

## Fighting Staunton Gridmen Upset Favored S.V.A. Team

### Visitors Tied In Game They Were Lucky Not To Lose

Shenandoah Valley Academy's rough and tough, heavy eleven was played off its feet by a lighter, faster, and cleverer S. M. A. team on the Hill yesterday, needing all the breaks to come out with a thirteen-all tie after avowing its intention to march to a state championship. The local team, expecting all kinds of trouble, outgained the Winchester club by a two-to-one margin on yardage, and likewise doubled the first down count.

Staunton's hard-hitting scrappers were fighting against all kinds of odds except good, clean, smart football. An offside penalty on fourth down gave S. V. A. one more chance—the one chance that it needed to pass for a touchdown. Other penalties in the first half cost the Blue and Gold a total of 105 yards to S. V. A.'s fifty-five. For the entire game Staunton lost 120 yards on penalties; Shenandoah Valley, seventy-five.

Net yardage from scrimmage tells the story of an uphill battle. Staunton's total gains were 246 to the visitors' 117. First downs went twelve to S. M. A. and six to S. V. A.

Staunton's chances seemed good in the early minutes of the game as it became clear that S. V. A. lacked the expected scoring punch. Assisted by heavy penalties, Shenandoah Valley took the ball deep into Staunton territory, but was stopped repeatedly with only one first down to its credit. Shortly before the end of the quarter, Shinn returned a punt from the twenty-five to the forty. Kast went over center on a spinner for ten and Kaczynski made another first down on a tackle play for five yards and a pass from Shinn for eight more. A reverse, Kast to Kaczynski, was good for five, while Kast's pass back to Shinn for an end run made it first down on the opponents' twenty-five. A pass interception on next play stopped the rally.

After the changing fortunes of another series of punts, Staunton drove through for the first score when Hill recovered Devonshire's fumble on the S. V. A. forty-five. Shinn received the credit as he skirted right end behind fine blocking and got away for the touch-down. Kast kicked the point, Shinn holding.

Staunton's supporters, jubilant, were stunned to silence on the next kick-off as Devonshire, redeeming himself, took the kick on his own five yard line in the corner and ran down the line, ninety-five yards for a touchdown. The point was wide. Score: Staunton seven, S. V. A. six.

A pass interception by Ganza late in the half again changed the appearance of things. Staunton, having pushed from its own thirty-four to the S. V. A. thirty, lost an eleven-yard advance on off-sides penalty to put the ball on the forty-five. On the next play, Kast's pass was intercepted.

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### Three Cadets Plan To Attend Press Conference At Lexington

On November 4th and 5th the fourteenth annual convention of the Southern Interscholastic Press Association will meet at Lexington, Va. Student representatives of preparatory and high school publications throughout the South will gather at Washington and Lee University.

The business sessions of the 1938 convention will include round table discussions of practical problems of scholastic publishing, a new feature called "The Journalism Workshop," talks by prominent newspaper experts and publishers a motion picture program featuring newspaper subjects; group meetings for newspaper, magazines, annuals and advisers; and publication contests.

Cadets Scruggs, Ruprecht and Howell, who are on the Kablegram staff, plan to attend the convention.

## Dance Schedule For Year Is Announced By Cotillion Club

The Cotillion Club has arranged for a series of ten dances during the school year 1938-39. Insofar as possible these dances have been arranged so that they will be distributed well in point of time throughout the year and be held at such times that they will not interfere with the different examination periods of the scholastic year. The schedule is as follows:

- October 1, 1938—Reception and dance for M. B. C. freshman girls.
- October 29, 1938—Hallowe'en Dance.
- November 24, 1938—Thanksgiving Formal.
- December 15, 1938—Christmas Dance (this dance is held the night before the cadets go home for their Christmas furlough.)
- January 21, 1939—Informal Dance.
- February 22, 1939—Mid-year Formal.
- March 23, 1939—Informal Dance.
- April 10, 1939—Easter Formal.
- May 13, 1939—Spring Informal.
- June 5, 1939—Commencement Final Ball.

All cadets who hold an annual season ticket of the Cotillion Club will be admitted to all of the above dances free of any further charge.

During the past week the Cotillion Club has sent the following letter to the patrons of the school:

Dear Friends:

Entirely independent of the school's entertainment course and athletic program, the Cotillion Club arranges for a schedule of monthly dances throughout the school year. While arrangements are made for these dances by the Cotillion Club under the direction of Captain Hill, the faculty advisors, all dances are held under the direct supervision of the school and the schedule for the different dances has been so arranged that there will be no conflict between the social program and the academic work.

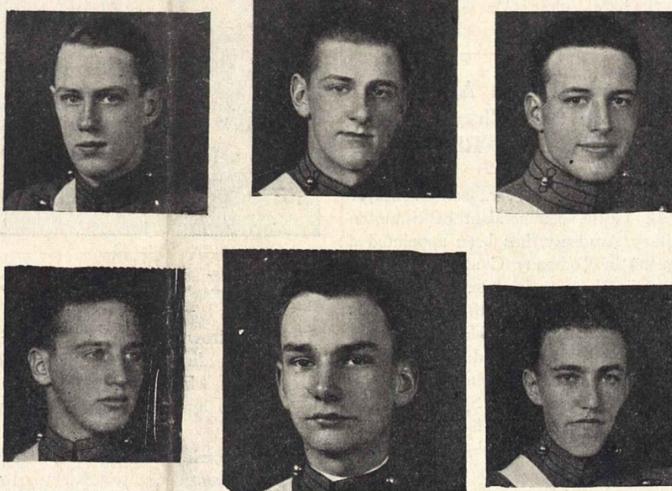
The Academy joins the Cotillion Club in feeling that the opportunity for social contacts is a part of a cadet's education and that our dances, held under the supervision of the school and in accordance with standards approved by most exacting parents, make no small contribution to the happiness and development of every cadet socially. As you know, the girls from our two neighboring schools, Mary Baldwin College and Stuart Hall, make possible this social program with no additional expense to the boys for entertainment, and with supervision on the part of our two schools that make the dances all that parents would wish them to be.

