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Cotillion Formal Will Open Spring

Hamilton, Wild, Beckner, Thomes Will Take Leads In 'Drink Deep'

Student Written Play Will Be Given in May, **Director Gilbert Says**

Under the management of Director Bob Gilbert, the Toubadours held tryouts last Tuesday night for all the parts in their last production of the year. "Drink Deep."

The play, which was written by W. and L. students Bernie Kaplan and Irwin Safchik, will be presented on the campus the first week in May.

The four leading roles in the production have been given to Sherry Hamilton, student wife star of last year; Dewitt Beckner, veteran Troub of the last two years; Leonard Wild, director of "Front Page"; and Russ Thomes, who has taken some part in all plays of the organization this year and last.

Minor Roles Assigned

Two of the minor male roles will be portrayed by Joe Moffatt and Ev Easter, both of whom will be remembered for the parts they took in the first play of the year, "Front Page." Also appearing in a minor role will be Shorty Murray.

The three minor roles for girls are to be played by wives Mary Martin and Judy McNeer, and by Fairfield high school student Betty Anne Swink.

Rehearsals for the play began on Wednesday night and Director Gilbert has announced that the cast will be completely ready for presentation by the first week of next month.

The play is a story about life on a campus which might well be W. and L. or any other school in the country. It deals with the problems encountered, and the Doctor of Letters degree. campus characters which go along with them.

The work was picked by the Doctor of Letters degrees included: Executive Committee of the Donald G. Davidson, professor Troubs in connection with the of English literature at Vander-



Students Are Required To Attend **Two Sessions of Mock Convention**

Bev Fitzpatrick, Republican Mock convention general chairman. announced a list of temporary floor officials and corrections in the state delegations as published in the March 23 Ring-tum Phi.

Jack Coulter was appointed convention secretary with Jack Taylor, Stan Sacks, Damon Yerkes anl Hugh Verano as assistants.

Other Officials Named

Chipley and Mike Boyda and Ed Thomas, assistants. -Parliamentarians: Dr. Ollinger

Crenshaw, Mr. R. N. Latture and Mr. J. H. Williams.

In a ceremony marking the 150th anniversary of George Official Reporter, Walter Potter; assistant, Jerry Holen; chief door-Washington's gift to the then keeper, Dick Working, Jim Luk-Liberty Hall Academy, eight honorary degrees were presented by ens, assistant; assistant sergeant at arms in charge of the press, the University at noon Monday.

Featured at the meeting, which celebrated the Washington-Cin-Mr. David C. Wright and Mr. cinnati Society Convocation here,

was a speech by historian James Jim Harmon, chairman of the Garfield Randall, who received a all students to check a list of dele-

contained in this story. "All state chairmen and stu-

WHICH ONE?-Student officials of Washington and Lee's Mock GOP nominating convention, which begins next Tuesday, try to pick the candidate who will carry the Republican colors into the presidential campaign next fall.

John A. Graham Chief sergeant at arms, Bill To Be Honored Late Composer's Works To Be Performed Here

> Local and out-or-town musihonor of the late John Alexander Graham, Professor at W. and L. from 1919 until 1947.

During the afternoon nationally known concert artists will perform some of Mr. Graham's compositions before an invited audience in Lee Chapel.

In the evening several of these musicians, with members of a

Gala Weekend Will Feature ZBT, Sigma Nu, Phi Ep Open Houses

Featuring the melodious tunes of Johnny Archer and his orchestra at what probably will be the best attended dances of the year, Washington and Lee will swing into its big spring weekend Friday afternoon.

Cabaret Dance Nets Over \$350 **Event a Success Despite** Loss of Ball Game, FP

by DICK HUBBARD

Washington and Lee's Student War Memorial Scholarship Fund is richer by \$350 as the result of "Weekend in Lynchburg" featured a W&L-U.Va. which baseball game Saturday afternoon and a cabaret-style dance that night.

Although W&L lost the ball game which was held at the Lynchburg Stadium, this disappointment was offset by the dance at the Lynchburg Armory, from eight until midnight.

Sparking the dance was the music of Chap Boyd and his Southern Collegians, who had already established a campus reputation.

Other entertainment for the evening was supplied by an unknown thespian from North Carolina who provided many laughs with his imitations and jokes.

All of the arrangements for the dance were in charge of Gerry Stephens, Secretary of the War Memorial Scholarship Fund Comby PAN and White Friars. It was the third of a series of events which have been planned to raise cians will take part in a music money to set up scholarships in festival in Lexington May 1 in memory of W&L men who were killed during World War II.

> The two previous events were a beauty contest and a special Troubadour production. The next event to be held for the fund will be an intercollegiate horse show which will take place in Lexington on Saturday, April 24.

