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Senator Harry F. Byrd, Jr. and Mrs. Helen Obenshain converse at the reception held prior to the Obenshain Dinner.

Byrd, Godwin Pay Tribute to Richard D. Obenshain

Senator Harry F. Byrd, Jr. (Ind.-Va.) and former Virginia governor Mills E. Godwin, Jr. joined nearly 150 people in honoring Richard D. Obenshain at the second annual Obenshain Memorial Dinner held at Bridgewater College.

The fund-raising dinner was part of an effort to raise \$100,000 for the Richard D. Obenshain Scholarship Fund. The fund presently contains more than \$68,000 which will be used to provide scholarships to deserving Bridgewater College students who plan careers in public service. The fund was established following Obenshain's death in a 1978 plane crash as he campaigned for the U.S. Senate.

Sen. Byrd, the evening's keynote speaker, praised Obenshain, his tireless work for the beliefs he cherished and his efforts to bring about "more responsible and more responsive government."

Byrd's address strongly supported the major reductions in projected government spending planned by the Reagan administration. "I salute President Reagan for his dedication, his hard work and his adherence to sound principles," Byrd said.

Byrd cautioned against assuming "that the fight to restrain spending and reverse the long flow of power to Washington is over" and warned that "there are storm clouds ahead" for Reagan.

The Senator predicted that efforts from the financial community, the beneficiaries and administrators of reduced programs and the "liberal contingent in Congress" to try to push up spending can be expected.

While expressing support of President Reagan's intention to take a hard look at increased military spending, Byrd pointed out the need to "strengthen

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B.C. Exceeds 8 x '80 Goal

The closing of the books at the June 30th ending of the fiscal year brought good news for Bridgewater. The ambitious goal set for the First Century Completion Fund had been exceeded by more than \$200,000, and the College had continued its tradition of the fiscal year in the black.

In 1975, the largest fund-raising program in the college's history was announced. At the close of the 1980-81 fiscal year, President Wayne F. Geisert reported that \$8,223,000 had been raised.

"The success of this effort has a great deal of significance for Bridgewater College," Dr. Geisert said. "Our expectations were high, but with the help of thousands of contributors and volunteers, our goals were realized."

The funds raised in the campaign are being used for capital improvements,

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Former Virginia Governor Mills E. Godwin, Jr. chats with Mrs. Sam Obenshain, Dick's mother.

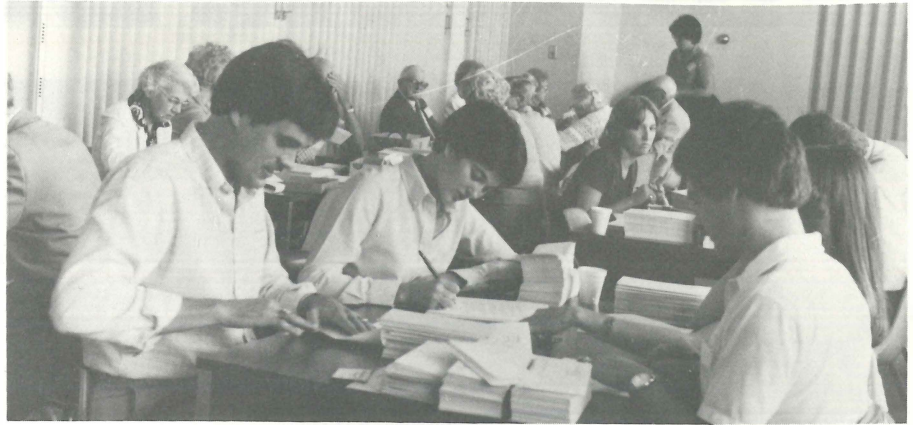
Agents Write to Classmates

Thousands of personal letters to classmates were signed and addressed during the 1981-82 Class Agent Signing day. Seventy alumni representing classes from 1918 through 1981 are serving as agents this year.

Over 30 Class Agents were on campus on September 26 for the signing of letters. Those agents who were unable to attend the signing did the work at home.

Ed Young, '65, Chairman of the Alumni Gifts Committee and a partner in the Harrisonburg Accounting firm Young, Nicholas & Mills, has announced a goal of \$300,000 in cash and gifts-in-kind for alumni giving this year.

"The Class Agent program has been a tremendous success," said Garth A. Mills, Bridgewater's Assistant Director of Development for Alumni Affairs and Annual Giving. "Our alumni have responded really well to the needs of the college. I believe that their response is a direct reflection of the effectiveness of our agents and this program," said Mills.



Agents worked hard to finish a mountain of letters to their classmates.

1981-82 AGENTS

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| 1918 — Bertha T. Huffman | 1954 — Marlin P. Alt |
| 1920 — Anna T. Edmonson | Donald C. Blose |
| 1921 — Bertha P. Showalter | 1955 — Charles Blair |
| 1922 — Gladys S. Eller | 1956 — L. Clyde Carter, Jr. |
| 1923 — Wilbur F. Garber | P. Hampton Hylton |
| 1924 — Henry C. Eller | 1957 — Orrin M. Kline |
| 1925 — Alden C. Fearnow | 1958 — Robert C. Moyers |
| 1926 — Frank P. Cline | 1959 — Violet S. Cox |
| 1927 — Lawrence Hoover, Sr. | 1960 — Leroy Harsh |
| 1928 — Edna Miller Miller | 1961 — Doris L. Harsh |
| 1929 — Naomi Miller West | 1962 — Virginia Henry Kline |
| 1930 — Rebecca V. Myers | 1963 — Janet L. Bowman |
| 1931 — | 1964 — Judy N. Henneberger |
| 1932 — S. Earl Mitchell | 1965 — Ellen K. Layman |
| 1933 — Horace Cox | 1966 — |
| 1934 — Cecil L. Hartman | 1967 — Mensel Dean, Jr. |
| 1935 — Olive Fike Huffman | 1968 — Judith Lewis Shuey |
| 1936 — R. Marcus Whitmore | 1969 — Neil M. Garber |
| 1937 — Margaret F. Wampler | 1970 — D'Earcy P. Davis, III |
| 1938 — Ruth L. Holzer | Ronald E. Hottle |
| 1939 — J. Hiram Zigler | 1971 — Hal Jackson, III |
| 1940 — Doris Woodie Cox | 1972 — Greg Geisert |
| 1941 — Aundria N. Wilson | 1973 — Glen Allen Draper |
| 1942 — William Hotchkiss | 1974 — Rick Claybrook |
| 1943 — | 1975 — Joseph A. Yamine |
| 1944 — John W. Martin | 1976 — Curtis B. Nolly |
| 1945 — Gene B. Johnson | 1977 — Elisabeth H. Ives |
| 1946 — Geraldine Z. Glick | 1978 — Hope Harmon Hickman |
| 1947 — Garner H. Downey | Greg E. Harper |
| 1948 — Ina M. Shank | 1979 — J. Patrick Budd |
| 1949 — Charles & Marilee Sackett | Suzanne Artz |
| 1950 — Bob & Margaret Faulkner Horn | 1980 — Debra Link Sheffer |
| 1951 — Guy F. Didawick | Jennifer Ernst |
| Carl McDaniels | 1981 — Jay Layton |
| 1952 — Robert G. Reeves | Becky Hill |
| 1953 — Helen W. Shickel | |



Guy F. Didawick, '51, from Plano, Texas, works on letters during Class Agent Signing.

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First Obenshain Scholars Selected

Three Bridgewater College history and political science majors have been selected the first recipients of the \$1,000 Richard D. Obenshain Memorial Scholarships.

James Clough, Stephan Milo and Robert Stolzman were chosen on the basis of academic achievement, political awareness, faculty recommendation and peer respect. All three recipients have expressed an interest in public service careers and plan to enter law school following their graduation from Bridgewater.

In his remarks at the Obenshain dinner, Gov. Mills E. Godwin, Jr., honorary chairman of the Obenshain Scholarship Fund, said, "The potential in the lives of these three young men is almost incalculable. With their background and education, equipped as they will be, it is a wonderful thing that is being done in the name of Richard Obenshain."

James Clough, a senior, is the son of

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Clough of Mineral, Va. and a member of the college debate team. James is a Dean's List student and a member of Alpha Chi and Lambda honor societies. He has worked as a counselor in the peer counseling program. He has earned recognition as a dependable and highly intelligent student and is respected by his peers and professors alike.

