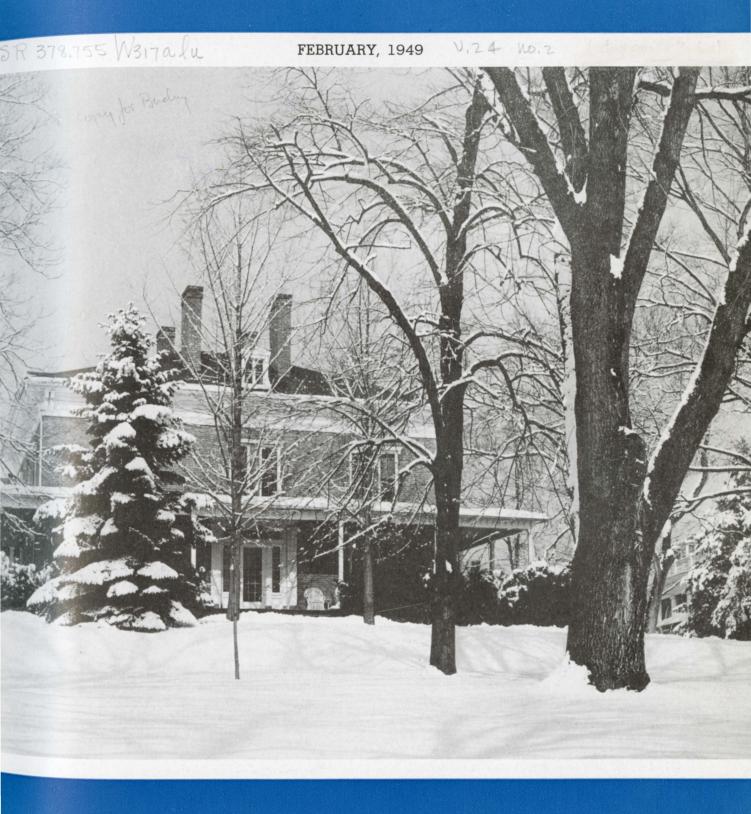
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The President's Page

On Valentine's eve, when I write these notes, we seem to be midway between two high spots of this memorable year, December 31 when the first phase of our Bicentennial Campaign closed and April when the culminating cycle of Bicentennial celebrations begins. Of many topics I should fervently wish to present, I choose only two or three.

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The dominant emotion in my heart is gratitude, a humble gratitude with rich corollaries of inspiration and dedication, for all who made possible the achievement of that first phase of the Bicentennial Campaign. Dr. Desha's report, printed elsewhere in this issue, gives interesting details of the response from donors which enabled us to claim the generous participating sum proposed by the General Education Board.

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My thanks, stirring within my heart as representative of a great institution and as an individual who loves it devotedly, are everlasting to all who made possible that result—to the contributors, nearly four thousand of them, to the committees who assumed the burden in a hundred communities, to all friends who spoke an influential word in our behalf, to the class-agents who gave their energies of the past year to emphasizing the opportunity.

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Speaking of class-agents reminds me of this fact; I hope all alumni understand the program for the current year. The Bicentennial goal has not, of course, been fully attained. The class-agent plan will be resumed but with this important provision, that alumni who wish to make further or new contribution to the permanent assets (the Bicentennial Fund) may do so through the class-agent plan. May many alumni add to the substantial donations of last year!

It would be easy and it would be engaging for me to write this whole sketch upon the service of those permanent funds. For example, the generosity of our friends has guaranteed for us that approximately 100 fine boys can attend the University every year from this time forever without paying tuition fees; this happy consequence follows the building up of scholarship funds, and this consequence is the first factor we considered in raising tuition, an inevitable step in the period of sky-rocketing cost.

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But the enlargement of permanent funds means more, I suspect, than any one of us can now understand. The security of the independent institution of higher learning now promises to be one of our major safeguards of freedom. In a society that seems to move with terrible constancy in the direction of collectivism, with agencies and institutions and organizations clamoring for governmental sustaining and thereby surrendering at least in posse control to government authorities, the independent institution for training leadership, devoted to public welfare but free of political domination, may prove one of the final citadels of the liberty Americans must always cherish. The point would stand vast elaboration here, but I think its pertinence is self-evident to all thoughtful friends of higher education.

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Returning to the local program, I repeat our warm invitation to all alumni to return for the great alumni reunion, June 16-18. Mr. Young has delighted me by telling me that paid reservations have come in already for about 400 people. This occasion promises to bring to the campus the greatest group of alumni that ever assembled in Lexington. With every sincerity of the heart, we plead that all alumni who can possibly arrange the trip should be with us at that time.

Francia P. Farner

Reunion in Lexington

You will see more of your friends than ever before

Circle these dates on your calendar: June 16, 17 and 18.

They are the dates of the National Bicentennial Celebration and Alumni Reunion. They are the days when Washington and Lee will welcome more of her returning sons than have ever gathered on the campus at one time in the

200-year history of the institution.

A program you will enjoy is being arranged with the collaboration of an Alumni Advisory Committee. But considerably more important than any program is the dead certainty that, no matter what class you belong to, you will see more of your classmates here at that time than you ever have since you were a student or may ever see again. An advance survey indicates that at least a thousand alumni are already planning to attend; this is the year when every class can hold a reunion, and the program—at the demand of the Advisory Committee—is leaving you plenty of opportunity to foregather with your classmates and friends.

Now for the details:

Registration will be held in a big tent that is going to be set up in front of Doremus Gymnasium. There you will sign in, and there the committee will assign you to your quarters, and tell you where you can get in touch with your classmates. Every class will have a headquarters somewhere on the campus.

Thursday night at 8 o'clock there will be an informal gettogether for those who have arrived; music will be provided, registration will continue, and you can look over the crowd and see who's here. This is when your wife is bound to run across somebody she knew at Sweet Briar, St. Agatha's, or Stonewall Jackson High School.

Registration will start again at 7 a.m. Friday morning and will continue until 10.

There will be a religious service in Lee Chapel at 10:30 a.m.—thanksgiving for the work that Washington and Lee has been permitted to do for two centuries, prayer that she may keep true to her ideals in the Third Century.

At 11 a.m. there will be a general alumni meeting in the Gymnasium to get through the business of the Alumni Association, elect officers, and plan the program for the coming year. Business will be over at 12 noon and the fun begins.

Then we will inaugurate something that is new to W. and L. reunions—a "parade" (W. and L.—not V.M.I.—style) past a "reviewing stand" to the Memorial Gateway. Each class, marshalled by its chairman, will march in a body, and you'll have a chance to see who got here fustest with the mostest.

At the gateway there will be an old-fashioned barbecue pit. Your class will assemble around its banner, and you will eat in the shade of the trees on the lower campus. Alumni and wives will be the guests of the University at this meal, and it will be the only one where everybody will eat together. That's because we're going to have so many people back that there's no one eating place in Lexington that will accommodate all of them.

Your other meals, incidentally, will be taken with your classmates and their wives. We can't tell you which group will eat where until the advance registration is over, and we get an idea of just how many there will be in each group.



Finals, 1948

Some groups will eat in the dining hall, some in several fraternity houses that will be kept open, and others in various Lexington eating places. That's the way the alumni poll indicated it should be.

At 5 that afternoon there will be a tea at the home of President and Mrs. Gaines, to which all returning alumni and their wives are invited.

Then, at 9 p.m. there will be a dance at the gymnasium. This will be the Alumni Ball, but it will not be just a side-show of the Final Dance Set. Finals and commencement will be over. The entire reason for having the Reunion late this year is because if school were still in session we wouldn't have room in Lexington for everyone who is planning to come. This Alumni Ball will be informal, so you don't have to bother about packing your tux. Tell your wife she won't need an evening dress, but she will probably want an afternoon formal for that tea at the President's home.

The dance will go on until 1 a.m., but you can sleep late Saturday morning.

The Convocation which marks the National Celebration of Washington and Lee's 200th anniversary starts at 11 o'clock sharp Saturday. There will be a speaker of national prominence (maybe The President), the 200th session of Washington and Lee will officially close, and the University will be embarked on its Third Century.

After that we're leaving you on your own. You can get together with your fraternity brothers, or the Kentucky Club you used to belong to can stage its first get-together in "too many years." Here's a chance for the Sigmas to join forces, or the ex-editors of The Ring-tum Phi, or the Southern Conference championship teams, or the old-timers from the Albert Sidney and Harry Lee boat clubs, or the law alumni, or the Gauley Bridge Hunt Club.

That afternoon those of you who wish to can taper off with a quiet expedition to Goshen Pass or Cave Mountain Lake,

or play golf, or drop by to settle that unpaid bill with your old landlady, or run down to Natural Bridge, or climb House Mountain, if you think you're still young. Our part of the show is definitely over, but we'd like to have you stay around

and frolic freely.

Now, if you'll glance back over that schedule, you'll notice that we've left you plenty of time to develop your own recreation, to visit friends in the vicinity or to chat with your old friends-Thursday evening, from two to five and from six to nine Friday, and after the convocation on Saturday. If the ladies want to stage a bridge tournament, we'll provide the tables in the Student Union, if somebody wants to organize a ball game between classes, Cap'n Dick Smith will scare up some equipment, and all of Wilson Field and the Alumni Intramural Field are at your disposal. You may want to use the rowing shells for a crew race on the James.

Here's some important information about accommoda-

Information about accommodations was sent out January 20 with reply cards and envelopes (if you didn't get one, write Cy Young immediately), and reservations will be made in order of the receipt of these cards.

This is the general plan of accommodations:

Older alumni and their wives will be housed in Lexington and Natural Bridge hotels, which have already been reserved by the University. No hotels are booking accommodations direct, since we have contracted for all the rooms available during the three-day reunion.

The younger alumni will be accommodated in the remodelled dormitories (if you're thinking of Lees Dorm as it looked when you bade it goodbye in 1937, you're in for a pleasant surprise) and in some of the fraternity houses.

The best quarters will be reserved for those alumni who are bringing their wives, but the accommodations are being arranged so that you will room and eat in the same building with the fellows you were in school with. There is a place on the card for you to indicate your class preference in case you are one of those whose stay here was interrupted by a war, or if for some other reasons you are better acquainted with the members of another class.

A number of the fraternities are being kept open to provide meals, and you can eat with your classmates either there or at some other eating place in Lexington. House mothers will remain in town to welcome you, and you will be invited to use the lounge and facilities (ice cubes and mint included) of the house to which you are assigned.

If you want to assure yourself of the best possible ac-

commodations, be sure to get your card in by the deadline-March 15. And don't forget to enclose the reservation fee of \$5 per person. This will be returned to you May 15 if something occurs before that time to keep you from coming. Otherwise, the fee will go toward paying for your room.

The rates at the hotel will be the ones they usually charge for the room you occupy. Rates in the dormitories and fraternities will be slightly lower. The only other charges you

will have to pay will be the cost of your meals.

The University is appropriating a sum to cover the barbecue, the dance and all the other expenses in connection with your entertainment.

The cost of keeping the dormitory and fraternity houses open for an extra week will be pro-rated, and a flat per person charge will be made for your stay.

If you wait until after March 15 to send in your reservation card, we don't guarantee that we can provide you with

quarters, but we'll still try our best.

If you have been in the habit of staying at the home of friends in Lexington or near-by, make your own arrangements. However, we suggest that you write immediately to arrange for this, since we know that accommodations will be at a premium, and you will do better to allow yourself time to book a room through the Reunion Committee in case friends can't accommodate you.

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Bicentennial Academic Convocation

The academic exercises which mark the Bicentennial of Washington and Lee University will be held in Lee Chapel on Washington-Cincinnati Day-April 12-before a gathering of prominent American educators.

President Harold W. Dodds of Princeton University, the institution from which Washington and Lee inherited its philosophy of independence and individualism and the core of its liberal arts curriculum, will make the principal address.

His audience will be the presidents of the colleges in the Southern University Conference, presidents and faculty representatives of other institutions of higher learning and foundations, eminent American scholars, and representatives of the students and alumni of Washington and Lee.

