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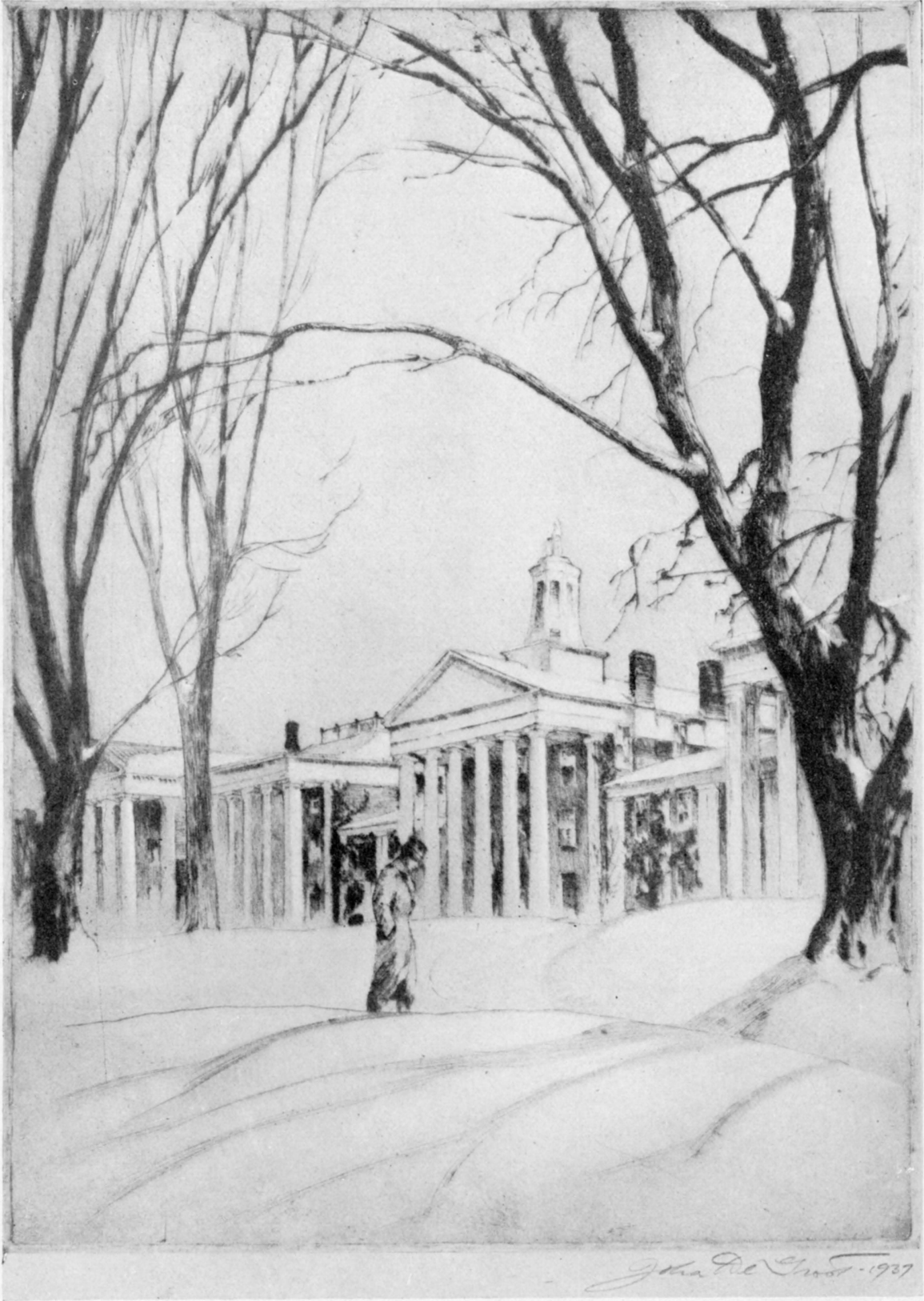
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# A Problem and a Policy

(THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE)

Most earnestly I wish to explain to every alumnus the situation that has arisen during this educational emergency, a situation that will probably continue for three or four years, and the policy which has been an inevitable conclusion. As always I welcome comment or suggestions from the alumni.

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The last twelve months of academic history, as I reported to the trustees, "have been so utterly without precedent or parallel that I can think of no appropriate adjective except *fantastic*. The pendulum of academic destiny, if this figure is permissible, has swung in the widest arc I have ever known."

I meant to say that a year ago we had only a fraction of a student body; we had at least a third of our faculty off on governmental duty; we had most student activities suspended or reduced to a shadow; we had the larger part of our facilities absorbed by the great Army School of Personnel Services. Before the session was half over, however, something like a tidal wave hit us.

The primary impact of that tidal wave was in the flood-tide of applications from prospective students. As a matter of fact, we were committed to about 600 of our own students, away on military duty and anxious to return. We had accepted during the war years possibly 100 more students with unimpeachable papers, to enter when active service was over. Thus, even after we enlarged the student body by about 200 men, we had not more than 400 vacancies.

This flood-tide of applications may be thus stated: we had more applications than in the last ten—probably the last twenty—years combined. For every vacancy, we had fifteen or twenty boys clamoring for admission.

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It came to pass that we were forced into a painful position. We were compelled to decline hundreds, or maybe thousands, of meritorious applicants. Some of these

were supported by admirable recommendations—in many cases from alumni. Eventually we were forced to decline even the sons of our own alumni—boys that in normal circumstances would have absolutely "top priority." But it was out of the question for us to accept more boys than we could house or teach or serve.

I offer this explanation to alumni—and to other friends, including many of our most respected "parents"—whose request or commendation could not be honored this session.

I deliberately used that word *painful*. It is not a pleasant experience for any University, dedicated to the training of youth, to decline thoroughly worthy boys. It is positively painful to decline those boys when they bring the warm commendation of our alumni.

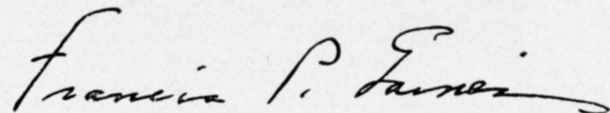
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We value the interest of our alumni and the judgment of our alumni in all respects, and particularly in this matter of the selection of students. We know that the essential character of the University depends first of all upon the admission of the right boys. We have no wiser counselors in this respect, and no counselors whom we appreciate more, than our own alumni.

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The emergency in higher education—that is, the huge volume of applicants—will continue for several years. The February enrollment was closed about December 1. Applications for next fall are coming in at the rate of twelve or fifteen a day. We expect to make the selection about April 1.

This is my appeal to alumni and to the friends whose counsel in these matters we earnestly covet. If you have a son, or a young friend, who wants to come to Washington and Lee and is worthy of coming to the fraternity which you yourself constitute, please enter his name with us as soon as possible. We want to give fullest consideration to your recommendation. Please act quickly.



President

# The 1946-47 Session Opens

By Frank J. Gilliam, Dean of Students



First University Assembly

The opening of Washington and Lee in September, 1946, has been marked by tides of enthusiasm such as few persons on the campus remember. With practically every academic department expanded to pre-war size or larger, extra-curricular activities in vigorous operation, and not only the largest number of new faculty members and new students in history, but likewise the largest total enrollment, the University faces every prospect of a great session in its history.

The concrete facts of enrollment statistics will probably be of interest to alumni. 1003 men had enrolled previous to the beginning of the work in the School of Law on 17 October. The Law enrollment of around 160 will bring the total figure to approximately 1163. Of the enrollment of 1003, exclusive of Law, 720 were veterans and 283 non-veterans. Around 450 of the 1003 were men with pre-war attendance at Washington and Lee. 378 new men enrolled in the 1003, with around 175 of this number freshmen directly from high or preparatory

schools. With the School of Law in operation, between 200 and 225 married students will be in attendance.

A geographical break-down of the 1003 enrolled in September shows the same trend that has been observed in all colleges, that veterans attend colleges nearer home. The result has been that the percentage of attendance from the Southern bloc of states, including such border states as Maryland and West Virginia, has increased from a pre-war 60 per cent to almost exactly 70 per cent. The attendance from Virginia, for example, has jumped to 29 per cent from 21 per cent in 1941.

Attendance has, of course, been sharply affected by several factors. The practical circumstances limiting enrollment to an acceptance of about **one applicant in eighteen** have been: student housing, particularly for married students; laboratory, rather than class room, facilities; the scarcity of faculty personnel supply; and housing for additional faculty. An especially fine piece of work was done by Henry Ravenhorst, '35,



Making dates for Fraternity Rushing



Jim Hitz, right, meets Bruce Woodruff, both Sons of Alumni

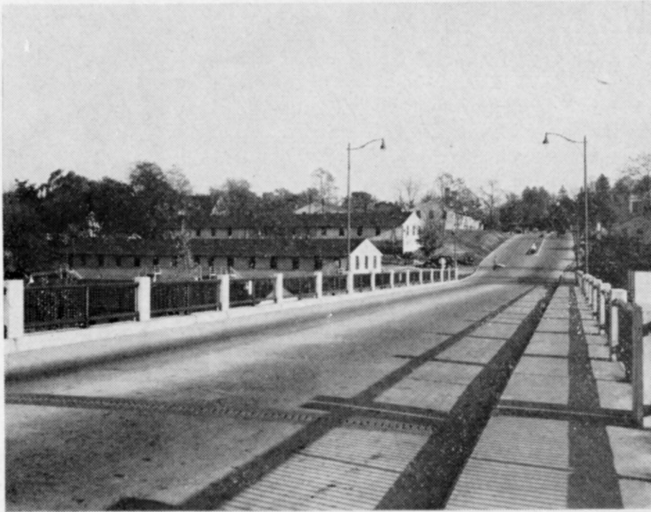
as Housing Administrator in locating and supplying sufficient housing for students. For single students completely adequate accommodations were provided. The completion of the pre-fabricated houses will greatly alleviate the almost desperate situation of the housing for married students.

The fraternities have rendered outstanding service in expanding their rooming and dining room facilities and, with the record number of old men returning and new men entering, have, in almost every instance, reached record chapter enrollments. A factor causing much concern is the considerable number of new men who, in pre-war days, would undoubtedly have been pledged to fraternities but for whom, at present, there is literally no room. The number is being decreased, and it is hoped that adjustments may be achieved during the session.

At the present writing it does not seem feasible to increase the total enrollment in February, but a limited number of new men will be selected so far as withdrawals during the session offer a certain number of places.

# Housing Problems at the University

By Henry L. Ravenhorst, '35, Housing Administrator



View of "Splinterville" across the Nelson Street Bridge

Few people would have been surprised if on the morning of September 20 they had found an army of students housed in an array of pup-tents on our campus and in hammocks swung between trees. For it was on that day the registration of the largest enrollment in the history of Washington and Lee began, and the skeptics had a field day of it wondering where all the men would be housed.

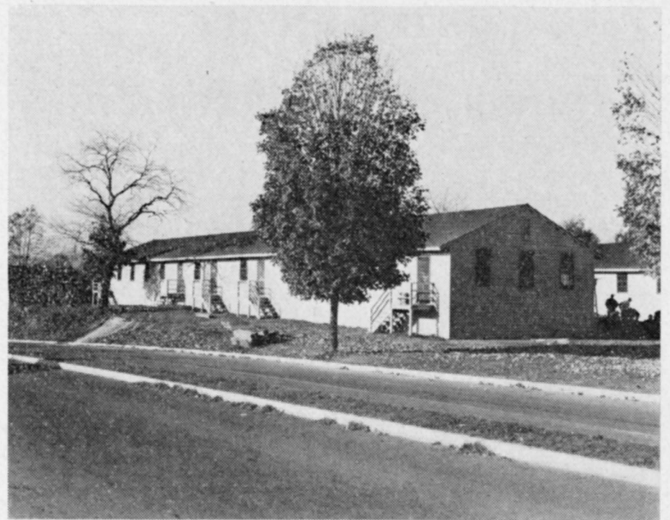
Providing accommodations for a student body swelled to over 200 more than the pre-war high, in an already crowded community, posed quite a problem—and this was not simplified when it was learned that instead of the 5 of 10 married students normally enrolled there would now be 200.

Housing the unmarried students proved to be the lesser of the problems. A survey was made of all existing facilities at the University and, in line with this, the capacity of the dormitory was increased (two men were assigned to some former one-man rooms and three men to some former two-men rooms), dormitory reading rooms were converted into sleeping quarters, and space above the old dining hall (now used by the University Supply Store) and rooms in the gymnasium were converted into student accommodations. Those fraternities that did not have enough members to fill their houses "adopted" non-members in order to utilize all space. Even the third floor of the Corner Grill, which alumni will remember as "The Corner" or as "Jimmy Hamilton's," was given a facial and a transformation and now provides adequate accommodation for 15 men.

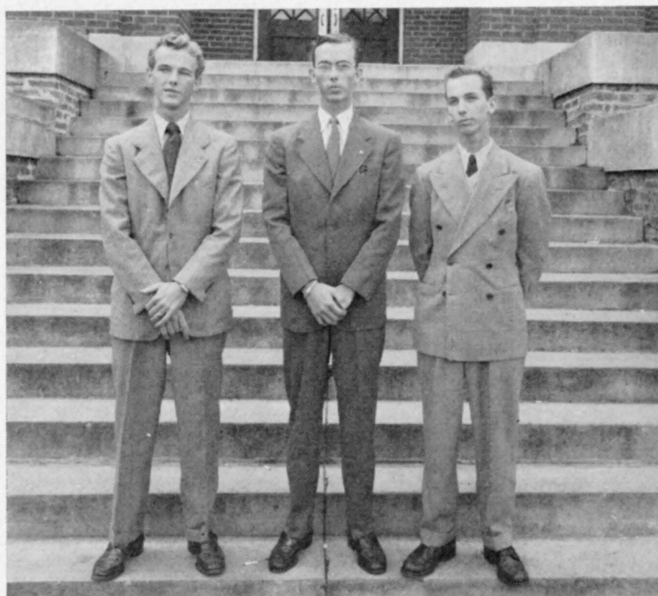
In order to provide rooms for the men who could not call any of the above-mentioned "home," a survey was made of all facilities within a 15-mile radius of Lexington. A house-to-house canvass was completed, and the need for accommodations was widely publicized. The aid of the newspapers, civic clubs, churches and veteran organizations was solicited and the response from the people of Lexington, Buena Vista,

and environs was most gratifying. An "ace-in-the-hole" was provided by converting an army barracks (located in the rear of the gymnasium and used by the Army School for Personnel Services while the army held sway at W. and L. during the war) into accommodations for about 40 men. It was not necessary to fill this so it will await the newcomers arriving for the second semester.

Efforts to solve the problem of providing accommodations for married veterans and their families began shortly after V-J Day and actual construction of apartments was started by the FPHA in June. On November 4 the first married veterans moved into "Davidson Park," a project of 50 apartments located on East Nelson Street between the bridge and the Lambda Chi and Z. B. T. fraternities. The illustration on this page gives an idea of the type of buildings being erected. Each apartment has a private front and back entrance and consists of two bedrooms, living room, kitchen and bath. The buildings, although temporary in nature, are well-constructed and well-equipped, each kitchen being complete with cabinets, gas stove with oven, ice box, and an automatic hot-water heater; heat is provided by a gas space heater for each apartment. Basic items of furniture are provided and even linen and bedding are available to those desiring them. Tenant activities in regard to operation and improvement will be encouraged in order that all the occupants will be able to enjoy the maximum amount of pleasure from their new home—this will be the first home for many of the veterans who have only recently been reunited with their families. There are 23 children in the fifty families to occupy these houses and the stork is hovering overhead ready to make visits to several more. The rent for these apartments is \$25 a month, which includes all utilities, with a small extra charge for furniture. There is also a provision to adjust the rent for those unable to pay the above amounts, which will enable those whose in-



One of the Pre-fabs for Married Veterans



Three freshmen sons of Sam Pruitt, '11,  
Left to right—Dick, Jim and Bill

come is solely that provided under the "G. I. Bill" to at least break even in their expenses.

Another unit providing 48 additional apartments is underway by the FPFA and is located near the Lexington High School. It should be ready around the first of the year. Both projects are being built by the FPFA, the University getting title on the buildings when completed. They will be operated by the University under direction of FPFA; any profit from operation will revert to the U. S. Government. If operated at a loss, the University will bear the cost. When the housing emergency is declared to be at an end, the University must dismantle and remove these structures.

Upon completion of these 98 apartments, the housing problem should be considerably eased, that is, if Cupid doesn't prove too effective in his aim at the still unmarried students.

## Student Sons of Alumni

The opening of the Fall session, 1946, found 124 sons of Alumni registered as students, this being the largest number of second generation Washington and Lee boys in the University at one time. It is interesting to note that the fathers represent classes from 1893 to 1927. 1914 leads with 10 sons, 1911 second, with 9. Dr. Sam Pruitt, '11, has three sons in the freshman class, an older son, Samuel O., Jr., having graduated in 1941.