Stephan Milo, a junior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Milo of Lodi, N.J. A member of the Bridgewater football team, Steve has maintained a 3.8 academic average of a possible 4.0. This year, Steve will be serving an internship with a Harrisonburg law firm. During his sophomore interterm, he studied at the United Nations in New York City.

Robert Stolzman, a junior, is the son of Mrs. Norma Cassaday of Toms River, N.J. Rob has won numerous honors as a debater and as a sophomore was named the best speaker by the Virginia Forensic Association Tournament and the

Collegiate Forensic Association. He is a member of Sigma Delta Rho-Tau Kappa Alpha, the national honorary forensic society. Rob is the current campus president of the Young Republicans, the president of the class of 1983, and a member of the Student Senate executive committee. Rob worked in the Nathan Miller for Lieutenant Governor campaign and plans an internship with Senator John Warner in the spring.

The three recipients were presented their scholarships at the Obenshain dinner held in September.

Among those watching the presentation at the banquet were Obenshain's widow, Helen, who lives in Richmond and serves as Virginia's committeewoman on the Republican National Committee; the couple's three children, Mark, Anne Scott and Kate; and Obenshain's parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Obenshain of Blacksburg.



Mrs. Obenshain meets the first three recipients of the Richard D. Obenshain Memorial Scholarship. Left to right: Robert Stolzman, Stephan Milo, Mrs. Obenshain, James Clough and President Geisert.

Ellen Layman Heads Alumni Association

Ellen Layman, '65, has two major priorities for her term as Alumni Association president: to increase alumni participation in college events and to breathe some new life into alumni chapters.

Ellen sees the Alumni Association as the "link between the campus and the alumni." She feels that too many alumni fail to retain a kinship with the college after they get their diploma. "I think it's those we need to be in touch with to at least let them know what's available on campus."

Ellen and the members of the executive committee of the Alumni Board have been exploring ideas for drawing graduates back to campus generating enthusiasm about college-sponsored activities. The committee wants to get in touch with some of those alumni who have made a mark in the world in their professional area and invite them back to campus as either lecturers or leaders of small groups. Maybe they would like to sit around the lounge with students who plan to go into that profession, "batting around questions," she says. She also suggests a day or weekend of continuing education for alumni with other alumni as speakers.

Another major concern of both Ellen and the members of the executive committee is the dwindling of chapter memberships and the chapter activities. In some areas, she notes, chapters have become practically nonexistent. "They've gotten to the point that no one knows who the chapter officers are, and we need to develop some chapter cohesiveness, particularly in areas far away from campus."

The Washington area, she says, is doing a fairly good job; the Richmond area has had some meetings. "We'd like to encourage that because not everybody can take a weekend and drive all the way to Bridgewater."

She would like to do some traveling to distant chapter meetings, provided that they can be fitted into her schedule. "If there are weekend meetings, I would really like to get into some of their activities."

Ellen's daily schedule is a busy one. As assistant managing editor of Harrisonburg's *Daily News-Record* and an



In her role as a professional journalist, Ellen Layman, Alumni Association president, welcomes Lady Bird Johnson to a Virginia Press Women's conference.

adjunct member of the B.C. faculty, Ellen is always on the go.

Though she completed her bachelor's degree in home economics, Ellen has been a professional journalist since her graduation. She first became familiar with the newspaper offices while working on an honors project as a B.C. junior. Following her junior year, she accepted a summer job at the paper. "I would have taken anything other than to continue waiting tables," she laughs.

As a senior, Ellen loved the student teaching she did in preparation for her planned career in home economics, "but there was something that drew me back to the newspaper; I didn't even apply for a teaching job."

Ellen fully supports Bridgewater's liberal arts philosophy. She's convinced that a journalism degree isn't always a necessary prerequisite for being a good journalist. "I'd much rather have a young person coming on to our staff be a liberal arts person who's dabbled a little in this and that than to have someone

who's been so steadfastly pointed toward journalism." She believes that the broad liberal arts background is a great asset in the day-to-day production of a newspaper.

She describes herself as one who "would play tennis three times a day if I had the time." The rest of her time, she would be reading. Her time for tennis these days is limited. In addition to her newspaper career, she teaches a B.C. class in newswriting and editing four days a week. She also finds time to serve as a member of the Obenshain Scholarship Committee, a task she finds "exciting."

Ellen is energetic and enthusiastic when she talks about her *alma mater* and excited about the coming year of involvement in the leadership of the Alumni Association.

Ellen's fellow officers for 1981-82 are: President-Elect - Rick Claybrook, '74, Secretary - Robert Newlen, '75, and Past-President - Jack Heintzleman, '56.

Telecourses: New Idea in Adult Ed

Bridgewater College is involved in an innovative adult education program.

The college, in cooperation with WVPT-TV and the Public Broadcasting Service, began offering a series of telecourses this fall.

Telecourses consist of a series of televised lessons geared to adults who want to continue their education, but who may not have the opportunity to attend classes on campus.

President Geisert says of the program, "We're offering the student convenience. Bridgewater has a philosophy of offering quality in education, and we feel these courses meet our standards."

Nancy Clinedinst of Mt. Solon is enrolled in a psychology course. "I really like it; it's very interesting and I'm enjoying it," she says. "I need my job and I don't have time for full-time college. Besides," she adds, "I never thought going to college full-time was very enjoyable."

Nancy says she is taking the course for personal satisfaction. She has not decided yet if she will pursue a degree. For the present, she says, she is simply enjoying a psychology course and getting credit for it.

Frances Haga of Waynesboro says, "I think it's great! I'm 66 years old and retired four years ago. I thought when I saw the ad this would be the thing for me."

Mrs. Haga dislikes having to get up to go somewhere at a specific time and appreciates the freedom offered by a telecourse.

"My husband watches and enjoys the programs, too," she says. "He won't enroll—he just enjoys watching and then we talk about it. It's really been a fun thing for both of us."

Courses being offered during the fall semester are: American Government Survey, Understanding Human Behavior, Contemporary Health Issues, It's Everybody's Business and Humanities Through the Arts. Each course carries three hours of credit.

Some of these courses will be repeated during second semester which begins in January. A few new courses will be added to the program.

Lessons are broadcast on WVPT-TV

Saturday and are rebroadcast once during the week for those who missed a lecture or who wish to review a lecture. Video tapes of the programs may also be viewed at the college library.

In addition to the televised instructor, each course has an on-campus Bridgewater College instructor. These faculty members are available for office or telephone conferences with students. They meet with students during the initial orientation and registration and during two seminars each semester. The B.C. professor also prepares final examinations and determines grades.

The telecourse program was initiated to help Bridgewater meet growing needs in adult education. Director of Admissions Linda F. Glover says, "We're aware that there are many people who have the desire and the ability to study college-level courses, but employment and family commitments prohibit their attending regularly scheduled classes. This way, no one has to hire a baby sitter in order to take classes. It is certainly a valuable and worthwhile experience."

The program is well-suited to senior citizens as well as busy teachers seeking recertification, Mrs. Glover says.

Dr. Dale V. Ulrich, Dean of the College, notes a second advantage of the telecourses. "Adults are often hesitant to enter the competition of the traditional college classroom," he says. "Here they have the reassurance of being able to view a lesson as often as they like and to take extra time for examinations."

The Public Broadcasting Service began their telecourse program a few years ago and has found it to be a very successful concept in adult education. Bridgewater is the only college in the region offering the PBS telecourse curriculum, though other colleges are currently offering similar programs in several cities across the nation.

Anyone wishing more information about the telecourse program and the courses to be offered during second semester may call Mrs. Glover in the college Admissions Office. The cost of a three-hour credit course is \$195; textbooks average \$25-\$30 per course.

B.C. Shares VFIC Funds

Bridgewater, along with eleven other private Virginia colleges, has received a share of \$2,017,252 raised this year by the Virginia Foundation for Independent Colleges.

Bridgewater has received \$144,450 as its portion of the 1981 VFIC Fund. The portion each college receives is based on the average full-time undergraduate enrollment for the past five years.

The VFIC is a fund-raising organization established to benefit 12 major privately supported Virginia colleges. Contributions are received annually from business, industry and private sources. The VFIC is governed by a board made up of the presidents of the 12 member colleges and 35 businessmen.

In addition to Bridgewater, membership in the VFIC includes Emory and Henry, Hampden-Sydney, Hollins, Lynchburg, Mary Baldwin, Randolph-Macon and Randolph-Macon Women's College, University of Richmond, Roanoke, Sweet Briar and Washington and Lee.

