



"On the campus an enormous tulip poplar tree, beneath whose limbs, a treaty was signed with the Indians and Stamp Tax protests aired, survives by grace of the tree surgeons. It was casting its shade in the day of Shakespeare and Cervantes. St. John's men love it as men love an old poem."



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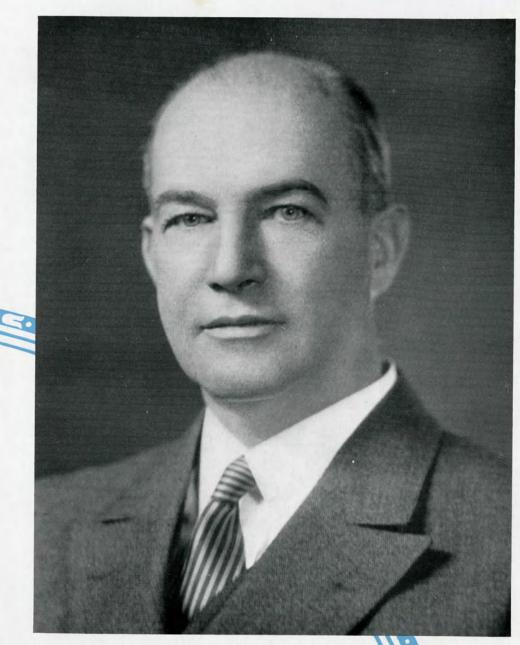
ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE



ANNAPOLIS MARYLAND



In dedicating the 1935 Rat-Tat to Captain D. L. Howard we make no attempt to eulogize him; his works speak for themselves. A friend and ready helper of every student, we are able only to admire him. May this then show our appreciation.



Captain Douglas L. Howard, (U.S.N. Ret.)





In getting together the material for this year's Rat Tat, the staff was confronted with the problem of whether to try to make it original-different from the annuals of the past, with the success of the book depending on whether the student body liked the new ideas or not-or to build the basic design of this year's Rat Tat from the best ideas in the better liked books of this and other colleges published during the past few years.

We chose to do the latter and have taken most of the ideas from two books, one representing the conservative and the other the modernistic type, Each has its good points. In taking from both types the staff has endeavored to follow the middle road in annual design. By doing this we feel that we have a book a little different from any of those of the past. We hope you'll like it.



CAMPUS VIEWS

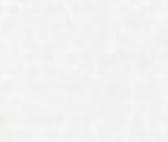
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### St. John's College, 1696 - 1935

"The venerable Past—is past;
'Tis dark and shines not in the ray:
'Twas good, no doubt—'tis gone at last—
There dawns another day."

OD forbid that we of St. John's should live in the past; but God forbid that we should forget the lessons taught and examples set by those who have gone before us. Let us take from the past all the good that we can find and apply our efforts to making the future history of our college richer as well as fuller.

In the year 1696, this institution which we know as St. John's College was founded as the King William School. This new school prepared young men for entrance into universities and senior colleges. After graduation from King William's, most of the daring students would make the long, dangerous voyage to England to continue their work at Oxford and Cambridge.

The school was not eighty years old when it was claimed by war for the making of firearms. The students forgot books while the colonies won the right to fight among themselves. When peace again reigned, the little school reawakened to find itself in a new world. America was no longer a possession of England, but a new nation; Annapolis was no longer a little fishing village, but a town of considerable importance. The statesmen of Maryland decided that it was time for the King William School to grow up; so, in 1784, St. John's College was created. The little brick house on Francis Street (still standing) was vacated, and classes were held in the mansion that had been started for Governor Bladen. That building is called McDowell Hall after the first president of St. John's. The formal opening took place in 1789, the year in which the Constitution of the United States was ratified. Students at St. John's, in those days, knew the exploits of Washington as contemporary events. We can well be proud of the spirit the founders demonstrated when they said:

"The said college shall be founded and maintained forever upon a most liberal plan, for the benefit of youth of every religious denomination—nor shall any preference be given in the choice of a principal, vice-principal, or other professor, master or tutor in said college, on account of his particular religious profession."

The world moved on. Young men were graduated from St. John's and became great men. The English industrial movement was taken up in this country. The boundaries of the United States spread to the west. Sectionalism became strong. Economic and social clashes were frequent; until, at last, the break came, and war once more was master. The peaceful pursuit of knowledge was stopped at St. John's for a period of five years. The college buildings and grounds were used as a military post. Men died, But the war ended and the nation was united in a stronger bond. The colleges of the country reopened.

In 1886, Dr. Thomas Fell assumed the presidency. During his term of office St. John's became a military college. The students were awakened each morning by the sweet music of Reveille, and lights went out when Taps were blown. The St. John's cadets paraded in Annapolis on holidays along with the firemen, the police, the state militia, the midshipmen, the sailors, and the marines. The girls of Annapolis argued the question of which was prettier: the uniform of the St. John's cadets or that of the midshipmen. "Those were the good old days!"

But uniforms were not all. St. John's College rose to a high academic standing. The gentlemen who were graduated from St. John's during this period became leaders in many fields. The college enrollment increased, and the physical equipment of the college was supplemented by the erection of a gymnasium and two other new buildings.

Meanwhile the European pot was boiling; and, on June 28, 1914, a memorable shot was fired in Bosnia. The men who had been trained at St. John's achieved notable records in active military service during the Great War. Many of them laid their final gift on the altar of patriotism. For them a memorial has been erected on the front campus.

Peace came again, but financial conditions kept St. John's from returning to its former place among the colleges of the country. The glamour of the uniform, the drums, and the rifles could not make

up for the fact that the academic standing was "C." Enrollment decreased. Annapolitans put these words to the tune of "The Old Gray Mare:"

"Old St. John's she ain't what she used to be Many long years ago."

The college was down but it was not out. Major Enoch Barton Garey was made president in 1923. Major Garey was a man who dreamed dreams and carried them into fulfillment. He seemed to have the blood of a pioneer. Military hindrances were swept aside. A faculty that was almost entirely new was appointed. The college started the upward march that is still going on today. St. John's went back to an "A" rating. The student enrollment increased. Money was found with which to buy several colonial houses in Annapolis.

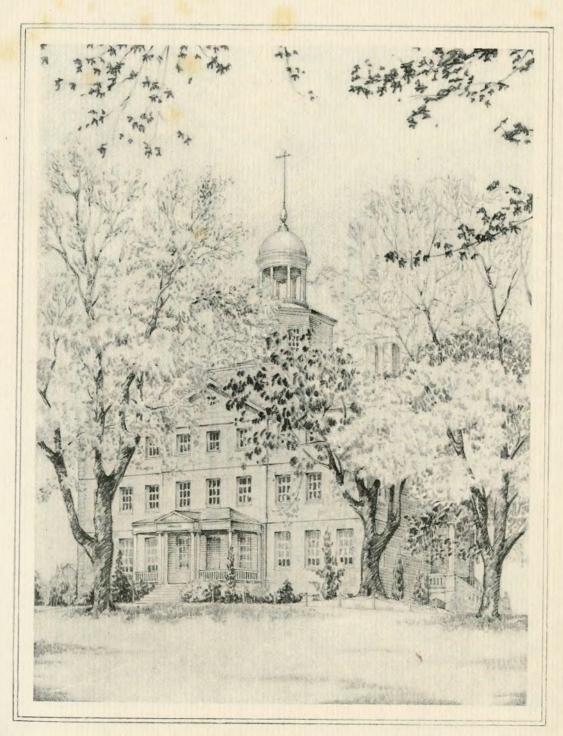
The march wavered during a temporary period of uneasiness lasting about two years, from the resignation of Major Garey until the coming of Dr. Douglas Huntly Gordon in 1932. President Gordon remained here but two years. In February, 1934, the announcement appeared in the paper that the Board of Visitors and Governors had asked for the resignation of Dr. Gordon, and that Colonel Amos W. W. Woodcock had been asked to accept the post.