Son	Father
Adair, Edwin G., Jr.....	Edwin G. Adair, '15
Allen, M. T.....	Alex Travis Allen, '23
Apperson, Charles L.....	Harvey B. Apperson, '13
Bagley, Charles F., Jr.....	Charles F. Bagley, '07
Barker, H. M.....	Henry N. Barker, '14
Bear, R. J., Jr.....	Roger J. Bear, '14
Bell, J. Brian, Jr.....	*J. Brian Bell, '11
Benton, Jesse Wilson, Jr.....	Jesse Wilson Benton, '19

Son	Father
Brower, F. W., Jr.....	Frank W. Brower, '16
Bryant, H. S., Jr.....	Homer S. Bryant, '20
Burton, Frank P., Jr.....	Frank P. Burton, '14
Burton, W. R., Jr.....	*W. R. Burton, '17
Campbell, E. D., Jr.....	Edmund D. Campbell, '18
Carmichael, John.....	H. St. G. T. Carmichael, '99
Carmichael, Stanrod.....	H. St. G. T. Carmichael, '99
Carr, Robert Howell, Jr.....	Robert Howell Carr, '23
Christian, C. Lynch, Jr.....	C. Lynch Christian, '16
Cole, Robert W., Jr.....	Robert Walker Cole, '21
Cook, John Wilson, III.....	John Wilson Cook, Jr., '19
Cosby, W. Randolph, Jr.....	W. Randolph Cosby, '26
Cottrell, Fred.....	Joe C. Hobson, '20
Cox, Thomas.....	William J. Cox, '17
Coyle, George L., Jr.....	George L. Coyle, '12
Coyle, Thomas.....	George L. Coyle, '12
Craft, Ryland G., Jr.....	Ryland G. Craft, '13
Cranford, James A., Jr.....	James A. Cranford, '22
Crockett, R. O., Jr.....	R. O. Crockett, '02
Davenport, R. B., Jr.....	*R. B. Davenport, '24
Davis, B. A., III.....	B. A. Davis, Jr., '20
Dawkins, O. C., III.....	O. C. Dawkins, Jr., '27
Devine, P. C.....	Dr. C. J. Devine, '16
Farrar, J. D.....	J. M. Farrar, Jr., '14
Faulkner, Thomas.....	James M. Faulkner, '17
Fellers, Stanford L., Jr.....	Judge Stanford L. Fellers, '13
Flannagan, Francis W.....	Hon. John B. Flannagan, Jr., '07
Fritchie, Gus A., Jr.....	Gus A. Fritchie, '19
Glasgow, Charles S., Jr.....	C. S. Glasgow, '09
Glasgow, Francis T.....	C. S. Glasgow, '09
Glass, Carter, III.....	Carter Glass, Jr., '13
Godwin, James Matthew, Jr.....	James Matthew Godwin, '08
Gooch, C. W., III.....	C. W. Gooch, Jr., '15
Grosvenor, C. Niles, III.....	C. Niles Grosvenor, Jr., '12
Guthrie, D. V., Jr.....	Dr. David V. Guthrie, '04
Harman, James W., Jr.....	James W. Harman, '04
Harman, Samuel Laird.....	James W. Harman, '04
Harris, Leon W., Jr.....	Leon W. Harris, '15
Haw, George E., Jr.....	George E. Haw, '04
Hitz, James C.....	James M. Hitz, '14
Holland, William S.....	Robert Edward Holland, '16
Hubbard, Charles C.....	Dr. T. Brandon Hubbard, '06
Hynson, R. W., Jr.....	Richard W. Hynson, '08
James, R. B., Jr.....	R. Bleakley James, '22
Johnson, F. S., Jr.....	Frederick S. Johnson, '11
Kaylor, Howard.....	Omer T. Kaylor, '11
Kaylor, O. T., Jr.....	Omer T. Kaylor, '11
Keebler, Robert S., Jr.....	Robert S. Keebler, '08
Kelly, H. Wise, Jr.....	H. Wise Kelly, '13
King, W. Courtney, Jr.....	W. Courtney King, '19
Lee, Robert E. IV.....	Dr. G. Bolling Lee, '93
Lemon, C. R. ....	E. B. Lemon, '11
Love, Frank, Jr.....	Frank Love, '21
McClintock, O. W., Jr.....	Oliver W. McClintock, '23
McClure, M. Thompson.....	Rev. James A. McClure, D. D., '99
McCoy, J. W.....	Kenton H. McCoy, '15
McDonald, Robert O.....	*O. L. McDonald, '12
McKee, M. D., Jr.....	Madison Dryden McKee, '10
McKenzie, William L., Jr.....	W. Lynn McKenzie, '20
McNeer, Selden S., Jr.....	Selden S. McNeer, '16
Maynard, William H., Jr.....	William H. Maynard, '26
Miller, J. Maurice, Jr.....	J. Maurice Miller, '15
Moore, J. M.....	Dr. Chalmers H. Moore, '09
Murphy, Paul J. B., Jr.....	Colonel Paul J. B. Murphy, '14
Myers, Wentworth F., Jr.....	Wentworth F. Myers, '20
Newton, J. M., Jr.....	J. M. Newton, '13
Oast, William H., Jr.....	Judge William H. Oast, '15



Son	Father	
Owens, Robert.....	Dean Owens,	'21
Patterson, Robert G.....	Dr. C. Houston Patterson,	'19
Paxton, Matthew W., III.....	Matthew W. Paxton, Jr.	'18
Peyton, J. F. B.....	Briscoe Woodward Peyton,	'96
Pifer, William H.....	Dr. Herman I. Pifer,	'18
Pleasants, Enos Rogers, Jr.....	*Enos Rogers Pleasants,	'18
Power, Andrew J., Jr.....	*Andrew J. Power,	'04
Pruitt, James K.....	Dr. Samuel O. Pruitt,	'11
Pruitt, Richard T.....	Dr. Samuel O. Pruitt,	'11
Pruitt, William B.....	Dr. Samuel O. Pruitt,	'11
Pulley, F. B.....	Junius W. Pulley,	'13
Rushton, F. Edward.....	J. Frank Rushton,	'23
Sacks, Stanley.....	Herman A. Sacks,	'11
Seal, A. G.....	Elwood H. Seal,	'16
Silverstein, Joe L., Jr.....	Joe L. Silverstein,	'22
Silverstein, Robert F.....	*Sam Silverstein,	'17
Silverstein, Sam., Jr.....	*Sam Silverstein,	'17
Smith, Ray S., Jr.....	Ray S. Smith,	'14
Sorrells, John H., Jr.....	John H. Sorrells,	'18
Spindle, Richard B., Jr.....	Judge Richard B. Spindle,	'06
Stephenson, Roscoe B., Jr.....	Roscoe B. Stephenson,	'08
Stewart, Dean B., Jr.....	Dean B. Stewart,	'18
Stipes, R. B.....	*Frank Cover Stipes,	'19
Strickler, Glenwood.....	John O. Strickler,	'27
Stump, John S., III.....	John S. Stump, Jr.,	'17
Sutherland, Horace F., Jr.....	*Judge Horace F. Sutherland,	'17
Terry, Bland.....	Bland Terry,	'14
Townsend, William H.....	Fred DuPre Townsend,	'20
Trammell, H. K., III.....	Herman K. Trammell, Jr.,	'23
Trigg, William W., Jr.....	William W. Trigg,	'12
Trundle, James.....	A. Dawson Trundle,	'04
Tucker, J. Randolph, Jr.....	John Randolph Tucker,	'00
Tucker, Thomas W.....	Dorr M. Tucker,	'24
Vicars, Joseph McFarland.....	Marshall Walker Vicars,	'23
Wales, Lawrence B., Jr.....	Lawrence B. Wales,	'15
Warner, J. W., Jr.....	*Dr. John W. Warner,	'03
Watts, Matthew W.....	Joe Blackburn Watts,	'12
White, Millar B. Jr.....	Millar B. White,	'25
White, William G.....	Millar B. White,	'25
Whittle, S. G., III.....	Judge Kennon C. Whittle,	'14
Wilkins, H. C.....	Walter Jeter Wilkins,	'14
Williams, Kim.....	Williams A. Williams, Jr.,	'22
Williams, Stanley, Jr.....	*Stanley Williams,	'18
Williamson, Adrian, Jr.....	Adrian Williamson,	'13
Wood, J. A., Jr.....	James Arthur Wood,	'24
Woodruff, Bruce F., Jr.....	Bruce F. Woodruff,	'16
Worrell, R. M.....	*Edgar Watson Worrell,	'01
Yankee, Richard M., Jr.....	Richard M. Yankee,	'26
Yerkes, Damon G., Jr.....	Damon G. Yerkes,	'12

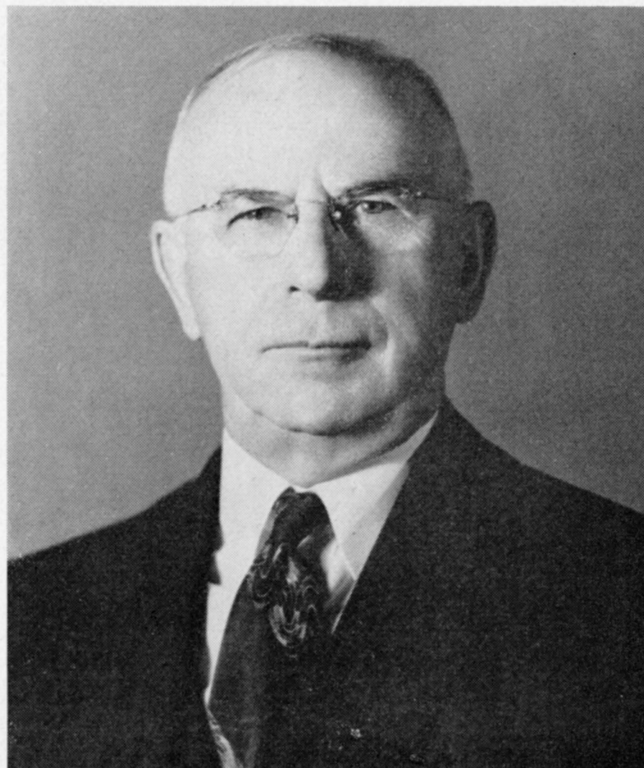
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#### FOUR MEMBERS OF THE VIRGINIA COURT OF APPEALS W. & L. GRADUATES

When Judge A. C. Buchanan, LL.B., '14, of the Tazewell Circuit Court takes his seat on the Virginia Supreme Court, four of the seven judges on the bench will be graduates of the Washington and Lee Law School.

Justice Henry W. Holt, LL.B. '88, automatically becomes Chief justice as the senior member of the court when Justice Campbell retires.

Other members of the court who attended the Washington and Lee Law school are Justices Herbert B. Gregory, LL.B. '11, and John W. Eggleston, LL.B. '10.



Judge Daniel K. Sadler, LL.B. '09

Daniel K. Sadler is now in his third eight year term as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Mexico. Born at Paris, Arkansas, October 28, 1882, he graduated from the University of Arkansas with the Bachelor of Arts degree in 1906 and in 1909 received the Bachelor of Laws degree from Washington and Lee. He went to New Mexico in 1916 and after many years as a practicing lawyer was elected to the Supreme Court from his home in Raton, Colfax County, in 1930 and re-elected in 1938. He is married and has two sons, Daniel K., Jr., and Robert Granville, both of whom saw service in World War II.

#### DR. PHILLIPS PUBLISHES IMPORTANT TEXTBOOK

An authoritative text book on industrial and commercial geography has just been published by Henry Holt and Co., written by Dr. M. Ogden Phillips and Dr. J. Russell Smith. The new text book covers developments in mechanical progress, facts concerning minerals and basic materials in manufacture, agriculture and raw materials, world trade and trade routes. Dr. Phillips, Professor of Economics and Commerce at Washington and Lee, has been on leave of absence from the University, while engaged in this work.

#### PROFESSOR GEORGE JACKSON GRANTED LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Professor George S. Jackson has been granted a one-year leave of absence to undertake an important job for the federal government. Mr. Jackson came to Washington and Lee in 1931, after having received his B.A. from Bowdoin College in 1927, his M.A. from Harvard, and having taught for a year at the University of Tennessee.

# On the Campus

With the graduation of 29 students at the completion of the 1946 summer session, 21 from the Academic School on August 30, and eight from the Law School on September 21, Washington and Lee's war-time era came to an end, and "business-as-usual," only a little more so, began with the opening of the 198th session. The largest enrollment in the history of the school, greatly enhanced, both numerically and socially by some 250 wives of returning veterans, has made the scramble for housing facilities strongly resemble a hard-fought football game.

Freshman caps on the heads of non-veteran newcomers, conventional civilian dress on the campus, pleasant greetings from strange faces, books parked along the sidewalks and under trees, indicate that we are getting back to normal. Never in the history of Washington and Lee has there been a finer looking group of students assembled here. The majority of them look a little more mature and more serious and well they may for many of them are war veterans and have seen hard and strenuous days. Washington and Lee is looking to these returnees to see that the traditions of the school are maintained on the high level of pre-war years.

Ending the first fall rushing period since 1942, Greek letter fraternities pledged 297 of the eligible men on the campus, swelling to 754 the totals of fraternity men here. Owing to the housing shortage most of the fraternities were unable to pledge as many men as desired.

## Publications

In 1943 the publication of **The Ring-tum Phi**, Washington and Lee's campus paper, since 1897, slowly came to a stopping place. With the greatly reduced student body and almost cessation of student activities, it was reluctantly discontinued. Publication of **The Ring-tum Phi** was succeeded by **The Columns**. In its beginning it was small; hardly deserving the name of "newspaper," but enrollment was also small, hardly deserving the name of student body. As the war turned in favor of the allies, however, and the students began to trickle back in growing numbers, **The Columns** proportionately increased in size and quality until its final edition on August 23 of this year, when **The Ring-tum Phi** again went into action.

**The Southern Collegian**, Washington and Lee's quarterly literary and humor magazine will resume publication early in the fall.

The Washington and Lee Handbook, published by the Christian Council before the beginning of the school year as a guide to help acquaint the new students with the campus, its traditions and the University, has again

made its appearance and is a most useful and attractive booklet.

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The bigger and better University Supply Store is now in operation in the old Dining Hall, which was used during the war as an officers' mess. The building has been completely renovated and is meeting a long-felt need as a place where faculty and students may stop in for a coke and a chat between classes. Cap'n Dick says that he expects to install an up to date fountain there as soon as he is able to purchase the equipment. One of the greatest advantages of the new store is in the space made available for the dispensing of books, which with the increase in the number of students, had become a serious problem in the old Co-op in Reid Hall.

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The new director of Religious Work and advisor to the Christian Council is James Ligon Price, Jr., A.B. '36, of Chase City, Virginia. Serving as a Chaplain in the U. S. Navy, he was released from the service in June 1946, after having completed foreign duty at the Pearl Harbor Marine Barracks. He plans to teach at least one related subject in addition to his duty as Director of Religious Work. The Council looks forward to renewal of Religious Emphasis Week, vesper services and various community projects. Receptions have been given by the local churches for students of the various denominations.

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The University Board of Trustees has authorized the construction of an apartment building for use primarily by members of the faculty. The building will consist of from twelve to fifteen apartments, four to be of the five room type and the remainder three room suites.

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One married student has solved the housing problem by bringing his house with him. To the amazement and envy of the apartment-seekers in the ranks of married students, Clarence Moore, of Petersburg, Virginia, arrived with his bride and a 99 passenger bus, which he has converted into a

home. Purchasing the bus from the surplus property list at Camp Pickett, he drove it to Lexington, parked it at the site of the old field house, near the tennis courts. Originally built as a New York World's Fair sight-seeing coach, it was purchased by the Army at the beginning of the war and used to haul defense workers. It is reputed to be the largest passenger bus in the world.

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The color-sound movie of Washington and Lee now being made by Charles T. Chapman, Inc., Evanston, Illinois,



will give a complete history of the University from its beginning as Augusta Academy in 1749, up to the present time. The first shots for the film were made during Finals this spring and the busy campus scenes and colorful autumn foliage of the surrounding mountains are being made this month. The film will be 900 feet in length and it will take 25 minutes to show the reel. It will be used for alumni and promotional purposes.

#### Phi Beta Kappa

Dr. A. W. Moger, secretary of the Washington and Lee chapter of Phi Beta Kappa announced the election and induction of the following students and alumni to the honor society; Carter Glass, III, Henry H. Schewel and Marion G. Heatwole, and alumni, Judge Dozier A. DeVane, LL.B. '08, Federal Judge of the State of Florida, and Judge Walter G. Rid-dick, '05, Federal Judge of the State of Arkansas.

#### Reorganization of Various Campus Activities

Graham-Lee and Washington literary societies have been re-activated, as have been the Glee Club, the Forensic Union, and the Troubadours, and the various honor societies such as "13," honorary junior society, the two sophomore societies, White Friars, Pi Alpha Nu, and the secret society of Sigma, are rumored to be reviving.

#### Award

Dr. Francis P. Gaines has been awarded His Majesty's Medal for Service in the Cause of Freedom by King George VI of England. The announcement follows:

"His Majesty's Ambassador presents his compliments to Dr. Francis P. Gaines, and has the honor to inform him that the King has been pleased to award him His Majesty's Medal for Service in the Cause of Freedom.

"Lord Inverchapel would like to offer his personal congratulations on this well merited award.

"Owing to the shortage of metal in the United Kingdom some time may elapse before the insignia of the decoration can be sent, but it is hoped that the appropriate ribbon will be available shortly."

#### Lee Memorial Service

Following a custom of many years, Dr. Gaines, members of the Board of Trustees, faculty and students joined in a memorial service in the University Chapel on October 12th, to commemorate the anniversary of the death of General Robert E. Lee, who died at his home on the campus on October 12, 1871.

Directors of the Robert E. Lee Memorial Foundation met in Lexington for this occasion and were guests of the president and Mrs. Gaines at tea on the afternoon of the 11th, followed by a dinner in the president's house, General Lee's home during the last years of his life as head of Washington College, now Washington and Lee University. This group of women have bought and are restoring Stratford Hall in Westmoreland County, Virginia, birthplace of General Lee.

#### DR. LOWRY PUBLISHES BOOK

Rev. Charles W. Lowry, Ph.D., Rector of All Saints Church, Chevy Chase, Maryland, has recently published a small book entitled *The Trinity and Christian Devotion*. It was published last winter by Eyre & Spottiswoode in England, and Harper & Brothers in this country, and was the joint Lenten Book of the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Presiding Bishop of the American Episcopal Church. Dr. Lowry was asked to write this book by the late Archbishop William Temple.

#### 50th ANNIVERSARY

Dr. Henry Louis Smith, president emeritus of Washington and Lee University, and Mrs. Smith celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in Greensboro, North Carolina, on August 4. The entire immediate family was present for the occasion. This was the first reunion with all present since 1940. A year ago Miss Helen Smith was with the WAC in Italy, Dr. Norris Smith, B. A. '29, a major with the medical corps in Europe and Captain Frank Smith, B.S. '32, was in the Pacific.

#### BIG DAN—By Frank Cunningham, '32

Frank Cunningham has done it again! *Big Dan*, The Story of a Colorful Railroader, published by The Desert Press. The story of the rails is the story of the nation. *Big Dan* is filled with all the color of plantation life in Virginia, rollicking experiences with the mountaineers of Kentucky and West Virginia, the Indians of the southwest, and the thrilling dynamic days in Colorado and Utah. Frank Cunningham is also the author of *Sky Master*—the story of Donald Douglas, publication recommended by the Book-of-the-Month Club and winner of The Manuscript Club Award for the most outstanding book of 1944.

Excerpt from *Richmond Times-Dispatch, Magazine Section, June 2, 1946, "Tom Sugrue Comes Back,"* by Parke Rouse, Jr., '37. Sugrue is the author of a best seller, "Starling of the White House."

What makes Sugrue pertinent here is that he passed through what might be called the major climaxes of his life in Virginia. The first was in 1927, when he hopped like a suddenly freed canary bird, out of a Naugatuck, Connecticut, bank into the brave new world of Lexington, as a college freshman.

"It was at Washington and Lee that I met the sublime miracle of the mind of man," he says. "When I stepped into the classroom at Lexington my life began, and I remember my joy because until then I had only prayed desperately that such a way of life existed; in industrial New England there was no proof.

"Washington and Lee seems to impart a special kind of happiness to those who attend it. It is a happiness I have not found in graduates of other schools, and I have wondered at its genesis. Part of it I am sure is in the setting and in the town of Lexington, which is something out of a dream—a doll's house town, so small and so dramatically perfect that it might have been erected as a movie set.

"I was so happy there and so eager to devour all of the knowledge of the world that I leaped at my books like a hungry wolf. Being Irish, I leaped at other things too—the rich friendship of undergraduate life and the colorful social events of the university. After half a year I asked Dean Harry Campbell whether I could take my degree in three years. I did it, and took my master's degree in my fourth year."

There was a sort of frenzied joy of discovery in his reaction to college, reminiscent of Thomas Wolfe's. Sugrue was active in everything—college newspaper, annual, dramatics, and at length he revived under the aegis of Dr. Fitzgerald Flournoy, the dormant literary magazine.

"I shall never forget how pleasant were those afternoons in Lexington," he muses. "Probably it is the fact that we were just playing at the things we wanted to do in life that made it all so happy for us. Anyhow, the quality of Spring has never been quite the same for me as it was in Lexington, nor have women ever seemed so beautiful, and music so sweet."

## Marriages

1925

**Wilson M. Roach** was married to Miss Katherine Forsyth of New Orleans, Louisiana, and Esmont, Virginia, on September 26, 1946, at St. Thomas Church, Washington, D. C.

1936

**W. Earl Donaldson** was married to Colleen Casey on September 28, 1946, in Arlington, Virginia.

1937

**Parke Shepherd Rouse, Jr.**, was married to Elizabeth Marshall Gayle on October 3, 1946, in Richmond, Virginia.

**Theodore McFaddin Plowden** was married to Suzanne McCullough on August 16, 1946, in New York City.

1938

**Charles William Karraker, Jr.**, was married on September 20, 1946, to Celine Backeland Roll Earle. Home address: 4330 Lennox Drive, Coconut Grove, Florida.

1939

**Robert Alan Brower** was married to Elizabeth Ann Heimrick on September 4, 1946, in Cincinnati, Ohio.

1940

**Stephen Leonard** was married to Alice Bernards, A. B. '42, Indiana University, on June 26, 1946. Home: 520½ West 10th Street, Anderson, Indiana.