Additions Made to Faculty and Staff

Several new faculty and staff members have joined Bridgewater College for the 1981-82 academic year.

Dr. Sarah E. Swank has joined the faculty as assistant professor of biology. Dr. Swank, a native of Harrisonburg, comes to Bridgewater from the University of Southern California, where she earned her Ph.D. degree. Her background includes studies in tropical ecology in Costa Rica at the Organization for Tropical Studies and a year of lecturing in European branches of the University of Maryland.

Grace F. Steinberg has joined the home economics department as assistant professor. Mrs. Steinberg, who was previously a member of the James Madison University faculty, earned her master's degree at the University of Missouri at Columbia.

John W. Cooper has been appointed interim instructor of philosophy and religion. Cooper replaces professor W. Steve Watson, Jr. for a two year period while Watson directs the Brethren Colleges Abroad program in Marburg, Germany.

Cooper earned his master's degree from Florida State University and is a

Ph.D. candidate at Syracuse University.

James N. Wright was appointed to the physical education department as instructor in physical education, director of swimming and track coach. Wright is completing the requirements for a master's degree at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Martha S. Armstrong, who has been serving as assistant director of financial aids, has joined the faculty as instructor in accounting and business administration. Mrs. Armstrong is completing her master's degree at the University of Virginia.

Naomi L. Mills joined the B.C. staff this summer as assistant director of swimming, director of internships, and women's tennis coach. Miss Mills holds a master of science degree from the University of Arizona.

In June, Dr. Harry Jopson retired after 43 years as an active faculty member. He has been named professor emeritus of biology.

Three 1981 Bridgewater graduates have also assumed staff positions. William J. Durham has become computer programmer and operator. Martha E. Beahm will be serving as the assistant

director of financial aids, and M. Alison Hockman will be working in the Alexander Mack Memorial Library as circulation clerk.

Eight new resident dormitory directors have been appointed to the student personnel staff.

Resident directors provide full-time counseling and support for the 100 to 170 students in their charge and act as the college's representatives in the residence halls. They work directly with the student leadership to promote a good atmosphere for living and learning within the residences.

Tracy Krause, who holds a degree in social work from JMU, is director in Blue Ridge. She is also working on her master's degree in social work.

Dennis Catron, director of Heritage Hall, graduated from Frostburg State University in Maryland with a degree in recreation.

Laurel Martin, director in Daleville Hall, has a degree in psychology from Eastern Mennonite College. She has worked with two Harrisonburg counseling agencies.

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New staff members get acquainted during a break from opening faculty meetings. Seated left to right are Jim Wright, Grace Steinberg, Naomi Mills, Martha Armstrong, and Sarah Swank. Standing are John Cooper, Bill Durham, Alison Hockman and Martha Beahm.



Computer Science Major Being Offered

Bridgewater College is offering a Computer Science and Mathematics major for the first time this year.

The major was added for a variety of reasons. Bridgewater has been preparing students for computer science careers for nearly 15 years, but students could not declare it as their major. Though they graduated with degrees in mathematics or physics, numerous B.C. alumni have successfully pursued careers in computer-related fields.

The college has the facilities for teaching computer science. The PRIME 550 computer installed in 1980 has terminals reserved for students. Bridgewater also has the qualified faculty for teaching the necessary courses.

Many young people who know they want a career rooted in mathematics turn to computer science, and greater demand has been placed upon colleges to provide this kind of career preparation. The college is now able to meet the growing needs of many high school graduates seeking a bachelor's degree.

The Bridgewater Computer Science and Mathematics major is a uniquely comprehensive program, offering liberal arts education coupled with technological career preparation. Those majoring in computer science receive the strong basis in mathematics which allows them to

apply their knowledge of the computer to many fields. The program emphasizes the diversity of application of the computer.

Professor John White has been named to head the new department. He earned a bachelor's degree in mathematics from Bridgewater and a master's in mathematical statistics from V.P.I. & S.U., where he began working with computers. White worked with the space program at Cape Kennedy and was one of the founders of a computer processing service.

Professor White explains that the liberal arts background provides students with a definite advantage in the computer science career. "They know more than just computer programming," he says. They're flexible and more able to adapt the computer to a variety of needs. They are able to be creative in the use of the computer." White feels that the graduates of a liberal arts program have more opportunities for career advancement.

Twenty of this year's freshmen have declared Computer Science and Mathematics their major, making it the third most popular major with the Class of 1985. Six sophomores have also decided that they will pursue degrees in the new curriculum.

Freshman Heather Ballard from Front Royal, Va., a computer science major, chose Bridgewater's program because she wanted the four-year college background that wasn't available to her at a school which taught only computer courses. Attracted to Bridgewater by its size and friendliness as well, Heather plans to begin her career as a programmer and "work my way up from there."

Heather says, "I like the fact that computer science and math are joined. I like math and feel that background will make me more qualified for other career fields."

Robert Daniels, a freshman from Bedford, Va., wants to write programs for a major company after he finishes his education. Though Robert says he isn't too fond of mathematics, he agrees with Heather that having a strong basis in math will be an asset to his career.

Professor White praises Bridgewater's decision to add computer science to the list of major fields. "You can't deny the impact that the computer has in our daily lives, and that impact becomes greater each day. Bridgewater's always been an institution committed to the future. We have an excellent program to offer, and there are lots of other benefits here too."

Student to Student Counseling Helps Freshmen Adjust

Freshmen arriving on the Bridgewater campus discover that a student-to-student counseling program is ready to help with their adjustment to college life.

According to Brian Hildebrand, Dean for Counseling, a student's first six weeks in college are crucial. During this time, says Hildebrand, study habits and social and academic attitudes are established. "There are new routines to learn, new study procedures to acquire and a whole new environment to adjust to. The Bridgewater student-to-student counseling program attempts to make this transition as smooth as possible."

Student-to-student counseling was begun at Bridgewater in 1974. The program involves using trained upperclass-

men as leaders of groups of freshmen, creating a positive atmosphere, locating potential problems and taking actions toward their solutions. The student counseling program was an adaptation of the student-to-student counseling concept set forth by Dr. William E. Brown of Southwest Texas University.

Bridgewater's program uses 40 or more student counseling groups composed of one or more counselors and 10 to 14 freshmen. Groups meet for three major sessions during the September orientation, and later establish their own schedule for future meetings.

Counselors are chosen during the spring term for the following year. Rising upperclassmen are selected after a

careful screening and interview process. Counselors must have good academic records, high personal values and behavior standards, maturity, judgment and common sense, a sense of responsibility and enthusiasm for college life. Training of the counselors begins in the spring when they meet to discuss the use of referral services, the group process and communication skills. The training is completed in September in a three-day workshop just prior to the arrival of the freshman class.

The training program stresses to the student counselors that they cannot be all things to all people; they are taught to recognize where their role ends and that of the trained professional begins.

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"On Broadway" Theme



Homecoming Queen Nancy Jo Mellinger of New Holland, Pa., smiles at her escort Holly Crockett, Student Senate President.



Herb Ferris checks his time as he crosses the finish line in the second annual "5-K" run.

Perfect weather and a large crowd of alumni and students made Bridgewater's 1981 Homecoming a special event for everyone.

The day's events began in the crisp early morning with the "5-K" run. Nearly 70 men and women registered for the three-mile race across campus and through the town of Bridgewater.

Tom Gross, with a time of 16:23, was the first runner to cross the finish line in front of Nininger Hall. He was followed by Steve Gardner in second place, and Jeff Heppard, third. Ruth Markey was the first woman to cross the finish line. Oldest participant was Herb Ferris, age 67; the youngest runner was Aaron Strickler, age 11.

At mid-morning, the Pinion Players and Curtain Club brunch honored Mrs. Hope Jopson. Mrs. Jopson had been the drama assistant at B.C. for 28 years before her retirement last June.

Two other receptions were held during the day. The home economics department hosted a reception for returning alumni in Moomaw Hall. A reception for all alumni was held on the lawn in the afternoon following the football game.

"On Broadway" was the theme for many activities and for the parade held at noon. Floats, constructed earlier in the week by the students, carried along the parade route characters from "All That Jazz," "Godspell," "Annie," "West Side Story," "The Wiz" and other Broadway shows.

On the football field the Eagles met the Quakers of Guilford College from Greensboro, N.C. The game ended in a 27 to 7 defeat for the Eagles.

At halftime, the Homecoming Court was presented. Nancy Jo Mellinger reigned as queen of the festivities. She is a senior sociology major and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Mellinger of New Holland, Pa. Escorting the queen was Holly Ray Crockett, a senior majoring in history and political science. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Crockett of Orange, Va.