This year we have Colonel Woodcock with us. He is one of those gentlemen who were graduated from St. John's when it was a military school and who led a detachment of soldiers in the Great War. Those who see him are conscious of a strong personality. He is a man who has held many positions of responsibility and in them has acquitted himself well. Those who are interested in St. John's College have high hopes of his work here; and we who have seen him begin that work believe the hopes are justified. Colonel Woodcock would have us remember:

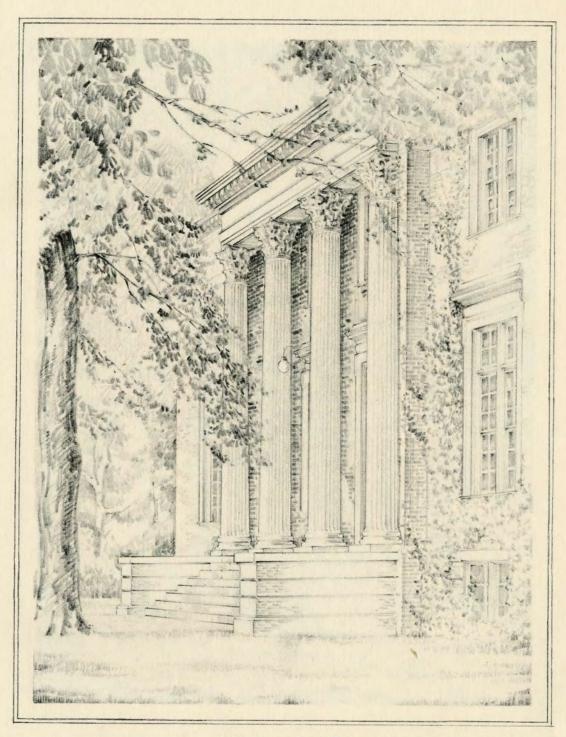
"The present needs us. Every age
Bequeaths the next for heritage
No lazy luxury or delight—
But strenuous labor for the right;
For NOW, the child and sire of time,
Demands the deeds of earnest men
To make it better than the past,
And stretch the circle of its ken.
NOW is a fact that men deplore.
Though it might bless them evermore,
Would they but fashion it aright:
"Tis ever new, 'tis ever bright."

# CAMPUS VIEWS

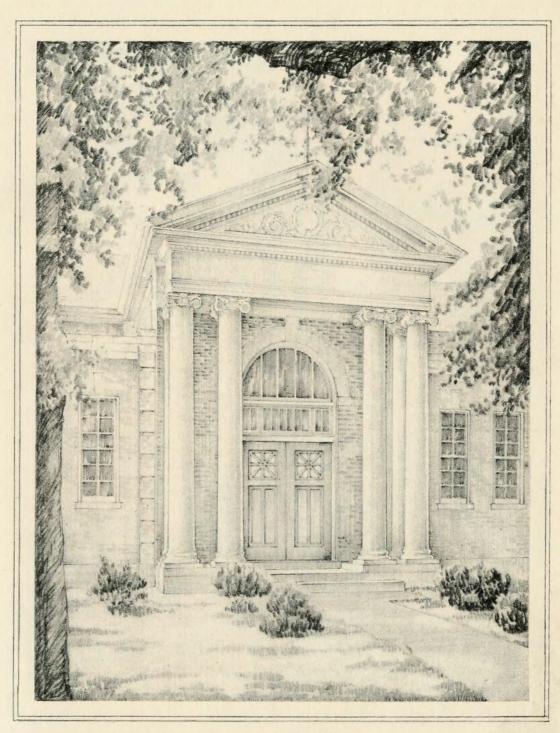




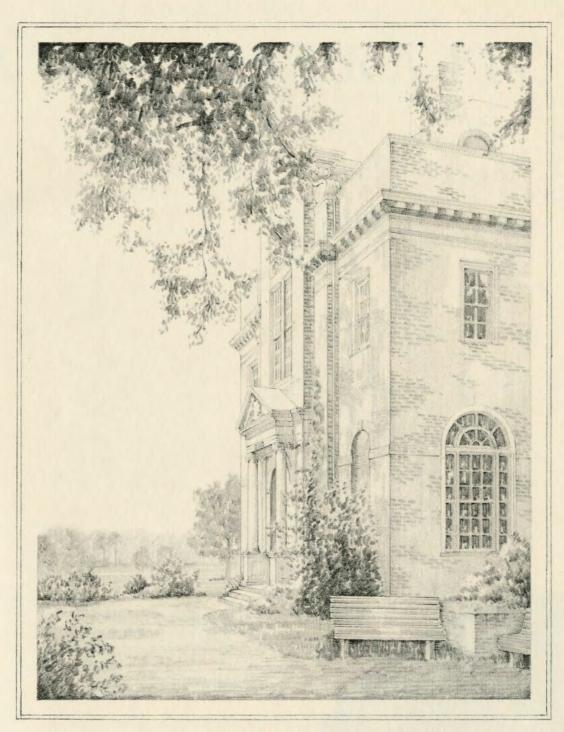
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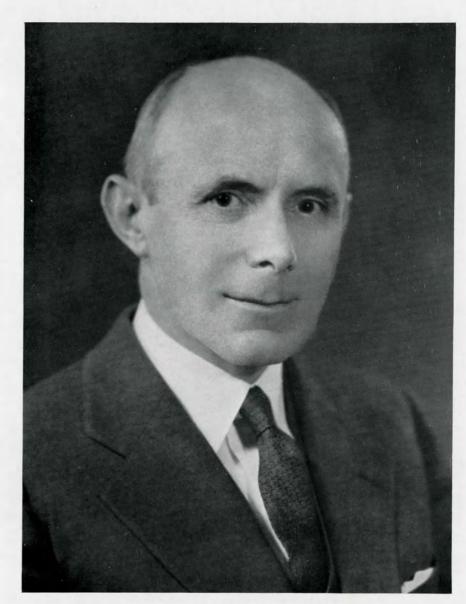
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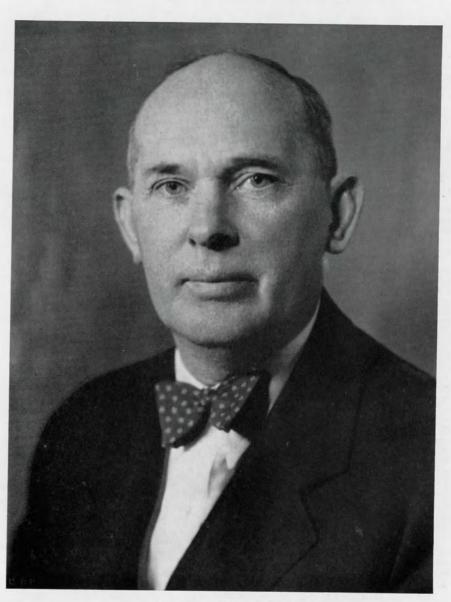
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#### THE FACULTY OF LANGUAGES, LITERATURE, AND ART

To teach us what men have learned before to make life richer by the creation of works of literature and art—to teach us how to reach out beyond our everyday lives into broader fields—that is the task of this department. The professors in this field are particularly well chosen; each one is a capable teacher, and each one has a personality that creates an added interest in his courses.

The records of these men show their preparation to be completely adequate. The interest that the students feel shows the success of their methods. The St. John's alumni are witnesses of the results of their work. With men like these composing the department its high standards will not be lowered.

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## THE FACULTY OF THE SOCIAL SCIENCES AND PHILOSOPHY

This department of study has rapidly increased in importance in college work. Today a knowledge of economics and government is essential to those who are to engage in governmental or commercial activity and to those who would like to understand the social and economic world we live in.

History, philosophy, and psychology underlie the study of economics and government as mathematics underlies the other sciences. The men who teach these subjects are, themselves, active students; they are interested in the field they have chosen. They present thorough courses of high quality and aim to develop the student's own ideas on the questions and problems involved rather than merely have him learn a few accepted facts and theories.

