is 7522 Eastlake Terrace, Chicago, Illinois. He has a farm five miles out of Lexington where he spends part of each summer.

H. WADDELL PRATT is professor of philosophy and theology in Columbia Bible College, Columbia, South Carolina. He says, "I have more prospective foreign missionaries studying under me than are found in all the Presbyterian theological seminaries in the United States."

1896

H. V. CANTER has completed his twenty-ninth year of service in the University of Illinois.

WILLIAM D. ADAMS is in the insurance business in Dallas, Texas. He is a regular reader of *The Ring-tum Phi*, and is both scholastically and fraternally interested in his Alma Mater. His residence address is 1610 Seevers, Dallas, Texas.

PAUL M. PENICK is treasurer of the University and active and interested in alumni affairs.

1898

HENRY W. ANDERSON is a member of the law firm of Hunton, Williams, Anderson, Gay and Moore, Electric Building, Richmond, Virginia.

R. W. HOLT is chief accountant of the public schools of the District of Columbia. His residence address is 1907 Kenyon Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Some of the class notes used in this issue of THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE were taken from letters received by the Alumni Office as long ago as last fall. The editors ask your pardon if, as a result of this, some inaccuracies are noted; we want, however, to give you as many good class notes as possible.

W. ROSS McCAIN is president of the Aetna Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut.

D. C. SATTERWHITE has been with Stanley H. Horner, Inc., Buick Cars, Washington, D. C., since 1936.

ROBERT W. MAYO is practicing law in Dallas, Texas, with offices at 1108 Kirby Building.

1899

The typographical error creeps in at the most unwanted times; sooner or later every publication falls prey to it; THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE is no exception. In the last issue of the magazine, two class notes of the class of 1899 were run together through the inadvertent dropping of a line. The two notes should have appeared as follows:

COLONEL BRYAN CONRAD, United States Army, retired, lives at 601 East Grace Street, Richmond, Virginia.

CHARLES PHILIP SNYDER, rear admiral, United States Navy, is president of the Naval War College, Newport, Rhode Island. He has been in the Navy forty-two years. He says: "If any of the old Washington and Lee men, particularly of 1899, come this way, I will always be glad to welcome them and show them this great governmental institution, which they are probably not very familiar with but which fills a most important niche in the government's scheme for the national defense."

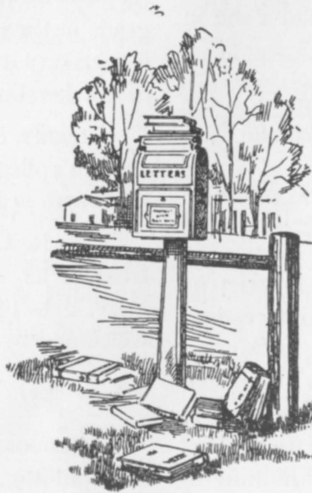
H. B. CHERMSIDE is clerk of the circuit court of Charlotte County, Virginia. He reports that he is well and happy and when not at work, is raising roses and fishing.

W. C. WATSON has been with the N. Y.-N. H. & H. Railroad thirty-four years. He has designed some fine bridges.

DR. GUSTAV CAPITO is practicing medicine in Charleston, West Virginia.

1902

PAUL V. BARTLETT lives at 1113 Ridge Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He writes: "I hold for Washington and Lee a great reverence and respect, and a keen joy



that all the alumni of this great institution may reach material heights with ever-increasing spiritual growth."

D. E. WITT is special agent for the New Hampshire Fire Insurance Company, with offices in the Krise Building, Lynchburg, Virginia.

JOHN P. WALL is practicing law at 5414 Leary Avenue, Seattle, Washington.

VERNON T. DAVIS has been in the cotton business in Jackson, Mississippi, since 1904, buying and selling raw cotton. The business was started in 1872 by his father.

MELVILLE A. WILSON has practiced law at Fort Meade, Florida, since his graduation. He has served his city as mayor for five consecutive years.

VOLNEY M. BROWN is a member of the law firm of Brown & Brown, El Paso National Bank, El Paso, Texas. He says: "It is a far cry from the days in 1898 when as a green ranch youth fresh from my 'boots and saddles' from the cow country in Southwest Texas, north of the Frio, I entered the portals of Washington and Lee, where I was a student two of the most pleasant years of my life. I am still interested in our old ranch properties, owned by myself and my brothers, located some sixty miles south of San Antonio, yet I seldom go to the ranch. I am rather closely confined to an active practice of the law."

