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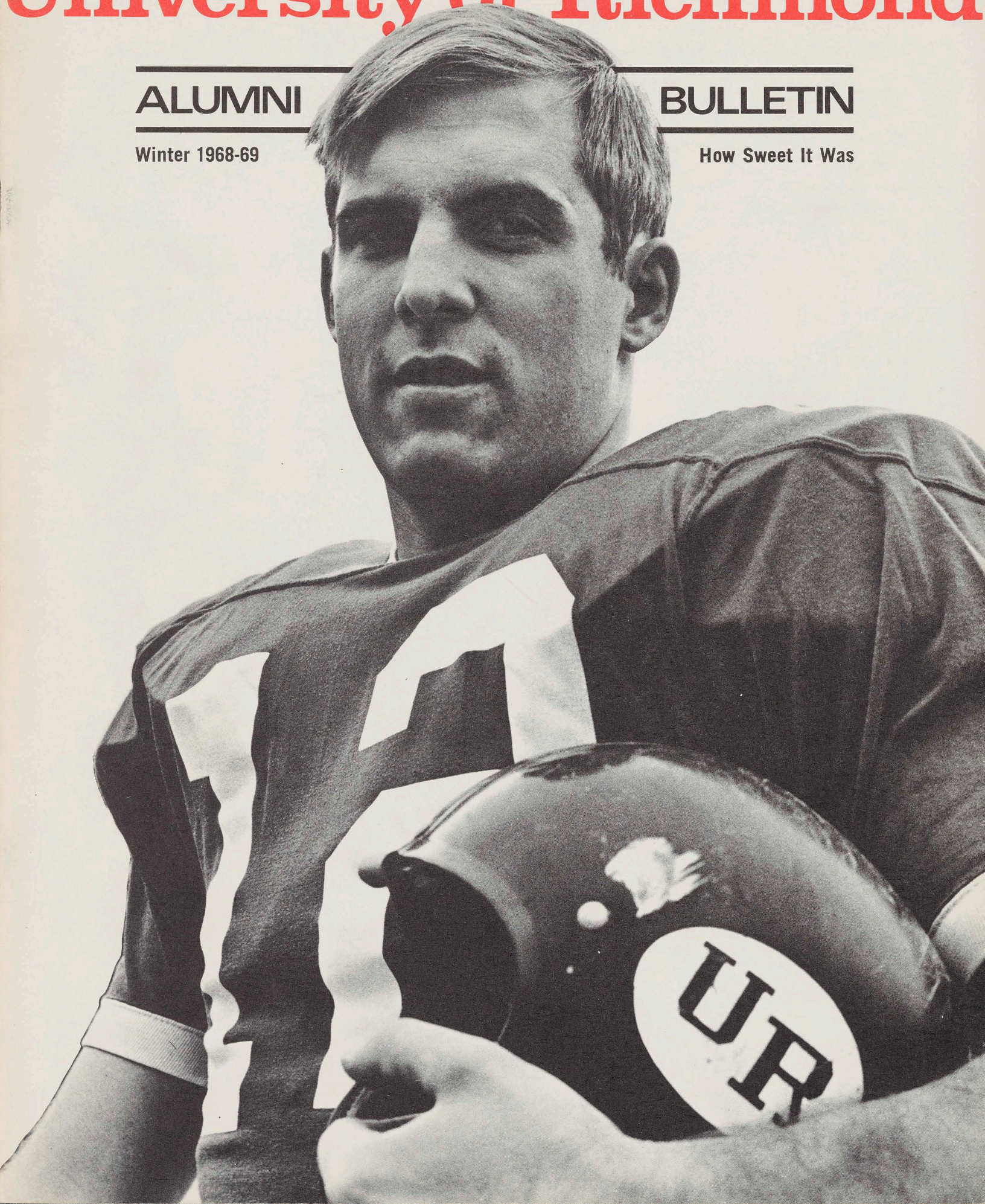
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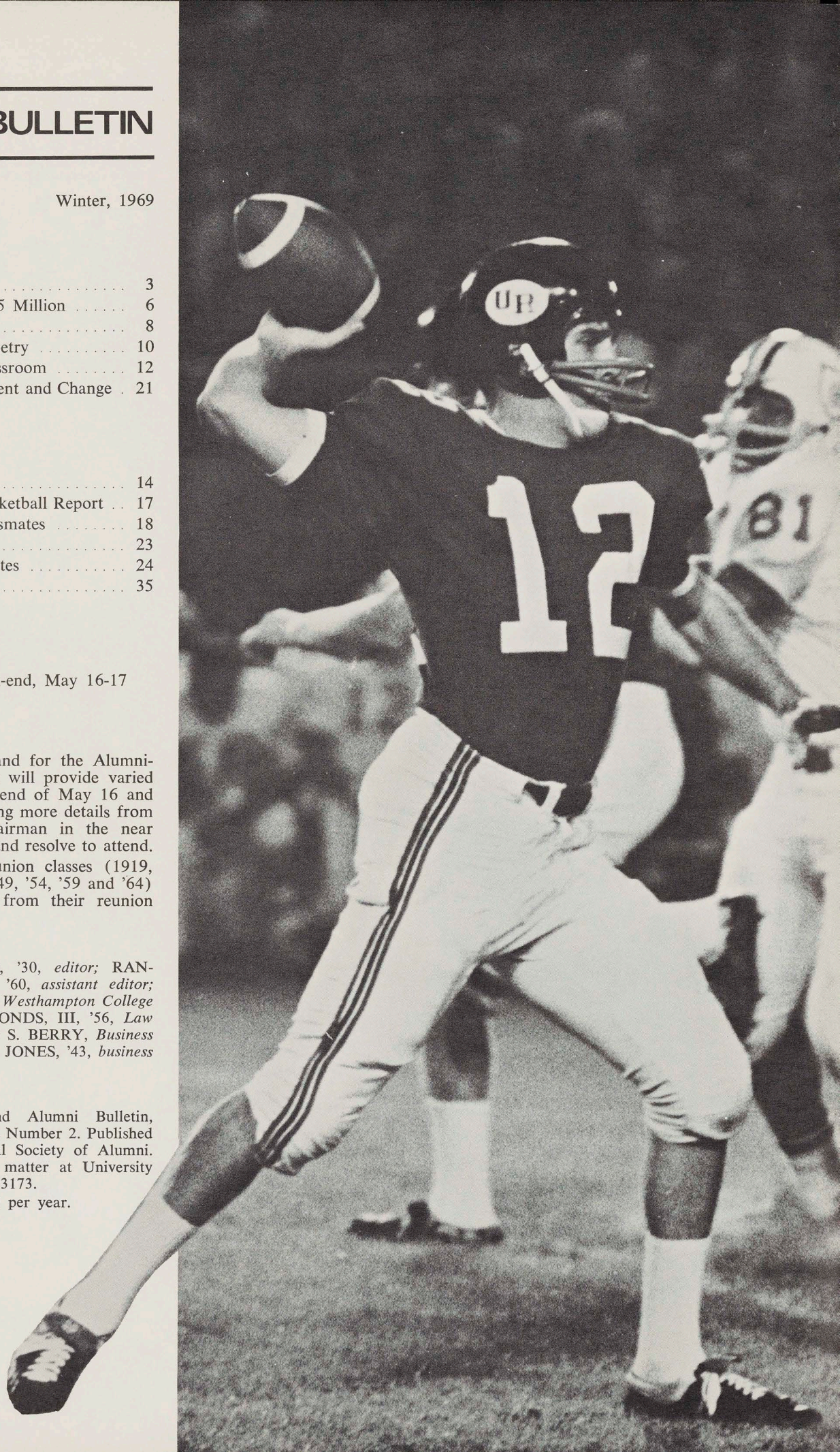
Plan now to be on hand for the Alumni-Alumnae program that will provide varied activities for the week-end of May 16 and 17. You will be receiving more details from your Alumni Day chairman in the near future; circle the date and resolve to attend.

Members of the reunion classes (1919, '24, '29, '34, '39, '44, '49, '54, '59 and '64) will be hearing soon from their reunion chairmen.

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COVER: Buster O'Brien





# HOW SWEET IT WAS

**Richmond Spiders end '68 season with Southern Conference crown and win Tangerine Bowl thriller.**

*By Walter Drewry*

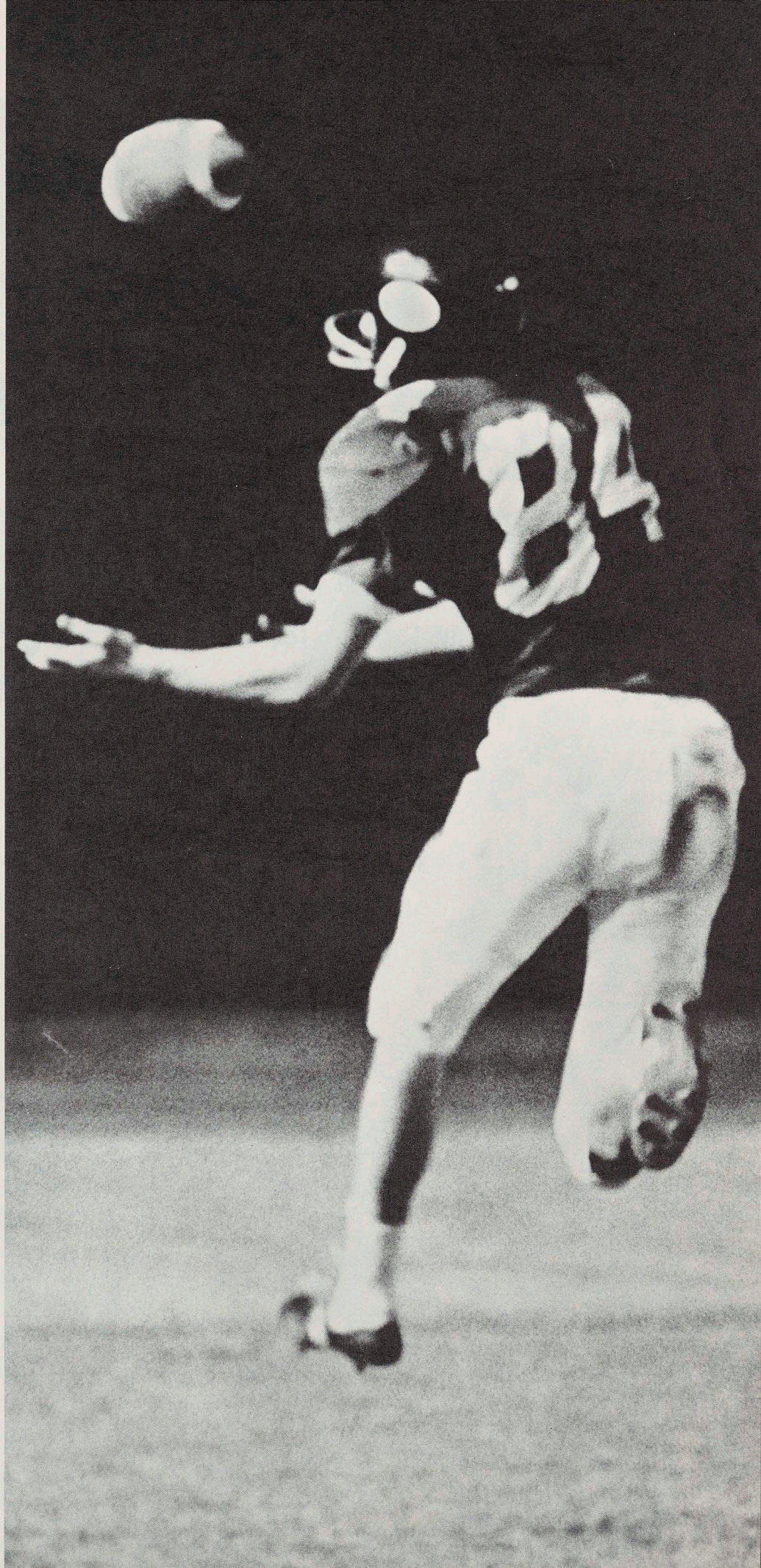
It was a glorious football season for Coach Frank Jones and his University of Richmond Spiders. Richmond captured all six of its Southern Conference games to win its first league crown. Then the surprising Spiders upset fifteenth ranked and previously undefeated Ohio University, the Mid-American champion, 49-42, in one of the finest offensive shows ever staged in Orlando's Tangerine Bowl. Overall the Spiders were 8-3, winning eight of their last nine games.

Jones was named Southern Conference Coach of the Year for the second straight season and also was selected District 3 Coach of the Year. Quarterback Buster O'Brien, the Southern Conference's Player of the Year, and Split End Walker Gillette, a two-time All-Southern selection, were chosen the most valuable back and lineman for their record shattering performance in the Tangerine Bowl.

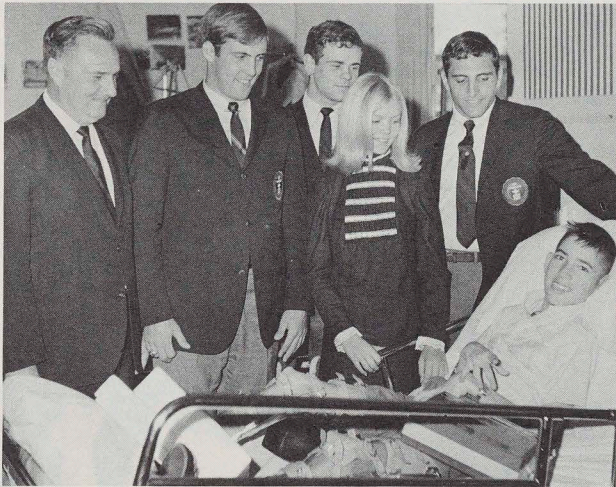
O'Brien, the 6-1, 195-pound whiz from Virginia Beach who ranked tenth among major all-time passers for a career based on completions (349) going into the post-season Tangerine Bowl tilt, completed 39 of 58 passes for 447 yards, all three school and conference records, against the Bobcats. He tossed four touchdown passes against Ohio U., and ran 31 yards for another score as the Spiders rolled up a total offense of 556 yards.

O'Brien, three times selected the Southern Conference's Offensive Player of the Week, had completed 149 passes for 1,961 yards and 21 TDs during the regular season. His career marks going into the Tangerine Bowl contest included 4,424 yards gained passing, with 34 touchdown passes.

Gillette, 6-4, 193-pound junior from Capron, Va., who had caught 101 passes for 1,559 yards (50 this season for 857 yards and eight TDs), caught 20 passes against the Bobcats for 242 yards, both conference marks. / *continued next page*



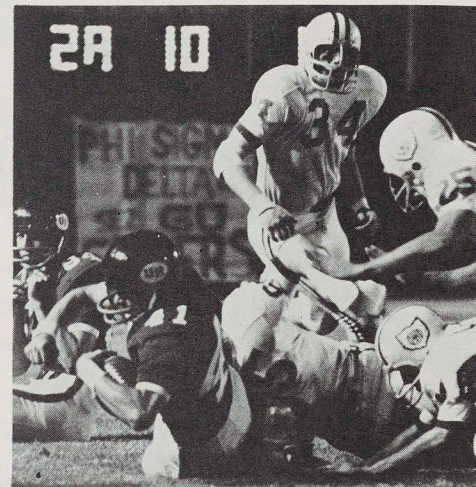




Bowl queen and Spiders visit Florida hospital.



"Coach of the Year"



Kellum gains on the ground.



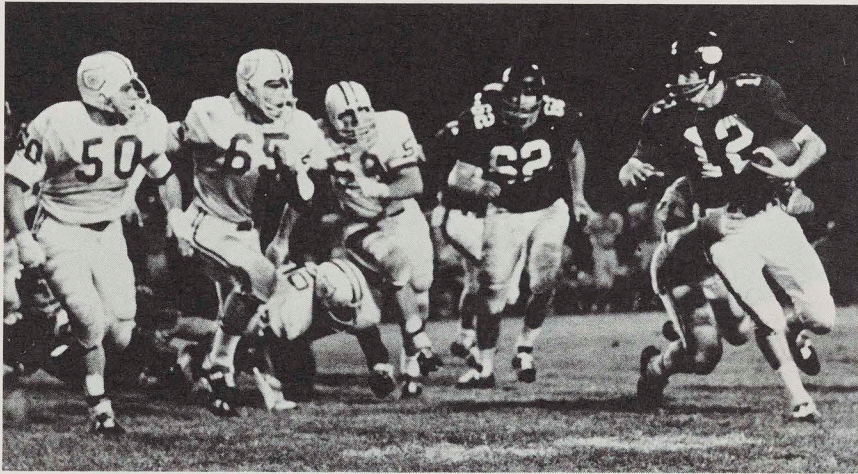
'Twas sweet! Coach Jones shares tangerine with O'Brien, Bixiones, and Coach Lage.

Wayne Fowler, 6-4, 243-pound junior tackle from Glen Burnie, Md., not only was named to the All-Southern team but was winner of the Jacobs blocking trophy. Other Spiders selected on the All-Southern eleven in addition to O'Brien, Gillette and Fowler were Linebacker Pat Turchetta of Holidaysburg, Pa., Middle Guard Dick Irvin of Hastings, Fla., Cornerback Winston Whitehead of Jacksonville, Fla., and Defensive Ends Mel Medved of Coraopolis, Pa., and Richmonder Buzz Montsinger. All are juniors.

The Spiders' "GO" combination of Gillette and O'Brien had to be at their best for Ohio University had a dangerous runner and passer in Quarterback Cleve Bryant, who completed 17 of 33 for 223 yards and ran 17 times for another 74 yards. End Todd Snyder was his favorite receiver, grabbing 11 for 214 yards.

If you like offense the Tangerine Bowl tilt was the one to see. Ohio, favored by 16 points early but by only one touchdown at game time, tallied first. Bryant connected with Snyder on a 48-yard TD pitch and Bill Pataki converted to give the Bobcats a 7-0 lead after 4:09 had elapsed. Spider Safety Jim Altis, a junior college transfer from Roanoke subbing for Tri-captain Mike Bixiones who had dislocated his shoulder, recovered a fumble on the Ohio 44. With 2:51 remaining in the period O'Brien connected with Flanker Jim Livesay, a sophomore from Richmond, on a fourth and 24 situation. Junior Mike Dussault of Wauwatosa, Wis., made the first of his seven extra points of the night to tie the score at 7-all.





O'Brien keeps and sweeps.

The second period was only 2:01 old when the Spiders took a 14-7 lead. A poor Ohio punt gave UR the football on the 31. O'Brien rolled to his right and kept on running into the end zone. Bryant ran seven yards on the keep less than three minutes later to tie the count, 14-all, the score being set up by a 44-yard pass from LeVeck to Snyder.

With 8:39 left before intermission, Senior Halfback Joe Kellum of Rockville, Md., rammed over from the one. Richmond covered 68 yards in eight plays on this one with O'Brien passing 24 and 21 yards to Gillette and 21 yards to Livesay. Altis recovered another Ohio fumble on the Richmond 38. With 4:50 remaining prior to the half, the Spiders took a 28-14 lead as O'Brien passed five yards to Gillette for the TD. Only 33 seconds remained in the half when Ohio cut the Spider advantage to 28-21 on a two-yard pass from Bryant to Snyder, after a 78-yard drive.

At halftime O'Brien had completed 20 of 26 passes for 244 yards and Gillette had caught 14 passes for 190 yards. Richmond as a unit had 299 yards.

With the second half just 4:29 old Bryant passed to Snyder to knot the count at 28-all. Later Livesay punted out of bounds on the Ohio seven and the Spiders came roaring back on a TD drive covering 39 yards. O'Brien's passing set up the score for Kellum from the four. Altis, a super-sub in the game, intercepted a pass on the Ohio 49. Eight plays later Richmond held a 42-28 lead on O'Brien's 12-yard pass to Jim Crenshaw, a Weir, Miss. junior.

Ohio's Snyder ran the kickoff

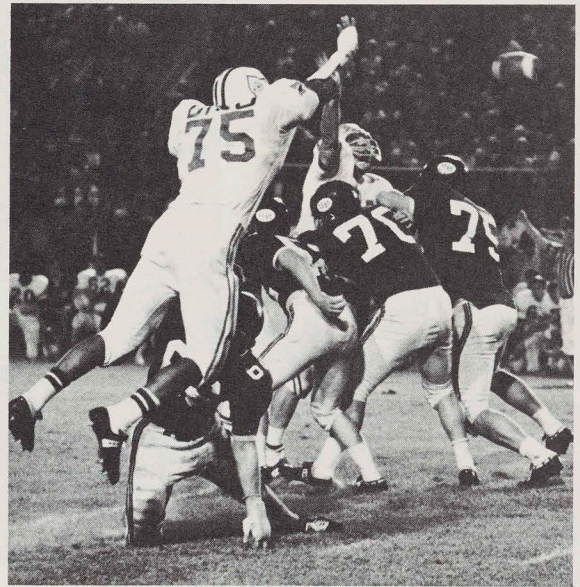
back 89 yards to the Spider's two and LeVeck tallied from that point. However, the Bobcats' Bryant was stopped shy of the goal on the two-point conversion try by Canadian Wayne Tosh.

Richmond went into the final period with a 42-34 lead. Jones' charges increased that advantage to 49-34 on a 15-yard pass from O'Brien to Livesay with 5:29 showing on the clock. O'Brien completed five passes on the 90-yard drive. They included a 10-yarder to Tight End Tommy England, a senior from St. Charles, Va.; 14 and 16-yarders to Crenshaw and a nine-yarder to Livesay in addition to the TD pitch. That proved to be the winning touchdown although Ohio scored again on a two-yard pass from Bryant to Bob Houmar.

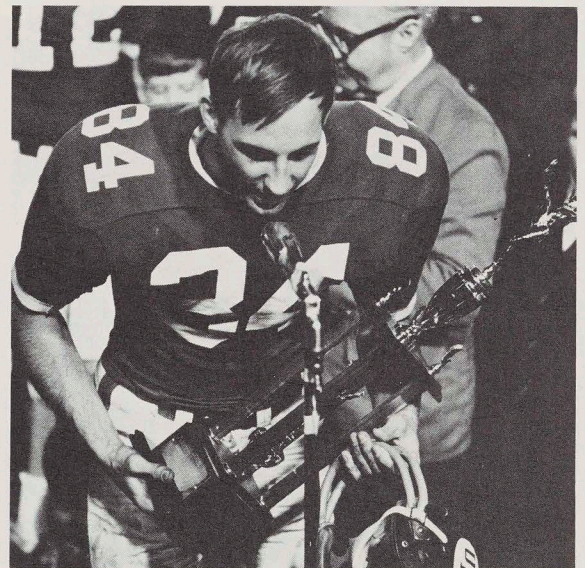
The Spiders concluded their regular season with a 31-6 triumph over William and Mary. O'Brien pitched TD passes of 6, 34 and 56 yards to Gillette, Dussault kicked a 26-yard field goal and sub Quarterback Charlie Richards of Miami, Fla., ran one yard for another six-pointer.

The week before the traditional tilt with the Indians, the Spiders had walloped Southern Mississippi 33-7, as O'Brien threw three pay-off passes to Livesay for 26 and four yards and 29 yards to Sophomore Halfback Frank Olejack of Allentown, Pa. Dussault booted 25 and 35-yard field goals. The Spiders had lost to Virginia Tech, 31-18, the week before despite O'Brien's passing for three touchdowns.

The Spiders crushed VMI, 35-0, on Homecoming Day the previous week, O'Brien throwing a pair of / *continued on page 20.*



Protection up front for Buster.



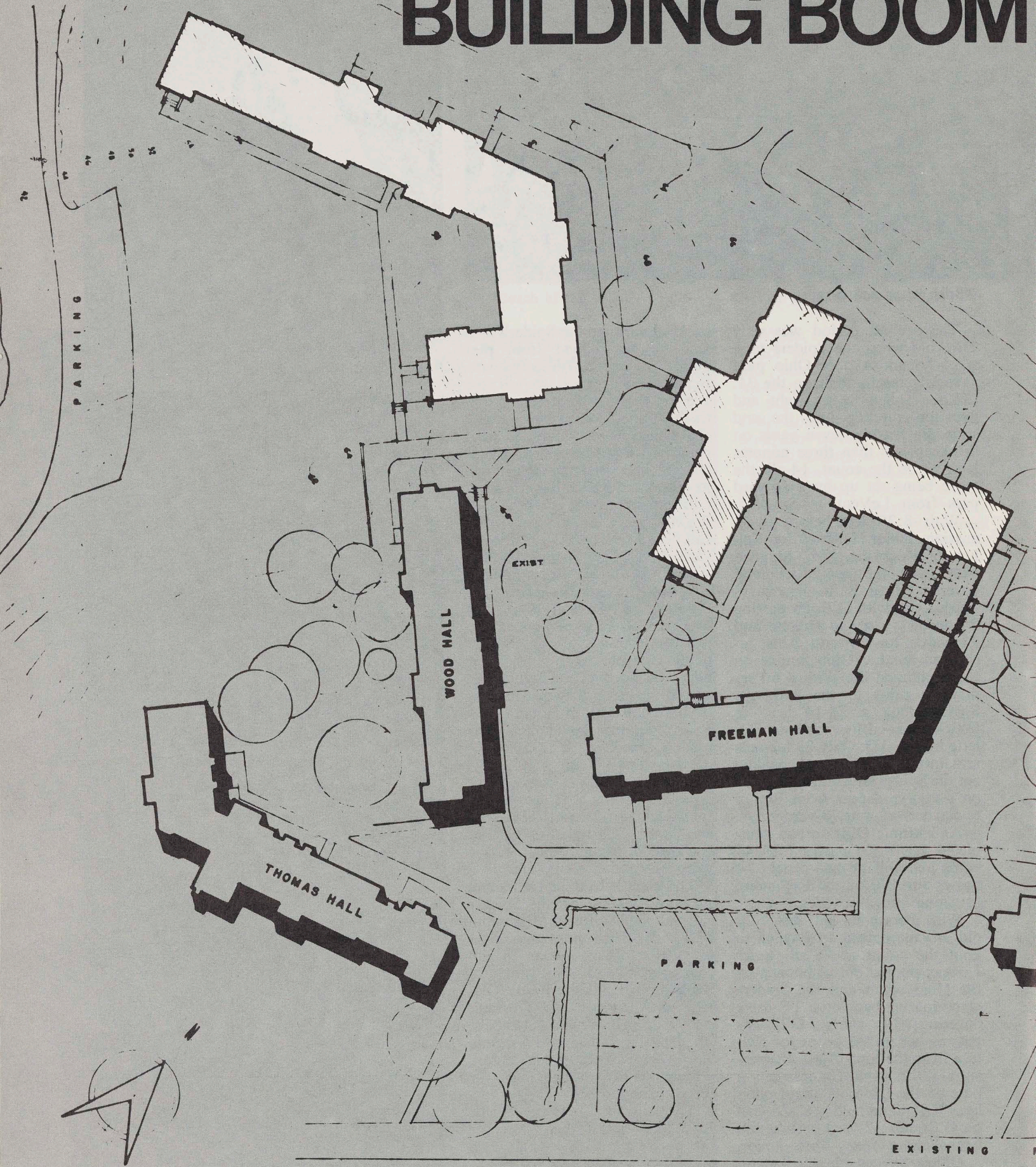
"Most Valuable Lineman"—Split End Walker Gillette.