It is hoped that a large number of cadets will become annual members of the Cotillion Club and purchase the season ticket at a cost of \$15.00, thus permitting them to attend all dances without further charge. This amount should be sent to the treasurer of the school, who carries an account for the Cotillion Club. The school makes its contribution to the club by helping the cadets to secure good orchestras for the formal dances. For example, last year the school assisted the cadets in securing Hal Kemp's orchestra.

Trusting a large group of cadets will join the Cotillion Club thus assuring a successful season, I am

(Signed) EDWIN S. SMITH,  
President, Cotillion Club.

## Ranking Cadet Officers



Left to right—top: Thomas, Captain of "C" Company; Hubinger, Cadet Major; Newman, Captain of "B." Bottom: Hill, "A" Company Captain; Smith, S., "D" Captain, and Franklin, Captain of Band. Not in group Smith, E., Captain, Adjutant.

### Stuart Hall And S.M.A. Sponsor Kryl's Symphony Orchestra; Dorothy Dickerson Soprano

On Saturday evening, October 22nd, at 8:00 p. m., Stuart Hall for Girls and Staunton Military Academy will be the sponsors of an outstanding musical entertainment. The concert will be given in the large gymnasium of North Barracks, S. M. A.

It is only by cooperation of Stuart Hall and Staunton Military Academy that such an outstanding musical organization can be included in the two schools' entertainment program.

Music lovers of Staunton are cordially invited to attend this outstanding concert. There will be a general admission charge of 75c.

### Cadets Organize Eleven-Piece Dance Orchestra

In past years a cadet dance orchestra has been organized, which consists mainly of cadets from the band, but which was never officially recognized. The purpose of the members was a "get together" usually held in the large "gym" for "jam sessions" and discussions of popular dance music.

This year, however, several public appearances are planned and the group as a whole has a very promising future.

The following cadets are members: brass section, Lord, trumpet; Whitaker, trumpet; Hinson, trombone; in the reed section: Vaughn, saxophone; Thompson, saxophone; Ander, saxophone; Nummi, clarinet; at the drums will be Tyrell and Runyon; at the piano will be William Friml, son of the great composer. Cadet Gilbert will hold the baton.

A schedule for the orchestra has not as yet been completed.

### Riding Instruction To Begin After Inspection Tomorrow

Captain Hill has announced that riding instruction will be given immediately after inspection tomorrow. All men interested in riding or for the pleasure of riding horseback will report to Captain Hill at this time.

### Headmaster Inspected Alexandria High School

Major Roy W. Wonson, headmaster of Staunton Military Academy went to Alexandria, Va. last week where he assisted a committee from Washington in inspecting the Alexandria High School. Major Wonson attended this inspection as a member of the state committee of the Southern association of which he is the private school member for Virginia.

### Four 1938 Grads of S. M. A. At U. Of North Carolina

Grady Stevens, Nick Foran, Don Wilson, and Wes Disney, all graduates of Staunton in 1938, are now freshmen at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill. Stevens was the cadet major of the battalion last year, and Foran and Wilson were company commanders. All four boys sent a request to Major Moody for every issue of the Kablegram, so that they could keep pace with happenings at their old school. Among other graduates of S. M. A. are George Watson, '35, and Kraynick, '35, both seniors and star backs on the Carolina football team. Watson is co-captain this year and last year received a trophy as the best blocking back in the Southern Conference.

### Klate Holt And The Georgia Collegians To Play At Dance

"Klate" Holt and his Georgia Collegians who will play at the Hallowe'en Informal to be held October 29, come to Staunton with many favorable recommendations. Besides being generally known as an orchestra ever broadening in popularity, it has also had a long list of successful engagements at the Totem Pole, Boston, Mass.; The Hotel New Yorker, New York City; and the Cavalier Hotel, Virginia Beach.

The Georgia Collegians come to Staunton after having played for the dance at Hampden-Sydney college.

## Permanent "Makes" Of Cadet Officers And No-Coms Published

Newman, Smith, E., Hill, Thomas, Franklin, Smith, S., Are Captains

### HUBINGER IS CADET MAJOR OF BATTALION

Permanent "makes" published by the Commandant last Sunday appointed Cadet Fred J. Hubinger of New Haven, Conn. Cadet Major and Battalion Commander. Cadets Newman, R. L., Smith, E. S., Hill, J. M., Thomas, E., Franklin, M. P., and Smith, S., were appointed Cadet Captains and rank in the order named. This is Hubinger's fourth year at S. M. A. and during this time he has participated in the Silent Drill and Swimming Teams. He has ranked as Sergeant and Lieutenant heretofore.