J. POWELL ROYAL has been twice mayor of Tazewell, Virginia, served two terms as state senator from districts composed of Buchanan, Dickenson, Russell and Tazewell Counties, and was commonwealth's attorney for Tazewell County from 1924 to 1928. He has a wife and nine children—five boys and four girls.

1903

B. F. COMBS is practicing law in the First National Bank Building, Prestonsburg, Kentucky. He had a son in the sophomore class last year.

P. V. LITTLEPAGE is in the chemical department of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, Roanoke, Va.

J. M. B. GILL, after serving as an Episcopal Missionary in China, and later as rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Petersburg, Virginia, has found the missionary urge too strong. He is with the Missionary District of Eastern Oregon. He says: "My work is quite interesting, as I have a parish to cover which is as large as Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island, with a little room left over. I minister to ranchers, cowboys, sheep herders and to a congregation here in the little town of Lakeview. Spend a great deal of my time in my car—it is nothing to

drive 175 miles to hold a service and Sunday School. This little town is unique in one respect—an old bachelor left a fund of nearly a million dollars to send boys and girls graduating from Lake County High Schools to Oregon universities and colleges, and every year fifteen graduates from our high school get a chance at a college education; so we have a peculiarly cultured community."

1904

K. I. MCKAY is a member of the law firm of McKay, Macfarlane, Jackson and Ramsey of Tampa, Florida, with offices in the Citrus Exchange Building, Tampa, Florida. He has practiced in the courts from Justice of the Peace to United States Supreme Court, and before various government departments and committees of Congress. He is married and has a daughter and three sons. Sends his most cordial regards to all members of the class of 1904.

JULIAN F. BOUCHELLE is judge of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit of West Virginia. His home is in Charleston.

ARTHUR TABB is manager of the Tabb Storage Warehouse, Freight Transfer Line, Louisville, Kentucky.

1905

LEWRIGHT BROWNING is engaged in the practice of law, with offices at Ashland, Kentucky, and Maysville, Kentucky. He lives at Ashland, Kentucky.

1906

B. J. MEYER is practicing law under the firm name of Lovejoy and Meyer, LaGrange, Georgia.

CLAUDE LIGHT is prosecuting attorney of Wood County, West Virginia, at Parkersburg, West Virginia. Has been an elder in the First Presbyterian Church for the past four years, and teaches a class of senior high and grads in the senior department of the Sunday School. He is secretary of the local Washington and Lee alumni group of Parkersburg. Was married recently.

ALBERT STEVES, JR., has had three out of his four sons in college at Washington and Lee, the third now in his fourth year.

JAS. R. CASKIE, member of the University board of trustees as well as of the executive committee of that body, gets to Lexington frequently, where he is always welcomed by his many friends.

1907

THEODORE B. BENSON is practicing law in the Southern Building, Washington, D. C.

1908

JAMES M. O'BRIEN is practicing law in Los Angeles, California, with offices Mezzanine Suite—817 South Western Avenue. He has a daughter working in the movies under the name of Jane Bryan.

GEORGE E. CARY is practicing law in Gloucester, Va.

ROBERT R. GRAY is minister of the Union and Salem Presbyterian Churches, Union, West Virginia.

PHIL PAGE is with the *Chicago Journal* of Commerce and LaSalle Street, 12 East Grand Street, Chicago, Illinois. Is active in work with the Washington and Lee alumni group.

F. F. MILLSAPS was recently president of the Louisiana Bankers Association. He is connected with the Quachita National Bank of Monroe, Louisiana.

JAMES K. GUTHRIE, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist of Martinsburg, West Virginia, says there hasn't been any change in his affairs since his previous letter. The two boys, fourteen and fifteen, rode their bicycles from Martinsburg to Fremont, Nebraska, last summer, sleeping out of doors.

J. S. LONG is superintendent of the Water Department of the city of Tampa, Florida.

1909

ELLIOTT VAWTER is secretary of Barrows & Company, Inc., Miners and Shippers, Steam, Gas, By-Products and Domestic Coal, First Huntington National Bank Building, Huntington, West Virginia.