Representing the senior class were Lavonne Coffman and Burton A. Young, Jr. Miss Coffman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Coffman of New Windsor, Md. Young is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Young, Sr. of Hagerstown, Md.

Junior class representatives were Stacy Moren and Robert Stolzman. Miss Moren's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James H. Moren of Springfield, Va. Stolzman is the son of Mrs. Norma Cassaday of Toms River, N.J.

Representatives for the sophomores were Tamara Zeyher and David Ridpath. Miss Zeyher is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David F. Zeyher of Annapolis, Md. Ridpath is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benny C. Ridpath of Radford, Va.

Cindy Meadows and Craig Brown represented the freshman class. Miss Meadows is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Meadows of Sterling, Va. Brown is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry L. Brown of Morris Plains, N.J.

Reunion dinners were held in the evening for the classes of '61, '66, '71, '76 and '80. Following dinner, they were entertained at a concert presented by the college's musical groups.

for Homecoming 1981



B.C. version of a hit Broadway show, "The Wiz," rides a float.



The parade heads down College Street.



The Eagles made a valiant effort against the Quakers from Guilford College, but lost the game 27-7.

Volleyball at B.C. Has Winning Tradition

In 1979 the women's volleyball squad finished second in the state. In 1980, they again placed second in the state, but carried the competition a bit further with a regional berth. Should the trend continue, Coach Mary Frances Heishman's '81 team may fare rather well.

The nucleus of the '81 team consists of experienced players who spent last year playing junior varsity. Several key players were lost from last year's team due to graduation or transfer. Seven players had 5'9" height or better in '80; only five have between 5'8" and 5'9" height this year. Top returners include seniors Lynn Horan, Carol Moore, Karen Jones, Lisa Foster, Elizabeth Parsons and junior Leslie Linthicum.

A top newcomer is Pam Rhodes, a

graduate of local Turner Ashby High School. Miss Rhodes stands 5'8" and plans to play collegiate basketball this winter.

The women will face 19 regular season foes before the state tournament which will be hosted by Radford University Nov. 13 and 14.

Last year's state runners-up finished with 19 wins and 11 losses.

Cross Country Opens With New Coach

The most startling difference between this fall's cross country team and last

fall's team is not the roster but the coach. Replacing the retired "Doc" Jopson is Jim Wright, a 1974 graduate of Virginia Tech.

Only one new face appears among the list of 10 men who will be running for the Eagles this year. Leading the pack of returners are captain Tom Gross and sophomore Terry Lenny. Gross, a junior, from Covington, Va., is in his third year running. Lenny comes to B.C. from Winter Haven, Fla. Also returning are senior Warren Turpin, juniors Lynn Dyer, Pete Crouse, Phil Ammerman, Kurt Ritchie and sophomores Jim Nichols and Neil Hayslett. Freshman Mac Edelen is the only newcomer.

Three women will be running cross country this year. They are seniors Ruthie Griffin, Jane Whitlock and freshman Meg Wagner.

Six meets are scheduled for the '81 season. On Nov. 7 the Eagles will host the ODAC Championship.

Sports Schedule — Fall 1981

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Date	Opponent	Place
Fri., Dec. 4	Jaycees Doubleheader EMC vs. Catholic Univ.	Home
Sat., Dec. 5	Bridgewater vs. Va. Wesleyan EMC vs. Va. Wesleyan	Home
Tues., Dec. 8	Shenandoah	Home
Fri., Dec. 11	Wild Goose Tournament	Away
Sat., Dec. 12	at Washington	
Tues., Dec. 15	Allegheny	Home
Fri., Dec. 18	Hampden Sydney*	Away
Wed., Jan. 6	Roanoke*	Home
Fri., Jan. 8	Va. Wesleyan	Away
Sat., Jan. 9	Christopher Newport (2:00 p.m.)	Away
Tues., Jan. 12	EMC*	Away
Thurs., Jan. 14	Dickinson	Home
Sat., Jan. 16	W & L*	Home
Tue., Jan. 19	Lynchburg*	Away
Thurs., Jan. 21	Shenandoah	Away
Sat., Jan. 23	Emory & Henry*	Home
Mon., Jan. 25	Western Maryland	Away
Fri., Jan. 29	Maryville*	Home
Sat., Jan. 30	Roanoke*	Away
Tues., Feb. 2	Hampden Sydney*	Home
Sat., Feb. 6	EMC*	Home
Tues., Feb. 9	W & L*	Away
Sat., Feb. 13	Lynchburg*	Home
Fri., Feb. 19	Emory & Henry*	Away
Sat., Feb. 20	Maryville*	Away
Thurs.-Sat. Feb. 25-27	ODAC Tournament at Salem Civic Center	

ODAC Conference Games Home Games 7:30 p.m.
Coaches — Melvin Myers, Head
Carlyle Whitelow, Asst.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Date	Opponent	Time
Fri., Dec. 4	Elizabethtown College	
Sat., Dec. 5	Tournament	
Tues., Dec. 8	Mary Baldwin	7:00 p.m.
Fri., Dec. 11*	BC - EMC Invitational (Maryville College)	
Sat., Dec. 12	BC - EMC Invitational (Shepherd College)	EMC
Mon., Dec. 14	Hollins**	7:00 p.m.
Wed., Dec. 16*	Radford	7:00 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 9*	Roanoke**	2:00 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 12	Randolph-Macon**	7:00 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 16*	Liberty Baptist	2:00 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 19*	Mary Washington	7:00 p.m.
Thurs., Jan. 21	Randolph-Macon Women's	7:00 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 23	Ferrum**	2:00 p.m.
Tues., Jan. 26	EMC**	7:00 p.m.
Fri., Jan. 29*	Clinch Valley**	6:00 p.m.
Sat., Jan. 30*	Emory and Henry**	2:00 p.m.
Tues., Feb. 2*	Christopher Newport	6:00 p.m.
Wed., Feb. 3*	Longwood	7:00 p.m.
Fri., Feb. 5*	Wm. & Mary	7:00 p.m.
Tues., Feb. 9*	Lynchburg**	7:00 p.m.
Sat., Feb. 20	Va. Wesleyan	3:00 p.m.
Tues., Feb. 23	Messiah	7:00 p.m.
Sat., Feb. 27*	Univ. of Richmond	2:00 p.m.
Tue., Mar. 2	VAIAW State Tournament (First Round)	Higher Seed
Fri.-Sat. Mar. 5-6	VAIAW State Tournament (Final Four)	Randolph Macon
*Home Games	**Conference Games	
Coach — Laura Mapp		

FOOTBALL

Date	Opponent	Place
Oct. 31	W & L*	Away
Nov. 7	Randolph-Macon*	Away
Nov. 14	Catholic Univ.	Home

*ODAC Game Game begins at 1:30 p.m.

Coaches — John Spencer, Head
Carlyle Whitelow, Asst.
James Hulvey, Asst.

VOLLEYBALL

Date	Opponent	Time
Thurs., Oct. 29*	EMC	6:00 p.m.
Tues., Nov. 3	Roanoke	
Fri.-Sat.	Hollins	
Nov. 13-14	VAIAW State Tournament Radford	
Fri.-Sat.		
Nov. 20-21	AIAW Region II Tournament	

*Home Games
Coach — Mary Frances Heishman

FIELD HOCKEY

Date	Opponent
Fri.-Sat.	VAIAW State Tournament
Oct. 30-31	Bridgewater & EMC
Fri.-Sat.	
Nov. 6-7	AIAW Region II Tournament
Wed.-Sat.	
Nov. 18-21	AIAW National Tournament
Coach — Laura Mapp	

CROSS COUNTRY

Date	Opponent	Place
Oct. 31	Mary Washington	Away
Nov. 7	ODAC	Home
Nov. 14	NCAA Div. III Regionals at Knoxville if qualified	
Nov. 21	NCAA Championships, Div. III	
Coach — Jim Wright		

Long Season May Await '81 Football

The defending Old Dominion Athletic Conference Champion Eagles have had little offensive punch in 1981. After playing three contests, all on the road, the Eagles have scored 15 points while allowing 72. The results; one win against two defeats.

B.C. opened its season with a 13-12 edging over St. Paul's College in Lawrenceville, Va. A pair of touchdown runs by senior tailback Rod Johnson highlighted the victory. Going back to the 1980 season, the win was the fifth in succession, all by three or less points.

