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Values in the Liberal College

(The President's Page)

(Digest of an address before the Presbyterian Educational Association at Montreat, July 2, 1938)

It has become a convention among some serious-minded people to consider higher education as the "CCC formula"—Culture, Competence, Character. Such conception usually regards the three great enterprises thus suggested as segregated into separate, non-communicating compartments of the human personality and consequently of the educative process. Such conception would go on to definition: Culture is familiarity with the non-practical aspects of human knowledge or thought; Competence is capacity to do a specific task in the world's work; Character is strength to resist temptation.

* * *

According to this incomplete analysis, Culture, while nominally desirable, is given low rating as having actually little significance for success in this world or triumph in the next. Impetuous youth, eager to put its feet upon a well-authenticated professional pathway, makes the decision all but unanimous. The earnest soul who deems that education is primarily to fortify the soul against the world, the flesh, and the devil, joins in a query with the boy who is hastening to the emoluments of his job: "Why spend years in the study of mathematics that will never be used, languages that will never be spoken, critical appraisals of what are after all merely flights of fancy? Why this business of the Liberal Arts?"

* * *

The first error of this casual theory is in the implied division of the totality of the human personality into fragments. Certainly so far as education is concerned, the ends are not thus conveniently separable. The inter-relation of mental efforts, at least in the development of those mentalities gifted for highest effort, seems one of the certainties in our rather uncertain comprehensions of human life.

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The conception of the three distinct, perhaps we may say optional, terminations for the educational experience is not only inaccurate but is tragically imperfect or partial. No sensible man would seek to define in a quick phrase the true end of education, or, to speak more specifically, the stage of life which a young person should reach at the end of a college course. But all who have labored in this field have a conviction that the end of education is to make

of a given youth the biggest and finest personality in every respect possible for that life.

* * *



From these two roughly stated principles, we may draw a definite assumption that culture is somewhere near the center of the important enterprise. For culture, as we now use the term, is the procedure by which we seek not a particularized or an immediate end but a general, all-inclusive, permanent enlargement of personality.

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Definite testimony could be cited to show that those who know best the professional world—the domain of competence—are recognizing that the bigger personality, rather than the more technically trained youth, has the best chance for usefulness and success. The standardizing agencies of the major professions move steadily toward requirements of heightened pre-professional experiences of learning outside that field of special expertness. Leaders of industry in repeated public utterances, declare that the boy whose personality has been expanded for wider understanding and more resourceful leadership has every advantage over the man who has been confined to the little groove of thought relating to that business.

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Prophets of the social order, conscious of the strange upheavals and anticipating recrystallizations, are proclaiming that the unpredictable eras before us require, perhaps more than ever before, men and women of large equipments, not in the petty details but in the comprehensions of background, the adaptabilities to new situations, the graces of social guidance, the devotions to social ideals.

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But character itself may be immensely stronger because of culture; for character is not exclusively or even chiefly a negative thing; character implies more than strength to resist the outrageous temptation. Character includes the power to persist in worthy purposes after some initial enthusiasm may have subsided. Character involves the power to pursue an end for its own sake and not for

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The University's New Power Plant

By ROBERT W. DICKEY

Professor of Physics and Superintendent of the Power Plant

ANOTHER very important step was taken in the material improvement of the campus when it was decided to construct a new heating plant. The present plant stands at the architectural apex of the campus. It has been a constant source of damage to the buildings and has interfered with the necessary development of the rear campus. It is fortunate that its mechanical life has come to an end at a time when many improvements are being made. The new plant will be located across the ravine near the railway tracks.

The building in the basement of which the heating plant is now located has had a varied history. At different times the main floor has been used as a chemical laboratory, mechanical shop, electrical laboratory, or accounting department. It is now occupied by the printing presses of the journalism department. With the removal of the heating plant, all additions to the original building, including the coal shed and plant chimney, will be removed and area adjoining graded and planted to conform with the campus in general. It is probable that this site will eventually be selected for a new building to house either the library or several of the science departments.

The present heating system is a circulated hot-water arrangement by which steam from the boilers is passed through converter tanks, thereby heating the water which is carried to the buildings by a turbine-driven pump. In 1904 it was decided to build a central heating plant and under the supervision of Professor David C. Humphreys (affectionately known to his students as "Old Davey") all types of steam and hot-water systems were studied. Professor Hale Houston, "Uncle Bud," who was then living in Ohio, aided in this selection, as he had lived in residences heated from a central plant. After careful comparisons the circulated hot-water system, patented by Evans Almirall Company of New York City, was selected as being the most economical and best fitted for a district with irregular contours. The advantages of this system are smaller heat losses in the conduits and connecting pipe lines, cheaper construction of pipe lines in that the lines can be laid with the ground and do not have to be graded to and from the central plant, freedom from noise, positive heating of all radiators and ability to control the temperature of radiators in conformity with the weather temperatures. The cost per student for heating all buildings has averaged during the past fifteen years somewhat less

than ten dollars per year. This is a figure for economy which cannot be equalled by many institutions in the country. The wisdom and foresight of these men is greatly appreciated in the present time of higher cost of operation.

On the death of Professor Humphreys about eighteen years ago the writer was assigned the job of superintending the operation of the central plant. During that period several new buildings and seven residences have been added to the system without any great change in the plant. At the present time all residences on the campus and all buildings except the gymnasium are heated from the main plant.

Although the original plant has been in continuous operation for nearly thirty-five years with only one interruption for a short period of several days it was agreed that, its future use being doubtful, construction of a new and modern plant should be started at once. The location selected is about nine hundred feet northwest of the main building across the ravine in the rear of the campus and near the baseball field. A railroad siding at this point will permit the delivery of coal directly to the bunkers. The construction was begun several weeks ago and will be completed for the opening of school in September. In designing the building care was taken to make it conform as nearly as practical with the appearance of other buildings on the campus. It will be fire resistant, being constructed entirely of concrete and brick. A radial red-brick stack will be used for natural draft. In addition to the coal storage room the building contains a large boiler room and a smaller room for the pumps and converter tanks. It is not intended at the present to generate electrical power, but arrangements have been made for the future addition of a generator room, when our power requirements increase to the point where it is economical to generate all electrical power used on the campus. The boilers, manufactured by the Union Iron Works, will be equipped with Detroit stokers, automatically controlled. The water, heated by steam in the converter tanks, will be circulated through the pipe lines by a De Laval turbine-driven pump. The temperature of the water will be automatically controlled by a mechanism which recognizes and compensates for any change in the outside weather temperature and a wind velocity greater than six to ten miles per hour. In this way the proper temperature of the wa-

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The above picture was taken during the Alumni luncheon held at the University Dining Hall during Washington and Lee's 189th Finals, June 8, 9 and 10.

600 Alumni Return for the 189th Finals

By RICHARD P. CARTER, 1929

MEMORIES of the Washington and Lee of yesterday echoed on the campus June 8, 9 and 10 when approximately 600 alumni—one of the largest gatherings of old grads on record in Lexington—returned for the University's 189th Finals program.

They came from the north, south, east and west, with members of the class of 1913, holding their twenty-fifth anniversary reunion, leading the parade back to their Alma Mater. Thirty-seven members of the class of 1913 returned for the reunion; many who could not visit the campus for the get-together sent notes expressing regret that other matters kept them away.

The 1938 Finals went down in history—because of this large return of alumni and because of other things on the program that bespoke the success of the exercises—as one of the best ever held at Washington and Lee.

One hundred and sixty-one students received degrees at the commencement program held, in accordance with tradition, in Lee Chapel. Four master of arts degrees were conferred; 32 bachelor of laws; 85 bachelor of arts; nine bachelor of science; and 31 bachelor of science in commerce.

Dr. Gaines, addressing the graduates, told them "not to be afraid" to face the future despite the frequently-heard predictions of "stormy weather" in world conditions. "Predictions of stormy weather," he said, "are not new."

Two alumni were awarded honorary degrees at the

commencement exercises. The Rev. George Allen Fleece, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church in Chattanooga, was made a Doctor of Divinity, and Dr. Matthew W. McClure, dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at the University of Illinois, was made a Doctor of Letters.

The Board of Trustees, holding their annual Finals meeting, elected Dr. John N. Thomas, pastor of the Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church in Richmond, Virginia, a new member of the board. Dr. Thomas, well known in southern ministerial circles, was graduated from Washington and Lee in 1924.

The Board elected Dr. James L. Howe, professor of chemistry and oldest member of the faculty in point of service, as professor emeritus of chemistry. Dr. Howe also was appointed University historian.

Foster Morehart, who has been director of junior college libraries for the Carnegie Corporation, was named librarian at Washington and Lee, succeeding Miss Blanche McCrum, who resigned last year. He will arrive in Lexington during the summer and will take over his new duties at that time.

The Board also appointed Harry M. Philpott of Lexington, North Carolina, member of this year's graduating class and one of the outstanding students on the campus, as director of religious activities at the University. He will assume his duties late this summer.

Professor Rupert Latture was named supervisor of

freshman work at the University. He also will continue his teaching assignments.

Five members of the faculty were granted promotions by the Board of Trustees. Dr. James S. Moffatt and Dr. Fitzgerald Flournoy were advanced from associate professors to full professors of English. Lawrence E. Watkin, author of the Broadway success play, "On Borrowed Time," which was adapted from his novel of the same name, was promoted from assistant professor to associate professor of English.

Dr. Leonard C. Helderman, associate professor of history, was promoted to full professor of history.

Robert H. Gray, instructor in economics and commerce, was made an assistant professor in those subjects.

Social affairs at the 1938 Finals included three dances—the Interfraternity-Sigma Ball Wednesday night, the Senior-Alumni Prom Thursday night, and the all-night Final Ball beginning at 11 o'clock Friday night and ending Saturday morning at 6 o'clock with the playing—and singing—of "College Friendships."

Hal Kemp's orchestra played for the first two dances; music for Final Ball was by George Hall's orchestra.

Alumni affairs in addition to the usual meetings, included a well-attended smoker at the Student Union Building—where alumni headquarters were set up for Finals—and a luncheon on Friday. Alumni also attended a reception given by President and Mrs. Gaines at their home.

At the General Alumni meeting June 10, the Thomas Nelson Page medal given annually to an alumnus for distinguished service to Washington and Lee was presented to Robert P. Hobson of Louisville. The presentation was made by Dr. Gaines.

Honorary appointments for graduates and undergraduates this year were made as follows by the faculty, and were formally bestowed at the Lee Chapel commencement exercises:

ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIPS

Mapleson Scholarship: William Saxby Tavel, Connecticut; Vincent L. Bradford Scholarship: William LeRoy Burner, Jr., Ohio, Robert Harold Gaddy, South Carolina; Luther SeEVERS Birely Scholarship: Richard Mullinix Radcliffe, Maryland.

Franklin Society Scholarship: Edgar Finley Shannon, Jr., Virginia; James McDowell Scholarship: Zalmon Herzel Garfield, Virginia, Neil Turpin Houston, Missouri;

James D. Davidson Memorial Fund Scholarship: William Warner Brown, Ohio, Paul Guerrant Morrison, Jr., Illinois.

James J. White Scholarship: Lafayette Randolph Hanna, Alabama; Mary Louisa Reid White Scholarship: Charles Lee Hobson, Kentucky; Taylor Scholarship: George Murray Smith, Jr., Kentucky.

Young Scholarship: William Harry Kibler, Jr., Virginia; Inter-Fraternity Council Scholarship: Harold Edward Harvey, New York; The John H. Hamilton Scholarship: Bayard Stuyvesant Berghaus, Pennsylvania.

DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

German: Charles Steenbergen, West Virginia; Economics: Hamilton Hertz, New York; English: Robert Byrd Espy, Alabama; Commerce: Randolph Marshall Duncan, New Jersey.

Biology: Benjamin Ray Lawton, District of Columbia; Physics: Henry Elwood McLaughlin, Florida; Physical Education: Brent Harrison Farber, Jr., Maryland; Accounting: Philip Keyes Yonge, Florida.

Political Science: Arthur Reno Porter, Jr., Pennsylvania; History: William Alexander Jenks, Florida; Education: Thomas William Moses, West Virginia; Geology: Charles Daniel Tolley, Virginia.

Latin: Francis Carroll Bryan, Kentucky; Journalism: Hugh Reid Thompson, Jr., Virginia; Spanish: Albert Neill Cole, New York; French: Ross Pelton Schlabach, Jr., Virginia.

The Howard Houston Teaching Fellowship was awarded this year to Earl J. Milligan of Dansville, New York, a Phi Beta Kappa who has made an outstanding scholastic record at Washington and Lee. Other prizes and awards were: Cincinnati Essay Award: Stanford Lee Schewel, Virginia; Sigma Delta Chi Scholarship Award: Earl John Milligan, New York; Algernon Sydney Sullivan Medallion: Harry Melvin Philpott, North Carolina.

Individual Intramural Trophy: Randolph Marshall Duncan, New Jersey, Vance Anderson Funk, Jr., Indiana; Lind Prize in Chemistry: David Norvell Walker, Virginia; J. G. Herndon Prize for best Student Library: James Gibson Lamb, Jr., Pennsylvania; Robinson Award in Mathematics and Sciences: David Norvell Walker, Virginia.

The George A. Mahan Prizes for Creative Writing: Freshmen: William Buchanan, Virginia, Samuel Creed Gholson, Mississippi; Sophomores: William McClain Read, Pennsylvania, Philip Williams, Jr., Virginia.



Dr. J. N. Thomas

"100 Years on the High Seas"

(Joseph T. Lykes, class of 1909, elected president of the Washington and Lee Alumni Association at the 1938 Finals meeting, is a member of a family famous in maritime circles. Just before Finals, the Alumni Office received a clipping from the "Rice News" detailing some of the activities of the Lykes family; it seems appropriate to print some excerpts from the article—"100 Years on the High Seas"—especially since President Lykes of the Alumni has a son at Washington and Lee—Joe, Jr.—and a nephew—Charlie Lykes of Houston, Texas.—EDITOR'S NOTE.)

NO HISTORY of the development of Gulf ports or, for that matter, of the American merchant marine could be told with any degree of accuracy without paying tribute to an enterprise that has dedicated itself to the task of wresting back for American shipping the prestige it once enjoyed.

There have been two traditions in the Lykes family. One was to raise good beef cattle, the other to regain for this country some of the maritime glory that had been steadily slipping away into foreign hands.

Both traditions have flowered into full fruition. Lykes' cattle are known all over the South and in many Latin countries. And the Lykes flag flies from ships that ply to most all of the important ports of the world.

No other family engaged in Southern shipping can look back for five generations—one hundred years—and show any such continuous family activity in ocean commerce.

Nor can any single family scan thousands of acres of what once was wilderness and approximate the success the Lykes family has achieved in the difficult business of raising cattle.

It was logical and natural that the six Lykes brothers now operating the far-flung Lykes enterprises should have conceived and developed their great merchant marine business, for they come of a race of pioneers who were ship owners.

Their father, Dr. Howell Tyson Lykes, was one of the founders of the great cattle industry in Florida. He came to Florida before the Civil War, serving in that conflict as scout in Florida at the age of sixteen.

When the problem of marketing his cattle presented itself, Dr. Lykes began chartering and purchasing vessels. Cuba presented a profitable market for cattle and European countries for his cedar and hardwoods.

On the maternal side the Lykes brothers also inherit a love for the sea and for ships. Their mother was a daughter of Captain James McKay, who left his home in Thurso, Scotland, about 1832, to seek his fortune in this new land.