About two hundred other institutions will send delegates to the celebration. The invitations are being limited to those colleges with a historical organization, geographical or functional relation to Washington and Lee.

"We profoundly regret that the limited capacity of Lee Chapel-and a ceremony of this importance could not be held elsewhere-does not permit us to invite delegates from many other institutions for which we have high respect." Dr. Gaines said.



President Harold W. Dodds

He explained that the academic ceremonies will not be open to the public, for that reason and also because of the lack of accommodations in Lexington for out-of-town guests while the student bodies of W. and L. and V.M.I. are in residence.

"We feel that these ceremonies, while they have the greatest significance to us as one of the oldest academic groups in the nation, will not be of sufficient interest to alumni to warrant a trip to Lexington just two months before the National Celebration and Bicentennial Reunion in their honor, which

will draw the largest crowd ever to gather on the campus."

The committee of National Sponsors of the Bicentennial, the board of trustees and the faculty of the University will be present. The alumni will be represented by the president and board of trustees of Alumni, Incorporated, and the students by the president of the Student Body and a delegation of undergraduates. The remaining students and others interested may hear the address and exercises by public address system.

After the academic procession into the Chapel, the ceremonies will begin with a recognition of the delegates of other institutions. Then honorary degrees will be awarded to men of letters who have attained prominence in the educational and literary life of America.

President Dodds is expected to discuss liberal education in America and the future of the liberal arts college.

Following the ceremonies, the delegates will gather for luncheon at the Natural Bridge Hotel, at which time several representatives of other groups will make short speeches of congratulations.

During the afternoon, delegates and their wives will be the guests of President and Mrs. Gaines at a tea at the President's home.

The day's program will conclude with a complimentary full-dress review by the cadets of Virginia Military Institute.

The date of the celebration—April 12—is that of the annual Washington-Cincinnati Convocation which commemorates George Washington's gift of endowment and the gift of the Virginia Society of the Cincinnati which enabled Augusta Academy to become Washington College.

On the following two days, the Southern University Conference will honor Washington and Lee by holding its annual conference in Lexington as the guest of the University.

Alex M. Hitz, '14, Author

Alex M. Hitz, '14, is the author of "A History of The Cathedral of St. Philip," Diocese of Atlanta, Georgia, of the Protestant Episcopal Church, published by the Cathedral Chapter in connection with its centennial anniversary, 1847-1947. Mr. Hitz is Historian of the Cathedral and Registrar of the Diocese.

Law School Centennial Celebration

The Centennial of the Washington and Lee University School of Law will be observed May 10 and 11, when the Honorable John W. Davis will inaugurate the John Randolph Tucker Memorial Lectures in Law. The second lecture will be delivered at a Convocation on May 11, commemorating the founding of the Law School in 1849. Founded by Judge John White Brockenbrough in 1866 as the Lexington Law School, this was affiliated with Washington College at General Lee's invita-



John Randolph Tucker

tion in 1866 and in 1870 became one of the regular Schools of the institution.

The Tucker Memorial Lectures—which will be delivered annually and published by the University—commemorate the distinguished contribution to legal education of Dean John Randolph Tucker.

Mr. Davis will deliver two lectures on the subject: John Randolph Tucker—The Man and His Work. The first lecture will deal with Mr. Tucker's life and personality, the second with his principles of constitutional law as viewed in the light of the present day situation.

Mr. Davis received his academic degree from Washington and Lee in 1892 and his law degree in 1895, taught in the School of Law in 1896 and 1897, and was awarded an honorary L.L.D. degree by the University in 1915. A former Solicitor General of the United States, and a leading member of the Bar of the Supreme Court, Mr. Davis is an Honorary Bencher of the Middle Temple (England) and in 1922 was president of the American Bar Association. In 1924, he was Democratic nominee for President of the United States, and

was Ambassador to Great Britain from 1918 to 1921.

Mr. Davis is general chairman of the University's Bicentennial Celebration, and is a member of the University Board of Trustees.

Dean Clayton E. Williams of the School of Law has announced that all alumni of Washington and Lee are cordially invited to the lectures and Convocation. Plans are being made to invite the faculties of other law schools in Virginia and neighboring states, and the members of the Virginia State Bar Association.

LOST—ONE NAME

Who sent us a check for fifteen dollars during the latter part of December and has failed to receive a receipt or acknowledgement? We'd appreciate your advising us.

The Bicentennial Office

W. and L.'s Commemorative Stamp



Roy J. Grimley, '21

Through the persistent and untiring effort of Roy J. Grimley, '21, Jesse M. Donoldson, Postmaster General of the United States, announced on November 23 that a 3-cent stamp, commemorating the Bicentennial of Washington and Lee University, would be issued from the Lexington, Virginia, Post Office on April 12, 1949.

Because the Post Office Department had a surfeit of issues of postage stamps in 1948, and because it had refused commemoratives to other colleges and universities, the first request to the deparment for this

stamp, made by Lloyd A. Myers, '31, of Bristol, Tennessee-Virginia, was definitely refused. Nothing daunted by what seemed an impossible situation, Roy Grimley, a philatelist and stamp editor of the Ridgewood, New Jersey, Herald News and the Teaneck, New Jersey, Sun, and five times president of the New York alumni chapter, decided to pick up the ball.

With the cooperation of Dr. Francis Pendleton Gaines, President of the University, who wrote Mr. Donaldson and appointed Grimley "general" of a staff that he, Grimley, was to select, he went to work. Dr. L. J. Desha, '06, recently Dean of the University and now Director of the Bicentennial Program, rendered valuable assistance, as did Harry St. G. T. Carmichael, '99, member of the University Board of Trustees; John C. Morrison, '25; Lloyd A. Myers, '31; Dr. James Lewis Howe and Carter Glass, Jr., '14, both of whom are national-

ly known philatelists; Clayton E. Williams, '12, Dean of the Washington and Lee School of Law; Hon. John W. Flannagan, '07; Hon. Clarence J. Brown, '16; Edmund D. Campbell, '23, and Chapin Boyd, '49, who acted as a student representative on the committee. Non-alumni who rendered valuable help were A. Willis Robertson, junior Senator from Virginia and Senators McKellar and Barkley (now Vice-President Barkley).

The crusade was not easily won. Roy Grimley is not a grim man, under normal conditions, but he felt his cause was just, and he and his associates left no stone unturned until thir mission was accomplished.

Illustrated herewith is the final design for the stamp, adopted by the Post Office Department. It was suggested as the design by the Washington and Lee committee. It shows portraits of Washington and Lee as well as the ancient Washington

Hall, over which can be seen a statue of General George Washington.

April 12 will really be a busy day on the Washington and Lee campus, and the town of Lexington will be crowded. Local caravansaries have already been booked solid for the guests of the University for the Academic Celebration scheduled for 11 a.m. on that day. However, on January 3, Dr. Gaines appointed a committee on local arrangements to coordinate the philatelic with the academic features of the celebration. With Dr. James Lewis Howe and the Hon. Carter Glass, '14, as advisory members, and with far from grim chairman Grimley as busy as a bird dog smilingly offering invaluable advice to those ignorant of stamp matters and "building fires" which are still burning brightly throughout the college community, the committee is now working on the final details of arrangements which it is hoped will make the day memorable for both doctors of philosophy and for those philatelic phiends who might also qualify as doctors of philately.

Postmaster General, the Hon. Jesse M. Donaldson, has been invited as a guest of the University for the occasion, and there will be a 'First Day' ceremony, in front of the McCormick Library at 9 a.m., during which President Gaines will be presented with the album containing the first stamps.

Official First Day Covers

"Official First Day Covers" have been designed and ordered, and one will sent to each alumnus containing a stuffer card with a message from the University. The cachet on these envelopes will be an engraving in five colors of the coat of arms of the University with a suitable wording underneath. Additional covers, served with a single stamp (absolutely no block of four or plate numbers), will be available at twenty-five cents each, or four for one dollar. Profits from sale of the covers will be turned over to the War Memorial Scholarship Fund now being raised by the students in memory of Washington and Lee men who died in World War II.

Orders for these additional covers should be addressed to: The Stamp Committee, Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia, with the cash enclosed.

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ODK 'Taps' Alumni

In the annual "tapping" exercises of Omicron Delta Kappa, held in the Washington and Lee Gymnasium on December 10, 21 undergraduates and 18 honorary memberships were awarded outstanding men in their fields. Omicron Delta Kappa was founded at Washington and Lee in 1914 and since that time 53 groups have been established in colleges throughout the nation. The purposes of the organization are three-fold; to recognize men who have attained a high standard of efficiency in collective activities, and to inspire others to strive for conspicuous attainments along similar lines; to bring together the most representative men in all phases of collegiate life, and thus to create an organization which would help to mould the sentiment of the institution on questions of local and inter-collegiate interest; and to bring together members of the faculty and the student body on the basis of mutual interest and understanding.

Henry R. Luce, editor of Time and Life, was the principal speaker at the assembly ceremonies, and was among those

tapped by the society.

Alumni elected to ODK include:

Mr. John B. Atkins, '20, leading business man in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Hon. Fadjo Cravens, L.L.B., '20, Representative, 76-80th Congresses.

Mr. Henry W. Dew, B.S., '11, Jacksonville, Florida, business executive.

Mr. Benjamin F. Fiery, A.B., '13, Cleveland, Ohio, attor-

Hon. John W. Flannagan, Jr., L.L.B., '07, lawyer, Bristol, Virginia.

Mr. George Evans Goodwin, Jr., B.A., '39, reporter on the Atlanta Journal and winner of Pulitzer Prize, 1948, for "distinguished local reporting."

Mr. Garland Gray, M.A., '22, banker, Waverly, Virginia. Mr. Walter E. Hoffman, L.L.B., '31, Norfolk lawyer and prominent alumnus.

Mr. David D. Johnson, L.L.B., '23, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, attorney.

Judge Alonzo G. Lively, L.L.B., '12, Lebanon, Virginia, lawyer, former judge of 27th Judicial Court.



Alumni ODK Initiates

Mr. Gilmore Nunn, '31, Lexington, Kentucky, business man and radio broadcasting executive.

Judge Richard Buckner Spindle, Jr., L.L.B., '10, Norfolk, Virginia, member of Judicial Committee, Virginia State Bar, member, Judicial Council of Virginia.

Mr. William L. Webster, A.B., '12, auto distributor and hotel owner, Schenectady, New York.

The four other honorary appointments in addition to Mr. Luce, were:

Senator Thomas G. Burch, Martinsville, Virginia.

Mr. John D. Ewing, editor and publisher, Shreveport Times and president of two radio stations.

Mr. Walter C. Johnson, secretary manager of Southern Newspaper Publishers Association and representative of that organization on the American Council on Education for Journalism.

Hon. Thomas B. Stanley, Stanleytown, Virginia, former member and speaker of Virginia House of Delegates.

More Scholarships Balance Tuition Increase

The Washington and Lee board of trustees has voted an increase of \$100 in tuition fees, effective at the beginning of the 201st session next September.

Announcement that tuition would be raised to an average \$450 a year was made by President Francis P. Gaines in his annual "State of the University" address delivered at Founder's Day exercises January 19. Dr. Gaines said the raise was necessary "to meet greatly increased costs of operation."

Dr. Gaines told the assembled student body and faculty that "a fundamental problem of every institution today is the increase in basic operational expenses. Our auditor's report shows that the cost of coal has more than doubled since 1940-41, costs of building supplies and labor for upkeep and maintenance have tripled, wages have more than doubled, scientific equipment costs have gone up 50 to 150 per cent, and we expect 85 teachers in the next term as compared with 69 before the war."

In addition to rising operational costs, President Gaines cited the University's obligation to raise faculty salaries to meet universally increased living expenses. Figures compiled by the University's department of accounting and statistics reveal that instructional cost per student, based entirely on teacher salaries, has risen from \$212 in the 1940-41 session to \$293 this year.