Cadet Robert Newman of Brooklyn, New York, former Sergeant, 1st Sergeant, and Lieutenant, was promoted to the rank of Captain and Commander of Company "B". This is his sixth year at the Academy and during this period he has been a member of the Boxing Team for four years, member of Company Baseball and Basketball, and a member of the Varsity Track Team.

Cadet Edwin Smith, of Chicago, Ill., former Technical Color Sergeant and Lieutenant, was appointed Captain and Adjutant. This is Smith's fourth year at the Academy and during this time he has been a member of the Cotillion Club, Silent Drill Team, Dramatic Club and Shrapnel Staff, and is chief cheer leader this year.

Cadet John M. Hill, of Erie, Penn., a fourth year man at S. M. A. former Sergeant and Lieutenant was appointed Captain of Company "A". He has been a member of the Varsity Football Team, Swimming, Silent Drill, Varsity Baseball and Company Basketball Teams, and was a member of the Governor's Inaugural Detachment at Richmond.

Cadet Edwin Thomas, of Robeson, Penn., is a sixth year man and member of the Cotillion Club, Silent Drill, Company Baseball and Basketball Teams. He has ranked as a Corporal, Sergeant, Supply-Sergeant, and Lieutenant. He was appointed Captain of Company "C".

Cadet Milton P. Franklin, fourth year man, was promoted to Captain of the Band. He has ranked as a Sergeant and Lieutenant. He is a member of Company Softball and Track Teams, Dance and Classical Orchestras.

Cadet Stephen Smith of Washington, D. C., was promoted to Captain of Company "D". He was a former Corporal and 1st Sergeant. He is a member of the Dramatic Club, Woodrow Wilson Literary Society, Officer in the Y. M. C. A. and Advisor to the Junior Paylers. This is his fourth year at S. M. A.

The following order was issued by the Military Department last Sunday. Appointments were based upon previous conduct, military, and academic ratings.

#### Extract

1. The following permanent appointment (Continued on Page 4)

### Football Numbers Are Posted For Convenience Of Cadets

Below is a list of the football players and their respective numbers which have been assigned to them. Watch for these numbers in the game tomorrow.

Bristow	14	Kaczynski	39
Bryant	15	Kast	16
Bussey	33	Leoffler	13
Colley	45	Rice	22
DeMaria	38	Rodgers	23
Duemler	41	Ross	19
Dunklin	36	Robey	20
Fritsch	21	Shinn	30
Fulmer	35	Staats	25
Grace	37	Stein	29
Hassett	17	Tone	12
Heimovitch	46	Anderson	44
Hill	11	Abernathy	42
Holloway	18	Blount	43

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## COLLEGE PREPARATION

Preparation for college demands several things. First, there is the academic side of the question. Certain subjects must be studied and certain standards achieved. This is obvious but not complete preparation.

Secondly, there is what we might call moral preparation. This consists of the ability to govern one's self, to do assigned tasks without supervision or compulsion and to resist the temptations of pleasurable diversions when labor calls. It is as a part of this second phase of college preparation that we do not send seniors to the supervised study. If a senior has not learned to work without supervision he had better remain away from college. This moral aspect of preparation is worthy of greater attention than is usually given it. Many boys who are well prepared academically fail in college because this phase of their preparation has been neglected.

If you plan to go to college be prepared.

## RE-EXAMINATIONS

The Headmaster announces regulations for re-examinations. These regulations may seem new to many but they are really a return to regulations that were in effect for many years. The money that is collected is not retained by the school but is passed on to the teacher to recompense him for his extra work. The regulations are as follows:

1. A cadet will be allowed one re-examination each semester.
2. Seniors will be allowed a re-examination in the work of the 4th quarter even though they may have had the number listed in Rule 1.
3. All re-examinations of the first three quarters must be taken before May 1st.
4. All re-examinations or special examinations (except those caused by sickness or other unavoidable cause) will be charged for at the rate of one dollar for each such examination, payment to be made in cash at the time the permit is issued.
5. Unused permits will be redeemed not later than two weeks subsequent to date of issue.

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## Miss Moffett And Mr. Kable To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Moffett announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Margaret Page, to Mr. William Gibbs Kable 2nd, the son of Mrs. Lawther J. Whitehead and the late Colonel W. G. Gable. No date has been set for the wedding.

## Commandant's Son Appointed A Sergeant; On Championship Manlius School Rifle Team

William B. Tuttle, Jr., son of Major W. B. Tuttle, commandant of Staunton Military Academy, has been appointed a sergeant in Company C at the Manlius School in New York state.

Tuttle, a member of the C company football team, of the Manlius School Intra-mural league, earned a regular position at end on that team in a pre-league game against a Syracuse High school last week. Tuttle is also a member of the Eastern championship Manlius School rifle team.

## Spanish Club To Organize; Lieut. Tuck's Supervision

On next Sunday night the first meeting of the Spanish Club will be held in the library. All students who have had at least one year of Spanish and members of Spanish II and III classes are invited.

The purpose of this club will be to develop a better speaking ability in this language. During the meetings the members will carry on conversations in Spanish and discuss countries using this language.

Lt. Tuck, who is the instructor in Spanish II and III at the academy, will act as faculty advisor.

The officers of the Club will be selected at that time.

## Y.M.C.A. Discusses Honor Code

On last Sunday night the Y. M. C. A. met the second time in the library for a discussion of the S. M. A. Honor Code. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Cadet Dunklin.

Cadets Pearson, Howard, G., Krey, White, L., and Dunklin made thorough discussions of the S. M. A. Honor Code, and several interesting view points were expressed.