**Ewing Sloan Humphreys, Jr.**, was married to Mary Louise Bealer, on November 14, 1946, in Atlanta, Georgia.

1941

**John T. Lykes, Jr.**, was married to Marjorie Carrere on November 14, 1946, in New Orleans, Louisiana.

1942

**Harry Burgess Wood, Jr.**, was married to Gwendolyn Bernice Billings on September 24, 1946, in Bowling Green, Kentucky.

1943

**Jay Armand Silverstein** was married to Pearl Ann Levy on October 14, 1946, in Pensacola, Florida.

**George Robert Eshelman** was married to Frances Jane Clark on September 28, 1946, in Decatur, Illinois.

**Eastham Waller Dudley** was married to Miss Letty Waugh on September 24, 1946, in Pulaski, Virginia. He is now a student in the Law School at Washington and Lee.

**Allie Hartsfield Lane** was married to Barbara Moseley on August 16, 1946, in Lakeland, Florida.

**William Jenkins Wilcox, Jr.**, was married to Eugenia Holder on August 17, 1946, in Newport, Tennessee.

1944

**Mellor William Stevenson** was married to Elizabeth Clough Woodruff on October 12, 1946, in Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

**Howard Bell Peabody, Jr.**, was married to Elizabeth Barton Williams on August 11, 1946, in Magnolia, Mississippi.

1945

**Tom Moore, Jr.**, was married to Sarah Ann Temple on October 26, 1946, in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

1946

**Herbert N. Hamric, Jr.**, was married to Mae Jean Doubet on August 17, 1946, in Peoria, Illinois.

## Births

1930

**Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Stanley Forrest Hampton** are the parents of Hila Knight Hampton, born January 2, 1946. Home: 6377 Pershing Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri.

1936

**Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Drake** are the parents of a son, Henry M., Jr., born November 4, 1946.

1940

**Mr. and Mrs. William E. Whaley, Jr.**, are the parents of a son, William E. III, born September 5, 1946.

**Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. McLaughlin** are the parents of a son, Henry E., Jr., born October 5, 1946.

**Mr. and Mrs. Howard T. Shepherd** are the parents of a son, Stephen Kemp Shepherd, born July 6, 1946.

1941

**Captain and Mrs. Clifford H. Muller, Jr.**, are the parents of a son, Clifford H. Muller, III, born August 23, 1946.

1943

**Mr. and Mrs. Warren Stuart** are the parents of a son, William Moore Stuart, III, born July 7, 1946.

## In Memoriam

1891

**Hon. Miles Poindexter** died at his home in Greenlee, Virginia, on September 21, 1946. After graduation from Washington and Lee with the L.L.B. degree in 1891, he went to Walla Walla, Washington, where he served successively as Prosecuting Attorney; Judge of the Superior Court of Washington; member of Congress and United States Senator from Washington. In 1923 he was named Ambassador to Peru, which office he held until 1928. Thereafter he spent much of his time in Washington, D. C., practicing law and representing various interests in the Capitol. He retired to his old home in Greenlee, Virginia.

1900

**Robert Anderson Watson** died, Wednesday, November 20, at his home in Charlottesville, Virginia.

1903

**Dr. John W. Warner** died October 28, 1946, in Washington, D. C. His son, John W. Jr., is a student at Washington and Lee.

1910

**John R. Coates** died June 22, 1946.

1911

**Mr. Henry Kline Dickinson** died at his home in Opelika, Alabama, May 3, 1946.

1917

**John DeJarnette Faison** died on October 29, 1946. His home was in Louisville, Kentucky.

**Marion de Witt Williamson** of Cockeysville, Maryland, died suddenly on August 7, 1946.

1920

**Sidney Sims McKinney** died November 4, 1946, in Cadiz, Kentucky.

1921

**Mr. Charles Louis Booth** died at his home in Danville, Virginia, October 12, 1946.

1926

**Dr. Hugh Bryson Glass** died suddenly on August 17, 1946, following a heart attack in his laboratory in Birmingham, Alabama. Dr. Glass was a widely known chemist.

1927

**Spencer Merrick, Jr.**, died suddenly at his home in Baltimore, June 19, 1946. The cause of death was a cerebral hemorrhage.

**Edmund Pound Shoup** died during the past summer. His home was in Augusta, Arkansas.

1928

**Peter A. Leonardis** died December 4, 1945. His home was in Bloomfield, New Jersey.

1929

**Joseph Harold Edmondson** died from a heart attack on September 10, 1946. His home was in Maryville, Tennessee.

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#### ALUMNUS DARREL PRICE RUNNING A NEWSPAPER IN TRIESTE

Darrel M. Price '32, is running a newspaper in Trieste, one of the world's hot spots in the post war period. Receiving his education at Washington and Lee and at Wake Forest, he was active in campus journalism at both schools. He was caught in the draft in June 1942, received his commission in March 1943, and went to Casablanca the next month as cadre officer; joined Psychological Warfare Branch in September, became its news chief for the Bari, Italy, Balkan operation in January 1944, went to Turin as news chief for Italy's Piedmont in April 1945, and arrived in Trieste in July as deputy news chief. He was married April 29, 1946, to Signorina Anne Maldari of Bari. His work was recently reviewed by John McKnight for one of the American Press Associations, as follows:

"When Reporter Darrel M. Price was chasing fire trucks and ambulances in Anderson, South Carolina, six years ago, he realized vaguely that Italian was a language spoken by some people on the other side of the Atlantic. The Williamson, North Carolina, newshawk never had heard of the Slovene tongue.

"In Trieste, hot-tempered post-war trouble center, Lieutenant Price is the American officer in charge of the Allied-sponsored *Giornale Alleato*, an Italian language daily whose non-partisan news policy has built its paid circulation to 65,000 in one year and of *Glas Zavenznikov*, its Slovene counterpart, which prints 10,000 to 12,000 copies.

"So profitable is *Giornale Alleato*, Price says that although newsprint limitations force it to turn down more than half the advertising offered, it pays the freight for the Slovene Jour-

nal, which accepts no advertising, and still has something left over.

"It is going so well that Allied Information Service (successor to the Psychological Warfare Branch has cut it loose from official subsidy and set it up as an independent operation.

"Owners of the printing shop where *Giornale Alleato*, the Allies' Slovene paper and Trieste's four other dailies all are printed, have been so impressed with the commercial success of the straight news policy that they are planning another daily modeled after *Giornale Alleato*.

"'In an area where propaganda comes from all sides,' the stocky, blond Price says, 'it's a tough job to put out an unbiased newspaper. We are jumped constantly from both sides, but the paper still sells.'"

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#### RECENT FACULTY CHANGES

Since the report published in the July issue of *The Alumni Magazine* the following professors have resumed their teaching duties at Washington and Lee after leave of absence during the war.

O. W. Riegel, Professor and head of the Department of Journalism, who was with the Office of War Information. In January 1945 he went to Europe as general representative from OWI for Italy and the Balkans. For the past year he was cultural attache and public affairs officer at the American Legation in Budapest, Hungary.

Dr. M. H. Stow, Professor and head of the Department of Geology, who was with the War Production Board, and later engaged in special research at Princeton.

R. W. Royston, '23, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, Lieutenant Commander, U. S. N. R.

Dr. W. M. Hinton, '29, Major, U. S. Army Reserve, returning as Associate Professor of Education and Psychology.

Twenty-three new faculty members added to the staff since the end of the spring semester have taken over their duties at the University. The new members are: John F. Baxter, associate professor of chemistry; Lea Booth '40, assistant professor of journalism; George M. Brooke '42, instructor in history, Lewis Williams '37, instructor in chemistry; Ashley Brown, instructor in English; A. L. Duckett, instructor in history; Robert B. Epsy '40, instructor in French; Brewster Sherwood Ford, instructor in English; E. C. Griffith, associate professor of economics; John E. Husted, instructor in geology; William A. Jenks '39, instructor in history; Norman F. Lord, assistant professor of health and physical education.

Ernest Carlyle Lynch '32, assistant professor of engineering; Paul Meadows, assistant professor of mathematics; James L. Price, Jr., '36, assistant professor of philosophy; Allen E. Ragan, assistant professor of political science; Beverly Read, instructor in English; Frank V. Rigler, assistant professor of mathematics; J. Hayden Siler, instructor in romance languages; Buford Stuart Stephenson, '42, instructor in German; Kenneth P. Stevens, professor of biology; James H. Stewart, assistant professor of economics; W. Dwight Todd, assistant professor of English; and Charles W. Turner, instructor in history.

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#### MAPEL ACTS AS STRIKE MEDIATOR

One of the members of Mayor William O'Dwyer's committee to help mediate the strike of truck drivers in New York is William Mapel, former professor of Journalism at Washington and Lee. Mr. Mapel is vice-chairman of the Publishers Association of New York City.

# The First Post-War Football Season

By Charley McDowell, Jr.

The close of the most hectic and unpredictable season in the history of American football finds the 1946 Washington and Lee Generals with a record showing six defeats and only two victories.

To the followers of what sports-writers like to call Washington and Lee's "football fortunes" this record is disappointing indeed. But to the observer who looks beyond the record—and beyond the traditional flurry of excuses and alibis—the football team was far from a failure this fall. For it is honestly believed here that this team was the best that has been fielded by Washington and Lee in a decade. There is no denying that it was a fine football team—it scored more points than any Blue and White aggregation since 1929, and employing a sensational, gamble-filled T-formation attack, it rolled up one of the highest offensive yardage totals in the nation.

Coach Art Lewis began the season at a school that had not played football in four years with a squad made up of freshmen and including only four lettermen. He sent this team into competition with schools that had continued football during the war and which were flooded with experienced talent. Yet this inexperienced squad crushed the only two teams which were also reviving football after a lay-off, and it was never routed although playing some of the country's finest teams. Considering the circumstances, there is no reason to believe that the green squad which showed flashes of brilliance this year will not develop into a consistent unit in 1947. There is certainly on the Washington and Lee campus today the best football material that has been here in a great many years. And the distinctive, wide-open brand of football taught by Art Lewis has already received enthusiastic comment from all who saw the Generals in action. Thus, if we look on this season as a necessary beginning in the building of a good football team, it cannot be termed a failure. This season served its purpose—it showed the tremendous potentialities of the players and the system.

To try to be analytical about the season is as foolish now as it always has been, but a summary is hardly complete without an amateur attempt at it. The two victories, obviously enough, were against teams that Washington and Lee completely outclassed. The losses could be attributed, also fairly obviously, to (1) inexperience, (2) high calibre of competition, and (3) the traditional bad breaks. Inexperience seems to apply to the losses to Richmond and West Virginia. A cool, experienced team could never have collapsed as completely as the Generals did against Richmond. If they did anything right, we weren't looking. At West Virginia, under the most atrocious playing conditions we have ever seen or heard of, the Generals tricky T-formation attack bogged down completely in a sea of mud. A more experienced team might have operated from punt formation, thus eliminating so much ball-handling, or might even have improvised a single-wing offense. Category number two can be applied quite safely to the losses to William and Mary and Miami. Against these power-houses the Generals were clearly outclassed. However, it is from the showings against these two teams that we can draw the most encouragement. Against the mighty Indians, who snowed every other team in the state under a huge score, the Generals staged one of the greatest offensive shows we have ever seen to score three times and almost



Harner, Bell, Boyda, and Harrington

steal the ball game. Before 25,000 at Miami, the Blue and White team scored three times in a game which a Miami writer called "one of the greatest offensive battles ever staged in the Orange Bowl Stadium." Bad breaks will have to come in for a large share of the blame in the losses to V. P. I. and Maryland. Trailing the Generals 7-6 with only a few minutes to play, the Gobblers completed a pass to a man lying flat on his back. This set up a touchdown which was plunged over with less than a half-a-minute to play. At Maryland W. and L. trailed 12-7 when a drive carried them deep into Maryland's territory. Then the fabled Tommy Mott stole a pass from the arms of a W. and L. end on the 2-yard line and ran 98 yards for a touchdown. Their spirit broken, the Generals were never again in the game.

A very brief summary of each game on the schedule follows:

## Hampden-Sydney

In the opening game which foretold the "one extreme to the other" erraticism which was to mark the Generals' play for the rest of the season, Washington and Lee did everything wrong in a dismal first half and then bounced back after the intermission to bury the Tigers under the score of 41-6. Freshman Charlie Harrington scored the first time he ran from scrimmage on a quick-opener for 11 yards. "The Plainsman" from Auburn, Nebraska, scored another touchdown on a winding broken-field dash after taking a flat pass from Dick Working. The score snowballed as Mike Boyda completed long passes to Jim Fahey and Bill Chipley for six pointers. After Hampden-Sydney had wedged in a touchdown on an end-zone pass completion, Harry Harner circled end for five yards and six points. Brian Bell ended the slaughter by trotting 23 yards with one of Hampden-Sydney's flat passes. Bob Riley kicked five extra points with one going astray.

## West Virginia

On October 12, the Generals and a torrential rain arrived in Charleston to renew the historic rivalry with West Virginia. Under unbelievable playing conditions the Mountaineers'

more amphibious offense produced a touchdown and their twenty-fifth victory in the thirty-game series. W. and L.'s tricky attack was completely bogged down in the mud, and plagued by nine fumbles, the Generals never threatened seriously.

#### William and Mary

Before 9,000 spectators in the Roanoke Stadium Washington and Lee gave the mighty William and Mary Indians their toughest battle (and ran up the largest score against them) on their way to the state championship. Although humbling every major team in the state by huge margins, the Indians were content with a 34-18 victory over the Generals. This game was called by many observers the greatest football game ever played in Roanoke. W. and L. completed 21 passes in 27 attempts for a gain of 237 yards in a spectacular aerial display acclaimed by all who witnessed it. William and Mary scored in the first four minutes of play but Mike Boyda passed and ran the Generals to the 1 yard line from which Brian Bell dived over for a W. and L. touchdown. As the spectators got back into their seats William and Mary carried the next kickoff 82 yards for a touchdown. Then before the half, the near-unstoppable Indians moved the score up to 27-6. At the beginning of the second half Dick Working began a passing barrage that didn't end until he hit Bill Chipley in the end zone. Then, five minutes later, as the crowd went wild in the best story-book fashion, Lighthorse Harry Lee Harner scored the third W. and L. touchdown with the most sensational broken-field dash we have ever seen on any football field. The score stood 27-18, and soon the Generals were on the move again, completing passes almost at will. Then came a weird trick of fate that broke the heart of a fighting team—Working was hit in the arm as he faded to pass and the ball went less than a yard into the arms of a William and Mary lineman. He galloped, untouched, for the touchdown that clinched a win for the Indians.

#### Richmond

Playing Richmond's surprisingly powerful Spiders before a Homecoming crowd of 8,000, Washington and Lee gave the worst possible exhibition as they lost 20-0. Still bruised and beaten from the previous week's battle with William and Mary, and possibly a bit overconfident, the Generals fumbled their way to a 14-0 deficit before half-time. After the half the fumbles merely came oftener, and while

Richmond scored again, the home team never could muster an offensive threat.

#### Davidson

In spite of a drizzling rain, W. and L. completed 10 passes and picked up 220 yards rushing to spoil Davidson's Homecoming 25-6. After the game Wildcats had beat off a scoring drive in the first quarter, the Generals' deceptive T-formation attack clicked for two quick touchdowns in the second period. The battery of Working and Chipley connected for the first six points and a few minutes later Brian Bell took another pass in the end zone. After the half, sensational broken-field running by Charlie Harrington carried the ball deep into Davidson's territory and Bell plunged over from the four. Then in the fourth period Working lateraled to Bell who began what appeared to be a wide run around left end. But leaping high into the air, the south-paw from Washington, D. C., passed to Harrington who was all alone behind the Davidson safety man. Davidson scored on a desperate pass in the waning minutes to make the final score 25-6.

#### V. P. I.

In the most heart-breaking loss of the season W. and L. led V. P. I. 7-6 with less than a minute to play only to lose 13-7. Before 12,000 fans in the Lynchburg Stadium the two old rivals fought up and down the field in a scoreless first half. In the third quarter an interception deep in W. and L. territory led to a Tech touchdown. The try for the extra was wide. Early in the fourth period Harrington took in a V. P. I. punt at midfield and zig-zagged his way to the Tech 29. On the next play Working passed to Harrington who was finally pulled down from behind on the 10. Then Bill Chipley, probably the greatest end ever to play at Washington and Lee, outran the V. P. I. defenders and pulled down a pass from Working for a touchdown. Bob Riley's try for point couldn't have been better and the Generals led 7-6. The W. and L. line held against the desperate Gobblers and with time running out V. P. I. attempted a long pass. The receiver seemed to trip and fall and the ball was caught as he lay on the ground. This brought the ball to the W. and L. 14-yard line and V. P. I. scored on line plays with only seconds remaining.

#### Maryland

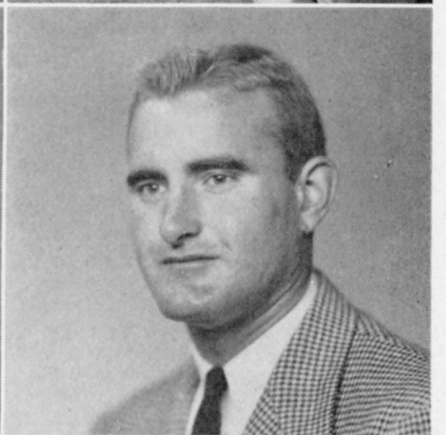
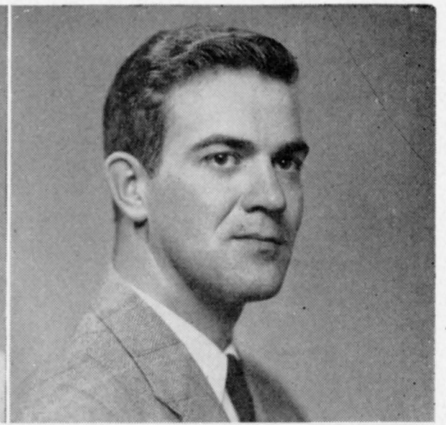
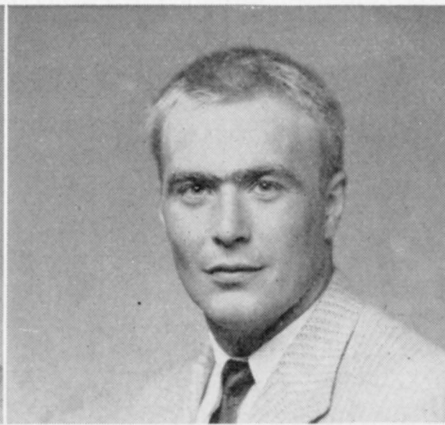
Playing in Baltimore Stadium the Generals lost to Maryland 24-7 although at one point they appeared on the road to victory. After Maryland had rolled up 12 points in the first half, the General's passing attack pushed to a quick touchdown in the third period. Brian Bell, W. and L.'s leading scorer for the year, took Boyda's pass on the Maryland one and fell across the goal line. Riley converted and Maryland led 12-7. The next time W. and L. laid hands on the ball a varied running and passing attack carried to the Maryland 10 yard line. Working passed to Fahey who got both hands on the ball on the two, but Tommy Mont of Maryland stole the ball out of the big end's arms and galloped 98 yards for the touchdown that changed the entire complexion of the game. Maryland scored once more against the disheartened but still-fighting Generals and the final score stood at 24-7.