In the academic divisions the tuition, computed on the basis of semester hours work carried by the student, will average \$180 a semester. Law school tuition will be a fixed \$180 a semester. The University Fee, allotted for causes for which the University merely serves as agent, such as medical, hospital, library, recreation and similar elements, will be raised from \$25 to \$45 a semester.

While the Washington and Lee tuition is generally higher than other southern institutions, the present \$350 tuition is far out of line with comparable colleges and universities over the country. For example, Swarthmore, Haverford, Dartmouth, Williams, Colgate and Oberlin all have appreciably higher tuition rates than Washington and Lee.

Counter-balancing the possible adverse effect imposed by the tuition raise upon some students and prospective students is a proportionate increase in the number of new scholar-

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Bicentennial Progress Report

The Bicentennial Office is happy to report excellent progress for 1948. During that year the total cash fund increased \$737,000 to a total of \$1,643,000; the number of alumni subscribers grew from 500 to 3225; and alumni contributions showed a gain of \$308,000. Thanks to the heavy flow of subscriptions late in December we were able to claim, and have banked, the last of the \$300,000 conditionally pledged by the General Education Board.

The figures in the tables which follow are based on cash receipts from the beginning of the campaign through December 31, 1948. The tables are self explanatory and further comment seems unnecessary.

After careful consideration, we decided against our original plan of publishing the names of contributors at this time, as was done a year ago. To do so would swell this issue of the Alumni Magazine most unreasonably-or else would compel the omission of much material of greater immediate interest. And, lacking the 1949 subscribers, the record would still be incomplete. Instead, it has been decided to reserve this list for the final and complete report which will be issued at the end of the Bicentennial year.

In the meanwhile, we take this opportunity to express again our sincere appreciation both to the four thousand alumni, parents, and friends who have given of their means, and to the several hundred alumni who have given also of their time, their counsel and their efforts. Counting on this support in the future as in the past, and cheered by the record of 1948, we are pressing forward toward our three million dollar objective. L. J. DESHA, '06

Executive Director

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1892 14	25,463.00	1928	248,	72	29.0	6,700.00
1893 29	2,668.32	1929	278	82	30.6	. 12,113.50
1894 24	1,424.00	1930	275	77	28.0	4,790.00
1895 28	1,035.00	1931	298	102	34.2	14,234.50
1896 31	2,035.00	1932	281,	91	32.3	. 9,910.00
1897	1,026.50	1933	269	85	31.6	4,705.50
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1904 42		1940	248,	88	35.4	3,459.50
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^{*}As in the past, law alumni are included in these classes up to 1908, during World War I, and during and since World War II.

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1910-L	37	16	43.2	13,167.50	1929-L	15	7	46.6	515.00
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The Race with the G. E. B.

The Story of the Last Few Days of 1948

If you're an average alumnus, the chances are you sat down to your desk one late day in December, opened the drawer that was bulging with the publications Washington and Lee has been sending you for two years, looked sadly at a checkbook that had more stubs in it than blanks, cut short wishful thinking about how you wanted to give to the Bicentennial, settled for whatever you could give that day, and put it in the mail before December 31 so the General Education Board would add 25 per cent to it.

That's what more than a thousand average alumni did during December, and so we say:

"Thank God for the average alumnus!"

The spate of letters that started early in December reached its crest the week after Christmas, when gifts came in from all over, from chairmen, from committeemen, from class agents and from individuals-in business reply envelopes, by regular mail and special delivery, by telegraph and by hand. No checks came in by telephone, but one chairman did phone from west of the Mississippi to say that he had been sick and unable to mail in some gifts. He asked Cy Young to deposit cash to cover them so Washington and Lee would get the Rockefeller money.

Everybody in Washington College got in on the act, as alumni, parents and friends addressed letters to whoever popped into their minds. Dr. Gaines got scores of checks, as did Treasurer Earl Mattingly and Alumni Secretary Cy Young. Some were addressed to Deans Gilliam and Leyburn, and some to the Registrar. Even the Editor of the Bicenten-

nial Alumni Directory got a few.

On December 1st, the Bicentennial was \$192,000 short of the amount needed to claim every dollar of the GEB's provisional offer, and this had to be raised by the end of the month. When the students left for the holidays, we were \$98,000 short, and when the Bicentennial staff went home on Christmas Eve, we were still \$23,000 from the goal. At the close of business on Wednesday, December 29, we thought we would go over, and when the Post Office called Thursday morning to say there were more letters than the P.O. box would hold, we knew it.

The G.E.B.'s final check was deposited, and when the dust had cleared and the 1948 receipts were added up, the grand total came to \$1,642,937.85, including the \$300,000 from the G.E.B.—every cent of it. We actually made it with a

margin of some \$50,000 to spare.

It was mid-January before all the gifts received in December-1747 of them-were totalled and put through the complicated accounting system that insures each gift will be credited to the donor's class, and earmarked for the particular fund for which he designated it. It was even later than that before President Gaines-who insisted on seeing and acknowledging every contribution-waded through the pile of gift records on his desk.

So, if your contribution was not receipted immediately, blame the delay on dimensions of a job that overwhelmed our officials and staff. More gifts were received in December

than in the entire preceding eight-month period.

Perhaps the most influential appeals, to judge from the letters and notes which accompanied many of the checks, were the series of letters written early in December by Christopher T. Chenery, '09, executive chairman of the Bicentennial, and the letters which many Class Agents wrote to their classmates during the fall.

Mr. Chenery's letters stated that only 17 per cent of the alumni had contributed. Within three weeks after the letters had been received, the number of alumni contributors had almost doubled. Coincidental with the flood of correspondence here in Lexington there was a backwash of replies and checks in Mr. Chenery's office in New York that demanded all the resourcefulness of his secretary. (She even got one letter addressed to Christopher Wrenn.)

The current total of alumni contributors (the number of gifts is larger, because many of these alumni have given several times) is 3190—the largest group, both numerically and percentagewise, ever to contribute at one time to Washing-

ton and Lee.

W. and L. Montgomerys of Montgomery, West Virginia

Beginning with Laurence Montgomery, who entered Washington and Lee in 1923, a member of this family has been in attendance here consecutively, with the exception of the war period, for 26 years. The mothers of the Vickers and Carsons were Montgomerys, all of them from Montgomery, West Virginia. They are: Laurence Montgomery, '23-'28, LL.B.; Arnold Vickers, '26-'31, LL.B.; Howard Carson, '27-'33, B.A., LL.B.; Carl Vickers, '28-'34, B.A., LL.B.; A. W. Vickers, '33-'37, B.S.; Laurence Carson, '36-'40, B.S.; William Carson, '39-'43, B.S.; Earl Vickers, '41-'43, '46-'49, LL.B.; and George Vickers, '46-'47.

Dr. Charles W. Turner of the Washington and Lee history department has just published his tenth in the series of articles on the history of Virginia railroads. These articles, covering phases of railroad history, have been published in various

historical publications.

The latest article, "Virginia Railroads' Service to Farmers 1829 to 1860," appeared in the fall issue of Agricultural History Magazine, publication of the history section of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It compares the services rendered farmers by the railroads with other means of transportation, dealing specifically with 17 railroad lines. The increase in land values and population and the part the railroads played in this is dealt with.

An opportunity has come to Washington and Lee to purchase for the museum of the biology department a mounted specimen of the extinct passenger pigeon. These native American birds, depicted by Audubon in his ornithological studies have been extinct along with the Carolina Paroquet, since the early part of this century. Both birds were native to Virginia in the early days.

At the present time no specimens are available except as a private collection of birds becomes broken up for sale. Another specimen may not be available for many years and then only at a higher price than the present price of \$200.00. It is hoped that some alumnus of Washington and Lee, or group of alumni, or friend of the University who reads this note may desire to purchase this passenger pigeon for the University.



Wytheville, Virginia, Alumni Dinner Meeting, November 9, 1948

With the Local Chapters

ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA

Alumni of Washington and Lee held a dinner meeting in the George Vanderbilt Hotel on December 29. The film, prepared in connection with the 200th anniversary of the founding of the University, with scenes of the campus, was shown. Kenneth Rockwell and John Schuber, Jr., Asheville students at home for the holidays, were guests.

CLEVELAND, OHIO

A dinner meeting of Washington and Lee alumni was held on December 1, at the University Club in Cleveland, Ohio, with 22 alumni and guests present. The sound-color moving picture of the Washington and Lee campus was shown. Arrangements were made for a Christmas luncheon for undergraduates of the University, who would be home for the holidays. Thomas M. Harman, '25, presided, and the following alumni were present: Robert G. Baker, '42, Dr. J. D. Battle, Jr., '34, Charles F. Clark, Jr., '38, Kenneth A. Goode, '25, Thomas M. Harman, '25, Paul L. Holden, Jr., '38, J. Preston Irwin, '09, Sam McChesney, '38, John L. McChord, '18, W. A. Murray, '41, Roy D. Prentice, '47, John F. Roehl, Jr., '47, Clinton VanVliet, '41 and W. H. H. Wertz, '33.

Luncheon

Following arrangements made at the above alumni dinner, a luncheon for alumni and students living in the greater Cleveland area was held during the Christmas holidays at Brown's Cottage Restaurant in downtown Cleveland on December 28th. Arrangements for the meeting and luncheon were made by Sam McChesney, '38, and Thomas M. Har-

man, '25, president of the chapter, presided. Several prospective students were guests.

GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

The Piedmont chapter held its annual meeting at Bliss' Restaurant, Greensboro, North Carolina, on January 19, 1949, with 20 alumni present. O. Norris Smith, '29, president of the chapter, presided. Professor A. R. Coleman, of the School of Commerce faculty, and Cy Young, Alumni Secretary, represented the University. Dr. Henry Louis Smith, President Emeritus of Washington and Lee, was guest of honor. Newton Farnell, '24, was elected president for the coming year, and Ben Wilson, '39, secretary.

NEW YORK, NEW YORK

The Annual Dinner of the Washington and Lee Alumni in New York was held at the Columbia University Club, 3 West 43rd Street, New York, New York, on November 12, 1948.

The dinner was preceded by an informal get-together.

Gossett McRae, '27, president of the chapter, presided at a short business meeting at which the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: president, W. J. L. Patton, '22; vice-presidents, as follows; New York City, Stuard Wurzburger, '31; Up-State New York, W. L. Webster, '12; New Jersey, James A. Castner, '29; Connecticut, Leonard T. Brown, '19; Long Island, William T. Owen, '28; secretary and treasurer, Emmett W. Poindexter, '20; and member of



Job Saunders, '11, at Suffolk Ball

the Council—3-year term, George W. Faison, '41, Richard H. Sandstrom, Jr., '41, Gossett McRae, '27.

Honorable Homer A Holt acted as toastmaster. There followed an interesting talk by Dr. L. J. Desha, the guest speaker, who was introduced by the Honorable John W. Davis, '92.

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HELENA, ARKANSAS

A dinner meeting of Washington and Lee Alumni was held at the Helena, Arkansas, Country Club on December 20. Allein Beall, Sr., showed color movies of the campus and other views of the surrounding country in the mountains of Virginia taken on a motor trip during the summer. Alumni present included James Baker, '37, who presided, French Mc-Knight, '23, Otis Howe, '24, James Clopton, '32, Allein Beall, '18, Earl Wells, Jr., '38, Dr. Myron Schrantz, '31, Porter C. Young, '42, and Robert S. Curl, '47. The following students at the University, now at home for the holidays, were guests: Upton Beall, Otis Howe, Jr., and Bobbie Hornor.

* * * * * RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

The Richmond, Virginia, alumni chapter held a business meeting and dinner in the Monticello Room of Ewart's cafeteria on November 5, at 6:30 p.m., with 40 alumni present. Cy Young, Alumni Secretary, represented the University, and Ken Lane, '36, president of the chapter, presided. The purpose of the meeting was to make plans for alumni entertainment on the occasion of the University of Richmond-Washington and Lee football game played on Thanksgiving Day. A smoker was held on the eve of the game at Murphy's Hotel, with about 75 alumni present, and a reception at the Thomas Jefferson Hotel immediately following the game, with some 250 alumni, wives and guests present. Brian Bell, senior, halfback on the Washington and Lee team was voted the award, given by the chapter, as the outstanding player for the Generals. * * * * *

SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA

Students now attending Washington and Lee, at home for the holidays, from Suffolk and vicinity, held a Bicentennial Ball on Thursday night, December 30 in the Ball Room of the Hotel Elliott, Suffolk, Virginia. Some 225 alumni, students and guests were present. Music was furnished by Bobby

Allen and his Tophatters. The affair was highly successful and tentative plans are to sponsor another Washington and Lee Ball next year. Among local alumni present were: Mr. and Mrs. Job R. Sanders, '11, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lovelace, '24, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Coulbourn, '35, Mr. and Mrs. George I. Coulbourn, '35, Mr. and Mrs. Binford Parker, '31, Mr. Dempsey Frazier, '26, Mr. West Butler, '34, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Saunders, '13, and many others.

* * * * * * WYTHEVILLE, VIRGINIA

Washington and Lee Alumni of Bland and Wythe Counties held their first dinner meeting at the George Wythe Hotel in Wytheville, Virginia, on November 9, 1948, with thirteen alumni, their wives and guests present. After an enjoyable dinner, Judge H. Massillon Heuser entertained those present by reminiscences concerning his experiences at Washington and Lee in 1889-90 when he attended the Law School. Among the interesting experiences related was his attendance with the Student Body at the unveiling of the Lee equestrian statue in Richmond in 1890. Following Judge Heuser's talk the Washington and Lee sound-color movie of the University was shown. Those present expressed their approval and pleasure at this excellent portrayal of the campus and the traditions of Washington and Lee. Arrangements for the dinner were made by Marion S. Sanders, '17, who presided.

Tuition Increase

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ships available to young men possessing every qualification for satisfactory college work and future usefulness except financial resources.

Through the generosity of donors to the Bicentennial Fund, the University was able to announce almost simultaneously with the tuition increase that new "Third Century Scholarships" worth more than \$50,000 to recipients are being offered to young men desiring to enroll as freshmen for the 201st session.

When added to the present program of grants-in-aid now available through permanently endowed and departmental scholarships, more than 100 men may attend Washington and Lee with financial assistance. The 30 new scholarships already created in the Bicentennial program range in value from a top of \$3,500 down to \$900 each. Other scholarships may possibly be added before the beginning of the September term.

Applications are now being received by the committee on scholarships. Candidates will be required to take the aptitude test of the College Entrance Examination Board.

An announcement of the new scholarships distributed to preparatory and high schools says aid will be awarded "on the basis of academic record, character, need, and promise of future usefulness."

Dean Frank J. Gilliam, chairman of the faculty committee on scholarships, said that "In awarding these scholarships the committee in charge will make every effort to select those candidates who have the greatest promise for future usefulness. The distribution of awards will be on as wide a geographical basis as possible, consistent with the stipulations of donors."

Dean Gilliam added that alumni throughout the nation can support the scholarship program by encouraging promising young men who meet the qualifications to apply directly to the scholarship committee.

George Barclay, New Football Coach

By Bill Bien

George Barclay eased his substantial frame back in the revolving chair and flexed his fingers; he'd just finished shaking the hands of assorted football players, students, faculty members, and well-wishers and his hand was getting tired.

Outside, two workmen were busy tacking a new sign on the door: "George Barclay—Football Head Coach."

Washington and Lee's new coach succeeds Art (Pappy) Lewis, who resigned his position as head coach in December to follow former VMI head coach Arthur (Slick) Morton to Mississippi State. Lewis gave up his W. and L. contract, which had two more years to run, for a line-coaching job.

It's going to be a tough job molding a football team out of what's left of last year's material and Barclay knows it.

But, he told his new charges at a football banquet early in February, "The first thing you have to do is to hit the books hard this semester." Washington and Lee is no athletic club, he realizes, and he knows the value of football men who are also good students.

Tipping the scales at 200 pounds, Barclay has edged past the 180-pound playing weight he carried at North Carolina in 1934 when he made all-American guard under Carl Snavely. Graduated in 1935, after three varsity seasons at UNC, Barclay played four games with the Brooklyn Dodgers professional football team, but retired with a smashed knee.

In 1936 he served as line coach at V.M.I. under Bill Raftery, and moved on to North Carolina as freshman football coach in 1937. Barclay left Carolina in 1940 for the job of football line coach and basketball head coach at Oberlin, and then went into the service.

During his three years in the Navy, the former all-American coached football at Georgia Preflight and Jacksonville Naval Air Station.

Following the war, Barclay moved to Dartmouth for one season as line coach, and then joined Jim Tatum at the University of Maryland as line coach. Barclay and Tatum had played together for three seasons at Carolina, and the new W. and L. grid pilot was Tatum's first choice when he was awarded the Maryland coaching position.

Barclay has a Bachelor of Arts Degree from North Carolina and has completed work for his master's degree except for a thesis.

"But I doubt if I'll get much time to finish it next year," says Barclay with a wry smile.

The W. and L. mentor has a wife and two daughters who are still living in College Park, Maryland. Reason: They have no place to drop their gear in Lexington.

"I'm still looking for a place to live all right," Barclay said.
"Sure would like to meet an interested alumnus with a place for rent in Lexington."

"But, speaking of alumni," Barclay continued more seriously, "I wish you'd put in your story that whenever any Washington and Lee alumni are in town, I'd like very much to meet them. After all, the alumni are the ones who can influence good students who can also play football to come to school here."

Barclay is a young man with plans.

One of his plans is a four-day practice week next fall, and he warned the W. and L. gridmen recently: "You can make up your minds that some of you are not going to be



Barclay and Jerry Jack, 275 Pound Guard

playing the same positions next fall. We're going to be very weak through the line and some of you backfield men will be learning tackle plays before September."

"This pass-happy technique is out," says Barclay flatly. Next fall, if Washington and Lee is nothing else, it will be a team that knows its fundamentals. With a split-T formation that I'm planning to use, we'll have to do a lot of running; that means plenty of blocking.

So it looks as if the "aerial circus" has gone out of business. "It's out—this passing where half the time you catch the ball and the other half your opponent gets it."

The tackle slot is Barclay's chief pre-season worry. Two lettermen—Bob Smith and Don Fergusson—are doubtful starters because of crippling injuries, and another regular, John Tulloh, has left Washington and Lee because of scholastic difficulties.

But, meanwhile, spring practice will get underway about the end of February—weather permitting—and will run for five weeks. Then, says Barclay, he will have a better idea of just what he has in the way of material.

Regular practice sessions will open next September 1, no earlier because of conference regulations, which forbid opening workouts before that date. If, and that's a big one, all the players make grades all right this spring, Barclay will probably have 45 men on his varsity roster to open the season.

"The first four games next fall are the ones that worry me," he states. "If we can get by West Virginia, Georgia Tech, and those big outfits without too many injuries, we should roll along in good style."

No matter what happens next fall, you get the impression when talking with George Barclay, that he has confidence in himself, and that he'll turn out a fighting ball club—win, lose, or draw.

A Resumé of Winter Sports

By Bill Bien

With towering Bob Spessard at the helm, Washington and Lee's basketball squad is beginning to sizzle again this winter in a way reminiscent of old-time Blue Comet quintets.

As usual there is little tall timber around Doremus Gymnasium, but the Generals are still being mentioned prominently for a playoff spot in the annual Southern Conference Tournament at Durham, North Carolina.

GI Freshman Jay Handlan has grabbed many of the headlines this winter, through his high scoring accuracy, but several veteran squadmen are also playing major roles in the 1949 version of the Spessard court epic.

Joe Auer, a '47 transfer from West Virginia University, has sparked the Blue five in early contests. It was Auer who slated away a recent 64-58 victory over Roanoke College by dumping three quick baskets in the final minute of play.

Bob Goldsmith, playing his second year at center for the Generals, has been facing double-thick defenses all season but has still connected for an average 14 points per game. Notoriously near-sighted, Goldsmith recently received new shatter-proof glasses. His first comment: "So that's what the basket looks like!"

Auer and Handlan have been playing the forward positions, and Goldsmith at center. In addition, coach Spessard has a capable pair of starting guards.

Fred Vinson, Captain of the team, is playing out his last year of eligibility. As in past seasons, he's the man who keeps his teammates steady under fire.

Although Steve Ulaki labors under the handicap of a "trick" knee, he handles the other guard post in an efficient, aggressive manner. Most valuable as a floor-player, Ulaki makes few points but is always a crowd-pleaser with his fake-pass antics.

Behind these five stand a group of seasoned and dependable reserves, including forwards George Pierson and Chris Compton; and guards Ed Thomas and Jim Fahey.

Washington and Lee dropped a sleeper to East Tennessee State 50-44 in the season's opener, but came right back, to defeat George Washington 59-53. On the holiday road trip W. and L. lost to Western Kentucky 89-43, and to Morris-Harvey 68-67. They dropped one more to Duke at Lynchburg, 58-45, before smacking University of Virginia, 75-66, on the Cavaliers' home court.

Following the Virginia victory Spessard's quintet lost two more—to William and Mary 42-39 and North Carolina 69-52—and then evened accounts by winning two important ones from Virginia Tech, 66-58, and Roanoke College, 64-58. For good measure, the Generals rolled up a 73-48 count against Fort Meade just before examinations.

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Wrestling Coach Harry Broadbent's major problem this season seems to be attempting to keep his matmen at Washington and Lee. Southern Conference 175-pound titleholder Bob Mahoney left the university last spring, and following latest exams 121-pound SC champion Cal Guest has withdrawn. Guest had been out of action part of this season, returning several weeks ago to pin his opponent when the Generals met and defeated Auburn, Southeast Conference champions last winter.

However, W. and L. still looks like the team to win the

Southern Conference mat crown again this year. Such stalwart veterans as Ted Lonergan (128-pound class), Joe Sconce (136), Ken Finley (145), Irv Wicknick (155), Ken Lindell (165), Bill Metzel (175) and Jerry Jack (Heavyweight).

In five matches this winter the Generals have registered victories over Virginia, Hofstra, Auburn, and Newport News, while dropping a single match to Lehigh. Meanwhile the freshman squad has won two straight, from Virginia School for Blind, and Jefferson of Roanoke.

Freshman basketball coach Carl Wise is also pretty happy about his corps of first-year cagers, who haven't yet lost a game, and look like a lead-pipe cinch to race off with the state frosh title.

Boys like Talbot Trammell, Harry Deweese, Chuck Grove, Gil Bocetti, and Dave Hedge have been the sparks in the Brigadiers' victory drive.

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Basketball Scores Since Examinations

-66
-66
-81
-70
-70
-68
-64

Conference record, February 21: won 5, lost 6.

WAR CRIMES

An amazing turn in the investigation of war crimes in Germany recently made public is revealed in what Time magazine terms an "incredible report" submitted to the U.S. Supreme Court and the U.S. Army on the notorious Malmedy massacre of American soldiers captured by the Germans in the Battle of the Bulge late in 1944. Handling the investigation and subsequent report which transformed what had originally appeared as an open-and-shut case in the German war crimes trials into something far more sinister was Atlanta lawyer Willis Meade Everett, Jr., class of 1920.

Everett, president of the Washington and Lee alumni chapter in the Georgia capitol, had been appointed by the United States to serve as defense counsel for 73 Germans brought to trial for the Malmedy massacre. After all the Germans had been found guilty of atrocities at Malmedy, 43 of them sentenced to death, Everett spent two years, at his own expense, pleading the case. As **Time** reveals, "Everett was no longer defending the Germans, most of whom he believed guilty; he was defending justice."

An Army commission set up to review Everett's findings finally corroborated the Everett report that U. S. prosecution teams had confessions from the Germans through a series of brutalities not unlike the misery to which the Germans had exposed their American prisoners at Malmedy. As a result of Everett's sensational disclosure, a U. S. commission has commuted the death sentences of 31 of the 43 condemned Germans and recommended clemency for the remaining twelve.