The Fighting Scots of Maryville hosted the Eagles the following Saturday. The Scots found revenge for last year's 24-0 loss to B.C. Three Scot quarter-

backs constructed an aerial attack that covered 500 yards as the Scots routed B.C. 40-2.

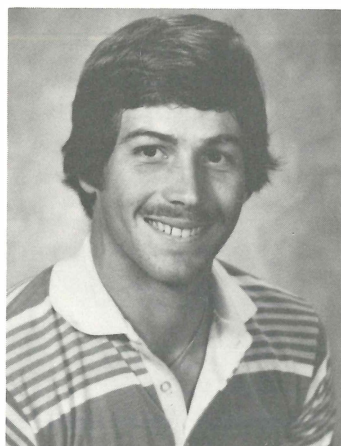
Where the Scots used the air, the Tigers of Hampden-Sydney remained on the ground. The Tigers used the conference's leading rusher, Tim Jones, 32 times for 122 yards while shutting out the Eagles 20-0.

"We have good drives," said Jr. quarterback Ken Snyder of Baltimore, Md. "Against Hampden-Sydney we drove 89 yards before stalling. We just can't seem to get into the end zone."

Should the dry spell continue the Eagles may have a long season ahead of them.

Puckett: B.C.'s All-American

Mark Puckett



Bridgewater senior Mark Puckett, one of the college's most outstanding baseball players, was named NCAA Division III third team All-American at the end of the '81 season. Mark, a versatile first baseman has set numerous school records in his career at Bridgewater.

He holds the college record of 6 home runs in a single season. His batting average of .465 with 39 RBIs in 27 games is also a school record. In addition to his All-American honors, Mark was named an All-ODAC player and the 1981 ODAC Player of the Year. He ranked eighth in the NCAA Division III batting.

Mark transferred to B.C. from North Carolina Wesleyan College during his

freshman year because, he says, "I found out Bridgewater had a strong baseball program." He adds that he was also influenced by his sister, Audrey, who kept stats for the B.C. team. "She convinced me I should look into it," he says.

Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey G. Puckett of Keysville, Va. He graduated in 1978 from Prince Edward Academy where he played football and basketball in addition to baseball.

"I started Midget League baseball when I was 7 years old," Mark says, "and I've been at it ever since."

Dr. Thomas M. Kinder, Director of Athletics and coach of the B.C. baseball team, says, "Mark had a super last year. He worked very hard for it." Kinder says he's sure Mark will have another great season this year.

He's a fine young man," Kinder says, "and we're pleased the honors have come his way."

Mark, a health and physical education major, says he wants to teach P.E. and coach baseball on a college or high school level, but Coach Kinder adds, "The pros have expressed an interest in his furthering his career as a baseball player after graduation."

Both Mark and his coach are looking forward to the 1982 season, when Mark will have the opportunity to try to break some of his own records.

Field Hockey Defends Crown

Matching 1980's performance of 14 wins, four losses and one tie will be a challenging task for the '81 field hockey squad. The potential for meeting the challenge is held by 12 players returning from last year's VAIAW Division III State Champions.

Heading the list of returners are juniors Peggy Kidd and Terry Cox. Miss Kidd, a forward from Oneida, N.Y. was second in scoring for the Eagles in '80 with 17 goals. Miss Cox, a goalie from Greenville, Va., recorded five shutouts in last year's post-season play and was named to the State Tournament Team.

Also returning are senior captains Nancy Mellinger of New Holland, Pa., and Beth Turrentine of Fairfax, Va.

Coach Laura Mapp's schedule includes 14 regular season opponents with seven home and seven away games. The women handily defeated their first two opponents of the season; 12-0 over Averett and 2-0 over Virginia Commonwealth.

Bridgewater will co-host the VAIAW State Tournament along with Eastern Mennonite College on Friday and Saturday Oct. 30-31. All games played on the 31st will be at B.C. Eight teams will compete in the tournament with the championship slated for 3 p.m. Saturday.



Senior co-captain Nancy Mellinger from New Holland, Pennsylvania plays halfback for the Eagles in field hockey.

First Century Completion Fund Surpasses \$8 Million Goal

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endowment expansion, faculty salaries, scholarships, debt retirement and other ongoing educational expenses.

Many necessary capital improvements have come about as a result of the 8 x '80 program.

Portions of the campus heat distribution system have been remodeled and improved to ensure adequacy for present and future needs.

New equipment has been purchased to support and enrich the educational program. The major purchase was the Prime 550 computer which was installed in the summer of 1980. Additional audio-visual and duplicating equipment was also purchased.

Cole and Yount Halls have been renovated and improved. New seats and the Moeller pipe organ were installed in Cole Hall. Major renovations converted Yount from a residence hall into classrooms and offices for admissions, financial aid and career planning, and the language division.

The major new construction financed by the First Century Completion Fund was the new swimming pool addition to the gymnasium. Nininger Hall—Health and Physical Education Center, completed in the fall of 1980, was dedicated at commencement and was named in honor of Dr. and Mrs. R. Douglas Nininger, the late B. F. Nininger, and the larger Nininger family. The facility houses classrooms and dressing rooms as well as the swimming pool.

Earlier, improvements were made to Jopson Field and to the tennis courts. Fences were installed or replaced and the track and tennis courts were resurfaced.

Some of the funds committed through estates will eventually be directed to the college's endowment fund, helping to ensure the institution's future security.

Garland Miller, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, noted that the Trustees themselves were instrumental in Bridgewater's meeting this goal. "They

not only worked hard to make others aware of Bridgewater's needs, they gave unstintingly of their own resources," he said. Miller reported that the Trustees contributed \$2,327,666 to the 8 x '80 effort.

The sources of the funds raised for The First Century Completion Fund are:

Alumni	\$3,557,694
Parents	369,608
Friends	2,092,582
Foundations and businesses	1,741,079
Churches	462,114

The final year of the development campaign coincided with Bridgewater's year-long centennial celebration. President Geisert said, "There can be no more fitting tribute to Bridgewater College in its centennial year. The successful completion of this \$8 million program is a fine endorsement of the college and one which will help ensure that Bridgewater will move with strength into the future."

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B.C. Faculty-Staff Additions for '81-'82

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Terry Rowles is working in the new men's residence, Wakeman Hall. Rowles is a graduate of Radford University where he was a resident adviser for three years.

Mark Stancampiano, director for Wright Hall, graduated from Geneseo State University in New York, where he

was a resident adviser for three years. He was assistant resident director at Miami University of Ohio before coming to Bridgewater.

April Van Ness, who has a degree in psychology from Alderson-Broaddus College in Philippi, W. Va., is in Dillon Hall.

Two substitutes have also been named to the staff of resident directors. Sally Skeeters, a graduate of Bethel College in Mishawaka, Ind., has experience as a career counselor. Donald Remnant, who has worked as a youth counselor and director, is a graduate of Wright State in Dayton, Ohio.

CLASS NOTES

20's

William L. Jones, '22, now 81 years old, is retired on his farm in Grandview, Tenn. After graduation from Daleville, he attended East Radford and Harrisburg State. He taught school for 17 years. For 19 years, he worked in the Oak Ridge Gaseous Diffusing Plant, retiring in 1963.

30's

Rev. Galen D. Wine, '30 and **Reba Hartman Wine**, '36 were honored with an Appreciation Sunday at Shelton Church and presented with a love gift. The Wines are living in Mt. Airy, N.C.

Pearle Miller MacPhail, '31, is residing at the Bridgewater Home in Bridgewater, Virginia.

Christine, '33, and **John Watt**, '30, now semi-retired, are enjoying the comforts and pleasures of their Timber Ridge Fruit Farm. The changing seasons and the annual growing, harvesting and packing of peaches and apples are of special interest to them.

The widow of **Robert Lee Byrd**, '35, Doris A. Byrd, has edited his autobiography, *The Trumpet Sounds*. The book has been recently published by the Brethren Press.

Jason Hollopeter, '36, sends word that Harold and Helen Eaton are living at Apt. 40, Division Street in Flora, Ind. Harold Eaton taught science at Blue Ridge College in the 30's.

Katherine Young Mackley, '36, is serving on the Central Committee of the On Earth Peace Assembly of the Church of the Brethren. Katherine and her husband, Meredith, are living in Frederick, Md.

Leslie O. Shirley, '37, has retired after preaching 47 years. He is now living near Tampa, Florida.

40's

Eva Kindig Appl, '40, has retired from teaching after a career of 22 years. Mrs. Appl is living in Waynesboro, Va.