Twelve cadets have so far joined and all others wishing to do so are requested to attend the meeting to be held on October 23.

Substantial progress has been made by this organization in past years, and plans are already being made for the members to conduct several cadet assemblies.

## Personals

The school is always glad to welcome visiting parents. If other patrons visited the school and their names are not included in the following list, they will understand that any omissions are unintentional and that the school is always glad to make note of visiting patrons. The following patrons have visited since the opening of school: Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Bell; Mr. and Mrs. Orval M. Bendure and daughter; Dr. and Mrs. Charles W. Berry; Mr. Underwood; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Drenning; Mr. S. E. Holloway, brother of Cadet Holloway; Mrs. W. H. Howell; Mr. and Mrs. Don H. Johnston; Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Leoffler; Mr. and Mrs. James V. Lobell; Mr. L. O. Minear, uncle of Cadet Minear; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene B. Nicolait; Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Phelps; Mr. W. B. Scott; Mr. F. T. Shull; Mrs. S. Sherry Stein; Mr. and Mrs. George W. Thomas; and Mrs. Paul R. Warwick.

are interested in the welfare of the school, and when they support our activities they deserve consideration. We can show our appreciation by trading with those who advertise with us.

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## LITERARY SOCIETY NOTES

The Woodrow Wilson Literary Society had its first regular meeting on October 4th, when a formal program was presented by Cadets Howard, Shull, and Gal.

At the following meeting held on October 11th, twenty-four members participated in the open forum.

There has been a good deal of interest shown by both old and new boys in the society's work. New members include Cadets Ayres, D., Cole, Rodgers, Wells, Harvey, Compo, Evans, Fisher, A., Yager, Howard, J., Sinnott, Belinson, Johanson, and McIlravy.

Last Tuesday evening, at the third meeting of the Woodrow Wilson Literary Society, an open forum debate was held upon the question of a third term of office for American presidents. As usual, this debate, open to all members of the society, excited much interest.

It has been announced that at the next meeting a debate will be held on the topic: "Resolved, that Germany had neither political nor economic right to annex the Sudeten area." Supporting the affirmative are Cadets Shull, Pearson, and Cater; with Gal, Jewett, and Pressley speaking for the negative. This debate will be conducted on the Oregon plan, which proved so popular last session; each side will be permitted to quiz its opponents, rather than resort to the usual rebuttal.

A large number of applications for membership have been received, and several new cadets have already been installed as members.

## Large Turnout Responds To Call For Rifle Practice

A large turnout resulted in a call for candidates for the rifle team; though these men were to a great majority recruits, nevertheless a favorable season is predicted. Following are the men out for the team: Easby-Smith, Blackwood (Capt.), Adamson, Drenning, Early, S. T., Jones, D. C., Van Hyning; Hedger, N., Allen, R. L., Jennings, Barker, D. C., La Prade, Tauskey, R. H., Reilley, Vaughan, Parker, H. R., Thias, W. J., Gary, J. B., Smith, J. G., Warfield, O'Hanlon, Lobell, Kuhlon, Ayers, G. R., Beaman, R., Jarvis, Mills, Phelps, Taylor, J. J., Evans, R. L., Berry, A. G., Blake, J. H., Rossaly, Runyon, Wilbur, Wright, Brown, J. A., Brandmark, Kennelly, Humphry, White, L., Brown, C., Ballentine, Hinson, Cracker, Thompson, H. P., Stiltz, W. P.

## Mac Patch, '37, And Bobby Bringham Plebe Roommates

Mac Patch, '37, son of Colonel A. M. Patch, for many years P. M. S. & T. and Commandant at S. M. A., is a Plebe at West Point this year and is rooming with his boyhood chum, Bob Bringham, also a Plebe. Many Staunton Old Boys will remember Major Robert M. Bringham, who for several years was the Assistant P. M. S. & T. under Colonel Patch. "Plebe" Bringham is his son. The two boys, Bobby and Mac, were boyhood friends while their families lived in Staunton, and both consider it a most happy coincidence that they are now Plebe roommates and united again after several years. Colonel and Mrs. Patch are now at Fort Benning, Ga., and Colonel and Mrs. Bringham are at the Sawtelle Veterans Home, where Colonel Bringham is Commandant.

## For The Benefit Of The Plebes

## Did You Know That ?

Staunton is one of the oldest and best known military schools in the country.

Woodrow Wilson, the World War President, was born in Staunton a short distance from the Academy.

Staunton Military Academy was once Charlestown Male Academy of West Virginia.

Staunton is a highly rated Government Honor School.

Kable Hall is the newest and most modern building on the Campus, being built in 1932 in the memory of Captain William G. Kable and Col. William H. Kable.

Staunton is the county seat of Augusta County.

Staunton Military Academy has a reputation equalled only by that of one other military academy.

Staunton is one of the most beautiful valleys in the country, the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia.

School spirit serves to make a school more than anything else.

Staunton's eleven will be fighting for you tomorrow on the gridiron.

Staunton is one of the finest schools in the country and it is up to you to keep it that way.

## Informal Reception For M.B. Students Huge Success

The reception and informal dance held recently for the students of Mary Baldwin College by the Cotillion Club and cadets was enjoyed by all attending.

About 150 cadets and almost the same number of girls attended this dance held in the large "gym" to welcome the new students of Mary Baldwin and S. M. A.