Class Notes

1893

B. A. Judd, after practicing law in New York for many years, returned to his home town, Van Alstyne, Texas. He has now returned to New York and is at his old address there: 25 Broad Street, New York, N. Y.

1900

Henry H. Skyles has spent practically all of the time since graduation from

the Washington and Lee Law School in law writing. For three years he was engaged in writing a two-volume work known as Clark and Skyles on Agency. Since July 1, 1904, he has been a member of the editorial staff of the American Law Book Company, and for some time has been the dean of the staff. During that time he has taken part in the completion of a forty-volume work, known as Cyclopedia of Law and Procedure; taken part in the completion of a seventy-volume second edition, known as Corpus Juris; and now is helping on the sixtieth volume of a third edition, called Corpus Juris Secundum, which will probably be around a hundred volumes. Address: care of American Law Book Company, 272 Flatbush Avenue Extension, Brooklyn, New York.

1901

Clarence C. Burns says he is just living the quiet life of "a simple, barefoot country lawyer," in his home town of Lebanon, Russell County, Virginia. He has a large and scattered family and writes and distributes "The Breezy Hill Bulletin" each Sunday which keeps them all informed as to the various doings of the tribe. He reports "eleven-grand" to date.

1902

Volney M. Brown is a member of the law firm of Brown, Goggin & White, 105 South Oregon Street, State National Bank Building, El Paso, Texas. He is a director in the El Paso Electric Company and other corporations.

and their company and other corporations.

Edmund Randolph Preston, Sr., has been connected with the Legal Department of Federal Trade Commission, Washington, D. C., since 1938.

Judge William Henry Brown is a member of the law firm of Brown, Darrough & Ball, with offices at 719 Apco Tower, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

James A. Abernathy is a real estate broker in Fordyce, Arkansas. Address: 602 West 4th Street.

1903

Stuart Chevalier is a partner in the Law firm of Miller and Chevalier, with offices in New York, Chicago and Washington, D. C.,

Let us remind you again that the material from which these notes was compiled consists of letters received by the class agents during last spring and summer and from questionnaires returned by alumni during that period. If the notes are not up-to-date, we would appreciate any further information you can let us have. It is especially important, now that an alumni directory is being compiled, for publication during the Bicentennial year, that you keep us posted as to changes of address, occupation, etc.

and Miller, Chevalier, Peeler and Wilson, Los Angeles, California. He is the author of "A Window on Broadway," 1936; "War's End and After," 1943 and "The World Charter and the Road to Peace," 1946. Address: 819 Title Insurance Building, 433 South Spring Street, Los Angeles 13, California.

George H. Lee has been in the bolt manufacturing

business with the Pittsburgh Screw and Bolt Corporation, for nearly fifty years. His home is at 451 Orchard Avenue, Bellevue, Pittsburgh 2, Pennsylvania.

Robert Tate Wallace is pastor of the Monticello Presbyterian Church, Monticello, Florida.

1904

John McClure is head of the Chemistry Department, New Mexico Military Academy, Roswell, New Mexico. Residence address: 1312 North Pennsylvania Avenue, Roswell, New Mexico.

Julian F. Bouchelle is Judge of the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit, West Virginia, which office he has held since 1936. Address: Kanawha County Court House, Charleston, West Virginia.

Robert Lee Kolb lives at 25 East 3rd Street, Frederick, Maryland.

Eldridge Watts Poindexter received his A.B. degree from Randolph Macon College before entering the Washington and Lee Law School, where he was graduated in 1904. He is practicing law in Roanoke, Virginia, with offices in the Shenandoah Life Building, and is Vice-President and Director, Colonial-American National Bank of Roanoke.

1905

Judge David A. Bradham practiced law in Warren, Arkansas, after graduation here until January 1, 1947, when he became Judge of the Chancery Court, Second Chancery District of Arkansas. Address: Box 86, Warren, Arkansas.

Frank Rosebro Flournoy is professor of History and Political Science, and Academic Dean of the College of Emporia, Emporia, Kansas.

David Tay Moore is Secretary-Treasurer and Director, Greenbrier Military School, Lewisburg, West Virginia.

John L. Daniel received his A.B. degree from Hampden-Sydney before entering Wash-



ington and Lee where he was awarded the M.A. degree in 1905. He is now head of the Department of Chemistry at Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Georgia, where he has been since 1912. Home address: 505 Church Street, Decatur, Georgia.

Eli M. Millen is a newspaper and magazine editor and writer. Address: 5114 Newhall Street, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania.

1906

- Bernard J. Mayer practiced law in New Orleans, Louisiana, from 1907 to 1914; West Point, Georgia, from 1915 to 1920; and has been a member of the firm of Lovejoy & Mayer, Citizens & Southern Bank Building, LaGrange, Georgia, since that time.
- Edward V. Hardway, after graduation from the Washington and Lee Law School, practiced law in Durant, Oklahoma, Dallas, Texas, and since 1908 has been in Houston, Texas, with offices at 428-31 Bankers Mortgage Building, Houston, Texas.
- A. W. Rutan is a member of the law firm of Rutan & Tucker, with offices in the First National Bank Building, Santa Ana, California.

1907

- **Dr. Frank McCutchan,** after graduating here with the B.A. and M.A. degrees, received his M.D. from the University of Virginia Medical School, and is now practicing his profession as an eye, ear, nose and throat physician at 100 West Innes Street, Salisbury, North Carolina.
- I. P. Gassman practiced law for a little over three years after graduation here, and subsequently was a manufacturing executive and attorney with the Arcade Manufacturing Company—now a division of Rockwell Manufacturing Co., Freeport, Illinois. He has recently re-opened offices for the general practice of law in Suite 314, Second National Building, Freeport, Illinois. His sons, Loyal P. and George Ladd, are alumni of Washington and Lee.
- **Dr. Waldo B. M. B. Newell** has been practicing medicine in Enid, Oklahoma, since 1919. Address: 501 Broadway Tower, Enid, Oklahoma.
- **G. W. Keller** is Secretary-Treasurer of Huntington-Oklahoma Oil Company, oil and gas operators and producers, Huntington, West Virginia.
- Hon. John W. Flannagan is member of the House of Representatives, Congress of the United States, from the 9th District of Virginia.
- William Finley Semple is General Counsel, Deep Rock Oil Corporation, Tulsa, Oklahoma, with offices in the Atlas Life Building, which office he has held for the past 15 years.

1908

- Lewis C. Gordon, Colonel, U. S. Army retired, is spending the winter in Lexington, at 502 South Main Street. His home is in Houghton, Michigan.
- Richard Lee Page is in the real estate business with offices at 250 Monticello Arcade, Norfolk, Virginia. He is also owner of the George G. Lee Company, wholesale plumbing supplies.

- Dr. Grover A. Batten, after graduation here, received his M.D. from Johns-Hopkins University in 1914. He is practicing Surgery, with offices at 405 Dillingham Building, Honolulu, T. H. His son, Grover H., was graduated from the Johns-Hopkins Medical School with the M.D. degree in 1942.
- Robert Russell Gray has been pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Union, West Virginia, for the past 30 years. He received the degree of B.D. from Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Virginia, in 1917.
- Henry R. Mahler received the M.A. degree from Columbia after graduation here and is now Superintendent of Schools, Thomasville, Georgia.
- James Leroy Mills is practicing law at 336 Monticello Arcade, Norfolk, Virginia.

1909

- C. Irving Carey received his B.A. degree from William and Mary College before entering the Law School here, from which he graduated in 1909. He is practicing law at 621-28 Florida National Bank Building, St. Petersburg, Florida.
- Benjamin F. Kagay has been in the real estate and insurance brokerage business since leaving college. His offices are in the First National Bank Building, Effingham, Illinois.
- Oscar Randolph Price is a Civil Engineer—retired—living in his home town, Harrisonburg, Virginia, at 279 Newman Avenue.
- Robert R. Brown is Athletic Director, New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, New Mexico. He was football coach at Washington and Lee from 1905 to 1909.

1910

- Meinhard H. Myerson is practicing law with offices at 615 Professional Building, Jacksonville, Florida.
- Orange W. Richardson is in the lumber business as salesman and Vice-President, Duquesne Lumber Company, 803 Columbia Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
- Rev. Branson L. Wood received his B.D. degree from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Virginia, in 1915, after graduating here with the B.A. degree. He has held various pastorates in Virginia and is now minister of the Presbyterian Church, Iron Gate, Virginia.
- Charles P. Robinson is President, Business Service Company, Park Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Following chemistry for 12 years after receiving his B.S. degree here, he entered personnel work in 1922, with Packard Motor Company, and has been in his present work for 24 years.

1911

- John G. Herndon, professor of Public Finance and head of the Department of Government at Haverford College, Haverford, Pennsylvania, was a visitor to the campus in December. He is the author of many books and articles along professional and geneological lines. Address: 1 College Lane, Haverford, Pennsylvania.
- E. B. Lemon is in the real estate business in Roanoke, Virginia. His son, Charles, now at Washington and Lee, was recently made a member of Phi Beta Kappa, and is an out-

standing student. Address: 30 West Kirk Avenue, Roanoke, Virginia.

Major General Clements McMullen is Deputy Commandder of the Strategic Air Command under General George C. Kenney. The long range bombers are a part of this activity. He returned from overseas in November, 1946, and after a short detail commanding the 8th Air Force in Forth Worth, came to Washington and took over his present assignment. His youngest son completed his first year at West Point last year and another son who was an Air Force pilot during the war is now part of the regular Air Force. Address: Headquarters, Strategic Air Command, Andrews Air Force Base, Washington 20, D. C.

F. P. Guthrie has completed twenty-five years of service with the Radio Corporation of America and its subsidiaries. He is now Assistant Vice-President of the company and most of his duties have to do with the various Government agencies in Washington, D. C. Address: 1625 K Street, N.W., Washington 6, D. C.

James M. Barker is in Fire and Casualty Insurance and Property Management in Bristol, Tennessee. Address: 605 Spruce Street, Bristol, Tennessee.

Rev. Thomas B. Ruff is pastor of The Riverview Presbyterian Church, Leaksville, North Carolina.

John T. Gray, Jr., is a member of the law firm of Gray and Gray, Brownsville, Tennessee.

Fred S. Johnson is Assistant Director, Service Department, DuPont Company, 6024 DuPont Building, Wilmington, Delaware. He is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Washington and Lee Alumni Association.

Wilbur C. Armentrout is in the general insurance business in Elkins, West Virginia, at 109 3rd Street.

Frank C. Bedinger is a member of the law firm of Bedinger and Bedinger, Boydton, Virginia. He is President of the Farmers Bank of Boydton and has served as Mayor.

Daniel B. Straley practiced law after leaving school until 1931 in Crown Point, Indiana. Since that time he has lived in Chicago and suburbs, engaged in writing, chiefly verse, published in periodicals and newspapers throughout the United States and Canada. Address: 447 Monandock Building, 53 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois.

Emmett W. Barger is President of the First National Bank, Waynesboro, Virginia.

Donald T. Stant is practicing law in Bristol, Tennessee, with offices in the Reynolds Arcade Building. He served as City Attorney for Bristol, 1914-39, and as Commonwealth's Attorney for two terms of four years each.

Samuel B. Schein is an Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, Suite 208-15, West Main Street, Madison 3, Wisconsin.

1912

Cecil Gray has been in the retail business, ranching and farming in Coleman, Texas, for 39 years. Address: 908 Colorado Street, Coleman, Texas.

W. Scherer Dunn is Commonwealth's Attorney for Bland County. Address: Bland, Virginia.

R. Wayne Ely has been practicing law in St. Louis, Mis-

souri since 1920. Address: 10th Floor, Commerce Building, 418 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri.

Robert R. Blake is Salesman for Dulenge Packing Company, 834 Piedmont Avenue, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

1913

Thomas F. Walker received the B.A. degree from the University of Virginia in 1910, before entering the Washington and Lee Law School. He has been practicing law in Wytheville, Virginia, since June 1, 1922.