Grads follow team to bowl, bask in sun.

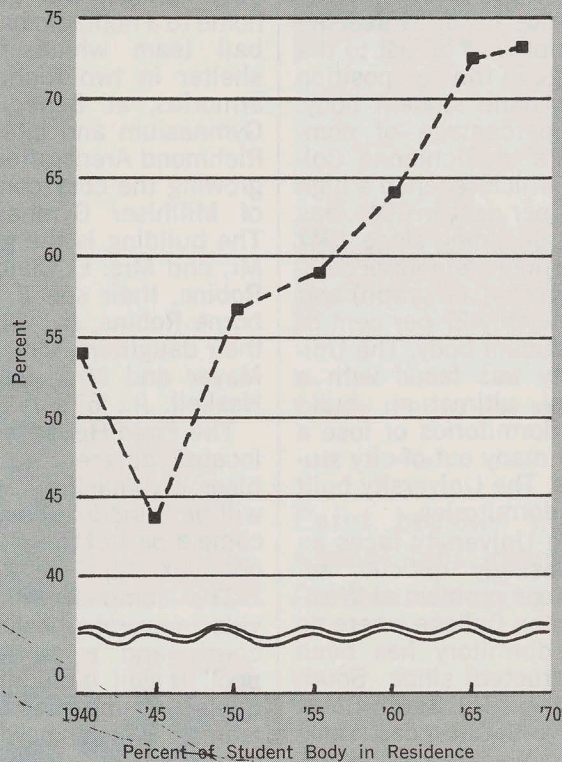
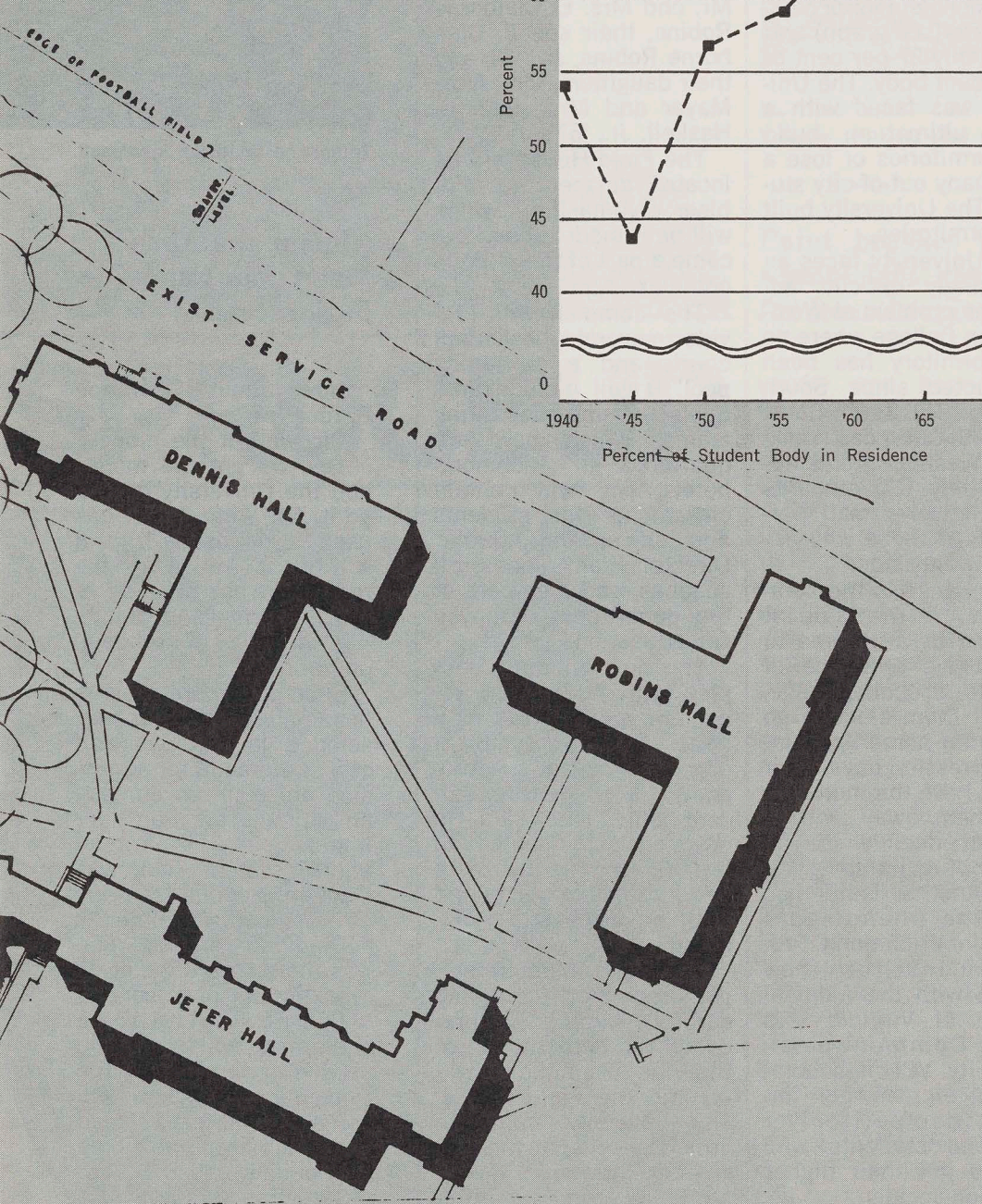


# BUILDING BOOM





# TOPS \$5 MILLION



## Field House launched with Robins family gift; men's dormitory complex grows.

The University of Richmond — currently in the midst of the largest building boom in its history — will launch more than \$5,000,000 in new construction this year.

The centerpiece will be the new Field House soon to be constructed with \$4,000,000 given by E. Claiborne Robins, '31, chairman of the executive committee of the University's Board of Trustees and a former member of its Athletic Council, and other members of the Robins family.

The building, with a 7,500 seating capacity, will "do more for the University's total athletic program than anything that has happened in the school's history," according to President Modlin.

The three-story Field House, red brick with limestone trim will be the most expensive building on the campus, a distinction now held by the magnificent Fine Arts building, constructed and furnished at a cost of \$2,000,000.

The Fine Arts building, its decor and acoustics have been praised by the press and by students, faculty, alumni and the Richmond community. It was dedicated at Homecoming last fall with a Fine Arts Festival that brought to the campus lecturers of national stature and outstanding men and women in performing arts.

Although plans for the Field House are still incomplete, the building



should take form on the drawing board early this spring and ground will be broken later this year. Target date for completion of the structure is 1971.

A contract already has been let for the other major building on the 1969 construction program—a \$1,200,000 dormitory, the largest and most expensive of the six dormitories authorized in President Modlin's administration. These six, together with the original dormitories, Thomas Hall and Jeter Hall, will house 1009 men. With the completion of the new dormitory it will be possible, for the first time in many years, to accommodate all of the resident students in the dormitories. The new building, yet to be named, will accommodate 223 students and another dormitory under construction and scheduled for completion this year, will house 151.

All dormitories are of similar construction—gothic architecture, red brick with limestone trim—and are located in the dormitory complex.

With the completion of the new dormitories and the Field House, the University will have solved most of its pressing needs for buildings, with the exception of a dormitory for Westhampton College and an auditorium sufficiently large to seat all of the University's students. High priorities also have been given to additions to the Student Center and to Ryland Hall which contains both classrooms and administrative offices for Richmond College.

Although the completion of the new dormitories will make it possible to accommodate all male students who wish to live on the campus, the "temporary dormitories" constructed in 1947, to take care of returning veterans, will not be razed—certainly not immediately. These "Green Mansions," so dubbed by Richmond

College students with varying degrees of affection, will be used for student recreation and other University purposes.

There has seldom been a time during the past decade when there was no dormitory under construction on the men's side of the lake as the University attempted to adjust to the change in the composition of its male student body. The percentage of commuters to Richmond College, which reached a high of 57 per cent in 1945, has been declining since 1947 at an increasingly accelerated rate (see graph) and is now only 27 per cent of the student body. The University was faced with a virtual ultimatum: build new dormitories or lose a great many out-of-city students. The University built new dormitories.

The University faces an increasingly difficult admissions problem at Westhampton College where no new dormitory has been constructed since South Court in 1948. South Court and North Court can house 375 of Westhampton's approximately 650 students—a relatively small percentage of those who apply for admission.

The change in the composition of the student body can be attributed to the relative affluence of students of college age. Most of them elect to go away from home and, unlike depression days, their parents have the money to send them away, with a resultant decline in the number of commuting students. Another factor has been the phenomenal growth of Richmond Professional Institute, now merged with the Medical College of Virginia into Virginia Commonwealth University. VCU is becoming an increasingly important competitor for Richmond students who elect to get their higher education locally.

With the completion of the Field House and the

new dormitories, the University's buildings will have a current value of more than \$25,000,000.

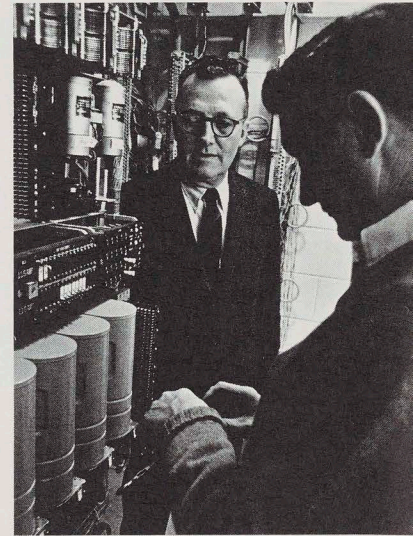
It is doubtful if any of the buildings constructed over all the years has been as urgently sought as the Field House which, among other things, will give a home to a nomadic basketball team which found shelter in two Richmond armories, at Benedictine Gymnasium and later the Richmond Arena after outgrowing the cosy confines of Millhiser Gymnasium. The building is the gift of Mr. and Mrs. E. Claiborne Robins, their son E. Claiborne Robins, Jr., '68, and their daughters, Mrs. Alois Mayer and Mrs. John C. Haskell, Jr., '67.

The Field House will be located adjacent to Millhiser Gymnasium, which will be remodeled and become a part of the athletic complex.

The complex will provide several basketball courts and a swimming pool. It will include adequate housing for visiting teams, which now are quartered in Richmond hotels, and will contain classrooms for students and offices for Athletic Director Frank Jones, all coaches, and members of the department of physical education.

The new building, coupled with Millhiser Gymnasium, will provide facilities for "a complete physical education program for the entire student body," Jones said. He envisioned handball, volleyball, and badminton courts, and "modern and complete gymnastic equipment."

President Modlin emphasized that the same careful planning that preceded the construction of the Fine Arts building will go into the Field House. The University's complete athletic needs, at the varsity and intramural levels, are being studied carefully, he said, before the plans are drawn. ■



Telephone facilities increased.

## Alumni and Alma Mater join Funds in Spruceup.

How about Operation Spruceup?

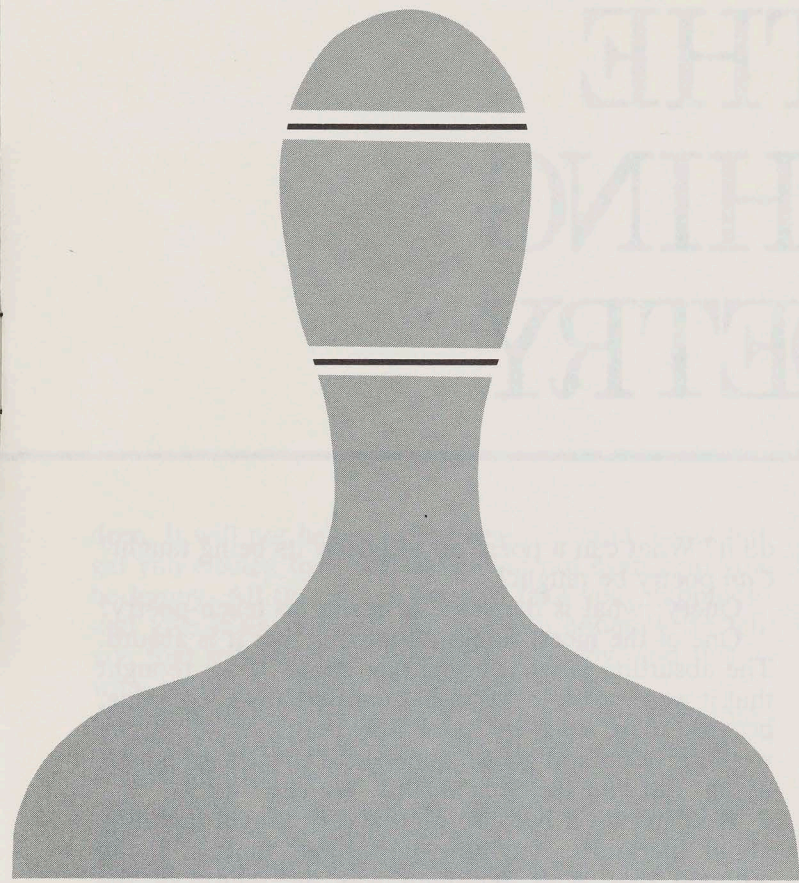
Did we get the money? Yes, we got the money and the University matched it. And Alma Mater has used it, is using it, and will use it—squeezing the maximum out of each of the fifty thousand dollars—for a variety of spruceup operations.

Such as improvements to faculty offices, for new science laboratories and new equipment, for admission office improvements, and (praise the Lord) for improvements in a telephone system that was staggering under an excessive load. (Sometimes getting an outside line was almost as difficult as breaking out of prison!)

The new telephone equipment will speed up service to and from the University and also will carry the increased load of phones in the new Fine Arts building.

Spruceup was one of a number of cooperative ventures in which the Uni-

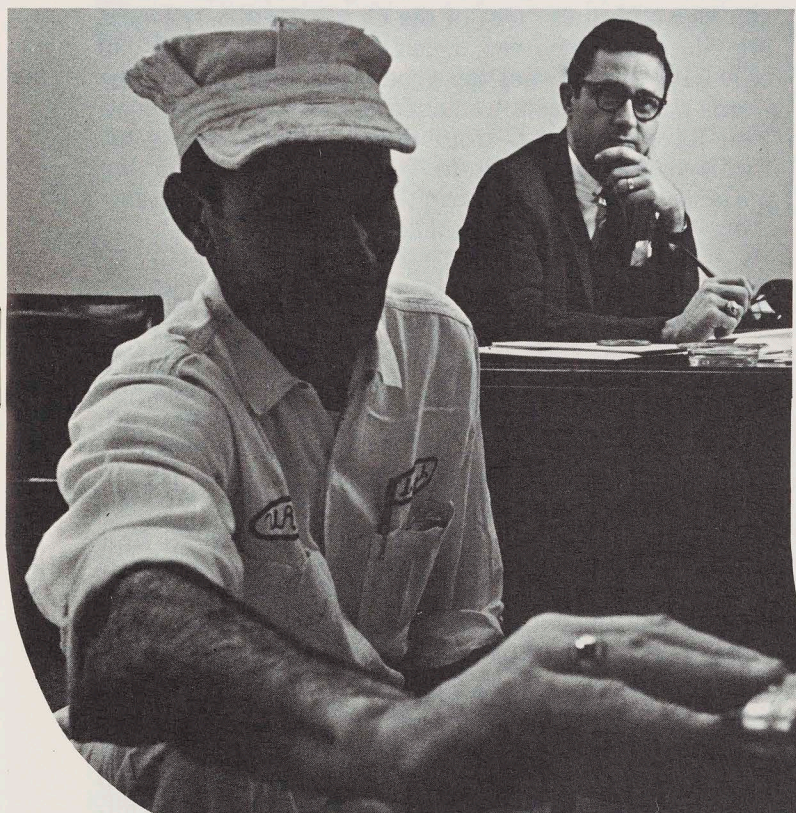




Science lab gets new equipment.

**Paint brushes glide, phone cables unwind, science labs gleam as result of extra giving for housekeeping needs on the campus.**

# SPRUCEUP



versity and her alumni have engaged over the years, the most significant being the construction of the Student Center.

Spruceup was born of the desire of the alumni to help the University find funds for housekeeping needs, those nagging jobs that accumulate while larger and more important projects get priority.

Of course the alumni recognized the fact that the most pressing need was money for faculty salaries. That is what most of the money raised in the 1967 fund was used for. We dared not do less in 1968. So the friendly challenge was made. In 1968 we would raise \$100,000 principally for faculty salaries and an extra \$25,000 to be matched by the University.

The alumni responded most nobly and raised \$131,000. Hallelujahs were sung by professors whose offices

benefited from shelving and paint. The science departments have new equipment and new laboratories. Director of Admissions Thomas N. Pollard, Jr., '53, whose office has really been spruced up with new paint, new carpet and new furniture, rejoices in the new decor that impresses students and their parents who come to "look the college over."

The 1969 Alumni Fund, already launched under the leadership of Howard P. Falls, '33, president of the Alumni Council, will seek to raise the giving of alumni to at least \$150,000. The special gifts phase of the fund was conducted in December with general solicitation to be conducted this spring.

In the words of Falls, the 1969 Fund will be the "Alma Mater appreciation fund. It will be our way of telling the trustees, President Modlin, and the faculty that we are proud of the men and women who have made it great." ■



# ON THE TEACHING OF POETRY

**F**or a good many years now, I have been devoting the major part of my time and energy to the teaching of literature, and for much of that time and with much of that energy I have been concerned with poetry. Now as everyone knows, poetry is a pretty rarified business, not at all practical. We don't want poets handling our bank accounts or pressing our lawsuits, and it isn't something that is fashionable in the 'real world,' which is to say, the world concerned with money and power, which is the world that most people like to think they live in. Those who devote much of their time and energy to poetry—that is, poets, teachers of poetry, and the like—are considered adjunctive to our society, a kind of fringe group who spend their full time concentrating on what for most people is a leisure time, merely diversionary activity. As for professors of literature, which is to say, of poetry, they are said to live in what is known as an 'ivory tower,' insulated from the real world, in a world of their own. This selfsame ivory tower is what all Intellectuals are known to inhabit, and the general consensus is that this is the proper place for them.

Do not misunderstand me: I am not opposed to this. I do not want Intellectuals running my government, and often—never more than in the past year or so—I sometimes get very exasperated with Intellectuals. I like ivory towers, and I like the view from the windows of ivory towers, and I have no intention of abandoning mine anytime soon unless forced to do so.

Nevertheless, we who live in the ivory towers, emerging only for scheduled classes, football games and an occasional fishing trip, have the necessity—and feel the need—sometimes of justifying what it is we are doing there, and why it is that we think that college students ought to be willing to listen to what we have to say. Since I am a teacher of literature, including the kind of literature that is known as poetry, I must defend my right to teach it, and my willingness to insist that students be exposed to it before going on to become insurance agents, lieutenant-colonels, presidents of garden clubs, state senators, corporation counsels, pharmacists, and other such important functionaries in the "real world." The question I propose to ask, rhetorically to be sure (for I think I already know the answer), is, *Why teach poetry?* Why do we

do it? What can a poem do to justify its being taught? *Can poetry be taught?*

Query: what is the sense in trying to teach poetry?

One of the nicest things about it is that it is absurd. The absurdity is what keeps one going. If we thought that it were possible, we could not perhaps keep going, because then, since we know how poorly we do it, we would give up and go off somewhere to earn an honest living. But you see, it is absurd. We can't do it.

We can't do it because no one ever taught anything about literature. Anything important, that is. I can tell you that Walt Whitman was the editor of the *Brooklyn Eagle*. You write this down in your class notes, and you know it, where before you didn't. So I have taught it to you. If your memory is good, twenty years from now you will know it. But what do you know? Nothing that matters. The former editor of the *Brooklyn Eagle* has nothing to say to you or to me. The author of "Out of the Cradle Endlessly Rocking" does. But you see, I can't teach you that. I can only say, this is what he wrote, and this is what the words mean, or seem to mean, and no more than that. You have to take it from there, because unless the words mean something to you, they are of no importance to you. And I can't make them mean something to you. You must make them mean that.

**S**o, why do I do it? I think that I do it only because the words mean something to me. In this sense I am using you. I am using my class and my authority as an excuse to read the poem again and to think about what it means to me. And if I am talking to you at all, what I am saying is, see, come share my experience, come and do what I am doing, isn't it pleasurable?

Is that teaching? I doubt it. Because I am not telling you anything you didn't know. I am only saying, "this is what the poem says about what you already know it means." I am saying, "look, do you see how much I enjoy trying to discover the meaning of what I already know? Why don't you try it?" And that, you see, leaves it up to you, because there is no way I can convince you it is pleasure, if you don't already think so.

And if it isn't pleasure, then what is it? I think, it is nothing. Because you can't measure it. It won't help you to launch your space capsule or raise your chil-



And you wonder where you are going and where you have been, and you try to find a meaning to encompass it, and the best meaning, the true one, is Time. Not the meaning of time, not the philosophy of time, not the measurement of time—the experience of time. Which you are in, in which you exist. Time and rumor of mortality, with the knowledge of being . . . that priceless knowledge that you already know, but never have time to realize. And that is why poems exist.

dren. It will not help you to grow rich, and it will not get you elected to Congress. It will not even help you be happy. All that it can do is to take your happiness and give it an image. Or if you are unhappy, to tell you that someone else had been unhappy, and this is what he or she thinks unhappiness is like.

So that leaves it as pleasure. Nothing more than that.

Pleasure because it says, "See, this is what you are." It solves a mystery, or rather it helps you to solve your own mystery. If you take any good poem or story and you read it, it will tell you who you are. It will say, because a hermit thrush sings this way in a swamp, you are lonely and don't want to admit it. It says, because a thane slays a king who honored him, you are selfish. It says, because a duchess has no time to talk with a friend who is dying, but does have time to change her shoes, you are not God or even Godlike.

**B**ut you knew these things before you began reading. That is quite true. But you didn't realize you knew it. There is the rub. You only suspected it, sometimes, at fleeting moments, when you were distracted, when you were thinking about something else, and it crossed your mind, shadowlike, for an instant only. When you went on the date you had been thinking about for two weeks, and then found it was rather boring. When you tipped the taxi driver ten cents, and then bought an expensive new dress. When you said what was *good* for your friend, even if he didn't like it, and then wondered for a second if that was why you said it.

And so on, things you knew, things you suspected, but couldn't find a name for. Things which seemed to have something important to do with who you were, and yet you couldn't bring them into any relation to what you said and did and read and made.

Because you were too busy. You were too busy doing and saying and making all those things, day after day, month after month, year after year. Too busy. Going to school and church and to dances and growing up and getting a job and getting married and raising a family, and so on and so on. Very busy, being alive, doing what was important, what people do when they are alive.

And then perhaps you look at your college annual one day, and you see your friends as they used to be,

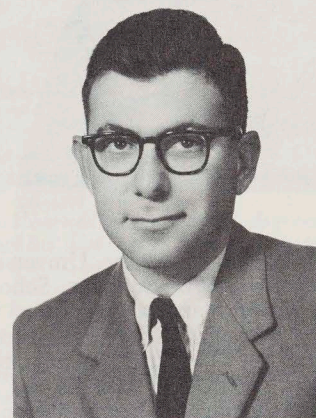
and you think, My God, how they've changed, and then you think, but I've changed too. And it suddenly occurs to you, *this* is tomorrow. This is what I used to look forward to. I was going to be this and do that, but it didn't happen that way, and instead I'm doing this, and I'm this person, and yet though I like it well enough, I didn't plan it this way, and I'm not disappointed and not even glad, but only puzzled, because I don't know how it happened, or why it happened, and what it means. So I don't know who I am. And perhaps I may never find out.

You say, well, that's life, and that's time. But what is life; what is time? And what do they mean to you?

Because you see, you don't *know*, or you don't think you do. You never have time to ask yourself, in any important way, *why*. You are too distracted by being yourself to think about who it is you are being, and why you are being it.

**I**t is one thing to find out who you *should* be. You often think about that. Your minister can tell you. Or your doctor can tell you. Or your Congressman can tell you. Or the editor of the morning paper can tell you. (Some of the instruction you receive is better than some other.) No one, for example, has ever improved on this, which your minister may tell you: "It has been told thee, O man, what is good, and what the Lord Thy God requireth of thee: to do justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God." Or as someone else put it, "To do right, and live honourably and be just, whether or not anyone knows what manner of man you are."

But who are you, and what are you doing here, and what has happened to you? That is another matter. Why is it that you *would* be this, and you *must* be that? Why did you intend to do this, and did not do it? Why did you do that, when you did not intend to do it? And what happens when it / *continued on page 13.*



Author: Louis Rubin, Jr., '46.





For some of the University of Richmond's 1969 Summer School students, passports and vaccinations will be just as necessary as textbooks and teachers.

They'll be studying in cities spanning the length and breadth of Europe, for that which was inconceivable a few years ago is now true: the world is our classroom.