Music for the dance was furnished by the Auburn Cavaliers, an orchestra hailing from the Alabama institute, which lived up to its reputation of being able to furnish modern music in the modern way that pleases all.

Plans for future dances by the Cotillion Club will be found elsewhere in this issue.

## Fighting Staunton

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cepted by Ganza and returned to the Staunton thirty-one. Four attempts to pass were stopped, but an off-sides penalty gave the visitors one more chance with only seconds to play. On this shot, Ganza's heave to DeNiro was good over the goal. Frederick's placement was good.

Staunton came back in the second half with spirit and drive that kept the opponents on their heels almost constantly. Shinn's spectacular run-back of pants kept edging S. V. A. back on each exchange until Staunton crossed the mid-field stripe. On the next forced kick, Shinn took the ball on S. V. A.'s forty-five and returned it to the fourteen, eluding all but the safety man.

Kaczynski went over right tackle for four, Rice drove over center for five, and Shinn cut back over right tackle to a first down on the two-yard line. Rice plowed through center for the score. Kast's placement, Shinn holding, was blocked. Score thirteen to thirteen.

For the rest of the contest Staunton kept the ball deep in S. V. A. territory for all but a few plays, but was unable to push over a winning touchdown. S. M. A. twice drove within the opponents' twenty-yard line, but was held for downs. S. V. A.'s best was a rally from the forty-five to the thirteen, followed by a loss of one yard in three plays.

The line-up:

Staunton	S.V.A.	
Bristow	LE	DeNiro
Holloway	LT	Retting
Fulmer	LG	Cerasaro
Staats	C	George
Heimovitch	RG	Rainey
Ross	RT	Anderson
Anderson	RE	Leffel
Shinn	QB	Stovscik
Hill	HB	Fredericks
Kaczynski	FB	Devonshire
Rice (Capt.)	HB	Ganza

Substitutes: S. M. A.—Colley, Rodgers, Robey, Busey, DeMaria, Kast, Stein. S. V. A.—Giffken, Odenkirschen, Dattilo, Wotjkiewitz, Damauskas.

## Junior School Notes

(Written by the cadets of the Junior School)

The Junior School enrollment is much larger this year. We have had to use the basement and the boys seem to enjoy it down there.

We have three new members of the faculty this year: Lieut. Onesty, Lieut. Pirkle, and Lieut. Soule.

Some of our boys are working hard for the swimming team which we are going to have this year.

Visiting parents so far have been Col. and Mrs. Tinker of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Edna Clohecy of Smithfield, Penn.

Last Saturday we had a fashion show. Guth, McCormick, Mettler, Ayares, Scolio, and O'Melian served as models. Steve Smith directed the show with the help of Tom Johansen.

Our mascot this year is to be a black and white cat. The name "Drowsey Puss" has not yet been adopted but it has its hopes.

We are going to have a tennis tournament after the senior one. Many boys are interested.

We had a "Scavenger Hunt" on Saturday which was played by giving two groups a list of things to get. The winning side was the side getting most of the things. The prize was four dimes.

## Assembly Room On Third Floor Of Memorial Hall

The third floor room of Kable Memorial Hall will be used as the assembly room of the school in the future. For many years this most attractive and best lighted room in the school's equipment did not have a fire escape; therefore, it was not available for any use except intra-mural or company basketball games during the winter term. The room now has a rear exit with modern fire escape and is available for use during the day or night as an assembly room or for social events.

Since this room was used for company basketball for only a few weeks during the winter term, the Board of Directors of the school agreed in feeling that this excellent part of Staunton's equipment would serve the school more fully if the room were redecorated and made available for school assemblies, Cotillion Club dances, other social functions, lectures, an adequate hall for meetings of the Woodrow Wilson Literary Society, an appropriate place for the teaching of public speaking and also as a meeting place of the school Dramatic and Glee Clubs.

The room is now being decorated and should be ready for use during the next month. The showers in the dressing room adjoining the large assembly hall will be transferred to one of the large washrooms on the first floor. This room, formerly used as a shower and dressing room, will now be used as a waiting and reception room in connection with the large assembly hall.

Staunton for many years has had three gymnasiums, but no assembly hall. This new arrangement will give the school a permanent meeting place, will make the large gym in North Barracks far more available during the winter term for athletic events and will save much of the effort and time of both cadets and workmen transforming the gymnasium into an assembly hall and back to a gym again and again throughout the school year. Before this change was made, the present use of the large Memorial Gym was weighed and compared carefully with the new uses to which this room will be put. After this was done, it was agreed that the new use of the Hall will be far more beneficial to the school and serve a greater number of boys.

I'm worried about my husband's eyesight," said Mrs. Barker. "Only yesterday he mistook the nursemaid for me." "How strange," commented Mrs. Jones. "And she's such a pretty girl, too."

—Duke 'n' Duchess.

### Staunton Gridmen Down W&L Freshmen 7-0 In Thrilling Opening Game

Paced by the accurate aerial attack of Kast, Staunton Military academy's eleven braced itself after a tight, well-played, scoreless three quarters to take a seven-to-nothing decision over Washington and Lee's freshmen in the last minutes of play on the Hill Saturday. Kast's cool, grooved shots, coming as a surprise after the nip and tuck battle, were the main factor in Staunton's advance of eighty yards to the score in eight plays.

With about five minutes until the final whistle, S. M. A. took the ball on its own twenty after Brown's punt over the goal. Kast's pass to Bryant was good for thirteen yards. Attempting to pass on the next play, but finding no one open, Kast dashed round right end for a gain of eight yards. Rice made a first down at right tackle.