JOS. T. LYKES, president of the Washington and Lee Alumni, Inc., is vice-president of Lykes Brothers, Inc., Steamship Operators, 17 Battery Place, New York.

1910

W. L. TILDEN is president of the Florida Citrus Exchange of Tampa, Florida. His home is at Orlando.

JOHN R. TUCKER, JR., is a member of the law firm of Tucker & Mason, Commercial National Bank Building, Shreveport, Louisiana. Mr. Tucker was on the program for the dedication of the new law building at Louisiana State University, his subject being "The Future of the Civil Law in Louisiana."

PHILIP W. MURRAY is practicing law in Newport

News, Virginia. His firm is Lett, Murray and Ford, with offices in the First National Bank Building, Newport News, Virginia.

DR. G. R. FORTSON is a physician and surgeon, Susanville, California.

1911

HENRY W. DEW has been enjoying life in Jacksonville, Florida, since 1929. He is married and has four children. Says he can't find anything to complain about, which he is pleased to say is the general state of most of the inhabitants of his sunshiny state. He is with the Florida National Building Corporation, 1514 Barnett Building, Jacksonville, Florida.

J. PAXTON BARCLAY is manager of the Midwest District of The Pure Oil Company, The Pure Oil Building, 35 East Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois. He and his wife were in Lexington in the early summer, renewing old friendships.

E. W. FOREMAN is assistant to the general superintendent of the Bayway Refinery of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. He is married and has a son twenty-one years old, who graduated from Washington and Lee this year and has entered the Law School. He lives in Elizabeth, New Jersey.

M. E. KURTH is a member of the law firm of Andrews, Kelly, Kurth and Campbell, Gulf Building, Houston, Texas. He has two daughters and a son.

L. L. HUMPHREYS is president of the Security National Bank of Duncan, Oklahoma.

GEORGE MUNSEY WESTON lives at Swanquarter, North Carolina. Says he still has the same drawing instruments he used at Washington and Lee and they are prized relics to him.

WILLIAM PAXTON is president of the Rockingham Chemical Lime Corporation, Linville, Virginia. Since his graduation in 1911 he has been connected with the same business continuously, with the exception of a year and a half in the Army, and has held all the jobs from office boy up to president.

E. B. LEMON is a member of the firm of Wendel-Lemon, Inc., Rental Agents, 26 West Kirk Avenue, Roanoke, Virginia.



W. P. JACKSON is in the insurance business in Tampa, Florida, representing the American Casualty Company. His address is 612½ Florida Avenue, Tampa, Florida.

R. E. LAYMAN after farming and doing Y. M. C. A. work for a while, took his Master's degree at Vanderbilt University, then in Y. M. C. A. work and teaching for five years, and since that time has been farming near Swope, Virginia. The Laymans have three boys, two in high school and one in graded school.

S. R. GAMMON is head of the history department of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, Texas. He has two sons.

1912

H. L. CROWGEY is teaching school at Pocahontas, Virginia. He has one married daughter, one son and daughter graduated from Emory and Henry College last June, and two younger sons.

WILLIAM J. WILCOX is a member of the firm of Snyder, Wert and Wilcox of Allentown, Pennsylvania.

WILLIAM HODGES MANN, JR., of Petersburg, Virginia, looks no different than he did twenty-five years ago. Claims he has kept out of politics. Is commissioner in chancery and writes that his fees have ranged from one broom to \$25,000, with a dog and a shotgun in between.

JOHN S. SHERERTZ lives in Roanoke, Virginia, where he has been quite successful.

B. C. MOOMAW, JR., is secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Covington, Virginia, working hard for good roads and industries and trying to make a profit out of growing apples, "the king of fruits."

WILLIAM A. HYMAN is still pursuing the hectic life of one engaged in the trial of cases, added to which he has the duties of chairman of the Insurance Committee of the Trade and Commerce Bar Association, vice-chairman of the Insurance Committee of the American Bar Association in New York, as well as doing that kind of work which ultimately devolves upon all who feel they must render a certain service to the community and not be content with merely doing something for one's family and one's self.

PIN WEBSTER is president of the Webster Motor Sales Company, Inc., 1044-1046 State Street, Schenectady, New York.

GEORGE W. STAPLES is a retired minister of the Methodist Church, living in Ashland, Virginia.