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#### THE FACULTY OF THE SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS

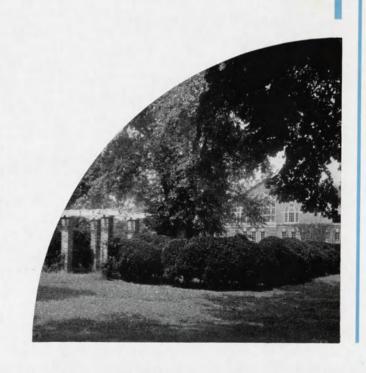
The practical value of Science stands undisputed. It was Science that raised men to positions where they could devote their time to art, music, and literature. It was the result of scientific development that brought about the complicated organization of society that is the subject of the social scientist's study. But science, having accomplished much, is not standing still; today and tomorrow bring new knowledge.

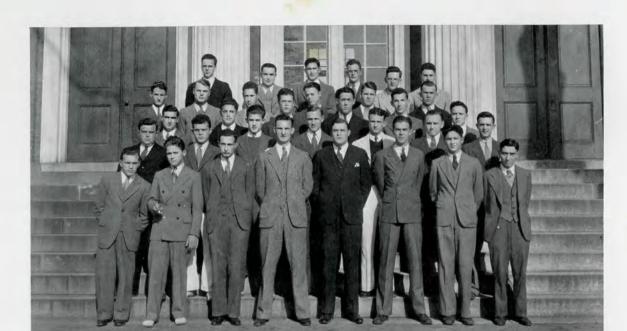
The members of the St. John's faculty of the sciences and mathematics are abreast of the times. Their courses are valuable; we dare say that no better basic courses in the sciences are offered in any college. Work and study are demanded, but the courses are not robbed of interest thereby—rather, we should say, the interest that is aroused makes the work and study easier, more worthwhile.

Reginald H. Ridgley, B.S., A.M., D.Sc. (University of Maryland)
George A. Bingley, B.A., M.A. (Princeton University)
Hermann Bernhard, Ph. D. (University of Berlin)
Frederick W. Appel, Ph.B., Ph.D. (University of Chicago)
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## C L A S S E S





SENIOR CLASS

## Seniors — Class of 1935

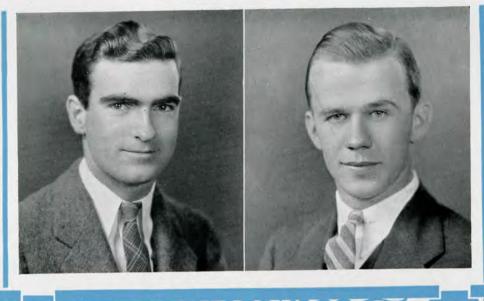
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Edward DeLisio	
John Charles Donohue	
William Robert Eaton	
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David Arthur Harkness	
Francis Geoghegan Hurlock	
Lawrence Kantor	East Orange, New Jersey
James Richard Kelly	Thurmont
Angus Lamond	. Washington, District of Columbia
Robert Henry Lampee	
William Calvin Lotz	Ellicott City
Henry David McCool	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Edwin Kay McCrea	
Stephen Philip McCrea	Rock Hall
Donald Edward Stuart McGarrow	Baltimore
Elmer Lacy Meredith	Federalshura
David Eugene Nopper	Baltimore
Lawrence Joseph O'Connor, Jr.	Annapolis
John Brophy O'Donnell	
Philip Joseph Russillo	Norwich, Connecticut
Ephraim Roy Shawn, Jr.	West Annapolis
Louis Ambrose Snyder	Hagerstown
Robert Noble Sosman	Westfield New Jersey
David King Usher	Baltimore
Dalton Middlekauff Welty	Funkstown
Frank Kennedy Wilson, Jr.	Baltimore
Charles Oliver Wingate, Jr.	Baltimore
Richard Sage Woodman	Tenafly New Iersey
Waitman Burgess Zinn	Baltimore



SENIOR OFFICERS





#### **BROOKS ANDERSON**

Born in Chicago, Charles Brooks Anderson came to St. John's after graduating from the Albany Academy for Boys in Albany, New York. Extremely interested in economics, he has spent most of his time at college working in that major, but nevertheless he found time to devote to extracurricular activities. During his first year he was a member of the Freshman Cross Country team, thus having an opportunity to get a glimpse of the Maryland scenery from the cornfields and dusty roads of West Annapolis.

During his senior year he was elected by his mates in Pinkney Hall to represent them on the Student Council. He is not quite certain of what he will do after leaving St. John's but expects to do social work in New York State.

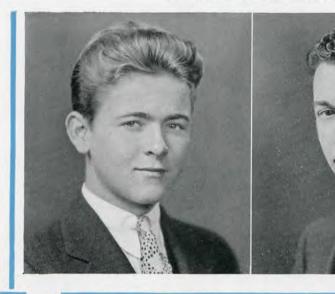
Cross Country 1; Boxing 2; Student Council 4; Band 3; Public Affairs Club 4.

#### CARVIL REED ARCHER

Carvil Reed Archer, better known as "Boots," hails from Bel Air, Maryland. "Boots" entered St. John's as a transfer from the University of Maryland. In his first year he played on the freshman football and basketball teams. He was potential varsity material, but he was forced to quit all sports except baseball because of a badly injured knee. He loves to play ball and is quite versatile on the diamond, being able to play almost any position. "Boots," though not a zealous student, has spent his days at St. John's profitably. He has made many friends and has learned how to live easily. He is interested in government and politics, and has a secret ambition to represent his community in the legislature some day.

Kappa Alpha; Football 2, 3; Basketball 2; Baseball 4.





## ROLAND JAMES BAILEY, JR.

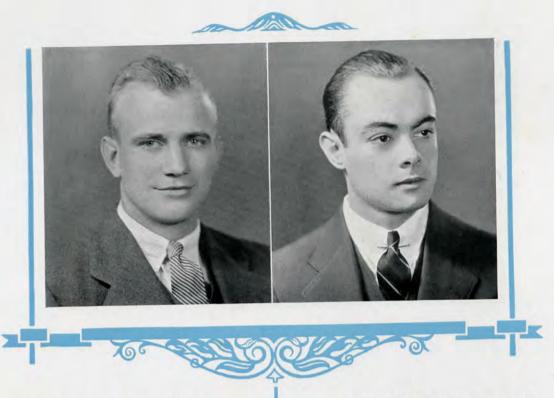
Roland James Bailey, Jr. graduated from high school at the age of fifteen and registered at Washington College in Chestertown, where he passed his Freshman year. He received a scholarship to St. John's in the summer of 1932, and came here that fall as a Sophomore. For two years he majored in chemistry; but he has decided to take his degree in the department of English. He was on the Dean's List during his Sophomore and Senior years. In extra curricular work he has been active: his list includes membership in the Band. the Dance Orchestra, the Glee Club, the cross-country team, the Student Council, the King William Players. He has held positions on the Collegian Staff during his three years here and in October, 1934, suceeded R. H. Lampee as Editor-in-Chief. He is a member of Delta Psi Omega Fraternity. He has not yet decided whether he will devote the remaining years of his life to journalism or education.

Cross Country 2; Band 2; German Club 2; Osler Pre-Medical Club 2; Dance Orchestra 3; Glee Club 4; Student Council 4; Rat-Tat 4; Debating Club 4; King William Players 2, 3, 4; Collegian 2, 3, 4; News Editor 3; Editor-in-Chief 4; Delta Psi Omega, House Manager 4.

#### MELVILLE LEWIS BISGYER

Melville Lewis Bisgyer graduated from Hames Madison High School, Brooklyn, N. Y. He enrolled at St. John's as a social science major. In his Freshman year he became a member of the Osler Club and also took active interest in Intramurals, being a semi-finalist in the Tennis Doubles and Handball Tournaments. He was Assistant Manager of Basketball in his first two years. In his third year he was transferred to the Publicity and Advertising Department for all Athletics and in his Senior year he was manager of this department. In his Junior year, the Orange and Black Society of Managers was organized and he became a charter member. When the Key Society, a social fraternity, was organized last year, Mel was among its most enthusiastic advocates. In recognition for his work in this group he was elected to the position of Treasurer in his Senior year. Other club activities which he was active in were the Political Affairs Club and the Boot and Saddle Club.