Dean James A. Moncure, '49, of University College was a leader in putting together the University's first summer abroad for credit in 1963, a quality program that was the first in Virginia. He and Dean Edward F. Overton, '31, of the Summer School are responsible for the top quality programs each year since.

That first year in which Dr. Moncure led 34 students in a study of European history was the forerunner of the 1969 tour, which is the best yet. There will be five courses. Dr. Jack Welsh, '60, of the drama department; Dr. Irby Brown, '54, of the English department; and Prof. Jon Longaker of Randolph-Macon College will each take one group to some of the great cities of Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Al Dawson, '61, of the modern languages department, will guide another group on a study-tour of Spain.

In addition to the University's Summer School Abroad in which approximately 100 students will study art, English drama and Spanish, another 100 students, alumni and friends of the University will be spread across that part of the globe in groups ranging in purpose from hard study to light entertainment.

The University professors and their groups will leave Dulles Airport June 16 via Air France for Paris, where one group will depart for Rome, Florence, Vienna, Munich, Dublin, Stratford, and London; and the Dawsons will lead their group on to Madrid and other points in Spain.

While Professor Longaker will lecture on "Art in the Middle Ages," Professor

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**Opportunities unlimited for  
students and alumni with  
passports and vaccinations.**

Brown will teach "Modern Drama" and Dr. Welsh "Introduction to the Theater."

They will attend up to 14 theatrical performances including performances in Stratford, the Abbey Theater in Dublin, Chichester (Sir Laurence Olivier's thea-

ter) and other famous theaters in London. Also included are plans to visit film festivals in Rome, Venice and other cities. The low price is \$960.

In Spain, our students will read classical literature, work on vocabulary, read the local newspapers, bargain in the marketplace, and attend plays and movies. They will go to a bullfight in Madrid, spend a few days as guests of Spanish families, and visit the historic sites in other parts of Spain.

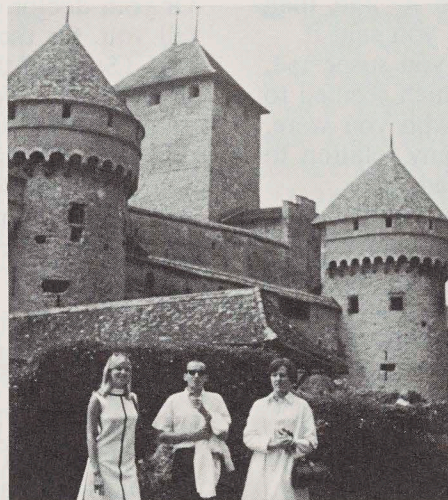
The Dawsons will teach two Spanish courses and the students will, as Dr. Moncure has put it, "be in a language laboratory 24 hours a day for five weeks." He adds, "Their linguistic studies will be buttressed by their deeper insight into the nature of Spanish life and culture."

Many other students will take advantage of a similar language laboratory in Italy. In a program not sponsored by the University of Richmond, but which will include two University faculty members as teachers, students will travel to Rome for two three-week seminars.

Dr. Talbot R. Selby, chairman of the department of Ancient Languages, will teach "Roman Art and Archaeology," and Dr. Gene L. Adrean will teach "Conversational Italian." Another course available in the seminar will be "Renaissance Art and Architecture," taught by Franklin D. Cossit. C. A. Ruffa of the University art department and director of Petersburg Schools, will lead a seven-day tour.

The program will be held in the Center of International Studies in Rome. It is sponsored by the Mediterranean Society of America, Inc. The basic cost of the program is \$597. The first seminar extends from July 22 to August 19, the second from August 13 to September 9.

If the students in Rome should chance on some familiar faces, it would not be surprising. Some 60 alumni, students and friends of the University will arrive in







Mr. and Mrs. Al Dawson, teachers abroad.

Rome July 21, for the second stop on a tour which will take them to Spain, Italy, Switzerland, Holland, and England.

The tour business manager and coordinator will be Cecil Jones, '43, the genial gentleman who has led tours in 1965, 1967 and 1968, on vacation from his duties as University of Richmond auditor. He has arranged a tour which will give the travelers a taste of El Greco, the Flamenco, and bullfights in Madrid; Rome's ancient wonders; the beauty of Lucerne; the Hans Christian Andersen atmosphere of Copenhagen; and the clean beauty of Amsterdam; as well as the pageantry of London. Those who have joined previous Alumnae-Alumni tours will agree that the price of \$935 is very reasonable. The tour will leave July 17 and return August 7.

They'll all be back in September—the students, sightseers, alumnae and alumni—and whether they trip across Europe in a conducted class or not, it can be agreed that *the world indeed is our classroom!*



## On The Teaching Of Poetry

*Continued from page 11* / is all over and you are finished with doing and being . . . what was it all about? Why is it that you thought about coming to college, and what you would do here, and what you would be, and how much different and better it would be, and now you are here, still the same person, and it hasn't been what you thought it would be at all. And it never will be—not for the rest of your life.

Because, you see, you are a human being in time, and telling you what you should be is only as efficacious as telling you what you must be. This is to say, you would like to be what you know you *should* be, but you sometimes can't; and you would prefer not to be what you know you *must* sometimes be, and yet you don't want to stop trying—and that leaves you as you are, which includes your ideals and your necessity, a being, as Pope put it, "in a middle state," body and soul, spirit and flesh, "upward angel, downward fish,"—a human in time. And the years pass by, they go in shadow and light. And you wonder where you are going and where you have been, and you try to find a meaning to encompass it, and the best meaning, the true one, is *Time*. Not the meaning of time, not the philosophy of time, not the measurement of time—the experience of time. Which you are in, in which you exist. Time and the rumor of mortality, with the knowledge of being . . . that priceless knowledge that you already know, but never have time to realize. And that is why poems exist, and why some people dare to think them important.

Here is a poem:

*After the red leaf and the gold have gone,  
Brought down by the wind, then by hammering rain*

*Bruised and discolored, when October's flame  
Goes blue to guttering in the cusp, this land  
Sinks deeper into silence, darker into shade.  
There is a knowledge in the look of things,  
The old hills hunch before the north wind  
blows.*

*Now I can see certain simplicities  
In the darkening rust and tarnish of the time,  
And say over the certain simplicities,*

*The running water and the standing stone,  
The yellow haze of the willow and the black  
Smoke of the elm, the silver, silent light  
Where suddenly, readying toward nightfall,  
The sumac's candelabrum darkly flames.  
And I speak to you now with the land's  
voice,*

*It is the cold, wild land that says to you  
A knowledge glimmers in the sleep of things:  
The old hills hunch before the north wind  
blows.\**

You knew this, but it took the poem to tell you that you did. A knowledge glimmers in the sleep of things, and in the state of things, and when for a moment you see it, you know it is, and you know that you exist: an experience outside time and beyond it, in which you stand, motionless in a moment of vision, while the clock ticks on, on the nearest edge of eternity.

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## ABOUT THE AUTHOR

The address quoted here in its entirety was delivered by Dr. Louis D. Rubin, Jr., '46, professor of English literature at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, at a convocation last fall.

Louis Rubin earned his advanced degrees at Johns Hopkins University. He has held Sewanee Review, Guggenheim and American Council of Learned Societies fellowships on which he has done research in Southern literature. He has taught at Johns Hopkins, the University of Pennsylvania and Louisiana State University. He joined the faculty at the University of North Carolina last year, after having taught English and serving as chairman of the English department at Hollins College for 10 years. Outside of the academic world, he has served as associate editor of the *Richmond News Leader*. In reviewing Dr. Rubin's latest books, Harry Meacham, president of the Virginia Writer's Club, said: "It would be easy to prove that within the past few years Louis D. Rubin has become the South's most outstanding man of letters; erudite, trenchant, and objective . . . the dozen or more books he has written or edited are of indubitable value."

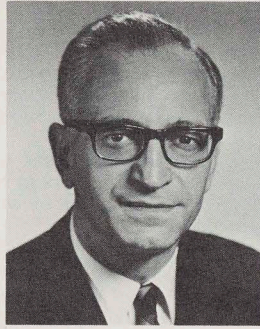
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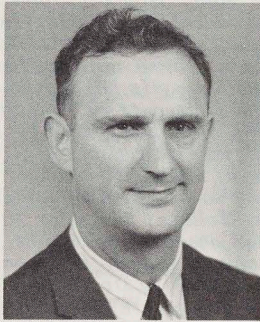
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Kamsky, '39

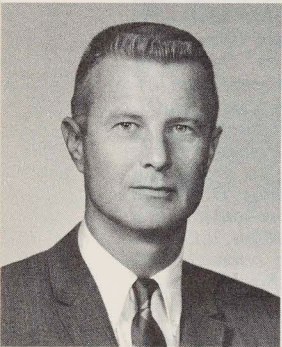
# Alumni in the News



Kilpatrick, '48



Moughamian, '52



Dunford, '50

## David Dexter Lectures in Spain

Dr. David D. Dexter, '40, a dermatologist from Hempstead, N. Y. was a guest lecturer at the University of Valencia and the University of Barcelona in Spain in September.

Dr. Dexter has been visiting Spain since 1966, when he went there for a dermatological conference in Madrid. On one visit to the University of Barcelona, he saw the poor facilities available for patients in the skin clinic of the medical school. He has raised more than \$1,000 in the U. S. to aid the Barcelona clinic.

## Kamsky Elected Grace VEEP

Leonard Kamsky, '39, has been elected a corporate vice president of W. R. Grace & Co., New York City. Grace is an international industrial concern with chemical, consumer products, petroleum and transportation interests.

Kamsky was formerly a vice president of the company's General Development Division. He joined W. R. Grace & Co. in 1955 after service with International Business Machines Corp., the Department of the Army and the Department of State.

A Phi Beta Kappa student at the University, Kamsky has taken graduate work in political economy at Johns Hopkins.

## Kilpatrick Named Vice President

Robert D. Kilpatrick, '48, has been appointed vice president at Aetna Insurance Company, an affiliate of Connecticut General Life Insurance Company.

In the newly-created vice presidential post, Kilpatrick will be in charge of Aetna's administrative services, advertising and public relations, educational, electronic data processing and personnel operations at the company's home office in Hartford, Conn. He most recently served as director of Connecticut General's organization and systems department.

Kilpatrick joined Connecticut General in 1954 in the group insurance department. He was named renewal underwriter in 1956 and senior renewal underwriter two years later. Kilpatrick was appointed assistant secretary, policyholder and field services department, in 1961, and was placed in charge of the organization and systems department in 1966.

Kilpatrick lives in New Hartford, Conn., with his wife, the former Faye Hines of Richmond, Va., and their five children. His older son, Robert, Jr., is a freshman at the University of Richmond, where his father was an all-state pitcher and captain of the baseball team. He was a member of ODK.

## Wicker Establishes Foundation To Recognize Student Excellence

Senator John J. Wicker, '13, a Richmond attorney, has given \$10,000 to the University of Richmond for the establishment of cash awards to the outstanding member of each of the four undergraduate classes at Richmond College.

Each recipient of an award will be given, in addition to \$50 in cash, an appropriate plaque testifying that he has made the "best all around contribution toward the improvement of the University of Richmond and the student life in his class."

The Wicker Foundation Awards will be made by a committee consisting of the president of the University, the dean of men, the athletic director and, with the exception of the senior class committee, the president of the next higher class.

The \$10,000 gift will make possible the allocation of approximately \$200 annually to a "helping hand fund" for students who find themselves hard pressed financially due to an emergency.

President George M. Modlin commented that "it is significant that Senator Wicker, who has made such a great contribution to the University both as a student and as an alumnus, should, by these awards, cause undergraduates to strive for excellence." Senator Wicker, a former member of the Virginia Senate, has degrees from Richmond College, the University law school and the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

At the University he played varsity basketball and football. He won membership in Omicron Delta Kappa leadership fraternity, and has served as president of the General Society of Alumni and the Alumni Council.

## Connecticut Promotes Dunford

Edward L. Dunford, '50, has been appointed manager of the Richmond branch office of Connecticut General Life Insurance Company.

The office offers services in life and health insurance, and retirement plans on an individual and group basis.

Dunford joined the agency in 1959 and six years later he was named staff assistant. He served as assistant manager of the office for one year prior to his promotion.

He is a member of the Richmond Life Underwriters and Health Underwriters Associations.

He and his wife, the former Ann Worsham, have two children and live at 8508 Hanford Drive, Richmond.

## Moughamian Becomes Partner

Simon Moughamian, Jr., '52, has become a partner of the accounting and auditing firm, Arthur Andersen & Co., Chicago offices.

A Phi Beta Kappa student, Moughamian joined Arthur Andersen & Co. in 1952 after he received his degree in accounting from the Business School. In 1955 he transferred from accounting to administrative services and was promoted to manager in 1959. He will continue to specialize in administrative services.

In addition to his Phi Beta Kappa honors, Moughamian was captain of the varsity basketball team, a member of the varsity baseball team and an Omicron Delta Kappa leadership fraternity initiate while at the University.

Moughamian lives with his wife, the former Phyllis Jean Murphy of Davenport, Iowa, and their four children at Mt. Prospect, Ill.

## Travelers Names Lewis Manager

Ben F. Lewis, Jr., '58, has been named manager of the group department at The Travelers Insurance Companies Shreveport, La. office.



He joined the company in 1959 at the home office in Hartford, Conn. and the following year was assigned to Philadelphia, Pa. as a field representative. In 1962 he was named supervisor at Richmond, Va. and the following year was transferred to Raleigh, N. C. where, in 1966, he was promoted to manager.

A native of Plattsburg, N. Y., Lewis is married and has four children.

## Mink Directs Phillips Subsidiary

Charles A. Mink, '54, has been appointed managing director of Phillips Petroleum Products Ltd., marketing subsidiary of Phillips Petroleum Company. He was promoted from the deputy managing director position at the company's London offices.

Mink has been with Phillips since 1956, having joined them in Raleigh, N. C., in the early days of Phillips expansion into the southeastern United States. He spent a year in Bartlesville, Okla., which is Phillips general headquarters and from there moved to Baltimore and then to Boston where he was district manager until April 1965 when he was transferred to London.

Phillips Petroleum Products Ltd. markets the products from a refinery in northern England constructed by Phillips and the British Company Imperial Chemical Industries. Seventy-five percent of the company's sales are in the United Kingdom with the remainder moving into Scandinavia and continental Europe.

Married since 1958 to the former Allen Fay Thurman of Arlington, Va., Mink was the proud father in June of his second child, Amanda. Older son Timmy was born while the Minks were in Boston.

## Laster, November Honored

Two University of Richmond graduates have been recognized for service by the Richmond Jewish Community Council.

Judge Max O. Laster, '32, associate judge of Richmond's Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court, received the Council's highest honor, the Distinguished Community Service Award, at the group's 33rd annual meeting in November.

In addition, Richard J. November, '60, was awarded the William B. Thalhimer Young Leadership Award as the year's outstanding young community leader.

Judge Laster, a former partner in the law firm of Taylor, Hazen and Laster, received the award with inscription: "In appreciation of his faith, vision, vigorous leadership and integrity . . . as a past president of both the Richmond Jewish Community Council and Temple Beth El, and as campaign general and vice president of the Jewish Community Center . . . he has enriched Jewish values and Jewish communal life which have inspired our young leaders. . ."

November, a board member of the Jewish Community Center and Beth Shalom Home of Virginia, is a partner in Herman Realty Co.

## "Tiny" Wicker Retires at FUMA

The news that James Caldwell Wicker, '19, was retiring as president of Fork Union Military Academy was understandable to his contemporaries, most of whom now have the same status. Many of his contemporaries have to think twice to recognize the name. To them he was, and is, "Tiny."

We remember many events and stories, some of which we will just remember, and not tell. But more we remember his versatile career and his great contributions to his day and generation.

He was born in Baltimore, on Dec. 8, 1895, where his father, the late Dr. John J. Wicker, '91, was a Baptist minister. He was born into what was to be a University of Richmond family. His father was a graduate of Richmond College as was his brother, John J. Wicker, Jr., '13. Tiny entered Richmond College in 1913 and graduated in 1919, after time out to participate in World War I as a naval aviator, June 1917-Oct. 1919. He was wounded in Sept. 1918, the scars of which he still carries. As a student in Richmond College he participated with distinction in football, basketball, and baseball and was a member of the Glee Club, president of the Student Council and a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity. He received his B.A. degree from Richmond College in June 1919 while he was still in service.

After graduation he became a salesman in Richmond for two years and then became the athletic director and coach of Milligam College from 1921 to 1924. This was followed by another stint as a salesman in Tampa, Fla., 1925-28.

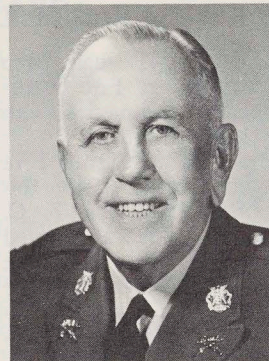
Then came what surprised and pleased his father and a host of friends—a decision to enter the ministry. He attended the Southern Baptist Seminary and received the degree of Th.B. in 1931. From 1931 to 1933 he was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Elizabeth City, N. C., and was called to the Northside Baptist Church of Richmond in 1933, where he was to have a highly successful ministry until 1945 when he succeeded his father as president of Fork Union Military Academy.

He recalls that he entered that career with some misgivings but learned to love the school and the thousands of boys whose lives he touched.

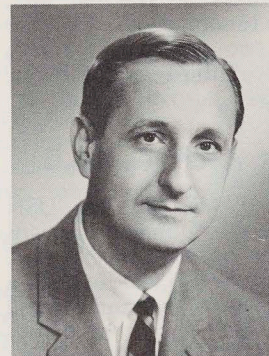
Many people have contributed to the growth and development of Fork Union since it was established by the Late Dr. William E. Hatcher in 1898. But it was Tiny who was the real builder. The spacious campus with its attractive and adequate buildings, the increase in endowment, the development of the One-Subject Plan, make it a distinguished military school with the limited enrollment of 665.

He married his college sweetheart, Lula Packett, in 1917. They have three children, John Tivis, Ruth Ann, and James C. Jr., all of whom attended the University of Richmond.

From 1943 to 1945 he was a Naval Chaplain, retiring as a Lieutenant. The



Wicker, '19



Minter, '51



Lewis, '58



Mink, '54

University conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity on him in 1946.

He is now living in Richmond but he expects to get back to Fork Union frequently because, as he says, "I love it with a love I never dreamed possible."

—Ralph C. McDanel, '16

## Minter Appointed Vice President

Charles E. Minter, '51, has been appointed vice president and regional manager of Tate Engineering, Inc., division of Tate Industries, Baltimore, Md.

The firm, a manufacturer's representative, industrial distributor, and manufacturer, has branch offices in Roanoke, Richmond and other cities. In his new position Minter will have the marketing responsibility for Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee. He will make his headquarters in Roanoke.

A Martinsville native, Minter has been manager of Tate's Roanoke operation since 1957.



## Calvert Elects Roberts President

George E. Roberts, '41, has been elected president of Calvert Fire Insurance Co. and related companies with headquarters in Baltimore, Md.

Roberts was employed by Calvert Fire as a claim representative in 1948, following his graduation from the T. C. Williams Law School. He was elected assistant vice president in 1957, vice president in 1959 and executive vice president in 1963. Calvert Fire and related companies are affiliated with Commercial Credit Co., Baltimore.

A native of the Eastern Shore of Virginia, Roberts resides in Towson, Md., a suburb of Baltimore, with his wife Raymonde and two children, Danielle and William C. II. A third child, George, Jr., is married and is also in Baltimore.

## Captain Davis Receives Ph.D.

Capt. Douglas W. Davis, '41, USN (Ret), who admits quinquagenarians rarely attain Ph.D. status the hard way, has disavowed his years and earned a doctorate degree in Government and Politics from the University of Maryland at the age of 53.

Davis is the Chairman of the Department of Government and Politics at Stratford College in Danville, Va.

His son, Doug, '67, is a second lieutenant in the Air Force Intelligence and is stationed in the San Francisco area.

## Markers Placed Near Birthplace Of Distinguished Freemans

The birthplace of two distinguished alumni, Dr. Douglas Southall Freeman, '04, and Dr. Allen Weir Freeman, '99, was commemorated in November by the placing of markers erected by the Virginia Historic Landmarks Commission.

The markers were placed at 416 Main St., Lynchburg, and unveiled by the widows of the brothers. The unveiling was sponsored by the Lynchburg Historical Society.

Dr. Douglas Freeman was rector of the board of trustees of the University of Richmond, author of the Pulitzer prize winning biographies of R. E. Lee and

George Washington, and editor of the *Richmond News Leader*.

Dr. Allen Freeman was a pioneer in public health administration and education, and served as the epidemiologist of the U. S. Public Health Service. He also served as dean of the Johns Hopkins School of Hygiene and Health.

The building at 416 Main St. is used now as a barber shop and as headquarters for the Lynchburg Community Action Program. The Freeman House was one of several nineteenth century row houses at the west end of Main St. in Lynchburg.

## Biology Department Given Land

A 100-acre tract of woodlands and meadows in Goochland County has been deeded to the University of Richmond for use by the University's biology department for both teaching and research.

The tract was given by James M. Ball, a retired vice president of First and Merchants National Bank.

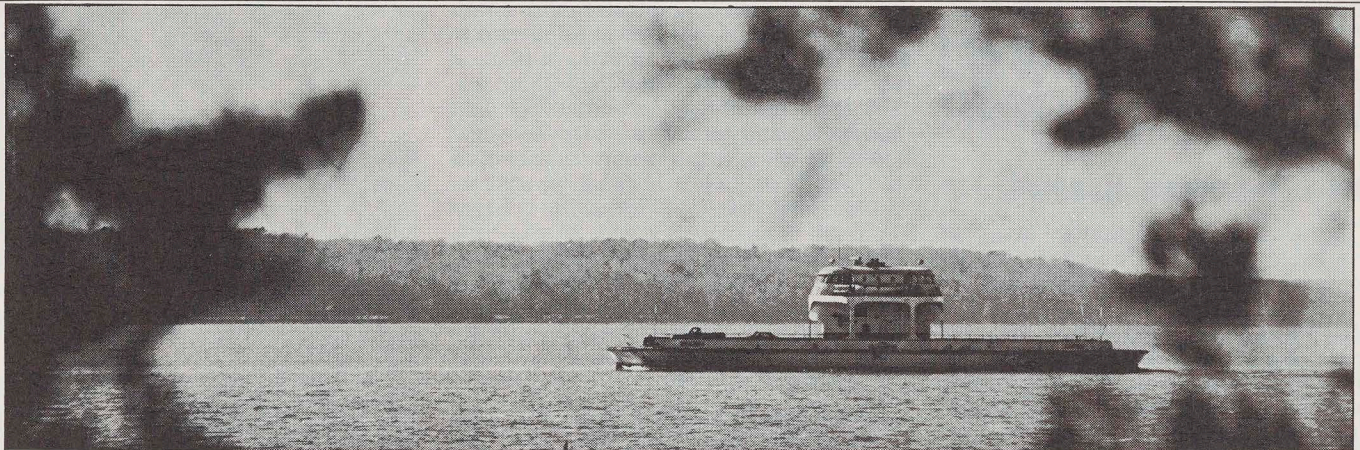
Dr. Warwick R. West, Jr., chairman of the department of biology, said that a "surprisingly large variety of the flora and fauna of the great Piedmont and Tidewater areas of Virginia can be found on the property." He said it would provide "unexcelled facilities for field trips for undergraduates and also would benefit graduate students engaged in research."

The property is twenty-three miles from the campus, near Goochland Courthouse. Dr. West pointed out that although the University has a campus of 350 acres famed for its natural beauty, both the number and variety of its wild animals and vegetation are decreasing as Richmond and Henrico County encircle it.

## Ferrell Bequests Scholarships

A bequest of \$5,000 to the University of Richmond for music scholarships at Westhampton College has been provided for in the will of the late Ralph Harris Ferrell, Jr., '33.

Mr. Ferrell died Sept. 20 while vacationing at Deltaville, Va. (See page 35.)



## The Jamestown ferry goes from candle power to nuclear power in 20 minutes.

After you've seen the historic area around Williamsburg and Jamestown, Virginia, take a ferry ride across the river to Surry County and see the story of nuclear power.

At the site of its new nuclear power station, the Virginia Electric and Power Company has built an information center capable of handling thousands of visitors

daily. Here you'll see a special slide presentation, fascinating exhibits and a working model of the reactor. (And from the balcony, you can watch them assemble the real thing.)

Open from 10 am to 4 pm Monday through Saturday; from 1 pm to 6 pm on Sunday. For information call (703) 771-3194 in Richmond.

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## Ballard Pierce Receives Grant

C. Ballard Pierce, '54, associate professor of physics at Williams College, has received a grant of \$5,000 from Research Corporation of New York City for support of his research.

The work involves the construction of atomic models that will show the structure of table salt and other crystalline halides when certain defects in the arrangement of the atoms have been created through bombardment with high energy X-rays.

Dr. Pierce has been a member of the Williams faculty since July, 1966. Previously, he served on the staffs of the Sandia Laboratory and Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, both in New Mexico. He received his Ph.D. degree in 1960 from the University of Illinois.

## Alfred Lyon, Philip Morris Grants Provide Scholarship Fund

A scholarship fund of \$75,000 for students of marketing at the School of Business Administration has been established from joint grants from the estate of Alfred E. Lyon, former chairman of Philip Morris, Inc., and the company.

The late Mr. Lyon was a resident of Greenwich, Conn. The fund will provide both marketing fellowships to graduate students and marketing scholarships to undergraduate students.

Selection of the recipients will be made by the scholarship committee of the School of Business Administration. The number of scholarships and fellowships to be granted will be determined annually.

In addition to the financial grant, Alfred E. Lyon Fellows will receive a minimum of a one-year employment commitment from Philip Morris. Undergraduate Alfred E. Lyon scholars will be provided with summer employment with the company.

Mr. Lyon was born in England and came to the United States via Canada in 1912. He joined Philip Morris in 1929, was named a vice president in 1933, executive vice president in 1936, and president of the company in 1945. He became chairman of the board in 1949 and retired in 1957. He died in 1967.