C. LEE ORDEMAN has been treasurer and a member of the board of directors of the Mead Sales Company, Inc., 230 Park Avenue, New York, for the last nine years. Expects to send his two sons to Washington and Lee.

DAN MOHLER has been practicing law since taking his L.L. B. from West Virginia University in 1915 in Charleston, West Virginia. His offices are in the Security Bank Building. He is married and has three children, two boys and a girl.

T. P. RICE lives at 718 Farmington Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

PAUL A. ROCKWELL, 142 Hillside Street, Asheville, North Carolina, spends his summers on his farm.

H. E. POTTER, after service overseas in the World War, in which he was severely wounded, returned to Philadelphia and studied law at the University of Pennsylvania, and was graduated in 1923. He is practicing his profession in the Integrity Building, 1528 Walnut Street, Philadelphia.

1913

S. W. MAYTUBBY lives at 1712 N. W. Thirty-eighth Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

ROBERT B. ADAMS is practicing law in Roanoke, Va.

1914

DR. WILLIAM MOSELEY BROWN, 924 West End Avenue, New York, is director of personnel for Vick Chemical Company. His offices are in the Channin Building, 122 East Forty-second Street, New York.

D. C. BUCHANAN, Ichijori, Muromacjo Nishi, Kyoto, Japan, missionary of the Presbyterian Church in the United States. He has four children, George (16), Daniel, Jr. (14), Katherine (12), and Margaret Ann (8). The oldest boy is finishing his second year of high school and on graduation hopes to enter the engineering school of the University of Michigan where he plans to specialize in automotive engineering. The second boy is a freshman at high school and may enter Washington and Lee four years later. The two girls will enter their mother's alma mater, Wellesley College.

1915

LESLIE ANDERSON lives in Mayfield, Kentucky. His address is 620 Chappell Court. Promised to write his class agent the history of his life but didn't get to it.

O. B. BARKER, JR., is with the Barker-Jennings Hardware Corporation, Manufacturers and Jobbers of Hardware, Lynchburg, Virginia.

HOWARD STUCK is owner and operator of the Piggly Wiggly Jonesboro Company, Jonesboro, Arkansas. He and his brother also own and operate a brick plant. He is an elder and church treasurer, and has many outside interests which keep him happy and busy. He has a son and daughter.

1916

N. C. EVANS is with Kaufman-Straus Company, department store, Louisville, Kentucky. He married Elizabeth Oakey of Salem, Virginia, and they have a daughter fifteen and a "Chick, Jr." thirteen, who are headed for Hollins and Washington and Lee, respectively.

J. E. BUCKLEY is practicing law at Marlinton, West Virginia. Both of his children are girls, the eldest a graduate of West Virginia University and the younger of Michigan.

SAM KOHEN is chief of the Claims Division of the Veterans' Administration, Regional Office in Dallas. He also maintains a law office where he engages in a limited practice.

CLYDE H. MILLER practices law in West Side Building and Loan Building, Third and Broadway, Dayton, Ohio. He is married and has a son sixteen years old.

JOHN M. RAINES is manager of The Travelers Insurance Company in Little Rock, Arkansas, with offices in the Donaghey Building.

HARRISON P. MAGRUDER teaches in the Millersburg Military School, Millersburg, Kentucky.

1917

EMORY O. LUSBY lives at 1134 Willetta Street, Phoenix, Arizona. He has a position with the Federal Land Bank. Has territory in Southern California and Arizona. Married a Tennessee girl and has three children.

DR. G. HOLBROOK BARBER is practicing medicine at 57 South Oxford Street, Brooklyn, New York.

DR. CHARLES W. McNITT is practicing medicine at 114 East Sixty-second Street, New York, New York. He has gradually worked over from general medicine into the special field of dermatology. Has recently opened a branch office in White Plains. For diversion he has been riding and for the past five years has been a member of the Squadron A Cavalry organized in New York.

EDWARD L. HIX has recently changed his address to 4214 Washington Street, Niagara Falls, New York. He is with the Union Carbide Company, Unit of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, Niagara Works, Niagara Falls, New York, with offices at Carbide and Carbon Building, 30 East Forty-second Street, New York.

HARRY CAMPBELL is a member of the law firm of Blue, Dayton and Campbell, Security Building, Charleston, West Virginia.