Osler Club 1; Political Affairs Club 4; Charter Member Orange and Black Society 3, 4; Charter Member Key Society 3, 4; Treasurer Key Society 4; Assistant Manager Basketball 1, 2; Junior and Varsity Manager Publicity and Advertising; Intramural Tennis, semi-finalist doubles 1; Intramural Handball, semi-finalist, 1, 2, 3; Member Boot and Saddle Club 4.



#### GORDON KEITH BOUCHER

Gordon Keith Boucher comes from Grantsville, far into the hills of Western Maryland. He brought him much of that mountain freshness and pep. In his freshman year he played football, basketball and lacrosse, and was elected president of his class and pledged to the Kappa Alpha fraternity. During the remainder of his stay here he was on the football and lacrosse squads; and was president of his class in his sophomore and junior years.

When the Varsity Club was formed in 1932 "Buche" was among its charter members. In his senior year he was a member of the Student Council. He has taken a great deal of interest in his fraternity work and was elected vice-president during his last year.

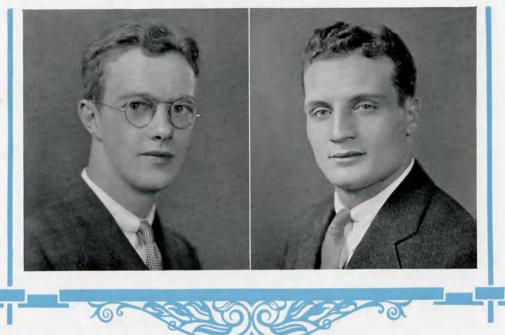
Kappa Alpha; President of Class 1, 2, 3; Student Council 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Varsity Club.

#### ALLAN REXFORD BRADLEY

Allan Rexford Bradley only spent one year at St. John's College. His first three years of college life were spent at Wesleyan University While there he was a member of the Alpha Chi Rho Fraternity and spent a busy and active three years. When he came to St. John's he decided to spend his Senior year as a Physics major. Allen expects to go out for the varsity baseball team this spring and hopes to fill a regular berth. He has also shown active interest in Intramural athletics. While at school Bradley followed a worth while motto of his own "Always enjoy yourself and never worry." Mail will reach him if addressed to Cornwall Av., Cheshire, Conn.

Baseball 4.





FRANK W. CONNER, JR.

Frank W. Conner came to us from Philadelphia imbued with all her social tradition. His academic standing has at no time been outstanding, but it has been consistently satisfactory. Frank's attributes are to be found in his social and extra-curricular activities. To mention them in part, we see him as a good and loyal member of Phi Sigma Kappa and chairman of their Social Committee; a Kappa Beta Phi of repute; one of the charter members of the Boot and Saddle Club; second bass in the Glee Club, and last but not least— a representative to the Inter-Fraternity Council for three consecutive years.

As to his future—it is at present in the hands of the Gods. A bicycle-tour of Europe at the time of this writing is under consideration, but according to inside information it is thought that he is going to attempt to follow in his father's footsteps, and become an executive of The Pennsylvania Railroad.

Glee Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Kappa Beta Phi 3; Interfraternity Council 3, 4; Phi Sigma Kappa, Treasurer 2.

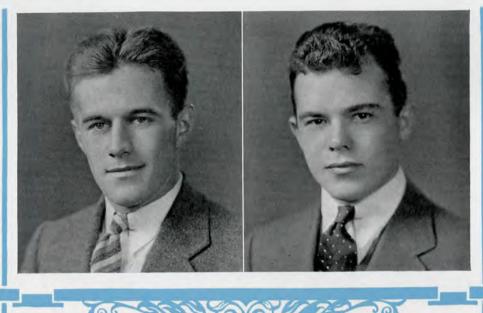
#### EDWARD DELISIO

Ed DeLisio came to us from Central High School of Washington, D.C., with quite a reputation for his athletic abilities. He immediately began to work out with the freshman football squad and easily won a backfield berth on that team. For the three years following he has held down a regular berth on the varsity at a full back position although he was kept on the sidelines during the first part of the season in his junior year because of an operation undergone late in the summer of that year. Ed also played on the freshman basketball team, winning varsity monograms during the last three years of his college career.

Yet with all this to occupy his attention Ed found time to act as president of the Lenz Physics Club in his sophomore year and as vice-president of the Varsity Club in his senior year.

Varsity Club 3, 4; Treasurer 3; Vice-President 4; President Lenz Club 2; Dean's List 1, 2; Freshman Football, Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; Freshman Basketball, Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Kappa Alpha President 4.





#### JOHN CHARLES DONOHUE

Some people achieve prominence on the athletic field because of unusual offensive ability; others because of unusual defensive ability. Johnny Donohue is primarily a defensive player. On the football field he was best known for his ability in pass defense and for the way in which he got down the field under punts.

Johnny always has been a born leader. The fact that he was captain of four sports in school and was habitually chosen by the Johnnie coaches to captain the Orange and Black teams should attest to this. But coaches are not the only ones who found in Donohue the ability to lead. Johnny was also elected president of the Varsity Club and E.A. of Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

Freshman Numerals in Football, Basketball; Lacrosse; Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; Second All-Maryland Team 2; All-Maryland Team 3; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Second Team All-Maryland 3, 4; Varsity Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Maryland 2, 3; All-American 2, 3; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Secretary 3; President 4; Student Representative on Athletic Council; Student Union Committee.

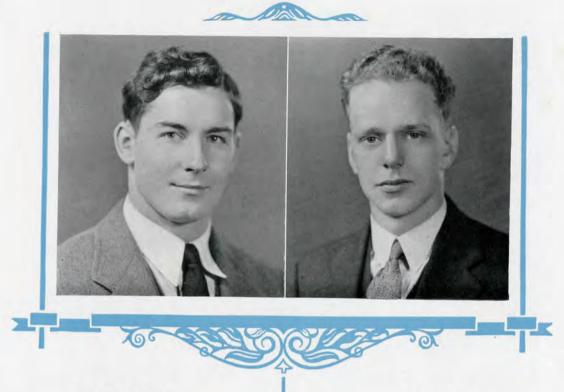
#### WILLIAM ROBERT EATON

William Robert Eaton came to St. John's from the Eastern Shore a shy and modest boy, but lost no time in acclimating himself to his new surroundings. During his freshman year he turned up for cross country and won himself a place on the team. Since that time he has taken an active part in athletics, playing on the football team during his third and fourth years.

Bill went out for the lacrosse team during his freshman year and during his sophomore year attracted the attention of Coach Moore because of his speed.

"Biggy" loves to form schemes about how to make money quickly, and has succeeded on several occasions in doing just that; in this respect he takes nothing from any "city slicker." Besides this he likes to putter around and experiment on any sort of apparatus that he can find. He hopes to be a chemist and his liking for experimentation should be a great aid to him in this undertaking.

Kappa Alpha; Cross Country 1; Football 3, 4; Lacrosse 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club.



#### LOUIS EICKWORT

Following his graduation from Staunton Military Academy Louis Eickwort came to St. Johns, to show the Johnnies what a good college man was like, and in many respects he succeeded.

Lou has always been a good sport and his college record is something to be proud of, both scholastically and athletically. We remember his four years on the football eleven, his three years on the boxing squad and his brilliant record in intramural, the track, where he held a four-year championship in the hundred-yard dash.

Louis a member of Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity, and because of his intense interest in fraternal affairs, Lou has served as inductor, and has represented the fraternity on the Student Council.

Freshman Football, Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; Boxing 1, 2, 3; Vice-President of Class 3, 4; Student Council 4; Phi Sigma Kappa.

#### WALTER EVERS

Walter Evers came to St. Johns from Baltimore City College. Walter, better known as "Bud", served in Phi Sigma Kappa as secretary in his junior year and as vicepresident in his senior year.

He was a "trumpeteer" in the St. John's Collegians of last year, and has been a steady member of the band for his four years. As a member of the German club he has had the honor of being president of that organization. In the sports light we find Walter as a member of the Freshman football team, four years ago, but since then his athletic ability has been evident in the intramural sports, particularly soccer, baseball and volley ball.

Walter's major in college has been German and he has the highest expectations of going into post-graduate work and later to enter the foreign service—and we can make a good guess as to what country.