Warren B. Crummett, '43, Dow research scientist and technical manager in the Dow Chemical U. S. A. Michigan Division Analytical Laboratory, has been elected chairman-elect of the Division of Analytical Chemistry of the American Chemical Society. His term began October 1 and means automatic assumption of the chairmanship of the division for the year beginning in October, 1982.

Garnett Phibbs, '43, was the recipient of an award from L.A. Family Service for 2 years as co-founding volunteer of "Warm Line" for hurting and divorcing families. Garnett also received an honorary Life Membership in Parents Without Partners, Santa Monica, for 10 years volunteer leadership. These awards were presented in May, 1981.

50's

Harry Gardner, '50, has been appointed special assistant and senior adviser to Secretary of Education, T. H. Bell, in the U. S. Department of Education. Dr. Gardner resides in Arlington, Va.

John T. Glick, Jr., '50, left July 12 for a two month tour of Volunteer Service in Somalia to help provide medical care for refugees living in camps as a result of the war between Ethiopia and Somalia. Dr. Glick is a family physician in Broadway, Virginia.

Carl McDaniels, '51, has published a revised edition of "Finding Your First Job." The original edition was published in 1975 and has been widely used throughout the United States. Carl is professor of counseling and student personnel at V.P.I. & S.U. in Blacksburg.

Dr. Thomas E. Wagner, '51, a dentist in Maryland, has been joined in the profession by his daughter, Julia, who graduated from Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, University of Maryland, class of '80. Dr. and Mrs. Wagner are living in Mechanicsville, Md.

Otis D. Kitchen, '53, associate professor of music at Elizabethtown College, has been appointed musical director and band conductor for the All-American Youth Honors Musicians during their tour of Spain in the summer of 1982. He was conductor this past summer for the band on its tour of Portugal.

Wayne L. Smith, '57, Senior Vice President of Exchange Bank of Polk County, Winter Haven, Florida, is listed in the 1981-82 *Who's Who in American Finance and Industry* and *Who's Who in Florida*.

Dr. Dale L. Wampler, '57, received the 14th annual Beachley Distinguished Professor Award at Juniata College. The award is made on the basis of contributions to the development of the academic department and the college, teaching effectiveness, scholarly activities and service beyond the campus. Dr. Wampler has been a professor of chemistry at Juniata since 1961.

Joseph I. Cline, '58, has been promoted to the newly-created position of director of risk management and insurance operations for Republic Steel Corporation, Cleveland, Ohio. He is responsible for the policy and direction of corporate risk management activities and

for the operations of Republic's insurance brokerage and underwriting subsidiaries.

James W. Moyers, Jr., '58, has been awarded the degree of Doctor of Education by Nova University in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

60's

Allegra Haldeman Hess, '60, serves part-time on the faculty of Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois. Miss Hess is living in West Chicago.

Rev. Don Jordan, '60, spent the month of July in Mexico on sabbatical studying Latin American culture and theology with his family. Rev. Jordan is living in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Carroll V. Butler, '62, has been appointed branch manager with Federal Pacific Electric Co. in the State of Virginia. Federal Pacific manufactures electrical distribution equipment. Carroll also holds the rank of Commander in the Navy Reserve and is the commanding officer of a Naval Reserve unit in Richmond, Va.

Barbara J. Scruggs, '62, is presently Assistant Professor of Textiles and Clothing in the College of Human Science and Services at the University of Rhode Island in Kingston, R.I. Dr. Scruggs is living in Narragansett, R.I.

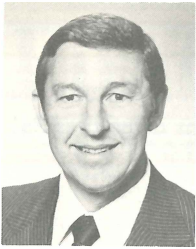
Stewart C. LeNeave, Jr., '63, has been serving as campus minister at East Carolina University for the past five years. Stewart received the Doctor of Ministry degree from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond this past May. Dr. LeNeave is married to Mary Jane Scurlock and they have two boys, Kevin and Cory. The LeNeave family is residing in Greenville, North Carolina.

Ann Earhart Gible, '64, received her Master of Science in Counseling from Shippensburg State College in May, 1981.

Yvonne Kauffman, '66, assistant professor of physical education and women's athletic coach at Elizabethtown College in Pennsylvania, coached teams to national recognition in three sports—tennis, field hockey, and basketball—in 1980-81. She was named Coach of the Year in the Eastern Division of the Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women *Newsletter*.

Janice Meineke Griffin, '67, has recently been promoted to a Programmer-II at the University of Maryland Professional Schools Computer Center. Janice and her husband, James, are living in Baltimore.

Kathleen Rhoad Walker, '68, is presently employed as a Student Development Specialist/Counselor at the newest campus of Broward Community College, Pembroke Pines, Florida. Mrs. Walker is living in Fort Lauderdale.



J. I. Cline, '58



George Tulli, Jr. '72

John W. Pifer, Jr., '69, is employed with Republic Airlines as manager-marketing and automation services. He is living in Minneapolis, Minn.

70's

Marianne May Sheinman, '70, is working in the Education Department of the American Chemical Society. Marianne is living in Silver Spring, Md.

June Hamblin Shipplett, '70, is teaching elementary school in Augusta County. June is living in Staunton with her husband, Eric, and two children; Paul, age 6, and Sarah, age 1.

David E. Annin, '71, led a group of nursing and pre-med students to Port-au-Prince, Haiti, this past winter, to help the Missionaries of Charity provide health care to the poor. Capt. Annin resides in Greencastle, Indiana.

Marshall L. Flora, Jr., '71 has been named Supervisor of Special Education for Franklin County. Marshall, his wife **Gay**, '73 and their two children live in Boones Mill, Virginia.

Joan Gaither LaClair, '71, received a Master of Music degree from the School for the Arts at Boston University in May, 1981. Joan was also elected to Pi Kappa Lambda, the honorary music society. She is currently teaching piano, organ, and guitar in her private studio. Joan, her husband, Donald, and son, Scott are living in Boxford, Ma.

Ann Trobaugh Tulloh, '71, has received a master's degree in early childhood education from the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. Mrs. Tulloh teaches at Mooresville, N.C.

Joanne Barron, '72, received the Public Health Service Achievement Medal in May for technical, administrative and leadership contributions towards the fulfillment of FDA regulatory programs. Joanne is living in Poolesville, Md.

George Tulli, Jr., '72, is the administrator of the Capstone Medical Center, the ambulatory health care clinic for the residency training program for the University of Alabama School of Medicine. He and his wife, **Barbara Ikenberry Tulli**, '72, have two sons and a daughter.

Charles W. Dull, '73, has been living in Georgia with his family for the past 5 years. He has a son Erik, 1-year old.

Brent M. Holl, '73, is teaching a graduate class in music in the Continuing Education program for James Madison University. Brent is also teaching in Augusta County public schools.

Murray Justin Thompson, '73, is a special agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Baltimore Division. Murray married Marcey Lynn Kaufman in Sept. 1979, and she is a secretary with Union Memorial Hospital in Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are living in Centreville, Md.

Jeffrey Paul Heppard, '74, graduated from Rutgers-Camden School of Law in May, 1981, and will be employed as a judicial clerk in the Atlantic County Superior Court, Atlantic City, New Jersey in September. Jeffrey and his wife, Judith, are living in Clementon, NJ.

Stephen O. Mason, '74, has been selected as one of the Outstanding Young Men of America for 1981. The criteria for selection include voluntary service to community, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments and civic and political participation. Steve is currently Director of Student Life at Roger Williams College, Bristol, Rhode Island.

Susan Steward Dupuis, '75, is a wine sales person from Lynchburg, Va. Her husband, Paul, manages a restaurant in Lynchburg called "T. C. Trotter's" and they have a daughter, Taylor Elizabeth, 5 years old.

Allen Schwender, '75, has recently taken the position of Comptroller for MacKenzie & Associates Real Estate Developers of Lutherville, Maryland. Allen and his wife, Kathy, reside in Parkville, Md.

Betty Karol Fairchilds Wilson, '75, is director of music at St. Paul United Methodist Church in Abilene, Texas. Her husband **Charles Wilson**, '74, is in private practice of geriatric physical therapy in Abilene.

Jo A. Ebling-Smith, '76, is working at Bonnie View Country Club in Baltimore County, Md. as a food cost analyst and reprographics technician.

Mari L. Moore, '77, is the assistant field hockey and lacrosse coach at the University of Virginia in Charlottesville.