J. SEYBERT HANSEL lives in Monterey, Highland County, Virginia, known as the "Switzerland of America." That reminds him "to remind all overworked alumni who may chance to find themselves sweltering with the heat this summer, and who may crave that old feeling of the blankets scratching at night, to come to Highland for their vacations, for we guarantee that anyone will need two to six blankets in Monterey any night in the summer." Mr. Hansel is an attorney and counsellor at law.

CHARLIE PETERS is practicing law in Charleston, West Virginia. His firm is Mohler, Peters and Snyder, with offices in the Security Bank Building. He says: "There is little news of myself worth recording—a smattering of politics for pleasure and the practice of law for a living, with darn little success in either, continue as about the sum total of my efforts and endeavors. With the exception of a few grey hairs where once there were many dark ones, a rather extended middle age spread, I remain with practically the same appearance, habits, ideas, attitudes and propensities."

1918

E. B. BOWYER is commercial manager of the Roanoke Gas Light Company. Has been transferred all the way from Tampa, Florida, to New York, to the Carolinas and to Virginia.

MURRAY C. SHOUN is in the branch office of Beer & Company, Brokers, with offices in the Grant Building, Atlanta, Georgia.

GRADY H. FORGY has a home in Little Rock, Arkansas, where his family stays the greater part of the year, while he has been covering the entire country east of the Rocky Mountains during the last two and a half years. He is special representative of American Petroleum Industries Committee, 50 West Fiftieth Street, New York. This company is best described from the layman's point of view as the "Public Relations Department of the Oil Industry."



It is a committee of the American Petroleum Institute charged with authority and responsibility to protect the petroleum industry, its employees, products and customers from inimical and unfair taxation and legislation as well as unjust and/or unnecessary regulations and restrictions. The American Committee is the national or a parent organization and has offices in New York, Washington, Chicago and Los Angeles. His son, Grady H., Jr., was a freshman at Washington and Lee last year.

1919

DR. GILES S. TERRY is practicing medicine in Scarsdale, New York. His address is Eton Hall Apartment.

W. J. BARRON is with the Rome Coca-Cola Bottling Company, 106-108 Fifth Avenue, Rome, Georgia.

1920

PINKNEY GRISSOM was recently elected president of the North Texas group of Washington and Lee alumni. He is a member of the law firm of Thompson, Knight, Baker, Harris, and Wright of Dallas Texas, with offices in the Republic Bank Building.

FADJO CRAVENS is a member of the law firm of Cravens, Cravens and Friedman, Fort Smith, Arkansas.

ED. BAILEY lives at 1600 Monument Avenue, Richmond, Virginia.

HENRY FORD TROTTER, who in college probably wearily answered to the name of "Jitney" or "Tin Lizzie," has neatly turned the tables on the jokesmiths by establishing in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, a thriving business in the sales of Ford and Lincoln cars. He has five children ranging in age from six weeks to fifteen years.

BOB RUSSELL writes from Amite, Louisiana, where he has been principal and supervisor of city schools for some years.

HOLMES RALSTON of Rockbridge Baths, Virginia, close "by the banks of old North River," writes us that he now has three children. During last winter he spent some time at Princeton in preparation for delivering the Sprunt lectures at the Union Theological Seminary in 1942.

The Valedictorian of the class of 1920, JOHN WORTH KERN, JR., resigned from his post as mayor of Indianapolis, Indiana, in September, 1937, and accepted President Roosevelt's appointment as a member of the United States Board of Tax Appeals at Washington.

JOHN GLEN EVANS, JR., originally from the "Red Hills of Georgia," has for some time been vice-president

and general manager of the Lykes Brothers Insurance Agency of Tampa, Florida. He takes *The Ring-tum Phi* and thus keeps in close touch with Washington and Lee. Glen's hobbies are golf and aviation (he has a pilot's license).

From the city of Shreveport, Louisiana, comes a most welcome letter from J. B. ATKINS. He tells us that he served in the Naval Air Service during the World War at Seattle, Washington, and returned to Shreveport where he went into the oil business (Shreveport is the center of large gas and oil fields). He married Miss Katherine Alger and they have three children, ranging in age from four to thirteen.

ALEX M. WALKER, former manager of *The Ring-tum Phi*, one time attache at the American Embassy in London and in Madrid, is now with the SEC in Washington. He and his family have been living at 2401 Calvert Street, Washington, but we believe he has never forgotten the pines of the old North State (he was originally from Wilmington, North Carolina) and is now considering building a home in nearby suburban Maryland as the most practical substitute for New Hanover County on the Cape Fear River.