#### Miami

Before 25,000 cheering spectators in the Orange Bowl Stadium the Generals staged a wild offensive battle with the powerful Miami Hurricanes, and although trounced 40-20, gave their best showing of the year with the possible exception of the William and Mary game. (William and Mary, incidentally, was not able to score a touchdown in losing to Miami earlier in the season.) The three W. and L. touch-



Norman, Sauers, McCausland

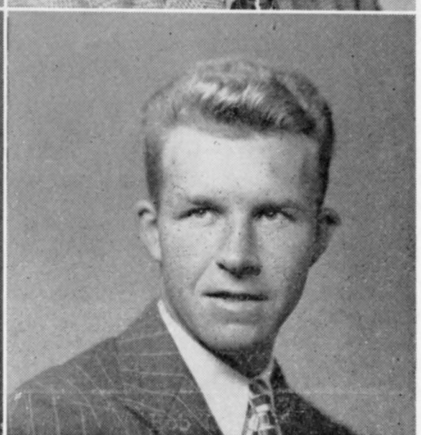
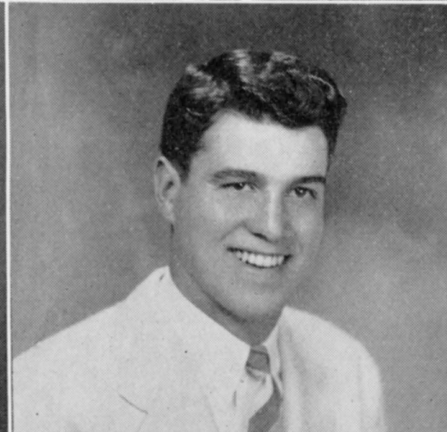
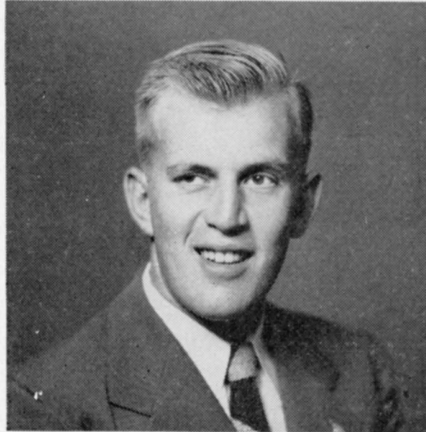
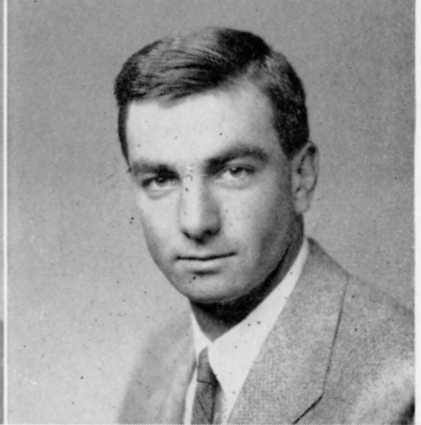
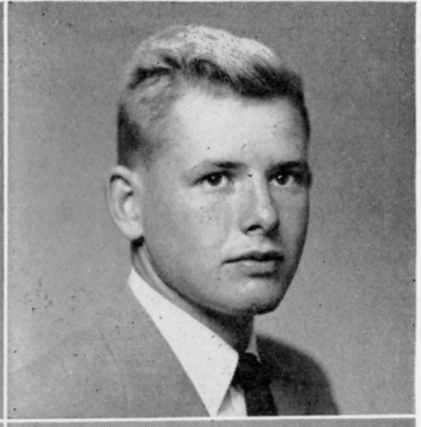


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 Dick Yankee





Harry Harner  
Larry Englert  
Jim Fahey  
Jim Lukens

Mike Boyda  
Bill Lilly  
Mark Saur  
Gil Wilson

Bob Carr  
Brian Bell, Jr.  
Bill Cadle  
Dick Working

downs were all scored on sensational plays straight out of Art Lewis' pro book. Working tossed a looping basketball pass to end Jim Lukens for one six-pointer and shovelled one in the flat to substitute halfback Bill Woods for another. On the latter, Woods caught the pass behind the line of scrimmage, and with excellent blocking threaded his way 76 yards to score. The other W. and L. touchdown came on one of the trickiest plays pulled anywhere this season. Quarterback Working, who had done any passing that was done while he was in the game, handed the ball off to Harrington, who ran wide to the right. Meanwhile, unnoticed, Working circled left end and was in the clear when Harrington passed to him for the touchdown. This game was the last for Guard Paul Cavaliere, Back Harry Harner, and End Bill Chipley. The rest of the squad will be on hand next season. Chipley was named to the All-State and All-Southern first teams and rival coaches were unanimous in calling him one of the finest college ends seen in action this season.

## Local Alumni Meetings

Since the last issue of the Alumni Magazine was published many local alumni chapters have held meetings. Lack of space in this issue does not permit full coverage. Meetings were held in the following cities:

### CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA

This was perhaps the largest gathering of local and visiting alumni ever held in the Capitol City of West Virginia. On the eve of the West Virginia-Washington and Lee game on October 12, at the Edgewood Country Club, approximately 150 alumni enjoyed a smoker and buffet supper. Goodridge Sale, '24, president of the local chapter, presided. Short talks were made by Governor Meadows, '26, of West Virginia, Lieutenant Governor Pat Collins, '20, of Virginia, United States Senator Chap Revercomb, '18, of West Virginia and State Supreme Court Justice, Bill Lovins, '14, of West Virginia. Other celebrities too numerous to mention were also in attendance. The University was represented by Coach Art Lewis, Director of Athletics Dick Smith and Alumni Secretary Cy Young.

### ROANOKE, VIRGINIA

Seventy-five local alumni met at the Hotel Roanoke for a reorganization meeting and dinner on October 18. Ed Ould, '29, retiring president, presided. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Bill Bagby, '38, Vice-President, Norred Trinkle, '26, Secretary, Barton Morris, '43, Alumni Council representative, Tom Fox, '31.

### CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

At the Mecklinburg Hotel, on November 1, 50 alumni and their wives gathered for a delightful dinner and meeting of the Charlotte chapter, on the eve of the Davidson-Washington and Lee football game. Jack Crist, '13, president, presided. New officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Hugh Ashcraft, '41, President, Grier Wallace, '35, Vice-President, and John L. Crist, Jr., '45, Secretary.

### CINCINNATI, OHIO

Forty-five alumni and their wives were the guests of Walter McDonald, '10, member of the University Board of Trustees, on December 12, at his beautiful home in Indian Hills, for a sumptuous dinner in honor of President Gaines.

Dr. Gaines presented to those present a picture of the University as it is today and projected his hearers into the future concerning the plans for the Bicentennial celebration.

### CLEVELAND, OHIO

A most enjoyable meeting of alumni was held at the University Club on November 13. Forty-four alumni and their wives were present to hear Dr. Gaines bring them up-to-date on the affairs of the University and outline future plans for the Bicentennial. Ben F. Fiery, '13, presided and the following officers were elected for the coming year; Thomas M. Harman, '25, President, Robert B. Campbell, '24, Vice-President, Charles F. Clarke, Jr., '38, Secretary, and Sam P. McChesney, Jr., '38, Treasurer.

### WASHINGTON, D. C.

The annual smoker of the Washington chapter was held at the Mayflower Hotel on Friday evening, November 15. In the absence of President Paul Brown, '41, Charlie Suter, '33, presided at a short business session at which the following officers were elected for the coming year; President, Randolph Rouse, '39, Vice-President, Graham Morison, '30, Secretary, Fred Pearse, '31.

### BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

On the eve of the Maryland-Washington and Lee game, November 15, a large number of Washington and Lee alumni gathered at the Engineers Club for a smoker and to hear Coach Art Lewis and Director of Athletics Cap'n Dick Smith. Lewis Tignor, '32, president of the local chapter, was in charge of arrangements.

### NEW YORK

The annual meeting of the local chapter was held at the Columbia Club on November 15. Seventy-five alumni heard Dr. Walter Flick, of the Psychology Department of the University, discuss the affairs of the University, past, present and future.

### JOURNALISM LECTURE SERIES

David Tennant Bryan, publisher of the Richmond *Times-Dispatch* and *News Leader*, spoke to Washington and Lee Journalism students on November 18 to inaugurate a series of lectures and discussion groups established by the *Roanoke Times* Fund of the Lee Memorial Journalism Foundation.

The purpose of the series is to bring to Washington and Lee distinguished practitioners and leaders in editorial, advertising, radio, and other communications fields for the benefit of students in professional journalism courses.

The second of the series was held December 16 when Thurman L. Barnard, vice-president and director of Compton Advertising, Inc., of New York addressed the journalism group on current advertising problems.

Subsequent lectures tentatively scheduled will include Ralph McGill, editor of the *Atlanta Constitution*, and Mark Woods, president of the American Broadcasting Company.

The Times Fund was created by J. B. Fishburn and Junius P. Fishburn of Roanoke.

### DR. CROBAUGH RESIGNS

Dr. Mervyn Crobaugh, associate professor of Economics at Washington and Lee, who has been on leave of absence since 1944, has resigned and is now associated with the OPA office in Cleveland, Ohio, in the price division.

# Class Notes

1889

**C. H. Gilkeson**, one of Washington and Lee's most faithful alumni, lives in Fairfield, Virginia.

1891

**Frank a Nelson**, 918 Hamilton Bank Building, Chattanooga, Tennessee, was a visitor to Lexington during the past summer.

1894

**Charles H. Freeman** is now retired and living in Bon Air, Virginia. He and his wife do a lot of motoring. They have a nice home in Bon Air which is a delightful little community four miles southwest of Richmond.

1898

**Colonel Henry W. Anderson**, of Richmond, Virginia, one of the co-receivers of the Seaboard Airline Railroad Company, will serve as board chairman of that organization which returned to operation under corporate management as of August 1, thus terminating operation under the receivership which had it inception during the depression of the 1930s. **Joseph T. Lykes**, '09, is one of the new directors of the company.

1899

**S. C. Lind** is Dean of the Institute of Technology, University of Minnesota. His son returned from overseas in November and has resumed his position with Dow Chemical Company, Freeport, Texas.

**Herbert B. Chermiside** is Clerk of the Circuit Court, Charlotte Court House, Virginia. He has been Chairman of Selective Service and found it a hard and disagreeable task.

**Ewing D. Sloan** is Administrator of Federal Works Agency, Jackson, Mississippi. He is strong for a class reunion in 1949.

**William E. Davis** is still with the Midland Coal Corporation, Lexington, Kentucky, as president and general manager. He travels a great deal "working at beck and call of John Lewis," trying to mine coal.

**James Mullen** is a member of the law firm of Williams, Mullen and Hazelgrove, 1001 East Main Street, Richmond 19, Virginia. His son is the head of a research laboratory of his own and during the war was one of the government's research scientists, first in rubber and then in secret weapons, some of which have not even yet been disclosed to the public.

1902

**Colonel Charles S. Caffery**, now retired from the United States Army, is living at 1019 Jungle Avenue, St. Petersburg, Florida.

We wish to apologize for any errors in the class notes appearing in this issue. The letters from which these notes are taken were written, for the most part, early last spring. The rapid demobilization of alumni from the several branches of the armed forces of the United States have no doubt rendered some of these notes inaccurate or out-of-date. If so, we apologize. We would like to have more material for class notes in letters to your Class Agent this year.

1903

**J. C. McPheeters** is connected with the Duke Power Company, Charlotte, North Carolina. Home: 125 West Vance Street, Charlotte, North Carolina.

**Joseph D. Collins, M. D.**, Medical Arts Building, Portsmouth, Virginia, envies his class agent who lives in the mountains of West Virginia, since Portsmouth is just three feet above sea

level and its inhabitants are constantly hoping that the tide will not get high enough to swamp them. However, it is a most interesting place to live. While a great many of the hordes of strangers who flocked there for war work have now departed, there are still many who have decided to stay on if possible and some are making splendid citizens.

**Francis T. Reeves**, Attorney-at-Law, Waterbury, Connecticut, says the only thing of great moment which has happened to him in the past year is that he has another granddaughter.

**Francis Treveylian Miller** is Director of Research, Historical Foundations of World War II. He writes: "There in historic Lexington I found the heart and soul of America. It transformed me not into a diplomat but into an historian. Ten years later, as editor-in-chief of *The Journal of American History* I planned and produced the semi-centennial (10 vols.) Photographic History of the Civil War, preserving for posterity the famous Bandy negatives and giving full credit to Washington and Lee University. This work has since become the established authority throughout the world." Dr. Miller is the author of many outstanding historical works.

**J. M. McClung** is still in the business of farming and general insurance in Raphine, Virginia. He says he is a confirmed bachelor and "the less you hear about them the more interesting is the narrative."

1904

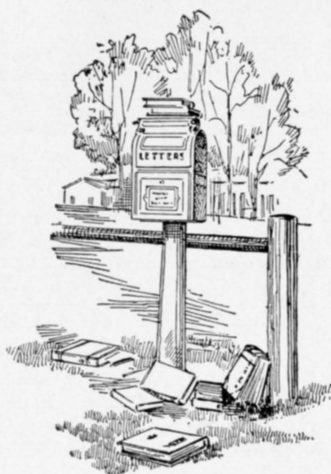
**LeRoy Thompson** is minister of the First Presbyterian Church, Roswell, New Mexico. His only child is a daughter who is married and has a son two years old. They also live in Roswell.

**Judge Julian F. Bouchelle** is a member of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, Charleston, West Virginia.

**Matthew T. McClure** is head of the Department of Philosophy and Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois.

1906

**Frank K. Rader** has been Professor of Business Administration at Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, since 1926. He is now President of The Conservative Life Insurance Company at Wheeling, West Virginia, where he spends most of his time. However, he still maintains his home in Dallas.



**David W. Pipes, Jr.**, did not attend the reunion of the class at Finals. He had planned to make the trip with Albert (Kid) Steves. David's home is Terrebonne Parish, Houma, Louisiana.

**Ed Lea Davis**, is a member of the firm of Rose-Davis Realty Company, Flat Iron Building, Chattanooga, Tennessee. He says in his letter to his class agent; "My hat is always off, in salute, to Washington and Lee University and to those of you who keep us boys hitting the trail."

1907

**Henry W. Miller** is head of the Department of Mechanism and Engineering Drawing at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan. The tremendous number of students attending the University of Michigan now has made it necessary to add so many buildings for housing and classroom facilities that he thinks an alumnus would have a hard time finding his way around. They expect to have as many as twenty thousand students next year.

**David H. Hill**, whose home is in Westfield, New Jersey, is now in Poughkeepsie, New York, where his company is laying a 3 foot C. I. intake pipe for the Poughkeepsie Water Supply. "It is laid on the bottom of the Hudson River and extends about 1000 feet from shore to shore at a depth of 65 feet below the surface (outer end). The tidal currents here are pretty strong and divers can only work about 1½ hours twice a day when the flow changes from flood to ebb or visa versa, so it is quite a long job." He has been working with the Merritt, Chapman & Scott Corporation of New York City since 1918. Home: 310 Edgewood Avenue, Westfield, New Jersey.

1908

**Alan Porter Lee** was in Southern Brazil much of the time during the 1946 Alumni Fund, but notwithstanding this, he and his most efficient secretary have done a splendid job for the class of 1908-A. Address: 136 Liberty Street, New York 6, New York.

**Elmer W. Somers**, Attorney-at-Law, Accomac, Virginia, writes that he enjoys reading the class notes in *The Alumni Magazine*.

**John W. Lykes** is vice-president of Lykes Brothers Incorporated, ranchers, packers of beef and pork products, Tampa, Florida.

**Dr. Louis K. Koontz**, Professor of American History, University of California, Los Angeles, was on sabbatic leave last year and paid a short visit to the campus. Dr. Koontz is also Managing Editor of *The Pacific Review*, publication of the Pacific Coast Branch of the American Historical Society. He says visiting Lexington is like what visiting Mecca is to a Mohomedan.

**Colonel Joseph M. Moore**, is superintendent of Greenbrier Military School, Lewisburg, West Virginia. He was in Lexington attending a meeting of the Virginia Preparatory Schools Association, of which he is the only out-of-state member, and met many old friends here.

**Donald P. Boyer** last summer, in order to get a few semester hours which would be necessary to renew his teaching certificate, which was due to expire in 1949, betook himself to the University of Virginia to take courses in the graduate school of education. Encouraged by finding that at 55 he could learn as well as ever, he secured a leave for professional im-

provement from his job as a teacher in the Richmond Public Schools, and by June secured his M. A. degree. He says at Washington and Lee he was the youngest man in the graduating class, and at Virginia on June 11, 1946, the oldest. His son, who was a prisoner of war in Germany, is now back at home safe and sound, and staying in the army.

**Wheatley M. Johnson** is farming at "Clover Hill Farm," Manassas, Virginia, trying to produce more crops with less than half the labor formerly available. His oldest son Wheatley M., B. A. '42, has been discharged from the Army Air Force as a Captain and is now managing editor of the Manassas local weekly paper. His second son has now been released from the Navy and the youngest, now 18 years of age, is helping his father on the farm.

**Dozier A. DeVane**, United States District Judge, Orlando, Florida, was inducted as an honorary member of Phi Beta Kappa in August, 1946. He and his wife spent their vacation at the Natural Bridge, and were frequent visitors to Lexington.

1909

**Sam M. Engelhardt**, Class Agent for 1909, is Purchasing Agent for the City of Montgomery, Alabama. He and his wife were recent visitors to the campus.

**Crowell T. Dawkins** is in the General Contracting business in Tampa, Florida. At a recent meeting of the Washington and Lee Florida West Coast alumni, at which Dr. L. J. Desha represented the University, Mr. Dawkins was elected president of the organization. He hopes to send his son to Washington and Lee within the next few years.

**Devall Gwathmey** will soon complete 25 years as rector of St. John's Episcopal Church in Wytheville, Virginia.

**Dr. A. A. Houser**, Richmond, Virginia, says: "I have no complaints to make of the past forty years, as I have been able to maintain a fair degree of economic competence. I have reared almost a dozen children, contributed a third of a dozen to the war effort. I realize that I received a great deal of benefit in my stay at the University and it is always a pleasure to pay at occasions recognition to the service that the University rendered."

**S. N. Hoshour** is Collector for the City of Staunton, Virginia. He was prevented by illness from attending Finals this year.

1910

**Walter McDonald** was in Lexington at Finals and attending a meeting of the University Board of Trustees, of which he is a member. He has recently returned to his home in Cincinnati after a prolonged vacation in Arizona, where he met his friend and classmate **John Izard**.

**O. W. Richardson** is Vice-President of the Duquesne Lumber Company. He says he is a "lucky boy of 59," for he was leaving the day his letter was written to spend Easter with his 82 year old Dad and 80 year old Mother in Philadelphia. His offices are in the Columbia Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

**Harry J. Lemley** is District Judge of the Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas. He lives in Hope, Arkansas, but his main office is in the Federal Building at Texarkana. He also has an office in Little Rock. He is commonly called the "roving" federal judge in Arkansas. He recently was the recipient of an honorary degree at the University of Arkansas.

**Charles K. Hauke** was in Nome, Alaska, last year as General Superintendent of the work at that garrison for the U. S. Engineers. After V. E. day he was returned to Washington, D. C., his terminal leave expiring September 10, 1945. He was transferred to the F. P. H. A. and is now working on the demolition and erection of veterans' housing. Temporary address: Box 61, Bruning, Nebraska.

**Larry W. Wilson** is President and General Manager Greensboro Motor Car Company. He was recently elected a member of the Alumni Board of Trustees and attended the meeting of the Board at Homecoming.

**Russell L. Frink** has been General Counsel for the Florida East Coast Railway since 1939. He was recently elected president of the Sons of the American Revolution. His son, Russell, Jr., Captain in the Field Artillery, has been discharged after four and a half years in the service. Address: 414 Graham Building, Jacksonville, Florida.

**Lee Cazort** moved to Little Rock, Arkansas, seventeen years ago. He has a family of four children. In 1915 he was elected to the House of Representatives; in 1917 elected Speaker of the House; 1919 elected to State Senate; in 1921 elected president of the Senate. When the office of Lieutenant Governor was created he was elected as Arkansas's second Lieutenant Governor in 1929, and reelected to this same office in 1933 and 1935. He has been presiding officer of five General Assemblies, a very unusual record. For the past nine years he has held the office of Referee in Bankruptcy for the largest judicial district in the State and engaged in private practice of law in addition to his work.