500 Couples Attended

community chorus, will sing Ga- 1000 persons, the dance proved to at the Mayflower Hotel. briel Faure's Requiem at a public be a definite success from both a 7-9 p.m.-Zeta Beta Tau Purple nts should check the list of program in the Presbyterian social and financial viewpoint."

PEPs To Initiate Weekend

Musicians for the weekend, Johnny Archer and his orchestra, come to Washington and Lee from engagements in Baltimore, Washington, Miami, Boston, and at the Cavalier Beach Club at Virginia Beach. They played at the society wedding of John Roosevelt.

Ushering in the gala spring festivities will be the Phi Epsilon Pi open house at the Mayflower Hotel from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday afternoon. The "13" Club will have its invitation cocktail party from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Friday evening

After leaving these events, partiers will attend the Cotillion Club Formal dance which starts at 10 p.m. The Cotillion Club Figure, led by the President of the Set, Paul Murphy, Co-President of the Cotillion, will be at 11 p.m. The members of the figure are to assemble at 10:45 p.m.

Tickets for the Friday eve-ning dance will be \$3.50 while the Friday night dance will cost \$2.50 Intermission of the Friday Formal will be from 12 p.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Continuing the fast tempo of the weekend will be the Sigma Nu open house party at the Mayflower Hotel between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. on Saturday afternoon, Adding a different flavor to the afternoon fun will be the Zeta Beta Tau's Annual Purple Passion open house mittee and was jointly sponsored party between 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. at the Zeta Beta Tau house.

CALENDAR OF SPRING DANCES

Friday, April 16

5-7 p.m.-Phi Epsilon Pi Open House at the Mayflower Hotel. 7-9 p.m.-"13" Club Cocktail Party, invitation only.

10-2 a.m.-Cotillion Club Formal. 10:45 p.m.—Assemble for figure. 11 p.m.-Cotillion Club Figure. 12-12:30 a.m.-Intermission.

Saturday, April 17

"Attended by approximately 4-6 p.m.-Sigma Nu Open House

Passion Open House at ZBT

Owen Easley. Chaplains: Dr. William Morton,

James Price. state delegations committee, urged

Those who also were given gation corrections and additions

plan which was laid last year for bilt University. Dr. Davidson is a presenting the play a year which poet, literary critic and author of (Continued on page four) has been written by a student.

Two More Professors Included In Fiftieth Edition of Who's Who

With the addition this year of , phy journals. Professors M. Ogden Phillips and

members.

commerce at Washington and Lee and 1926. since 1941, Dr. Phillips attended the U.S. Naval Academy in 1919from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, in 1924, A.M. from the University of North Carolina in 1926, and a Ph.D. from the same university in 1937. He did graduate work at Columbia, the University of Chicago, and at the Nat. U. of Mexico.

Dr. Phillips was an instructor in trade at University of Florida in came dean in 1946. 1926-1927 and assistant professor in 1927-1928. He came to Washington and Lee as an assistant professor in economics and commerce in 1929.

He is a member of Phi Beta Beta Gamma Sigma.

He is the author of Report of Practice. U. S. Maritime Commission on Tramp Shipping Service, pub-Smith.

tributor to economic and geogra- Chicago.

Mr. Williams, who has been a Clayton E. Williams, the current member of W&L's staff since 1919, edition of Who's Who in America is a graduate of Massanutten contains the biographies of ten (Va.) Academy. He attended W&L Washington and Lee faculty from 1908 to 1910, and later attended the Columbia School of Professor of economics and Law during the summers of 1922

Eight Honorary

Degrees Given

He was admitted to the Virginia Bar in 1912 and began private 1920. He received his A.B. degree practice of law in his home town, Woodstock, Va., in 1912.

Mr. Williams became Commonwealth's Attorney for Shenandoah County in 1916, a position which he held until 1919 when he joined the W&L faculty. He was an associate professor of law here until 1920, when he became a professor. In 1944 he was appointed acting

economic resources and foreign dean of the law school, and be-

He is a member of the Virginia State Bar Association, the American Law Institute, Pi Kappa Alpha, Omicron Delta Kappa, and Phi Delta Phi Legal Fraternity.

With Martin P. Burks, III, Mr. Kappa, Delta Kappa Epsilon, and Williams is editor of the Third Edition of Burks on Pleading and

Faculty members who had previously been included in Who's lished in 1938; North America Who are: Francis P. Gaines, (with J. Russell Smith), 1940; James G. Leyburn, James L. Howe, and Industrial and Commercial Glover D. Hancock, Robert H. Geography of North America, Tucker, Lucius J. /Desha, Marcel-1946, also written with J. Russell lus H. Stow, and Oscar W. Riegel.