1921

D. BOONE DAWSON is mayor of Charleston, West Virginia. He is always interested in Washington and Lee.

SAM RAINES is practicing medicine at 1834 Madison Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee. He has a daughter, Lucy Virginia, born August 5, 1937. He was recently made a Fellow in the American College of Surgeons.

DAN BLAIN has been practicing psychiatry at 129 East Sixty-ninth Street, New York, New York, since 1932. He married Sarah Logan Starr of Germantown Philadelphia and they have a young son, Daniel Blain IV. When this young man enters Washington and Lee he will be the sixth consecutive generation receiving his education here.

DAVID DEAN JOHNSON is located in the Bendum Trees Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

1922

T. K. FOUNTAIN left the practice of law to enter politics and in May, 1933, was elected commissioner of public safety for the city of Raleigh, North Carolina. He married Dora Howell Jones and they have a son, T. K. Fountain, Jr., born October 14, 1937. They have recently moved into a new home. In addition to his other interests he and his brother are running some two thousand acres of farms in Eastern Carolina.

WILFRED WEBB has been teaching at Augusta Military Academy since 1924. He is married and has two daughters, eight and ten years old, respectively.

DR. ANDREW E. AMICK is practicing his profession as a children's doctor in Charleston, West Virginia. He has two daughters and regrets that they will have to attend Sweet Briar instead of Washington and Lee.

W. H. BARRETT has been principal of the Narrows High School at Narrows, Virginia, for the past nine years. During this period a new high school has been built with a good auditorium and gymnasium and also a farm shop for vocational agriculture.

RAYMOND SMITH is a New York broker with Biggs, Mohrman and Company, 61 Broadway, New York.

1923

JEAN ELLIS is practicing law in Miami, Florida, with offices in the Ingraham Building.

OSCAR FORREST MCGILL is assistant manager of the State Mortgage Loan Department, Prudential Insurance Company, Lakeland, Florida.

1924

BUCK BAUGHER practiced law in Miami from 1926 to 1929 and then moved to West Palm Beach. In 1934 he became associated with the firm of Williamson and Cain of West Palm Beach, and in 1935 was made a member of the firm, which is now known as Williamson, Cain and Baugher. He was married on August 25, 1933, to Mary Church of West Palm Beach.

D. O. MITCHELL was located at Clarksburg, West Virginia, for the past nine years, and in September, 1936, moved to Parkersburg, West Virginia. He is practicing law, is married, and has two children.

JOE CLAY ROBERTS is director of the Little Theatre Producing Company in San Antonio, Texas, where he practices law.

MURREL D. (LEFTY) KLEIN is a member of the firm of Klein & Appel, Insurance Underwriters and Engineers, Starke Building, Louisville, Kentucky.

FRANKLIN WARD is in the municipal bond business, specializing in Mississippi bonds. His firm is M. A. Saunders and Company, 14 South Second Street, Memphis, Tennessee.

CALBIN T. BURTON is an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist in Roanoke, Virginia, with offices in the Medical Arts Building.

CHARLIE HEILIG is manager of the Taylor Mattress Company, Salisbury, North Carolina. Says he married a nice girl named Mary and they have a son.

1926

CLARENCE W. (FATS) MEADOWS is attorney general of the state of West Virginia, holding down the job vacated by "Rocky" Holt when he became Governor of West Virginia.

1927

LEIGH BULLOCK, JR., is with the Hanes Associated Mills, Inc., 271 Church Street, New York, New York.

L. G. MCKINNON is in the hardware business in Greenville, Alabama. He has a fine son, Luther, III.

1928

IRVIN CUBINE is practicing law in Martinsville, Virginia, with offices in the Shackelford Building.

LESTER A. BROWN is practicing medicine in Atlanta, Georgia. His offices are in the Doctors' Building.

1929

LEWIS F. POWELL, JR., is a member of the law firm of Hunton, Williams, Anderson, Gay and Moore, Electric Building, Richmond, Virginia.

O. NORRIS SMITH is practicing medicine in Greensboro, North Carolina. On November 10, 1937, he married Rebecca Hines of Mount Airy and Winston-Salem.