**Richard D. Morales** has been appointed honorary attorney and Counsellor at law for the Cuban government and the Cuban consulate in Miami, Florida. The appointment came from Raphael P. Gonzalez-Munoz, sub-secretary of state. On graduation from the Law School he opened a law office in Tampa and practiced there until he came to Miami in 1940. Address: Ingraham Building, Miami, Florida.

1911

**Major General Clements McMullen** was an officer pilot in World War I, and becoming enamoured with flying, he continued in the army as a flying officer. After a colorful career in World War II, he was assigned in January 1946, as Chief of Staff of General Ennis C. Whitehead's newly formed Pacific Air Command, U. S. A. Home address: 511 Alta Avenue, San Antonio 2, Texas.

**W. C. Armentrout** is District Manager for the Equitable Life Assurance Society, Elkins, West Virginia.

**Fred P. Guthrie** was a visitor to the campus for Finals and attended the Memorial service for Washington and Lee men lost in the war. His son, Walter Russell, who graduated in 1940 was among them. Mr. Guthrie is Assistant Vice-President of R. C. A. Communications, Inc., 1625 K Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

**Edward E. Brown** still continues in the life insurance business as General Agent for the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia and has just completed an eighteen months term as president of the Chattanooga Chamber of

Commerce. Address: Chattanooga Bank Building, Chattanooga 2, Tennessee.

**Jim Barker** is Agent for the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, Bristol, Tennessee. He has given up some of his outside activities but is still a Director in Dominion National Bank and a member of the Bristol, Tennessee Planning Commission and a Presbyterian Deacon.

**William A. Reid** is Cashier of the First National Bank of Troutville, Virginia. He and Mrs. Reid were planning to go to Agnes Scott College for commencement where his two daughters were in school, the eldest a senior.

**Henry Moncure** has been with the Ordnance Department since 1940, going to Radford Ordnance Works when it started production, as senior inspector of Powder and Explosives. They have now been changed to an arsenal and he has been reassigned in charge of storage and surveillance, as he expects "to be in these hills for a good while, nursing 50,000,000 pounds of smokeless powder and 25,000,000 pounds of T. N. T., with the hope that it will never have to be used for the purpose it was intended for." Address: 418 Tyler Avenue, Radford, Virginia.

**C. W. Tharpe** is a member of the firm of Hardie & Caudle, "the house of Kuppenheimer good clothes." Says he has been too busy selling white shirts and suits to write a class letter. Address: 810 Broad Street, Chattanooga, Tennessee.

**John G. Herndon** is head of the Department of Government, Haverford College, Haverford, Pennsylvania. His son Dick, '41, is vice-consul at Montreal and enjoying his life and work there very much.

1912

**Rt. Rev. Lloyd R. Craighill**, Bishop of the Episcopal Church Mission, District of Ankin, Lion Hill, Wuhu, China, has returned to his work there. Ordained as Bishop in 1940, he was interned by the Japanese in China and returned to this country on the Gripsholm. He is now engaged in the rehabilitation of church, school and hospital in the formerly war torn areas of his Diocese.

**Robert R. Blake** moved from Winston-Salem, North Carolina, in July 1945, to take over thirty-three counties in Virginia for the Jaynes Manufacturing Company of Chicago. His address is care of Y. M. C. A., Roanoke, Virginia.

**Dr. Edward Lyons** is now a retired chemist, having left the ranks of Parke, Davis after 26 years of service. To keep himself busy he is selling correspondence courses for LaSalle Extension University. He promises to be coming South one of these days as he is tired of the Michigan winters.

**Byron Ballard** is a member of the law firm of Shields, Ballard, Jennings & Taber, 1400 Olds Tower Building, Lansing 8, Michigan. He would like to have a 35th reunion of his class at Finals next year.

1913

**Carter Glass, Jr.**, was released from the service in September 1945, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He is now back with the Lynchburg News, Lynchburg, Virginia.



**Adrian Williamson**, after spending a year in India and a year in China, is out of the service and has resumed the practice of law at his home in Monticello, Arkansas. His son, Adrian, Jr., is now a student here.

**Robert Kern Williams** has been with the War Department in a civilian capacity since 1940. Both of his sons have returned to this country from the service. Address: 1508 Crittenden Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

**William T. Hanzsche** is Minister of the Prospect Street Presbyterian Church, Trenton, New Jersey. He preached the baccalaureate sermon at the Victory Commencement at Washington and Lee. Two years ago he was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa here.

**Benjamin F. Fiery** makes frequent trips to Virginia now as his daughter, Anne is a student at Sweet Briar. He is a member of the Law Firm of Baker, Hostetler, Sidlo and Patterson, Union Commerce Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

**M. A. Stevenson**, after six years in administrative church work, is now Pastor of the First Methodist Church, Pulaski, Virginia. His son and daughter, both in the service, are now back in this country.

**John L. Crist**, President Southern Dyestuff Corporation, Charlotte, North Carolina, was in Lexington for the Victory Reunion at Finals and to attend the graduation of his son John L., Jr.

**Paul D. Converse**, Professor in the Commerce Department, University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, writes that the biggest news with him is that his son, Paul, Jr., has returned after two and a half years in the South Pacific and in Germany. His daughter, Louise, is finishing her junior year in the University of Illinois.

**Harvey B. Apperson** is a member of the Virginia State Corporation Commission, and finds the work interesting but arduous. Both of his sons have returned safely from the war, Harvey, Jr., an Air Transport Pilot and First Lieutenant in the Air Corps, has made application for a commission in the Regular Army; his second son Charlie Logan Apperson, is now a student at Washington and Lee.

**Howard L. Robinson** is a member of the law firm of Robinson and Stump, Union National Bank Building, Clarksburg, West Virginia. He says he still has his nose to the grindstone practicing law but takes a little diversion interesting himself on the farm where he was born and raised, and gets a great deal of enjoyment out of that luxury.

**H. Wise Kelley** is a member of the Law firm of Bowen and Kelly, Potomac Electric Power Company Building, Washington, D. C. His son, H. Wise, Jr., is now a student in the Law School at Washington and Lee having already obtained his A. B. degree.

**Lieutenant Colonel William C. Coulbourn**, having been a member of the National Guard of Virginia for many years, was called into active service on February 3, 1941, and has been in since that time. For the past three years he has been stationed at Fort Benning, where he is Post Judge Advocate. He and his wife live on the post and, "now that the war is over lead a very happy and contented existence." He expects to return to civilian life on January 1, 1947—probably to his home in Mathews County, Virginia.

**Howard P. Macfarlane** is a member of the law firm of McKay, Macfarlane, Jackson and Ferguson, First National Bank Building, Tampa, Florida. Two of the partners in this firm

who were graduates of Washington and Lee have died recently, **K. I. McKay, LL.B. '04**, in 1945, and **William H. Jackson, LL.B. '08**, in 1946 Mr. Macfarlane's son, Hugh C. Macfarlane, received his LL.B. here in June, and is now associated with the firm.

**H. M. Woodward** is practicing law in Norfolk, Virginia, with offices in the Western Union Building. Both of his sons are now out of the service and starting back in civilian life.

#### 1914

**Edward M. Craig**, Class Agent for '14-A, has changed his address to 3515-78th Street, Jackson Heights, New York.

**Samuel O. Laughlin, Jr.**, President of the Wheeling Tile Co., Wheeling, West Virginia, claims that his life is uneventful, but his three sons, aged 15, 11, and 9, are headed for Washington and Lee.

**Lieutenant Colonel William Moseley Brown**, now on terminal leave, expected to be back in civilian life in October. He has been in the service four years, including 2½ years in England, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany and Austria. His older boy returned from Okinawa a short time ago. His younger son was two years in the Air Corps. Address: P. O. Box 506, Scarsdale, New York.

**J. Goodloe Jackson** is district representative for the Corn Products Sales Company, in Cumberland, Maryland, and president of the local Washington and Lee Alumni Chapter.

**Fred Davis** is in the general insurance business, Davis, Childs & Company, Incorporated, Lynchburg, Virginia. He is kept on the run with his business, outside activities, and bringing up two little girls, aged three and six. He has recently been elected President of Post G, Travelers Protective Associations, is on the Board of Directors of Lynchburg Female Orphan Asylum, Treasurer Piedmont Area Council of the Boy Scouts, song leader at the Rotary Club and interested in the activities of the Natural Bridge Appalachian Trail Club. He says he has too many irons in the fire.

#### 1915

**Joseph W. Hodges** is District Attorney, Silver City, New Mexico.

**Charlie Switzer** has been with the DuPont Company since leaving Washington and Lee. He was recently promoted to Assistant Manager of the Nylon Department, DuPont Company, Wilmington, Delaware.

**Jerry A. Burke** was a recent visitor to the campus. He has had two sons at Washington and Lee, Jerry A., Jr., '38, and Richard Floyd, III, '42. Address: P. O. Box 47, Appomattox, Virginia.

**W. A. Keleher**, Attorney, Albuquerque, New Mexico, represented Washington and Lee at the inauguration of the President of the University of New Mexico on May 10, 1946. He was present at this celebration in a dual capacity as he received the honorary degree of Master of Arts.

**Lawrence B. Wales** is now Commander, Naval Air Station, New Orleans, Louisiana. His son, Lawrence B., Jr., who graduated with the war class at V. M. I., is now a student in the Law School at Washington and Lee.

**Bob Shaw** is Chief Engineer of the Tube Division of Radio Corporation of America, with headquarters at Harrison, New

Jersey. He is also responsible for an engineering department of the same corporation at Lancaster, Pennsylvania. He has a wife and four children; the two oldest are married and each has presented them with a grandchild.

1916

**N. C. Evans**, recently discharged from the Army with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, is now with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in Louisville, Kentucky. He is temporarily living with his daughter at 2620 Gladstone Avenue, Louisville, until such time as he is able to secure an apartment.

**J. C. Rivers** writes his class agent: "1916-1946—30 years! It is hard to believe, yet it's true, as you and the other old-timers who have lived through these hectic thirty years can well appreciate, and I am sure you and the other members of the Class of '16 will never permit time to dim our interest and affection for our Alma Mater. The days spent on the campus, in the class rooms with friends and associates will always be a refreshing chapter in our book of experience." He has served with the War Finance Committee, Commerce and Industry Committee, Treasury Department, New York City. Address: 250 Riverside Drive, New York, New York.

**Bruce F. Woodruff** spent a few days in Lexington at the opening of the fall semester entering his son, Bruce, Jr., in the freshman class. Bruce, Sr., is a member of the law firm of Woodruff and Etheridge, Haas-Howell Building, Atlanta, Georgia.

**W. C. (Bill) Raftery** is Director of Dupont Employees' Recreational Association, Waynesboro, Virginia. He has two daughters in college, one at Hollins, and one at Agnes Scott and a son studying law at Virginia.

**M. Brayden Ridenour** is in the coal and building supplies business, which has been somewhat strenuous on account of the activities of Mr. John L. Lewis. On account of this his wife very kindly writes a class letter for him. Address: 1115 Oak Hill Avenue, Hagerstown, Maryland.

**Dr. R. P. Hawkins, Jr.**, is a member of the Surgical Staff of the Chesapeake and Ohio Hospital, Clifton Forge, Virginia.

**Ed Magers** reports that he is still chief examiner in the Department of Audits and Public Accounts of the State of Georgia. Speaking of visits made to Lexington, Ed relates a "highlight" of the 20th anniversary reunion in 1936: "One lady sitting next to me in the Gym (in 1936) said to me: 'Are you graduating this year?'—Wouldn't you consider that a high compliment for a man then 41 years of age?"

1917

**C. R. Hill** is President of Merchants & Miners National Bank, Oak Hill, West Virginia, is engaged in many activities including banking, real estate, lumber, mining and farming, as well as entering his twentieth year as Mayor of the City of Oak Hill. He has two sons at Woodberry Forest and trusts that they will be interested in Washington and Lee.

**George N. Danielson** is with the U. S. Department of Justice Immigration and Naturalization Service, 1014 New Post

Office Building, Saint Paul, Minnesota. He says he has been a subscriber to the Rockbridge County News since 1918, as he likes to keep up with the people he knew here as a student.

**A. Gallatin Paxton**, recently discharged from the service as a Brigadier-General, is now back in the cotton business, A. G. Paxton Company, Delta Staples, Greenville, Mississippi.

**Clarence W. Carter**, Warrenton, Virginia, gave up the position of Commonwealth's attorney for his county in 1946, after seventeen years of service and since that time has been devoting all his time to civil practice. He is married and has two sons, nine and eleven.

**L. Dewoody (Chuck) Lyle** has served two years as Prosecuting Attorney for the 11th Judicial District of Arkansas. He is manager of the Claim Department of Taylor & Company, the largest real estate and insurance firm in Southeast Arkansas. He has been specializing in insurance work and represents a number of insurance firms for whom he adjusts claims. He is married, has no children, but he and his wife have reared a niece and nephew who lost their parents when they were quite young.

**Robert B. McDougale** is still practicing law, with offices in the Citizen National Bank Building, Parkersburg, West Virginia.

**Dr. R. Glenn Craig**, Class Agent for '17-A, was a visitor to Lexington during the summer. Address: 490 Post Street, Room 521, San Francisco, California.

**Dr. S. Palmer Hileman** has been engaged in a large general practice of medicine in Millboro, Virginia. Both of his sons are now out of the Navy.

**Homer A. Jones** is Executive President of the Washington Trust and Savings Bank, Bristol, Virginia-Tennessee. His older son, Homer, Jr., received an LL. B. from Washington and Lee in 1942. His younger son returned home safely last March after two years service in the E. T. O.

1918

**Edmund D. Campbell** and his family were week-end visitors to Lexington in July. Ed is a member of the law firm of Douglas, Obear and Campbell, Southern Building, Washington, D. C. His son, E. D., Jr., is a freshman at Washington and Lee.

**Homer A. (Rocky) Holt** was in Lexington for the meeting of the University Board of Trustees, of which he is a member, at Finals. He is a member of the law firm of Brown, Jackson and Knight, Kanawha Valley Building, West Virginia.

**John Dudley McCready** was a Chaplain in the Army and was stationed for some time at Camp Adair, Oregon. He is now out of the service and pastor of the First Baptist Church, Morganton, North Carolina. He married an Alabama girl and they have a small daughter four years old. Address: 105 South King Street, Morganton, North Carolina.

**John L. McChord** is a member of the law firm of Calfee, Fogg, McChord and Halter. The firm name was recently changed to the above and they also have a new address at 1717 Union Commerce Building, Cleveland, Ohio.



**John H. Sorrells** is still Executive Editor for Scripps-Howard Newspapers, 230 Park Avenue, New York. His son, John H., Jr., is now a student in the University, and is accompanied by his wife.

**Murray C. Shoun** is a member of the firm of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Beane, 25 North Pryor Street, Atlanta 8, Georgia. He spent a week-end in Lexington in April and saw a lot of his old friends.

**Matthew W. Paxton** is still engaged in the many activities connected with his law practice and publishing the Rockbridge County News, in Lexington. His oldest son is now out of the service and has re-entered Washington and Lee.

**Samuel E. Moreton** had a little over two years as a Lieutenant in the C. E. Corps, U. S. N. R., on the island of Oahu (Pearl Harbor and vicinity). He was home on leave on V-J Day, and is now discharged. Home: 721 South Church Street, Brookhaven, Mississippi.

1919

**W. F. Barron**, in the Coca-Cola Bottling business in Rome, Georgia, complains of the sugar shortage. He was a visitor to the campus in November.

**Leonard T. Brown** thinks that he is possibly the first grand-father in the Class of 1919, and also claims the distinction of being the first alumnus in any class to have a son-in-law enter Washington and Lee. His son-in-law, Glenn Chaffer, is now a student here, bringing along his wife and young son. He may be the first grand-father in the class, but there are several sons-in-law of alumni now in school. Cy Young, Alumni Secretary, thinks he might hold the honor of being the first grand-father in the Class of '17, having a 2½ year old grandson. Address: 700 West Jackson Avenue, Bridgeport, Connecticut.

**John D. Goodin** is now out of the service and practicing law as an Associate in the offices of William J. Carter, John-son City, Tennessee.

1920

**Emmett W. Poindexter**, the energetic secretary of the New York Alumni Chapter, was a visitor to the campus for Finals. He is with the law firm of Riggs, Ferris, Geer and Mygatt, 120 Broadway, New York. He reports on a very successful Dinner Dance at the Hotel Pierre Roof Garden on May 10, at which Dr. and Mrs. Gaines were the guests of honor.

**Colonel Willis M. Everett**, after over five years service in World War II, a graduate of the Second Post Hostilities Course at Columbia University given by the war Department, found himself, upon arrival in Germany, drafted by War Crimes and within a week in the largest trial, and probably the most important to America—the Malmedy Massacre during the Battle of the Bulge. He is Chief Defense Counsel for seventy-four of these 'S. S. boys, three Generals and many famous soldiers of Germany once known as super men. He is in Dachau, Germany and hopes to have his wife and 11 year old son join him there this summer.

**William E. Johnston** says he is still struggling with the sugar business. He is with the American Sugar Refining Company, Board of Trade Building, Boston, Massachusetts.

**Joe Richardson** has been operating the Hillview Farm, a cotton and live stock plantation, at Ridgeland, Mississippi, for

the past twenty years. He married a Mississippi girl and they have two small boys and hopes they will go to Washington and Lee. He says he is not noted for the number of personal letters he writes but that he thinks often and fondly of the friends of his Washington and Lee days and hopes and plans to renew acquaintance with them at some time.

**Joe C. Hobson**, Prestonsburg, Kentucky, was a recent visitor to the campus. His step-son, Fred Cottrell, now discharged from the Army, is back in school here.

**Pinkney Grissom**, Class Agent for Law-'20, is still practicing law with the firm of Thompson, Knight, Harris, Wright and Weisberg, Republic Bank Building, Dallas 1, Texas, with whom he has been associated either as an employee or partner since April, 1921. He has been a partner since 1933. His two older sons Pinckney, Jr., and John are married, and he now has a grandson, John, Jr.

**H. S. Powell** is engaged in business in Wauchapreague, Virginia. He says the only items of interest he has to report are a two year old grandson and a three year old grand-daughter.

1921

**Gray Funkhouser** is still teaching mathematics at Exeter, New Hampshire. He was a visitor to Lexington last May, where he enjoyed seeing his many old friends, and promises to make the trip more frequently in the future.

**Gayle G. Armstrong** is Assistant Administrator of Production and Merchandising of the Department of Agriculture. His son, Billie Bert Armstrong, was a student in the Law School here from 1939 to 1941. Home address: Box 873, Roswell, New Mexico.

**Ed Westbrook, Jr.**, is a member of the law firm of Westbrooke & Westbrooke, Jonesboro, Arkansas. He says he is afraid to come back to the campus for fear the younger generation will feel about him as he did when he had to cart an alumnus six years older than himself around and dreaded the effect it would have on his prestige when he introduced him to the Sweet Young Things at Finals.

**Dr. John T. Bate** is just getting straightened out after three years in the Army, during which he served as Chief of Surgical Service in several hospitals in the Fourth Service Command. He is practicing his profession at 301 West Ormsby Avenue, Louisville, Kentucky.

**Lewis S. Musgrove**, his wife and daughter were in Lexington for Finals. Lewis is with the United States Guarantee Company, 90 John Street, New York, New York.

**Milling Bernstein** is practicing law in the Ouachita National Bank Building, Monroe, Louisiana. His daughter, Cherry Louise, is a student at Randolph Macon. He and his family were visitors to Lexington last fall.

**Frank M. Pollock** is Manager of the Tidewater Adjustment Company, 640 New Monroe Building, Norfolk 10, Virginia. Reports the birth of a son, Alexander Pollock on October 15, 1945.