An attempted aerial, Kast to Bryant, was knocked down. Then a long heave by Kast was collected by Shinn, for a first down on the Generals' forty-three. Bryant varied the attack and drew the secondary with a two-yard buck over center. Another pass, Kast to Shinn, made it Staunton's first down on the seven, a gain of twenty-two yards. Kast hit left tackle for the score. His placement, Bryant holding, was good for the extra point.

Credit should be given to S. M. A.'s Hill, Bristow, and Ross for outstanding defensive play. For the visitors, center and captain Littlepage and left-end Searfoss get the nod. Yager and Bauger were dangerous in the passing attack.

Before the sudden surprise finish, the contest had been anybody's or nobody's game, perhaps to be decided on a "break." Both teams showed remarkable endurance and condition, as well as polished "form," for an early-season contest. Staunton had the first edge in a drive to the Washington and Lee eight with two first downs after a Generals' fumble had set them on their heels. In the first half, the freshmen's best effort carried them to Staunton's fifteen, when Worthington's pass was intercepted by Rice and returned down the sideline to the Staunton forty. Rice almost got away.

In this half, the frosh scored six first downs to S. M. A.'s four, but the edge was Bryant's remarkable punt out-of-bounds on about the three-inch line. Three or four fumbles played a part also in the sudden reversal of fortune.

The second half in its early stage seemed all Washington and Lee. After Staunton's kick-off, a pass and a line-back gave the visitors a first on the Staunton forty-eight. After a see-saw twenty to twenty-five yards on either side of mid-field, Brown's punt rolled and was downed on the Staunton ten.

Bryan made thirteen at left tackle, but a punt forced by failure to gain gave Washington and Lee a chance from the Staunton forty-eight. Two rushes, a pass, and another rush were good for twenty-six yards including two first-downs. With the ball deep in Staunton territory, attempts to rush were stopped on fourth down, but Kast's attempt to punt out of danger was returned to the Staunton's thirty-eight.

Stopped in three plays, W. and L.'s Brown punted over the goal. Staunton punted out. The freshmen after a first down, were again stopped, and again Brown punted for a touchback. It was when S. M. A. took the ball on the twenty after this kick that the march (or flight) to touchdown was begun.

The line-up:  
 STAUNTON  
 Bristow ..... LE ..... Searfoss  
 Colley ..... LT ..... Nelson  
 Fulmer ..... LG ..... Cox  
 Rodgers ..... C ..... Littlepage  
 Heimovitch ..... RG ..... Boyden  
 Ross ..... RT ..... Yocum  
 Anderson ..... RE ..... Boyd  
 Bryant ..... QB ..... Pinck  
 Shinn ..... HB ..... Barger

### Swimmers Get Into Shape As New Men Show Improvement

After three weeks of constant practice, the outlook for a successful swimming team this Fall has greatly brightened. Returning varsity men are showing even greater form than they displayed last season and unseasoned performers have started to show real ability. Among the new comers to the team are Jack Roderick and Bill Ryan. Roderick is already quite a seasoned swimmer, having won innumerable titles as a member of the Canton (Ohio) Sea Lions swimming team. Among the more notable of his accomplishments is the winning of the three and a half mile swim in the Schuylkill River near Philadelphia this summer. In winning this race Jack turned in the second fastest time in the 27 years that the race has been held. Jack's performance for Staunton should be a great asset toward a successful season.

Ryan is rapidly turning into one of the best divers on the team. This fact is more notable because when he came out for the team three weeks ago he could do only a few simple dives, but with the utmost determination and the instruction of Lieut. Onesty, coach, and Lieut. Calvert, who has taken charge of the divers, "Red" has learned many of the more difficult dives. With a little polish "Red" should give Staunton's opponents a great deal of competition.

Among the other members of the squad who have shown possibilities are the following: Hubinger, Gilbert, Toole, Sherman, Beloff, Burchart, Creed, Daniels, J. G., Lubow, Pearson, Braunfeld, Smith, J. G., Warwick, Herz, Burrill, Jones, R. D., (swimmers) and Shersty, Duff, Ferguson, (divers), and of course the returning varsity men: Carter, Meist, Hill, Ousley.

Cadet Gordon H. Robertson is the acting manager of the swimming team. According to Lieut. Onesty the Junior school team is also making progress. Lieut. Onesty plans to have the Junior swimmers put on an exhibition as soon as they are a little more qualified. The members of this squad include the following: Farr, E., Robinson, Jones, W., Mattox, Duffy, Dinhoff, Green, H., Stuart, Bernman, and Taylor.

Hill ..... HB ..... Brown  
 Rice (Capt.) ..... FB ..... Didier

Substitutes: S. M. A.—Kast, Hassett, Holloway, Robey, Duemler, Blount, Staats, Stein, Busey, DeMaria, Kaczynski; W. and L.—Worthington, Yeager, Lawrence, Lawler, Kadis, Pridham, Browning, Clarke, Bauger, Harrison.

Officials: Thomas (Hampden-Sydney) referee; Denton (V. M. I.) umpire; Kivlighan (St. Joseph's), head linesman; Weller (Texas Teachers'), field judge.

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### Staunton Reserves Bow To Lee High School 13-0

Fighting very hard and showing splendid spirit, the S. M. A. Reserves dropped a hard fought football contest to the Lee High School. Scoring once in each half, the Leemen took the victory by a 13-0 decision.