Margarita S. Rice, '77, is working toward a degree in Human Services at Elon College in North Carolina. Margarita is living in Burlington, NC.

Stephen H. Simpson, '77, has been promoted from Charter Manager to Charter Manager/Operations Manager at Park Charter and Tours of Parkersburg, W.Va.

F. Virgil Smyer, Jr., '77, has been promoted to audit officer with Central Fidelity Banks, Inc. in Richmond. Smyer joined CFB in May 1979, as a senior staff auditor after working with S. B. Hoover and Co. in Harrisonburg.

Richard L. Binns, '78, has been inducted into Alpha Omega Alpha, the national medical honor society. He is currently a fourth year student at the University of Virginia School of Medicine. **Judy Byrd Binns**, '79, is a Programmer/Analyst in Systems and Data Processing at Morton Frozen Foods in Charlottesville. Mr. and Mrs. Binns are living in Charlottesville.

Ed Gibbs and **Les West**, both '78, roller skated over 500 miles while participating in a marathon to raise money to buy skates for underprivileged children in Richmond, Va.

Robert R. Miller, '79 will begin one year of internship as Interim Campus Minister at Juniata College in Pennsylvania in September.

Vernon W. Ulrich and **Pamela Crouse Ulrich**, both '79, are now located in Downingtown, Pa. Vernon is an engineer with QYX Typewriter Division of Exxon Office Systems.

80's

Doris Craig, '80, is a chemist with Virginia Poultry Industry Laboratory in Harrisonburg. Doris is also taking courses at James Madison University in the nursing program. Doris is living in Harrisonburg.

Anita Layman, '80, is working as an employment security interviewer with the Virginia Employment Commission in Manassas, Va. She is active in Young Adult Fellowship, and recently acted and sang in a youth musical drama. Anita is a fill-in worship coordinator and substitute preacher.

Larry Mullins, '80, won a third prize in drawing and an honorable mention in painting for his entries in the 15th annual Staunton Fine Arts Association Outdoor Show.

Debbie Link Sheffer, '80, won a second place award in oils and acrylics at the 15th annual Staunton Fine Arts Association Outdoor Show in May.

Michael E. Switzer, '80, is the music teacher and band director for the Monroe County Schools in West Virginia. Michael plans to work on his master's program at night while teaching.

Clois Walton, '80, has finished her missions-teaching job in El Paso, Texas. Clois is employed in a fashion store for children and women called "Western 'n' Wayne" and she is living in Chestertown, Md.

John W. "Ricky" Falls, '81 is employed with the Campbell County School Board at Altavista High School. Ricky is the in-school suspension teacher and is helping to coach football, basketball and tennis.

Robert Lee Morris, III, '81, is serving as Youth Minister of the Orlando Community Church of the Brethren through December. Robert will begin studying at Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Ill. after December. He is currently living in Orlando, Florida.

WEDDING BELLS

Susan Frantz Segar, '64, married Olin Thomas Clark on May 23, 1981, at the Washington City Church of the Brethren. Mr. and Mrs. Clark are living in Wilmington, Delaware, where Tom is an engineer with E. I. DuPont.

Patricia K. Manlove, '68, married Merrill Alderfer on June 27, 1981 in Seaford, Delaware. Patricia is the circulation supervisor at the Ursinus College Library in Collegeville, Pa. Merrill is a machinist with U.S. Gauge. Mr. and Mrs. Alderfer are residing in Lansdale, Pa.

Bruce Jones, '74, and **Cindy Forbes**, '76, were married March 21, 1981. Bruce works as service manager for G. J. Hopkins of Roanoke and Cindy teaches second grade for the Roanoke County School system. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are living in Roanoke.

Perry A. Lovelace, '77, married Derenda A. Farmer April 4, 1981. The couple is living in Richmond, Va.

Tom H. Dale, '78, married Karen Margaret Hazlewood on Aug. 29, 1981 at the Oakton Church of the Brethren. Tom works weekdays for the Dept. of Army at the Pentagon as an operations research analyst and evenings and weekends for the Genasys Corp., in Rockville, Md., where he runs the finance and accounting system on computer. He also serves on the Church Board of the Oakton Church and takes graduate courses at American University. Karen is a sophomore at George Washington University majoring in biology. The couple resides in Alexandria, Va.

Jennifer Anne Southers, '78, married Lewis Maxwell Bocoock, Jr. on Sept. 12, 1981 at Central United Methodist Church in Staunton. Jennifer is manager of Wholesale Division of

Southers' Greenhouses, Inc. Lewis is self-employed as a building contractor. Mr. and Mrs. Bockoc are living in Mint Spring, Va.

Patrick M. Domeier and **Karen K. Meekins**, both '79, were married on June 20, 1981 at St. James Episcopal Church in Lothian, Maryland.

Corrine Cynthia Clark, '80, married Amos Michael Snyder on June 13, 1981 at Lexington Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder are living in Fairfield, Va.

Kathryn R. Jensen, '80, **Keith P. Stevens** '81, were married on June 20, 1981. Keith is a supervisor of Hechinger's and Kathy is employed with Fairfax County Schools. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens live in Fairfax, Va.

Carolyn L. Phillips, '80, married Donald A. Erbaugh on June 27, 1981 in Swarthmore, Pa. Carolyn is a physical education and health teacher and coach in the Rockingham County Schools. Don is a certified public accountant for Keeler, Phibbs, and Co. in Harrisonburg, where they are living.

Mary C. Slusher, '80, married Frank L. Mams on Aug. 8, 1981. Mary is employed as a medical technologist at Monongalia General Hospital in Morgantown, and Frank is attending dental school. Mr. and Mrs. Mams are living in Morgantown, West Virginia.

Ernest C. Custalow, Jr., '81 and **Mary Lynn Huston**, '79, were married June 20, 1981, at Church in the Valley near Lake Shenandoah. Ernest is employed with the Page County School board, teaching French at Luray High School and coaching J.V. girls' basketball. Mary is a book keeper at the Salvation Army in Harrisonburg. Mr. and Mrs. Custalow are residing in Dayton, Virginia.

Judy Ann Miller, '81, married David Charles Rees at Bridgewater Presbyterian Church on June 20, 1981. Mr. and Mrs. Rees are living in Harrisonburg.

Nancy Lynn Taylor, '81, married William Randolph Sorrells, Jr. on August 1, 1981 at Emmanuel Episcopal Church. Mr. and Mrs. Sorrells are residing in Staunton.

FUTURE EAGLES

John A. Baden, III, '67, and Nancy, a son, Matthew Charles, born on June 20, 1981. The Badens have two other children and are living in Wilmington, North Carolina.

Janice Caldwell Miller, '68, and Michael, a son, Robert Charles, born Sept. 13, 1981. "Robbie" has a brother, Jeff, age 11. The Millers are living in Cannelton, Indiana.

James H. and Janice Ausherman Walsh, both '68, a daughter. Courtney Alison, born October 8, 1980. James and Janice also have a daughter, Tracy Elizabeth, age 4. The Walsh family is living in Richmond, Virginia.

Jeffrey C. LeDoux, '69, and Suzanne, a daughter, Marian Renee, born May 8, 1981. The LeDoux family is living in New Orleans, La.

Randal M. and Jane Arnold Bradshaw, both '70, a daughter, Laurene Elizabeth, born April 17, 1980. Dr. Bradshaw recently opened his own veterinarian practice in Lynchburg. The Bradshaws are living in Forest, Virginia.

Ted and Mary Beth Myers Flory, both '70, a daughter, Jolene Elizabeth, born June 21, 1981. The Florys also have two sons, Brian, age 7½ and Kevin, age 3½. Ted is an assistant professor in computer science at Bridgewater College and is manager of the computer center. Mary Beth teaches private piano lessons at home and is pianist at the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren.

Larry J. Grossnickle, '71, and Muriel, a son, Andrew Peter, born October 15, 1980. They also have a daughter, Carolyn Michelle, 3 years old. The Grossnickles are living in Middletown, Maryland.

Raymond R. Ritchie, Jr., '71, and Joanne, a son, Jason Ryan, born March 30, 1981. The Ritchies are living in the Harrisonburg area.

Douglas W. Fears, '72, and Robina, a daughter, Kendall Blair, born May 29, 1981. The Fears are living in Gordonsville, Virginia.

Stephen Berry Wampler, '72, and Lorraine C., a son, Kevin John, born June 11, 1981. They are residing in Tucson, Arizona.