**Frank Love** is a member of the law firm of Love and Love, Love Building, Fayetteville, West Virginia. His son, Frank, Jr., is now a student at Washington and Lee.

**Richard W. Cole** has been in the insurance business for twenty-five years. Is now with The Travelers, Richmond, Virginia. His son, Richard W., Jr., after three and a half



years as a Flight Pilot in the Marine Air Corps, is now a student at Washington and Lee.

**W. Courtney King** is practicing law in the Colonial Bank Building, Roanoke, Virginia. His son, Courtney, Jr., '41-'43, after three and a half years in the service is now back at Washington and Lee in the Law School.

**George D. Felix**, with the State Highway Department of Virginia, has recently been moved from Bristol, Virginia to Staunton, Virginia. He and his wife were visitors to the campus in October. Address: Edgewood Apartments, North Augusta Street, Staunton, Virginia.

1922

**Houston St. Clair**, president Jewel Ridge Coal Company, Tazewell, Virginia, member of the University Board of Trustees, says he has spent considerable time in Washington recently as a coal miner. He was in Lexington for Finals.

**W. J. L. Patton** has recently become the owner of a home, for the first time in his life, at 82 Rockrose Place, Forest Hills, New York. He says it was of necessity and not by choice. He is Assistant Comptroller, National City Bank, New York, New York.

**Dr. Andrew E. Amick**, President of the West Virginia State Medical Association, delivered the address before the Annual Meeting of the Association on May 13, 1946, in Huntington, West Virginia.

**J. G. Allen** is now Executive Vice-President of The Peoples Bank, Flemingsburg, Kentucky.

**Harry Robert**, until recently sports writer on The Evening Bulletin, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, has changed jobs and is now with The Record, for which he writes a daily sport column, plus other assignments.

**W. A. (Abie) Williams**, discharged as a Commander of a Seabee battalion, is now back with Ruffin & Payne, home building service, Richmond, Virginia. Both of his sons were also in the Navy and it was a great pleasure to him to be with one of them for several days on Okinawa. The older of the two boys, Kim, is now a student here.

**Robert M. (Cubby) Bear** is head of the Department of Psychology at Dartmouth College. He is much interested in the revision of the college curriculum made necessary by present world conditions.

1923

**T. M. Wade, Jr.**, after a year of post-graduate work at Washington and Lee and instructing, went to West Virginia as a chemist where he remained about three years, since then has been with Brown & Williamson and associated companies since 1927. He was married in 1933 and they have a son, 11 and two daughters 8 and 6. Address: P. O. Box 539, Louisville, Kentucky.

**Dr. John H. Bonner**, practices his profession in the Carolina Building, Elizabeth City, North Carolina. This is a delightful place to live with "Nag's Head" beach, near enough for summer vacationing.

**J. Bruce Gordon** says that Washington and Lee should make his class agent, George Mason, Chairman of the Fi-

nance Committee and the University would be rolling "in the stuff." Bruce is in the lumber business in Murphy, North Carolina.

**B. Palmer Orr** lives at 510 East Beach, Pass Christian, Mississippi. After Pearl Harbor he served until August 1945, when he was transferred to the Internal Revenue Service, where he is now working.

**Ed. Bozeman, Jr.**, is a member of the firm of Woodson & Bozeman, wholesale distributors, 482 Union Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee. He was a visitor to the campus this summer.

**Bernie H. Hampton** is in his third year as Pastor of Keith Memorial Methodist Church, Athens, Tennessee. He has a wife and three daughters, Mary Adeli, 17, Sue Marie, 12, and Bernice, 10.

**R. Maurice Frew** is now in business for himself under the firm name of Springs & Frew, Realtors, 110A East Fourth Street, Charlotte, North Carolina. He has two daughters, seventeen and fourteen.

**David H. Matson** is Operating Manager of Electrical Companies in South America, Cia. De Electricidad Del Sud Argentino, S. A. Address: Av. R. S. Pena 680, Buenos Aires, Argentino.

**French R. McKnight** has been with McKnight Veneers, Incorporated, in his home town, Helena, Arkansas, since leaving Washington and Lee.

**George H. Bowers** has been with the Dupont Company for 21 years. For the past four years has been making powder—mostly T. N. T.—and A. D. X., at plants in Illinois, New Jersey and Indiana. His older son, George, III, received a B. S. in Chemistry from Washington and Lee in 1944, before going into the Navy. He has now been discharged.

**A. J. Lester, Jr.**, has been with the Bassett Furniture Company, since 1932 as salesman for the Southwest. He and his family lived in Dallas, Texas from 1937-1943, and hopes to return there as soon as the housing situation improves. Home: 1010 Sheraton Court, Martinsville, Virginia.

**George T. Holbrook** is Assistant Secretary of The Century Indemnity Company and of the Standard Surety and Casualty Company the two casualty and surety companies of the Aetna Insurance Group, headed by the Aetna Fire Insurance Company of which **W. Ross McCain, '98**, is president. He and his son were visitors to the campus in June.

**Robert B. Stuart** was recommissioned in the Marine Corps on June 2, 1942, and got out again in December 1943, with the rank of Captain. His son, has been with the famed "Red Mike" fighter squadron, 533 First Marine Air Wing, near Pieping, China. He enlisted at 17 and had been on duty for 27 months at the time his father's letter was written in May 1946.

**Robert H. Carr**, class agent for Law '23, is president of R. H. Carr Lumber Company, Jasper, Alabama. His son Robert H., Jr., is now a student at Washington and Lee.

1924

**Louis H. Towbes** for the past twenty years, since leaving Washington and Lee, has been continuously engaged in the Real Estate development and building business in Wash-



ington, D. C. He has a son Michael and daughter Carol Lee, ages 17 and 15 respectively. He was building a summer home on the Chesapeake Bay where he expects to spend a good bit of time hunting and fishing, and generally take it easy on the semi-retired side. Address: 1104 Vermont Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

**David Pointer** is president and cashier of the State Bank of Como, Como, Mississippi. He married a Memphis girl in 1926 and has one daughter and two sons. Hopes to send his sons to Washington and Lee in a few years.

**Edwin H. Howard** was on leave of absence for three years, two of which were spent with the OPA as Price Economist and one with Fairchild Aircraft as Cost Accountant. He is now back teaching Accounting at Washington and Lee.

**H. Ogden Shropshire** is still running his own securities business which he started in 1939 after having served an apprenticeship beginning immediately after graduation. Address: Shropshire & Company, Investment Securities, First National Bank Annex, Mobile, Alabama.

**Wyatt French**, class agent for 1924-A, has been in the housefurnishing field for twenty-two years and is now Merchandising Manager, Home Furnishing Division, Miller and Rhoads. He married Katherine Kirkland in 1928 and they have two sons and two daughters. Address: 6419 Three Chopt Road, Richmond 21, Virginia.

**Otis W. Howe** is Vice-President of the Howe Lumber Company, Incorporated, Wabash, Arkansas. He has quit the saw mill business now since all the timber has run out, and all his attention is devoted to farming with cotton still the chief money crop but cattle and small grain beginning to be more important. He has a fine family consisting of a wife and three sons, 16, 12, and 2. He and his wife and the two older boys were visitors to Lexington during the summer. Otis, Jr., will be a freshman here next year.

#### Notes by Wyatt French, Class Agent

**Francis Plowman** is Vice-President of Scott Paper Co., Chester, Pennsylvania. (ScotTissue, ScotTowels). Francis has two daughters. He reports that Philadelphia has a very active alumni group. Francis also reports that he travels a lot, and may drop in to see any of us, anytime. Francis, we will take that as a promise. We will be looking for you.

**Johnny Guerrant**, wholesale paper executive, was your class agent last year and did a remarkable job. This year, he is resting on his laurels and wouldn't even write us a letter, although his usual prompt contribution was received with pleasure. Johnny, like most Richmonders, enjoys life greatly. He takes a great deal of pride in his lovely Francis, and his delightful sub-deb daughter, Kitty.

**Dr. Joe McMath** was in the Navy 3½ years, and is now practicing at 505 Wyoming Avenue, Lockland, Cincinnati 15, Ohio. Joe didn't tell us whether he still retains all of his curly hair. In fact, the only personal information available is that he has two daughters.

**John Hendon** sent the outstanding letter, because it contained personal information in which we are all interested, and also contained a storehouse of information for the Alumni Office. John owns Hendon's Parking & Service Stations, 1631 Third Avenue, N., Birmingham, Alabama. Howard Leake is the General Manager of the organization. Johnny was in the Navy three years, and Howard ran the business while Johnny was away. John was in charge of a Ground Training

School for naval aviation cadets. He reports he has gained forty pounds. His fine letter exhibits an active interest in everything and everybody pertaining to Washington and Lee.

**Berry Brooks** has furnished us with our rotogravure page nominee. In addition to operating a very successful cotton business Berry has just returned from two months in old Mexico on a jaguar hunt, spends about six months out of each year in the wilderness, and is leaving next February for a six months safari in Africa. Except for the big game hunting, he sounds like the same old Berry. He has "the same wife he has had for seventeen years, and a thirteen year old daughter." Address: 121 South Front Street, Memphis, Tennessee.

**William S. (Shorty) Gay**, is Professor of Business Administration, V. P. I., Blacksburg, Virginia, after serving Uncle Sam for four years. Shorty made your class agent feel natural—Shorty wanted to know why we hadn't shipped him some merchandise as quickly as we had promised. All right, Shorty, we'll get the book cases as soon as we can. Shorty tells us that his oldest youngster is ten years old, and let's us guess about the other(s). Sometime ago, Shorty was a Major. He didn't tell us his last status—perhaps a Lieutenant-Colonel.

**Tom Lee's** contribution reached Cy Young direct, so we didn't have a letter from Tom. He is a doctor in Kinston, North Carolina; Kinston Clinic Building. Tom, how is our old friend PeeWee Ross getting along?

**Edwin J. Gibson**, Box 63, Estill, Kentucky, is still a great coal-mine engineer. Since he married Miss Irene Depew about twenty-one years ago, the box-score is: one boy, two girls. That is a nice family, best of luck, Ed.

**Charles H. Wilson** graduated from medical college and settled in Danville, Virginia. He married Virginia Woodall of Richmond, and has three boys: ages, 18, 16, and 14. Address: 320 Forest Hills, Danville. His oldest boy will be at Washington and Lee either this year or next.

**Stuart McCorkle** is Professor of Government and Director of Municipal Research at University of Texas. This summer, he will be visiting Professor of Municipal Government at the University of Illinois, and will return to Washington and Lee for a brief visit in August. He was elected an alumni member of Phi Beta Kappa recently at Washington and Lee.

**C. Fred Carlson**, President, Monarch Elevator & Machine Company, Greensboro, North Carolina, did foreign travel for Vick Chemical, then became connected with the company of which he is President in 1934. He married Katherine Wharton, of Greensboro. Two children, a boy, 15, and a girl, 11. There are times when he feels no older than when he was in Lexington, even though his hair is getting gray and decidedly thin.

#### 1925

**Conrad T. Altfather** lives at Rankin Avenue, Basking Ridge, New Jersey. He says he has been "an innocent bystander" in one of the recent strikes. He has been with Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company for over twenty years.

**Dr. C. T. Burton** is still practicing eye, ear, nose, and throat, suite 609 Medical Arts Building, Roanoke, Virginia. He and his wife have three children, two girls and a boy, ages seven, five, and two respectively.

**Harold D. St. John** is with H. W. St. John & Company, freight brokers and forwarding agents, 18 Pearl Street, New

York 4, New York. He has been on the campus several times since graduation but does not expect to return again until 1950 when he brings his son to school.

**H. R. Jenkins**, sells mules, horses, vehicles and saddlery, Fayetteville, North Carolina. He has three boys, "Monk," "Shorty," and "Romeo." The latter played quarterback on the local high school team, and his father hopes he will come to Washington and Lee.

**H. F. (Bo) McMillan**, class agent for 1925-A, has lived in Athens, Tennessee, since 1929, and is in the coal and ice business. They have a boy sixteen and a girl fourteen. The boy has been at T. M. I. for three years and was quarterback on the football team last fall and is Captain of this year's basketball team.

**Julian W. Ross**, after living in Kinston, North Carolina for eighteen years, moved to Elizabeth City, North Carolina in 1943. He has his own business, Ross Oil Company, Agent Colonial Oil Company, Inc., distributors of Pure Oil products. He has two sons, Julian, Jr., sixteen, and William O., fourteen. Both boys are in the high school band and the oldest was manager of the basketball team the past year.

**Maurice C. Langhorne** is still teaching in the Department of Psychology at Emory University. He reports the birth of a daughter, Kay Summers, March 11, 1946. Address: Emory University, Emory University, Georgia.

**Charles L. Gaines, Jr.**, sold his business in Jacksonville, Florida, a year ago and joined his father-in-law's firm, Shook and Fletcher Supply Company. In addition to the various activities of this company they have large coal mining and lumber operations. He has been married for six years and they have two sons, Charles, III, 4½ years old, and Hansel Shook Gaines, 2½ years old.

**Sam Bucholtz**, Jacksonville, Florida, said in his interesting letter that the class letter was "a much needed stimulant to one who is getting both bald and gray." It will be a surprise, I know, to the other members of the class to know that one of our fellows is getting bald and gray. By the time of the reunion, however, it may be that one or two others are in the same shape. Sam also said that one of his two boys enters high school next year "and the question of college is becoming one of the more important topics of our discussion."

**M. F. (Buck) Baugher**, Palm Beach, Florida, writes that he is still practicing law at Palm Beach and "working harder than ever." Buck didn't say whether he was working harder at practicing law or deep sea fishing, but it is generally known he is expert and adept at both.

**Millar White**, 1016 N. W., 38th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, has two sons in Washington and Lee this year, M. B., Jr., and W. G.

**Ted Simmons** is associated with W. H. Markham & Company, 16th Floor, Railway Exchange, St. Louis, Missouri. He was in the Army for three years with the Office of Strategic Services and spent a year overseas, where he was Personnel Officer for OSS in the European Theatre. Was discharged with the rank of Major. He is married and has two little daughters, Jane, 5, and Susan, 3.

1926

**Kenneth C. Kimbrough**, care of E. C. Denaux, Incorporated, 1723 Union Avenue, Memphis, Tennessee, is out of the Army with the rank of Captain. "I went into the Army August, 1942," he writes "as a buck private, was shipped overseas that very fall after three months basic; was with the 8th Air Force, stationed in England until after VE day. I was doing Intelligence work all the time, serving under General Le May until he was pulled for the Pacific. I was assigned to General Gerhart in the spring of 1944 and became his Intelligence Officer and eventually his aid de camp. The job was interesting and gave me an opportunity to get many places. I travelled with him in France, Australia, even had a two and a half weeks rest and recuperation on the Riviera with him in the spring of 1945. I came back to Washington with him after VE day." Kim is still single "have no prospects and guess I shall continue to enjoy single bliss." He is vice-president of Denaux, Inc., interior decorators of Memphis.

**P. M. (Si) Schuchart**, care of Virginia Telephone and Telegraph Company, Charlottesville, Virginia, has been transferred from Harrisonburg to Charlottesville, Virginia, office of the Virginia Telephone and Telegraph Company. "I am moving my family to Charlottesville, having purchased a house adjoining the University of Virginia grounds, rank treason for a Washington and Lee man."

**William R. (Bill) Marchman**, Fort Valley, Georgia, writes: "Have just returned from a hurried trip out to Shanghai to have a second look-see. Things were much too upset to take a chance on having my family out with me, but will probably have to fly out again this fall to check up on my exchange and stock market business".

**John G. (Jack) McGiffin**, care of McGiffin and Company, Jacksonville, Florida, is back in civvies after five years service in the Navy. He is a "steamship and forwarding agent."

**Edward A. Dodd**, 513 Emery Road, Louisville, Kentucky; is married; two children with "the boy already enrolled at Washington and Lee." Ed is a partner in the law offices of Dodd and Dodd, Louisville. "I came to Louisville; went to work for the Louisville Title Company examining titles and to night school at the Jefferson School of Law. I took the Bar examination September 19, 1927; went back to Jefferson and procured my LL. B. degree in 1928. I became a partner here of my first cousin, Allen P. Dodd, Sr., the Dodds having practiced law here since 1869." Ed was president of the Kentucky State Bar Association in 1945 and president of the Louisville Bar Association in 1938.

**G. N. (Buddy) May**, Pine Bluff, Arkansas, has been the official Court Reporter for the Eleventh Judicial district, State of Arkansas "most of the years since leaving Washington and Lee." He is married, has a son fifteen and a daughter twelve. "They keep their Dad quite busy."

**C. Carter Lee** is a Commonwealth's Attorney at Rocky Mount, Virginia.

**Clarence Meadows**, Executive Department, State of West Virginia, Charleston, West Virginia, is Governor of West Virginia. He is married and has three children.



**Jack Chapman**, Smithfield, Virginia, returned to the States in June after five years in the Army. He entered as a private in June 1941 and was discharged as a major. He was a Combat Intelligence Officer with the 505th Bombardment Group, a B-29 outfit, and spent fifteen months in Tinian. He made four trips over Japan—a mining mission, a weather mission, a daylight precision bombing mission and a night incendiary attack—"just for the hell of it." He's back at his old teaching post at Woodberry Forest School. Still single, he writes.

**D. C. (Digby) West** is president of the First National Bank at Berryville, Arkansas. He was pleased to have a visit from Kenneth Durham, president of the Rollins Hosiery Mill, who was in Berryville looking for a plant location. "Wish we could all get together at Washington and Lee for a reunion," he writes.

**J. Lukin Brown** is in the Drug business at Silex, Missouri. He is Chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, Silex, Missouri.

**W. Randolph Cosby** is with W. G. Cosby Transfer, 11-13 South 12th Street, Richmond 19, Virginia. His son W. Randolph, Jr., is now a student at Washington and Lee.

**Charles Henry Hamilton**, Managing Editor of the Richmond News Leader, was elected to O. D. K. at the University of Richmond recently.

1927

**Jim Wilbourn** returned to civilian life after service with the Navy in January, 1946, and is now back with his law firm, Wilbourn, Miller and Wilbourn, in Meridian, Mississippi. He and his family stopped over for a short visit in Lexington on their way home from Washington, D. C.

**Marvin Eugene (Buster) Newbern** is manager of The College Bookstore, at Arkansas State Teachers College, Conway, Arkansas. His wife is Dean of Women at the College. They have a son 16 years old, 6 feet, 3 inches tall, who will enter Columbia Military Academy this fall, and later, he hopes, will come to Washington and Lee.

**Allen Harris, Jr.**, discharged with the rank of Commander after four years in the Navy, is now Vice-President of the Harris Lumber Company, Johnson City, Tennessee.

**Billy Wilson** is practicing law in Lynchburg, Virginia, after four years in the Navy. He was a Lieutenant Commander and shore based in the Pacific at Hollandia, New Guinea; Olongapo, Luzon, Philippine Islands; and on the staff of Commander Philippine Sea Frontier at Manila. After the war ended he went over to Singapore and Calcutta and then home.

**Matt Jennings** says: "I am now 40 and fattening, bald-headed but happy." He married Elizabeth Gossom, from Oklahoma, in 1930, and they have a 12 year-old son, "—who fortunately inherited very desirable characteristics from his mother." He has been interested in breeding registered Jersey cattle and for the past seven years has been secretary-treasurer of the Tennessee Jersey Cattle Club, the largest State Jersey Club in America. For the past two years he has been connected with the Department of Agriculture, as Chief of the Division of Markets. He and his brother Jim, live in Fayetteville, Tennessee and operate two 300 acre farms.

**A. Z. Litz, Jr.**, spent three and a half years in the army with twenty month's service in Europe, participating in five campaigns there. His home is in Tazewell, Virginia.