Who's Who in America is pub-Dr. Phillips is a frequent con- lished by H. Marquis Co., of

Church corrections, deletions and addi-

Students will be required to attend two sessions of the Mock **Republican** national convention here April 20-21, the executive committee of the faculty announced this week.

All students are expected to be present for the opening session Tuesday, April 20, at 3 p.m. when Rep. Clarence Brown, of Ohio, will speak. Students must also attend one of the second-day sessions, the choice of which is left to the discretion of the individual. Secondday convention meetings will convene at 9:30 a.m. and 2:15

Attendance will be checked by state chairmen and in order to be counted students must be present for the entire session. Violators will be subject to the usual penalties imposed for missing compulsory university assemblies, the committee said.

tions to state delegations because it is important that each state's roster be correct at the convenion." Harmon said.

Attendance records for the registrar's office will be turned in by the state chairmen for compulsory sessions, the delegations chairman explained.

All state chairmen will meet Wednesday at 7 p.m. in Washington Chapel to make final changes in their delegate lists. Each chairman should bring five typewritten copies of his delegation list to the meeting, Harmon said.

A list of state delegation deletions, corrections and additions follows:

The following men are deleted placed in the convention Honorable Mention. and (Continued on page two)

Mr. Graham, a graduate of Washington and Lee, taught ro- amount of work done by Bill Chipuntil his death in 1947. He found- Fund Committee, and others, fine arts, taught the first courses a good time at this, the first dance

(Continued on page four) vear."

Ring-tum Phi Wins Second Place In State Newspaper Competition

The Ring-tum Phi placed second (dolph-Macon walked off with top among all the college newspapers honors through their Tattler. The basement of the gymnasium of the state at the annual conven- William and Mary's Royalist was will not be used during the dance. tion of the Virginia Intercollegi- second, Lynchburg College's Prism The exterior traffic regulations ate Press Association held last third, and an Honorable Mention Friday and Saturday at Lynchwent to the Engineer of VPI. burg College. Washington and Lee's Southern

Besides Washington and Lee Collegian was disqualified as a there were representatives from humor magazine, the contest open 12 other Virginia colleges who took only to literary magazines.

part in the convention. The two representatives from W. and L. day night with a dinner, followed | Union between the hours of 2 were Bob Williams and John by a speech by Carter Glass, Jr. French. On Saturday morning there was

The primary purpose of the discussion among representatives

meeting was for the judging of from the various schools concernthe best newspaper and magazine ing their individual publications. publications of the state as well as the regular agenda of business. ness meeting of the VIPA was of the European Crisis."

The papers were judged by three held at which reports were given prominent newspaper men of and presentation of awards made. ence in European journalism, is a Lynchburg, and the magazines by a local teacher from the city. All will take place next fall at VPI Reichstag, and has lectured exarrangements for the judging were at which time school annuals will tensively in the United States durmade by the host, Lynchburg Col- be judged and business carried on ing the past twelve years. The pub-

lege. First place in the newspaper contest went to William and colleges throughout the state, and

said Secretary Stephens.

mance languages here from 1919 ley, President of the Scholarship ed the University's department of everyone seems to have had such in music appreciation, directed the | to be held for the fund that plans Glee Club, composed and ar- are already under way for dances ranged works for the campus dra- on the same order to be held next

house. "Because of the tremendous 9-12 p.m.-Sigma Nu Formal.

10:15-11:15-Intermission.

This dance set will not include an afternoon concert.

The final dance of the weekend will be the Sigma Nu Informal dance on Saturday night between 9 p.m. and 12 p.m. Intermission will be from 10:45 p.m. to 11:15 p.m.

Regulations at the dances are as follows: Smoking will be permitted only in the rooms provided. Students and their dates will enter the dances from the north side of the gymnasium. The cloak room will be the north balcony. will be the same as usual. There will be one-way traffic in front of Doremus Gymnasium, no parking.

Advance sale Spring Dance tickets may be picked up Wednesday and Thursday in the Student Body The meeting began officially Fri- Treasurer's Office in the Student and 5.

NOTICE

Mr. Gerhart H. Seger will speak in Lee Chapel Thursday night at After lunch on Saturday a busi- 7:30 on the subject, "An Analysis

Mr. Segar has had long experi-The next meeting of the group former member of the German lic is invited to attend the lec-

All seniors and prospective from their respective delegations er of Stratford College received dent publications. Meetings are ment invitations and announceheld twice a year at various schools ments, should contact Lou Shroyer In the magazine division Ran- which are members of the group, or Judge Rhea before Saturday.

the same as last week. The association is made up of ture.

Mary's Flat Hat, second to The its main purpose is to act as a Ring-tum Phi, third to Randolph forum for the exchange of ideas graduates who have not ordered Macon's Sundial, and the Travel- and also for the judging of stu- caps and gowns and commence-