## Robinson Heads Alumni Chapter

Willard Robinson, Jr., '57, is the new president of the Newport News Alumni Chapter, succeeding Billy C. Hill, '54.

Other officers elected were Acree Lin, '50, vice president; Charles Hogan, III, '57, treasurer; and Joseph Reynolds, '63, secretary.

The chapter has shown great enthusiasm during the past year under Hill's leadership. According to Secretary Reynolds, it has been "the strongest it has ever been." A film of one of the Spider football games was shown each week during the fall.

## 1969 FORUM OFFERS VARIED FARE

The 1969 Faculty-Alumni Forum opened on January 14, with a lively exchange on the "Generation Gap." The panel of six included three students: Fred Smith, president of Richmond College Student Government; Mary Sue Terry, president of Westhampton College Government; and James A. Winders, *Collegian* columnist.

Others on the panel, perhaps equally well known, were H. I. Willett, superintendent of Richmond Public Schools; Guy Friddell, '46, editorial page editor of the *Norfolk Virginian-Pilot*; and Robert F. Smart, provost of the University of Richmond.

Jerry L. Tarver, chairman of the Department of Speech and Dramatic Arts, kept the sparks flying.

"Law and Disorder" was the subject for another distinguished panel on February 4. What are the permissible limits of dissent? What's taking place in our cities, on our campuses? Do we need more teeth in our laws? Will this problem get worse before it gets better? Virginius Dabney, editor of the *Richmond Times Dispatch*, will pose such questions as moderator of a panel made up of Henry L. Marsh, III, Richmond attorney, councilman and civil rights leader; Dean William T. Muse of the University of Richmond; and Dr. James A. Sartain of the Sociology Department.

"An Evening of Music" will feature the University's music faculty and students in a varied program of instrumental music, solo and ensemble on February 18. Its range will be from Baroque to modern.

"A Man for All Seasons" will be the dramatic attraction of the series and a special feature of Alumni-Alumnae Day on Saturday, May 17. This distinguished and moving drama will be produced under the direction of Alton Williams. The play by Robert Bolt has been termed by one reviewer: "The ageless and inspiring echo of the small voice that calls to us: 'to thine own self be true!'" The central figure is Sir Thomas More, who during his last years as Lord Chancellor of England refused to grant Henry VIII a divorce from Catherine of Aragon. The decision led to his death. Guests of honor at the matinee will be members of the University Players through the years since 1935 when Al Williams joined the University faculty.

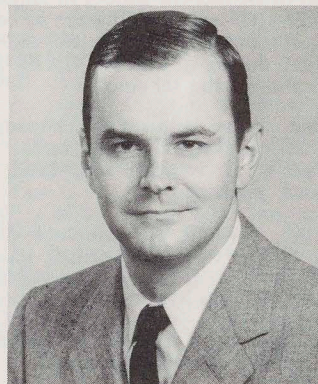
Chairmen for the 1969 Forum are Henrietta Sadler Kinman, '41, and George W. Sadler, '43. Henrietta is supervisor of English and the humanities for the Richmond Public Schools. She is currently planning a summer Humanities Center.

She is a member of the Council of the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts and has a special interest in African art. A busy mother of three (one in college and two in high school) she is married to Guy M. Kinman, Jr.

George, well-known Richmond attorney, is a partner in the firm of Hunton, Williams, Gay, Powell, and Gibson. He received his law degree from the T. C. Williams School of Law in 1948. George is married to the former Mary Harding Ragland and they have two sons and two daughters. The oldest son, George William Sadler, Jr., followed his father and grandfather to the U of R, where he is a senior.



Henrietta Sadler Kinman, '41.



George W. Sadler, '43.

## SPORTS: MID-SEASON BASKETBALL REPORT

Coach Lewis Mills' University of Richmond basketball team completed the first half of the season with a 3-3 Southern Conference record and was 7-8 overall. An unusual fact was that the young quintet was able to capture five of eight road games while winning only two of seven at home.

The conference triumphs were over Furman, 96-83, over VMI, 89-74 and William and Mary, 80-75. The victory over the Keydets came at Lexington. In each game Junior Guard Kenny Foster, called by Mills "one of the conference's great players," was top scorer with 24 points against Furman and 22 against VMI and the Indians. Richmonder Foster is the leading scorer with a 20.1 point average. His top game was a 37-point performance in Richmond's 106-62 Big Five tournament win over W & M.

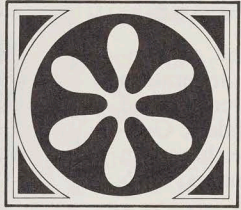
The conference losses came at the hands of Davidson, 62-60; the Pirates of East

Carolina, 75-69, and George Washington, 97-93. The Spiders gave the nationally ranked Wildcats quite a scare before dropping the two-point decision.

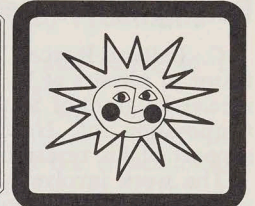
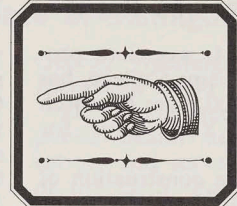
The Spiders did get two big non-conference wins, both on the road. Sophomore Jim Hewitt dominated the backboards with 17 rebounds and Stan Ryfinski, another soph, scored 27 points in an 80-79 upset of West Virginia at Morgantown. Richmond avenged a 96-83 setback at the hands of East Tennessee by edging that club, 69-68, at Johnson City on Guard Picot Frazier's 18-foot field goal at the buzzer. Frazier is the No. 2 scorer through the first 15 games with a 15.2 mark. Ryfinski has a 12.8 average.

Injuries to Hewitt and Bobby Ukrop and the disappointing play of Wilton Ford, who was All-Southern center last season, handicapped Richmond.





## KEEPING UP WITH CLASSMATES



**1915** Col. G. M. Percival of DeLand, Fla., has been honored by the DeLand Chapter of the Order of DeMolay for his service as Chapter Dad. Percival was one of the founders of the local chapter in May of 1962. He was honored on his retirement from active service with the organization.

**1922** Joseph Rotella has retired as principal of Bethlehem School in Hanover County, Va., after a 46-year career in education. He was presented a color television set by the PTA during a "Joseph Rotella Appreciation Night" at the school.

**1925** Rev. William R. Pankey, a retired minister, has completed a book, "The Pankey Family of Virginia 1635-1968," which has been published.

**1929** Andrew C. Britton of Richmond has been elected to the board of directors of Philip Morris, Inc. Britton is head of manufacturing in Richmond and Louisville, Ky. for the firm, with the title of senior vice president for tobacco and gum operations of Philip Morris, Domestic.

**1930** Aubrey V. Kidd, senior vice president of the Bank of Virginia and Virginia Commonwealth Bankshares, has been elected president of the Consumer Bankers Association, an organization of more than 200 banks throughout the United States.

**1931** T. Jack Gary, Jr. a Falls Church, Va., CPA, has been reappointed chairman of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants' committee of relations with the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Gary is a partner in the Washington office of the Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Company accounting firm. His committee maintains liaison with the department on accounting developments and makes the information available to the profession.

G. Mallory Freeman of Richmond played one of the two principal roles in the Virginia Museum Theater's production of "The Best Man" in October.

**1932** Lawrence F. Copping, a professional engineer, has been named chief of Richmond's Electrical Inspection Bureau. He will supervise a team of six inspectors who will check more than 100,000 electrical appliances and 14,000 wiring installations around the city. Most of his career has been spent in private practice as an electrical engineering consultant for industrial institutions and commercial projects.

**1934** William C. Parkinson, a Henrico County, Va., lawyer, has been named a substitute judge in the county's Civil Justice Court, Part II. Parkinson is associated in a law firm with Henry J. Schrieberg, '40, and H. Franklin Minor, '59.

**1935** Irvin G. Abeloff, general manager of WXEX-TV in Petersburg, has retired after a broadcasting career of more than 30 years. He has been general manager of the facility since it went on the air in 1955. He formerly was with WRVA Radio in Richmond.

Richard T. McCrone, a representative of

General Electric Co. in Richmond, was married in August to the former Miss Marie Musgrove Pierce of Richmond.

**1936** Dr. William J. Fallis of Nashville, Tenn. represented the University of Richmond at the inauguration of Dr. Lawson as president of Fisk University on October 6.

**1937** Dr. William L. Lumpkin, pastor of Freeman Street Baptist Church in Norfolk, is the author of a new book, "Meditations for Communion Services." Published by Abingdon Press, it includes 24 brief meditations which offer a variety of backgrounds and interpretations of Communion services.

**1941** George H. Landers, Jr., of Medford Lakes, N. J., has been named staff assistant to the production superintendent at the Bristol, Pa., plant of Rohm and Hass Company. He joined the firm in 1943.

S. Joseph Wornom, Jr. of Groton, Conn., has been appointed to the Connecticut Bank and Trust Company's Groton Associate Board of Directors. Wornom, a former Navy public information officer, is public relations manager of General Dynamics-Electric Boat.

**1943** Third District Representative David E. Satterfield, III, of Virginia, has been given a "Watchdog of the Treasury" award by the National Associated Businessmen, Inc., for Satterfield's voting record for economy. The award goes to congressmen who vote for economy measures at least 75 per cent of the time.

Robert O. Gill of Chesterfield County, Va., will head the newly created department of industrial development for the Southside Electric Cooperative. For the past year, Gill has been assistant to the commissioner of the State Department of Labor. Prior to that, he worked for the State Division of Industrial Development. The co-op serves 17 counties in Southside Virginia.

George Euting has been appointed vice president of Bluefield College. He will be in charge of development for the college. He was assistant executive secretary of the Brotherhood Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. He also served eight years as Brotherhood secretary for the Baptist General Board of Virginia. Prior to that, he was pastor of First Baptist Church at Norton, Va., and Burrows Memorial Church in Norfolk, Va.

John H. Dalton has become director of Christian Education and music at Arlington Baptist Church. He moved to the Arlington church from Craddock Baptist Church in Portsmouth, Va.

**1944** Charles G. Young, of Staten Island, N. Y., has been named an investment officer of The Bank of New York. Young is a past president of the Bankers Athletic League and a member of the New York Society of Security Analysts.

**1947** Dr. Roy B. Wyatt, Jr. of Louisville, Ky., has been appointed Professor of Old Testament and Hebrew Literature at the International Baptist Theological Seminary, Cali, Colombia, South America.

Clyde Y. Cridlin, a Jonesville, Va., at-

torney, has been named a member of the council of the Virginia State Bar.

**1948** Hugh Adair has been appointed business manager for Virginia Intermont College. He was city clerk and auditor of Bristol, Va., for 12 years. Prior to that he was employed by the Dominion National Bank in Bristol.

William B. Pond of New York City has joined the Emigrant Savings Bank as an assistant vice president. Pond is a Chartered Financial Analyst with 15 years of experience in portfolio management. Before taking his new position, Pond was manager of the Investment advisory section at Pane, Webber, Jackson and Curtis in New York.

Herbert D. Liebman, a Frankfort, Ky., attorney, has been elected to the Franklin County Board of Education.

F. Carlyle Tiller, executive vice president of Wheat and Company, a Richmond investment firm, has been elected a director of First Fund of Virginia, Inc. He is serving as president of the Richmond Society of Financial Analysts.

**1949** William A. Snare, Jr., has joined the faculty of North Texas State University as an instructor in speech and drama.

Herbert W. Niedermayer, Jr. has been elected an officer of the State-Planters Bank in Richmond, Va. He is manager of the bank's Church Hill office.

**1950** James F. Duckhardt has been named executive director of the Virginia branch of the Associated General Contractors of America, Inc. He formerly was executive director of the Virginia Building Material Association.

**1951** William T. Copping of Richmond, director of the Virginia Commission for the Visually Handicapped, has been elected president of the National Council of State Agencies for the Blind.

Charles R. Neatrou has joined the faculty of Madison College as an associate professor of mathematics education. He has completed the requirements for the Ed.D. at Indiana University.

Julius Fanney, Jr., an industrial hygienist for IBM, is working in Lexington, Ky.

William R. Newhouse of Chelmsford, Mass., is a member of the management team at Instrumentation Laboratory, Inc., where he is vice president-finance, and treasurer.

Gus A. Condos of Chicago, Ill., represented the University of Richmond at the inauguration of Dr. Edward H. Levi as president of the University of Chicago on Nov. 14. He is a state official in Illinois.

**1952** Dr. Fitzhugh X. Mullins, Jr. of Louisville, Ky., represented the University of Richmond at the inauguration of Dr. Woodrow M. Strickler as president of the University of Louisville Nov. 18. Dr. Mullins is a physician in Louisville.

Dr. Paul D. Webster, III, has joined the Medical College of Georgia as an associate professor of medicine and chief of the Division of Gastroenterology.

Rev. J. Vernon Brooks has been called to Mill Creek Baptist Church at Fincastle,



Va. He came to the church from Lake Shore Baptist Church at Pasadena, Md.

**1953** Rev. Hubert L. Dupree has accepted a call as pastor of Glade Spring (Va.) Baptist Church.

**1954** The engagement of Gerald Thomas Yagel of Richmond to Miss Mary Grafton London of Richmond, has been announced.

Major James R. Brier of the U. S. Army has been selected to attend the Army Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas.

**1955** Lawrence B. Bond of Salisbury, N. C., has been appointed associate professor of music at Catawba College, after two years of study at Indiana University.

J. Wiley Bragg has been appointed operations and engineering manager of the Baltimore region of Humble Oil and Refining Company. He was the firm's district manager in Philadelphia prior to taking his new position.

Rev. Bond Harris has been appointed assistant professor of Religion and Philosophy at Kentucky Wesleyan College in Owensboro, Ky. His latest pastorate was in Sparrowbush, N. Y.

**1956** F. Edison Cleland is employed with the Virginia Department of Vocational Rehabilitation as a counselor in the Alexandria area office. He was pastor of Bethel and Gourdvine Baptist churches in Culpeper for six years and a resident chaplain at the Medical College of Virginia for a year.

Rev. Edward B. Willingham, Jr., director of the office of communication for the Metropolitan Detroit Council of Churches, recently visited Germany to advise and learn about television and radio there. He is chairman of the Interfaith Broadcasting Commission of Greater Detroit.

**1957** Robert G. Saunders has been elected an officer of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia. He is manager of pension sales for the insurance firm.

Russell W. Miller of Richmond has joined the faculty of Virginia Commonwealth University as an assistant professor of business administration.

William M. Brown has been promoted to the rank of major in the U. S. Air Force. He is an instructor at Castle AFB, Calif.

E. Preston Grissom, a Norfolk attorney, has been named a new member of the council of the Virginia State Bar.

**1958** Dr. David Miller is now associated with Lewis Gale Hospital in Roanoke, Va.

Major Roy D. Hunnicut of the U. S. Army is attending the army's Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.

William O. Day and Mrs. Day are attending Georgetown University where they are studying Japanese in preparation for service in Japan next year as education missionaries of the Presbyterian U. S. Board of World Missions.

**1959** Robert W. Gay, Jr. of Rocky Mount, N. C., has received a Master's Degree from East Carolina University. He is an administrative officer at N. C. State University in Raleigh, N. C.

**1960** Donald G. Wilson has entered the U. S. Army with the rank of captain for duty as a chaplain. He had been pastor of Haran Baptist Church in Roanoke, Va. for three years. He has been assigned to Ft. George Meade, Md.

John E. Donaldson, an associate professor in the Marshall-Wythe School of Law at William and Mary College, has been named an assistant vice president of the college. Donaldson practiced law with a Williamsburg firm and worked for the Internal Revenue Service before joining the college faculty in 1966.

Claude P. Talley of Texaco, Inc., a Richmond Research firm, has received a national award for his work in developing boron filament, which can be fabricated into material stronger and stiffer than steel or aluminum but 15 per cent lighter than aluminum. He received the "Personal Achievement Award" of "Chemical Engineering" magazine.

Rev. and Mrs. William L. Painter, pastor of Presbyterian Church in West End, N. C., have announced the birth of a daughter, born on August 13.

**1961** Malcolm J. Myers has been promoted to staff accountant at the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Virginia. He joined the company in 1966.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Gladding, Jr. have announced the birth of a daughter, Anne Stuart, on October 17. The Gladdings reside in Falls Church, Va.

E. Carter Nettles, Jr., a Sussex (Va.) County attorney, has been named to the council of the Virginia State Bar.

**1962** Dr. Barry V. Kilpatrick is serving in the U. S. Air Force in Vietnam. He is stationed at Cam Ranh Bay. He is expected to return to the U. S. in September and to specialize in pediatrics at the Medical College of Virginia.

Lt. Dennis Nofsinger of the U. S. Navy is stationed at the Naval Station Dispensary at Norfolk, Va.

D. Page Elmore of Painter, Va., is treasurer of Accomack County, Va.

William G. Boice has gone into private law practice and is a part-time assistant commonwealth's attorney for Henrico County, Va. He was in the law firm of Williams, McGehee and Willey.

A. Grey Staples has been named chief counsel for the State Corporation Commission. He had been assistant counsel since July of 1967. He worked in the office of the comptroller of the currency prior to becoming assistant counsel.

Rev. and Mrs. W. Robert Dawson have announced the birth of a daughter, Karen Michelle, on August 3. Dawson is assistant pastor of Villa Heights Baptist Church in Roanoke, Va.

**1963** Raymond P. Gott, Jr. has been promoted to purchasing agent for the Firestone Synthetic Fibers and Textiles Company plant in Bowling Green, Ky. He was a buyer for the firm in Hopewell, Va.

The engagement of H. Joseph Williams, Jr. of Staunton to Miss Rebecca Covington Chapman of Myrtle Beach, S. C., has been announced.

The engagement of James Hubbard Sprouse of Richmond to Miss Patricia Earle Gunn has been announced.

The engagement of Oliver J. Stone of Bassett to Miss Barbara Jackson Taylor of Roanoke has been announced.

Henry C. Stallworth of Chicago has joined the marketing staff of the Petroleum Chemicals department of Nalco Chemical Company of Chicago. Stallworth was involved in petroleum product manufacturing and sales before joining Nalco.

Dale G. Robinson is assistant principal at Henrico High School.

U. S. Army Captain Joel A. Laster has

completed the medical service officer basic course at Brooke Army Medical Center at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex. Dr. Laster entered active duty in August.

Edward S. Cohen is a tax law specialist with the Internal Revenue Service's corporation tax branch. He graduated from the University of Virginia law school in 1967.

Elmo G. Cross, Jr. has joined the accounting firm of A. M. Pullen and Company in Richmond.

U. S. Army Captain Gordon L. Merritt has received the Bronze Star Medal for service in military operations in Vietnam from January 1967 to January 1968. He is a flight commander with the U. S. Army Aviation School at Ft. Rucker, Ala.

**1964** Wesley R. Monfalcone was graduated from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in May with the degree of Master of Divinity. The Monfalcone's first child, Wesley Mark, was born June 6. He is now associate pastor of the First Baptist Church of Annandale (Va.).

Charles A. Hartz, Jr. is now associated with the law firm of Minter and Bowman at Mathews Court House, Mathews, Va. He is a 1968 graduate of the T. C. Williams School of Law.

Carroll W. Coleman has been promoted to the rank of sergeant in the U. S. Army. He is a chief radio operator with the 20th Engineer Brigade near Bien Hoa, Vietnam.

Theodore C. Rowe, III received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from the Medical College of Virginia in June. He is interning at MCV.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Leonard of Virginia Beach have announced the birth of a daughter, Sandra Kay, on Oct. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis M. Rozum of Richmond have announced the birth of a daughter, Suzanne Maze on June 11.

U. S. Army Captain Claude R. Hoggard has received the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in ground operations against hostile forces in Vietnam. He is executive officer of a company of the 20th Engineer Brigade. He also received the Distinguished Flying Cross in earlier action in Vietnam.

The engagement of Edward O. Culler of Richmond to Miss Elizabeth Ashby Harrell of Bluefield, W. Va., has been announced.

Henry S. Enck has joined the faculty of Central Connecticut State College as an instructor in history. He formerly was a graduate assistant and NDEA research fellow at the University of Cincinnati.

William J. Howell of Clemmons, N. C. has been elected an assistant trust officer of Wachovia Bank and Trust Company. He joined the bank in 1967 and is a trust administrator.

Mr. and Mrs. William K. Williamson, Jr. of Hopewell, have announced the birth of a son, Christopher Mark, June 25.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert L. Slaughter of Powhatan have announced the birth of a daughter, Lisa Paige, on Sept. 16. Rev. Slaughter is pastor of Old Powhatan Baptist Church in Powhatan County and a teacher at Blanford Academy.

Rev. Fred Linkenhoker served as youth pastor at Melrose Baptist Church in Roanoke during the past summer. He has completed two years of service as a journeyman for Vietnam.

**1965** U. S. Army Captain Daniel D. Wright has received the Silver Star for gallantry in action while engaged in ground operations in Vietnam. The citation reads, in part: "Although heavily outnumbered and constantly under the direct fire of the enemy,



he personally directed the movement and fire of his men until the volume of enemy fire was sufficiently reduced to enable the infantry company to disengage its forces." Capt. Wright was the commander of an armored company.

Edward P. Motley of Champlayne, Va., was married to Miss Beverly Anne Delano (W. C. '68) on Oct 19, at Warsaw Baptist Church, Warsaw, Va.

William T. Garnett, Jr. is a student at the Krannert Graduate School of Industrial Administration at Purdue University.

Lt. John W. Courtney, III of the U. S. Army is serving at the 6th General Dispensary, APO, N. Y. He graduated from the School of Pharmacy of the Medical College of Virginia in June 1968.

Barry G. Sharp has been promoted to executive officer for the office of the Commissioner, U. S. Office of Education.

1st Lt. James A. Wagoner of the U. S. Army has completed a Quartermaster School basic course at Ft. Lee, Va.

H. Gray Broughton has joined Mutual Insurers in Richmond.

Vernon E. Inge, a Richmond attorney, has joined the law firm of Keith, Williams, Daniel and Bendas. He was assistant to Richmond City Attorney Conard B. Mattox.

**1966** Homer S. Saunders, Jr. has been promoted to assistant manager of the Macon, Ga. division of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Workman of North Reading, Mass., have reported the birth of a son, Jonathan E., on July 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Sharff of Richmond have announced the birth of a son, Richard, Jr., in October.

The engagement of Joseph W. Newton of Bluefield, Va., to Miss Carol Damorel (W.C. '65) has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Mallory have announced the birth of a son, Michael Thomas, on June 1. Mallory will receive the Master of Religious Education degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in January.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bailey of Richmond have announced the birth of a daughter, Lynne Willard, Nov. 3, 1967. Bailey is teaching corporation finance and management at Virginia Commonwealth University.

The engagement of Warren M. Harris of Richmond to Miss Nancy Diane MacMeccan of Hampton has been announced.

Robert E. Bayliss of Richmond has been appointed coach of the freshman tennis team of the U. S. Naval Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Perkinson, Jr. of Richmond have announced the birth of a son, Edward Perkinson, III, on Oct. 8, 1967.

James Baroody has joined the National Bureau of Standards in the electronic technology division. He received a master's degree in physics from the College of William and Mary in June.

Lt. Aubrey A. Talley, III has returned from army service in Vietnam.

Robert H. Van Vleck has joined Allied Chemical Corporation as an administrative assistant in New York City.

**1967** William E. Wilds is serving in the U. S. Navy, after a year of teaching history and social studies at Stony Creek.

Airman James D. Tolbert, Jr. of the U. S. Air Force has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Lowry AFB, Colo. for specialized schooling as an intelligence specialist.

Dr. Donald E. Sly has joined another Norfolk, Va., physician in the practice of otorhinolaryngology.

Charles B. Walker has been elected president and chief executive officer of Spotless Co., Inc. He was manager of systems and data processing for Albemarle Paper Co.

The engagement of Ronald Lee May of Gloucester Point to Miss Elizabeth G. O'Daniel of Norfolk has been announced.

The engagement of John B. McGinty of Richmond to Miss Barbara Crenshaw of Richmond has been announced. A March wedding is planned.

Alan Markow is in the U. S. Navy and serving as editor of the ship's paper aboard the Aircraft Carrier John F. Kennedy.

George Wood is serving as cross-country and track coach at Campbell College.

Lt. A. David Drayer was married to the former Miss Judy Marong (W.C. '67) in October, 1967. He has been assigned to duty in Korea.

Claude H. Arehart of Newport News has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant after graduating from the Infantry Officer Candidate School at Ft. Benning, Ga.

**1968** Frank Foley has gone into military service after working for General Electric in Salem, Va., as an accountant.

Sidney D. Derise is serving in the U. S. Army and is stationed at Ft. Benning, Ga.

Mrs. Wilbur B. Boyer, Jr. (Beverly K. Cook), has joined the accounting firm of A. M. Pullen & Company. Her husband, a 1967 graduate, is serving in the U. S. Army.

Richard E. Doland is enrolled in graduate study at Old Dominion College.

The engagement of James E. Lewis of Richmond to Miss Mary Frances Rose of Richmond has been announced.

Thomas E. Leonard has been commissioned an Ensign in the U. S. Navy.

Second Lt. Duncan M. Byrd, Jr., of the U. S. Army has completed an army training course in the duties of a tank platoon commander.

The engagement of Robert S. Frick, Jr. of Potomac, Md., to Miss Susan Kirby Chapman of Richmond has been announced.

The engagement of U. S. Army Lt. Frank T. McCormick of Montclair, N. J. to Miss Sharon Lynn Stephenson of Newport News, has been announced. A February wedding is planned.

The engagement of U. S. Army Second Lt. Eric L. Ball of the Canal Zone, Panama, to Miss Peggy Anne Bruner of Richmond has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Rogers, III of Richmond announced the birth of a son.

Johnny Moates has joined the University of Richmond coaching staff as coach of the freshman basketball team. He also will serve as assistant baseball coach and teach in the physical education department.

Robert M. Berry is enrolled in the department of Urban and Regional Studies in the School of Architecture at VPI.

John D. Hopkins has joined a Hammond, Ind., newspaper, *The Times* as a general assignment reporter. He previously served on the staff of the *Richmond News Leader* for three years.