Captain McKay located first in St. Louis, then moved to Mobile. There he learned of Tampa and determined to make that place his permanent home.

In 1903, James M. Lykes, a younger brother, joined the firm and in 1906 opened a branch office at Galveston,

Texas, from which the firm conducted an extensive shipping business and acted as agents for foreign lines as well as in chartering ships for the carriage of freight and largely for transporting cattle dealt in by the firm between points in Texas, Mexico, South America and Cuba.

In 1910 the business of Lykes Brothers was incorporated under the name of Lykes Brothers, Inc., and F. A. Morris, who had been associated with the Lykes Brothers from the time they started the business, became interested in the company.



Joseph T. Lykes, Alumni President

Following that, Lipscomb G. Lykes, T. M. Lykes, J. W. Lykes and Joseph T. Lykes, younger brothers, became part of the organization.

At the close of the World War the United States Government offered Lykes Brothers agencies for the operation of several of the ships that had been built by the Government for war purposes, in conjunction with the plan of the Government to rehabilitate the American Merchant Marine and to develop regular and substantial trade routes under the American flag.

In conformity with the Government's policies, the company abandoned all of its foreign agency contracts and devoted its activities entirely to the operation of American ships.

R. E. Tipton, native of Alabama, long experienced in ocean and rail traffic, joined the Lykes organization and opened their New Orleans office in 1920.

The Lykes Brothers Steamship Company was organized in 1923 for the purpose of taking over the steamship business of Lykes Brothers, Inc. At that time Mr. Tipton became a member of the Lykes official family as a stockholder and executive vice-president.

In 1925 Lykes Brothers-Ripley Steamship Company was organized for the purpose of operating and subsequently acquiring ship lines operating to European and Far Eastern ports.

While Tampa is the original home of Lykes Brothers, the principal steamship headquarters are located in New Orleans, Houston and Galveston. Branch offices of the House of Lykes are located in ten other ports and cities in this country and in fifteen foreign ports.

The Lykes brothers, seven in number, working together, combining their earnings and their efforts in building these enterprises, have brought to a realization the visions of their father and grandfather, who foresaw the possibilities of trade out of the Gulf.

Three Lykes shipping companies operate out of Gulf ports to South America, the West Indies, Mediterranean, Adriatic, Portuguese, Spanish, British and North Continental European ports, as well as to ports in the Far East.

The combined fleet of sixty-eight ships constantly in service is the largest aggregation of units and tonnage engaged in maritime freight service under a single ownership and management beneath the American Flag.

The Lykes company gives direct and indirect employment constantly to 5,000 persons with an average annual payroll of \$4,000,000.

The companies annually carry 2,000,000 tons of freight, import and export, and collect freight revenues of \$10,000,000, of which 85 percent is spent in the United States for wages, supplies and other requirements.

The Lykes Steamship activities, it is estimated, have

increased the national wealth by more than \$120,000,000 in freight monies collected and expended in connection with the operation of the lines.

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ter in the radiators can be maintained for any type of weather.

New pipe lines will be brought across the ravine and connected to the old lines in the basement of the present plant. These pipes are carried in a specially constructed conduit, most of which is under ground. To cross Wood's Creek it was necessary to elevate the trench above the high-water mark. The top of the elevated trench will be widened sufficiently to form a roadway for a light truck.

When completed it is hoped that the plant, with all modern equipment, will be more economical and will give more uniform service than was possible with the old methods of hand-firing and hand-control. Aside from this its greatest value will be the opportunity afforded to improve the rear campus.

The plant was designed by Wiley and Wilson, consulting engineers, of Lynchburg, Virginia. The building, conduits and bridge are being constructed by John P. Pettyjohn & Company, who had the contract for the erection of the new Tucker Hall, and the restoration of the main building and Newcomb Hall.

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any obviously personal advantage that may be associated with it.

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The mathematics may never be used; but the boy who takes a year of it, fights it day in and day out, conquers it not because he enjoys it or can "cash in on it" but because it is his immediate duty—that boy has got more than three credits, more than a disputed "mental" discipline. He has gone a long way toward competence and he has developed within himself a mighty self-mastery that is the foundation of character.

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In a noble verity, competence and character wait for fullest development upon true inner culture. The Liberal Arts college faces at once the world of the practical and the world of the spiritual with richest contributions for both realms.

Francis Perretton Jones

Forty-Five Years an Editor

A WASHINGTON AND LEE alumnus, R. Drake Haislip, class of 1875, who edited the Staunton, Virginia, *Evening Leader* well into his eighty-eighth year, retired from active journalism May 1, 1938. Up to within two weeks of his retirement, he went to the office regularly every day, arriving at 8 a. m., reading the exchanges, mingling with his friends down town, reading proof, and doing his writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Haislip celebrated on Monday, June 13, their sixty-second wedding anniversary, their sons and daughters and several grandchildren coming to Staunton for the occasion. Mr. Haislip probably is the oldest living Virginia newspaper man, and was the dean of Virginia editors at the time of his retirement. He edited Staunton newspapers for forty-five years, and was editor of *The Evening Leader* for more than thirty-one years.

Known for his fearlessness and outspokenness, Mr. Haislip always wielded a fine influence through his editorial columns. One of his outstanding traits has been his interest in the youth of his community, and he has assisted more young men in establishing themselves than almost any other citizen. He has always fought for what he thought was right in politics, civic matters and those of a religious nature.

Mr. Haislip was 48 years old when the Spanish-American War broke out, but having a wife and five children solely dependent upon him, he did not enter the service, but put forth his entire efforts with his pen.

Before going to Staunton in 1893, Mr. Haislip was Professor of French and English in the University of Baton Rouge, and was also in the banking business in New York City. Once he entered the newspaper field, however, he got the proverbial "printers' ink" on his fingers and was never willing to give it up. Strange as it may seem, none of his three sons emulated his example, although a daughter, Miss Irene Haislip, was for some time connected with one of her father's papers, and is known as a gifted writer.

A son, Lieutenant Colonel Wade Hampton Haislip, United States Army, had the distinction of being one of the youngest majors in the A. E. F., having been but 28

years old when he won his golden leaves. Another son, Richard A. Haislip, holds an executive position with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, and still another, Frederick Haislip, is in the coal business in West Virginia. Besides the daughter mentioned, there is an elder daughter, Mrs. W. C. Williams, residing in Florida.

Always a devout Presbyterian, Mr. Haislip was for twenty-five years Clerk of the Session of the First Presbyterian Church, having recently resigned, owing to advancing years. Since 1893 Mr. Haislip has been a beloved and familiar figure in Staunton's life and as he has grown older, his friends seem to have become more numerous. If it happened that he missed a day at the office, numerous inquiries came in about him.



R. Drake Haislip

Two of his closest friends took turns dropping in daily to see "if he is behaving himself," as Mr. Haislip expresses it, although no man in Staunton leads a more temperate and upright life.

One of the reasons he gives for his long and active life, is that he has always practiced temperateness in all things, retires early, and arises almost with the sun. He has a wonderful sense of humor which has helped him to face many turning points in his life.

Journalism in the Old Dominion misses the constant service of Mr. Haislip as an editor because of his interest in the fourth estate and his abilities, but points with pride to a man who served the profession so well and so long. He well earned the rest he decided to take from the strenuous duties of newspaper work after so many years, and although he retired from active journalism he still keeps in touch with what the world is doing—he has been too much of a newspaperman to fail to follow the trend of things.

HENRY P. JOHNSTON, 1929, and MARK HANNA, 1914, recently negotiated a contract whereby Radio Station WSGN is to broadcast all of the Birmingham Club's ball games at home and away from home on an exclusive basis. This was the first time the Southern League had permitted home games to be broadcast. Henry is Vice President-Director of Station WSGN.

Campus Headline History, 1937-38

September 21

Fancy Dress President Russ Doane Fails to Return to School . . . Will Rogers and Seth Baker Apply for Vacancy . . . New Rush Plan Termed Success as Two Hundred Pledge Fraternities.

September 24

Don Bestor Signed for Opening Dances . . . Big Blue Prime for Battle Against Wofford . . . Enrollment Figures Reveal Nine Hundred and Seventeen Students Here.

September 28

Will Rogers Is Named President of Fancy Dress . . . Phi Epsilon Pi First in Scholarship for Fourth Straight Semester . . . Christian Council Inaugurates Freshman Friendship Council . . . Blue Tops Wofford, 20-0.

October 1

Major-General Kilbourne Takes Over at V. M.I. . . . Brigadiers Defeat S. M. A. 13-0 in First Game . . . Cotillion Club Bids Twenty-six . . . Five Classes Prepare to Rubber-Stamp Clique Candidates.

October 5

Intramural Board Adopts Simplified Scoring System . . . Clique Crushes Opponents . . . Eight Named for Rhodes Scholarship Trials . . . Howard Scores to Give Generals 6-0 Victory Over Richmond.

October 8

Big Apple Is Banned from Washington and Lee Dances . . . Calyx Junior Editors Are Named . . . Frosh Trounce Richmond 32-0 . . . Phi Eta Sigma Elects Doctor Gaines.

October 12

Woman Stumps Literary Societies in Debate on "Man Versus Woman" . . . Dance Board Requires Vouchers for Visitors . . . Generals Lose to Mountaineers in Mud, 6-0 . . . Fletcher Named to Olympic Committee.

October 15

Three Hundred Girls Attend Openings . . . Kappa Sigma Holds Open House . . . First Monthly *Collegian* Goes on Sale.

October 19

Cold Check Rules Are Tightened . . . Two Students Escape Death in Car Crash . . . Kentucky Batters Blue, 41-6 . . . *Calyx* Wins "Excellent" Rating at Press Meeting . . . Sigma Nu Wins Interfraternity Scholarship Cup.

October 22

Brigadiers Come From Behind to Beat Virginia, 14-9 . . . Sigma Delta Chi Pledges Eleven . . . One Hundred and Seventy-seven Apply for Degrees.

October 26

Dean Hudson Signs for Homecoming . . . Rayder Reveals Drop in Student Body Funds . . . Troubs Plan Production of "Dover Road" . . . Generals Drop Duke From 1938 Football Schedule . . . Tech Beats Blue, 19-7.

October 29

University Host to Record Delegation at S. I. P. A. Convention . . . Faculty Will Vote on Executive Committee Petition for Full Homecoming Holiday . . . Fris-toe Chosen Sophomore President.

November 2

Omicron Delta Kappa Asks Student Support for Homecoming . . . Faculty Turns Down Full Holiday . . . Duke Tramples Generals, 43-0.

November 5

School Prepares for Homecoming Against Virginia . . . Frosh Hang Up Fourth Straight Victory Over VPI, 18-0 . . . Second Issue of *Collegian* Ready.

November 9

Faculty Vote Shorter Exams . . . New Course Numbering Plan Proposed . . . Fifteen Hundred Alumni Reported at Homecoming . . . Organ Donated to Lee Chapel . . . Phi Eta Sigma Plans Smoker for Freshman With High Averages . . . Doctor Samuel Lind Addresses Chemists . . . Virginia Falls, 13-6.

November 13

Sweet Briar Turns Down Proposed Hockey Game . . . Literary Societies Plan Official Union . . . International Relations Club Hears Helen Miller.

November 16

Officials Spike Rumor That Greasy Neale Will Succeed Tex Tilson as Football Coach . . . Athletic Association Shows Profit for Season of 1936-1937 . . . Editor Reid States Policy of Magazine . . . Generals Win, 14-12, From Indians . . . Frosh Lose to Maryland, 8-0.

November 19

Cap and Gown Fees Lowered by Executive Committee . . . Farrar Discusses Typographic Trends Before
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Judge Gibbs of Florida

The following article on Judge George Couper Gibbs, LL.B. 1903, is reprinted from the Jacksonville, Florida, Journal of May 16:

IN 1822, George Gibbs was appointed by President James Monroe as clerk of the eastern district of the Territory of Florida. Tomorrow, in Tallahassee, Judge George Couper Gibbs, of Jacksonville, great-grandson, carries on a distinguished tradition. He will be sworn in as attorney general for the state of Florida.

Judge Gibbs, on the circuit court bench here for nearly 23 years, left Jacksonville today to take over his new duties. From now on, the state will be his client.

Judge Gibbs, named by Governor Cone to succeed the late Cary D. Landis, comes of a family long prominently identified with Florida history. His great-grandfather was the first clerk of Florida as a territory. His grandfather, Colonel George Couper Gibbs, was mayor of Jacksonville in 1885. As lawyer and jurist, Judge Gibbs has added luster to the name.

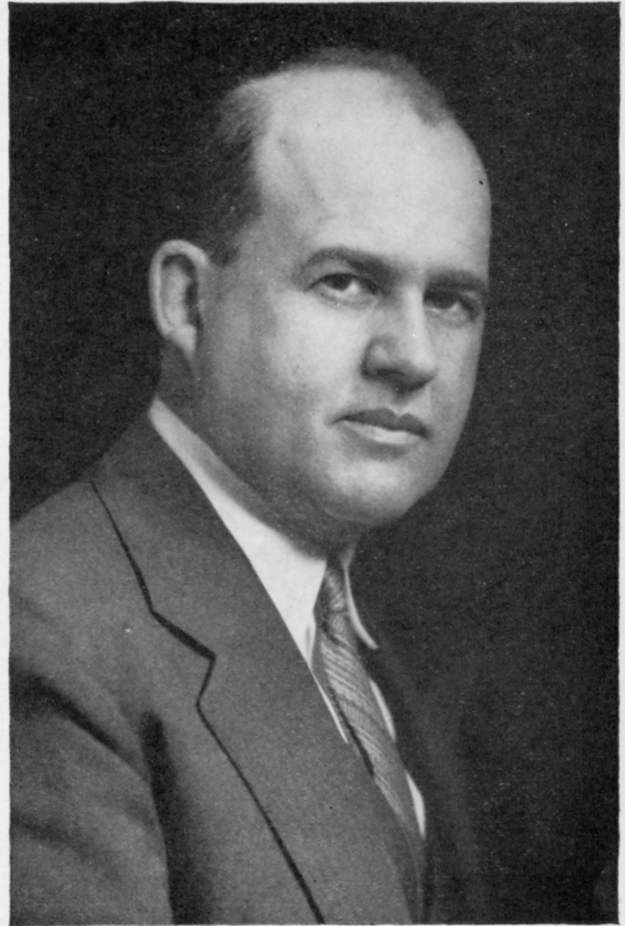
St. Augustine as well as Jacksonville was honored with the appointment of Judge Gibbs to the state cabinet. Judge Gibbs was born in Jacksonville, but at the age of three moved to St. Augustine, where he lived until 1903. Born in October, 1878, he is 58.

Judge Gibbs received his early education in St. Augustine. He was a member of the St. Augustine Rifles, and volunteered at the outbreak of the Spanish-American War, serving with Company G of the First Florida Volunteer Infantry. In 1901, he entered Washington and Lee University, where in 1903 he took his degree in law. In 1907, he set up for himself, after four years in the law office of A. W. Cockrell. He succeeded Judge Rhydon M. Call in 1913 as circuit judge of the fourth judicial circuit. From 1913 to 1935, Judge Gibbs served on the circuit court bench here. He did not offer for renomination in the 1934 primaries, retiring to active private practice.