#### ALPHONSE EMANUEL FARONE

Alphonse Emanuel Farone was born in Saratoga Springs, New York, on the first of December, 1912. He attended Saratoga Springs High School and St. Peter's Academy before coming to St. John's as a freshman in September of 1931. Since then he has confined the majority of his studious activities to the field of government; they have been rewarded with consistently good grades. During his first two years he was a member of the King William Players and the German Club. He has led cheers for four years and was elevated to the position of Head Cheer Leader his last year. In the same manner did he become chairman of the Social Committee after three years of service on the committee. His forte is boxing; he fought in the 125-pound class for three years and was captain during his junior year. Fast horses are his hobby, the turn of a coin his diversion. He is a member of Delta Psi Omega Fraternity.

Boxing Team 1, 2, 3; Captain 3; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; King William Players 1, 2; German Club 1, 2; Social Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman 4; Delta Psi Omega.

#### HARRY ROBERT FERGUSON

Harry Robert Ferguson, of West Hartford, and a graduate of the local high school transferred to St. John's from Trinity College, Hartford. Bob is an affiliate member of Alpha Kappa Pi. He has majored in Economics and intends to go into insurance when he is graduated. His activities have not been great in numbers, but what he did take part in he did well. In his junior year he represented Randall Hall on the Student Council and was instrumental in keeping the dormitory in order; he was also, at the same time, a member of the Randall House Committee-an organization with the purpose of obtaining some group rule for the non-fraternity men.

"Fergy" says that he has found from experience that a study of economics is essential in the domestic as well as the business world.

Alpha Kappa Pi; Student Council 3; Randall House Committee 3.



#### MORTON NORMAN FINE

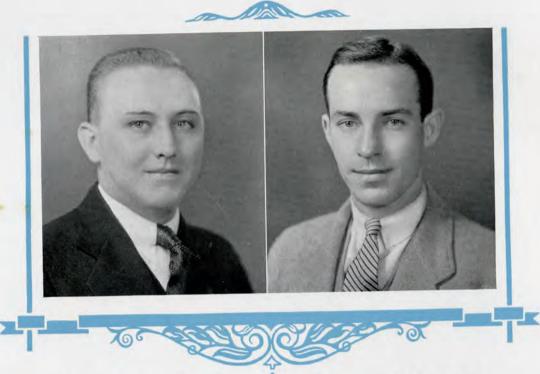
Morton Norman Fine came to St. John's as a transfer from Johns Hopkins University, having previously graduated from the Baltimore City College. In his three years at St. John's he has been very active in all intramural athletics, being one of Pinkney Hall's outstanding stars. In his Sophomore year, Mort was a member of the varsity tennis, boxing and lacrosse squads and expects to hold a position on the tennis team this coming season. With all these activities he has found time to assume active membership in both the German Club and the Osler Pre-Medical Club. In the latter, he has been particularly interested, since he is a Pre-Medical major. As a reward for his efforts he was elected as secretarytreasurer of this group in his Senior year.

Intramural Soccer, Basketball, Volleyball, Football, Baseball and Handball 2, 3, 4; Varsity Tennis Squad 2, 4; Varsity Boxing Squad 2, 3; Varsity Lacrosse Squad 2; German Club 2, 3; Secretary-Treasurer Osler Club 4.

#### MAX GLICKMAN

Max Glickman came to St. John's College from Annapolis High School as a Pre-Medical major. In the beginning of his Freshman year, Max became interested in the duties of Assistant Manager of Football. He served the Athletic Department so diligently in his first two years that in his Junior and Senior years he was made Football Manager and also in his Junior year he was Manager of the Boxing team. When the Orange and Black Society of Managers was formed he was a charter member. Being closely connected to the Athletic Department he was made Stockroom clerk in his Senior year. Other activities also claimed his attention. He was in the Collegian and Rat-Tat staff in his second year; he has been on the Social Committee for three years, the Osler Club for two years, and was in the Glee Club in his fourth year.

Assistant Manager, Football 1, 2; Football Manager 3, 4; Boxing Manager 3; Osler Club 1, 2; Orange and Black Society 3, 4; Key Society 3, 4, Secretary 3; Glee Club 4; Stockroom Clerk 4; Rat-Staff 2; Social Committee 1, 2, 3.



#### DAVID HARKNESS

David Harkness came to St. John's College from Prince Frederick, Maryland, where he attended high school. From his first year on he has maintained a high scholastic average, gaining a position on the Dean's List at the end of each year.

Aside from his studies, Dave's principal interest has been in intramural sports. For three years and a half he played a prominent position on the S. A. E. teams, standing out particularly in baseball. In this sport he hurled two teams to the championship. In his senior year Harkness was selected to act as house manager of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and to represent the house on the Intramural Council. Dave was also a member of the Student Council, the Pan-Hellenic Council and the Public Affairs Club. He was elected by his classmates to be Secretary-Treasurer of the Senior Class this year.

Secretary-Treasurer of Senior Class; Dean's List 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, Secretary 4; Pan-Hellenic Council 4; Intramural Council 4; Public Speaking Club; Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Eminent Deputy Archon 4.

#### JAMES HAYS

Jimmy Hays entered St. John's from Friends School of Baltimore. During his Freshman year he became Assistant Manager of the Basketball team and later played center on the Freshman Lacrosse team of that year. The calibre of his play on that team may be judged from the fact that he was one of the few men chosen to work with the Varsity in preparing for the Olmpic play-off game with Johns Hopkins. Since this time he has played each year on the Varsity even though he has been handicapped by a severe injury suffered during his sophomore year.

When the Orange and Black Society was formed in 1934 Jimmy was one of the leaders in the movement, for which he was rewarded this year with the position of Undergraduate Manager of Athletics, the position in that organization corresponding to president.

Class Historian 1; Colonial Club 3; Basketball Manager 3; Co-Manager 4; Undergraduate Manager of Athletics 4; Freshman Lacrosse, Varsity Lacrosse 2, 3, 4; Kappa Alpha.



#### WILLIAM LEANDER HERSON

William Leander McDowell Herson was born in Philadelphia. Since then he has lived in Salibury, Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis. He graduated from Forest Park in June of 1931, and went to Western Maryland for a year. He came to St. John's in the fall of 1932 as a Sophomore. Since then he has climbed to the position of Executive Editor of the Collegian, been technical manager of several King William Player productions, led the College Dance Orchestra, and been feature Writer and Activities Editor of the Rat-Tat. He esteems himself the most useful man on the Collegian staff in years, and will best be remembered for the weekly column "Racket" which he wrote for it. His summers he spends playing traps in local orchestras. He will take his degree in the Department of English. He is a member of Delta Psi Omega Fraternity.

Rat-Tat 3, 4; Activities Editor 4; Collegian 2, 3, 4; Features Editor 2, 3; Executive Editor 4 Glee Club 4; Orchestra 3; King William Players 2, 3, 4; Delta Psi Omega.

#### FRANCIS G. HURLOCK

Francis G. Hurlock, better known as "Fran", came to us from the Eastern Shore and has consistently upheld the fair name of that section. Fran was graduated from Cambridge High School and entered St. John's on a Senatorial scholarship. He is a Mathematics major and has been on the Dean's List during his entire four years. Hurlock was a member of the Phi Delta Sigma fraternity until its disbandment at the beginning of his Junior year, at which time he pledged to Alpha Kappa Pi; while a member of Phi Delt he served as secretary in his Sophomore year. He is a member of the German Club, and during his Sophomore and Junior years was treasurer of the now defunct Lenz Club. He has been active in intramural athletics.

Phi Delta Sigma, Secretary 2; Alpha Kappa Pi 3, 4; Lenz Club, Treasurer 2, 3; German Club.



#### CLARENCE LEATHERBURY JOHNSON

Clarence Leatherbury Johnson is a local product, but has been closely associated with the campus and Kappa Alpha life. "Razz" entered St. John's and after spending one year left and was in the United States Naval Academy for two years. He rejoined us last year.

To fail to mention that Razz plays the banjo, guitar, mandolin, and what-have-you (provided you have the right thing) would be neglecting his best known talent. He has played in various dance orchestras and, while at the Naval Academy was a member of the N.A. Ten.