Airman Roy S. Riner, Jr. of Lynchburg has been assigned to Patrick AFB, Fla., for training and duty in the education and training field.

Henry Fizer of Bedford, Va., was ordained into the Baptist ministry at Stockton Memorial Baptist Church in Richmond in August. He is enrolled at Andover Newton Theological School.

C. Michael Davis has been named manager of sales services at A. H. Robins Company. He joined the firm in 1961 as a medical service representative in the Vir-

ginia division and became supervisor of sales services in Richmond in 1966.

The engagement of Alan Katz of Richmond to Miss Vivian Lynn Effron of Bluefield, W. Va., has been announced. Katz is serving in the U. S. Army.

U. S. Army Second Lt. Joseph C. Northen has completed an officer training course at the army's Armor School at Ft. Knox, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Fisher of Richmond have announced the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Carroll, on May 20.

Donald A. Holyfield has joined the Richmond branch of the Pan American Life Insurance Company.

The engagement of Second Lt. Charles T. Horner, III of the U. S. Army to Miss Mary Kathryn Rowell of Surry, Va., has been announced.

The engagement of Lt. Steven C. McCarthy of the U. S. Army to Miss Margaret Jeane Gardiner of Richmond, has been announced.

The engagement of Gary M. Ewell of Onancock to Miss Mary Hobbs Napotnik has been announced.

**1969** Wayne D. Evans of Middletown, Pa., is serving in Scotland with the U. S. Navy. He is married.

Donald L. Fitzgerald is in the U. S. Army serving with the Army's Special Forces at Ft. Dix, N. J.

## HOW SWEET IT WAS

*Continued from page 5 / TD passes, Richards another, Kellum running for one score and Montsinger racing 54 yards with a pass interception.*

In a 31-7 triumph over East Carolina O'Brien had a pair of TD passes, Kellum gained 85 yards rushing and Dussault booted a 45-yard field goal. Richmond scored 24 points in the first half and turned the game over to reserves. In the 34-0 victory over Furman O'Brien completed four scoring passes with Gillette on the receiving end of three of them.

The young Spiders, who had dropped their first two games to Toledo, 31-14, and West Virginia, 17-0, opened their race for the Southern Conference crown with a 24-14 triumph over Davidson. Kellum and Olejack scored the first Spider touchdowns but it was Dussault's 23-yard field goal which put the Spiders ahead to stay, 17-14. O'Brien scored from the two to provide a safety margin.

The young Spiders were growing up. Richmond scored 21 points in the first 19 minutes as O'Brien hit Olejack and Livesay with 11-yard and 59-yard scoring passes and then scored on a quarterback sneak. The Citadel came back strong with 16 points and advanced as far as the Richmond 12-yard stripe before Irvin made a big defensive play on a fourth-and-two situation to halt the Bulldogs' bid for victory.

Losses from this season's team will be light and there are some good youngsters coming up from the 3-1-1 freshmen eleven. O'Brien will be the big loss. Others who wound up their football careers in the Tangerine Bowl victory were Kellum, Defensive Backs Bixiones, Tommy Johnson and Rich DeVito, England, Defensive Tackle Willard Arthur and Dick Allanson, a reserve end. ■



# Westhampton College

Westhampton, the Student and Change, by Mary Sue Terry, President of College Government

"Those were the days, my friends. We thought they'd never end. . .," and now it's 1969—the year after three astronauts circled the moon, the Democrats carried Maine, and the University of Richmond football team played in a bowl game; the year that brought surprises and saw fulfillment. Cities blazed and campuses fermented (*Note: all fermentation at WC is off campus*). In reaction, this magazine asks: What about Westhampton, the Student, and Change? I shall consider this topic in three stages, beginning first with the question: What about Change?

Two problems occur when we consider change with respect to college campuses. First, the word is loaded:

change means excitement to the average college student who, in all immodesty and conceit, declares a one-to-one correlation between change and progress. This is a natural outgrowth of his search for pragmatic realization of idealistic goals.

The average adult often expresses the opposite reaction. I seldom go home or visit relatives without being asked my opinion of campus riots and other questionable forms of student expression. I find it hard to defend the generation that "had no excuses" when there exists an obviously mutual misunderstanding of this single word. Arguments fail to clash and become polarized, one party defending change as a manifestation of "conscientious student involvement," the other attacking change as a product of impudent student activism.

The preceding is overdrawn but it does remind us of the danger and folly of glibly classifying all members of one generation as "unloving critics" and the other as "uncritical lovers." The word must be used with care lest it become so encumbered with oblique associations that its usage becomes an albatross to the concept itself.

The second problem in connection with a discussion of students and change occurs when one asks: What is the average student's reaction to

change? The question is as impossible to answer meaningfully as is the query: What is the average voter's feeling about deficit spending? At Westhampton we have reactionaries and revolutionaries. (*Note: Three out of every four Westhampton women were happy on November 6th.*) It would be presumptuous of me to try to speak for the majority and foolish of me to attempt to consolidate all views into one. I write this article, then, from my perspective as a Senior and campus leader, and from my own particular political orientation, which is a product, in part, of my personal views toward change. (*Hint: It was a bleak Wednesday. . .*)

What about Change? There are two changes that have significantly affected student thinking at Westhampton. Both are obvious, their effects subtle, but, in my opinion, no less real. One factor is the increasing prominence of students on the national scene and the other is the expanding nature of the University of Richmond. In considering the impact of each, we are attempting to answer the question: What about the Student?

I must preface this part by reassuring you that no catastrophic upheaval has taken place at Westhampton. I can report no unanimous appeal for a revision of certain college regulations or major University policies. I can only report a creeping change in attitude and approach on the part of a significant minority of students who have developed a "self-conscious awareness" of themselves, as individuals and as students of the

University, that seeks expression in exciting ways.

A distinguished University of Richmond alumnus once spoke, in a different context, of the malaise of "blindness by the familiar." We students at /  
*continued on page 34.*







**Carolyn Marsh Heads Alumnae Fund**

Carolyn O. Marsh, '47, will serve as General Chairman of the 1969 Westhampton College Alumnae Fund. A native of Florence, S. C., Carolyn majored in psychology as an undergraduate at Westhampton and received her Master's degree in psychology from the University of Richmond in 1948. She joined Miller & Rhoads department store in 1951 as Employment Interviewer and was promoted to Personnel Counselor in 1953. She was named Personnel Manager of all Richmond area stores in 1961.

Carolyn is a member of the American Psychological Association, the Willow Oaks Country Club (she likes to play golf), and the River Road Baptist Church. As Fund Chairman, Carolyn also serves Alma Mater as a member of the Alumnae Association Board.

As we look forward to a record-breaking Alumnae Fund in 1969, we can be grateful for the dedication of so many alumnae whose efforts will assure attainment of our goal:

Carolyn O. Marsh, an outstanding example of our distinguished alumnae, heads the Fund.

More than 500 workers are ready to devote their time and energy to make this our most successful year.

And, these Class Chairmen will lead each class to new heights of participation and contribution:

- R.C.-CoEds—Frances Trevvett Matthews
  - 1915—Celeste Anderson O'Flaherty
  - 1916—Helen Monsell
  - 1917—Gladys Holleman Barlow
  - 1918—Elizabeth Brockenbrough
  - 1919—Virginia Jones Snead
  - 1920—Frances Shipman Sutton
  - 1921—Leonora Dorsey Kilby
  - 1922—Jeanette Henna
  - 1923—Dorothy Sadler Corprew
  - 1924—Hilda Booth Beale
  - 1925—Elma H. Ashton
  - 1926—Elizabeth Salle
  - 1927—Evelyn Bristow Robert
  - 1928—Margaret Chapin Perry
  - 1929—Mary Richardson Butterworth
  - 1930—Margaret Oliver Saunders
  - 1931—Lucie Francis Samuel
  - 1932—Valerie LeMasurier Jones
  - 1933—Archie B. Fowlkes
  - 1934—Frances Lundin van Heuveln
  - 1935—Gladys Smith Tatum
  - 1936—Esther Walsh Dutton
  - 1937—Marion Miller Peyronnet
  - 1938—(To be announced)
  - 1939—Bess Pat Walford
  - 1940—Kitty Lyle
  - 1941—Gladys Epes Hardy
  - 1942—Ada Moss Harlow
  - 1943—Priscilla Poteat Humbert
  - 1944—Ann Burcher Stansbury
  - 1945—Constance Sutton Richards
  - 1946—Joyce Eubank Todd
  - 1947—Carolyn Marsh
  - 1948—Jane Belk Moncure
  - 1949—Jane Dens McManigal
  - 1950—Virginia Sims
  - 1951—Mary Lee Moore Vinson
  - 1952—Bettie Jarrett Nye
  - 1953—Nancy O'Neill Camden
  - 1954—Marcella Hammock Bullock
  - 1955—Jackie Kilby Brooks
  - 1956—Ann Jennings Vaughan
  - 1957—Margaret Graves Butterworth
  - 1958—Suzanne Prillaman Wiltshire
  - 1959—Bonnie Lewis Haynie
  - 1960—Jeanette McWilliams Welsh
  - 1961—Mary Catherine Sellers Dunn
  - 1962—Betty Morris Blankenship
  - 1963—Carolyn Anthony Powers
  - 1964—Julia Whitlock Sheranek
  - 1965—Dianne Minter Vann
  - 1966—Martha Daughtry Colston
  - 1967—Martha Ann Wholey
  - 1968—Carol Henry
- Here's to the 1969 Alumnae Fund!

*etc.*

So many of you were able to come back for Homecoming. It was our largest number! For those who could not come and haven't seen the new Fine Arts building, I want to tell you where our funds for helping furnish certain areas really went.

As you know some reunion classes designated their contributions for specific areas: 1918, certain stage curtains for the theater; 1923, display cases in the Lutz room; 1928, library tables and chairs and stereo record players for the music library; 1948, equipment for the Turnbull room.

The alumnae Fine Arts Furnishing Fund, which includes the above, also is being used to furnish the lounge opposite the theater. A painting honoring Leslie Booker will be hung here. When you do come to visit, you will see a most attractive display of Miss Lutz' puppets. The permanent cases for these are not completed as yet.

We are so grateful to all who will be serving as agents and chairmen for the Alumnae Fund drive. So many from last year will be helping this year, and many new workers have joined them. This outstanding team, coupled with your increased enthusiastic support, is the unbeatable combination which will make it possible for us to surpass all prior achievements. Our thanks to each of you! All chairmen and agents mark February 15th (Saturday) on your calendar. There will be a workshop and luncheon, starting at noon. This is the big Kick-Off for our 1968-69 Fund drive.

I hope all the classes having reunions this year (May 16-17) are busy making their plans! Do let the office know who will be handling this for each of the reunion classes: 1919—50th, 1924—45th, 1929—40th, 1934—35th, 1939—30th, 1944—25th, 1949—20th, 1954—15th, 1959—10th, 1964—5th, 1967—2nd.

*Jouise Long*



## Accent on Alumnae

### **Mrs. Rae Norford Griffith, '36 Named National President of KDE**

Mrs. Rae Norford Griffith, '36, assistant professor of biology at Moravian College, is the new national president of Kappa Delta Epsilon, professional education sorority. She was elected at the recent 17th convention in Cincinnati, Ohio, attended by 200 members from 42 chapters in the U. S.

Mrs. Griffith, on the Moravian faculty since 1960 and adviser to Alpha Theta, the Moravian chapter of KDE, has served on the favors, special awards and nominating committee at the national level in recent years. Her husband, James M. Griffith, Jr., is with Bell Telephone Co.

Mrs. Griffith has a Master of Arts degree from Leigh University, and is a member of Bethlehem Branch, American Association of University Women.

### **Noel Louise Swinter, '65 Joins American Red Cross**

Miss Noel Louise Swinter, '65, has joined the American Red Cross as a recreation aide. She is on the staff of the U. S. Naval Hospital in Portsmouth where she helps to plan and conduct medically-approved recreation activities for hospitalized servicemen. After graduating from Westhampton, Miss Swinter worked in the Social Security Administration as a claims authorizer. She also served as a Red Cross volunteer swimming and life-saving instructor.

### **Dr. Carla Waal, '53, Studies At Scandinavian Seminar in Sweden**

Dr. Carla Waal, '53, of the drama department of the University of Georgia, spent six weeks during the summer at the Scandinavian Studies Seminar under a U. S. Office of Education grant. Her individual study, conducted in Sweden, was on "Modern Swedish Drama and Theatre."

The program of international study was administered by the Society for the Advancement of Scandinavian Study. All who took part are expected to act as contacts to provide others in their region with information about Swedish culture in general. Specifically, they are prepared to inform others, who may wish to study or do research in Sweden, concerning university and library facilities.

Dr. Waal was the only participant from the South and the only one involved in a theatre project.

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## LOCAL CLUBS

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### **Atlanta Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. H. H. Blackwell (Jane Horton, '60), 4358 Bishop Hollow Court, Chamblee, Georgia 30005.

The Atlanta Club members met for a coffee in September and again for dinner

on December 2, when Dean Mary Louise Gehring was guest speaker. President of the club, Mrs. Jane Horton Blackwell, welcomed Miss Gehring and area alumnae.

### **Baltimore Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. Lee P. Bredbenner (Kathy White, '64), 603 Bridgeman Terrace, Towson, Maryland 21204.

Our most exciting news is of the marriage of our club president, on Nov. 2, in Bridgewater, Va. While she enjoyed her honeymoon, the rest of us met for luncheon on Nov. 9 at Hochschild-Kohn's Tea Room in downtown Baltimore. We received the highlights of Homecoming Weekend, with slides, from Miss Ruth Latimer, '45.

We hope to plan another Alumnae-Alumni dinner in the spring or late winter. Will any interested Richmond alumni please contact our president and help with the planning?

### **Eastern Shore Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. Walkley E. Johnson (Virginia Clore, '24), Box 215, Belle Haven, Virginia 23306.

The Westhampton College Alumnae Club of the Eastern Shore held its annual luncheon meeting at The Owl Restaurant at New Church, on November the 16th. After a short business meeting the group enjoyed a talk by Mr. Randolph Walker, Jr., Ass't. Dir. of Public Relations at the University. Mr. Walker brought news of the colleges and showed beautiful slides of the campus, buildings and activities.

The following officers were elected for 1969-1971: President, Elizabeth Jones Newton (Mrs. Philip Newton); Vice-President, Mae Frances Colonna Ransome (Mrs. Dupuy Ransome, Jr.); Secretary, Sally Ann Horner Black (Mrs. Joseph Black); Treasurer, Eva Rue Mapp (Mrs. J. William).

### **Greensboro, High Point, Winston-Salem Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. George P. Williams, Jr. (Alice Mae Verra, '49), 1961 Faculty Drive, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

The Greensboro-High Point-Winston-Salem Alumnae Club will hold a meeting in Greensboro in January. The club has decided to meet in Greensboro and in Winston-Salem once each year.

The new secretary is: Mrs. Henry J. Decker, Jr. (Charlotte Houchins, '51), 207 Country Park Road, Greensboro, North Carolina 27408.

### **Peninsula Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. Robert Miller (Virginia Jones, '56), 184 Yeardley Drive, Newport News, Virginia 23601.

The Peninsula Alumnae Club held its annual fall meeting in October. The speaker for the evening was H. Wescott Cunningham, President of Christopher Newport College serving the Peninsula area. He spoke of the growth of the college and the expected addition of the third and fourth years of academic studies by 1970.

Also in October we had our club project. It was a bridge party-fashion show with members of the club and their daughters modeling fashions from local department stores. Mrs. John M. Brooks (Gail Morrison, '61) and Mrs. John Lake (Edwina Knipping, '58) were co-chairmen for the event. It was a big success with a turnout of a hundred members and friends.

### **Richmond Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. John B. Bullock (Marcella Hammock, '54), 301-E North Hamilton Street, Richmond, Virginia 23221.

Virginia State Senator J. Sargeant Reynolds addressed over 90 Westhampton College alumnae and guests on "Presidential Campaigning—1960 and 1968" at a covered dish supper on October 2.

Special thanks go to Mrs. Carolyn Powers, '63, and Mrs. Judy Bolling, '63, co-chairmen of the event, for a job well done.

### **Roanoke Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. Robert G. Neuville (Arnett Kizzia, '55), 4726 Glenbrook Drive, S. W., Roanoke, Virginia 24018.

The Roanoke Alumnae Club held its annual fall reception for new and returning Westhampton students on Wednesday, September 4, at the home of Jane Anderson Jennings (Mrs. C. Leon, '56). About 43 people attended, including 10 returning students and six new students from Roanoke and surrounding towns.

Jane Hurt (Mrs. Ira, Jr.) was chairman of arrangements for the meeting. Arnett Kizzia Neuville, president of the club, presided, and Lynn Andrews, a student, was in charge of the program, which included winning song from the 1968 song contest.

Mrs. Neuville appointed Cary Hancock Gilmer, '59; Mary Lee Kingrey Divers, '56; and Genie Henderson, '66 to the nominating committee.

### **Tidewater Alumnae Club**

President: Mrs. Fred T. Given (Jane Ozlin, '52), 1130 Hanover Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia 23508.

The Tidewater Club held an informal luncheon in September by the pool of Gay Winslow Shulman, '58. Ann Pultz Waters, '61 made the arrangements, and it was enjoyed by the students and alumnae who attended.

On October 26, we held a covered dish luncheon at Coleman's Nursery in Portsmouth. Julia Perkinson Crews, '62, our vice-president, was chairman of this affair. After a delicious meal, we had a short program and business meeting.

Plans for the year were made. The club is selling pecans, and we plan to again sponsor a dinner theater party in late January. Ann Hanbury Callis, '54 is the ways and means chairman. We have been invited to a coffee in February by the Peninsula Club. April 12, 1969 is the date of our spring luncheon with Westhampton guests.

### **Washington Area Alumnae Club**

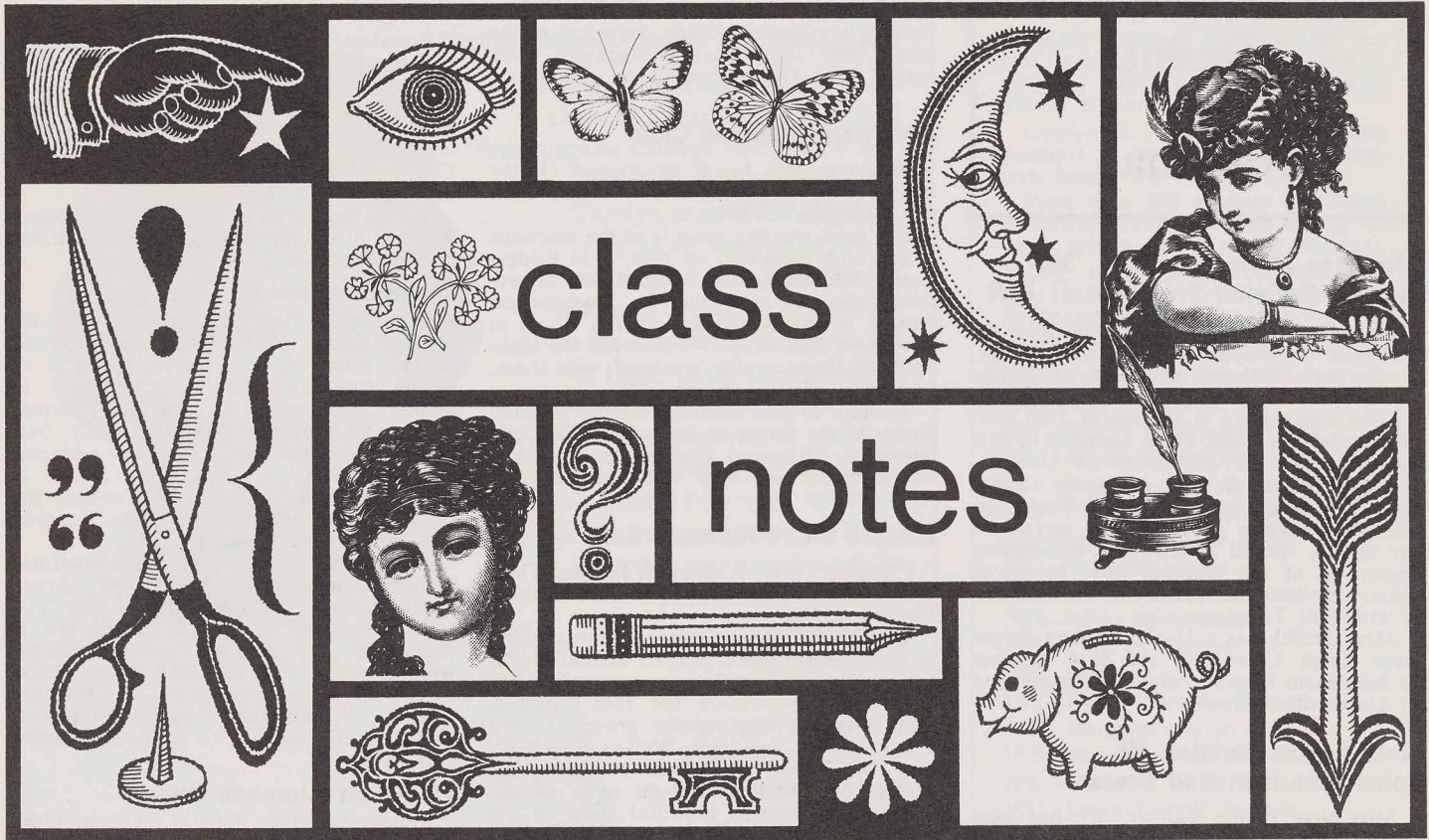
President: Mrs. Oliver A. Reed, Jr. (Margaret Brinson, '40), 9112 Congressional Court, Alexandria, Virginia.

The Washington Area Alumnae Club had a Silver Tea in honor of Leslie Booker on September 15, in the home of Shirley Hill Bishop, '58, in Falls Church. Nancy Prickett Yarborough was chairman of the Refreshment Committee.

Mrs. Booker was accompanied from Richmond by Pauline Turnbull, Fannie Crenshaw, and Josephine Tucker, who were also recognized and surprised each other by taking turns in giving short talks on the others' accomplishments. May Thompson Evans gave a delightful talk on the services rendered by Leslie to Westhampton.

New officers elected were: President, Margaret Brinson Reed, '40; Vice President, Lee Whitney Brandis, '65; Corresponding Secretary, Marilyn McMurray Rishell, '52; Recording Secretary, Sally Van Dyke Wood, '62; and Chairman of Publicity and Hospitality, Isabel Blair Porter Brophy, '48.





**R.F.I.-  
W.C.R.**

Mrs. Clara B. Epps,  
President  
2503 Grove Avenue  
Richmond, Virginia 23220

Greetings from R.F.I.-Woman's College Alumnae! This is our first appearance as a regular contributor to the Bulletin. Look for our message in succeeding issues.

The Fine Arts Building is at last a reality and we are proud to have had a part. At Dr. Modlin's suggestion, we assumed the responsibility of supplying furnishings for the Carver Room, containing cases displaying two hundred Chinese porcelains.

This collection was a gift of an earlier date by Dr. and Mrs. David J. Carver of Baltimore, Maryland in memory of their son, D. J. Carver, Jr. His portrait hangs on the wall. Dr. Carver is an alumnus of Richmond College and his wife, Hally Council is an alumna of Woman's College in Richmond. A more recent gift from the Carvers is 1965 hand embroidered fabrics from China, many of them ceremonial robes. There was no provision for their care or display.

With this need in mind and the Chinese motif already developed for the room, the Committee from our alumnae decided to have our gift conform. The Committee was composed of Mrs. Christine McClintic, Miss Elsie McGeorge, Mr. and Mrs. Charles King and Mrs. Stiles Ellyson.

A Chinese oriental antique sazouk rug covers the greater part of the floor space. A Chinese chest, dating about 1750, lacquered red with Chinese figures in red and gold embossed, is the depository for the fabrics. Two antique chairs of elm flank the chest which is centrally placed in front of the window with its leaded panes conforming to the Gothic plan of the University's architecture. On the chest reposes

the book "In Remembrance" to which donors subscribed memorializing one or more classmates, members of the faculties of the earlier schools, relatives or friends. The book is bound in red Nigerian leather and hand noted by Mr. Clement Samford of Williamsburg, who does similar work for the Williamsburg Foundation.

Window drapes of brocade silk complete the furnishings.

A plate on the window sill bears the inscription, "The furnishings for this room are the gift to the University of Richmond from the relatives and friends of Richmond Female Institute—Woman's College Richmond."

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Mrs. Gordon E. Barlow  
(Gladys Holleman)  
RFD 2, Box 88  
Smithfield, Virginia 23430

Anne-Ruth Harris is recuperating from a multiple hip fracture which resulted from a fall at her Baptist Retirement Home in Chestnut Hill, Mass.

Florence Boston Decker is leading a busy life at her Warsaw Plantation home at Aylett. In addition to her homemaking duties, she is receptionist and general assistant to her husband, Dr. Henry W. Decker, in his medical practice.

Ruth Elliott Trice was unable to attend Homecoming because of a recent hospital experience.

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Mrs. Dayton McKillop  
(Margaret Semmes)  
Rt. 2, Box 117  
Glen Allen, Virginia 23060

A letter from our class secretary, Juliette Carpenter, has asked me to take over until next May when our new officers will be

elected at our class reunion. How could anyone refuse Juliette, who has served us so willingly, so efficiently, so lovingly through all these many years? I know we all rejoice and are deeply thankful for the steady progress of her recovery. Probably few of us realize what a long, painful year she has had since she experienced a stroke in September, 1967. She was in Warm Springs, Ga., for nearly four months. The day after she returned home, the last of January, she broke her left hip and spent a month in the hospital, the crushed bone being replaced with a metal pin. She is now walking with a cane, at times in much pain, but there is progress, and she is looking forward to the months ahead when she can really walk again. Her husband retired last June and he has been a great help to her. Their only daughter has given them a tenth grandchild.

