

Goldstein, Wood Elected To Head '62 Calyx

Vitsky Chosen Valedictorian Of Graduating Class



Brian Vitsky

ZBT Pre-Med Has 2.92 Ratio

Brian Howard Vitsky, Zeta Beta Tau senior from Richmond, Va., has been chosen valedictorian of this year's senior class. The valedictorian each year is the member of the graduating class who has compiled the highest average in seven semester's work. Vitsky has a grade-point ratio of 2.92, his only C being in gym. Vitsky will receive a B.A. degree in Pre-Med upon graduating.

Vitsky has been active in many other fields besides academics. He is the secretary of the senior class and chairman of the Student Library Committee. He is also president of Phi Eta Sigma and AED, the honorary medical fraternity.

In his sophomore year, Vitsky was named by Phi Beta Kappa as the outstanding member of the sophomore class. This award is given annually to the sophomore with the highest grade average. Vitsky was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa last year.

Last semester Vitsky served as vice president of his fraternity, Zeta Beta Tau. He was also the managing editor of the 1960 Calyx.

Vitsky plans to enter Johns Hopkins Medical School after graduation. The valedictorian is picked each year by the faculty. He must be graduating with a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science degree. The valedictorian has the responsibility of giving the major address to the graduating class at commencement. Last year's valedictorian was Tom Wieting.

\$100 Cash Awards Offered By Journalism Department

The eighth annual competition for the James Street Awards, for creative accomplishment in the audio-visual media, was announced today by the Department of Journalism and Communications at Washington and Lee University.

Awards are given for original work in radio, motion picture, and television, and may consist of tapes of broadcast programs, completed films, or scripts for any of the media. Judging is based upon originality, importance of content, understanding of the medium, and effectiveness.

Cash awards are given, with a maximum value of \$100. Eligible are students who have completed original work as a collateral assignment in one of the media courses offered by the department, or who are regularly engaged in extra-curricular projects of the Communications Laboratory. The awards were established by the late James Street, of Chapel Hill, N.C., in 1954, to encourage serious creative work in the audio-visual media. Awards in the past have been given to a wide variety of work, including documentaries, original dramas and dramatic adaptations, experiments with sound, and narrative and experimental films. The deadline for the 1961 awards is May 10.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Assimilation Committee tonight at 7 p.m. in the Student Union.

Vann, Hughes, Zinn, Gray Receive Woodrow Wilson Grants For Study In 1962

By JULIAN MARKHAM

Washington and Lee's four recipients of the coveted Woodrow Wilson Fellowships were announced today by Dean of the College, William W. Pusey, III.

Receiving the highly competitive awards are James A. Vann, James L. Hughes, Lynwood D. Zinn, and Grayfred B. Gray.

Screened from over 10,000 nominees in the United States and Canada, these four are among 1,333 Woodrow Wilson Fellows selected by the Woodrow Wilson National Foundation. By covering a recipient's expenses at the graduate school of his choice, the Woodrow Wilson Fellowships aim at encouraging "highly qualified and highly motivated" undergraduates to pursue college teaching as a career.

James Vann, a Phi Psi senior from Birmingham, Ala., was president of his junior class, and is currently president of the Dance Board, an Executive Committeeman, and president of the Concert Guild, and a member of ODK. Vann, a Phi Beta Kappa, expects to continue his study of history under the fellowship.

Editor of the *Shenandoah*, David Zinn will concentrate his study in anthropology. Zinn is a philosophy major from Clarksburg, W. Va.

James Hughes, a math major from Richmond, Va., is a member of Phi Eta Sigma and Phi Beta Kappa. In graduate school Hughes will continue his study of mathematics.

Publisher of "Protest," Grayfred Gray is a member of the debate team, the Troubadours, and a contributor to the *Southern Collegian*. Gray, also a member of Phi Eta Sigma and Phi Beta Kappa, expects to continue his study of philosophy in graduate school.

The Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation was established in 1946. In its current budget, a total of \$3,000,000 will be spent for the 1961-62 fellowships alone. Noting a 21 percent increase in applications over the previous year, the foundation's national director, Dr. Hans Rosenhaupt, believes that a larger number of students are considering teaching as a "prestige" career despite opportunities to earn more in other fields.



Joe Goldstein



Robin Wood

Faure 'Requiem' Featured Sunday In Joint Concert With Longwood

By ROGER PAINE

The Longwood College Choir and the Washington and Lee Glee Club will open the spring musical season this Sunday, March 19, with a joint concert at the Lexington Presbyterian Church. The two choral groups will sing Faure's "Requiem" beginning at 4:30 Sunday afternoon.

Accompanying the two clubs will be a 19-piece chamber orchestra with brass, strings and woodwinds. Mr. Robert Stewart of W&L will conduct the "Requiem," and Dr. John Molnar of Longwood will conduct the two clubs in three selections from Handel's "Messiah." They will do the "Hallelujah Chorus," "Worthy Is the Lamb," and the final

"Amen."