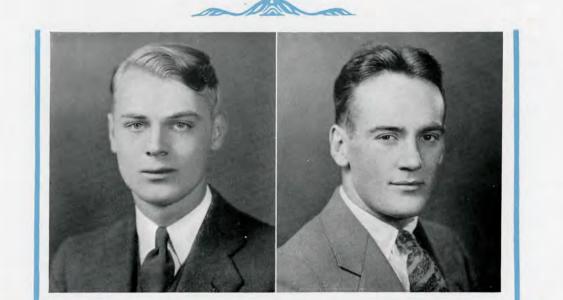
"Razz" is highly interested in the insurance business and during the past year he and a few of his friends have opened an agency in town. Besides doing this he finds time to enjoy most of the social functions as well as doing good work in his studies.

Kappa Alpha; Lacrosse 1; Football 1.

#### LAWRENCE KANTOR

Lawrence Kantor came to St. John's as a graduate of the East Orange High School. In his first year he was a member of the Freshman football, basketball and tennis teams. During his next three years he was on the Varsity football and tennis squads. Larry is quite a musician, having been a member of the concert orchestra for four years and also of the St. John's Collegians during its one year's existence. He was elected as a member of the Pinkney House Committee, formed in his third year. In his third year, when the Key Society was formed, Larry was a charter member and was elected as President of this group in his Senior year. When the Squash Racquet Club was formed this year he took an active part in it before he was forced to quit because of a broken ankle. Larry is an Economics major.

Key Society 3, 4, President 4; Concert Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; St. John's Collegians 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Pinkney House Committee 3; Squash Raquet Club 4.



#### JAMES RICHARD KELLY

James Richard Kelly was graduated from his hometown high school, Thurmont High, and entered St. John's on a Senatorial scholarship in 1931. He was a member of Phi Delta Sigma fraternity, and served that group as treasurer member of the Interfraternity Council during his Sophomore year. When that group was disbanded in 1933 he pledged Alpha Kappa Pi. He has been on the Dean's List during his entire four years. During his first three years he was a member of the college band. He is a Government major and a member of the Public Affairs Club. Jim's interest is in good music; he frequently attends operas and concerts in Baltimore; and he is a strong advocate of the opera being sung in the native tongue and not in English.

Phi Delta Sigma, Treasurer 2; Delegate to Inter-Fraternity Council 2; Alpha Kappa Pi 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Public Affairs Club 4.

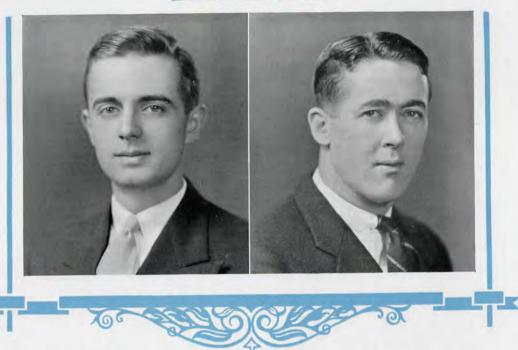
#### ANGUS LAMOND

Angus Lamond came to St. John's from Central High School in Washington, where he had made a name for himself in athletics. As soon as he entered St. John's he was in athletics and has made himself nationally known through them. He played Freshman football, basketball and lacrosse, distinguishing himself in each. In the following years, however, he stuck to football and lacrosse alone and with great success. In 1933 he was picked on the All-Maryland football squad and this past season he was one of the team's most powerful players. "Angie" was on the All-American Lacrosse team in 1933 and was picked to play against the Canadians at the World's Fair that year.

Lamond is a Government major, but intends to put his talents into the coaching field instead of the political. While his record is outstanding for the sports that he took part in, that is not all.

Kappa Alpha; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Varsity Club; All-American Lacrosse 3, 4.





#### ROBERT HENRY LAMPEE

Robert Henry Lampee entered St. John's in the fall of 1931. He was pledged to Delta Psi Omega fraternity in the October of that year and was inducted into membership before the year was out. During his four years here he has run on the Cross Country team, played in the Band, participated in almost every King William Player production, and written for both the Collegian and the Rat-Tat. During his Junior year he was elected Editor-in-Chief of the Collegian, which position he held on into his Senior year. During the past year he was Treasurer and Publicity Manager for the King William Players, a member of Delta Omicron, the Forum and the Fencing team. Lampee is taking his degree in the Department of English, and intends to strike forth into newspaper work after graduation.

Collegian: Associate Editor 2; Editor-in-Chief 3; King William Players 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 2; Business Manager 4; Band 1, 2. Rat-Tat: Feature Writer 1, 2; Feature Editor 3; Fencing 4; Cross-Country 1; Henry Winter Davis Liberal Club 2; Prince William Society, King William Society, Delta Omcron, Delta Psi Omega, House Manager 1, 2; Secretary 4.

#### CALVIN LOTZ

Most students leave college to go out into the cold, cold world, but Calvin Lotz left the cold, cold world to come to College, for after graduating from Ellicott City High School in 1924, Cal worked for seven years in a flour mill, grocery store and on a steam boat before coming here. An outstanding man from the first, he has not only gained an education at St. John's but has quite a reputation as an athlete and campus leader.

Although the only sport Cal had previously participated in was boxing, he learned to play football and lacrosse sufficiently well while in college to hold down regular berths on both teams and has left vacant a berth on the football team at left tackle which will be hard to fill next year. This year he was elected by the student body to the presidency of the Student Council which office he has so capably filled as to frequently draw favorable comments from the administration.

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Freshman Football Numerals; Freshman Lacrosse Numerals; Varsity Football 2, 3, 4; All-Maryland Mention 3, 4; Varsity Lacrosse 2, 3, 4; Boxing Team 1, 2, 3; Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Eminent Archon 4.





#### HENRY DAVID McCOOL

Henry David McCool was born in Norristown, Pennsylvania, on the thirteenth of February, 1913. He attended and was graduated from Upper Darby High School in Pennsylvania, and came to St. John's in 1931 as a Freshman. Since then McCool has been interested in the Collegian, the King William Players, and the German Club. He was a member of the Colonial Club during the period of its existence at St. John's some years ago. He is majoring in Economic Government.

For the past year he has been acting in the capacity of Student Assistant to Major Evelyn A. Harrison, Assistant to the President. It is said that his fondest memory pertains to the hospital here where he was confined for some weeks as a result of a hip dislocated in an automobile accident after Thanksgiving. He intends to become a lawyer. He is a member of Delta Psi Omega Fraternity.

Collegian 1, 2; King William Players 2, 3; German Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

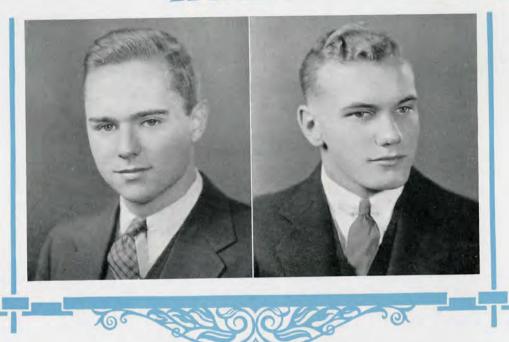
#### DONALD EDWARD STUART McGARROW

In spite of the heralded decay of religion in the church, in the home and in society, there has always been a certain group of young men who have a great faith that the end of religion is at least very, very far in the future. They recognize however, that if the church is to be kept alive as a valuable asset to humanity, it will be necessary for capable people to carry forward its future—and who should be more likely material than themselves. Prominent among these people at St. John's is Donald Edward Stuart McGarrow, better known as "Pinky" or "Deacon."

Donald came here four years ago after graduating from Baltimore Polytechnic Institute. At that time he plunged into a round of extra-curricular activities and yet held his scholastic average at a high level. For his fraternity, Phi Sigma Kappa, Pinky has been treasurer for three years.

Lacrosse Manager 4; Assistant Manager 1, 2, 3; Rat-Tat Staff 2, 3; German Club 3, 4; Phi Sigma Kappa Treasurer 2, 3, 4.