**Roy Nichols** is Musical Director at Blair Junior High School in Norfolk, Virginia. He took a chorus of 110 and two other groups of 50 to Richmond last spring to the State Contest and walked off with top honors of sixty-one groups. He also has a large group of private pupils. His hobby is rose growing and he has over 1400 bushes in his garden.

**Charlie Claunch** is a member of the law firm of Taber, Chambliss, Swafford & Claunch, Chattanooga Bank Building, Chattanooga 2, Tennessee. He was in Lexington recently and says he was very much impressed with the present student body and the morale of the students. He is president of the Chattanooga Alumni Chapter.

**W. E. (Steam) Gage** writes that they are no longer in the cotton business but had to foreclose a lot of land after 1930, and his job has been farming this land while liquidating the business. The job is almost done now and he is buying a farm and moving to Pine Bluff, if, as, and when he can find some sheetrock, siding, windows and doors, and a few other items necessary for the completion of the home he is building there.

**Rhea Whitley**, discharged from the Navy as a Commander, has recently taken the Florida State Bar Examination, and says he is now a country lawyer, with offices in the Arcade Building, Delray Beach, Florida.

1928

**William C. Norman** is now treasurer of a group of companies of the Crossett Lumber Company, Manufacturers of Forest Products, Crossett, Arkansas. He is also serving on the Board of Directors. He says his family has not changed except that his youngsters are growing up with a son who is 11 and a daughter, 8.

**Charles E. Branham** is now National Advertising Manager for The Atlanta Journal, Atlanta, Georgia.

**Waldo Dunnington** is now professor of German in Northwestern State College, Natchitoches, Louisiana.

**William P. Woodley** is with the Columbian Peanut Company, Norfolk, Virginia. He was recently elected Vice-President of the Norfolk chapter of Washington and Lee Alumni.

1929

**William Watson**, now discharged from the Navy with the rank of Lieutenant Commander, has returned to China for his old job with Standard Vacuum Oil Company. His address in China is: care of Standard Vacuum Oil Company, Hongkong and Shanghai, Bank Building, Hongkong, China.

**Allen B. Morgan** is now out of the Navy and back with the First National Bank of Memphis as Executive Vice-President.

**Henry P. Johnston**, Class Agent for the Academic Class of 1929, and recently elected member of the Alumni Board of Trustees, had a vacation trip to Ponte Vedra, Florida, in July, which we know he deserved after his strenuous and successful efforts as class agent. He is now back in Birmingham, Alabama, as Executive Vice-President of WSGN, The News-Age-Herald Station.

**William A. McDonough** is now with General Mills, Incorporated, Home Appliance Department. Address: 4379 Browndale Avenue, Minneapolis 10, Minnesota.

**Lieutenant Colonel William B. Lott**, Judge Advocate General's Department, served in the Middle Pacific Theatre for

three and a half years, receiving the Bronze Star in September 1945. He is now discharged from the service. Address: 160 Rapier Avenue, Mobile, Alabama.

**James J. (Jimmy) Salinger** got out of the Army last October. He says he is back at his old stand working hard as Associate with Huff, Dreyer & Company, Insurance, 75 Maiden Lane, New York 7, New York.

**P. C. (Bunny) Whitlock**, member of the Alumni Board of Trustees, is still with the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, Covington, Virginia.

**Robert E. Lee** is now out of the service and is with the Bankers Trust Company, 16 Wall Street, New York.

**William Fleming Chandler** is Vice-President and Industrial Sales Manager for Porter Paint Company, 14th and Cedar Streets, Louisville, Kentucky. He is married and has two children, a boy, 4, and a girl, 1. He won the Louisville Country Club golf championship.

**Jim Castner** was discharged from the Army on May 6, 1946, and is now settling down to civilian status. Address: 408 Walnut Street, Nutley 10, New Jersey.

**Harry Rand** writes from Oak Hill Farm, Burlison, Texas, but gives no up-to-date news of his activities.

**P. D. Gwaltney** is a member of the firm of P. D. Gwaltney, Jr., & Company, selling Smithfield hams, Smithfield, Virginia.

**Arnold Schlossberg** is now President of the Central Manufacturing Corporation, Roanoke, Virginia, engaged in the manufacture of lumber, custom millwork and the sale of building materials. It is a full-time job.

**Irwin T. Sanders** is now back in the department of Sociology at the University of Kentucky. His year overseas with the State Department was very valuable because it gave him a chance to see how much the Balkans had changed since he was there with the American College, Sofia, Bulgaria. During the war he was Balkan Specialist of the office of Foreign Agricultural Relations. His greatest thrill was meeting **J. A. Love, '29**, at a 1945 Christmas Eve Party in Sofia Bulgaria. They had both been in Dr. Neff's English class at Washington and Lee.

**Walter C. P. Weaver, Sr.**, is with the Nehi Bottling Company at Emporia, Virginia. He is married and has two sons, Walter, Jr., 9, and Roland, 6.

**F. C. Proctor, Jr.**, now out of the Army, is practicing law in Victoria, Texas. He says the only comfort about the Army episode is that he knows he will be too old for the next war.

**Dr. William T. Black**, now out of the service, is back in his professional work in the Physicians and Surgeons Building, Memphis, Tennessee.

**Edwin T. Madison** was discharged from the Army on January 3, 1946, with the rank of Major in the Air Corps, having served approximately nine months overseas at Harmon Field, Guam with the 20th Air Force. His last assignment was Legal Officer of that field. On January 20, 1946, he was married to

Gladys Z. Talton of Monroe, Louisiana. He has resumed the practice of law with the firm of Madison, Madison & Files at Bastrop in February of last year.

**Julius G. Berry**, now out of the service, is back in Tupelo, Mississippi, with the Tupelo Insurance Agency, at 311 West Main Street. He is still unmarried and is busy with civic and social activities.

**Earnest E. Sanders** is a busy lawyer in the general civil practice. He has two sons and hopes they will go to Washington and Lee. He is a member of the firm of Simon, Wynn, Sanders & Jones, Fort Worth National Bank Building, Fort Worth, Texas.

**Dr. O. Norris Smith** received his final discharge from the Army Medical Corps on March 25, 1946, having attained the rank of Major. He is now back in practice in Greensboro, North Carolina. He is married and has a son, Henry Louis, II, age, five-plus.

**George H. Goodwin** was discharged from the Army March 5, 1946, having attained the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. His home is in Bastrop, Louisiana.

**Ben Eastwood** lives at 1926 Milan Street, New Orleans 18, Louisiana.

**J. L. Lockett, Jr.**, is now the junior partner in the law firm of Kelley, Lockett & Lockett, Gulf Building, Houston 2, Texas. Formerly he was with the firm of Andrews, Kelly, Kurth and Campbell, which has now been dissolved. His work which was for the Missouri Pacific Railroad and its bus, truck and air subsidiaries, will continue the same. He says he is away from home so much that he almost needs to be reintroduced to his two sons.

**Charles D. Mercke**, now released from the Coast Guard, is with the Jefferson Wood Working Company, Louisville, Kentucky.

**J. M. Shackelford** was released from the Army in January 1946, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and is again with the Johns Manville Company in their Planning Department of General Headquarters in New York. He has purchased a home at 25 Clinton Place, Metuchen, New Jersey.

**Earl A. Fitzpatrick**, since leaving Washington and Lee, has been in the regular practice of law and has served four terms in the State Legislature of Virginia, representing the City of Roanoke. He was defeated in the last August primary and is not now in politics. His offices are in the State and City Bank Building, Roanoke, Virginia.

**W. C. P. Weaver** is now discharged from the Army but is still in the Virginia State Guard. He has two sons, one, 7, and the other, 10, and is still married to the same girl with whom he went while at Washington and Lee and she was attending Hollins. He is with the Nehi Bottling Company, Emporia, Virginia.

**Lewis F. Powell** spent the latter part of his Army service as a member of General Spatz' Staff, serving in Algiers, Tunisia, Italy, England, France, and Germany; during the latter stages of the war was Chief of the Operational Intelligence Division of the Directorate of Intelligence for Headquarters, United States Strategic Air Forces in Europe; was promoted



at various times, becoming full Colonel in the summer of 1945. He returned to this country in November 1945, after having served for several months as American Air Intelligence Representative at the British Air Ministry; went off active duty on February 14, 1946; was awarded the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star and Croix de Guerre with Palms. Now practicing law in Richmond, Virginia, with the firm of Hunton, Williams, Anderson, Gay and Moore.

**R. W. Hawkins**, Box 270, Marion, Virginia, has been with Standard Oil Company of New Jersey since leaving school, as a salesman. He has a beautiful wife, and a very fine boy of 12, a future Washington and Lee back, and a very attractive daughter.

1930

**Dr. Stanley F. Hampton** entered the service January 10, 1942, as a member of the Washington University Medical School Unit, General Hospital, No. 21; was later transferred to the Air Force and stationed at the Army Air Force Regional Hospital, San Antonio Aviation Cadet Center, San Antonio, Texas, where he was chief of the Allergy section. Later, the Army Air Force Allergy Laboratory was established at this hospital under his direction, where were prepared all the allergenic extracts used in the entire Air Force. From that time on he served as one of the three consultants in Allergy in the Army Air Force and was co-author of the Official Manual of Allergy for the Air Force. He was married on March 26, 1942, and is the father of a baby girl. He was discharged from the service January 2, 1946. Address: Beaumont Medical Building, 3720 Washington Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri.

**John H. Nelson** is in the tobacco business (auction) with Banner Warehouse, Danville, Virginia. He has been married for fourteen years and they have a thirteen-year-old daughter.

**Major Charley Cocks** reported to the Transportation Corps, OCS at Fort Eustis, Virginia, after two month's leave, as he is returning to the Army for another year. He was an instructor with this school before going overseas. Address: 3 Edmondson Avenue, Lexington, Virginia.

**Philo Lindsey** is still engaged in the retail lumber business having moved to a new and better location in October of last year. He says: "The company employs an average of seven persons and although its operation is not large, it has shown satisfactory profit considering the difficulties with which we are confronted at the present time." He reports the birth of a daughter on June 7.

**Jack Williamson** finished four years of service in the Navy last November, part of which was in Australia, New Guinea and the Philippines, and is now an ex-Lieutenant Commander. He is back in the law firm of Adams, Nelson & Williamson, 39 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois.

**W. E. R. Byrne, Jr.**, when his class letter was written in April, was planning to go into the accounting field for himself in Yuma, Arizona. Address: 155 North 6th Avenue, Yuma, Arizona.

**Albert Steves, III**, got out of the Army last October as a Major and is now back in San Antonio as President of the Steves Lumber Companies.

**L. P. Brown, III**, writes: "My status since last writing may be summarized as follows: Same number of children (one daughter); same number of wives (one); same number of meals per day; a few more strokes on the golf course;

same amount of whiskey (but more rum as collateral); a little more time-mellowed appreciation of the Alma Mater, hence slight increase in check." Address: L. P. Brown Company, Memphis, Tennessee.

**Benjamin L. Rawlins** has been appointed general attorney of Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation. Address: 434 Seventh Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

1931

**Dr. L. Alexander Vance** says he has been using his inside pocket for an office since getting out of the Navy, but is now squared off after quite a battle for equipment, etc. Address: 16 Atlantic Street, Lynn, Massachusetts.

**Dr. John O. McNeel**, discharged from the Army Medical Corps with the rank of Colonel is now practicing medicine in Marlinton, West Virginia.

**Sid Clay**, discharged with the rank of Captain after three and a half years overseas writes: "Washington and Lee is one of the few institutions that holds out for what many of us think makes life worth living, so I'm all for it." He is Trust Officer for the U. S. Trust Company, Louisville, Kentucky.

**Baldwin M. Osowitz**, discharged with the rank of Captain, lives at 1099 South Broad Street, Trenton, New Jersey. He married an Omaha girl and at the time his letter was written in May, 1946, was negotiating for a Chevrolet franchise with General Motors.

**Herman Littman**, discharged from the Army after four and a half years, with the title of Major, is teaching and coaching in the Roosevelt High School, Washington, D. C. He is married and has a 3½ year-old daughter.

**Ed McCarthy**, now discharged from the Navy, is traveling the southwest as a manufacturers' agent calling on mill supply and hardware jobbers. His territory is eastern Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Florida and he is working for McCarthy & Company, Mill and Industrial Supplies, Address: 1312 Poinsettia Ave., Orlando, Florida.

**Ralph Grant** is manager of Iveys, a large department store in Asheville, North Carolina, and is doing a fine job. He is also president of Asheville Merchants Association and a member of the Board of Directors of the Rotary Club. He is married and has a son, Peery, now seven years old.

**Jack Myrose**, Navy Chaplain, returned from the Pacific the latter part of 1945, and has been with Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Cabaniss Field, Corpus Christi, Texas.

**George L. Minter** was discharged from the Navy on January 1, 1946, with the rank of Commander. He is now with the Minter Dry Goods Company, Abilene, Texas.

**Herb Luria, III**, now out of the Navy, is back with Luria Brothers & Company, Incorporated, at 2110 Railway Exchange Building, St. Louis, Missouri.

**Lieutenant-Colonel Ben M. Ayars**, still serving in the Judge Advocate General's Department of the Army, has recently been assigned as Post Judge Advocate of Fort Meade, Maryland.

**Ethan Allen** is president of the New York chapter of Washington and Lee alumni. He is practicing law with the firm of Wilkie, Owen, Otis & Gallagher at 15 Broad Street, New York, New York.

**George Junkin** has been transferred from the War Food Administration to Federal Crop Insurance in the U. S. Agricultural Department. Address: 5638 19th Street, North, Arlington, Virginia.

1932

**Charles Francis Richardson** is working as an adjuster for a claims service in Waco, Texas. He is now discharged from the Navy having served aboard a minesweeper for two years. Address: 3114 Parrott, Waco, Texas.

**Paul A. Holstein** was released from the Navy in December 1945 and resumed his law practice in Lexington, Virginia. Upon his return home he was elected president of the Rock-bridge County Bar Association.

**Major Charles A. Wood, Jr.**, is State Procurement Officer, Selective Service, stationed at Charleston, West Virginia. He has a wife and two daughters.

**Jack J. Stark, M. D.**, was discharged from service in September, 1945, with the rank of Major in the Medical Corps, and since then has returned to his old home in Belpre, Ohio, and reestablished himself in the practice of surgery. He has two little daughters aged five and two.

**David F. Crossen** is a member of the firm of Biggs, Curtis and Crossen, Spite 521, Security Building, St. Louis 2, Missouri, following his discharge from a Troop Carrier Command of the Army Air Forces.

**C. Edmonds Allen** is Manager of Special Service and Radio Shows Division of the United Press, 220 East 42nd Street, New York, New York. He is married and has two children, Claxton Edmonds, III, and Alice, aged two and three respectively. He was a recent visitor to the campus in connection with a meeting of the alumni committee on University Affairs, of which he is chairman.

**Woodson B. Gillock** has been transferred to the position of Supervisor in the Works Technical Department of the DuPont Company at Waynesboro, Virginia; and is serving as temporary editor of the eight page bi-weekly plant newspaper, Recreation News. Address: P. O. Box 381, Waynesboro, Virginia.

**R. Leighton McKinney** is now back in Denison, Texas, and in the insurance business after two years with the U. S. Maritime Service. Address 301½ West Woodward Street, Denison, Texas.

**Dr. Randolph T. Shields, Jr.**, is Assistant Professor of Surgery at the University of Utah. He represented Washington and Lee at the inauguration of President Olpin of that institution on October 16.

**Everett N. (Gus) Cross** is now out of the Navy and back in his old job as a recreation director for the District of Columbia Department of Recreation and says he is operating a swell set-up with new field house, tennis courts, etc. He is struggling with the problem of building a new home, which his builder has promised to complete in seven or eight months. Gus will be remembered as an outstanding second baseman on the baseball teams of the early thirties. Address: 3608 Veazey Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

1933

**Wallace B. Sheffield** is now back in Cuthbert, Georgia, doing some farming, which he says is a very interesting occupation.

**T. Deale Blanchard**, Secretary-Treasurer of Blanchard & Turner, Incorporated, 3410 High Street, Portsmouth, Virginia, has recently been elected President of the Portsmouth Junior Chamber of Commerce and a member of the board of directors of the Portsmouth Rotary Club, for the year ending June 30, 1947, as well as a member of the board of directors of the Virginia Retail Coal Merchants Association, the latter for the third time.

**Carl B. (Happy) Vickers** is Prosecuting Attorney of Fayette County, Fayetteville, West Virginia. His assistant is **Howard Carson, '31**, and he says they are so busy that they rarely get a chance to speak to each other. Happy was a recent visitor to the campus and says he never saw it looking more beautiful.



**Dr. Robert R. Smith** was discharged from the U. S. Medical Corps and is now practicing medicine in Langhorne, Pennsylvania. He is on the staff of the Abington Memorial Hospital and that, along with being School Physician for George School, a private boarding school nearby, keeps him busy. He is married and has two children, a boy and a girl. Address: 123 West Maple Street, Langhorne, Pennsylvania.

**Sam Bell Steves** is Vice-President and General Manager of Ed Steves & Son Lumber Company; Director Jefferson State Bank, member Kiwanis Club, San Antonio Country Club, San Antonio Club, Texas Cavaliers, Order of Alamo, and the San Antonio German Club. He is married and has four girls, ages, 12, 9, 5, and 1. Home: 528 Terrell Road, San Antonio, Texas.

**Richard T. Edwards, A.B. '33, LL.B. '35**, who was anaval officer serving aboard the USS Saratoga in the Pacific, has been elected Mayor of the city of Roanoke, Virginia. Shortly after beginning the practice of law in Roanoke, he was elected Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney. Then military duties interrupted his career. When he returned to Roanoke he was elected to its City Council last June at the head of the ticket. His selection by the Council as chairman and ex-officio Mayor followed.

**Claude LaVarre**, Singer Sewing Machine Company, Apartado 194 Santiago de Cuba, says that with two children now around the house there is not much peace and quiet until 7:30 when they are both asleep and he and his wife can call to their \$20.00 a month servant (who's on duty 24 hours a day) to bring them a couple of highballs.

**Frank E. Calhoun** moved to Jacksonville, Florida, about a year ago, has bought a home and settled down. He was in military work all through the war and now is in charge of a group making studies and investigations for possible river and harbor improvements. He married Mary Elizabeth Deaver of Lexington and they have two sons, seven and a half, and five years old. His hobby is making antique furniture reproductions, for which he has quite a few wood-working power driven tools.

**Wallace Werble**, now out of the Army, has returned to his

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pre-war job as Editor of F. D. C. Reports, a specialized trade publication for the drug and cosmetic industries, and also acts as Washington correspondent for some trade papers in these fields. Address: National Press Building, Washington, D. C.

**Homer G. Ray** returned to the United States after Army service in September 1945, and to civilian life in October. He is now back with the Georgia Peanut Company, Moultrie, Georgia.

### 1934

**Harvey Pride** ended his Army career in April and is now in the Automobile business under the firm name of Pride Motor Company at 311 Second Avenue, Decatur, Alabama. He was married to Rachel Walker last February in Greenville, South Carolina.

**Tommy Anderson** was released from the Navy last November and is now back with the law firm of Andrews, Kurth, Campbell and Bradley, 2228 Gulf Building, Houston, Texas.

**Captain Samuel L. Clark** of Charleston, West Virginia, is now studying a course in logistics at the Army Air Forces Institute of Technology at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, Headquarters of Air Material Command. During the war he served 25 months in England with the 388th Bomb Group. Just before entering the AAF Institute of Technology, Captain Clark was in recruiting work at Wilmington, Ohio. Address: 406 Ruffner Avenue, Charleston, West Virginia.

**Layne H. Ford** returned to the States in 1945 from Germany, after three year's service in the Army, eighteen months of that time overseas, in North Africa, Italy, France, and Germany. He is working for the Unemployment Compensation Board of Review, and doing private practice in his spare time. Address: P. O. Box 534, Grafton, West Virginia.