W. C. P. (CHUCK) WEAVER is married and has a boy about two years old. He is with the Emporia Manufacturing Company, Emporia, Virginia.

CHARLIE MERCKE is with the Jefferson Wood Working Company, Louisville, Kentucky. He is secretary-treasurer of the Louisville Washington and Lee alumni.

1930

F. L. SHIPMAN is practicing law in Troy, Ohio, under the firm name of Shipman & Shipman, Peoples Building and Savings Building. He is married and has a son five and a daughter two.

MELVILLE JENNINGS was recently elected one of the



commissioners for Walton County, Florida, having defeated the incumbent by a substantial majority.

CARL YORENZ is practicing medicine in Ambler, Pennsylvania, and enjoys farming as a hobby. He is a member of many medical societies and also of his local Rotary Club.

JIM HESS was married October 22, 1937, to Mrs. Mildred I. Riddle of Charleston, West Virginia. They are living at Niagara Falls, New York.

HUDSON FAUSSETT is in Hollywood; he has appeared in three pictures.

1931

MANUEL WEINBERG is practicing law in Frederick, Maryland, with offices in the Law Building. He is married and has two children, a boy four and a girl two.

R. J. THRIFT, JR., is assistant prosecuting attorney of Fayette County, Fayetteville, West Virginia. The prosecuting attorney is CARL B. VICKERS, B.A. 1933, LL.B. 1934.

BILL RUCKER took his medical course at the University of Pennsylvania and has been practicing in Bedford, Virginia, for the past two years.

J. HOGE (JIMMY) TYLER is assistant commonwealth's attorney for Norfolk, Virginia. He has been married about two years.

JOHN W. MYROSE is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Dalhart, Texas. He was married in June, 1937, to Catherine Hallowell of Atlantic City, New Jersey.

TOM FOX is practicing law in Roanoke, Virginia. Is at present engaged in making and renewing abstracts of title for lands being acquired for the United States for the Jefferson National Forest.

E. W. HALE, JR., is in the Library of the House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.

FRANK HANNA is a member of the firm of Mumford and Hanna Investment Company, 509 Francis Street, St. Joseph, Missouri.

1932

PAUL A. (JERRY) HOLSTEIN is practicing law in Lexington, Virginia. He was recently elected president of the Lexington Chamber of Commerce.

CHARLIE WOOD is managing director of the Kanawha Valley Safety Council, City Building, Charleston, West Virginia.

GEORGE PRICE is with the Occupational Research Program of the United States Employment Service. He was

recently an usher, along with "Big Island" Routon in the wedding of Gus Cross. "Big Island" is with the Department of Justice. George's address is 701 Whittier Street, N. W., Washington.

DICK PARMALEE is manager of the Colgate Inn at Hamilton, New York. He has recently been elected to the office of district governor for the New York and Pennsylvania district for his fraternity, Sigma Phi Epsilon. He married Elizabeth Louise Basse of Oak Park, Illinois.

1933

BERNARD B. (DUSTY) DAVIS writes that he is with the splendid law firm of Gilbert & Davis and has been ever since he left school, that his partner is a popular and able lawyer.

BOB MORRIS has been with General Motors Acceptance Corporation for the past two years. He is married and has a two-year-old boy.

ALLEN WOFFORD is special agent of the Prudential Insurance Company of America at Johnson City, Tenn.

SAM STEVES is in the family lumber business in San Antonio, Texas—Steves Sash and Door Company.

H. C. TAYLOR is in his father's business, Taylor, Lowenstein and Company, Naval Stores Factors and Exporters, Mobile, Alabama.

R. C. DELA METER is agent of the Detroit Fire and Marine Insurance Company, 1913 Key Boulevard, Arlington, Virginia.

LORING M. GARRISON is with Crane and Company, Greenville, South Carolina.

1934

ROBERT B. SAFFORD is assistant cashier with the Travelers Insurance Company, Bridgeport, Connecticut.

NORWOOD E. BAND is associate minister of the Second Presbyterian Church, Newark, New Jersey.

1935

RUDOLPH BUMGARDNER, JR., opened up law offices in Staunton, Virginia, with Dick Peyton the summer after graduation.

D. S. MACDONALD, JR., is practicing law in Durant, Oklahoma, under the firm name of MacDonald and MacDonald.

1936

AL KAHN, JR., has been in the Harvard Medical School for three years.