Jacqueline Baird Fiala, '73, and James E., a son, Bradley James, born January 24, 1981. Jacqueline and her family are living in Green Village, New Jersey.

Marshall L. Flora, Jr., '71 and **Gay Bunting Flora**, '73, a daughter, Megan Leigh, born May 24, 1981. Marshall and Gay also have a two-year son, Adam.

Carolyn Godfrey Altizer, '77, and James, a daughter, Jennifer Laura, born May 29, 1981. Carolyn and James live in Clifton Forge, Va., and teach school for Clifton Forge City Schools.

Sue Burkholder Garst, '77, and Fred M., a son, Matthew Marshall, born July 4, 1981. The Garsts live in Chester, Virginia, where Fred works as a geologist.

Merlin T. Reish, '77, and **Martha Teets Reish**, '78, a son, Micah Edwin, born March 31, 1981. The Reish family is living in the Harrisonburg area.

Mark B. Bowser, '79, and **Christine Munn Bowser**, '77, a daughter, Heather Christine Bowser, born November 2, 1980. The Bowsers are living in Bridgewater.

IN MEMORIAM

Valerie Good Ney, '09, Aug. 11, 1981, at Camelot Hall Nursing Home, where she had lived 2½ years. Mrs. Ney had lived in Harrisonburg 65 years.

Dr. J. Paul Glick, '21, in May 1981, in Waynesboro, Virginia.

Bessie Arnold Holsinger, '21, on May 29, 1981 in Keyser, West Virginia. Mrs. Holsinger was a member of Beaver Run Church of the Brethren, where she taught Sunday school and sang in the church choir. She also was a former Mineral County schoolteacher and a member of the Mineral County Senior Citizens.

Surviving are her husband, the **Rev. A. S. A. Holsinger**, '20, of Burlington, two foster sons, **Robert F. Riffle**, '56, of Burlington and John Nabors of Antioch; five grandchildren; and seven great-grand-children.

J. M. Bennett, '23, May 1981, of Camden Wyoming, Del., and formerly of Pendleton County, W. Va. Mr. Bennett owned and operated J. M. Bennett Realty & Insurance Co. 26 years before retiring in 1965. He was superintendent of Millsboro (Del.) schools 10 years and served in the Army during World War I.

Surviving are his wife, **Fleta Fifer Bennett**, '20 of Camden Wyoming; two sons, **Harold L. Bennett**, '50, Camden Wyoming and **Robert M. Bennett**, '51, of Felton, Del.; a daughter, **Dorothy Taylor**, '49, of San Francisco; four brothers, **Orville**, '35, and Lester of Elkins, W. Va., and Denver and Asa of Brandywine, W. Va.; two sisters, Eliza Crummett of Sugar Grove, W. Va., and Evelyn Getz of Brandywine; five grandchildren, and five great-grand-children.

Ruth Miller Embrey, '24, on June 30, 1981 at her home in Washington, D.C. where she

had lived for 50 years. Mrs. Embrey spent her early years in Bridgewater and was a dental hygienist for 25 years in the D.C. area. At 80 years of age she had attended the D.C. area BC Chapter banquet 15 days prior to her death.

Herbert S. Garst, 24, Aug. 27, 1981, at his home in Bridgewater, Va. Mr. Garst formerly wrote "Massanutten Musings" a column for the Harrisonburg *Daily News-Record* and a garden column for the monthly *Bridgewater Current*. He was a deacon, trustee emeritus and Sunday school superintendent of Bridgewater Church of the Brethren. He also was a trustee of Oak Lawn Cemetery at Bridgewater and a charter member of the Bridgewater Ruritan Club.

Surviving are two daughters, **Carolyn G. Dinst**, '54 of Westminster, Md., and Winifred L. Garst of Broadway; a sister, **Edythe James**, '32, of Warrenton; a brother, **Paul S. Garst**, '31, of Mt. Crawford; and two granddaughters.

Virginia Harris Cosden, '25, on April 7, 1981, at Dover, Delaware. Surviving are a son, G. Cawood Cosden, Jr., and a daughter, Eleanor C. Stokes.

Madge S. Keiter, '31, Sept. 12, 1981, at Shawnee Springs Nursing Home in Winchester. Miss Keiter was a school-teacher more than 50 years at Dayton High School and both the Dayton and Winchester campuses of Shenandoah College. She graduated from Shenandoah and Bridgewater colleges and the University of Virginia.

Miss Keiter was a member of Dayton United Methodist Church, the Harrisonburg Business and Professional Women's Club and Shenandoah Valley Chapter 76 of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Leonard Zirkle Myers, '32, on August 22, 1981 in Harrisonburg, Va. Mr. Myers was a carpenter, electrician and farmer and had worked several years for Rusco Building Specialties in Harrisonburg. He was a member of Bethlehem United Church of Christ.

Surviving are a stepmother, Jessie W. Myers of Bridgewater Home; a daughter, Susan Litten of Timberville; two stepsons, Charles Baker of Charlottesville and Don Baker; a brother, **Miller Myers**, '33, of Harrisonburg; a half brother, Richard Myers of Charlotte, N.C.; and five grandchildren.

John Bennett White, '38, July, 1981, of Nashville, Tennessee.

Clyde W. Rea, '40, on April 11, 1981 in Menands, New York.

E. Walter Rice, '40, Sept. 11, 1981, of Woodstock, Va. Dr. Rice graduated from New Market High School, received a bachelor's degree from BC and received his medical degree from the Medical College of Virginia. He served in the Navy 1942-46 and worked for the New York State hospital system 1946-57. He served his residency in radiology at Robert Packer Hospital in Sayre, Pa., 1957-60, and became a radiologist in Martinsburg, W. Va., where he remained until 1968. Since 1968, he has been radiologist at Shenandoah County Memorial Hospital.

He was a member of the American Medical Association and Manor Memorial United Methodist Church at New Market.

His wife, the former Betty Brannon, survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Ann Yager of Dayton, and three grandchildren.

Mildred V. Revercomb, '46, on Nov. 14, 1980 of Dayton, Virginia.

B. Leigh Blatchley Breese, '76, on Aug. 16, 1981. She is survived by her husband, George Breese, Jr., of Freehold, New Jersey.

Mark Your Calendar

Madrigal
Dinner Dec. 13, 14
Spiritual Life
Institute . . . Feb. 9, 10, 11

Founders Day April 2
Alumni Day May 29
(Reunion Classes: '22, '27, '32,
'37, '42, '47, '52, '57)

Obenshain Honored At Annual Dinner

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en our own defenses to insure that we can deter Russian aggression." Though he declared support for "a building up of our armed forces," he added that "we cannot afford any non-essential expenditures for defense. There can be no blank checks for the Pentagon," he said.

Byrd also expressed deep concern about the "devastating" effect of high interest rates on the nation's economy, but he opposed action in setting the policies of the Federal Reserve Board.

"The only way interest rates can be brought down," he said, "is to get federal spending under control, eliminate the smashing deficits of the government, and reduce the government impact of borrowing in the money market."

Byrd also expressed support for Reagan's stand in the air traffic controllers' strike and voiced his approval of naval exercises in the waters near Lybia.

Gov. Godwin, honorary chairman of the Obenshain Fund, made brief remarks in honor of Obenshain and expressed gratitude to those who had worked so

diligently in support of the effort to provide scholarships to young men and women, "the kind of tribute Dick Obenshain would certainly have preferred."

D. Lathan Mims, chairman of the scholarship fund and editorial editor of Harrisonburg's *Daily News-Record*, reported that some 450 people have

made donations, including 29 people who are recognized as patrons of the fund for gifts of \$1000 or more.

The goal is to have 56 patrons—in commemoration of Obenshain's graduating class of '56—listed on a permanent plaque to be displayed at the college.

Counselors Smooth Transition for Freshmen

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The student counselors suggest alternatives, function as the initial contact person for problem identification and referral, assist new students with personal, social and academic adjustment problems, provide necessary and appropriate information, establish a positive, trusting atmosphere and take time to listen and care.

Sherry Stitt, who assists Hildebrand, says, "One of the most exciting aspects of the student counseling program comes from the knowledge that each year 50 or more individuals become involved in the

program and undergo 40 hours of training all in the spirit of volunteerism. The rewards these students receive are not of a monetary or academic nature—they are the personal rewards that come from helping and caring about others."

The student counseling program at B.C. is a positive alternative in meeting the adjustment needs of incoming students. Those involved in the program feel a sense of pride and personal satisfaction in being there to help smooth the transition from home and school to dormitory and college classroom.

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