Judge Gibbs is president of the Civitan Club. He has long been active in civic and social affairs. Among other things, he has served with the Boy Scout movement here. The new attorney general was one of the busiest men in Jacksonville in the forenoon today, receiving congratulations, and preparing to be off. Law requires residence at the capital.

A special primary is to be held in June for the Democratic nomination to the state attorney general office. Judge Gibbs has said he will run. The primary is considered a formality. The general election will be held in November.

Homecoming day this fall will be October 22, when the Generals meet their time-honored rivals, V. P. I.



William J. Cox

Cox Named Highway Head

PROFESSOR WILLIAM J. COX of Yale University, who received his B.A. from Washington and Lee in 1917 and his B.S. in 1918, recently was named state highway commissioner for Connecticut. He was appointed to the position by Governor Cross, who termed him a highly qualified engineer and highway expert.

Cox was born in Portland, Oregon, in 1896; he served overseas in the World War as a lieutenant of engineers, and at the time of his appointment to the Connecticut position was Assistant Professor of Engineering Mechanics at Yale. He has directed construction and surveys of various highways in the United States, and in 1924-1925 was traffic engineer for the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters in New York City.

Cox, a Democrat, will hold the highway office until the 1939 legislative session in Connecticut.

He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Tau Beta Pi, engineering honor society, and the American Society of Civil Engineers.

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Journalists . . . Averages at Mid-Term Show Slack . . . Only Thirty-three Make Honor Roll . . . Varsity Debate Team Selects Twelve . . . Interfraternity Council Retains Rushing Rules . . . ATO Defeats PiKa in Finals of I-M Football Tournament.

November 23

Doctor Phillips' Report for Maritime Commission Is Praised . . . Plans for VIPA Convention Here Are Made by Billy Hudgins . . . Bradshaw Crandall Is Named to Select *Calyx* Beauties . . . Generals Are Second in Conference Cross Country Race.

November 26

Executive Committee Votes Salaries for Assistant Editors of *Ring-tum Phi* . . . Graham Quits as Head of Glee Club . . . Generals Lose to Maryland, 8-0 . . . Blue Gain Tie for State Title When Tech Upsets Keydets.

November 30

Drew Pearson Accepts Invitation to Address Journalists . . . Two Dances Scheduled for Week-end . . . Leaders Praise Resolution for *Ring-tum Phi* Salaries . . . Rogers and Brown Make All-State Grid Team.

December 3

Fancy Dress Theme Announced as Ball in the Old South . . . Complete Death for Graham Plan Is Advocated by Conference Members . . . One Hundred and Fifty Delegates Attend VIPA Convention . . . Sigma Delta Chi Initiates Ten . . . Troubadours Present Smash Hit With Hilarious "Dover Road" . . . Four Freshmen Make All-State Team.

December 7

Faculty Considers Resolution to Force Candidates for Student Offices to Maintain High Scholastic Average . . . *Ring-tum Phi* Named Best College Paper in State . . . Faculty Decide to Select Valedictorian on Grade Basis . . . Varsity Banquet Is Planned to Replace Football Dinner.

December 10

Omicron Delta Kappa Taps Twenty-eight . . . Jack Thomas Gives Address in Lee Chapel . . . Phi Eta Sigma Entertains Thirty-nine Freshmen . . . Bill Brown Is Elected Football Captain.

December 14

Jan Garber Signs for Fancy Dress . . . Eight Washington and Lee Men Take Rhodes Scholarship Interviews . . . Chorus to Sing "The Messiah" . . . Graham Plan Is Killed . . . Generals Win First Cage Battle From Lynchburg, 32-23.

December 17

Beta Gamma Sigma Pledges Three Commerce Students . . . Third *Collegian* Makes Appearance . . . Stu-

dents Head Home for Christmas Holidays . . . *Calyx* Picture Drive Closes With Record Total . . . Washington and Lee Swing Selected Among Five Most Popular College Tunes . . . Betas Win Interfraternity Mat Trophy . . . Pi Kappa Alpha Wins I-M Volleyball Title From Delts in Finals.

January 7

Reid Removed as Editor of *Collegian* as Faculty Suspends Publication . . . New Pre-Law Requirements Adopted . . . Anonymous Donor Gives \$50,000 to University . . . Joe Dietz Dies in Holiday Auto Wreck . . . City Council Votes Down Sunday Movies . . . Elon Upsets Generals.

January 11

Faculty Re-Establishes *Collegian* Pending Submission of Suitable Plans by Executive Committee . . . Will Rogers Names Men for Fancy Dress Figure . . . Generals Beat Maryland . . . Frosh Trip Danville.

January 14

Library Holds Printing Exhibit . . . Doctor Gaines Cites War Dangers Before International Relations Club . . . Frosh Crush Augusta, 66-17 . . . Generals Down William and Mary, 42-20 . . . Students Prepare for Exams.

February 1

Automatic Rule Catches Forty as Sixty-two Make Honor Roll . . . Literary Clubs Elect Burner and Griffith to Presidencies . . . Old South Proves Popular Theme for Fancy Dress . . . Sir Herbert Ames Cites Peace Threats.

February 4

Publication Board Will Discuss *Collegian* Fate . . . Watkin's Book "On Borrowed Time" Is Cheered in New York Dramatization . . . *Ring-tum Phi* Has Highest Organization Grades . . . Generals Fall Before Long Island, 35-32 . . . Frosh Score Fifth Triumph Over Greenbrier, 47-29.

February 8

Jimmy Fishel Named Head of *Southern Collegian* . . . Cleveland Chosen Business Manager . . . Newsreel Photographers Shoot Wrestlers at Work . . . Chi Gamma Theta Bids Twenty-two . . . Swimmers Win Opening Meet With Randolph-Macon . . . Frosh Win and Varsity Lose in Basketball.

February 11

Calvert Thomas Injured on Eve of Princeton Meet . . . Annual Scholarship Prizes To Be Given for Creative Writing . . . Fraternities Receive Promise of Aid in Promoting Tourney . . . Interfraternity Council Plans Move to Reduce Power Rates . . . Generals Swat Spiders 33-30 as Petey Jacobs Is Hurt.

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Football Prospects for the 1938 Season

IF ALL of the potential sophomore prospects return this fall, Washington and Lee probably will be much stronger on the gridiron than last season, when the Generals found the going difficult against an array of powerful teams.

It is the presence of so much sophomore material, however, that makes predicting how good the Generals may be an unusually hard assignment. It is agreed by football observers, however, that Coach Tex Tilson undoubtedly will have to rely on these first-year-on-the-varsity men to supply the punch needed to push over winning touchdowns.

From present indications, there will be an ample supply of tackles but not so many ends and not so much reserve strength in the middle of the line. The forewall will not be as heavy as in the past few seasons.

One of the major losses by graduation is 1937 Captain Will Rogers of Petersburg, Virginia, All-Virginia center of last fall.

The 1938 captain, Bill Brown of Toledo, Ohio, will hold down his regular guard position, with Jim Lindsey of Ringgold, Virginia, probably taking care of the other job at guard. Brown, one of the University's outstanding students, adds golf to his athletic attainments; he has played two years on Coach Cy Twombly's golf team and will captain the squad next spring.

The Washington and Lee backfield probably will be faster than the 1937 edition, but here again the debatable question rests with the sophomores.

Outstanding among the backfield candidates is young Dick Pinck of Paterson, New Jersey, who is expected to draw a quarterbacking assignment. Harrison Hogan, a junior from Mount Pleasant, Michigan, and Ray Craft of Clifton Forge, Virginia, a senior, should see consider-

able service carrying the ball. Both are fast and played fine football last season; both can pass and punt exceptionally well.

In the line, Joe Ochsie of Paterson, New Jersey, one of the state's most dependable tackles, and hefty Dick Boisseau of Petersburg, Virginia, will get tackle assignments. Both Ochsie and Boisseau play proverbial bang-up games in the line.

The Generals encountered more than their share of hard luck last fall—especially with injuries, which were numerous. Notable among the casualties of the 1937 season was Al Szymanski, whose leg was broken in one of the early games, and who, incidentally, will help coach the freshmen this fall.

The 1938 schedule, however, probably will favor the Big Blue team more. An unusual aspect of this fall's line-up of games is the traditional battle with the University of Virginia as the second game on the schedule. The annual clash with the West Virginia Mountaineers at Charleston follows on the Saturday after

the game with the Cavaliers at Charlottesville, Virginia.

The 1938 homecoming game is with Virginia Tech on October 22.

Washington and Lee athletic teams continued progressively along the lanes that lead toward supremacy and championships during 1937-1938, although the championships were not so plentiful as in past years. Time-honored tradition was maintained and the Wahoos from Virginia were repulsed in football, basketball, swimming, and baseball.

During the autumn of 1937, Coach Forest Fletcher's Cross Country "bunion" team lost two and won one dual meet. The surprise came when the General harriers cop-



Bill Brown, 1938 Football Captain

ped second in the Southern Conference meet, one week after a similar performance in the State meet.

The basketball team started rolling with a coveted conference title to defend. With Co-Captains Kit Carson and Bob Spessard, a pair of all-southern men, furnishing the "zip," the Generals got off to a good start but bogged down in mid-season and finally barely made the conference tourney at Raleigh. Cy's boys were fortunate enough to draw North Carolina in the opening round and reached an unprecedented peak in this game. Carolina went under, 48-23, but this achievement took the spark out of the ignition system and we were eliminated by Clemson the next night. Bill Borries of Louisville was chosen to captain the team next year.

Losses to Princeton and Kansas State in wrestling made it a lean year in that sport because rarely has Archie Mathis ever dropped a pair in one year. But four victories leveled it off, despite the failure of several key men to return to school. Bob Kemp will captain the team next winter.

Cy Twombly's swimmers raked out the only Southern Conference championship of the year. This makes the fourth year in a row we have held this title, which speaks mighty well for Cy because some of the incumbent champions failed to show up this year. The Generals won all five of their dual meets.

The baseball stock rocketed early this spring when Cap'n Dick's boys in Blue defeated Ohio State in the opener to break a seventeen-game losing streak which had accrued in 1937. Before the season was out the Generals had won five games, considerably better than the previous year, although there was a marked scarcity of pitchers. Roy Dart of Jacksonville, Florida, was elected captain for next year.

The track team came up with several individual surprise packages this year. One was Heartsill Ragon, Jr., who set a new university record of 49.6 in the quarter mile and Charlie Curl, a sophomore who probably won more points than any man on the squad as a dash man. The team defeated Richmond, V. P. I., and William and Mary.

The tennis team experienced a splendid season, although taking no championships. Here was the only sport in which the Wahoos showed marked supremacy but Crenshaw's men made clean sweeps of several meets and the season was highly successful.

The golfers had another better-than-average season,

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE	
1938	
Sept. 24	Hampden-Sydney....Lexington, Va.
Oct. 1	VirginiaCharlottesville, Va.
Oct. 8	West Virginia....Charleston, W. Va.
Oct. 15	Kentucky.....Lexington, Ky.
Oct. 22	*V. P. I.Lexington, Va.
Oct. 29	RichmondRichmond, Va.
Nov. 5	Centre College.....Louisville, Ky.
Nov. 12	W. and M.....Lexington, Va.
Nov. 24	Maryland.....Baltimore, Md.
*Homecoming	

but were still unable to knock Duke from the top of the conference field.

Washington and Lee continued as a pioneer in boat racing for this section of the country and the crew took several interesting trips. After downing Marietta College in Florida, the oarsmen lost to Rollins there and to Manhattan on the Harlem River, New York. The Richmond Boat Club took the

Generals' measure on the James River to close the inter-sectional competition.

Outstanding among the freshman teams for the year were those in football, basketball, and wrestling. The football yearlings won four before losing one to Maryland, completely dominating things in the state. The basketball squad went through a fourteen-game schedule without defeat for a state championship. The football team had also annexed the state title. The frosh grapplers won all five of their meets, which just means another year in which Mathis' first-year teams have gone undefeated.

With this prosperous looking supply of freshman talent graduating into varsity competition next year, the sports outlook at Washington and Lee is bright, provided all the men return.

RESULTS OF 1937 FOOTBALL SEASON

Washington and Lee, 20; Wofford	0
Washington and Lee, 6; Richmond	0
Washington and Lee, 0; West Virginia	6
Washington and Lee, 6; University of Kentucky.....	41
Washington and Lee, 7; Virginia Polytechnic Institute.....	19
Washington and Lee, 0; Duke University	43
Washington and Lee, 13; University of Virginia.....	6
Washington and Lee, 14; William and Mary.....	12
Washington and Lee, 0; University of Maryland.....	8

PROSPECTIVE 1938 FOOTBALL SQUAD LIST

Ends

Howard Dobbins, Louisville, Ky.....	Soph 6-2	200
*Charles Lykes, Houston, Texas.....	Senior 6-1	190
*Birnie Harper, Fort Smith, Ark.....	Senior 6-0	175
Simmons Trueheart, Petersburg, Va.....	Soph 6-0	170
Jack Gillespie, Columbus, Ohio.....	Junior 5-10	175
Henry Baker, Newberry, S. C.....	Soph 6-0	165
Lupton Avery, Chattanooga, Tenn.....	Soph 6-0	180
Mervin Luria, Reading, Pa.....	Junior 6-0	170
Bob Gregerson, Hempstead, N. Y.....	Soph 6-0	170
Fort Pipes, New Orleans, La.....	Soph 6-0	170
Fitzgerald O'Bryan, Owensboro, Ky.....	Soph 5-10	165
Jim Richardson, Norfolk, Va.....	Soph 6-0	160
Bill Shannon, Shelbyville, Ky.....	Soph 5-9	165

Tackles

*Dick Boisseau, Petersburg, Va.....	Junior 6-2	200
*Joe Ochsie, Paterson, N. J.....	Senior 6-0	190
*Dorsey Wilson, Versailles, Ky.....	Senior 6-0	220
*Kelley Litteral, Ashland, Ky.....	Junior 6-0	200

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February 15

Gaines Speaks Before Virginia Legislature at Williamsburg . . . Troubadours Choose "Front Page" for Spring Production . . . Princeton Beats Wrestlers . . . Swimmers Sink Blue Devils . . . Lacrosse Team Plans Big Year.

February 18

I-F Council Promises Aid to University in Sponsoring Prep Basketball Tournament . . . Richberg Will Speak Before Law Students . . . Ed Metcalfe Selected for Troubadour Lead . . . Zeta Beta Tau Named First in Scholarship . . . Lambda Chi Alpha Announces Plans for New House.

February 22

Senator Nye Is Secured for Peace Day Talk . . . Washington and Lee Acquires New Lee Material by Gift of Meyer Collection . . . Lee Portrait Given to University . . . Kansas State Downs Blue Matmen, 18-8 . . . Generals Conquer William and Mary, 61-40.

February 25

Phi Beta Kappa Selects Eighteen Men . . . Fancy Dress Goes to a Party in *Life* Magazine . . . Plan for Religious Emphasis Week Announced . . . Frosh to Meet Varsity in Post-Season Cage Tilt . . . Victory Over Furman Clinches Generals a Bid to Conference Tourney.

March 1

Convention Proposed to End Boss Rule . . . Saxby Tavel Selected as Valedictorian . . . Untermeyer Named to Give Talk Before Students on Some Phase of Contemporary Literature . . . Washington and Lee Board Refuses to Yield to V. M. I. on Dance Controversy . . . Faculty Accepts New *Collegian* Policy . . . Interfraternity Council Protests to Power Company on Electric Rates . . . Swimmers Sink University of Virginia to End Undeclared Season . . . Curl Hangs Up New 440 Record as Blue Runners Place Fourth in Conference . . . Frosh Five Adds Two More Victories to Unbroken String.