J. R. Mighell, Jr., President of Mobile Steel Company, Inc., was elected a member of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank, Mobile, Alabama, at its Annual Stockholders meeting January 11, 1949.

Judge T. L. Keister received the A.B. degree from Roanoke College before entering the Law School here. He is Judge of the 20th Judicial Circuit, Virginia. Address: Salem, Virginia.

William T. Hanzsche is pastor of the Prospect Street Presbyterian Church, Trenton, New Jersey. He has had a varied and successful career as radio speaker on various national hookups and abroad; exchange preacher in England and Scotland in 1934 and in Germany and France in 1937. He is now Chairman of the Board of "Presbyterian Life," publication of the Northern Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. He is the author of many books and pamphlets.

William A. Hyman received the L.L.B. degree from Columbia after graduation here. He is practicing law at 111 Fulton Street, New York, New York.

James M. Farrar is a Textile Executive with E. S. Stern & Co., 343 Broadway, New York 13, New York. His son, James D. (Jid) is now a student at Washington and Lee.

Herbert B. Kinsolving, Jr., was appointed State director of securities for Kentucky on January 3, 1949. He has served as Commonwealth's Attorney of the 12th Judicial District for 17 years, and is Shelby County Democratic Chairman.

Bruce Seddon is an investment supervisor, 718 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri.

Rev. John E. Wayland, after graduation here, received the B.D. degree from Union Theological Seminary in 1918 and Th.M. in post graduate work; served as a missionary in China for seven years. He is now minister of the Presbyterian Church, Huntersville, North Carolina.

Judge Merriman S. Smith is in the general insurance business, P.O. Box 633, Bluefield, West Virginia. He was appointed Judge of the West Virginia Court of Claims July 1, 1945.

1915

Joseph W. Milner retired January 1, 1949, after a quarter of a century of service as Mayor of Gulfport, Mississippi. On November 15th Gulfport's new \$125,000 concrete stadium was dedicated with the name, The Joseph W. Milner Stadium. Following his graduation from the Washington and Lee Law School in 1915, he became associated with the Coca Cola Bottling Company in Gulfport, a firm he has operated for 32 years. He is also owner of the Gulf Coast Military Academy, one of the largest such schools in the South. Vitally interested in the general welfare of everyone in the community, he

organized the first united charity work in Gulfport and throughout his life has participated in organizations designed to help those in need.

Morgan Keaton is owner and manager, Robinson & Company, Advertising, 830 Market Street, San Francisco, California. He is regional director for the Bicentennial Campaign for the San Francisco Bay Area. He was a visitor to the campus in January.

George R. Shaw, after receiving the B.A. and M.A. degrees from Washington and Lee, received the Ph.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin in 1920. He is Chief Engineer, Tube Department, R.C.A. Victor Division, Harrison, New Jersey. He has been with the Radio Corporation of America since 1930.

1916

William C. Raftery, recently Director, DuPont Employees' Recreational Association, Waynesboro, Virginia, is now with Van Pelt & Brown, Inc., Retail-Wholesale Druggists, Richmond, Virginia. His home is at 207 College Avenue, Ashland, Virginia.

Paul R. Scott is practicing law in Miami, Florida, with offices in the First National Bank Building. He is Chairman of the Board of the First National Bank of Miami and Director, National Airlines, Inc. Mailing address: P.O. Box 1069, Miami, Florida.

John J. C. Myers is President, Central Supply and Equipment Company, 908 Perryville Street, Danville, Kentucky.

1917

Dr. T. Preston White received his M.D. from the University of Pennsylvania Medical School in 1922. He is practicing his profession at 211 Hawthorne Lane, Charlotte, North Carolina. His son, James J., is now a student at Washington and Lee.

Col. Milton B. Rogers of New York, former director of the Washington and Lee Bicentennial Campaign, has purchased Mountain View, the home of the late Archibald H. Paxton near Ben Salem Church in Rockbridge County. The property consists of the home and 43 acres of land. Col. Rogers will not occupy the residence for some time.

Gus Ottenheimer practiced law in Little Rock, Arkansas, from 1917 to 1922. In 1925 he became associated with his brother in the manufacture of ladies' and children's wearing apparel under the firm name of Ottenheimer Brothers Manufacturing Company. Address: Victory at Second, Little Rock, Arkansas.

George N. Danielson has been with the United States Naturalization Service from 1918 to the present time. Address: 1409 Ashland Avenue, St. Paul 5, Minnesota.

1918

Raymond M. Bear is an Aeronautical Engineer specializing in Aircraft Propellers, Power Plant Division, Bureau of Aeronautics, Navy Department, Washington, D.C.

Luther L. MacKinnon is in the meat packing business, owner of Farmers Market Packing Company, at 1132 Packing House Road, Marianna, Florida.

Otto M. Stumpf practiced law in Norfolk, Virginia, for

two years after graduation and then opened offices in Richmond, Virginia, in 1921, at 703 Mutual Building, Richmond, Virginia.

Francis H. Styles, American Consulate General, Shanghai, China, Department of State, Division of Foreign Service, Washington, D. C., has just returned to this country from Shanghai, China, where he was arranging for the evacuation of Americans and his own departure. His home is in Falls Church, Virginia.

William H. Smith is practicing law at 165 Luckie Street, N.W., Washington, D. C.

1919

Dr. William J. Bryan, Jr., received his M.D. from Baylor University Medical School in 1921. He is practicing his profession at 801 Medical Arts Building, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Norman R. Miller is owner of Miller Studio, 322 West Main Street, Ephrata, Pennsylvania.

Douglas E. Leckie has been associated with various Leckie coal companies since leaving college. He is Manager of Leckie Coal Company, 1005 American Building, P. O. Box 255, Richmond, Virginia.

Clifford McC. Peale is manager, Chicago sales office, Fostoria (Ohio) Pressed Steel Corporation, 39 South LaSalle Street, Chicago 3, Illinois. He received the degree of M.B.A. from Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration in 1925.

Nelson L. Brown has many business interests. He is a farmer, dairyman, bus operator, creamery operator, director and vice-president, Cold Spring Cooperative Creamery. His home is at Natural Bridge, Virginia.

1920

Robert E. Baumgardner is a chemist with Maryland State Inspection and Regulatory Service, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland. He is also Director and Secretary, Frederick Brick Works, Frederick, Maryland.

Hugh M. Shirey is manager, Rochester office, Tucker Armstrong Company, 16 East Main Street, Rochester, New York.

Edward G. Bailey is Chief of Valuation, Federal Housing Administration, Room 513, Parcel Post Building, Richmond, Virginia.

Lieutenant-Colonel Carl A. Foss is located at Selective Service Headquarters, 76 State Street, Albany 1, New York.

Joseph M. Glickstein has engaged in the general practice of law since October, 1920, at Jacksonville, Florida. His offices are in the Guaranty Trust and Savings Bank Building, P. O. Box 164, Jacksonville, Florida.

1921

Dr. Daniel Blain is quoted in the Medicine Department of of Time, November 15, 1948, as saying that cancer propaganda is supposed to educate the public, but what it actually does is scare people. Dr. Blain, medical director of the American Psychiatric Association, told the American Cancer Society's annual meeting in Manhattan that its propaganda was "big club" stuff, largely based on fear.

Dr. John W. Bowyer is professor of English at Southern Methodist University, Dallas 5, Texas. He received the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from Harvard University after graduation here with the B.A. and M.A. degrees.

Gayle G. Armstrong is in the general contracting business in Roswell, New Mexico. His son, Billie Burke Armstrong, was a student here from 1939 to 1941.

John Franklin Bain is owner and manager of a peanut shelling plant. He has been connected with the Bain Peanut Company, Albany, Georgia, since graduation.

Dr. Ramon D. Garcin received his medical degree from the Medical College of Virginia, and is now practicing his profession at 318 North 25th Street, Richmond 23, Virginia.

1922

Dewey A. Reynolds is senior chemist with the Central Experiment Station, U. S. Bureau of Mines, 4800 Forbes Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

W. Edwin Neblett has been Commonwealth's Attorney, Lunenburg County, since 1924. Address: Lunenburg, Virginia.

Matthew C. G. Henderson has been in the job printing business since leaving school. Address: 410 Plume Street, Norfolk, Virginia.

Love B. Rouse has been practicing law in Bristol, Virginia, since 1923. He was District Counsel for Home Owner's Loan Corporation from 1932 to 1934, and Commonwealth's Attorney for Bristol, from 1929 to 1942.

1923

Dr. Herbert L. Elias received his M.D. from Harvard Medical School in 1927. He served as a Commander in the Navy in World War II, and is now practicing his profession at 199 De Mott Avenue, Rockville Center, New York. He married Frances Wilson in 1935 and they have three sons, Allen, Richard and Joseph.

Colonel Andrew H. Harriss, C.A., A.U.S., was recently honored by His Majesty, King George VI, of Great Britain, by his appointment as an Honorary Officer, Military Division, of The Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, for outstanding services rendered the British Army and Colonial troops of South Carribean Area and Trinidad Garrison, Trinidad, British West Indies, while serving as Executive Officer, and, later, as Commanding Officer, post of Port-of-Spain, U.S. Army, Trinidad, British West Indies, between the dates of 1943 and 1944. Colonel Harriss was released from active duty overseas in March, 1946, and at the time of his return to the States was in command of Antilles General Depot, U.S. Army, based at Trinidad, and serving the Lower Carribean Area. He received the Legion of Merit in 1945 and the Army Commendation Ribbon in 1946. Address: 609 Dock Street, Wilmington, North Carolina.

O. Forrest McGill is with Mortgage Loan Department of The Prudential Insurance Company of America, Newark, New Jersey.

1924

Thomas P. Duncan, Jr., is in general business, real estate, stocks, farms for hunting, etc. Home address: 1145 First Street, North, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Matthew P. Matheney is practicing law at 314 East Elm Street, El Dorado, Arkansas. He is also Secretary-Treasurer, El Dorado Foundry, Machine & Supply Co., Incorporated, El Dorado.

Dr. Joe S. McMath received his M.D. from Emory University in 1928. He is practicing his profession at 505 Wyoming Avenue, Lockland 15, Ohio.

Edward D. Gibson has been connected with the automobile business in various capacities since leaving Washington and Lee. He is now a Studebaker dealer at 217 Park Avenue, East, Mansfield, Ohio.

Thomas Henry Clay is farming at Route No. 4, Paris, Kentucky.

1925

Robert F. Bolling is a salesman for Caldwell-Sites Company, Roanoke, Virginia. He is a frequent welcome visitor to the Alumni Office.

Greenberry Simmons received his high school education at Randolph Macon Military Academy and thereafter spent nine and a half years in colleges and universities. He is a corporation lawyer with offices in the Kentucky Home Life Building, Louisville, Kentucky.

Clarence E. Hinkle is a member of the law firm of Hervey, Dow and Hinkle, J. P. White Building, Roswell, New Mexico.

William A. McRitchie is Trust Officer, Guaranty Trust Company of New York. He practiced law in Miami, Florida, following graduation until becoming associated with the above company. Address: care of Guaranty Trust Company of New York, 140 Broadway, New York 15, New York.

E. Morris Abernathy, while using his legal training and experience in his work, is now doing estate planning, pension work and business life insurance for the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, office at 200 Royster Building, Norfolk, Virginia. He practiced law from 1926 to 1940.

1926

Robert Chester Smith is an Industrial Relations Consultant with Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Company, at 79 East Adams Street, Chicago 3, Illinois.

Ralph I. Daves is Manager of the State Theatre, Lexington, Virginia. He is one of two alumni representatives on the Washington and Lee Athletic Committee.

R. A. Fulton was with Armstrong Cork Company, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, from graduation until 1945. Since that time he has been operating his own business—wholesale floor covering, at 919 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 7, Pennsylvania.

Dr. Henry Lee, after graduation here, received the M.D. degree from Johns-Hopkins and Ph.D. from the University of Cincinnati. He has been engaged in the private practice of medicine in Roanoke, Virginia, since 1936. Address: 806 Medical Arts Building, Roanoke, Virginia.