#### IOHN ROBERTSON MAGRUDER

John Robertson Magruder prepped at the Friends' School in Baltimore and came to college with an athletic record that was not to be sneezed at, but he has improved it constantly, particularly in lacrosse and intramural sports. He has played on the lacrosse team for his entire four years with a great deal of success.

His success has not been limited to the athletic field for his name was found among those on the Dean's List during his Freshman and Sophomore years. He is a Pre-Medical major and intends to enter University of Maryland Medical School when he leaves here.

Wimpy is a member of the Kappa Alpha Fraternity and served as recording secretary during his Senior year. He also is a member of the Osler Club and other campus organizations.

Kappa Alpha, Recording Secretary 4; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4.

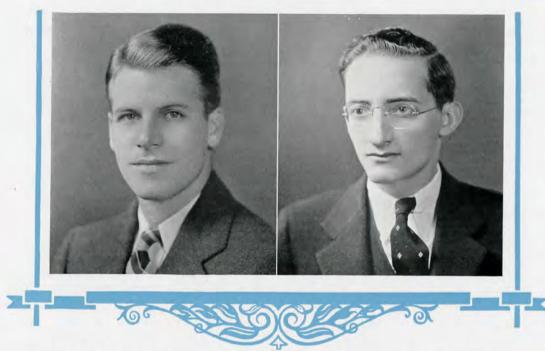
#### ELMER MEREDITH

After graduating with honors from Federalsburg High School, Elmer Meredith entered St. John's in the fall of 1931 for the purpose of learning more about chemistry, which he selected as his major. At the beginning of his Sophomore year Elmer was elected to the Student Council, while at the same time taking part in the activities of the Erlenmyer Chemistry Club, as he continued to do during his Junior and Senior years.

In intramural sports Meredith stands out as the champion horseshoe pitcher of the college, winning the singles tournament in this sport each year for Pinkney Hall. This year Elmer was elected historian of the Senior class. Next year he will study medicine and expects to become a country doctor.

Lenz Club 2; Student Council 1; Erlenmeyer Club 3, 4; Class Historian 2, 3, 4; Osler Pre-Medical Club 1.





#### DAVID EUGENE NOPPER

Dave Nopper will be remembered at St. John's for his ability on the lacrosse field and for his interest in journalism. Slow and easy-going in everyday life, Dave was anything but that on the lacrosse field where he took top honors in all the speed tests held by Coach Moore in the practice sessions. A smooth stick-handler, a superb passer and dodger of no mean ability—as a lacrosse player he ranks among the best.

But foremost in Nopper's interests while at St. John's was newspaper work. Stumbling into the profession by accident during his Freshman year, he was fascinated by it. Without hesitation his mind was soon made up that here was the life work he was looking for. From time to time he sent articles to the Baltimore Sun concerning life at the college, while on Saturdays he worked regularly with the Associated Press, writing up sporting events at the Naval Academy.

German Club; Varsity Club; Student Union Committee; Varsity Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4; All-Maryland Mention 1; All-Maryland Team 3, 4; Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Eminent Recorder 4.

#### JOSEPH NOVEY

Joseph Novey is one of the few men who completed the college course at St John's in three years. He is a graduate of Baltimore City College, and has a bachelor's degree in law from the University of Baltimore. After working in a law office for some time he came to St. John's and enrolled as a Psychology major. In his three years his name has not yet failed to appear on the Dean's List, being in either the first or second groups. Joe took active interest in the work of the Collegian and Rat-Tat and as a result of his activity was given the King William award at the end of his second year. When the Key Society was formed, due to his active interest, Joe was elected as its first president and served it with untiring effort. When the Liberal Club was formed last year he became an active member of this group.

Key Society 3, 4, President 3; Collegian; Rat-Tat; King William Award; Dean's List 1, 2, 3.





#### LAWRENCE JOSEPH O'CONNOR

Lawrence Joseph O'Connor, III was born in Eastport, Maryland, on November 4, 1913. He received his elementary education at St. Mary's Parochial School in Annapolis, and was graduated from Annapolis High School in 1931. He came to St. John's in the fall of the same year. Since then he has been majoring in mathematics. At the end of his Junior year he was awarded the Senior Fellowship by the Board of Visitors and Governors upon his recommendation by the Faculty. He has filled various positions on the staff of the Collegian, including those of sports writer, feature writer and feature editor. For a time he was head of the Intramural Committee of Delta Psi Omega Fraternity of which he is a pledge. At the end of his Junior year he held the handball singles championship and the doubles championship with his partner. He will, if it please God, try for an M.A. in mathematics next year.

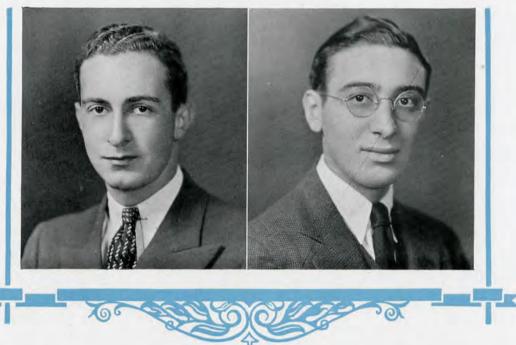
Freshman Basketball, Varsity Basketball Squad 2; Handball Champion 3, 4; Foul Shooting Champion 4; Lenz Club 2; Collegian Feature Editor 4; Rat-Tat 3; Dance Orchestra 3; Delta Kappa Phi 3, 4; President 4; Intramural Council 4; Delta Psi Omega.

#### JOHN BROPHY O'DONNELL

John Brophy O'Donnell spent a year at Loyola College in Baltimore, then came to St. John's after obtaining a Senatorial scholarship. O'Donnell is indeed the man of parts. His broad interests have resulted in his assimilation of courses in such widely varying subjects as chemistry, English, foreign languages and biology with equal facility. He is majoring in mathematics. He received a merit scholarship at the end of his Sophomore year, and in June of 1934 was appointed to the Senior Fellowship by the Board of Visitors and Governors. Other activities include the Collegian, the Rat-Tat, dramatics and the Catalyst. He reveals that his hobby is sleeping; that he likes to write, but is too lazy to do it; that he will go into newspaper work or anything else where he can get a job-otherwise he will try to find the proverbial rich man's daughter. He is a member of Delta Psi Omega Fra-

Collegian 2, 3, 4; Associate Editor 3, 4; Rat-Tat 3; Assistant Editor 3; King William Players 2, 3, 4; Physics Club 2; German Club 2, 3, 4; Henry Winter Davis Liberal Club 2; Associate Editor "The Catalyst" 2, 3; King William Award, Senior Fellow in Ma'hematics Delta Psi Omega, Vice-President 4.





#### ROY LEWIS RASCOVAR

Roy Lewis Rascovar graduated from Forest Park High School in 1932 and has since occupied himself with completing his college course here, in his usual methodical fashion, within three years. Despite the heavy schedule he was forced to adopt, he has, by dint of his efforts, been on the Dean's List for the past two years. Roy is a charter member of the Key Society and has been its Secretary for the past year. He is a member of the Political Affairs Club, this year's Rat-Tat staff and the Orange and Black Society. In his first year he was a member of the Freshman basketball squad. For two seasons Roy has served as an Assistant Manager of lacrosse, and for one season each basketball and football. At present he is Varsity Co-manager of lacrosse. He has also served on the Randall House Committee and taken active part in Intramural activities.

Freshman Basketball, Freshman Football Manager 1; Assistant Manager Lacrosse 1, 2; Manager 3; Dean's List 2, 3; Orange and Black Society 2, 3; Political Affairs Club 3; Key Society 2, 3; Secretary 3.

#### PHILIP J. RUSSILLO

Philip J. Russillo is a graduate of the Norwich Academy of Norwich, Conn. After leaving there he went to the George Washington College of the University of New York for a year. He came to St. John's in 1932 as a Sophomore. Upon entering here he decided to major in the Pre-Medical courses. Along this line he decided it would be for his educational betterment if he would join the Osler Club, which is closely connected with Biology and the Pre-Medical sciences. Philip has been an active worker in this organization for the past three years. However, all of his attention has not been devoted to this field as, in his second year, he found time to become a member of the Boxing team in his Sophomore year, being one of the leading fighters in the 115-pound class. Philip at the present time lives in Norwich, Conn.