March 4

Swimmers Crack Conference Medley Record While Winning Fourth Successive Championship . . . Don Bestor Signed for Spring Dances . . . Executive Committee Approves Amendment for Convention . . . Religious Week Activities Start . . . Watkin's "On Borrowed Time" Named Best Unappreciated Book of Year . . . Generals Lose to Clemson in Second Round of Basketball Tourney After Eliminating Carolina in Opener . . . Keydets Nose Out Washington and Lee in Conference Wrestling Matches.—*Reprinted from The 1938 Calyx.*

Joe Kieiltyka, Yonkers, N. Y.....	Soph	6-2	200
Earl Studwell, Garden City, N. Y.....	Soph	6-3	200
Ed Stivers, Lexington, Va.....	Soph	5-11	185
Bill Keland, Racine, Wis.....	Soph	5-11	180
John Alexander, Leesburg, Va.....	Senior	6-0	200
Louis Schultz, Highland Park, Ill.....	Junior	5-11	175

Guards

*Bill Brown (Captain), Toledo, Ohio.....	Senior	5-10	180
*Jim Lindsey, Ringgold, Va.....	Junior	5-10	200
Pres Robertson, Easton, Pa.....	Soph	6-0	185
*Francis Sugrue, Naugatuck, Conn.....	Junior	6-0	180
*Shack Parrish, Paris, Ky.....	Senior	6-0	180
Paul Muldoon, Chicago, Ill.....	Junior	5-10	170
Bob Walker, Highland Park, Ill.....	Soph	5-10	165
Jack Sutherland, Coldwater, Mich.....	Senior	5-7	165

Centers

Steve Hanasik, Yonkers, N. Y.....	Soph	6-0	175
Jack Mangan, New Britain, Conn.....	Soph	5-10	175
Lee Ross Hammond, Clovis, New Mexico.....	Soph	6-0	180
Jean Friedberg, Buechel, Ky.....	Soph	6-0	170

Fullbacks

*Merton Howard, Oroya, Peru.....	Senior	6-11	200
Alfred Bishop, Louisville, Ky.....	Soph	5-10	170
Bob Blanding, Roanoke, Va.....	Soph	5-10	175

Halfbacks

*Ray Craft, Clifton Forge, Va.....	Senior	5-11	175
*Harrison Hogan, Mt. Pleasant, Mich.....	Junior	6-0	175
Francis Bryan, Paris, Ky.....	Soph	6-0	185
Courtney Wadlington, Shelbyville, Ky.....	Soph	6-0	185
*Roy Hogan, Mt. Pleasant, Mich.....	Senior	5-10	170
Ronnie Thompson, Rockville Centre, N. Y.....	Junior	5-10	170
Bob Keim, Richmond, Va.....	Soph	5-11	170
Bob Gary, Beaumont, Texas.....	Soph	5-11	160

Quarterbacks

Dick Pinck, Paterson, N. J.....	Soph	5-10	170
Dan Justice, Lynchburg, Va.....	Soph	5-10	170
*Don Dunlap, Washington, D. C.....	Senior	5-9	165

*Denotes letterman.

JOHN H. TUCKER, JR., LL. B. 1910, member of the Shreveport, Louisiana, bar, spoke at a symposium held in connection with the dedication of Leche Hall law building of Louisiana State University on April 8. His topic was "The Future of the Civil Law of Louisiana."

A. FRED WHITE, who took his Ph. D. at Washington and Lee in 1906, last month was named general superintendent of the combined Donora Steel Works and the Donora Wire Works of the American Steel and Wire Company. He had been general superintendent of the Donora Steel Works since May, 1929; announcement of the consolidation of the two divisions was made from the company's offices in Cleveland. Before taking his Ph. D., Dr. White took an A. B., B. S. and M. A. at Washington and Lee.

THOMAS KENNEDY HELM, LL. B. 1895, and Mrs. Kennedy led the Tavern Club Cotillion given by the Pen-dennis Club at Louisville, April 23.

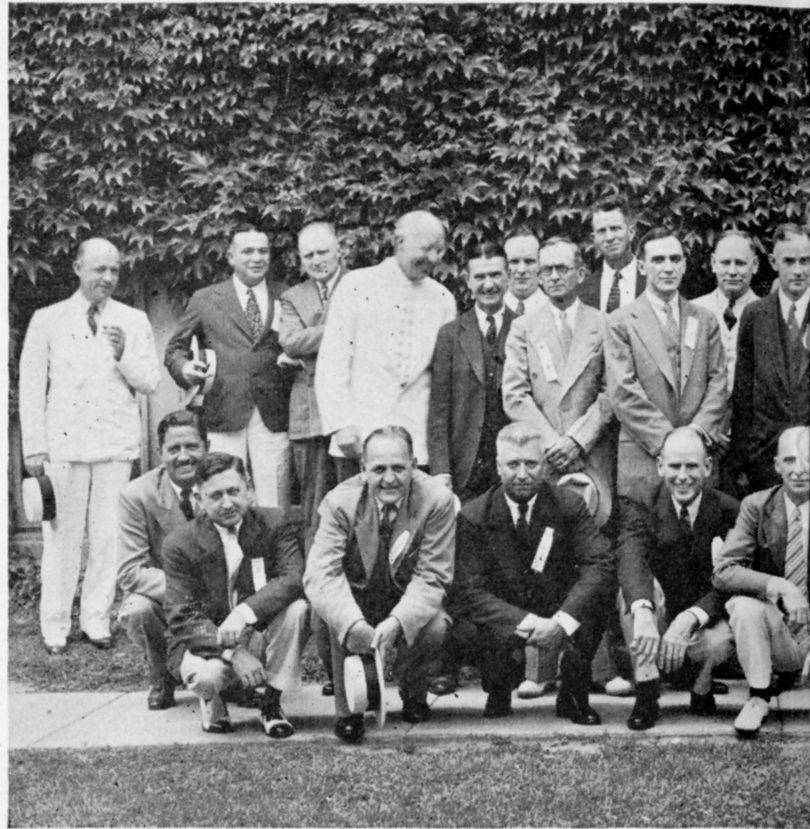
THE CLASS OF 1913 gathered at Washington and Lee during the University's 189th Finals, and if one person could be held responsible for the success of the reunion it was Philip P. (Pete) Gibson of Huntington, West Virginia. Pete worked for more than six months on the reunion plans and it was this constant effort to spread information about the get-together that resulted in making the twenty-fifth anniversary celebration one long to be remembered.

Members of the class of 1914, watching the class of 1913 assemble after a quarter century, announced intentions of holding their anniversary reunion next year; as a result of the interest shown, the "twenty-fifth reunion plan" promises to be carried on into the years. And credit for actually putting the idea into operation must go to Pete Gibson.

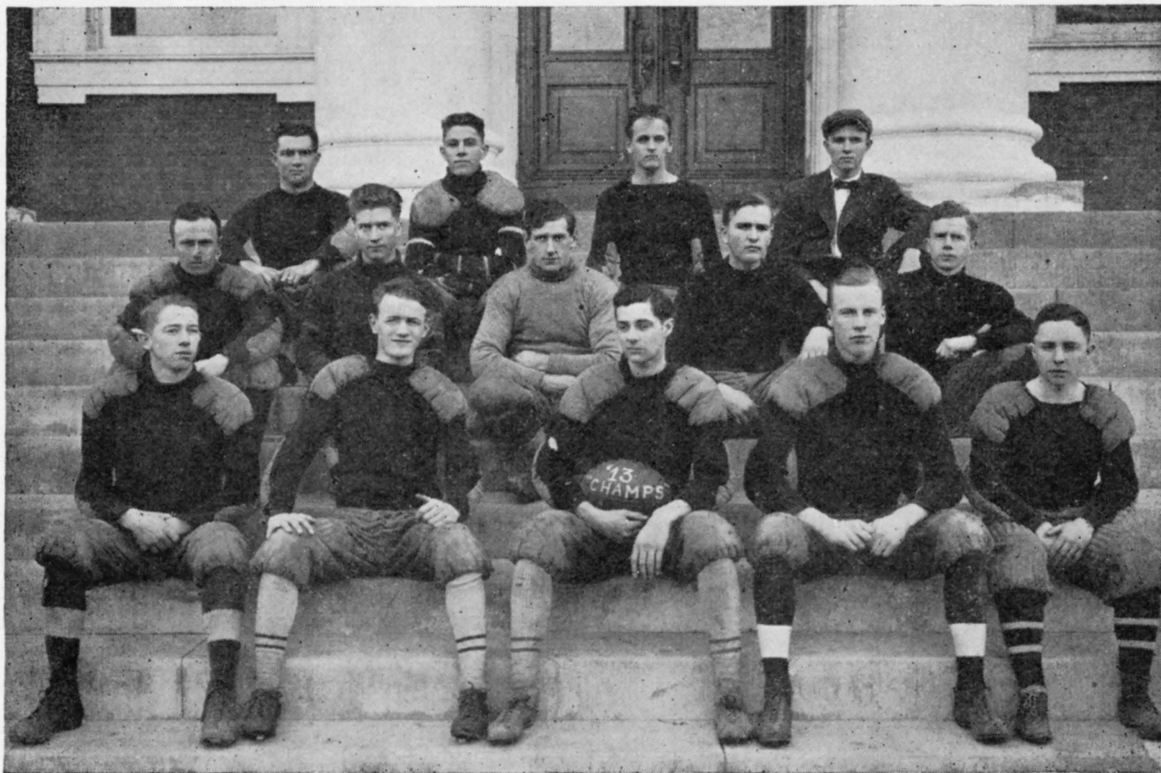
All available records, including the photographs on this page and the Alumni Register, show that 37 men returned for the reunion June 8, 9 and 10. There may have been some who were back and who did not register or missed the picture taken during the Alumni luncheon, but it's doubtful.

Special honor was paid the men of 1913 when alumni paused in their general meeting in restored Washington Chapel to have all who were present for the reunion stand up. Enthusiasm was evident in the applause that followed from other old grads.

Telegrams were received from Bob Witt of San Antonio, Texas, and S. C. Rose of West Point, Mississippi,



The Class of '13's Twenty-



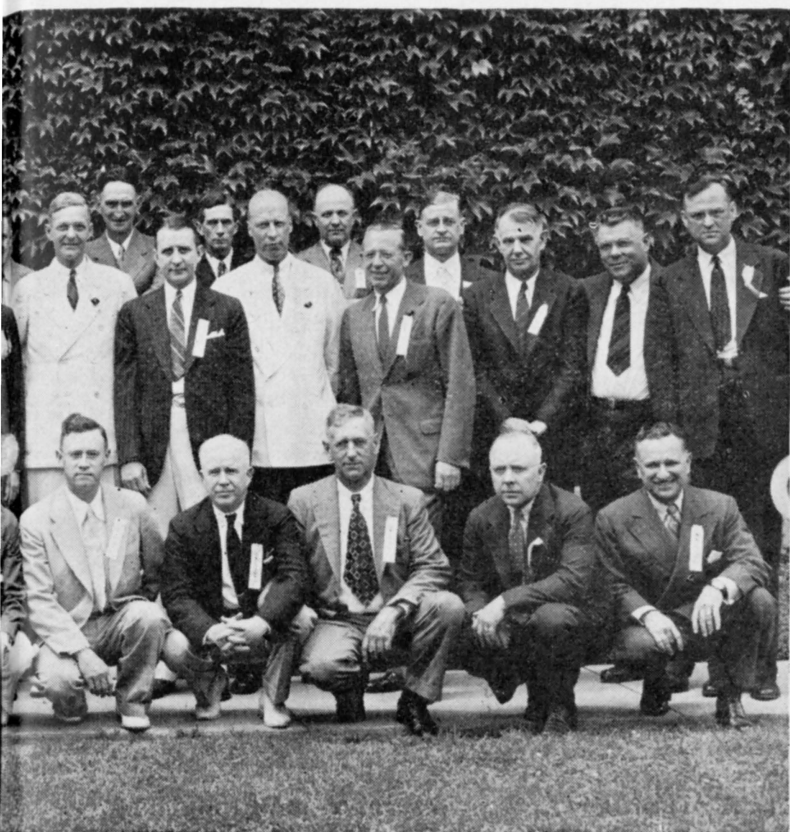
expressing regret they could not attend, and extending good wishes to those who were present.

Many who attended the reunion were at great distances; some were not able to attend who could not get back to their homes as it was a reunion in every sense of the word.

Pictured in the lower left corner of this page today—changed, but still the same—members of the team are depicted. The seats left vacant in the picture were those of those one reproduced in the left column of the magazine in 1913.

In the picture to the right is the class of 1913 who returned to the reunion. Bottom Row: P. C. B.

Shown to the left is the Class of 1913's football team. Front row: Crist, Turbyfill, Peeples (Center); Middle row: Gilleylen, Potter, Peeples; Back row: Erwin (Manager), J. The picture to the right is the twenty-fifth anniversary reunion. Seats for those who are de-



E. Yonge, Miami, Florida; Carter Glass, Jr., Lynchburg, Virginia; H. E. Potter, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Lewis Twyman, Miami, Florida; Thornton W. Allen, New York City; Dr. Herman Davidson, Chicago, Illinois; Philip P. (Pete) Gibson, Huntington, West Virginia; Doak Davidson, Warriormine, West Virginia; Dr. J. P. Richardson, Ellensburg, Washington; Wm. A. Hyman, New York, New York.

Middle Row: Harry Moran, New York City; "Bill" Rafferty, Richmond, Virginia; Jim Quillin, Coeburn, Virginia; Judge John J. D. Preston, Charleston, West Virginia; "Thom" Kirkpatrick, Lynchburg, Virginia; Ben Fiery, Cleveland, Ohio; Henry E. Peebles, Decatur, Georgia; Roger Bear, Cincinnati, Ohio; John L. Crist, Charlotte, North Carolina.

Top Row: W. M. Minter, Fincastle, Virginia; "Billy" Wright, Tappahannock, Virginia; Judge Ben Haden, Fincastle, Virginia; Ed Sheffey, Washington, D. C.; Wm. H. Womeldorf, Lexington, Virginia; Howard L. Robinson, Clarksburg, West Virginia; Ed Lee, New York City; O. D. Higginbotham, Lewisburg, West Virginia; Walter L. Tucker, Sandidges, Virginia; Dick Smith, Lexington, Virginia; Ed S. Delaplaine, Frederick, Maryland; Fred McWane, Lynchburg, Virginia; Paul D. Converse, Urbana, Illinois; Rev. Harry Coffey, Covington, Virginia.

Those members who attended but were not in picture: R. K. (Blackeye) Williams, Washington, D. C.; Herbert W. Wyant, Harrisonburg, Virginia; Eugene C. Dickerson, Roanoke, Virginia.