1927

Allen Harris is President of Harris Manufacturing Company, Johnson City, Tennessee, and last December was elected president of the National Oak Flooring Manufacturers' Association, with headquarters in Memphis, and now

has a full schedule with this new office coupled with his regular work.

R. Wilbur Simmons is minister of Park Congregational Church, 803 Tenth Avenue, Greeley, Colorado. After graduation here he had four years in graduate work at Yale and served churches in Connecticut and Oregon before going to Colorado. He was sent to Europe by his denomination last summer to study relief needs there. He is married and has two fine sons, Robert Wilbur, Jr., and Frank Chapman.

Richard S. Barnett has been in the farming business since graduation. He writes that they now have approximately 13,000 acres in cultivation, mostly in cotton and rice, and operate four gins and three stores in this connection. He is Vice-President and Manager of Elms Planting Company, Altheimer, Arkansas.

Charles L. Claunch is a member of the firm of Tabor, Chambliss, Swafford & Claunch, attorneys-at-law, Chattanooga Bank Building, Chattanooga 2, Tennessee.

Fanning Hearon, after service with the Navy, went with RKO in New York. The first of the year he returned to California, where he has a ranch at RFD No. 3, Box 610, Ojai, California. Ojai is inland from Santa Barbara, about 30 miles southeast.

Luther H. Redcay has been with the Department of Public Assistance, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, since March, 1938. He is married and has two daughters, Elizabeth C. and Helen C. Home address: 12 South Front Street, Selinsgrove, Pennsylvania.

Harold R. Sullivan, after leaving Washington and Lee, received the LL.B. degree from Detroit College in 1930, and has been in the general practice of his profession since that time. Address: 1145 Ford Building, Detroit 26, Michigan.

1928

Bern K. Bullard, Jr., graduated from Parsons School of Design in New York City, and is now Art Instructor, Ringling School of Art, Sarasota, Florida.

Dr. John M. Spence, Jr., received the M.D. degree from Johns-Hopkins Medical School after graduation here, and is now practicing medicine at 2903 North Charles Street, Baltimore 18, Maryland.

W. D. Bach has been with the Sherrill Oil Company since graduation here. He is Secretary-Treasurer, Sherrill Oil Company and Director, Sherrill Terminal Company, Pensacola, Florida.

A recent issue of Pure Oil publication carries a picture of Frontis W. Sherrill making the presentation of a mahogany desk to Rear Admiral Wagner at a banquet tendered the Admiral by the Chamber of Commerce of Pensacola, Florida, of which Sherrill is president. Mr. Sherrill is in the Petroleum Marketing business under the firm name of Sherrill Oil Company, P. O. Box 1551, Pensacola, Florida.

1929

Robert W. Pharr is practicing law in Memphis, Tennessee, with offices in Commerce Title Building. He is now active in the local Reserve, commanding the 300th Composite Group, and was instrumental in organizing an Army-Navy Club in Memphis, which has proved very popular.

William B. Lott, after returning from 4½ years in the Army, went back with the Trade Commission, in its southern office in New Orleans, at 1031 Federal Office Building, New Orleans 12, Louisiana.

Earnest E. Sanders received the LL.B. degree from Texas University after leaving Washington and Lee, and has been practicing law in Fort Worth, Texas, since 1929. He is a member of the law firm of Simon, Synn, Sanders and Jones, 1608 Fort Worth National Bank Building, Fort Worth, Texas

Dr. O. Norris Smith had four years in Medical School after graduation here, five years in hospital work and almost four years in the Army. Since that time he has been in private practice in Greensboro, North Carolina. He married Rebecca West and they have one son, Henry Louis, II, now seven years old. Address: 363 North Elm Street, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Tom P. Wright is Superintendent of Great Falls Public Schools, Great Falls, South Carolina. After leaving school he taught for three years at Dayton, Virginia, and since that time has been in Great Falls. He has three children, a girl twelve and two boys, nine and five.

Allen Morgan is Executive Vice-President of the First National Bank of Memphis, Memphis, Tennessee. He has been in the securities and banking business ever since leaving college. Norfleet Turner, '24, is president of this bank.

William A. MacDonough is Promotion Manager, Advertising and Sales, Coolerator Company, Duluth 1, Minnesota.

1930

Frank L. Shipman has been in the private practice of law since leaving college, except for twenty-six months in military service. He is a member of the firm of Shipman and Shipman, 14 South Plum Street, Cornwall Building, Troy, Ohio.

James N. Hess has been with the Carbide and Carbon Corporation since 1934. He is now Office Manager, Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corporation, 30 East 42nd Street, New York 17, New York.

Gregg Kurth is Assistant Manager, Krause & Managan, 3900 Hemphill Street, Fort Worth, Texas.

Thomas D. Shumate is practicing law in Irvine, Kentucky.

Robert E. Clapp received the L.L.B. degree from Harvard Law School after graduation here. He practiced law in Frederick, Maryland, and was elected to the State Legislature, 1939-1943, was released from the Army in 1946 and returned to the private practice of law, with offices at 25 North Court Street, Frederick, Maryland.

M. Philo Lindsey was in the retail lumber business with his father until 1936 when he went into business for himself. Address: P. O. Box 255, Mobile, Alabama.

1931

Beverly J. Lambert, Jr., is a banker and merchant, Holly Grove, Arkansas. He served with the 8th Air Force in England for 19 months.

J. L. Lytle, Jr., after leaving Washington and Lee, received the degree of B.S. in economics from the Wharton School of Finance, University of Pennsylvania. He is now in

the real estate and general insurance business, with offices at 209 Gibbs Building, San Antonio, Texas.

William S. Sandifer is farming at Flatwood Farms, P. O. prawer 42, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

William P. Ballard entered the seafood business after graduation here. Address: 513 Front Street, Norfolk, Virginia.

William B. Hill, after leaving Washington and Lee, received the degree of B.S. and L.L.B., from the University of Virginia. After engaging in newspaper work and farming he returned to the practice of law last year and is now in Boydton, Virginia.

1932

Joseph L. Wright has been appointed General Superintendent of the American Yarn and Processing Company, Mount Holly, North Carolina, and took over his duties there on February 1, 1949. He married the former Louise Patton of Fountain Inn, South Carolina, and they have two sons, Joe, Jr., age 7, and Glenn Patton, age 3.

Charles Blake, head of the Charles H. Blake Productions, has been given a Special Award of Merit by the Manuscripters Club of Los Angeles for his original musical revue "Around the Town." The largest writers club in the west honored him for having produced "the most outstanding contribution to the American community theatre in 1948." Having been Director of the Louisville Civic Theatre and of Little theatres in New England, Blake decided to confine his stag activities to community theatres. He organized his own production company and has won a reputation as an outstanding producer in the comunity theatre. Recently he handled the Hasty Pudding Club show for Harvard University. Address: 6365 Selma Avenue, Hollywood 28, California.

Robert M. Avent is practicing law at 1514 Barnett National Bank Building, Jacksonville 2, Florida.

John S. Teggart is a lumber, building supply dealer and general contractor in Brownsville, Pennsylvania. He is vice-president and general manager of the company. Address: Jackson Street, Brownsville, Pennsylvania.

Eli H. Fink is now in the private practice of law with offices at 700 Atlantic National Bank Building, Jacksonville, Florida. He served as Assistant City Attorney of Jacksonville from 1937 to 1942; from 1942 to 1946 in the U.S. Navy, receiving the rank of Lt. Commander; 1946 to 1947 as City Solicitor; and is again in private practice.

James E. Leslie is with the West Virginia Department of Public Assistance, and also the Pitts Theatres, Inc. Address: Shenandoah Valley Bank Building, Martinsburg, West Virginia.

Thomas W. Hancock is a retail merchant, owner of Hancock's Variety Store, Morocco, Indiana.

Charles A. Wood, Jr., graduated from West Virginia University with the A.B. degree before entering the Washington and Lee Law School. He is now practicing law in Charleston, West Virginia. Address: Box 484, Charleston 4, West Virginia,

1933

Claude A. LaVarre, after graduation here, has represented the Singer Sewing Machine Company in various places in South America. He was recently transferred from Havana, Cuba, to Panama. Address: care of Singer Sewing Machine Company, Apartado Postel 155, Panama, Republic of Panama.

William H. H. Wertz received the LL.B. degree after graduation here, and is now practicing law at 127 East Liberty Street, Wooster, Ohio.

Thomas Deal Blanchard is President-Treasurer, Blanchard and Turner, Incorporated, retail fuel and hardware, 3410 High Street, Portsmouth, Virginia.

Henry F. Arnold purchased the Cullman Tribune, Cullman, Alabama, in 1937. He is in the printing and publishing business.

William F. Stone, after graduation from the Washington and Lee Law School, received the degree of L.L.M. from Atlanta Law School. He is practicing law with offices in the Professional Building, Martinsville, Virginia.

1934

Albert M. Fowler, since graduation here, has practiced law, operated coal mines, operated hotel and served two years in the U.S. Navy as a commissioned officer. He is now an attorney-at-law and hotel manager. Address: Hotel Belleville, Belleville, Illinois.

Samuel A. Woolford is Manager, Retail Stores Division, John Lucas and Company, Incorporated, 322 Race Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, having served with this company in various capacities since 1935.

William W. Barron is practicing law with offices in the Hutton Building, Elkins, West Virginia.

Holmes Dyer, returning from service with the Navy after becoming Commanding Officer of the U.S.C.G.C. Onondaga, is now employed by the Acushuet Process Company of New Bedford, Massachusetts, as sales representative for mechanical rubber products in New York City, New Jersey and Philadelphia. He was married to the former Peggy Cruickshank, Sweet Briar, in 1937. Address: 15 Sixth Avenue, Atlantic Highlands, New Jersey.

Dr. John D. Battle is on the permanent staff of the Cleveland Clinic in the department of Internal Medicine. Home address: 3120 Coleridge Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

1935

Thomas L. Coley, actor and playwright, is co-author with William Roerick in "The Happiest Years," produced at the Berkshire Playhouse in Stockbridge, Massachusetts, last August. During the war Coley served in Alaska in the Military Police and Roerick was in "This Is the Army." Prior to the Berkshire showing, "The Happiest Years" was produced by the authors in the wards of veterans' hospitals, both authors on different occasions taking the lead.

John A. Newton is in the Office of Division Counsel, Bureau of Internal Revenue, 2000 Lincoln-Liberty Building, Broad and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia 7, Pennsylvania.

John D. Spohr is Divisional Manager, Fleet-Wing Corporation, Midland Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

Albert T. Hickin is master and coach in Texas County Day School, Dallas, Texas.

E. C. Clements was admitted to the Mississippi Bar in

1935; entered the firm of Clements and Clements, and since that date has pursued the general practice of law. Address: Rolling Fork, Mississippi.

1936

Milton A. Honig is manufacturers' representative, chemicals and dyestuffs; partner, Chemical Products Company; president, Do-All Packaging Corporation and secretary, Mildon, Incorporated, General Exporters. Address: 1775 Broadway, New York 19, New York.

Harry Lee Bowman is store manager for Roberts Jewelry Stores, 286 North Hawthorne Boulevard, Hawthorne, California.

Roland W. Hyatt, Jr., is merchandise manager for a department store at 822 West Lincoln, Freeport, Illinois.

Ben A. Thirkield, his wife and daughter, were scheduled to sail from New Orleans on December 10, for Johannesburg, Africa, where Mr. Thirkield will be attached to the office of the American Consulate General as Information Officer. Address: Information Officer, Johannesburg, Africa, Department of State, Washington 25, D. C.

Charles A. Sweet, Jr., is director and vice-president of The North Side Bank and Trust Company, Bristol, Connecticut.

James A. Robertson is a tobacco buyer. His home is at 411 West Main Street, Danville, Virginia.

1937

James A. Blalock was recently appointed an attorney with F.T.C. for duty with their section on Trade Practice Conferences with specific assignment to the Rule Making functions of that section. Address: care of Federal Trade Commission, (Trade Practice Conferences), Washington, D. C.