She writes: "Pamela was up this summer with her new baby boy, Garnett Henry, born June 16, her tenth child. Three are in college this fall, Noel, almost 21, will graduate from Wheaton College, Ill. in January, and be married Dec. 21. Walter, 19, is a sophomore at Ga. Tech., Trevie, 18, is a freshman at the U. of Ga."

I was surprised and thrilled to see in the fall Bulletin that in the list of the 54 class percentages of alumnae contributors, we, of 1919, are second. Those early classes are right up on top and we can be proud of being included with them. We can thank Virginia K. Wright, who wrote to me, and the others, for their encouragement.

Since the coming winter and spring will bring us to our Golden Anniversary, I am sure every member will want to return to Westhampton. Information from our Executive Secretary states: "Alumnae week-end will be the third week-end in May. The University of Richmond men will have theirs at the same time. At your reunion, class officers will be elected."



It is not too soon to let it be known that you will visit Richmond at that time. It will be wonderful to see all our members together, especially those who haven't been able to come from a distance to our past reunions.

Please let me have news from each one of you early in the year for the spring Bulletin. Remember, it is our fiftieth year—let's celebrate by everyone sending a word concerning herself and her family. It will be so good of you to help by writing me before I have to send you a reminder.

We thank you, Juliette, for the inspiration and encouragement of your faithfulness in holding us together through these past years. We wish for you a complete recovery, so that you may enjoy being with us to celebrate our Golden Reunion.

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**'21** Mrs. W. Ney Evans  
(May Alcott Thompson)  
4651 Kenmore Drive, N.W.  
Washington, D. C.

Girls, we have fan mail! This peaks anticipation for our golden reunion. Should we urge our fan to bring not only his wife but also his children and grandchildren? That's an idea—maybe we could make our golden celebration a real family affair. On second thought, class members who have achieved what some of us have not—that is, produce the oncoming generations—may be planning to use our 50th reunion as "an elopement with the spouse."

Our vignettes have only begun to bring us up to date about the many turns of events for each of us during those 47 intervening years, since our arduous and romantic campus years. To quote our fan:

*For some time I have been reading, with much interest, the letter in Richmond's Alumni Bulletin sent in by you and referring to Westhampton's class of 1921. Since 1921 is also my class—but not from Westhampton—I have tried to recognize and remember some of the names you mention. . . .*

*For several years I have, in my spare time, tried to write a set of memoirs. My children were very interested in the first edition, which ended with my high school days. They asked me to write a sequel, which I did. In this latter series, I told of the time at old Richmond when your date, John Hart, missed the street car and was not there to escort you, and of how I substituted for John, and of what a good time we had. I also told of how you treated poor John, who showed up late. . . . Since leaving Richmond College, I have done many things. Among the most important: I have been married to the same wife for forty-four years; have four children, three boys and a girl; and twelve grandchildren. All of my children have graduated from college, and are all married. I am now retired from the automobile business, which I stayed with for some forty years.*

*My wife was looking over the last Bulletin, and I told her that the one who wrote the 1921 news letter was the girl about whom I wrote. . . . She grinned, and said, 'I'll bet you wouldn't recognize her now.'*

*I see Hoseye Anderson occasionally, and he is just about the only one of the old crowd I do see.*

*Best wishes to you, and to any of the members of our class of 1921 who might remember me. Sincerely, Sud Paget (J. S. Paget, P. O. Box 111, Greer, S. C.)*

How about our reassuring Sud that we are all just as pretty and chic as in '21—that is, until someone takes a look at those pictures in The Tower.

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**'25** Miss Gladys Sanders  
2237 W. Grace Street  
Richmond, Virginia 23220

Cathryn Henna, Emeline Stearns, and I attended the dinner on Friday of Homecoming Week End. On Saturday our class was also represented at the dedication of the James L. Camp Memorial Theater in the new Fine Arts Building.

Emeline had an interesting visit this past summer with Kwan Fong Cheung Ling and with Anne Gordon Steward. She, first, went to see Kwan Fong, who was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Hsu, in East Orange, N. J. Mr. Robert Hsu is an engineer who works in New York City, commuting from Newark. They have three children, and Kwan Fong has five other grandchildren. Samuel, her son, who lives in Ohio, has recently passed his oral exams for his Ph.D. in physics. He has two girls and a boy. Her other daughter, who lives in New Orleans, has two daughters.

The next day Emeline took a plane to Ithaca for a visit with Anne, who was at the airport to meet her. Anne's husband, Dr. Frederick Campion Steward, (known to his friends as "Camp") is Director of the Laboratory for Cell Growth and Development at Cornell University. He showed Emeline through the lab, where all kinds of interesting scientific experiments and observations were in operation. She met some very interesting people from many nations who work under him. There was social activity too. Anne entertained several groups, so Emeline had a chance to meet some of their friends.

Before returning home, Emeline went with Anne and "Camp" to Edison, N. J., to spend the week end with their son, Gordon, and his wife and two children—Beth, five, and Charles, two.

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**'28** Mrs. Edward G. Cale  
(Elizabeth Sherman)  
6539 Hitt Avenue  
McLean, Virginia 22101

A newsy letter from Margaret Chapin Perry told of a summer trip to England and the birth of her first grandchild, Robert Chapin Perry.

Nora Turpin Turner was chosen to serve as the Richmond Christmas Mother this year.

There is a possibility that Ed and I will be leaving in January for Ghana, in West Africa, where he would be on an economic survey for eighteen months. If so, I will turn over any class news that reaches me to Gray Robinson French to be sent in for the next Bulletin. Gray's new address is 3545 South Leisure World Boulevard, Silver Spring, Maryland.

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**'30** Mrs. John Edward Millea  
(Priscilla Kirkpatrick)  
8 Mt. Ida Street  
Newton, Massachusetts 02158

I am sorry to have to bring you the news that Dorothy Abbott Wood's husband died suddenly on November 4. We send our loving sympathy to Dottie and her family.

By the time you read this, Margaret Flick Clark's daughter, Charlotte, will have completed her last semester in library school. She is specializing in library service to disadvantaged children, and worked last summer in a Head Start branch as well as on a book bus that visited poverty areas. Flickie attended the ALA meeting in Kansas City in June; then she and Bob spent two weeks in Des Moines.

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**'31** Miss Margaret Leake  
408 N. Meadow Street  
Richmond, Virginia 23220

Two weddings coming up! Hattie Habel Moschler's daughter, Mary Lou, was married in December to Mark Forte, a research chemist with DuPont in Richmond.

Lucie Francis Samuel's son, John, is engaged to Virginia Poindexter of Richmond. They will be married in June. John is a chemist at Edgewood Arsenal in Edgewood, Maryland.

Amelia Ullman enjoyed a South American cruise during the month of December.

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**'33** Miss Gertrude Bruce Dyson  
14 Malvern Avenue  
Richmond, Virginia 23221

Tony and Phoebe Thiermann accompanied Lelia Frances to Amarillo Air Force Base where she was married in October to Joseph Allen Taylor of Danville, Virginia.

Eleanor and Starke Farley attended the wedding of Margaret Slaughter Hardcastle and Lamar Layton in College Park, Maryland in November. The new address for the Laytons is 6700 Belcrest Road, Hyattsville, Maryland.

Archie wishes to express her gratitude to the class agents, Marion Clark, Edna Earl, Gertrude, Frances Justice and Flossie for a job well done with expectations for an even better job *this* year. Carolyn C. Powell served so ably last year, too, but is unable to do so, again. You'll be hearing from Archie!

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**'39** Mrs. A. L. Jacobs  
(Anne Scott Campbell)  
203 Santa Clara Drive  
Richmond, Virginia 23229

We are trying to locate everyone for our reunion next May and we lack addresses for Bunny Deaton Freeman, Lenore Dinneen Bergmann, and Mary Katherine Curley Rowse. Please let Dot Shell Wood or me know your locations and any recent changes of address. We will let you hear later on as to the place of our dinner to be held Friday night, May 16. All husbands are invited, too, and be saving some snapshots to bring along for all of us to enjoy.

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**'40** Mrs. Frederick Jurgens, Jr.  
(Maude Smith)  
2435 Buford Road  
Bon Air, Virginia 23235

We had several nice postcards this fall from Eleanor Fish. One was from the family's trip to Yellowstone National Park, and the other from Washington state where she visited her sister, who lives near Seattle.

The new format of the Alumni Bulletin makes most enjoyable reading, doesn't it?

A Halloween card from Ethel Harrington was newsy as usual. Tor is on the DMZ as a flight leader with a helicopter group. He has to time the flights of choppers landing weapons and men with only seconds between flights. Tara will be graduating from Vassar in June, and is looking forward to teaching. I'm sorry to hear that Ethel is being bothered with arthritis in her back.

Our family is still located where they were. Fred has been enjoying the audio-visual work in the schools and there isn't much of the county he doesn't see. Corliss is still in Indiana, and John at Camp LeJeune. It's still a thrill to have Carol and



Grace walk in for a visit and drive only two blocks to see them. I'm still working part-time at the pharmacy and fulltime at home.

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**'41** Mrs. S. G. Hardy  
(Gladys Epes)  
110 High Street  
Blackstone, Virginia 23824

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Harold and Virginia Omohundro Purcell spent several weeks in Europe last summer.

Enders and Jean Neasmith Dickinson's married daughter now lives in Huntington, West Virginia. Their son is a senior at William and Mary.

Ada Land had a nice tour of Europe in the summer.

Kay Leviston Krug's husband, Robert, is dean of George Mason College in Fairfax, Virginia, where the faculty and student body have about tripled since they arrived in 1965. Kay feels it is a challenge to help build a new college just fourteen miles west of Washington. In the admission office works Libby Burch Fowlkes, Kay's big sister of the class of '39. And Dr. Josephine Fenell Pacheco teaches history at G.M.C!

Kay has written that she and Robert went to Denver recently to see their son, Jeff and his wife, at Lowry Air Force Base. Jeff enlisted in the Air Force after his graduation from V.P.I. in June. He had been accepted at Michigan State for graduate school but decided to get his military obligation behind him. Kay's daughter, Robyn, a sophomore at William and Mary, played lacrosse against Westhampton last spring.

Kay also writes that she and Robert stopped in Columbia, Missouri, to visit with Ed and Connie Powell Luttrell, their two boys and two girls, in their lovely home near the campus of the University of Missouri. Ed is minister of a large and enthusiastic congregation with an attractive church at the edge of the Stephens College campus. Connie has been doing substitute teaching in addition to her duties as a minister's wife. She was being interviewed by the local paper as the "Cook of the Week." Connie was in Richmond last summer after a vacation at Nag's Head.

Liz Cardwell Brown and her husband, who lived in Blacksburg when Kay lived there, visited Kay in Fairfax in August when Liz was putting her younger son, Bill, a junior at Randolph-Macon, on a plane to Denmark where he will study.

Mildred Owen Stanley's daughter is a sophomore at Radford and their son is of junior high age, interested in all sports.

We extend sympathy to Mary Owen Bass. Her brother died recently.

Toni Wirth Whittet, Elizabeth Holden Slipek, Mayme O'Flaherty Stone, Henrietta Sadler Kinman, Anne Boehling Bowles, Virginia Garrett Buckler, Betty Riley Johnson, Jean Neasmith Dickinson, and I were the '41ers enjoying the Homecoming festivities in the fall.

Anne Boehling Bowles and Garland have two daughters, ages twelve and fourteen. She is doing some substitute teaching in Richmond this year.

Bob and Betty Riley Johnson, of Raleigh, North Carolina, were full of Spider spirit at Homecoming. Their son, a senior playing quarterback at U of R, is one of the co-captains of the Richmond football team.

J. Vaughan Gary and his son attended Homecoming. They were anticipating the arrival from New York of Carolyn Gary Hugo and her family (including her grand-

daughter) for a family reunion to celebrate the Gary's fiftieth wedding anniversary in November.

Anna Marie Rue Stringfellow invited me to play golf with her in her Member-Guest Golf Tournament at the Culpeper Country Club in September. Seven of the fourteen ladies playing were Westhampton graduates, and four of us won prizes! In fact, as partners Rue and I won fourth prize. Her older daughter, Charlene, is on the Dean's List at Westhampton as a senior, and her younger daughter, Pattie, is making wonderful grades as a senior at Culpeper High School. Pattie, co-editor of her yearbook and secretary of the student government association, hopes to enter Westhampton next year.

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**'42** Mrs. D. H. Holt  
(May Thayer)  
16 Dundee Avenue  
Richmond, Virginia 23225

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We missed everybody who couldn't make it to Homecoming and the lovely Friday night activities offered by the University. The '42'ers represented were Frances Calisch Rothenberg, Ann Pavey Garrett, Ann Smith Palazzo, Jayne Maire Massie, May Thayer Holt, and last, but far from least Alice Gray Simpson Newcomb. She was back with us for the first time since graduation—due primarily now to having a son who is a sophomore at U of R. She looked grand and asked about lots of you. She is still teaching in Fredericksburg, and we hope will join us more often. Wendy Cline was there Saturday morning.

Ada Moss Harlow is heading up the Alumnae Fund drive again for our class. Please help out if you're called on to write letters for this worthy and necessary cause.

We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to Emma Bee Waldrop Cruickshanks, who lost her mother this fall.

I had a grand letter in November from Lucy Burke Allen Meyer in San Carlos, California. Thank you, Lucy Burke! She is editor of the A.A.U.W. bulletin there, and knows how hard it is to get information out of people. She is president of the parents group at the high school this year, and there are 2300 students there. She even sent me their family Christmas card in advance—with darling snapshots of the family. I've sent it to Mary Grace to put in our permanent scrapbook. She has 2 boys studying at Berkeley: one in astro-physics, and one in physics engineering. Her daughter is in high school, and she has a four year old son. Between busy moments, she writes and has sold 17 articles. Somebody else please follow her thoughtful example, and write me a newsy letter!

Ann Garrett and Rosalie Jacobs had a nice trip to Baltimore in November to see Mildred Cordish. LaVerne Muse came over and had breakfast with them one morning.

Ethne Higginbotham and her family are back in Baltimore. Her address is 821 Trafalgar Road, Baltimore, Maryland 21204. Ann said that LaVerne and her family, vacationing out west this past summer, ran into Peggy Early and her family in one of the National Parks—all the way across the country! Rosalie said that Ann Gauling is in Iran now with Ray.

Lillian Jung's new address has not been in the Bulletin yet. She has left her job of 15½ years, relocated, and bought a house at: Midland Ave., P. O. Box 498, Central Valley, N. Y. 10917.

I almost forgot to say how proud at Homecoming we all were of Frances Rothenberg's daughter, Martha, who had

a leading part in "Oliver." She did a grand job, and we shared her mother's pride.

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**'43** Mrs. R. A. Bell  
(Frances Beazley)  
4 Woodcrest Road  
Cape Elizabeth, Maine 04107

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Rose Koltukian Wallace's husband, Jim, has been working in Long Beach, Calif., for a few months, so Rose and her sons flew out to visit him. She writes: "The sprawling city of L.A. and Long Beach was drab, ugly and characterless, but Disneyland was enchanting. We celebrated Jim's birthday at a Japanese restaurant where three little maids sang "Happy Birthday" to him in Japanese! The California sunshine was glorious, but I'm glad to be back in New England, no matter how miserable the weather."

Two days a week Rose helps in the schoolroom of the Crippled Children's Hospital in Springfield, Mass., near her home in Wilbraham.

Virginia Delp Ogg's daughter, Nancy, was married to Jerry Page Turner on October 26. Nancy is a junior at Westhampton and was just tapped into Pi Mu Epsilon, an honorary math fraternity. Soon after the wedding Virginia went to New York for a vacation, saw "Hello Dolly," and was escorted around the city by her son, Wade III, who is with the Shell Oil Company in New Jersey.

Maxine Williams Rogers' son, Alan, a freshman in high school, is "a good athlete, looks and acts just like his mother." Her daughter, Carol, has been interested in the theater since she was eight. Last year she auditioned for and was accepted at the North Carolina School of the Arts, a professional school. "She is doing fine," writes Max, "loving every minute of it. Some day you may see her name in lights." Last summer Carol did summer stock with the East Carolina University Players.

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**'44** Mrs. H. Clayton Daniel  
(Evermond Hardee)  
164 Forest Hills Drive  
Monroe, North Carolina 28110

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(This class letter is written by Ann Burcher Stansbury.)

We will miss Evermond's gay style this issue due to illness in her family. I would like to take this opportunity to thank her on behalf of the entire class for volunteering to serve an extra year until reunion. We can all make her job easier by sending news regularly. Imagine—our 25th reunion! All of us should circle and save the third week-end in May for the big event. It is vital to have current addresses for everyone. We still can't locate Mary Cary Addison Pence or Martha Burnette Edwards.

Molly Warner Stephenson's new address is 2nd Wea Sq., Offutt AFB, Nebraska 68113.

Our class agents will remain the same this year except that Betsy Rice and Anne Green Sheaffer will take over in place of Lois Kirkwood North and Evelyn Josephson. Our thanks go to all the class agents and I hope that each '44 class member will take a turn. You have made my job as class chairman for the Alumnae Fund much easier.

We know of two college freshmen this year among our class daughters. Dee Dee Howe Kirk's, Kathy, is at Radford and Rita Muldowney Copley's, Beth, is at the University of Michigan.



Helen Curtis Patrick's daughter, Dale, has kept her name before those of us who read the Richmond Times-Dispatch. Since her graduation from Westhampton in June her by-line has preceded many exciting news stories.

All of you would have enjoyed Homecoming! The Fine Arts Building is too good to be true. I saw Millie Cox Goode at the performance of "Oliver" Saturday night in the exciting new Camp Theatre, but Ann Thruston Filer and I were the only 44'ers at the banquet Friday night. Billy Jane Baker missed it because of homecoming at Douglas Freeman High School where Janet was a princess.

The Stansbury Thanksgiving was made complete by the arrival from Vietnam of our Marine Corporal, Winn. Having a daughter at Westhampton really recalls the good old days. Susan encouraged us to attend the Song Contest this fall and I must confess that the songs and the spirit brought a lump to my throat. The class spirit was so infectious that I applauded with abandon when both first and second places were won by "evens." This was complicated by Susan's being a member of an "odd" class. She is a cheerleader, so we all were caught up in the big December excitement on campus—having the U of R team invited to the Tangerine Bowl. Countless students, alumni, and friends followed the team to Florida.

'45 Miss Ruth M. Latimer  
5 Westerly Way  
Severna Park, Maryland 21146

Since I have been elected (rough campaign) to take over the "worldly" duties of Mary Campbell Paulson, I had better do so tonight (Nov. 23), as I leave for Miami Beach tomorrow. No, not to bask in the sun, but to attend a three day meeting of the Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions.

Having attended the Homecoming events, I picked up a "bit of news." Saw Jane Bristow McDorman and Marguerite Boehling Irving at the dinner on Friday. Both are teaching—Janie at St. Catherine's, the 9th-12th grades in physical education, and Marguerite with the kindergarten "non drop-outs" at St. Bridget's School. Janie, whose daughter, Kathryn, is a freshman at Westhampton, reports that the education profession is also applicable to Ann Seay Jackson, who has the kindergarten group at Trinity Methodist Church. The "little bird" told me that Hollie Garber Kenyon has a son at Davidson College. This bit of news reached me by the way of my brother and wife. They and the Kenyons were assigned to the same "Guest House" for a football week-end. Small world!

I have a list of the class of 1945 and would have it duplicated and send a copy to all. Wonder if it is accurate? If you have a correction or know of anyone not receiving the Alumni Bulletin, they ought to let the Alumnae Association and me know.

'46 Mrs. A. Howe Todd  
(Joyce Eubank)  
1600 Wilmington Avenue  
Richmond, Virginia 23227

Thanks to Jean White Robeson, we have tracked down Jackie Hodges Walker at 3113 Franklin Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22306.

The Robeson's summer vacation included the All-Star baseball game at the Astro-Dome in Houston, Texas, and then on to HemisFair for a few days. Jean's Marty started at the University of Kentucky this



past fall; Cathy is a junior in high school; A. G., a 7th grader, and Jim, still at home with Jean. Jean spends most of her time on the New River Valley Association for Retarded children.

I have had two nice letters from Alta Ayers Howard. Her three are Ed., 7th grade, Susan, 10th, and D. J., 12th. Alta is involved with a study of the Walnut Hills High School under the auspices of the Cincinnati School Foundation. She has also accepted a job as chairman of one of the Task Force Committees for the Pilot Cities Program—"all very interesting and stimulating, though time-consuming."

This past summer, Alta and family chartered a 32 foot Dickerson Ketch and sailed from the Little Choptank up to the Bay Bridge—anchoring in quiet coves at night and having wonderful days thoroughly exploring the Eastern Shore.

Nooky Richardson Phipps stays busy with her two children—Becky 16, a junior in high school and Bill, 13, an eighth grader. Nooky teaches 6th grade in Dinwiddie.

Frances Bleight Elliott wrote of her family and activities. Her daughters are Sally, 19—a soph. at Centenary College in New Jersey, and Nancy, 16, a high school junior. Frances and husband, Dick, had a nice trip to San Francisco in October, combining business and pleasure. After Dick's meetings in that city they vacationed in Colorado, Oregon, and Washington. Frances' mother still lives in Richmond so Frances does get south from Potsdam, New York.

Ann Ware Fry's Billy is 14—greatly interested in electronics. Macon, at 12, is wild about politics and followed the recent election with enthusiasm. Tom is 2 and "all the family are wild about him." The Fry's spend most of each summer at the Ware Cottage (some of you will remember) near Dunnsville where they enjoy their boat and water skiing.

Nancy Todd Lewis moved out of their trailer (their home since their other house burned) and into their new home in Gatesville, N. C., the day before Thanksgiving. Her daughter, Jackie, is 14, Nan 12, Georgie Lee 8, and Todd 4.

Ours are growing rapidly—just like everyone else's. Gail is nearly 13, Glen 11 and Joy 9. I do a little here and there; have a Junior Scout troop, enjoy a Thursday morning class and discussion group. Mostly I stay busy keeping up with my family.

Virginia Gibson Stewart had added a trip to the Bahamas this past fall to her summer Hawaiian trip. Mary Frances Bethel Wood said she and Buddy had a wonderful trip to Bermuda and New York. wards in New York.

My last letter began with the happy news of Jeanne Yeaman's engagement, so I'll close this one with a note (via Mary Frances) of the wedding. Jeanne and Wallace Baxter were married in a lovely ceremony on October 4th at the River Road Presbyterian Church. They are now living at 904 S. Gaskins Road in Richmond. You have our good wishes for every happiness, Jeanne—from all of us.

'47 Mrs. John C. Horigan  
(Mimi Daffron)  
4636 Stuart Avenue  
Richmond, Virginia 23226

Keeling Coles McClennan wrote that Bill taught geology this past summer at Union College. Their daughter, Kris, is a freshman in college in Aurora, N. Y.

Beth Decker Kimball and Bob wish to announce the adoption of their new daughter, Elizabeth Standiford, on August 19, 1968.

Ollie writes that she is settled now, but with a family reduced in number. Both Alston and Hal will be in the states for the entire school year. Ollie is doing some volunteer work in the Naval Hospital with young Marines recently returned from Vietnam. She says they are "a great group with good spirits and much courage."

Marie Walthall LeSieur wrote that they moved to Pittsburgh September 1st. They bought an "interesting" house in Edgewood, convenient to Claude's work and Jennifer and Carey can walk to school. Carey is in the 7th grade and Jennifer in kindergarten.

I wish to express the sympathy of the class to Jean Waldrop on the death of her mother.

Don't forget the Alumnae Fund drive that will be starting soon.

'48 Mrs. E. T. Gray  
(Pamela Burnside)  
Waverly, Virginia 23890

Our deepest sympathy goes to Lena Iggers Maszkowski who lost her mother in September.

Felicity Apperly Hoeffcker wrote that she is teaching English at Low-Heywood, a girl's school, and is preparing to enter Fairfield University, in January, to work on her M.A. again. She, her husband, and two sons, 14 and 16, have been joined in Stamford by her mother. They live in a wonderful old farmhouse with two acres of land, apple trees, pond and stream. Her husband teaches at a near-by boy's school.

Betty Smith Cox wrote a nice long letter describing the new positions she and her husband have taken in North Carolina. They are part of a team who are converting Gardner-Webb into a four year institution. Her husband is co-ordinator of English, speech and theater arts and Betty is director of English. In June Betty was the commencement speaker at Averett College and is now having a book, *Causus of Beowulf*, published. She has promised to send Westhampton a copy. Congratulations to Betty on her many achievements.

Russell Elliott Wiley and husband have moved into their new home in Lynchburg. I'll try to have some details in my next letter. Linda, Russell's youngest, had a bad fall on Halloween and was in the hospital for several days with internal injuries. She is fine now.

Monty Elliott Ownby and Ralph have just returned from an exciting trip to New York where they saw shows, shopped, and had a grand time.

In a conversation with Maria Carter Satterfield recently I found out that she, too, has a daughter at Hollins. Alice is a freshman there.

News is mighty slim this time—please write! New addresses: Russell Elliott Wiley (Mrs. O. L., Jr.) 2121 Surry Place, Lynchburg and Betty Smith Cox (Mrs. Charles W.) Box 877, Boiling Springs, N. C. 28017.



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**'49**

Mrs. Raymond Hooker, Jr.  
(Beth Wilburn)  
3000 Stratford Road  
Richmond, Virginia 23225

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Newsletter time rolls around again with no news. Won't you please send me your news.

I did have one lovely letter from Ann Pulsford Rakes who has moved to Hyattsville, Maryland. Ann is teaching 4th grade, having had only five days after the move before school started. Ann has two boys: Jimmy, age 15, who is an ardent Boy Scout, and David, age 12, who is an outstanding 7th grader. Roy works for Home Beneficial Life Insurance Co.

Our reunion comes up this year. Let's all plan to meet the third weekend in May. The boys will have their reunion at the same time.

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**'50**

Mrs. R. M. Martin  
(Jean Tinsley)  
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Richmond, Virginia 23229

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We were well represented at Homecoming this year. Ten of us—Gene Hart Joyner, Libby Givens Pierce, Doris Balderson Burbank, Barbara White Balderson, Bea Covington O'Flaherty, Janice Brandenburg Haloran, Doris Lee Reeves Childress, Marianne Beck Duty, Margaret Alexander Anderson and I had dinner in the Westhampton Dining Hall and then attended the play in the new Fine Arts Building. It was a lovely evening for all of us.