Fifth Anniversary Reunion

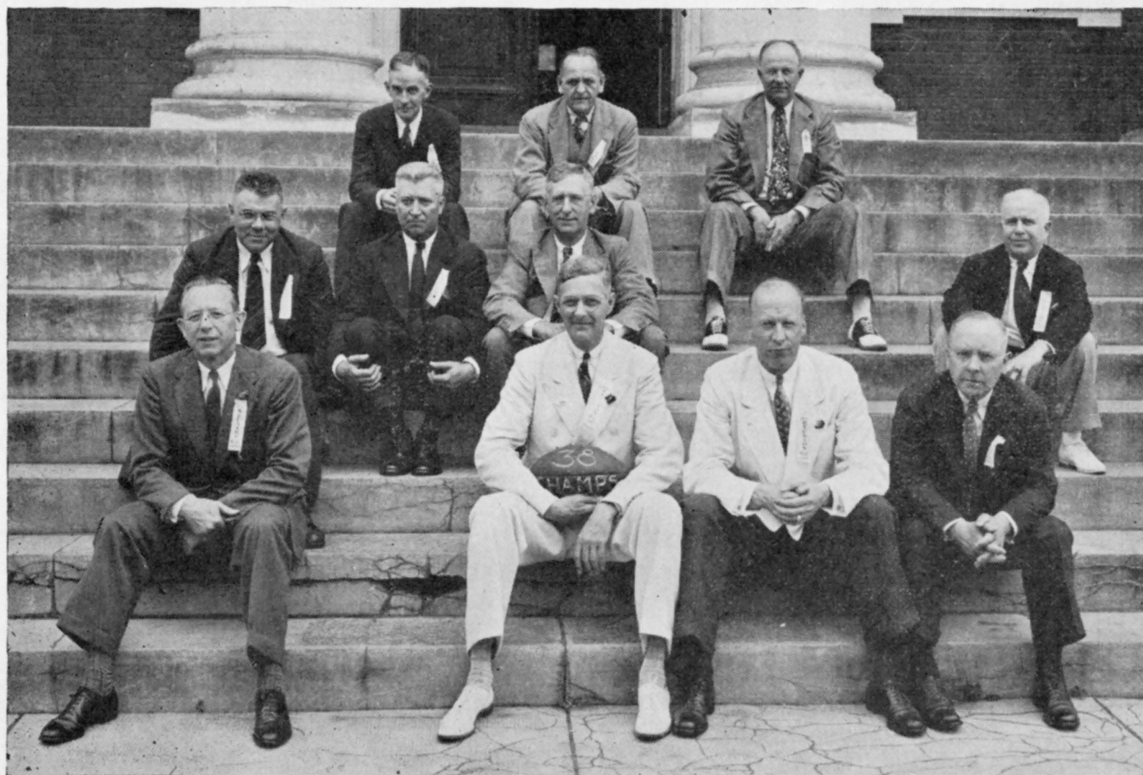
not attend the reunion and the class.

The reunion came from great far from Lexington; those were on the campus in spirit; sense of the word.

Eight corner is the class team the class team. Some members; their places have been which corresponds with the corner showing the team

top of the page, members of returned are shown as follows: Ford, Roanoke, Virginia; J.

Team of 1913. Bottom row: (tain), Bear, Richardson; mid-davidson, Elliott, Gibson; top-nick, Glass, Smith (Coach). The same team photographed at class reunion; note the vacant seated or who did not return.



Alumni Class Fund

Final Standing as of July 1, 1938

Class	Contributors	Amt.	Class Agent
***1869-91	19	\$150.00	Alumni Office
*1892	12	232.50	Hale Houston
***1893	13	67.00	B. A. Judd
1894	3	25.00	Alumni Office
***1895	4	16.00	Alumni Office
***1896	10	155.00	H. H. Larimore
1897	6	27.00	Alumni Office
**1898	13	115.00	Edw. A. O'Neal
1899	10	67.50	Rev. Jas. A. McClure, D. D.
*1900	5	30.00	J. R. Tucker
***1901	3	22.00	Clarence C. Burns
***1902	14	159.50	Dr. W. T. Ellis, Jr.
***1903	17	112.00	R. A. Ruff
**1904	9	147.00	E. W. Poindexter
***1905	6	31.50	Walter G. Riddick
1906	15	97.00	Dr. F. R. Crawford
*1907	10	44.00	W. R. J. Dunn
***1908 A	16	86.00	John N. Bierer
***1908 L	9	57.50	E. L. Beale
**1909 A	14	125.00	Dr. Deval L. Gwathmey
***1909 L	6	143.00	Judge E. C. Caffrey
*1910 A	14	125.00	Rayford W. Alley
1910 L	3	65.00	Orange W. Richardson
***1911 A	25	118.00	F. P. Guthrie
***1911 L	7	29.50	Omer T. Kaylor
***1912 A	21	150.00	Dan Owen
1912 L	5	27.00	Byron L. Ballard
***1913 A	14	80.00	Edward S. Delaplaine
***1913 L	8	42.00	Howard L. Robinson
***1914 A	17	139.50	Roger J. Bear
*1914 L	10	85.00	Samuel H. Williams
***1915 A	16	108.00	Paul C. Thomas
***1915 L	5	90.00	Arthur M. Birdsall
1916 A	7	33.00	Alumni Office
***1916 L	11	41.00	Sam P. Kohen
***1917 A	22	160.50	Marion Sanders
1917 L	7	46.00	Lafayette B. Chafin
***1918 A	14	66.00	A. S. Marx
1918 L			Alumni Office
*1919 A	11	72.50	Dr. T. Dewey Davis
***1919 L	2	10.00	Howard P. Arnst
***1920 A	30	166.00	Randolph M. Cabell
*1920 L	6	36.50	L. Berkeley Cox
***1921 A	14	91.00	John L. Patterson
***1921 L	7	35.00	John Bell
***1922 A	11	63.50	Robert Howerton
***1922 L	3	15.00	Edmund D. Campbell
1923 A	5	22.00	D. Raymond Snively
1923 L			George Holbrook
***1924 A	15	66.50	Frank C. Switzer
***1924 L	5	25.00	Randolph G. Whittle
***1925 A	18	102.00	H. Edward Rietze
***1925 L	10	70.00	George T. Clark
1926 A	4	17.00	Paul M. Schuchart
***1926 L	1	5.00	Robert O. Bentley
***1927 A	14	109.24	Kenneth A. Durham
**1927 L	4	17.50	C. Wells Little
*1928 A	8	42.00	† George F. Atwood
***1928 L	5	27.00	T. B. Bryant, Jr.
1929 A	25	112.50	Allen Morgan, Jr.

† Killed in automobile accident, June 23, 1938.

Class	Contributors	Amt.	Class Agent
***1929 L	2	10.00	Ralph M. McLane
1930 A	20	91.00	Lawrence Y. Foote
1930 L			Benjamin L. Rawlins, Jr.
***1931 A	16	70.50	Ben M. Ayars
***1931 L	5	23.00	Walter Hoffman
1932 A	17	46.50	Kemper Jennings
***1932 L	7	51.00	Martin P. Burks, III
*1933 A	15	86.00	Luther Violett, Jr.
***1933 L	4	17.00	Donald K. Crawford
***1934 A	11	73.00	Ruge DeVan, Jr.
1934 L	3	12.00	Thomas D. Anderson
1935 A	6	20.00	William Schuhle, Jr.
***1935 L	2	4.00	W. W. Brown
***1936 A	7	21.00	Fletcher Maynard
1936 L			Charles B. Cross
1937 A	10	42.00	Fielden Woodward
1937 L	6	11.00	Amos Bolen
1938-39	2	10.00	Alumni Office
1957	1	10.00	Alumni Office
Totals	752	\$5018.24	

W. and L. Men In Foreign Service

WASHINGTON AND LEE students are showing a steadily increasing interest in training for foreign trade and foreign service.

This is indicated, records of the School of Commerce and Administration show, by the number of recent graduates who have obtained employment with large exporting firms.

When these men were attending Washington and Lee, they specialized in the foreign service group of courses offered by the School of Commerce and Administration.

The foreign service group of courses offered at the University includes Ocean Trade and Transportation, Inland Transportation, International Trade, Foreign Trade Technique, International Relations, Comparative Government, American Diplomatic History, and numerous other related subjects.

Within the last twelve months five Washington and Lee graduates have entered foreign trade as a career.

Carl Arenz, of Baltimore, Maryland, who received the B. S. in Commerce degree in 1937, is now located with the Socony-Vacuum Oil Company in Java. Vincent B. Earley, of Wells, New York, who finished his work for the B. S. in Commerce degree in February of this year, is also employed by the same company in Bombay, India.

Theodore M. Plowden, of Gable, South Carolina, B. S. in Commerce, 1937, is located with the United States Rubber Export Company in New York City. Donald D. Vandling, of Ambridge, Pennsylvania, B. S. in Commerce, 1938, has secured a position with the United States Steel Products Company in New York. James K. Butler, of Murfreesboro, Tennessee, B. S., 1937, is now with W. R. Grace and Company, New York City, where he is training for work in South America.

Minutes of General Alumni Meeting

June 10, 1938

THE meeting was called to order at 2 p. m. by the president, Mr. Clarence L. Sager, who introduced Dr. Gaines for his customary speech of welcome to returning alumni.

Dr. Gaines: "This word I say may be conventional, but it is true—that this institution is extremely glad to welcome back its alumni. The Commencement may be a season of joy and sorrow; the sorrow is saying goodbye to the fine boys you saw this morning, but the joy is greeting their predecessors on this campus. Mr. Sager has suggested that it might be in order for me to also welcome you to this particular room, as we feel a peculiar thrill in this room. This unit of Washington College was built by Colonel John Jordan, and this room in its present proportions was the first chapel. . . . As you know, in General Lee's time the present chapel was built and this room was cut up into classrooms. When we remodeled and fire-proofed the buildings, we discovered on an old blueprint the design of this room and restored it as the ancient chapel. It is now used partly for classroom work and partly for an auditorium. We hope you will remember you are seated in exactly the same room your predecessors used more than a century ago. . . . I left one item out of my bulletin to you. I believe we have a more intelligent and loyal cooperation from our former sons than we have ever had before. Your own officers will tell you about the response to the alumni movement this time. Those of us who stand here are fortified by your counsel, your effort and by your presence at stated occasions on this campus."

On motion, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

Report of Secretary. Mr. Young digressed from his written report to draw attention to the Law Class of 1925, whose agent, George T. Clark, had wired just before the meeting that he had received a letter from the last man in his class from whom he had not heard, thus achieving a one hundred percent response to his class letters.

Treasurer's report. On motion, this report was adopted and filed.

President's report. Mr. Sager: "I was telling Cy of a thing that occurred here in 1914, and he asked me to repeat it to you. It impressed itself on my mind. The evening before our Commencement exercises I was in Henry Boley's store and in came a very woebegone looking man. He asked a few questions, and it turned out he was an

alumnus and he was looking for something—and not a drink. He was looking for another alumnus. The man said he had graduated fifteen years before and he had planned for a long time to come back and meet with his fellow alumni, but he hadn't found even one. After this era came Ed Caffrey as president and then came Walter McDonald, who started this grand class agent plan, and that brings us to where we are today. Merely to point out that incident of twenty-four years ago and then look at the number gathered here today is comment enough on the progress we are making. We are making progress not only in numbers but in the intelligent interest that the alumni are taking in alumni affairs and the University, and after all, that is what makes the difference. There is every reason to be very proud of what we are doing. We feel that with this report for 1938, it looks as if we can fairly count every year on hearing from 700 of our alumni. I think Cy pointed out to you that we have heard from a great many more than this. We have heard from at least 700 more who did not send contributions but who replied to the letters of their class agents. We can also count, it seems, on about \$5,000 every year to support the work of the Alumni Association, and not only that, but we hope that it may soon increase to a point where the fund may be raised for specific purposes to help the University. We hope the fund will grow so that this may be done. Having reached a point where we seem to be pretty well established, you can always look about and see ways of improving things. The thing in the minds of most alumni is that we need to look toward the ideal of reaching more alumni, having more representative means of carrying out the work we are trying to do. In other words, we must be more democratic in the way we do things. What we would like to do, and this comes from our own Board, is to be very sure that whatever we are doing does represent the views of the alumni at large and doesn't represent the views of just the members of the Board of Trustees. We will have read to you a resolution dealing with that question. We are going to have a committee to consider the question as to whether we can do anything along this line. It is just in the exploratory stages at the moment. Beyond this, I have nothing to say to you. It has been a great pleasure to me to have served for two terms as President of the Association. I appreciate the support of all those who have helped me, particularly the class agents. I want to thank you all

for the support you have given me during the past two years."

Report of Resolutions Committee by John Bell Towill.

Resolved: By the Board of Trustees of The Washington and Lee University Alumni, Inc., at its meeting held this 10th day of June, 1938.

That it be recommended to the General Meeting of the Alumni to be held this date that:

Article VI of the By-Laws of the association be amended by adding the following language:

In the event the Board of Trustees of the Association determine that a vote of the alumni is necessary or desirable at any time other than at an annual or called meeting of the association, it shall be proper to submit to the membership in general such written proposal as may be approved by such board, to be voted upon or otherwise acted upon by a mail vote of the members, to be received and ascertained within thirty days of the date of such notice to the membership; and any proposal so submitted and voted upon by mail shall be deemed adopted or determined by an affirmative vote of not less than sixty per centum of the entire mail vote so returned within such period of thirty days, provided the entire number of votes cast or received within such period be not less than one hundred. Any action so determined shall have like force and effect as if submitted and acted upon at any annual or other meeting of the association.

There was some discussion following this, Judge Caffrey apparently not being entirely in sympathy with it, but after further explanation, on motion it was carried.

Report of Nominating Committee. Mr. Hodges and Mr. Miller were the selections of the Nominating Committee for members of the Board of Trustees. Tom Glasgow placed in nomination from the floor the name of Dr. William Allan, which was seconded. Mr. Henry Peeples nominated from the floor Dr. Dick Fowlkes, which was seconded. Nominations were then closed and a vote by ballot taken. Dr. Allan and Dr. Fowlkes were elected to the board. The Nominating Committee brought in the names of Charles Glasgow and M. W. Paxton for resident members of the Athletic Council and Ran Cabell and Willis Everett for non-resident members. There were no further nominations, and these men were elected.

Presentation of Thomas Nelson Page Award by Dr. Gaines to Robert P. Hobson of Louisville. At this time Dr. Gaines also made the announcement that the Executive Committee of the University Board had authorized the finding of a room in the University as a permanent memorial to the Washington and Lee Ambulance Unit in the World War, and the collection of trophies for this

room. This had been suggested to the University Board by a resolution passed by the Alumni at its meeting a year ago.

It was moved and seconded that the secretary write George Clark a note of gratitude on behalf of the alumni for his achievement as a class agent.

Presentation of a silver dish to Mr. Sager as retiring president by the secretary.

Presentation of a silver cigarette case to Judge Caffrey for his services to the alumni in acting as its president from 1922 to 1931, by Tom Glasgow.

Mr. Glasgow also moved that Henry Boley be made an honorary member of the Washington and Lee Alumni, which was seconded and passed.

Mr. Billy Wright moved that an additional member of the Board be elected by the general alumni at the meeting, and a great deal of discussion arose as to whether this would be constitutional. The discussion showed signs of degenerating into a baiting match between the Virginia lawyers present, and Mr. Sager called for a motion that the meeting stand adjourned, which was seconded and passed.

Notes on a Few Alumni in D.C.

The Alumni Office was much interested in the following notes on alumni in the District of Columbia. It's a departure from tradition not to put them under the class notes, but here they are, anyway:

CHARLIE SUTER, 1932, vice-president of the Washington and Lee Alumni Club, is an insurance agent with offices in Union Trust Building, Washington.