**Bob Buffington** is with the U. S. Engineer office, Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he is Chief of the Hydrology and Reservoir Operation Section, with forty-four employees under him. He is married and has a son, Robert Wilson, born February 23, 1946. As to activities, his chief diversion is counselor for a 21-year-old group of young people at the First Baptist Church. He and his wife have been in charge of this group since they were seventeen, and he says it is a great pleasure to watch them growing up.

**Sam Engelhardt, Jr.**, produced on his farm the first bale of cotton sold this season at the Alabama Warehouse auction on August 13, receiving \$280.50, or 51 cents a pound. The previous top for cotton this year was 40 cents a pound.

### 1935

**Meredith Graham** is Executive Vice-President of the National City Bank of Rome, Georgia, and also Vice-President of Citizens Federal Savings & Loan Association. He has two sons, Johnny, 5, and Ricky, 3. He wonders why he and his class agent, Marshall Nuckols, studied law, but is glad they did.

**D. S. MacDonald, Jr.**, assumed the responsibilities and duties of a large law firm in Durant, Oklahoma, on the death of his father and uncle, four days apart, in 1939. Since that time he has been a very busy man.

**Early Coleman (Jake) Clements** is a member of the law firm of Clements & Clements, Rolling Fork, Mississippi. Since the good days of 1932-1935, he has become the proud father of a couple of lads, 9 and 4 respectively, who should develop

into reasonably good linesmen or backs in future days. They have a home surrounded with three or four acres of pecans and untold quantities of grass to mow. From 1937 to 1945 he was Superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School, teaches a Bible Class of 80 men, and is otherwise engaged in church and civic enterprises. For some reason he seems to feel that his class agent may be surprised at these activities.

**Frederick deR. Strong** was discharged from the Navy last December, after four years of active duty. He is now Assistant to the Comptroller of Raytheon Manufacturing Company. The housing shortage isn't bothering him because he bought a home in Cambridge some two years ago. He is married and has a young son.

**James Franklin** served with the Medical Corps for two years, fifteen months of which was spent in England, Reims, Paris and Belgium with an Army General Hospital. He was discharged in February 1945, on arriving in this country from LeHarve, had a vacation in Florida with his wife, and is now back in his New York Office. Address: Provident Mutual Life Insurance Company, 111 John Street, New York, New York.

**Ralph Bumgardner, Jr.**, released from active duty as Colonel, J. A. G. D., Army of the United States, has reopened his law offices in the May Building, Staunton, Virginia.

### 1936

**Hugh J. Bonino** is in the chemical business manufacturing chemicals for textile mills. His firm is the Atlantic Chemical Company, Centredale, Rhode Island. He and his wife were in Lexington for Finals.

**James M. White** is in the cotton business in Huntsville, Alabama. He says he is having a grand time at it but isn't certain whether he has the trade or the trade has him.

**Harry J. Breithaupt, Jr.**, released from the Navy as a Lieutenant, U. S. Naval Reserve, has opened an office for the general practice of law, Investment Building, Washington, D. C. Associated with him are W. Cameron Burton, George C. Vournas, Thomas B. Heffelfinger and Ward B. McCarthy.

**Andrew R. (Rudy) Lofstrand, Jr.**, Secretary-Treasurer and General Manager of the Lofstrand Company, Silver Springs, Maryland, and owner of an up-to-date farm near Rockville, Maryland, was recently elected a member of the Maryland General Assembly in Montgomery County's all-republican delegation, where his talent for ironing out engineering "bugs" will be useful. Although he is only 33, Mr. Lofstrand already holds more than a score of patents on intricate machinery ranging from sterilization equipment to aeronautical training devices.

### 1937

**Frank Williams**, after nearly three years in the Navy, is back at the University of Tennessee teaching Economics. Address: 4300 Lyons View Park, Knoxville, Tennessee.

**George F. Gilleland** is in charge of the newly opened office of Loftin, Anderson, Scott, McCarthy & Preston, at 927 41st Street, Miami Beach, Florida. In this firm there are two partners and three associates who are graduates of Washington and Lee. The partners are **Senator Scott M. Loftin**, '99, **Paul R. Scott**, '16, and **Alfred L. McCarthy**, '23 and the other associate is **George T. Clark**, '25. **Judge Paul R. Barnes**, '17,



has just been elected as Justice of the Supreme Court of Florida.

**Arnold Matthews**, since receiving his discharge from the Navy, has been with the Division of Research and Statistics, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C. Address: 3801 Calvert Street, N. W., Washington 7, D. C.

**Alfred H. Wishnew**, after three years in the Air Corps Weather Service, is now with J. Hirschson Metal Works, 224 Centre Street, New York 13, New York. He is married and has a small daughter, Karen. Home: 1935 East 4th Street, Brooklyn, New York.

**William C. Dwiggins** has been with Annin and Company, Flag Makers, Fifth Avenue and 16th Street, New York, since graduation, except for the war years when he was with the U. S. Marine Corps. His duty with that body was mostly spent overseas in such charming places as Samoa, New Caledonia, Guadalcanal, Eniwetok, Tinian, and Okinawa.

**Walter G. (Tex) Lehr, Jr.**, got out of the Army in January 1946, and he and his brother are now in the Real Estate and Mortgage Loan Business, 2119 Alamo National Building, San Antonio, Texas.

**Gordon Rawls** was released from the Army in November 1945, with the grade of Captain. He has opened up a new business, Portsmouth Frozen Foods, Incorporated, of which he is President and Manager, at 2332 King Street, Portsmouth, Virginia. He was married in November 1942 and they have a son, Charles Wilson, 20 months old.

**Parke Rouse, Jr.**, is now back with the Richmond Times-Dispatch, working for Mr. Virginius Dabney, the editor, as editorial writer. He says: "We have quite a W. and L. coterie here, **Ernie Barrett, '37**, is on the advertising staff, and **Cowl Rider, '37**, is on the copy desk of the News Leader, the afternoon paper published by this same corporation. Other W. and L. men around are **Charles Hamilton, Al Darby** and **Earle Brown**, News Leader, and **Matt Griffith**, Times-Dispatch."

**Howell W. Roberts, Jr.**, is no longer a Captain, having returned to inactive status in April, although he still retains a reserve commission in AAF. He is living at his home, 102 Fourth Street, Garden City, New York, and working in the Research Department of Eastern Air Lines.

**W. C. Wilbur, Jr.**, arrived in this country on May 16, after 21 months in Europe, the last three months in Copenhagen, Denmark. He was married on June 14, in Evanston, Illinois, to Martha Hutchinson. In September he was resuming his teaching job at Muhlenberg College, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

**Ken Dustin**, after entering Naval Aviation in 1939, was injured while instructing a cadet and was placed on the Navy's retired list as a Lieutenant in May 1943. He continued on a limited duty status until last January, at which time he was placed on inactive duty. Since that time he has been affiliated with Arnold, Hoffman and Company, Incorporated, Providence, Rhode Island. He was married to Miss Mary Lee of St. Louis, Missouri, in 1941, and they have a daughter Deborah Lee, born December 30, 1945. Address: 2 Edgehill Road, Hoxie, Rhode Island.

**Cowl Rider** left the newspaper business last fall to become assistant manager of the Richmond Civic Musical Association, which presents the Philadelphia Orchestra, Heifitz and similar attractions during the winter, and after an interesting but hectic season has returned to "the Fouth Estate, a wiser and a chastened man, working on the copy desk of the **News Leader**, Richmond, Virginia."

**Duane Berry** is back again with Armstrong Cork Company, attached to the Glass and Closure Division's Atlanta branch. This is his tenth year with them, including his time in the service. He was back at Washington and Lee in the School for Personnel Services, and says that the School was in every respect the best school operated by the Army. His wife accompanied him to Lexington.

**Dr. A. Erskine Sproul** graduated at the University of Virginia Medical School in 1941, interned for a year at Union Memorial Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland, then had three years in the army as Flight Surgeon and had eighteen months overseas in Italy. He is now back at Union Hospital as Resident Obstetrician. He will practice in his home-town, Staunton, Virginia. He was married to Ruth Peters, of Staunton, in May 1943, and they have a son A. E., Jr. Address: 3201 Guilford Avenue, Baltimore 18, Maryland.

1938

**William H. Daniel** is Co-Manager with his brother of their father's property in Tulsa and elsewhere, with a real estate business of his own. Address: 708 Daniel Building, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

**Sam McChesney** was released from the Navy as a Lieutenant Commander in December 1945, his last duty being Supply Officer of U. S. S. Birmingham. Just a little over a year ago they were hit by a suicide plane at Okinawa. He is now space salesman for The American Weekly, 1454 Hanna Building, Cleveland, Ohio. He is married and has one son, Samuel McChesney, III, age 9½ months. Home: 3384 Mayfield Road, Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio.

**Calvert Thomas** writes that he is leaving the Government (Chief Counsel's Office, Bureau of Internal Revenue) and Washington to go with General Motors Corporation as Tax Counsel on September 1, 1946, and will be stationed in Detroit.

**Paul Whipp** is now out of the service and expects to go to the University of Pennsylvania School for Social Work this fall. Address: 178 Prince George Street, Annapolis, Maryland.

**Jack Neill** was separated from the Navy last November as a First Lieutenant. He is now back with Henry Holt and Company, Publishers, in New York, and lives at 399 Old Sleepy Hollow Road, Pleasantville, New York. He says that the Headless Horseman threw a curve at Ichabod Crane right on the spot where they plunked down his bungalow, according to his landlord.

**J. Hiram Smith**, after four years in the Army, was released last March, and spent his terminal leave in Lexington. He is working for the U. S. Geological Survey in Montana, where he will probably be for the remainder of the summer. Her permanent home is in Lexington, Virginia.

**Harry Philpott**, after three years in the Navy as a Chaplain, will return to Yale to write his dissertation this winter.



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As he has not gotten a place to live, we are still using his forwarding address, 209 West Second Avenue, Lexington, North Carolina.

**Captain Tom Cottingham** finished a 45 day leave in June and is now stationed at El Paso, Texas, with a signal battalion.

**Gerald M. Lively** was released from the Navy in October 1945, and is with the law firm of Spencer and Britt, 519 Commerce Building, Kansas City 6, Missouri. He is married and the proud father of a baby girl, age nine months, named Karen Susanne.

**Arthur Alexander** was discharged from the Army in November 1946, after four year's service, half of that time in the U. S., with the Army's Yank Magazine, the remainder touring Europe, for the same sheet. Home: 29 West North Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland.

**Major Herbert C. Clendening** is now back at West Point, teaching electrical engineering, where he graduated in 1941.

**Lieutenant (j.g.) Compton Broders**, now with the Navy Medical Corps, and his wife, "Peggy," are comfortably settled in a Quonset hut in California. Compton is with the U. S. Naval Hospital, Oakland, California. He hopes to be out of the Navy in the fall and to resume his fellowship in internal medicine at the Mayo Clinic, which he left to join the service.

### 1939

**Jack Ganong** was discharged from the Navy last November and is now back in the law school at Washington and Lee. He left the service as Assistant Professor of Naval Science and Tactics at the NROTC Unit at Penn State College. Jack will edit the 1947 Calyx.

**Paul Edward Lavietes** was awarded the bronze star for meritorious service while he was a Lieutenant in the Navy and in command of a PC boat in the far Pacific. The citation reads in part: For meritorious achievement as Commanding Officer of Control Ship, U. S. S. PC-1081, in action against enemy Japanese forces in Iwo Jima in the Volcano Islands and Okinawa Shima in the Ryukyu Islands, from January 22, to April 4, steadfastly maintaining his ship as a control vessel despite dangerous navigational conditions and continuous gunfire from hostile shore emplacements... Working tirelessly, he participated actively in the rescue of the personnel from landing craft which had run out of fuel and drifted to sea and, persisting on his daring mission, skillfully escorted friendly LST's through enemy patrolled waters to control beaches on Okinawa in the face of continual attacks from enemy suicide planes. Home: Boone, North Carolina.

**Randolph D. Rouse**, discharged from the Navy as a Lieutenant Commander, has opened offices as Randolph D. Rouse, Business Representative and Consultant, 2032 Belmont Road, N. W., Washington 9, D. C.

**James A. Saltsman**, discharged from the Army Air Force with the rank of Captain, was enjoying a vacation with his wife in Southwest Harbor, Maine, before getting back in business. Address: 3107 34th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

**Francis Pendleton Gaines, Jr.**, son of Dr. F. P. Gaines, president of Washington and Lee University, has been awarded the Society of Cincinnati Medal in Virginia for the best-written study of American history between the years 1750 and 1800, according to an announcement from the university on June 12.

**Henry Ruffin Horne**, discharged from the Army, is studying pharmacy at the University of North Carolina and expects to get his degree in December 1946, and join the firm of H. R. Horne and Sons, Pharmacists, Fayetteville, North Carolina.

**Joseph C. Murphy** spent twenty months overseas in the ETO—with a total of four years in the service. He left the Army as a Captain and returned to the practice of law in January 1946, with the firm of Bowers and Rinehart, Second National Bank Building, Somerville, New Jersey. He is married and has a daughter 2 years old.

### 1940

**Homer Derrell Dickens** attended the Harvard School of Business after graduation from Washington and Lee, later was in the Navy Quartermaster Corps, and is now discharged. His home is in DeWitt, Arkansas.

**Alac Thomson**, after two and a half years in the Army is now at work in the cost accounting office of DuPont and Company, Waynesboro, Virginia. He is married and has two children, a boy, three, and a girl, one year old. They live in Greenville, Virginia, which is seventeen miles from his work in Waynesboro.

**John Winn Watson, Jr.**, is now with the H. J. Kaiser Company, Los Angeles, California. Desperate on account of the housing situation, he got in touch with Kay Kyser, who furnished the music for the Fancy Dress Ball of which Jack was president, and was invited to occupy Kay's apartment until he could get a permanent location. Address: 955 Venango Street, Los Angeles, California.

**Gilbert Gardner**, Class Agent for 1940-A, has sold out his trade correspondence business and has joined Fairchild Publications as city editor in Chicago for Retailing Home Furnishings. His home is at 599 Surf Street, Apartment 8-J, Chicago 14, Illinois.

### 1941

**Louie A. Paterno** is practicing law in Charleston, West Virginia, with offices in the Security Building.

**Charlie Hobson**, since his discharge from the Navy last February, has been attending law school at the University of Kentucky, and practicing law part time with Pritchard and Ardery, with offices in Frankfort and Lexington, Kentucky. Home: 219 Shelby Street, Frankfort, Kentucky.

**Henry T. Crocker** has been discharged after four years in the Navy. He returned from Manila late in September 1945, and resumed his old job with the Aegis, a county weekly in Bel Air, Maryland.

**Campbell Taggart, Jr.**, was in the Signal Corps for four years and was discharged as a Second Lieutenant. He is working for the Cellulose Wadding Products, Incorporated, his own business, and is selling, when he can get it S'WIPE'S cleansing tissue. He has a son, Donald C. Taggart, III, now three and a half years old. Address: 1139 East Jersey Street, Elizabeth 4, New Jersey.

**William Buckner Morgan**, now discharged from the Navy, traveled the Pacific, Carribean, Gulf of Mexico, North Atlantic, back to the Pacific again, this time into Tokyo. He is entitled to wear the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with two battle stars; the American-French ribbon, American theatre of Operations ribbon, and has been recommended for the Bronze

Star. His ship and all personnel were recommended for the Navy Unit Citation. Since the first of February he has been associated with the firm of B. F. Ward and Company, Investment Securities, Sterick Building, Memphis, Tenn.

**John D. Durham**, discharged from the Army with the rank of Captain, plans to enter Pratt Institute for a special graduate refresher course as a commercial artist. Address: 2 Roselle Avenue, Pleasantville, New York.

**Alvin T. Fleishman** was discharged from the Navy as a Lieutenant, Senior Grade, Supply Corps, after three years and a half service, sixteen months of which was spent in the Pacific. He was married on March 18, 1945 to a WAVE, Florence Gesetz, whom he met on his return from overseas. Returned to his home field, Anderson, South Carolina, and is working with his father in Fleishman Company, "a fair-sized small town department store." He and his wife were in Lexington for Homecoming.

**Robert E. Steele, III** was separated from the Navy in January and is connected with the Roanoke World-News. He was married on March 31, 1946, to Mary Elizabeth Benn, of Boston. They are living in Salem, Virginia, and should be able to make most of the Washington and Lee functions in future.

**A. T. (Junie) Bishop, Jr.**, is now employed with the Indiana Tractor Sales Corporation as Zone Manager of South Eastern Indiana. His home is at 426 North East Street, Greensburg, Indiana.

**Tom Brockenbrough**, after the war ended, enrolled in civil engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and now holds a Master of Science degree from that institution. He is employed by the Douglas Aircraft Company in Santa Monica, California. Address: 560 Euclid Street, Santa Monica, California.

1942

**Lieutenant William A. Phillips**, for the last year, has been medical supply officer aboard a victory ship going to various ports in Europe.

**Lee D. Parker** is still connected with the Post Engineers Office at Fort Monroe, Virginia as Construction Engineer. He was married February 6, 1946, to the former Miss Maver Elizabeth Clarke. He and his wife were visitors to the campus in August. Address: 250 Regent Street, Apartment 4, Hampton, Virginia.

**John Philip Robinson**, after three years in England with the Army Air Force, is with the General American Aero-coach Company, Chicago. He is married and has a daughter, Christine, 4½ years old. Home: 1400 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, Illinois.

**Dr. Henry M. Yonge**, Lieutenant, U. S. Medical Corps, has just completed his internship at the Medical College of

Virginia, and will go on active duty with the Army Medical Corps for about two years, after which he expects to go to some hospital for further training.

**R. O. Wilbur** was married on September 1, 1945, to Dorothy Scriber of Bound Brook, New Jersey. He is employed at the Calco Chemical Division of the American Cyanamid Company in Bound Brook as a chemist. Address: Route 1, Box 8, River Road, Bound Brook, New Jersey.

**Alex Hitz** and his family have recently changed their address to 1760 Peachtree Street, N. W., Atlanta, Georgia.

**Lieutenant Gibson M. Wolfe**, Army Air Corps, is running the transmitter Detachment for HQ-13 AF, based at Fort McKinley, Manila, where he expects to be until June 1947. His wife and baby are at Panama, Canal Zone, where Lieutenant Wolfe's father is stationed.

1943

**Corneal B. Myers** is now attending the University of Florida Law School. His address for the next year will be: 22-G Flavet Village, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida.

**Lieutenant Don Richardson** gives his new address as 5291 Farmbrook, Detroit 24, Michigan. He was married to Patricia Walker of San Francisco on November 7, 1945.

**Richard John Bromley** is now on the staff of the Nassau Daily Review-Star, Rockville Center, New York. He was discharged from the Army in the early spring.

**Warren Stuart** was married to Marge Busby of California—American Red Cross Worker of 7th Army H. Q., in Heidelberg, Germany on August 21, 1945. They spent their honeymoon on the Riviera and Cannes and also in Paris. Address: 4634 Lakewood Boulevard, Long Beach, California.

1944

**Lieutenant Alvin D. Aisenberg**, still in the Navy, has recently completed a turn of sea duty aboard the A. P. 158 USS General C. G. Morton, which made a beautiful trip around the world. He is now stationed at the Naval Air Station, Anacosta, D. C., and his home address is 3619 Rosedale Road, Baltimore, Maryland.

**Richard Rockwell** is at home after two years L. S. T. duty in the Pacific. Home: 201 Fern Street, West Hartford, Connecticut.

**Richard S. Watson**, recently associated with the geological department of the State of Missouri, will enter the Princeton Theological Seminary in September to prepare for the ministry.

1946

**George C. Morris** is a Junior at the Medical School of the University of Pennsylvania, but prefers that his address be kept at his home: 2295 McFaddin Street, Beaumont, Texas.



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