Edward E. Stover practiced law with the firm of Gebhardt and Gebhardt in Clinton, New Jersey, until October 1938 and then opened offices for the private practice of law in the First National Bank Building, Washington, New Jersey.

Rev. Horace L. Bachelder attended Heidelberg University in 1937-1938; received the M.A. degree from Duke University in 1942, and B.D. from Yale University in 1947. He is now minister of the Atkinson Memorial Congregational Church, 710 Sixth Street, Oregon City, Oregon.

Robert R. Radcliff has been a research chemist with the E. I. DuPont Company, P. O. Box 525, Wilmington 98, Delaware, since 1945. He received his M.S. in Chemistry from Pennsylvania State College after graduation here.

Ben E. Schull is in the insurance business at 705 Sycamore Building, Terre Haute, Indiana.

1938

Henry T. Merritt, after serving in the U. S. Navy from 1940 to 1945, is now back in the practice of law with the firm of Brown and Eldred, 602 Kentucky Home Life Building, Louisville, Kentucky.

Gerald M. Lively received the degree of J.D. from University of Michigan School of Law in 1941. He is associated with the law firm of Britt and Benson, 519 Commerce Building, Kansas City, Missouri.

Thomas P. Waring, Jr., after receiving his A.B. (premedical) degree here, was graduated from Yale University School of Medicine in 1942. He is now Orthopedic Surgeon, University Hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

1939

Frank M. Hankins, Jr., is still in the retail lumber and building materials business at 12 Broad Street, Bridgeton, New Jersey. He is married and has a son, Brent Glaser Hankins, now four months old.

William Roy Hogan is a Petroleum Geologist now located at 3201 Hollywood, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Edgar A. Basse, Jr., is in the grocery business with his father. He is now Assistant Manager of the firm. Address: 819 Buena Vista Street, San Antonio, Texas.

A. H. Turpin, Jr., is Home Office Representative with the Aetna Life Insurance Company, 312 Helm Building, Fresno 1, California. He was married October 30, 1948, to Betty Brannon of Madison, Wisconsin.

1940

Oswald B. McEwan received his A.B. degree from University of Florida before entering the Law School here. He is now in the general practice of law at 419-23 American Building, Orlando, Florida.

Arthur Wilkinson Mann, Jr., is a Lieutenant Commander, Naval Supply Depot, Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania.

Lieutenant Colonel Franklin A. Nichols was appointed a regular Army officer in July, 1946. He is with the 20th Fighter Group. Address from which mail will be forwarded: 43 Bolling Road, Alexandria, Virginia. He married Harriett Ann Rogers in 1941 and they have a son, Allen Rogers Nichols, born April 14, 1946.

Robert A. Dementi is a partner in Dementi Studios, portrait and commercial photographers at Grace and Second Streets, Richmond 19, Virginia.

Charles C. Curl, Jr., is with Pan American Grace Airways, Incorporated, Lima, Peru, as an Airline Transport pilot.

1941

George Ladd Gassman is with the production control department, Arcade Manufacturing Division, Rockwell Manufacturing Company, Freeport, Illinois, where he has been since his discharge from the Army in December, 1945.

John Thomas Perry received the degree of B.S.E. from the University of Michigan after graduation here. He is a lumberman, contractor, with offices at 311 North Ashland Avenue, Lexington, Kentucky.

Clarke C. Foster is in Germany, flying the Berlin Lift. His home address is Box 911, Decatur, Illinois.

William C. Soule is teaching in Wake Forest College, School of Law, Wake Forest, North Carolina.

Clifford B. Curtis is now at the United States Naval School Monterey, California. Home address: 435 East Randolph Street, Glendale, California.

Alvin T. Fleishman is Comptroller and Partner, Fleish-

man Company, department store, P. O. Box 253, Anderson, South Carolina. He married Florence Rosalie Gesetz in 1945 and their twins, Margaret Rose and Henry Donald were born September 21, 1948.

1942

John Lyle Campbell, Jr., member of the Lexington bar, has been named chairman of the 1949 Red Cross Drive for funds in Rockbridge County.

Charles F. Bagley, Jr., is now practicing law with offices at Suite 1000, First Huntington National Bank Building, Huntington, West Virginia.

Gerhart S. Suppiger, Jr., is in the canned food manufacturing business—G. S. Suppiger Company, 1530 Hadley Street, St. Louis, Missouri.

Dr. Michael Lau, released from the Navy last spring, is now taking a residency at Bellevue Hospital in New York. While waiting for this appointment he had an interesting summer sailing to and from South America as ship's doctor for the Grace Line.

Robert F. Campbell, member of the Citizen-Times news staff, Asheville, North Carolina, since 1947, will be in charge of a news bureau in the Hotel Sir Walter Raleigh, Raleigh, North Carolina, furnishing news coverage on the North Carolina General Assembly which convened in Raleigh on January 5. His work will supplement the legislative coverage of the Associated Press and the United Press. After graduation here in 1942 with the A.B. degree, Campbell received the degree of Master of Science in Journalism from Columbia in 1947.

1943

Alexander M. Maish is a Captain in the Regular Army stationed with the 64th Eng. Topo. Bn, APO 181 San Francisco, California.

James E. McCausland is Assistant Personnel Director, The Lane Company, Incorporated, Altavista, Virginia.

Calvin H. East, Jr., is in sales promotion with Phillips Petroleum Company, 4251 Lindell Boulevard, St. Louis 8, Missouri.

Raymond B. Whitaker is practicing law with offices at 434 Wyoming National Bank Building, Casper, Wyoming.

J. Allen Overton, Jr., now has his own law offices in Parkersburg, West Virginia. He was recently elected a representative to the House of Delegates, on the Republican ticket, from Wood County, West Virginia. Address: Box 1854, Parkersburg, West Virginia.

1944

Thomas William Sommer has begun the practice of law in Charleston, West Virginia, with offices at 221-2 Capitol Street.

Major Robert M. DeHaven is Operations Officer, 146th Fighter Group, ANG, Metropolitan Air Base, Van Nuys, California. Home address: 11564 Chandler Boulevard, North Hollywood, California.

Ed Devol is a reporter and rewrite man for the Courier Journal, Louisville, Kentucky, having started work there in February, 1947.

Edward C. Waddington, Jr., is in the exporting and im-



Howard-Rogers Legal Society, 1948

LEGAL SOCIETY FOUNDED

Washington and Lee saw the foundation of the Howard-Rogers Legal Society in the Spring of 1947, when thirty-eight law students, who planned to practice in West Virginia, banded together primarily to facilitate the transition from the class room to the court room.

The society was named to honor the memory of two Washington and Lee men, James Robert Howard, Gary, West Virginia, and James Patterson Rogers, Wheeling, West Virginia, both members of the class of 1939 at W. and L. and who were killed in service in World War II.

The program so far has consisted of meetings with outstanding members of the legal profession in West Virginia, and organized preparations for the bar examinations. Among those who have addressed the society are Arnold M. Vickers, W. and L., '31, of Montgomery, past president of the West Virginia State Senate, and Seldon S. McNeer, '16, of Huntington, past president of the West Virginia bar association.

porting business with W. R. Grace and Company, 7 Hanover Square, New York, New York. Mailing address: 206 North Main Street, Woodstown, New Jersey.

1945

Harry Lee Harner is in the fuel oil business in Arlington, New Jersey. Address: Box 99, Arlington, New Jersey.

William B. Geise, Jr., in September 1948, completed the 15 months training program with the Vick Chemical Company, known as the Vick Sales and Merchandising Training Program, which carried him all over the United States. At present he is with the Firth Carpet Company, working in all departments of their mill, prior to going on the road as a salesman. Address: 651 Charles Avenue, Kingston, Pennsylvania.

T. Ryland Dodson is a partner in the law firm of Fowler and Dodson, with offices at 613 Masonic Building, Danville, Virginia. He married Dorothy Elizabeth Didlake in 1943 and they have a daughter, Linda Carol Dodson, born April 16, 1948. Their home is in Ringgold, Virginia.

Alan Bauer is a student at the Medical College of South Carolina, Charleston, South Carolina.

Harry Walker Wellford is in the Law School, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

1947

John Morgan Sisley is Athletic Trainer and Teacher of Physical Education at the University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois. Formerly a Major in the U. S. Army, he attended the first class School for Personnel Services at Washington and Lee from 1942 to 1945.

McDonald Lee Stephens is in the automobile business at 730 Carondelet Street, New Orleans, Louisiana. He married Mary Elizabeth Holmes in 1947 and they have a daughter, Ann Lee born July 16, 1948.

Robert Alan Worms is affiliated with an Atlantic City portrait and commercial studio, 2318 Pacific Avenue, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

Robert S. Curl is now an Ensign, U.S.S. Fremont, APA 44, care of P.M., Norfolk, Virginia. Home address: 216 Prairie Street, Helena, Arkansas.

Dr. Charles C. Blackwell received his M.D. from the University of Illinois Medical School in June, 1947. Home address: 2511 Kenilworth Avenue, Wilmette, Illinois.

Marriages

1941

Paul Douglas Brown was married to Dorothy Ann Regan, on January 15, 1949, in Washington, D. C.

1944

Robert Hutcheson Seal was married to Mary Anne Lewis on December 29, 1948, in the First Presbyterian Church, San Antonio, Texas.

1948

Lewis Harris McKenzie was married to Christy Armstrong on November 13, 1948, in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

1949

Thomas Pettit Faulkner was married to Elizabeth Ann Harrison on December 18, 1948, in Saint Matthew's Cathedral, Dallas, Texas.

Births

1933

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hoge Crighton are the parents of a son, Richard Hoge, born December 21, 1948.

1936

Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Durante are the parents of a second son, born January 18, 1949, at Harkness Pavilion, New York City. They have another boy, Jeffrey, two years old.

1937

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Peek, Jr., are the parents of a son, William Partlow Peek, born August 3, 1948.

1938

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald M. Lively are the parents of a daughter, Kristin Gay, born October 23, 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred J. Ritz are the parents of a son, John Sherwood Ritz, born October 24, 1948.

1942

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Worms, Jr., are the parents of a daughter, Susan Lee, born January 28, 1949.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlton Thomas Fuller are the parents of a daughter, Dorothy Alexandra, born December 18, 1948, at Catasauqua, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Didier are the parents of a daughter, Angelica, born January 25, 1949. Their son, D'Arcy, is now 2 years old.

In Memoriam

1878

Dr. R. D. MacLean died in June, 1948, at his home in Hollywood, California. As a student here he registered under the name of Regan Davis Shepard, later changing his name as above. He was a well-known Shakespearian actor for many years.

1887

William G. Armstrong of Galveston, Texas, died January 19, 1949.

1892

William C. Morton died November 10, 1948. His home was in Martinsburg, West Virginia, where he was Clerk of the Circuit Court of Berkeley County.

1895

Edwin F. Hartley died November 6, 1948, in Fairmont, West Virginia.

1905

Rev. Arthur Bittle Obenschain, D.D., pastor of St. Stephens Lutheran Church, Lexington, North Carolina, died suddenly on January 30, 1949, of a cerebral hemorrhage.

1906

Rev. M. R. Turnbull died January 31, 1949. He was retired professor at the General Assembly Training School, Richmond, Virginia.

Richard W. Hynson died January 2, 1949, in Washington, D. C.

Henry Martyn White died November 15, 1948, in Baltimore, Maryland.

Otho Clay Moore died September 6, 1948, in Spokane, Washington.

1912

Southgate Jones died January 3, at Duke Hospital in Durham, North Carolina.

1913

Sylvester Bleckley Fretwell died in Anderson, South Carolina, January 24, 1949, after an illness of several days.

1916

Edmund Magers died January 5 at a private hospital in Atlanta, Georgia.

1927

Robert Erwin Sehorn died January 11, 1949, at his home in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Lieutenant-Commander L. J. (Ty) Rauber died January 31, 1949. He fell overboard from a fishing boat and died when he was being pulled back into the boat, apparently from a heart attack. He was in command of the land division of Guam's Naval Government.



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