The S. M. A. team only had one first down to the Leemen's eleven. Although completely outplayed, the S. M. A. team did show its good points and should cop a victory in their next game.

Mike Sanders, Staunton's center, was outstanding on the defensive. He was in on practically every play and made some very fine tackles. Thompson starred on the offensive picking up most of the yardage for his team.

Harner and Van Fossen were outstanding for the offensive playing of the Leemen. The first touchdown was made by Wilson and the second made by Harner. The extra point on the second touchdown was a place kick by Wilson.

The following is the lineup of the two teams:

<b>LEE</b>		<b>S.M.A.</b>
Wagner	RF	Penney
Spitler	RT	Good
Almarode	RG	Watson
Fox	C	Sanders
Cochran	LG	Gifford
Towberman	LT	Shiller
Hagaman	LE	McCaw
Van Fossen	QB	Thompson
O'Donnell	RH	Rhodes
Wilson, B. (c)	LH	Nicholi
Harner	FB	Bowman

Subs: Lee High—Larner, Curry, Null, Rowe, Leitch, Wilson, L., Talley, Kelley, Moomaw, Riley, May, Simmons.

Officials: Dey, referee; Burnett, field judge; Wells, Head linesman.

Scoring touchdowns: Lee High—Wilson and Harner.

Point after touchdown: Wilson, placement.

Score by periods:  
 S. M. A. ..... 0 0 0 0—0  
 Lee High ..... 6 0 7 0—13

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### Staunton Names Rice Capt. Of Football Team

"Sonny" Rice has been named to captain the S. M. A. eleven this season.

Rice, a Bethlehem, Pa., boy plays full-back position although he only weighs 153 pounds. He was an honor student last year when he finished in the first ten of his class in all quarter examinations. A senior this year, Rice hopes to attend the U. S. Naval Academy, his appointment to that institution already having been promised him.

Rice is also an outstanding track and basketball star at S. M. A.

### Seventeen New Men Out For Junior Varsity Team

Seventeen new men added their names to the list of candidates who hope to play on the Junior Varsity football squad. The J. V.'s who lost their first game of the season, hope that by this new turnout they will have a much larger and stronger team.

Following are the newly enlisted men: Duff, Rhodes, Thompson, Pikman, Carroll, Sutherland, Jacobs, Ruff, Fineburg, Kessler, Mulford, McIlravy, Shersty, Snider, Braunfield, Bixby, and Day.

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A date at a recent dance asked her  
boyfriend if Fineburg always made those  
faces.

Seems as if one of our star varsity  
football players, Lord, recently injured  
his leg so bad as to prevent his partici-  
pating in any future games. You have't  
heard about it? Well, his girl friend  
has!!!

Lloyd has been sporting around lately.  
Better watch out Anderson.

### Personal Advice To Gresham:

My Dear Sir,

If I do say so, sir, you have your  
nerve. After paying for those *private*  
dancing lessons and on top of that dan-  
cing your roommate around all C. Q. so  
that you may not be embarrassed at the  
recent dance you go and date *two* girls  
for the same night at the same time.

My dear man, it has been a custom  
at S. M. A. for a long time that enter-  
taining *one* girl at a time was enough.  
Now you may be a Big Shot to your  
joy back in Oklahoma but to us here  
you are just an average man.

Please refrain from such doings in  
the future.

(Signed)

Advisory Committee.

### It's All in the Book

One day a little *Bair* sat looking at  
a *Woodbury* patch through the *Slats*  
of a fence. He *Onesty Wonson* and that  
was the reason why he was *Moody*. Just  
then he heard someone (*Mc*)*Call Howie*.  
It was his friend the *Tuttle* who was on  
his way to the *Taylor* to get a new  
pair of *Pence*. The little *Bair* followed  
his *Tuttle* friend to the *Taylor*, but just  
as he entered the door a *Pitcher* of *Dey*  
fell on his head. He tried to *Dodge* it  
but couldn't. The story closes with  
the little *Bair Soule* going to heaven  
or h--- as the men are *Duggan* his grave  
with *Steele* shovels at the *Middour* of  
the day, or *Noonan* to you.

### Regrets

One little look,  
One little glance,  
One little sigh—  
And one big chance.  
He heard the sigh,  
He caught the glance,  
He was no fool,  
He took the chance.

—Yellow Jacket.

## Pickles And Cream

**Oh, for the Life of a Soldier!**  
According to Lt. Ettelson he has only  
been called a "G" man once before. That  
was when the big beautiful blonde in  
his arms looked up and said, "Oh, gee  
man!"

By the way has Lt. ever told you  
about the time he bought eight dead men  
to see what made 'em tick. Perhaps he  
was just getting material for his new  
thriller "The Frankenstein of S. M. A."

### Faux Pas!

I guess Thomas doesn't want to pass  
English very badly. He asked Capt.  
Godshalk, who was walking up from the  
field with the football team, if he was  
the waterboy.

### No Soap!

You must get Capt. Wenger to tell you  
of the time he took a bath in France. It  
seems that the Frenchmen made quite a  
ceremony of it. I suppose, though, that  
such an event as any member of our  
faculty's taking a bath deserves a cere-  
mony.

### Goldyllocks

Now Smitty, was that nice to have all  
your beautiful curls cut off just because  
a little fun was poked at them last time?