Marianne Beck Duty has a new address to report. She is living at 4641 Melody Road in Chesterfield County and her new home is closer to John Tyler Community College where she teaches English.

On the National Board of Westhampton College Alumnae Association, Doris Balderson Burbank is the Student Loan Chairman and Barbara White Balderson is her assistant.

Libby Givens Pierce and Bucky spent five days in Trinidad in November. This is one of the many wonderful trips they have taken with the Carrier Air Conditioner Dealers.

Virginia Sims has had fifteen girls to agree to be Class Agents this year for the annual fund drive. She was very pleased with the number of class members who contributed this past year and hopes we will do even better this next year.

In talking to Clarice Ryland Price, she related that her oldest boy, Wyndham, fell out of a tree and broke both of his arms. He is back at school now and doing fine.

Audrey Lynn Moncure, 1402 Giltspur Road, Richmond, Virginia. Husband: Richard, lawyer and president of Alumni Association of University of Richmond. Children: Lynn 17, Harriet 15, Richie 8.

Clarice Ryland Price, 814 St. Christopher Road, Richmond Virginia. Husband: Vernon (Fuzzy), manufacturer's representative. Children: Wyndham 15, Anne Beverly 13, Stuart 6.

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**'51**

Mrs. M. M. Yagel  
(Bobbie Brown)  
7709 Brookside Road  
Richmond, Virginia 23229

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While most of us are returning to work, Gina Herrink Coppock writes that it's wonderful to be staying home for the first time since graduation, taking care of little

Robbie. Gina's new address is 629 N. West Street, Manassas, Va. 22110.

Thanksgiving was a time of travel for Betty Munsey Spatz and family. They visited her sister-in-law in Connecticut and came back by way of New York. Betty reports seeing Jo Hyche Baulch on election day. Jo is teaching kindergarten. She and her husband, and Susie Gibson Madden and husband went together to homecoming this Fall at Annapolis.

After a year state-side, Beulah Johnson Hooper is back in Nairobi, East Africa, where she and her husband are missionaries. While traveling back to Kenya, the family enjoyed a week's stop-over in Southern Germany and Austria.

Rosie Varn Ruggles is now living in Houston, Texas, at 814 St. Francis, zip 77024. She has a third grader, Clare, and a member of the kindergarten set, Glen.

We know Doris Goodwyn Bridgforth is proud of her son, George, who is president of his high school student body. Doris teaches kindergarten in Kinston, N. C. Another proud parent is Pat Smith Kelley, whose son appeared in the Virginia Museum Theatre production of "King Arthur." He was the little boy in the final act to whom King Arthur sings.

Joy Hodgins Plunkett writes from Aurora, Colorado, about her husband's two recent promotions, one to colonel and the other to Associate Clinical Professor at the University of Colorado Medical School. Joy, not to be outdone, is busy at work on her master's degree in Librarianship. She has passed her comprehensive exam and is well on her way to receiving her degree in June of '69.

News from Berkeley finds Paula Abernathy Kelton living at 1275 Bonita Ave., Apt. 101, Berkeley, Calif. 94709. Before leaving for California, the Keltons purchased a camper and took a sight-seeing tour of the West, and plan to do more camping while in California. Paula's husband is working with a U. of R. graduate, Dr. Nevitt Sanford, who is head of the Institute for the Study of Human Problems at Stanford. The Keltons will be travelling home to Davidson next June.

After a glorious year and half off from work, I'm now busy at a new vocation, as assistant in Christian Education at my home church, St. Giles' Presbyterian. It's marvelous fun and a great challenge.

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**'53**

Mrs. Newton O. Fowler, Jr.  
(Nancy Fling)  
1913 North Junaluska Drive  
Richmond, Virginia 23225

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We have a number of new addresses to report this time. Sue Bentley Joseph and her family moved into their new home at 808 Park Place, Hampton, Virginia 23369 in August. Sue also writes that she spent a week in England during October.

Marylee Boling is now living at 5304 Roanoke Avenue, Newport News, Va. Since leaving Westhampton, she has received her Master's degree in Religious Education from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary and a Master's in Elementary Education from William and Mary. She is now teaching the third grade at Francis Asbury Elementary School in Hampton and has worked for the Hampton School Board for twelve years.

By the time you receive this bulletin, Gayle Mephram Hensley and Ray will be settled in their new home at 925 Sparrow Court, Palatine, Ill. 60067. Their move on

Dec. 1st will require a change in schools for the children. Susan is in the 5th grade and is busy with Girl Scouts, piano and violin lessons. Peter is in the 2nd grade, and Jenny goes to Nursery School three mornings a week. Ray is a Sales Manager for the Winston Development Corp., and is busy getting a new subdivision ready for a Grand Opening also on Dec. 1st.

Betty Montgomery Marsh is a pioneer in Chesterfield County's new kindergarten program. Her class of five year olds is at Bon Air School and their new home at 10300 Epsilon Road is just a few minutes drive from school.

Jo Hull Mitchell and Jack are enjoying country living very much. They live in Hanover County near Studley. Jo's 10 year old daughter, Jody, is in the 5th grade at Washington-Henry School where her teacher is a Westhampton alumna, Noel Davidson Butler ('67). Joe has a son in the 8th grade and one in the 2nd. She is delighted to have Alice Warner Matthews living in nearby Mechanicsville, Va., where her husband is minister at Shady Grove Methodist Church.

Mary Creath Payne and Jim are back in Richmond again. They are living at 1500 Wilmington Avenue. Jim is Executive Secretary of the Synod of Virginia Presbyterian Church. She enjoyed a short visit with Pat Moran Talley when she was in Richmond. Pat is teaching three days a week in Loudoun County.

Beth Carpenter Browne and Winston are looking forward to moving in the spring to the new home they are building just outside of Boykins. Win is in the third grade and Bo was 6 in November. Beth keeps busy with the P.T.A., Sunday School, Woman's Club, and the Hospital Auxiliary.

Barbara Watkins Beale's husband, Dick, has just been elected President of the Baptist General Association of Virginia. Their oldest son, Rick, has an outstanding record in 4-H work. He was elected to 4-H All Stars this summer. His poultry demonstration in poultry production won him a trip to Harrisburg, Pa. this fall. Rebecca and Frank share their mother's enthusiasm for riding, and are members of the 4-H Pony Club that Barbara directs.

Kay Beale Coates is resuming some of her musical activities. She has rejoined the choral Society and one morning a week she assists Pat Smith Kelley ('51) with a Music Activities group at First Baptist Church.

Ginny LeSeur Carter and Bill spent 3 days in Nassau this summer. Early in October, Ginny went to the University of Georgia to speak at a national publications institute sponsored by the American College Public Relations Association. The night she arrived home, both children woke up with the chicken pox.

Ruby Vaughan Carson and the boys, David and Dick, joined Don in Niles, Michigan the 1st of July. Don has accepted a new position as Corporate Director of Industrial Relations with the KAWNEER Company. Their new address is 519 Woodruff St., Niles, Michigan 49120.

Jane Wilson Rolston and her family moved in September to Fort Collins, Colorado (1104 Baker Street). Holmes is teaching philosophy of religion at Colorado State University.

Carolyn Orange Watkins' family welcomes a new member into their family, Angela Orange born on August 31st. Jane Willcoxon and Phil announce the arrival of a new son on November 7th. Jo Fugate Harris and Charlie welcomed Paul Fugate who was born August 23rd. Congratulations to all.



Ola Hill Krueger visited with Edith Burnett Grimes and family in New York City. Ola said all their children had such a grand time visiting the Museum together.

Natalie Mandel Aron is teaching part time at Frederick College. She plans to get her Master's degree in French in June '69. Her two children, Laurie and Connie, are busy studying ballet and piano. Connie danced for President Johnson.

Betty Williams Potter writes that her two oldest girls (9 and 8) are busy acting the part of "Mommie" to their 9 month old sister who is a real, live doll. Jane and Becky take piano lessons from Betty's mother. Dean, has been ordained to serve as a Deacon at London Bridge Baptist Church.

We extend our sympathy to Barbara McCraw Parsons who lost her father in August.

Jo Deter Sullivan and Bill, Methyl Young Bruce and Billy, Nancy O'Neill Camden and Don and Newt and I attended a little get together at the home of Harriet Wheat Fralin and Cotton after the Homecoming game. A delightful time was had by all.

We spent a lovely week in Florida this summer. We had just gotten back to normal after Newt's business trip of a month in Europe to find things once again off schedule. We have purchased a new home and things are quite unsettled trying to get ready for Christmas, selling our present home and being ready to move the first part of January.

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**'54** Mrs. Robert J. Synovitz  
(Jane Lanier)  
131 Doe Run  
Macomb, Illinois 61455

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COMING ATTRACTIONS: Our fifteen year reunion, ladies!

TIME: Alumnae Weekend (3rd weekend of May, 1969).

PLACE: University of Richmond, Virginia.

RECOMMENDATIONS: Start making travel arrangements because this will be one you won't want to miss!

Jane Gill Tombes has taken up graduate studies in English at Clemson University. Her youngest child, Susan (4), spends mornings at nursery school and Jane attends classes and studies during this time. She writes of the challenge of the academics after ten years of absorption in housewifery and motherhood, but highly recommends the mental stimulation.

Last spring Ave was in India as a consultant in biology to the Indian government through the National Science Foundation, and Jane had full responsibility of their four youngsters at home. Among other things, Tommy swallowed a needle and had to spend two days in the hospital.

During Ave's absence Jane helped produce Clemson's first play for children and helped form a children's theater there. Son, Tommy, played the part of the hero. Early in October of this year the group was incorporated as the Clemson Area Youth Theater, and they will have a play in December. Jane also continues to sing in a choral society.

On a visit to Richmond in the fall of 1967 Jane saw Marcella Hammock Bullock, Jane Betts Schmitt, Bev Burke Dunklee, and Jody Weaver Wampler. Last summer the Tombes camped in Florida and Nag's Head, and Jane and children spent a week with friends at the Isle of Palms off the South Carolina coast.

Barbara Magyar tells of her interesting life in a letter to group chairman, Linda Lewis. She has been back in the Army crafts

program since January, 1967 as a civilian employee of the Department of the Army. She is working in Korea again and is located between Seoul and Inchon. Specifically Barbara is director of a large crafts shop and supervisor of five smaller ones in the area.

Barbara thinks that Korea is a very interesting country in spite of its many inconveniences. She writes of the old charm giving way to the modern with much urban renewal and road construction going on in the cities. The rural areas have not changed much. But with transportation being a little more accessible than it was during her first trip there, Barbara has been able to do more sightseeing and hopes to take even more trips. She spent a week at Taechon Beach last summer and a week in Japan last fall. This time was spent mostly in the Tokyo area with two days at Nikko, which is located in a national forest and has many nice shrines. Other trips have included a week in Okinawa, eight days in Kyushu (a lovely part of Japan), Karstu (famous for its pottery), Hirado (a small island off the mainland), and Nagasaki (one of the prettiest cities in Japan).

Linda Goodman Lewis finds a Great Books course (recently initiated in Martinsville, Virginia) a good way to "avoid the dire predictions Miss Lutz used to make about college graduates reading only *Ladies Home Journal* and the like in their matronly years." The group meets every two weeks and Linda urges others to take advantage of such an activity, if possible. Linda is now finishing her two years as president of one of the W.M.S. groups at her church. Last spring Denby, Linda, and boys went to Portsmouth and Virginia Beach. They saw Ann Hanbury Callis, Bob, and their youngest daughter, Caroline. Ann later wrote Linda about an enjoyable trip through the valley of Virginia with their children.

The entire Robert Synovitz family moved to Macomb, Illinois, in late September, 1968, when their new house was complete enough for living. Husband, Bob, and school age boys made the change in late August, so that Bob could begin a challenging new job and the boys start classes in a new school. Leaving Muncie and Ball State University was very difficult, but Bob is delighted with his work as Health Sciences Chairman at Western Illinois University and all of the family are definitely enjoying friendly Macomb, new school, church, home, etc.

Jane has found an added advantage to the new situation. Whereas her church in Muncie allowed only a male choir and no soloists, St. Paul's of Macomb has both a mixed choir and occasional soloists. Jane takes up both of these extra-domestic pursuits with great enthusiasm and is scheduled to do two solos for a Christmas mass.

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**'56** Mrs. Steve Smith  
(Pat McElroy)  
103 Hampton Drive  
Fredericksburg, Virginia 22401

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Edith Borjes Greer wrote that they had moved from an apartment to a house at 2822 Bolling Road, Falls Church, Virginia 22042. The first month in their new home was very eventful with all of them having a virus, David having two accidents requiring stitches, a woodpecker getting caught in the chimney, and a new puppy.

According to the plans made at our tenth reunion my 2½ years as class secretary are at an end and Doris Huffman Moore (Mrs. William M. Moore), 1309 Forest Avenue,

Richmond, Virginia 23229, will be our secretary for the next 2½ years. It's been fun hearing from you. Please write Doris and help make her task pleasant.

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**'57** Mrs. Claude W. Anderson  
(Nancy Day)  
Buckingham, Virginia 23921

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We've hit the end of the barrel on the news for this edition. Here's hoping that all of you will take the time to send a Christmas card with the up to date news of the family which will help with our letter for the next several times. Please, please help. It's your letter, for you and about you, and only you can tell me.

Ann Hunter Harris and Martin are the proud parents, for the first time, of a baby girl, Sally Hunter, born on October 24. Last winter they were in Chicago where Martin was doing graduate work at the University of Illinois Medical Center. In June the Harrises moved to Richmond, and he is an assistant professor of Psychiatry at the Medical College of Virginia.

From Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Ruth Tipton Powers sent news that husband, John, passed his preliminary exams for his Ph.D. in physics from the University of Pennsylvania. Ruth has begun work on her Master's thesis in Computer and Information Sciences and is continuing her work at the University. Last summer they enjoyed a trip to Las Vegas and California.

Homecoming was a lovely affair. The new Fine Arts Building is a welcome addition to the campus. How badly this building has been needed. Because of its dedication, most of the functions for the day were on our side of the lake. It seemed like old times!! And even better was the football score, a win over VMI! Can you imagine the University of Richmond in the Tangerine Bowl? Some of the members of our class rode the special train to Orlando to see the game. Have a good time! Send me news!

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**'58** Miss Betty Blair Rhodes  
1623 Nottoway Avenue  
Richmond, Virginia 23227

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A note from Nancy Jane Cyrus reported the birth of a baby girl, Amy Lynn, to Gail Carper Russell and her husband, Glenn, on September 27, 1968.

Word came from Dorothy Wiltshire Butler that Joanne Byrd Giles and Les are the proud parents of a baby boy, David, born in April, 1968.

A note from Bev Byram Gerber contained the following: "Not much news to report from this side of the Atlantic. We are looking forward to a trip to Tangier and Casablanca next month. Very exciting to see so many different peoples and places! My two boys are doing well in school and getting 'cockney' accents. We have a French nanny for our Lisa (16 months) so she's beginning French early. We will miss Christmas in Richmond with the family, but London puts on its best coat for the holiday and gets a real Charles Dickens' look about it."

At least four from our class, namely, Dorothy Wiltshire Butler, Carolyn Moss Hartz, Carolyn Quinn Higginbotham, and Violet Moore Neale attended Homecoming and the presentation of "Oliver" in the Camp Memorial Theater in the new Fine Arts Building.

From Margaret Williams Ketner came this: "Bruce is a successful dentist and our two precious children are 6 and 4. Laura





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is in the first grade. Alden is in kindergarten. I used to teach school (3rd grade for four years). For 5 years I've been a housewife, attend DAR, and teach first graders at week-day church school. I am still learning to sew and cook in our pretty split-level home. Bruce does more civic work than I and is the present president of his district dental society."

I understand Jane Davies Wheless and her husband, Don, have taken up flying as a hobby. Fill us in on the details, Jane.

'59 Mrs. Ralph Haga, Jr.  
(Carolyn Nash)  
Prospect, Virginia 23960

Sibby Haddock Young and Paige have moved into their new home at 108 Bell Road, Fredericksburg, Va. 22401. Besides making draperies and packing for the move, Sibby enjoys a garden club and takes yoga once each week.

Eileen McCutcheon Hollans and Harold's address is 1640 Fitzgerald Lane, Alexandria, Va. 22302.

Margaret Spencer Hernandez says Jess will attend the Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk, Va., from January through June, so they'll be in Norfolk for 6 months. (Address mail to the College there.)

Bobby and Cynthia Patteson Douglas announce the arrival of Susan Leigh, born October 6, on a Sunday when Bobby had to preach three times and hold a deacon's meeting to boot!

Although Art is in Vietnam, he and Margaret Griffin Thompson have adopted another little girl. Laura Elizabeth, born October 9, came to their house October 13. She is just 12 months and two days younger than Emily, so Margaret is really busy.

Bev Wine Bowers, Al, the twins, and Bev's mom and dad, took a trip up through Va. in October to visit "all my aunts and uncles on both sides of the family and many, many cousins—no small accomplishment! The girls travelled well and we enjoyed showing them off. We intended to visit the Mierkes (Jo Edwards) but their baby, Kenneth (4 mo.) was sick. He was quite ill for about a month but is greatly improved."

Bev Brown Floyd and the children were in Va. in late September. Alison and Paul spent a few days with Bev's parents, and Bev flew to Hartford, Conn. to be with a friend. Two mornings a week Bev helps out at a Day Care Center at a nearby negro community. All Bev's family will be in Florida for a big Christmas together.

Laverne Watson Edwards spent a day visiting with Cary Hancock Gilmer, while Bob attended a judges' convention in late October. "We had not seen each other since the summer we graduated, and really had fun catching up."

Sue Matthews Wright has enrolled in VPI graduate school; Jack teaches at VPI.

Barbara Dulin Polis says, "It seems like Peg and I are in college again. We play tennis every weekend, Charlie and I vs. Peg and Merrill. Chuck just finished two months of tennis lessons and really enjoyed them. We should have a wonderful Christmas especially since Mr. and Mr. Polis will come for a visit."

Mary Frances Coleman, Jo Barker Campbell and Otho, Susan Payne, and several others have formed a book club this fall. They read a book every few weeks, then get together and discuss it. Nov. 23rd Moff left for Mexico and the beach at Acapulco!

On October 27 Gary Moore Barnes had a fall on the tennis court, "so November was

somewhat of a lost cause for me. I cracked a bone in my right foot and was on crutches for three weeks. I'll never take my feet for granted again! We are spending Thanksgiving with Bill's family in Montgomery, and my parents are flying down to spend Christmas with us. I am also hostess for my garden club's Christmas luncheon at my house."

Shirley Gordon Highfill is a volunteer teacher at a Bereiter pre-school for language-deprived children. "It is challenging but gives limited opportunity for involvement and whets my appetite for full-time teaching." She teaches a Sunday School class for 8-yr. olds, and has taken a non-credit course in law at U. Va. Jerry is employed by the University as a research scientist. He teaches two labs a week in the engineering school and is working on his doctorate.

Put our reunion on your calendar—May 16-17.

'60 Mrs. D. M. Ahlers  
(Clare Earle)  
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In the new arrival department this month I received word of two happy additions. John and Kitty Whitby Fiege became parents on Sept. 1st; the new heir is John Whitby Fiege. The Fieges have moved back to Baltimore. Their new address is 1012 Woodson Rd., Baltimore, Md. 21212. Dick and Mary Cooley Malone announced the birth of their third daughter, Shelley Kay, on Sept. 7.

Joyce Birdsall was married in Richmond, on November 2, to Thomas O'Toole, Jr. Her new address is 1408 Dartmoor Ave., Parma, Ohio. Our very best wishes, Birdie, from all your classmates.

Cynthia Katz Hoffman and I had a nice visit this fall, catching up on the intervening years since graduation. Cynthia and Ira took a trip to Bermuda in June, where they had a wonderful vacation in the sun, but felt a little bit unique in being nearly the only non-honeymooning couple on the island! Four-year-old Jeffrey goes to nursery school this year, while 2 year-old Gail keeps Mom busy at home. Cynthia has joined a volunteer organization devoted to raising funds for the National Jewish Hospital for Asthmatic Children in Denver. Cynthia says she enjoys working on the group's many projects which raise money for the hospital.

Jeanne Kosko Light is staying very busy these days with volunteer work. She took a Laubach Literacy course through her church; this is a program designed to train people to teach adults to read and write. Now Jeanne is using this training and tutoring a teenage boy 2 mornings a week. She also guides tours of the local community Art Foundation for school classes and other groups.

'61 Mrs. E. H. Williams, III  
(Gayle Gowdey)  
1224 Lanier Road  
Martinsville, Virginia 24112

Dixie Hargrave Whitehead called from Chatham, Virginia, to give news about the Bertsch twins. Ann is teaching the slow and partially sighted, and Barbara is proud of her new home and two children. Dixie is busy with young Claude and teaching several math classes at Chatham Hall.

Evelyn Spivey Drum writes with enthusiasm about her volunteer work tutoring culturally deprived children. The program there is called "Operation Lift Up" and the



children are tutored one hour per week on an individual basis. I am involved in a similar program here and I well understand what she means when she states, "I could talk your ears off on this subject."

Ruth Reynolds Robinson writes: This has been a very busy and exciting fall for us. We moved in September to a larger house which we are thoroughly enjoying. Our new address is 22 Lambeth Road, Texarkana, Texas 75501. On the morning of October 3, we welcomed the birth of our fourth child, David James. Our other children, Mark 5, Brent 3, and Laurie 20 months, all seem pleased with their new brother.

Carolyn Learnard Poff writes: "We are pleased to announce that Ken received two degrees last July—his Ph.D. and DAD. His Ph.D. is in Agricultural Microbiology from West Virginia University and his DAD is credited to little Rebecca Lynn, who arrived on July 6. Ken is teaching at Marshal University, and we have recently moved into a lovely 3 bedroom home about 20 minutes from Huntington."

Ann Jones Stribling announces their newest arrival, Thomas Jones Stribling, born August 29. Jimmy, 4½, and Henry, 3, think their new brother is great.

At Homecoming, Ebb and I enjoyed seeing Anne Abbott Kerr and Sam, Jean Stonestreet Mann and Petey, and Sandra Smith Young and Rusty. All are well and happy and look marvelous.

Suzanne DuPuy Black was here recently visiting her lovely parents. Matthew is precious and although I didn't get to see him, all here agreed that the baby is darling. Mary Burks Pipes, Noland and their two girls, Sarah and Marianna visited Suzanne and Don in Sept. Marianna was born June 8th. Suzanne and Mary went out to W. C. and Miss Bell called them by name and told each what she had been doing since graduation. Mary had lunch with Barbara Spires and Kay Johnson in Lynchburg and also saw Meg Gunter.

All news must be mailed to me before February 28 in order that the spring issue deadline will be met. You may not be notified of this deadline again, so please send your news now.

**'62** Mrs. John I. Riffer  
(Diane Light)  
6317 Abilene Street  
Springfield, Virginia 22150

Ellen Kayne November and Richard announce the birth of their second daughter, Shelley Beth, on October 29. To add to this excitement, on November 3, Richard was awarded the William B. Thalheimer Young Leadership Award as the year's outstanding young community leader by the Richmond Jewish Community Council. He is a board member of the Jewish Community Center, the Beth Shalom Home of Virginia, and a partner in Herman Realty Company.

Joan Bishop Davidson and Scott announce the birth of their second child, William Todd.

Betty Morris Blankenship stopped working during the summer so that she could be at home with her two children. This fall she returned to her part-time job at the Federal Reserve Bank. Her daughter, Karen, started to school this fall, and Betty reports that Scott who is 2½ wants to go too.

Patsy Chewing Young and Bill spend much of their spare time co-editing a monthly newsletter of the Friends of the Children's Home Society. Patsy reports that

she spends most of her time chasing after Alice who is 1½ and into everything.

Sharon Alderson O'Connor and Tom announce the birth of their son, Kevin Lawrence, on September 15. Sharon says they are really enjoying him.

Jane Thompson Kemper and C. B. are the proud parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Hamilton, who was born October 21.

J. C. Shapard Confroy and Bill attended the Homecoming game with Sandra Nunn Wallace and Dee. J. C. said, "We enjoyed ourselves very much, especially since 'our side' played so well!" Sharon and Tom O'Connor also attended the game.

J. C., Bill, and their children spent two weeks in New Jersey in September. They visited for one week at West Point Island, Lavalette, N. J., which is a good spot for boating and fishing. During the second week they stayed in Bill's home, Orange, N. J., and made two trips into New York city to see Broadway shows.

Anne Corpening became Mrs. Gilbert Gallagher on August 30. They are living in Fargo, North Dakota, where Gil is a member of the math department at North Dakota State University. Anne has postponed her plans for working on her Ph.D. in favor of being "just a housewife."

Ruth Blair's wedding to Larry Taylor took place in September. Judy Trunzo was maid of honor, but "did not catch the bouquet." Trunz plans to leave the State Department on December 31 and will spend about two months at home in Charlottesville before heading back to Europe for "the modern 3 Rs—reading, reflection, and the Riviera." Her temporary address is c/o Mrs. Louis Trunzo, Box 272, RFD 1, Crozet, Va. 22932.

Darlene Morgan is again enjoying the D. C. area and is teaching English and history to 7th graders at Glasgow Intermediate School in Fairfax. She is kept busy taking a course in 20th century American history and helping with the plans for her sister's Christmas wedding in Roanoke.

Barbara Fohl Bliley and David announce the birth of their daughter, Jennifer, on May 2. She joins Keith, age 5. Barbara is also taking a night chemistry course at the University of Richmond.

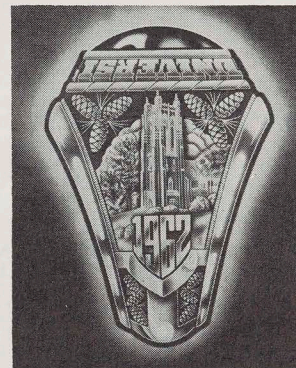
The class extends sympathy to Nancy Vaughan Downey who lost her father last spring. Nancy's mother has also been ill, and Nancy has been travelling back and forth to Pulaski helping her mother.