CHARLES PRITCHARD, 1934, is with the Washington office of American Air Lines.

PAGE BLEDSOE and BUD HANLEY, former football captains at Washington and Lee, are graduating in law at George Washington University.

TOM EVERNGAM, 1932, is an attorney for the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

ELWOOD SEAL, 1916, is Corporation Counsel for the District of Columbia.

"BIG ISLAND" ROUNTON is the star shortstop of J. Edgar Hoover's G-man baseball team.

BILLY DAVIS, 1930, former *Ring-tum Phi* editor, is with the Washington bureau of the Associated Press.

COLLAS HARRIS, 1931, is with the National Archives.

HENRY (TIM) SAUNDERS, 1932, is in the insurance business in the Capital.

GEORGE PRICE, 1931, Lambda Chi and former editor of the *Ring-tum Phi*, works for the United States Department of Labor.

FRANK PATTON, 1934, formerly with the Justice department, is now practicing law in Leesburg, Virginia.

Alumni Secretary's 1937-38 Report

ON looking over past reports I have made on the activities of the year I have said that I want to give you as briefly as I can in fairness to the duties and responsibilities of the Alumni Office, a report of what your Association has been doing. This report will be no exception, for I feel that it would take volumes and a lot of your time to give a complete picture of a year's work in the Alumni Office. I will avoid details and will give you a few high spots of the year's work.

In any national organization such as ours, success is dependent upon the activity of its local groups. I believe I can say truthfully that our local chapters this year have been more active than ever. In looking over the past year's issues of the ALUMNI MAGAZINE I find that meetings have been held by these chapters in fifteen states. I am often asked at organization meetings or when attending an alumni meeting of a chapter which has been established for some time: "What can we do to help?" There are, of course, many things, but my stock answer is, "Send us the right kind of boy." On many occasions in recent years I have heard Dr. Gaines say that the University's problem is not to get more students, but to get more of the right kind of students. I know that an alumnus of this institution is in a better position to pass on the qualifications of a prospective student than anyone else. If you had time to digest our Student Register you would find that the largest groups of students come from localities where we have active chapters. You may not be fortunate enough to have a son of your own whom you hope to send here, but I am sure some business associate or friend has an outstanding boy and you can do your best to interest him in Washington and Lee. We are quite proud of the fine representation of Sons of Alumni now attending the University. All of you received last fall the bulletin giving this information. There are seventy-five sons of alumni now in the University. We hope to increase this number each year.

The detail work in the Alumni Office is about as reported in past years, except that it has almost doubled in volume and this is quite a problem with our present office force. I feel, however, that our records are in better shape than ever before and it is our aim to keep them as nearly up to the minute as possible. We are not infallible and some of you may get your mail at an old address, but we are not mind-readers and have no way of keeping up with you unless you give us this information. Many of you have received our tracer cards asking for information on alumni who have been lost. Most of these are re-

turned promptly and your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

The Alumni Office was as busy as usual after the opening of school in September making preparation for Homecoming. As is the case with every other activity of the Association, this big event of the year is steadily growing. I believe that Homecoming this year was one of the most successful we have ever had. The success of the event does not depend upon whether or not our football team wins or loses, but it may be noted here that our series of victories over the University of Virginia at these Homecoming games has added greatly to the happiness of the occasion.

I have not gone over the president's report with him, but I am sure he will tell you about the Alumni Fund created by the Class Agent Plan. To my mind the action of the Alumni Board of Trustees in 1933 in deciding to follow this plan to finance your Association and increase Alumni interest in the University, was the biggest step ever taken by this organization. When the plan was first presented, I, for one, was very dubious and had many misgivings as to its success. I believe now I am one of its most enthusiastic supporters. The benefits derived from it cannot be measured in dollars and cents. I do not believe that anyone could have more enthusiasm for this plan than the people who are handling it, and I believe you would have the same enthusiasm if you had an opportunity to read the many fine letters that are received by the class agents expressing devotion to the institution. The most enthusiastic letters received are the ones coming from alumni who are not in a position to contribute. We are always glad to get constructive criticism, and we get plenty of it, but there has not been a disagreeable note to date in a letter received this year.

In my travels I see so many alumni who say they think well of the Class Agent Plan but have neglected to give their class agents a reply. To these men I always say, "Whether or not you can send a contribution, you at least owe your Class Agent the courtesy of a reply to his letter."

Only we in the Alumni Office know of the detailed and enthusiastic work these Class Agents are doing for your Association and the University. They are the backbone of your organization. In my last bulletin to Class Agents each year I always thank them the best I know how, but I want to take this occasion to thank them publicly.

You will find attached to the Treasurer's Report which you have before you, a report of the standing of the va-

rious classes as of June 9. This report does not show the number of contributors and amount of contributions in past years, but I am happy to report to you that this is the best year we have had both in number of contributors and amount contributed.

In past years the months of July and August have brought us several hundred dollars from belated contributors and I have every reason to believe that when the books are closed on the Alumni Fund October 1, we will have surpassed our goal of seven hundred contributors and five thousand dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY K. YOUNG, *Alumni Secretary*

John W. Davis Is Honored

JOHN W. DAVIS, member of the University's Board of Trustees, was awarded a gold medal for distinguished service to humanity by the National Institute of Social Sciences in New York City on May 5. Mr. Davis is a former ambassador to Great Britain and a former president of the American Bar Association. The medal was one of three awarded, the other two going to Walter S. Gifford, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, and Miss Dorothy Thompson of the New York *Herald-Tribune*.

Mr. Davis was awarded the medal for his attainments in jurisprudence and in upholding the ideals of Americanism. Thomas D. Thacher, former United States district judge, in making the award at a dinner held at the Waldorf-Astoria, extolled the Washington and Lee alumnus as "pre-eminently a great barrister."

Rice's Book Is Well Received

The Man Who Insulted Somerville, a new book by Jennings Rice, class of 1922, has received considerable favorable attention from reviewers throughout the country. Rice now lives at 52 St. Mark's Place, St. George, Staten Island, New York.

Some excerpts from a few of the reviews give an idea of how well liked the book has become:

The New York *Sun* said: "For here's a crackling comedy of manners, a mystery, and a revelation of the older sort of *Main Street*, put together by the hand of an artist and written with economy and sober wit."

Marion Sturges-Jones, writing in the New York *Herald-Tribune*, said: "*The Man Who Insulted Somerville* is a long, leisurely novel, every page of which is a lasting delight."

Treasurer's Report to Alumni

Year Ending June 1, 1938

RECEIPTS

Bank Balance, June 1, 1937.....	\$2,755.85
Alumni Contributions from Class Fund	4,785.74
Magazine Subscriptions	335.00
Magazine Advertising	139.40
Refund from Class Agent.....	12.72
Refund for Class Bulletin.....	26.60
Re-deposit of Returned Check.....	10.00
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	\$8,065.31

DISBURSEMENTS

Office Supplies.....	\$ 343.99
Postage	180.36
Public Utilities.....	102.35
Bulletins	105.50
Magazine	1,364.17
Salaries	1,289.00
Alumni Luncheons and Smokers.....	455.44
Traveling Expense	253.34
Class Fund Expense.....	927.36
Camera and Supplies	137.23
Miscellaneous	146.27
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	\$5,305.01

RECAPITULATION

Receipts	\$8,065.31
Disbursements	5,305.01
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	\$2,760.30

TRIAL BALANCE

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Magazine Advertising.....		\$ 139.40
Bulletins	\$ 105.50	
Alumni Luncheons and Smokers.....	455.44	
Alumni Contributions to Class Fund		4,785.74
Alumni Fund Expense.....	914.64	
General Account (Net Worth).....		2,755.85
Magazine	1,029.17	
Miscellaneous	109.67	
Camera and Supplies.....	137.23	
Office Supplies.....	343.99	
Postage	180.36	
Public Utilities.....	102.35	
Rockbridge Bank.....	2,760.30	
Salary Account	1,289.00	
Traveling Account.....	253.34	
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	\$7,680.99	\$7,680.99

Chats With Your Friends and Mine

By CY YOUNG, *Alumni Secretary*

IN the make-up of this Magazine we place the Class Notes at the end for several reasons, chief among which is that many of the letters received from alumni state that the class notes are the most interesting part. They are all anxious to have news of their friends. Perhaps you have tried to find the class notes first, before taking a squint at this column. I am sure a lot of you pass it up entirely. If you have done this you may note that our class notes are not so numerous in this issue. We have so much material that after talking it over with our Managing Editor, Dick Carter, it was decided that in view of the many classes represented at Finals, I could give you more up-to-date information on many of our classmates. Why? Because on looking through the list of those who registered at Finals, we find that every class from 1889 to 1937 is represented. There are times during the year when your secretary is scrambling for news enough to make this column interesting. Today he is trying to keep it down to two pages.

I have before me the Alumni Register with approximately three hundred names of men who were good enough to stop by Alumni Headquarters and sign on the dotted line. Space forbids my mentioning all of these men and I am going to try to cover the whole ground although many names have been omitted, and too, some of the signatures are very illegible, caused, I am sure, by the signer either being in a hurry or emotionally upset by meeting old friends and not what you are thinking.

Before telling a little about all of our friends who are registered I would like to say that in my twenty-five years' connection with Washington and Lee, I believe this is the most successful Finals we have ever had. We had more alumni back than ever before, approximately six hundred, to say nothing of the perfect weather, the fine orchestras and the lovely ladies present. As a student I always felt that Washington and Lee men were tops when it came to picking girls, and from the ones that I had the pleasure of meeting they are still tops in picking wives.

When any of us are attending an event such as Finals, some particular thing stands out as a high-point. To me, the most important thing this Finals was the fine reunion held by the Class of 1913. Forty men, most of them with their wives, returned for their twenty-fifth reunion and

this particular gathering undoubtedly had a lot to do with the most successful Finals ever held at Washington and Lee.

At this point I want to take off my hat to our friend Pete Gibson for getting this crowd together. Elsewhere in this magazine you will find pictures of this group. I want to call your attention to the football team of twenty-five years ago. In the original picture there were fourteen. Two of them are deceased and ten of them were here. The picture was taken in the identical spot of the one of twenty-five years ago, vacant places being left for the absentees.

If I had time I would digest the Alumni Register that I have before me and tell you of the men according to their classes, but this would be quite a job and instead I am going to say a word or two about most of these men as I come to them.

The first name I see is that of M. Peele Rivers, 1933, from Louisville, Kentucky. Peele came on Saturday to see his many friends about town before the festivities started. He is now in the insurance business.

The next is Walter Wilkins, 1914, Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Walter was here with his whole family. One son finished his freshman year and another is to come several years hence.

Here is Jack McNeil, 1934, of Brooklyn, New York. Jack could have been the first to register because he came two weeks early, and is still here.

In a very bold hand I find the name of Henry Peeples, 1913, the first of the twenty-fifth reunion men to register. If I had to choose the alumnus who enjoyed himself most, Henry would be my No. 1 choice.

The name of Walter McDonald, 1910, also appears in a very bold hand. When Walter was serving as our alumni president he made several trips a year to the campus, but this was his first in two years. He also came early to visit his many friends in Lexington before the crowd began to assemble and to make a tour of our new and reconstructed buildings which he had not seen. If not a single other alumnus had returned Walter would have had a good time in Lexington because he has as many friends among the towns-people as among the alumni.

In beginning this column I intended to tell you of the



wide area from which our alumni gathered. The name of Grover Batten, 1908, recalls this. Grover came from Honolulu and he tells me it took him nine days to get here. He was here for two purposes, to see his many friends and to see his son graduate.

Speaking of distances, here is the name of Raymond Womeldorf, 1917, from Hwaiianfu, Ku, China. The war ran Ray out of China and he says it came at a good time as it gave him an opportunity to be on hand for Finals. And here is Dr. Ned Waddell, 1930, registered from Twillingate, Newfoundland. To go to the other extreme, Lewis Twyman, 1913, from Miami, Florida. R. L. Hutton, of 1908, came from Kansas City, and Rene Tallichet, 1936, registered from El Paso, Texas.

Dr. Herman P. Davidson, 1913, took advantage of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his graduation to visit his mother, who lives in Lexington. Herman is now practicing medicine in Chicago.

Benjamin A. Judd, 1893, came down from New York and spent a great deal of time around Alumni Headquarters renewing old friendships.

In an informal gathering on Thursday afternoon I listened intently to the reminiscences of a group of alumni of the early nineties; J. T. Drake, 1889, from Port Gibson, Mississippi; John W. Davis, Herbert Fitzpatrick, E. L. Green and Hale Houston, all of 1892. I am wondering if the rest of us will be as enthusiastic as these men are after being out for nearly fifty years.

Roger Bear, another thirteener, was here and I am telling you—not asking—did he have a good time?

I see George Gilleland, last year's leader of the Final Ball, registered from Daytona Beach, Florida, and following him is the name of Izzie Foreman, 1911, from Elizabeth, New Jersey.

One of our good class agents, Dr. W. T. Ellis, 1902, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, enjoyed the festivities.

Here is our usual Charleston, West Virginia, delegation: the Fitzhughs, Norman and Norman, Jr., 1898 and 1935, respectively; Dr. John Moore, 1889; and John Thomas, 1934. It is seldom that either one of the Thomas brothers misses an opportunity to return to Lexington. Bill Kell, 1923, and John Preston, 1913, two more of our Charleston, West Virginia, alumni.

Jimmie Castner, 1929, registered from East Orange, New Jersey, and Don Wallis, 1935, a past leader of the Fancy Dress Ball, still calls Stinesville, Indiana, home. Senator William A. Wright, 1913, "Billy" to you, registered from Tappahannock, Virginia. It takes a class reunion to get Billy back, but his friends say it is worth waiting a long time to see him.

Howard Robinson, 1913, was responsible for the lawyers of this fine class returning. He is one of our most enthusiastic class agents.

It seems these men of 1913 registered in groups. Here is Thornton Allen from New York, known as the man who wrote and publicized the Washington and Lee "Swing"; our good friend Purver Richardson came all the way from Ellensburg, Washington, with his two attractive young daughters to celebrate his twenty-fifth reunion. Following these are the names of William Abromovitz Hyman and G. Doak Davidson, from Warriormine, West Virginia, also of the class of 1913, and W. L. Tucker, of Sandidges, Virginia.

Stu Wurzbarger and Bill Owen, two members of the class of 1928, registered from New York City. Following these two distinguished gentlemen are the names of John McCord, 1918, and Ben Fiery, 1913, of Cleveland, Ohio. For several years Ben has acted as class agent for the class of 1913, and gave Pete Gibson a great deal of assistance in arranging for the reunion.

Here is P. D. Converse, 1913, from Urbana, Illinois, now a most respected member of the University of Illinois faculty, and Harry Moran, 1913, from New York City, who made baseball history at Washington and Lee with his left-hand pitching. John Crist, 1913, came up from Charlotte, North Carolina along with Tommy Glasgow, 1912.

Ernest Beale, 1908, from Franklin, Virginia, was here to celebrate his thirtieth anniversary since graduation. Ernest has had two sons in school, one of whom is president-elect of next year's student body.

Speaking of alumni who have or have had sons here, I see the Wilson family registered en masse: Larry W., 1910; Larry W., Jr., and Fillmore F., 1937. There will be another added to this list next year when Ben graduates. "Miss Jane" was with them.

Jimmie Caskie, 1906, always comes for the Board of Trustees meeting and remains for the festivities.