### Workout

If you see two figures running on the  
track during drill, don't mistake them for  
the track team doing a little early train-  
ing. It's only Hussey teaching Capt.  
Joe how to do "double time." By the  
way, who was the naughty cadet who cut  
in on Hussey at the dance and so dis-  
couraged him that he left immediately?

### Calling All Jitterbugs

It's only with great control that the  
cadets restrain themselves from becoming  
musically hysterical when they listen to  
Maestro Beardsworth's Swing Syncopa-  
ters "beating it out" to the tune of  
"America" on Monday mornings during  
assembly.

### Believe It or Not

Yessir, believe it or not we have a  
cadet amongst us who had never seen  
an orchestra before Saturday night. Take  
a bow Herr Minear. Wayne hails from  
those wilds of Montana where the square  
dance still reigns and the "Big Apple" is  
something you eat.

### Apology

Excuse pliz, my spelling of your name  
last time Lt. Bair. I'll "bear" that in  
mind next time I use your name.

Au revoir till next time,

"THE INFORMER."

### Staunton Is A Lovely Place

Staunton is a lovely place  
Its Corps without a peer,  
But I wonder where they all will be,  
About this time next year.

Some will be in college;  
Some will not get in,  
And some will merely sit and dream  
Of all that might have been.

So let's all try to do our best,  
And when vacation comes,  
Our girls back home won't think Cadets  
Are just a bunch of bums.

### DRAMA

Cadet leaves  
Girl grieves  
All summer she's blue  
But still remains true.  
When cadet returns  
This young girl learns  
He has in mind  
Another girl to find.  
You'll see in the end  
The moral, my friend

Draw your own conclusion.

—The Pup Tent.

### PLEBE PICKLEPUSS SAYS:



Dear Mother:

Here is the first picture of me in my  
new uniform. Colonel Ted Russell, the  
Quartermaster, and Pop Carrelli, the  
tailor, tell me it is the best fit in school  
and that when I fill out on Joe Taylor's  
beans it will be perfect. What do you  
think?

## Permanent Makes

(Continued from Page One)  
ments and assignments in order of rank  
are announced to take effect at once:

To be Cadet Major and Battalion  
Commander, Cadet Hubinger, F.

To be Cadet Captain Commanding  
Company "B" Cadet Newman, R.

To be Cadet Captain and Adjutant  
Smith, E. S.

To be Cadet Captain Commanding  
Company "A" Cadet Hill, J. M.

To be Cadet Captain Commanding  
Company "C" Cadet Thomas, E.

To be Cadet Captain Commanding  
"Band" Cadet Franklin, M.

To be Cadet Captain Commanding  
Company "D" Cadet Smith, S. H.

To be Cadet 1st Lieutenant Company  
"B" Cadet Howard, G.

To be Cadet 1st Lieutenant Company  
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To be Cadet 1st Lieutenant Company  
"C" Cadet Tone, E.

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J. E., Co., "C" Robertson, G.

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recht, C., Co., "A", Fisher, A., Co., "B",  
Gresham, L., Co., "A", Hutson, F. Co.,

"B", Bell, L., Co., "C", Schroder, C.  
"Bd", Friml, W., "Bd", Stockard, R.,

"Bd", Swanstrom, R., "Ord", Clark, E.,  
"Med", Howell, W., "Bug", Worthy, P.,  
Co., "D", Lloyd, J., Co., "D", Parker, G.

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Major Cadet Day, J. F.

To be Master Sergeant and (Color  
Sergeant) Cadet Pollock, H.

To be Master Sergeant and (Color  
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To be Cadet 1st Sergeant Company  
"B", Cadet Scroggs, C.

To be Cadet 1st Sergeant Company  
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Henry, W.

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pany "B", Cadet Blackwood, R.

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pany "C", Cadet Beilinson, H.

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pany, "Ord" Easby-Smith, "Ord" Fine-  
burg, H., "Med", Spencer, C., "Bug",  
Sanders, M.

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ton, Scott, W. B., Mullenix, Warfield,  
Sinnott, Ross, Pierce.

### Company "B"

Olsen, Gamler, Taylor, F. A., Wells,  
Fulmer, Donaldson, J., Ayres, D., Schro-  
der, L.

### Company "C"

Tyrrel, Stiltz, Watson, R., Fanton,  
DiGiacomo, McCaw, Roselle, Sorrells,  
Gettman.

### Company "D"

Packard, Gavin, Johancen, Brown, C.,  
Morrison, R.

### "Band"

Nummi, Windle, Hinson, Whitaker,  
Swayze, Paul, B. S.

### To Be Cadet Corporals Company "A"

Rice, Middour, Ruth, Ruf, Vaughan,  
Rodgers, H., Pope, Shinn, Boyce, Jones,  
D., Stillwell, Webb.

### Company "B"

Anderson, R., Dunklin, Duemler, John-  
son, H., Gaglerd, Morrison, M., Herz,  
Reich, Pearson, Landwehr, Schultz,  
Rothman.

### Company "C"

Ousley, Pence, Wallace, Foster, C.,  
Daniel, J., Taylor, J. R., Goberman, Bur-  
rill, Hedger, Ostergard, Lubow, Mar-  
shall, Wright, Lerch.

### Company "D"

Coleman, J., Seigle, W., McCormick,  
Guth, Gary, Omeliam.

### "Band"

McGhee, Ander, Lord, Turner, G.  
Turner, J.

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ney, Pressley, Havill, King, G. Mulford,  
Tibbens, Austin, Penney, Torno, Cly-  
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