"Requiem" will be fully as much a landmark in the annals of the W&L Glee Club as Haydn's "The Seasons," which was done last year with the Hollins College Choir. "Requiem" combines smoothly flowing passages with alternate brisk movements to produce one of the most famous musical compositions ever written.

Tomorrow afternoon the Glee Club will leave the campus shortly after lunch for a rehearsal at Longwood. After the concert is given here in Lexington this Sunday, it will be repeated for the benefit of

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Arnold Toynbee

Mankind Seen As Self-Centered

By TOM LYBASS

Man's "collective self-centeredness" may lead the human race to commit mass suicide unless its search for spiritual truth brings order out of the chaos in world history. Only when higher religions solve this

problem, "will we know whether history makes sense."

So Dr. Arnold Toynbee answered the question, "Does History Make Sense?" in a speech delivered to an audience of 1,000 packed in Doremus Gymnasium last Friday night.



Dr. Arnold Toynbee speaks before an estimated crowd of 1,000 students, faculty members and visiting guests at his Friday night lecture at Doremus Gymnasium. —Photo by Young

New Editor Names Fourteen For Tentative Staff Posts

By BILL NOELL

The Publications Board announced today that Joe Goldstein will edit the 1961-62 Calyx, and that Robin Wood will be the new business manager. Ned Ames, a Delt senior and present Calyx editor, expressed confidence in the abilities of these new officers.

Goldstein, a ZBT junior from Kingstree, South Carolina,

Coming Events

Tuesday, March 14

7:15 p.m.—The Graham-Lee Society presents the movie *Orpheus* ("Orpheus"). duPont Auditorium. Members only.

Thursday, March 16

8:15 p.m.—Seminars in Literature present John W. Aldridge, author and critic. "The European Education of Ernest Hemingway." duPont Auditorium.

Sunday, March 19

4:30 p.m.—Concert. Longwood College Choir and W&L Glee Club. Lexington Presbyterian Church.

Monday, March 20

3:15 p.m.—Lacrosse. W&L vs. Williams College.

8:00 p.m.—Debates. W&L and the New Zealand debating team.

Wednesday, March 22

7:30 p.m.—The Military Department presents Dr. William Jenks on "Hitler's Germany." duPont Hall.

Friday, March 24

3:15 p.m.—Lacrosse. W&L vs. University of Maryland.

3:15 p.m.—Baseball. W&L vs. Dartmouth.

has been academically prominent on the campus for several years. Beginning with his election to Phi Eta Sigma in his freshman year, continuing with Dean's List and Honor Roll grades, and culminating in his recent election to Phi Beta Kappa as the only junior this year who received that distinction, he has demonstrated his ability to do a superior job. He served last year as a managing editor of the Calyx to add to his practical experience. In addition to these activities, Goldstein is a member of Alpha Epsilon Delta, honorary pre-med fraternity, and has served as secretary of both the Library Committee and Zeta Beta Tau.

Robin Wood, an SAE junior from Lynchburg, Va., has also been active in Washington and Lee affairs. While playing varsity football and baseball, he has been able to maintain Dean's List standing and now has an overall 1.8 grade-point-ratio. He is an IFC representative, and is presently that organization's social chairman. Like Goldstein, he has participated in his fraternity's affairs by serving as its secretary. Further, he is active in the Troubadours and the SWMSFC musical.

Goldstein has announced the following tentative appointments for members of his staff: assistant editor, Steve Galef; managing editors, Bob Payne and Herb Salomon; administration editor, John Poyner; classes editor, Cotton Rawls; organization editors, Randy Cole and Buck Ogilvie; feature editor, Pete Adlaso; fraternities editor, John Maglano; sports editors, Phil Sharp, Syd Butler, and Barry Greene.

At the same time, Wood announced that Danny Markstein would assist him in handling the in-town advertising and that Bill Broadman would handle the out-of-town advertising.

Both Goldstein and Wood announced enthusiastically that they were very pleased to have received their positions and that they hope to give the university a representative yearbook.

Important Letter

Editor, The Ring-tum Phi

Dear Sir:

Two weeks ago Ed Webster wrote a column which soundly criticized the *Southern Collegian*. Some of what he said is, unfortunately, the truth. But I believe he has misconstrued the purpose of *The Collegian* and has accused it of something which is hardly limited to the *Collegian* alone.

Webster claimed that *The Collegian* has degenerated from its past years. This is, in some ways, a just criticism, but *The Collegian's* purpose as a college humor magazine is still being carried out quite adequately, although the staff is reduced from what it was five years ago.

The student apathy which has affected *The Collegian* is something which goes far deeper than simply lack of good satirists at W&L. Yesterday when the Publications Board held interviews for the positions of Editor and Business Manager of the Calyx, there were only two applicants—those two were elected to the positions. Both editions of the *Ring-tum Phi* had carried announcements about the dates of the interviews for the three weeks previous to the interview date.

But whether Webster was using *The Collegian* as his whipping boy or not is really not important. The real question lies not with what is right or wrong with *The Southern* (Continued on page 4)