Barbara Kelley spent the summer working at a publishing company where she proof-read the *Alumni Bulletin*! She is now teaching first and second year Spanish.

Cherry Blanton Peterson is kept busy by son, Chris. She belongs to the Community Garden Club and the Home Demonstration Club.

Libby Wampler Jarrett wrote that she was involved in a children's play with the Huckleberry Players in Ashland performing *Androcles and the Lion*. They had given performances in the Ashland Community Center and also in the streets of Ashland and Richmond for children who would not be able to attend such a performance elsewhere. Libby said it was an exciting experience to do something which was so worthwhile. They also planned a performance at the Crippled Children's Hospital during Christmas.

Libby had some amusing news about song contests, which we all remember. She said: "Those of our class who struggled with me during those song contests will be interested in the fact that not all senior classes win! I helped judge the song contest last week, and they've really changed it for the better



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**'63** Miss Ann Hurd  
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Carolyn Anthony Powers and Judy Barlow Bolling are heading up the Student Relations Committee of the Alumnae Association. This involves planning the annual dinner for seniors and finding alumnae sponsors in Richmond for two freshmen each.

Congratulations to Donna Houff on her engagement to David Grover Ludwig of Staunton. David is a student at the law school of Washington and Lee. A summer wedding is planned.

Helen Brewer Glassman and David are at Tyndall Air Force Base in Florida. They have been there since May, when he completed his training at Tufts Dental School as a periodontist. In July they became the proud parents of a boy. Their new address is 2822 B Falcon, Tyndall AFB, Fla. 32401.

As a member of the tearoom committee, Peggy St. Clair Stevens spent quite a few hours this fall selling books at W. C. and helping to organize the tearoom.

In October Sharon Robertson was transferred by the C and P Telephone Co. to Roanoke.

Betsy Beale Bell is now teaching Spanish to 7th and 8th graders at Bainbridge Junior High in Richmond.

Congratulations to Judy Metcalf Turner and Burleigh on the birth of a son, Burleigh IV, born on October 10. Judy is quite busy as Jennie Page is three years old now. Burleigh is a production supervisor at the DuPont plant in Martinsville.

Foster Robertson writes that she received her masters in the History of Art in 1966 at the University of California. Her major projects were Chinese painting and archaeology, and she wrote her thesis on Central Asian painting. She is still there on a full NDFL scholarship and is studying and doing some teaching. During the summer of 1968 she spent six weeks in Japan.

Carol Miller Tolbert is no longer working as a medical technologist, but is now a full-time mother to David. He is 20 months old and keeps her very busy.

Frances Pitchford Griggs and Walter went to Yale, on November 1, to visit his brother who is a senior. While there, they attended the Yale-Dartmouth football game.

On June 11, Margie and Dennis Rozum became the proud parents of a daughter, Suzanne.

Linda Zelle is a psychiatric nurse in New York and loves it. Her address is 625 W. 164th St., New York, N. Y.

Ellie Ramsey Williamson writes that she and Sterling are still in Pittsburgh. He is the chief resident at Presbyterian Hospital in his third year of an orthopedic surgery residency. For the past year, Ellie has been singing with the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra Choir. Their older son, Craige, has been attending a cooperative pre-school for the past two years which they have all enjoyed.

Dee Harwood Perkins retired as a chemist from Firestone last May. Her husband, Bob, received his doctorate last January. Last summer they drove to the West Coast, visiting friends and sightseeing. They plan to come to Richmond during the Christmas holidays. Bob teaches at Southern State College in Magnolia. Their new address is SSC-Box 1317, Magnolia, Arkansas 71753.



Ann Cosby Davis and her husband, Jim, have moved to 4411 S. Willetta Drive, Richmond, Virginia.

**'64** Mrs. John W. Mallery  
(Lety Sloan)  
606 S. 24th Street  
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Don't forget our big class reunion in May. You will be receiving more details about our plans in the mail. This is your chance to get together with old friends, meet each others' kids, and share experiences. Also, we will be electing new class officers.

Emily and Bill Gray have been transferred to the East Caroline Islands where he is the only Peace Corps doctor.

Joyce Brittingham's husband will be in training until next April to pilot a rescue helicopter in Vietnam. Joyce is resigning her teaching job and will follow him while he is in training. She, then, plans to return to their home in Dover, Delaware, to resume teaching.

Betty Cheyney is teaching voice in a South Dakota College and just loves it.

Kendal and Joe Mitchell had their first son, on November first, and named him John Joe Mitchell, Jr. They now live in Farmville, Va.

Hale Everett was married in Richmond, on October 26, to Jimmy Wayne Carpenter. They both have been attending the University of Virginia.

Kathy White was married to Lee Paul Bredbenner, on November 2, in Harrisonburg. They will be living in Towson, Md. Helen Henderson White was matron of honor.

Diana Ryan was married to James Stivison in Richmond, on November 9. Mary Louise Moschler was to be married in December to Mr. Mark Forte. Frances Mitchell also was to be married in December to Larry Brooks. Larry graduated from Tulane University and is attending the School of Dentistry of Virginia Commonwealth University. Congratulations to you all!

Joan Hoch Yowell wrote that Homecoming was fun although only six from our class attended, including Elsa Queen Falls, Lisa Coleman Rose, Beverly Davis Walters, Carol Goode Jones, and Mary Susan Robinson Thompson. They enjoyed the excellent production of "Oliver," which was particularly well received in the new Fine Arts Building.

Jo Anne Barco Dougherty had a baby girl, Megan Kathleen, born on August 16, her brother's third birthday! Birthdays should be extra fun in Pt. Mugu, California, where they all now live.

Last I heard, Sally Abel was headed for the Ft. Benning, Georgia area where she was to look for a job and visit friends and relatives. She thoroughly enjoyed her year in California but decided to put on her ten-league boots once again.

Our other happy wanderer, Linda Fridley, returned from a summer's visit with Cindy Morgan in London and with other friends throughout Europe. She is back in Philadelphia, this time in social work sponsored by the Children's Hospital. Incidentally, Cindy plans to sail back to the States next summer and to marry in August. She met her fiance in England.



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Mrs. C. R. Burrell  
(Jacqueline Harper)  
4430 Bridle Path, Rt. 2  
Winston-Salem, N. C. 27103

Eddie and Linda Holt Lilly became the parents of Edward Lewis Lilly, Jr. on November 7, 1968. He will be called Ned.

Barbara Vaughan is now a junior programmer at Federal Reserve Bank in Richmond, and is working in the same office as is Marionette Parker Jones.

Marionette Parker Jones took a six weeks' leave of absence from the Federal Reserve Bank so that she could be with Tuck in Rhode Island, where he was in Officers' Candidate School.

Cheryl Kerr has a programming job in Sunnydale, California.

Barbara Vaughan wrote that she saw Phyllis Grasty Bristow at the Homecoming game. She and Decker had been vacationing with their parents for a week and were returning to Schenectady, N. Y.

Janet Renshaw Carnighan and Bob are the proud parents of a girl born November 16, 1968.

Among those at Homecoming from our class were: Irene McDaniel Reynolds, Ann Carter, Wanda Fearnow, Susan Gunn Cournow, Marvine Lanier, Jane Lasley Quinn, Janie Buck Garner, Linda Holt Lilly, and Barbara Vaughan.

Irene McDaniel Reynolds and Janie Buck Garner are both back in Richmond, as both Fielding and Tommy are in Vietnam. Janie is working at Life Insurance Company of Virginia.

Jackie Branch attended Wren Dawson's wedding on Saturday, November 23. Let us know more details, Wren.

Noel Swinter has a job with the American Red Cross in Portsmouth.

Kitty Haller is teaching the second grade in Waynesboro, Virginia.

Jane Lasley Quinn wrote that she was having a lonesome year since her husband is with the 1st Infantry Division in South Vietnam. They met in Hawaii, in the late fall for a second honeymoon. Jane recommends the Islands as a place to visit. Kevin will return in December and will be stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Evelyn Garrett Bowyer and her husband stopped by to see us several Sundays ago. Evelyn is enjoying living in her hometown.

Ray and I have bought a new house, and I have gone to work at the Forsyth Memorial Hospital as the Chief Unit Coordinator.

'67

Miss Suzanne Ivey  
2639 Waldo Lane  
Richmond, Virginia 23228

It is my hope that as you read the news, noting corrections and additions that should be made, you will jot down your thoughts and send them to me immediately. To this end, I send along my new address shown above, which was incorrectly printed in the last Bulletin.

With postcards in hand, you are now ready to read—that Bev Noble journeyed to the island of Aruba (which by my calculations is off the coast of Venezuela) in late November for a week's vacation from her arduous labors at IBM in New York—that October 17, 1968 was the birth date for Con Allen Kelley, who was born to Linda Tabscott Kelley and husband, William—and that this little fellow managed to weigh in at 8 lbs. 14 ozs.—surpassing by one whole ounce little Elizabeth Michelle Graff, who was born to Sydney Williams Graff last

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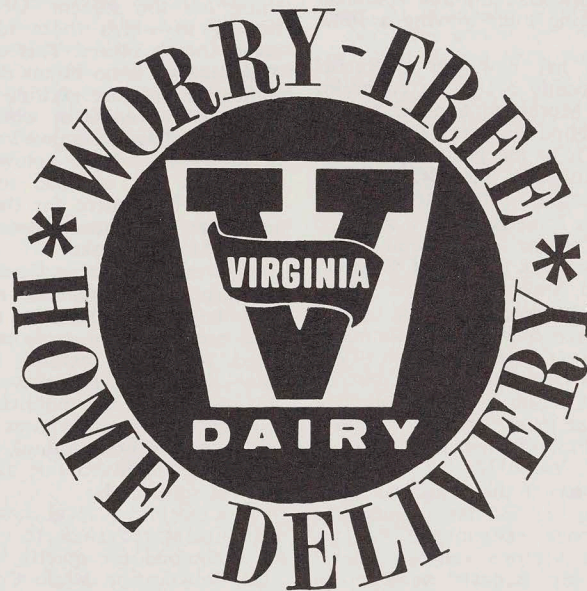
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May 28, and was, barring news to the contrary, the first girl born to a class member after February 1968.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bayliss (Pat Brown) go our belated congratulations on Bobby's appointment as tennis coach at the Naval Academy in Annapolis. Effective in February, Pat and Bobby will be moving from Richmond (where both have been teaching since moving here in August) to Annapolis. Congrats to you both.

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Richmond was the setting for the November 23rd wedding of Gale Hodgkinson to Elliot Tunstall Cooper, Jr. of Richmond. Since graduation, Gale has been employed by the Richmond News Leader and has given us a number of very interesting articles.

Anne Kay was married on November 9 in Towson, Maryland, to William Alexander Joyner, a native of Jarratt, Virginia. Anne and Bill now live at 1515 E. Broward Blvd., Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33301.

Janine Kulak Phillips and husband, Justin, have settled into their third "home" since their marriage in July. They are now in Rhode Island as Justin has begun Naval OCS in Newport, Rhode Island. Janine has done some substitute teaching and volunteer hospital work during their moving around. No address yet.

Enthusiastic in her new job is Rachel Nash who has recently become a counselor at the Governor Morehead School, a state school (for the blind and deaf) in North Carolina. Rachel is in the process of learning both sign language and Braille. Best wishes to you, Rachel, in this fine work.

Alyce McGinnis Lawrence has a new job—programming for the government. I assume Alyce's new work is still in Norfolk, where Alyce and Steve have been living.

Lisa Hummel continues to work toward her Master's Degree at Virginia Commonwealth University (formerly RPI, for you out-of-staters who may have missed out on new developments). She is also teaching a sophomore seminar in art education. Please note a slight address change: 402-B Stuart Circle, Richmond, Va. 23220.

The grapevine has it that Lacey Gordon Cundiff's husband, J. S., has reported to Ft. Lee for service assignment. Perhaps Lacey is back in Virginia—anyone know?

As I write, Judy Bailey's wedding on December 7 to Michael Davis is only a week away. The wedding will bring together a number of girls—from whom I should have a wealth of good gossip to report.

Charlotte Waldrop is still bank-hopping as examiner for the Federal Reserve. She now shares an apartment with Dale Patrick (W. C. '68). No address yet.

Nancy Ussery is still at the University of Delaware working on her Master's Degree in mathematics. At present she is taking courses and teaching part time.

Georgia Clarke received her Master's Degree in English from the University of Wisconsin this summer and is presently living with Jane Hoge in Williamsburg where both are teaching. Georgia and Jane were in Richmond several weekends ago for the Homecoming activities. They, along with about six others, attended the Alumnae Dinner on Friday night.

Confirming all rumors that a marriage did in fact take place, Ree Cross Barnes wrote to relay the particulars of said event. She wrote, "Gary and I were married on August 10 at seven o'clock at Broad Street Methodist Church in Portsmouth." Ree and Gary now live at 1001 Lafayette St. in Williamsburg. Gary is a second year student at the Marshall-Wythe School of Law

at W & M and Ree teaches math at Queens Lake Intermediate school in York County.

New address for Joan Odland Cocker (Mrs. Robert): 6200 Wilson Blvd., Apt. 720, Falls Church, Virginia, 22044. Joan wrote that she finished school in May and spent the summer unemployed. Can't think of a better way to spend it!

Sara Hays Fitzgerald is now teaching at E.H.S. Green Elementary School in Chesterfield County. New address: 1643 Sunbury Road, Richmond, Virginia.

Barbara Towsey Silver and husband, Sam, now live in Fredericksburg, Virginia (Rt. 7, Box 373) after having been in Texas while Sam was in service there. Barbara is teaching math in Fredericksburg.

## THE STUDENT AND CHANGE

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Westhampton have been afflicted with that malady for a number of years. If I were asked to name what objective ranks highest for me as College Government President, it would be to discredit a pair of myths: that the student is not in a position to do anything; that no one can accomplish anything *but* the student. Obviously, a community in which those ideas prevail has room for no others. This new and growing "awareness," is no minor development; it is indicative of more exciting years to come.

If the awareness of which I speak were confined solely to campus and campus affairs it would be simply noteworthy. The fact that it is not confined to the University makes it imperative for the non-student to recognize, not the awareness, but the conflict that it provokes.

In a recent meeting I asked a representative group of students to name a "feeling" that they had as students at Westhampton. The overwhelming reply was, "I feel isolated, out of it, useless." Perhaps students have always felt that way. I don't know. I do know that the publicized activities of students on other campuses have made some Westhampton women think twice about what a college should provide and what role the student should play.

Last spring a local newspaper tried to compliment the students of the University of Richmond for quietly attending Chapel and Convocation while Columbia students were rioting. A subsequent letter to the editor by a Westhampton student expressed, I think, the views of a majority of the students. The implication of the letter was: "No halos please. We are no less a part of our own generation because we haven't participated in a riot or sit-in." Identification. That letter spoke for me in April, and hundreds of unwritten letters have spoken for me since, as I have silently, and sometimes not so silently, reacted to comments by well-meaning individuals.

I don't think I stand alone on this point. The pats on the back for taking baths and not overrunning the Dean's office are beginning to fray the shirt (or blouse). One reason for this is that such comments do not usually reflect an appreciation of what good there is (*Assumption: there must be some*) in the younger generation. A second reason is that these comments ignore more laudable "achievements" on the part of the student. Stated simply, students want recognition for action, not inaction.

This is particularly crucial for the students of Westhampton who are confronted with the additional dilemma of "dual-womanhood": how to reconcile the expanding role of the Twentieth Century American Woman with, for example, the double standard that

exists on our campus with respect to certain social regulations. Again, Identification. How can we as Westhampton College women effectively assert our desire to be a part and not apart? How can we come to *feel* a part when we're applauded for being different? This brings me to the final question: What about Westhampton?

Paradoxically, the desirable qualities that are an integral part of a vibrant campus atmosphere are the volatile agents when students become disappointed or disillusioned. Administrators become adept at the art of "brinkmanship." On occasions, students seem to exhibit every quality but "brinkmanship." One of the most obvious factors that determines whether a campus atmosphere will be vibrant or volatile is the extent to which the college and the student fulfill mutual needs. Administrators, faculty, and students share in this endeavor. What are the students doing "about Westhampton?" At this point, I interject the College Government Association.

For a general statement of our philosophy and purpose, as I see it, I quote (*in typical student immodesty*) from a portion of my installation speech given last spring:

*May we continue to recognize that our ultimate purpose in student government is not to involve everyone in college government affairs, because all of us have different interests; neither is it our ultimate purpose to instill a devoted loyalty in every Westhampton student, for loyalty is a feeling that cannot be manufactured; and neither is it our purpose to strive for a comprehensive unity. . . There can be unity only if there is room for individuality. There can be loyalty but not at the price of conformity. And finally, there can be a type of Westhampton Spirit if we recognize and appreciate it as a product and not as a prerequisite of every activity.*

Operating under this basic philosophy, most of our efforts have been concentrated on two needs: those of "interest groups" and those of individuals. Concerning the first, we have tried to identify and isolate major interest areas that exist or should exist on campus. The Academic Affairs Council was established to provide opportunities for students to work on projects in that area and to provide a forum for student opinion. Four sub-committees are now active. The Lecture Series Committee has recently announced preliminary plans for "Dimension, '69," an intellectual week scheduled for February. The committee is also arranging a series on "Meet the Candidates," which will feature, we hope, all of the contenders for governor of Virginia.

Meeting individual needs is more difficult. Our approach here relies primarily on public relations to sell an idea. The idea is that College Government exists to serve the student and to be used by the student, and that it can be effective toward this end. It is impossible to determine how successful we've been. Emphasis is on the *availability of opportunity* for self-expression. Hopefully, a valuable by-product of this effort will be the development of better leaders.

The effects of our work on related areas of campus life are negligible. We are less tradition-oriented and class-oriented but not to a substantial degree. As I stated earlier, we are experiencing no major upheaval but then that has not been our purpose. Some say that the "vibrant college atmosphere" for which we're working is a utopia never to be realized by anyone. I would prefer to think that, in a sense, our ends are in our means, and we are making progress now. ■



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## Necrology

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**1904** Oscar Waller Anderton, a former lumberman and teacher of Knoxville, Tenn., died November 23. He was 91.

Mr. Anderton served in Knoxville as an assistant principal of Young High School, and later as a teacher at Central High School until 1924. From 1924 until his retirement in 1958 he operated his own lumber buying and real estate business.

Survivors include his wife and four sons.

**1906** Dr. Percy Scott Flippin, the first chief of research of the National Archives and an authority on colonial history, died Feb. 8 at his home in Washington. He was 93.

Dr. Flippin taught at Center College, Hamilton College, Coker College and Mercer University, where he also was dean of the graduate school from 1921 to 1927. He joined the National Archives in 1935 and three years later became chief of the division of independent agencies, which was created to keep records of government agencies. He wrote several books on colonial history and served as editor of the *Georgia Historical Quarterly* in the early 1920's. The University of Richmond awarded him an honorary Doctor of Letters degree in 1941. He earned his doctorate in history from Johns Hopkins University.

Survivors include a wife, son and daughter.

**1909** Dr. J. Taylor Stinson, a retired Baptist minister, died at Bluefield, Va., on September 3. He was 88.

Dr. Stinson, who received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from the University of Richmond, served Baptist churches in Cartersville, Lebanon and Bluefield. He was president of Bluefield College for two terms, 1926-1927, and 1930-1934. He served as trustee of Bluefield College, the University of Richmond and the Baptist Children's Home.

**1911** Charles D. Rue, a lumberman from Culpeper, Va., died June 1. His daughter, Mrs. Anna M. Stringfellow graduated from Westhampton College in 1941. His granddaughter, Charlene Stringfellow, is a senior at Westhampton College.

**1912** Charles T. O'Neill, president of O'Neill Realty and Mortgage Corp. in Charlottesville, Va., died August 5.

Mr. O'Neill was a member of the Rotary Club, Farmington Country Club, Colonade Club and First Baptist Church. He served as treasurer of the American Red Cross, and served on the Board of the National Bank of Charlottesville.

**1917** Thomas B. Taliaferro of Heathsville, Va., a retired farmer, died Oct. 3 at the McGuire Veterans Administration Hospital in Richmond. He was 75.

Mr. Taliaferro served in the U. S. Army in World War I, and returned to Northumberland County after the war. He farmed until disabilities forced his retirement in 1952. At the time of his death, he was a vestryman and former senior warden of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

Survivors include his wife and two sons.

**1918** Elliott B. (Judge) Hazelgrove of Richmond, former chief specifications writer for the architectural firm of Wright, Jones, and Wilkerson, died Sept. 30. He was 70.

A resident engineer with the WPA in Charlottesville during the 1930's, he was instrumental in the restoration of the Uni-

versity of Virginia Rotunda, the construction of the art museum, library, and engineering building there, and of Lane High School. He was a member of St. Giles Presbyterian Church, the Specifications Institute of Richmond, the Optimist Club of Richmond, and the Virginia Poetry Society.

He is survived by his wife and a daughter.

Byron L. Anderson, Sr. treasurer and deputy treasurer of Smyth County, Va., for 43 years, died Sept. 23. He was 73.

Mr. Anderson retired from service to the county in 1963. He was a charter member of the American Legion Post No. 18 and a past Kiwanian.

He is survived by his wife and son.

**1922** Rev. Cecil G. Carter of Salem, Va., a retired Baptist minister, died November 5.

Mr. Carter served pastorates at Holdcroft, Va., New Freedom, Pa., Evergreen, Va., and Dunnsville, Va. In retirement, he was a teacher in the Men's Bible Class at Salem Baptist Church. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

**1926** John Mark Lutz, of Philadelphia, Pa., editor for Philco-Ford publications, died at his home on November 24. He was 67.

He was a member of the Art Alliance, the Charlotte Cushman Club, the Chestnut Historical Society and the Germantown Historical Society. He was manager of the Philadelphia Stage Door Canteen during World War II. He formerly was art critic and book reviewer for the *Richmond, Va. News Leader*.

**1927** Coleman Johnston, Jr., an auditor of public accounts for the State of Virginia, died in Richmond September 2. He was 61.

Mr. Johnston was a member of Joppa Lodge No. 40, AF&AM, and an elder of Westminster Presbyterian Church. He served 21 years in the National Guard and U. S. Army. He is survived by three sisters and two brothers.

**1930** Dr. Donald W. Pierpont, who built Avon Old Farms, a college preparatory school, into one of the top prep schools in the country, died Sept. 30 of a heart attack.

Dr. Pierpont served as provost of the school since 1948. The school opened in 1927, was used as a rehabilitation center for the blind during World War II, but reopened in 1948 with a student body of 100. The school now has students in excess of 200, with an enrollment from several states and foreign countries. In 1965 a \$550,000 student activities center was built to honor Pierpont.

Matthew L. Wood, president of P. C. Abbott and Co., of Richmond, died Nov. 4. He was 61.

Mr. Wood was first vice president of the Richmond Home for Boys and a deacon of the First Baptist Church. He was a member of the Rotary Club, Country Club of Virginia, the Commonwealth Club, and the Old Guard of the Virginia Hardware Salesman's Association. He is survived by his wife, a son and a daughter.

**1933** Ralph H. Ferrell, Jr., a Richmond attorney, died Sept. 21 while vacationing on his boat at Deltaville. He was 56.

Ferrell was a partner in the law firm of Hunton, Williams, Gay, Powell and Gibson. He was president-elect of the Virginia Trial Lawyers Association, president of the Memorial Guidance Clinic, an elder of the First Presbyterian Church and president of the Windsor Farms Association.

He began his career as a special assistant to the attorney general in Virginia from 1936 to 1938, leaving to become counsel for Southern States Cooperative. He joined his law firm in 1942, and served as a Naval officer in World War II. He served on a number of legal committees and in other civic positions.

He is survived by his wife, a daughter and three sons.

**1942** Thomas E. Warriner, a Cocoa Beach, Fla., attorney, died of a heart attack August 21. He was 47.

Warriner moved to Cocoa Beach several years ago after practicing law in Lawrenceville, Va., where he served three terms as mayor. He also had served two terms as commonwealth's attorney of Brunswick County, Va. At Cocoa Beach, he was the city attorney and had recently been appointed Commissioner on Uniform State Laws for the United States for the State of Florida.

He is survived by his wife, a son and three daughters.

**1948** Douglas C. Eley, a public school administrator and teacher in Chesapeake and Norfolk, Va. County for 20 years, died Sept. 21 of a heart attack. He was 46.

Mr. Eley served for 15 years as principal of Great Bridge High School and later was appointed assistant superintendent of schools for finance. He received his Master of Arts degree in high school administration from the University of Virginia. He was a member of the American Association of School Administrators and of several executive committees of the National Education Association, and of State and local education organizations.

He is survived by his wife and two sons.

**1956** Silas E. Daniel, Jr., a St. Petersburg, Fla., attorney, died in May. He was 43.

Mr. Daniel was a former judge of the Civil and Criminal Court of Record of Pinellas County, Fla. He had returned to private practice in January of 1967. He opened his practice in 1956 in St. Petersburg, and became the county justice of the peace in 1958. In 1962 he was appointed deputy commissioner for the Florida Industrial Commission workmen's compensation division. He was appointed to the bench in 1965. Very active in civic work, he won the Jaycees "Good Government" award in 1965, and received the Boy Scout's "Silver Beaver" award. He was president of the Pinellas Area Council of the Boy Scouts. He was a former president of the Young Democratic Club of the county and had served as vice president of the St. Petersburg Civitan Club.

He is survived by his wife, a son and a daughter.

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**1922** Mildred Adelaide Kline died at her home in Richmond, Virginia, October 23.

Miss Kline was retired coordinator of foreign languages for Richmond Public Schools and former head of the language department of Thomas Jefferson High School.

She joined the Richmond school system as a language teacher at John Marshall High School in 1924. The system was her only employer. She initiated the elementary school language program and the city's first electronic language laboratory was named for her.

Miss Kline is survived by a sister, Ruth E. Kline, and a brother, James A. Kline, Jr.





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