Don Boyer, 1908, from Richmond, Virginia, registered next, and then comes Joe Lykes, 1909. Elsewhere in this issue you will find that Joe is to be our Alumni President for next year. The Alumni Association and the University are to be congratulated on the choice of our new president.

John Bell Towill, 1929, from Augusta, Georgia, stopped by Orangeburg, South Carolina, and brought his good friend T. B. Bryant, 1928, with him.

Here is a member of the class of 1932, Tom Hancock, from Morocco, Indiana. Martin Burks of this same class was present, as was George Price, from Washington, D. C.

Mike Bristow and Ki Williams represented the class of 1915; and could there be any kind of a Washington and Lee gathering without the name of Harry St. George Tucker Carmichael, 1899, and Dr. Morrison Hutcheson, 1902, both members of the University Board of Trustees. Following Harry's name is that of Ran Cabell, 1920, an-

other regular, and a class agent whose class ranked No. 1 in the number of contributors this year.

William Caufield "Bill" Raftery, 1915, now registers from Richmond, Virginia. Bill had a grand time reminiscing with his many friends in the class of 1913.

I finally prevailed upon Clarence Sager, our retiring president, to register. Clarence is like the rest of us when it comes to registering.

You can always count on L. J. Boxley, 1909, and Earl Fitzpatrick, 1929, both from Roanoke, to be present. Another alumnus from Roanoke was Paul Buford, 1913, whose many friends were glad to see him.

The nearby city of Lynchburg registered the following: Peyton Winfree, 1934; Mosby Perrow, Jr., 1930; Reid Graves, 1924; Thurman Boyd, 1915; Fred McWane, 1913; Carter Glass, Jr., 1913; Powell Glass, 1907. We can also list Powell, Jr., for he graduated this year. R. C. Wood, 1921, and Bob Ramsey, 1914, were here. There were many others from the "Hill City" who did not register.

One man who had not been back in twenty-five years, and I am sure had a good time, was J. E. "Skinny" Yonge, from Miami, Florida. Skinny says he will have a son here within a few years.

George "Gee" Haw, 1904, was another of our Richmond alumni who was enjoying himself. Paul Thomas of Bluefield was present with his family. Paul, Jr., is entering the freshman class next year.

"Uncle Dan" Owen, 1912, and Ed Caffrey, 1909, had their usual good time.

It so happens that three of our very good class agents' names appear together: Ran Tucker, 1900; Ed Delaplaine, 1913; and Ran Whittle, 1924.

Any time Pete Gibson returns the old home town of Huntington, West Virginia, is well represented. This year Pete brought Selden McNeer, 1916, and Elliott Vawter, 1909, and their attractive wives.

Lack of time and space make it impossible to include all the names of these good friends of ours who have registered, and many others we had the pleasure of seeing who did not register.

I will soon be starting my annual summer trek and I hope to have the pleasure of seeing many of you on your native heath. To those of you that I do not see, I wish you a most pleasant summer, and we will get together again next October for a chat in this column. I will be out of the office most of the summer, but if your travels should bring you through Lexington, be sure and stop by and pay a visit to the Alumni Office. Someone will be there to greet you and we are always glad to have you drop in. Many of you can give us news of your classmates that will be interesting to others.

Cy Young



Pictured above is a reproduction of the original design of the seal of Washington and Lee University by Francis Davis Millet. The original was presented to Washington and Lee by the American Academy of Arts and Letters of New York at the request of Mrs. William H. Booth of Urbanna, Virginia, who is a niece of the late Mr. Millet. The design has been framed and hung in the University museum in the basement of Lee Chapel.

Marriages

LEWIS W. MARTIN, B. S. 1935, and Miss Kathryn Lee Lewis were married at the First Methodist Church in Jasper, Alabama, April 16.

EDWIN HENKEL PEWITT, A. B. 1934, and Miss Gertrude Caffrey were married at Chevy Chase, Md., April 2.

RICHARD ESTE GOOCH, A. B. 1930, and Miss Elizabeth Roderick Cole were married April 18 at the Church of the Resurrection, Richmond Hill, New York.

ROBERT BERGEN McCracken, A. B. 1930, and Miss Virginia Leonard were married April 9.

DANIEL WEISIGER LINDSAY, JR., A. B. 1930, and Miss Eugenia Macon Knox were married at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Richmond, Virginia, on April 9.

STUART SANDERS II, class of 1931, and Miss Adelina Hall were married on April 14 at the First Methodist Church in Decatur, Georgia.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN COOPER MORRISON are the parents of a son, John Cooper Morrison III, born on March 23; Morrison received his LL.B. at W-L, in 1925.

A daughter, Judith Laurel, was born March 29 to MR. AND MRS. FRED E. PALMER. Palmer received his A. B. at the University in 1931.

Local Alumni Association Notes

Baltimore

BALTIMORE ALUMNI held the last of a series of weekly luncheon meetings on May 26. Phil Seraphine, secretary of the group, reported success in the "experiment" with weekly get-togethers, and said the same scheme undoubtedly will be followed when the meetings are resumed in the fall.

Those who attended the May 26 luncheon included:

William Mellin Ballou, Herbert H. Butler, Matthew Page Andrews, F. Stanley Porter, Charles T. Smith, John Rouse, President L. Waters Milbourne, Oscar Randolph Price, Charles Sloan Funkhouser, Philip J. Seraphine, Jr., A. H. Chandler, J. Carl Fisher, James M. Marshall, Ralph Hanger, Eugene P. Martin, Gray W. Hume, Clyde Compton, William Adelson and Donald S. Levinson.

Hollywood, Florida

THE ANNUAL Washington and Lee breakfast, at the meeting of the Florida State Bar Association, was held May 7 at the Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Fla.

The following were present:

Senator Scott M. Loftin, 1899, Jacksonville; Martin Caraballo, Tampa (President, Florida State Bar Association); Dozier DeVane, 1908, Orlando; Judge Paul D. Barns, 1917, Miami; Herman F. Ulmer, 1917, Jacksonville; Horner Fisher, 1916, West Palm Beach; Russell L. Frink, 1910, Jacksonville.

Lewis Twyman, 1913, Miami; C. I. Carey, 1909, St. Petersburg; C. Edmond Worth, 1916, Tampa; Morey Dunn, 1913, West Palm Beach; G. W. Thames, 1930, Jacksonville; Russell O. Morrow, 1929, West Palm Beach; T. J. Ellis, 1923, Miami; George T. Clark, 1925, Miami.

Parkersburg

THE PARKERSBURG Alumni chapter held its annual dinner at the Elks Club the evening of April 20. Present were: James S. McCluer, 1899; Claude Light, 1906; Robert B. McDougle, 1917; Judge E. B. Pennybacker, 1918; J. D. Ankrom and James L. Feeney, all former students at the University, and Allen Overton.

E. B. Pennybacker was re-elected president of the chapter and Claude Light was elected secretary. The Alumni scholarship from the Chapter for the session of 1938 and 1939 was awarded to Allen Overton.

Danville

WITH MORE THAN 30 ALUMNI and students as a nucleus, Washington and Lee men residing in the Old Tobacco Belt of Piedmont Virginia and North Carolina organized at an informal banquet at the Danville Golf Club on June 20. This newest association is to be known as the Old Belt alumni association.

With Cy Young on hand as guest speaker to help with formation of the group, Dr. Charlie Wilson, 1924, of Danville, was elected as the first president. Senator Bill Tuck, 1921, of South Boston, Virginia, was installed as vice-president and Bill Taylor, 1927, of Danville, is the new secretary-treasurer. John Boatwright of Danville and Bill Stone, 1932, of Martinsville, Virginia, were elected executive committeemen at large.

Among the speakers in the movement to organize were Milton Herman, 1906, who held seniority from the standpoint of graduating year, Senator Tuck, Paul Sanford, 1921, Danville attorney, Lea Booth, 1940, student, and Jim Lindsey, 1939, student. Jim spoke briefly in the absence of Lindsey Moore, 1922, who, as a tackle, was one of the Generals' greatest football players of all time. Jim, a cousin, is an incumbent among the candidates for Tex Tilson's 1938 line.

Among the guests at the dinner were Charlie Wilson, who presided, Senator Bill Tuck, Billy Taylor, Jimmy Watson, 1929, Z. V. Johnson, 1932, Leroy Hodges, Jr., 1934, Marvin Walton, 1925, Preston Harper, 1925, Jimmy Perkinson, 1939, Jim Lindsey, 1939, Jitt Franklin, 1937, Ballou Bagby, 1929, Paul Sanford, 1921, Joe Friedman, 1934, Buddy Rippe, 1939, Lea Booth, 1940, R. C. Overbey, 1911, Cy Young, 1917, Hampton Benton, 1923, Charlie Wood, 1927, P. K. Miles, 1917, Charlie Williamson, 1918, Will Pierce, 1926, "Brother" Penn, 1926, Dick Penn, 1924, Dave Ragland, 1925, and Milton Herman, 1906. In addition to these, several young men who have enrolled as freshmen for the coming school session were among the invited guests.

Inclement weather gave the association a tough break at the outset and prevented many of those who had accepted the dinner engagement from attending. In full swing, the newly-formed organization should contain some sixty-odd names on its roll including alumni of Danville and many surrounding cities of Virginia and North Carolina.

Class Notes

1869

The earliest class represented in letters received from Class Agents in this year's "round of letters" comes from THOMAS H. WALLACE of Clarksville, Tennessee. Mr. Wallace attended Washington College from 1865 to 1869. He says that although he is in his ninety-first year he drives to his farm each day and directs the work there. His thoughts of the years spent at Washington and Lee and the intimate association with General Lee are among his most cherished memories. "May the boys of Washington and Lee never lower the standard of our college as they carry on through the years to come."

Another representative of this class, who wrote a nice letter, is EDMUND WILKINS WILLIAMS of 1319 West Sixth Street, Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Mr. Williams was a student 1868-1869. He was eighty-nine years old on May 20 last. He says, "I am proud to have been with General Lee."

1870

JOHN F. PONDER of 270 South Alexandria, Los Angeles, California, is a member of a later class at Washington and Lee as he was here 1866-1867, but he was born the same year as Mr. Thomas H. Wallace, and was ninety-one years old at the time he last wrote us.

1874

JUDGE WM. H. TAYLOE of Uniontown, Alabama, will celebrate his eighty-sixth birthday on August 26. Our most affectionate greetings and congratulations.

THE RIGHT REVEREND JAMES R. WINCHESTER, 1538 Estes Avenue, Rogers Park, Chicago, Illinois, writes a delightful letter full of reminiscences of his college life which we would like to print in full if space were available. He says in part: "I cannot imagine any college with a finer set of students than that enrolled at Washington College in those days. 'Honor' was the watchword, which has continued down to the present." Among Bishop Winchester's treasured possessions is a letter written by General Lee to his mother approving of his faithfulness to duty. The Rev. Dr. Samuel H. Chester and Bishop Winchester are the

two surviving members of the body guard appointed by the faculty to watch over the casket of General Lee as it lay in the Chapel.

1876

DR. WILLIAM E. DOLD, now retired and living in Charlottesville, Virginia, writes of very pleasant visits with his friend Dr. James H. Dillard, a classmate of 1876, who is living in Charlottesville, "whose infinite variety and charm has not been diminished by the lapse of years."

F. F. DOWNS is living in his native town of Temple, Texas. He was eighty-two years old on April 17, 1938. He has seven children, eleven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

1879

DR. EDWARD RANDALL is the physician for the American National Insurance Company, of Galveston, Texas.

1884

HARRISON B. SMITH of the law firm of Price, Smith and Spilman, Charleston, West Virginia, has a strong family connection with Washington and Lee. His father was graduated in the class of 1851, and Mr. Smith and four of his brothers were students here.

1886

ROBERT LEE HUNTER writes from St. Louis, Missouri. His youngest son, Joseph Hunter IV, was a sophomore in the University last year. He has the honor of being the oldest member of the St. Louis Alumni Association of about sixty-five members. He says: "Our men here rank among the highest standing individuals in this territory and I am proud of every one of them."

1888

GREENLEE D. LETCHER is an attorney-at-law in Lexington, Virginia. Mr. Letcher is a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute as well as an LL.B. of Washington and Lee University, and is equally interested and enthusiastic in his allegiance to the two institutions.



JUDGE HENRY W. HOLT is Judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. His home is in Staunton, Virginia.

1889

J. T. DRAKE is a lawyer of Port Gibson, Mississippi. His son, J. T. Drake, Jr., was graduated this year as an LL.B. of Washington and Lee.

1890

F. M. HUDSON says if we had asked him to write about his five grandchildren it could have been easily done, he would have turned the matter over to his wife who would have made a thorough job of it. He says his biggest success in life has been in catching a wife and helping her to bring up their two daughters and a son, who, including the in-laws, he is ready to back against the field. Mr. Hudson is a member of the law firm of Hudson & Cason of Miami, Florida.

DOUGLAS S. ANDERSON writes: "Approaching the half century mark since my graduation from Washington and Lee, I find one of my most pleasant experiences in life is keeping in touch with Alma Mater. When I graduated in 1890 I came immediately to New Orleans to take graduate work at Tulane University. Almost one of the first social functions I attended there was a reunion and annual dinner of the Washington and Lee Alumni; that function stands out as one of the red letter days of my life. With such men as the elder Wisdoms, William Prichard, the Bartlettes, James H. Dillard, Walter Hoffman, Brown Ayars and many other present, I caught there, I think, something of the inspiration that goes into the make-up of the spirit of Washington and Lee alumni. And so I have always tried to do my part." Mr. Anderson has recently retired as Dean and Acting President of Tulane and is living at Mandeville, Louisiana.

GEORGE W. ST. CLAIR, honored Rector of the Board of Trustees of Washington and Lee, is president of the Jewell Ridge Coal Company, Tazewell, Virginia.

A. K. BOWLES is General Auditor of the Consolidated Coal Company, Inc., 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York. His residence is at 373 William Street, East Orange, New Jersey.

1893

B. A. JUDD is practicing law at 25 Broad Street, New York City.

HARRY PRATT is teaching in the Columbia Bible College, Columbia, S. C.

A. K. BOWLES is with the Consolidated Coal Company, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York.

H. A. ALBRIGHT is secretary-treasurer of Robertson & Company, Inc., wholesale grocers, of Columbus, Miss. He is enthusiastic and cooperative about everything pertaining to Washington and Lee.

1894

JIM BULLITT is professor of pathology at the University of North Carolina. He has a son and daughter, both married, the son living in Philadelphia and the daughter in Wake Forest, N. C.

1896

STEVE TIMBERLAKE is a member of the firm of Timberlake & Nelson. His partner is R. E. R. Nelson, 1888.

DR. PAUL S. MERTINS is in partnership with his son, Paul S. Mertins, Jr., B. A., 1929, in the practice of medicine, Montgomery, Ala.

1897

EDWARD S. ZOLLMAN has lived in Tacoma, Wash., for thirty-two years. He has a family of four boys and one girl, sixteen years old. Mr. Zollman has followed music since his college days, teaching organ and piano; also church organist.

1898

J. SAM SLICER is in business in Atlanta, Georgia. His address is 342 West Peachtree Street, N. W.

ALBAN G. SNYDER is in the government service in Washington, D. C. His address is 42 Taylor Street, Chevy Chase, Maryland.

C. W. F. SPENCER is practicing law in Rock Hill, South Carolina. His firm is Spencer and Spencer, with offices at 314-17 Peoples National Bank Building.

ROBERT H. TURNER is assistant pardon attorney for the Department of Justice in Washington. His address is 3372 Stuyvesant Place.

COL. WARREN W. WHITSIDE, U. S. A., has charge of the Army Remount Station at Front Royal, Virginia. Last year Col. Whitside was awarded the degree at Washington and Lee which he would have had in 1898 if he hadn't joined the army for active service two months before he was due to graduate.

NORMAN S. FITZHUGH is a Certified Public Accountant, practicing in Charleston, West Virginia. His address is 508 Kanawha Bank and Trust Building.

OSCAR HUFFMAN, recently elected member of the Board of Trustees of Washington and Lee, is president of the Continental Can Company, with offices in New York City.

E. WARING WILSON is a well known attorney in Philadelphia, and is active in the Philadelphia Alumni Chapter. His address is 1419 Land Title Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1899

JOHN RANDOLPH TUCKER, A. B., 1900, LL. B., 1902, has been appointed General Counsel of the Virginia Trust Company, Richmond, Virginia.

JAMES L. MORRISON lives in Hazard, Kentucky.

EZRA F. RIPPY lives in Lawrenceburg, Kentucky.

EDWIN D. SLOAN has been chief engineer of PWA in Mississippi. He lives in Jackson, Mississippi.

1902

JOHN POWELL ROYAL is practicing law in Tazewell, Virginia. He has a wife and nine children, five boys and four girls. He went to the lower house of the legislature in 1904 and 1906, and to the senate for two terms, 1912 to 1920, then he was elected commonwealth's attorney of Tazewell County.

VOLNEY M. BROWN is a member of the law firm of Brown & Brooke, El Paso National Bank Building, El Paso, Texas.

1904

WILBUR E. McCLENNY holds a responsible position with West & Withers, insurance firm. He is a member of the Virginia Historical Society, and associate member of the American Historical Society.

R. A. LAPSLEY, JR., is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Roanoke, Va., which position he has held for the past six years.

H. B. CONNER lives at 3648 North Boulevard, Baton Rouge, La. He tells an interesting story of the way he lived while a student at Washington and Lee, as compared with the luxury of student life today—At his first boarding house he and his roommate slept together on a shuck mattress resting on wooden slats; there were no springs of any kind. Later he moved to a home four miles out of town where he was furnished with room and board at \$8 a month. His laundry bill was 50c a month. In winter the leaks from the mill race formed icicles larger than a man's body—"But Oh, Boy! that bountiful supply of rich milk, those delicious pies, jellies, fruits, and salt-rising bread were worth walking four miles twice a day through mud ankle deep . . ."

1906

GEORGE (RED) CAPERTON, representative of the New River Coal Company, is making his headquarters in Lexington.

MILTON HERMAN lives at Forrest Hills, Danville, Va.

A. W. RUTAN is an attorney with Rutan, Mize & Kroese, First National Bank Building, Santa Ana, Calif.

ED LEA DAVIS is a member of the Rose-Davis Realty Company, 707 George Avenue, Chattanooga, Tenn.

R. B. SPINDLE is judge of the Corporation Court, Norfolk, Virginia.

1907

VINT MILES is a member of the Social Security Board, Washington, D. C. He was the guest speaker at a University assembly early in the spring.

POWELL GLASS is still connected with the Lynchburg *News* and *Daily Advance*. His son graduated from the University this year.

1908

W. H. JACKSON is a member of the firm of McKay, Macfarlane, Jackson and Ramsey, Citrus Exchange Building, Tampa, Florida.

GEORGE CARY is a lawyer in Gloucester, Va.

ALONZO McMULLEN is a member of the law firm of McMullen & Draper, with offices in the First National Bank Building, Tampa, Fla.

1909

J. PRESTON IRWIN has been with Arthur G. McKee & Company, engineers and contractors, Cleveland, Ohio, for the past twenty years, and reports they are busier than they have ever been. They are building two of the largest new blast furnaces in this country and have a contract for two in England.

1910

GEORGE W. ALLISON, 689 Clove Road, Staten Island, New York, is now Commissioner of Public Works for the Borough of Richmond of the City of New York.

HUGH HAWTHORNE has his offices at No. One Broadway, New York. He is general secretary and counsel for the Pocahontas Fuel Company, Inc.

ORANGE RICHARDSON is vice-president of the Duquesne Lumber Company, Columbia Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.



JOHN H. TUCKER, JR., is a member of the law firm of Tucker & Mason, with offices in the Commercial National Bank Building, Shreveport, La. He is one of our most interested and cooperative alumni.

JAMES N. CARSON is practicing law in Miami, Fla. His offices are in the Congress Building.

1912

BOB DOW is located in Amarillo, Texas, serving as regional attorney for the Resettlement Administration of the Department of Agriculture. He has held many important positions; 1915-1917, member of New Mexico State Legislature; 1917-1921, prosecuting attorney, Fifth Judicial District (six months), State of New Mexico; 1926, Assistant Attorney General of New Mexico; 1927-1928, Attorney General of New Mexico. The Democratic State Convention for the year 1928 gave him the nomination of Democratic nominee for governor, but in the year of the Hoover landslide, all Democrats in office were defeated. During a portion of 1935-1936 he served as chairman of the Regional Compliance Counsel for the National Recovery Administration of Washington, D. C.

LAWRENCE CROWGEY is principal of the Pocahontas High School, Pocahontas, Va.

1913

HENRY B. GOODLOE is practicing law in Crozet, Va. He retained his commission in the Reserve Corps and is now a Lieutenant-Colonel of infantry and vice-president of the Third Corps Area Reserve Officers Association and past president of the Department of Virginia Reserve Officers Association. He married Mary Elizabeth Carter of Columbus, Ohio, and they have a daughter who was thirteen years old last August. He says he is a Republican in a Democratic community; is chairman of the Republican County Committee, and his office associate, Raymond L. Jackson, is chairman of the Democratic County Committee.

With the approval of PRESIDENT CARTER GLASS, JR., 1913, of the American Philatelic Society, and under the direction of the Arrangements Committee at New Orleans for the 53rd annual convention of the A. P. S., which met in that city October 10-14 last year, a poster stamp giving publicity to the philatelic event in "The Deep South," was issued. The stamp was designed by John D. Stanard, also an alumnus of Washington and Lee of the class of 1929.

1914

BEN D. SMITH is a member of the law firm of Ben V. Smith & Son, First National Bank Building, Somerset,

Ky. Most of his practice is in civil cases. He expects to send his daughter to a Virginia school this fall.

WILLIAM H. NEBLETT is a member of the law firm of McAdoo, Neblett and Warner, Bank of Italy Building, Los Angeles, Calif.

1915

MADISON P. COE lives at 1735 New Hampshire Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

JAMES E. BEAR is head of the department of New Testament, Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia.

C. W. SWITZER lives at 223 Ridge Road, Douglaston, Long Island, New York.

ROBERT P. ADAMS is a member of the law firm of Taylor, Adams and Freeman, Trenton, Tennessee.

CHARLIE LILE lives at 1210 S. Negley Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

WILL H. SMITH lives in Ardmore, Oklahoma.

1916

EDMUND MAGERS is senior examiner in the department of audits, Atlanta, Ga.

ROBERT A. WELLONS is an attorney-at-law, 807-809 Law Building, Charlotte, N. C.

BYRUM P. GOAD is practicing law in Hillsville, Va.

BOB CURTIS is treasurer of the Times-World Corporation, publishers of the *Roanoke Times* and *The Roanoke World-News*, Roanoke, Virginia.

1917

M. D. WILLIAMSON buys and sells foreign and domestic veneers. His home address is 4510 Roland Avenue, Baltimore, Md.

EMORY P. BARROW is practicing law in Lawrenceville, Va. He has served for the past two years in the lower house of the general assembly of Virginia, and has enjoyed very much his association with men from all sections of the state, many of whom are Washington and Lee alumni.

1918

JOHN McCHORD is a member of the law firm of Calfee and Fogg, with offices in the Euclid Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

FULTON HOGE is a member of the firm of Williamson, Hoge and Sargent, attorneys at law, Title Insurance Building, Los Angeles, Calif. He was married recently.

1919

DR. REID WHITE, JR., is a busy and successful physician in Lexington, Va. He is married and has a small son and daughter.

1920

JOHN M. HART is with the Lawyers Co-Operative Publishing Company of Rochester, N. Y. After leaving Washington and Lee as a graduate lawyer, he taught chemistry at Rugby Academy in New Orleans, and math and chemistry in Virginia high schools for six years. He became a law writer and for almost eleven years has written annotations of American Law Reports, most of the criminal law titles for Ohio Jurisprudence, and is at present engaged in writing the criminal law titles for American Jurisprudence. Has also worked on some special publications such as the eleventh edition of *Wharton's Criminal Evidence*. He married the girl at Spottswood, Virginia, and they have two children, a girl twelve and a boy eight.

JOE T. ENGLEBY, JR., is still pursuing that "most elusive legal profession." His offices are in the Shenandoah Life Building, Roanoke, Virginia, where he is surrounded by Washington and Lee men, but none of them "fortunate enough" to belong to the class of 1920. He is married and has two boys, six and eight, respectively.

B. A. DAVIS, JR., is a member of the law firm of Davis, Davis & Davis, Rocky Mount, Va.

1921

HOWARD GIBBONS is business manager of the State Teachers College, Harrisonburg, Va. He is married; has three boys and a baby girl.

J. L. SHAVER is practicing law in Wynne, Ark. He is married and has two children. Has been state senator for the past eight years.

1923

J. G. RAGSDALE is judge of the Municipal Court, El Dorado, Ark. He married Miss Dimple Hill of Lexington and they have two sons, one nine and one twelve. He served as city attorney and probate judge of Union County for four years; city attorney for the city of El Dorado four years.

1924

M. P. MATHENEY is practicing law in El Dorado, Ark. He is married and has two sons, Jimmy, 10, and Pierce, Jr., 6. Has just moved into his new home at 700 North Madison Street.

CHARLIE COHEN is practicing law at 270 Broadway, New York.

1926

JAMES N. WILLIAMS is with the Bureau of Mental Hygiene, Department of Public Welfare, Richmond, Va.

PAUL M. SCHUCHART is working with the Pennsylvania Society for Crippled Children, in Harrisburg, Pa.

1927

BURKE WILLIAMSON graduated from Northwestern University Law School in 1930 and since that time has been practicing law in Chicago. For the past three years he has been a member of the firm of Adams, Nelson and Williamson. His brother, Jack A. Williamson, Washington and Lee, 1930, after a term in the Louisiana State Legislature, is now associated with the same firm.

EARLE L. VALENTINE is president of the Lexington, Virginia, Rotary Club. During the past few months he has been busy re-organizing the Lexington-Rockbridge Chamber of Commerce, of which he was elected president last April. He is practicing law in Lexington, Virginia.

1928

JOE CLOWER is minister of the First Presbyterian Church, Virginia Beach, Va. He has a son, Joseph B. Clower, III, born June 20, 1937.

J. LOVEJOY COMEGYS is in the insurance and automobile loan business in McKinney, Texas.

1929

IRWIN T. SANDERS returned to Bulgaria in September, 1934, to act as dean of boys in the American College of Sofia. In May he was planning to return to the United States with his wife to enter Cornell University, working toward a doctorate in rural sociology. Since there were few in Bulgaria who had any training in rural sociology, he has made some contributions along this line, including magazine articles.

PAUL MERTINS, JR., has finished his internship in the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Hospital, Boston, and has returned to his home town, Montgomery, Ala., to practice.

ASA JANNEY is living in Lincoln, Va., which he designates as "the garden spot of the world."

PEYTON BUSH is in the bond department of the First National Bank, Mobile, Ala. Not married.



RICHARD P. CARTER, after a year and a half with the Associated Press in New York, returned to Washington and Lee last September as director of publicity and member of the journalism faculty of the University.

1930

JOE BROADUS is working for the Chase National Bank, 18 Pine Street, New York.

WALTER PRESTON BATTLE, JR., is assistant district attorney general, Memphis, Tenn.

FRANK SHIPMAN is a member of the law firm of Shipman and Shipman, Peoples Building and Savings Building, Troy, Ohio. He is married and has two children, a boy and a girl.

BEN RAWLINGS is practicing law in Chicago with the firm of Knapp, Beye, Allen & Cushing, 208 South La-Salle Street. Has been going to school again for a course of lectures on labor law.

BILL WARD is a member of the law firm of Woodruff & Ward, Healey Building, Atlanta, Ga.

LEONARD DAVIS is a member of the law firm of White, Guy & Davis, Citizens Bank Building, Norfolk, Va.

1931

JACK MYROSE is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Dalhart, Texas.

EDGAR M. CHURCH is at 1206 Commerce Title Building, Memphis, Tenn.

ADDISON WHITT is in the insurance business in Winchester, Ky.

1932

JOHN HILL MORGAN, an honorary member of the Law Class of 1932, having been awarded a degree in that year, has given up the active practice of law in New York. He retired from his firm and became its counsel. He says: "I haven't any word to pass on to my classmates, except as each one comes to the time when some happening will require leaving his busy life and take up life in some other form, that the cultivation of some hobby will make this change happy. It does not make much difference what the hobby is—fishing, golfing, the collection of rare books, but cultivate some activity outside of a profession or business. I fish, play bridge . . . read and write books which few people read, but it is the interest that I have in the art of the American colonies which now gives me something which will keep me busy, and therefore, happy. Good Luck!" His new address is Mill Streams, Farmington, Conn.

1936

H. O. DANIELSON is with the Blake & Johnson Company of Waterville, Conn., manufacturers of machine screws, nuts, bolts and special articles fabricated from wire.

GEORGE W. HARRISON is employed by the A. T. Barnes Funeral Home, Inc. He says it sounds like a dead business but is not as bad as one would think.

In Memoriam

DR. EDGAR F. SHANNON, 63, head of the Washington and Lee English department since 1914 and a nationally known authority on Chaucer, died suddenly May 2 of a heart attack at his home on the campus.

Dr. Shannon before coming to Washington and Lee was professor of Ancient Languages and English and dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at the University of Arkansas. He was a native of Bourbon County, Kentucky. Funeral services were held from the home on May 3 and interment was in the Lexington cemetery.

DR. ARTHUR H. THROCKMORTON, LL. B. 1900, died May 21 in Cleveland. He was the author of a number of texts on law and of encyclopedia and periodical articles. He taught at Central University (now Centre College), Indiana University, and Western Reserve University at Cleveland.

Word has just been received at the Alumni Office of the death of WILLIAM G. ROBERTSON, A. B. 1931, at Warren, Pennsylvania, on December 27, 1937.

J. RODD MOFFETT, B. S. 1929, was killed in an airplane crash near Cleveland, May 24. He was Far Eastern representative of Armstrong Cork Company for some time.

THOMAS JEFFERSON PARKER, class of 1884, died April 5 in Lake Wales, Florida.

HARRY N. HUSE, A. B. 1903, well known member of the freight traffic department of the Norfolk and Western Railway, died November 28 of last year, the Alumni Office has just been informed.

GEORGE F. ATWOOD, class agent for the class of 1928, was killed June 23 when his automobile left the road and plunged down an embankment as he was returning from an alumni meeting at the Bogey Golf Club, St. Louis. Atwood was head of the loans and discounts department of the Mutual Bank and Trust Company.

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