Boxing 2; Osler Club 2, 3, 4.



#### EPHRAIM ROY SHAWN

Roy is one of the more quiet, unobstrusive members of this year's Senior class. In fact, the only way that one would get to know him would be to take Chemistry. He is always over at Humphries fooling around with test-tubes and Bunsen burners. Oh, yes, you can usually find him in between times shooting a game of eight-ball in the Student Union.

As a Freshman he had a very interesting experience. While walking to his home in West Annapolis on the night before the Hopkins game a carload of marauding Hopkins students picked Roy up and took him to Baltimore. The fact that he was a Freshman football player deterred them from trying any form of rough house. The loss of a rat cap was the only loss he suffered, but he mourned that as the Sophomore Council took him in hand until he got another.

Lenz Club 2; Chemistry Club 3, 4; Chairman of Program Committee 4; Laboratory Assistant in Chemistry 3, 4; Freshman Football, Varsity Football Squad 2, 3.

#### LOUIS AMBROSE SNYDER

Louis A. Snyder entered St. John's in the fall of 1931 after graduating from Hagerstown High School. His quiet good nature soon won the admiration of his fellow students. During his freshman year he became an Assistant Manager of basketball. His efficiency here attracted the eye of Coach Lentz who transferred him to the stock room in the gym. During the rest of his Freshman year and during his Sophomore and Junior years he could be seen every afternoon taking care of the athletic equipment. At the beginning of his Senior year he transferred to the infirmary where he finished out his college course as Dr. Murphy's head assistant.

Lou was also a member of the Colonial Club and Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity, serving as president of the latter in his Sophomore year.

Manager of Stockroom 1, 2, 3; Co-operative Managers' Society 4; Colonial Club 3; Manager of Baseball 4; Sigma Alpha Epsilon; President 2.



#### ROBERT NOBLE SOSMAN

Robert Noble Sosman came to St. John's after prepping a year at Phillips Andover Academy in Massachusetts. He has followed his love of the stage from the start. He has been a member of the King William Players for four years, has participated in every production but one, which he directed, and was president of the organization during his Senior year. This work, together with activities on the staffs of the Collegian and the Rat-Tat, won him membership in Delta Omicron at the end of his Junior year. The stage has remained, however, his first and most lasting love; he misses not a production in Baltimore or Washington during the winter, and his vacations consist of trips from Westfield to New York—theatre bound. He thinks he may enter a dramatic school after graduation. He is a member of Delta Psi Omega Fraternity.

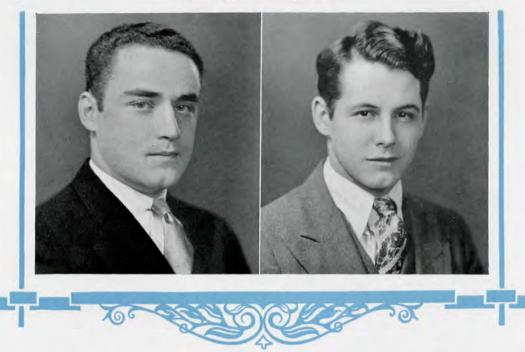
President of King William Players 3, 4; Collegian 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### MORRIS EZRA STONER

Morris Ezra Stoner came to St. John's College as a graduate of the Stafford High School, of Garrisonville, Virginia. He decided to major in Biology and along this line he became a member of the Osler Club which he has belonged to for four years, being its Secretary-Treasurer in his Junior year and President in his Senior year. Dramatics claimed his interest and he became a member of the King William Players in his first two years and their Stage Manager in his Sopromore year. Other activities also claimed Morris's attention as he was a member of the German Club for three years and the Glee Club during its initial year's existence. He took an active interest in Intramural Athletics, being one of Pinkney Hall's outstanding players.

King William Players 1, 2; Stage Manager 2; Osler Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary-Treasurer 3; President 4; German Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 4.





#### DAVID KING USHER

David King Usher came to St. John's from Augusta Military Academy. His chief interest in the field of sports has been lacrosse, where he has held a midfield position on the Varsity for three years. As a result of this he was elected to the Varsity Club at the close of his Sophomore year. In the fall and winter he has been active in nearly every branch of Intermural sports. In a scholastic line he started out by making the Dean's List and has been consistantly above the average ever since. In other lines his chief interest has been his fraternity.

In his Senior year he was elected president and filled this office with due credit to both himself and the fraternity. He has also served two years on the Inter-fraternity Council, acting as its presiding officer during the past year. In his Junior year he was elected to the Colonial Club and has also served as president of that organization this year.

Henry Winter Davis Liberal Club 2; Colonial Club 3; Interfraternity Council 3, 4; Secretary 4; Freshman Lacrosse, Varsity Lacrosse, 2, 3, 4; Phi Sigma Kappa, President 3, 4.

#### ALBERT LEWIS VIGILANTE

Albert Lewis Vigilante is a graduate of Ossining High School. He decided to make the Pre-Medical courses his major while at St. John's. The Osler Club at once claimed his attention and he was its Secretary-Treasurer in his second year and President during his Junior year. He was a member of the King William Players and was its Vice-President during his first two years. The Collegian and Rat-Tat both drew his attention and in his third year he was Associate Editor of each publication. Al was also a member of the German Club, being its President in his Junior year, Manager of the Band in his Sophomore year and he is President of the Glee Club at the present time. With all these activities he found time to devote to Fencing in his first and fourth years. In return for all these extra-curricular activities Al was elected to Delta Omicron, St. John's honor society.

King William Players V. P. 1, 2; Collegian 1, 2, 3; Associate Editor 3; Rat-Tat Associate Editor 3; Osler Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary-Treasurer 2, President 3; German Club 2, 3, President 3; Fencing 1, 4; Delta Omicron; Band Manager 2; Glee Club President 4.



#### JOHN HENRY VON DREELE

John Henry Von Dreele was born in Baltimore, Md., twenty-one years ago. He attended Baltimore City College for four years before entering St. John's in the fall of 1931.

"Dutch", as he is known, soon became well known on the campus and became a member of Phi Sigma Kappa Fraternity. During his four years here he has shown a great interest in his house and at one time served as auditor. At all times he has been a great help to the house by taking part in the Intramural athletics. Johnny's minor sports include ping-pong and bridge.

Ever since "Dutch" first entered college he has desired to study medicine, and with this in view has taken a Pre-Medical major. He is a member and has taken great interest in the Osler Pre-Medical Club.

Osler Pre-Medical Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### HENRY REGINALD WEEKS

Henry Reginald Weeks came to St. John's four years ago after being graduated from Great Neck High School, in Great Neck. Long Island. He is a member of the Phi Chapter of Alpha Kappa Pi; in his Sophomore year he served his fraternity as sentinel, as treasurer in his Junior year, and in his Senior year as president. As a class officer his career has been nearly as brilliant; he was elected vice-president of his class in 1933-34, and president for this present year. Deek, has been a member of the All-Maryland football team for the last two years; this came as a result of his consistent fine playing in the position of left tackle for his entire four years in college. Weeks is a member of the Varsity and Colonial Clubs, and is an Economic major.

Alpha Kappa Pi, Sentinel 2, Treasurer 3, President 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lacrosse 1; Class Vice-President 3; Class President 4; Varsity Club; Colonial Club.





#### DALTON WELTY

After graduating from Hagerstown High School in 1931, Dalton M. Welty entered St. John's. He immediately attracted the attention of the professors with his brilliant scholastic record. At the first quarter he established a position for himself at the very top which he has maintained for four years despite the fact that he is taking one of the hardest courses given at St. John's.

This record seems all the more remarkable when one looks over Dalton's list of extracurricular activities for it shows that he is not exclusively a bookworm. Music, sports and literary work are all included in Welty's schedule. He was awarded one of the coveted Senior Fellowships by the Board of Visitors and Governors last year.

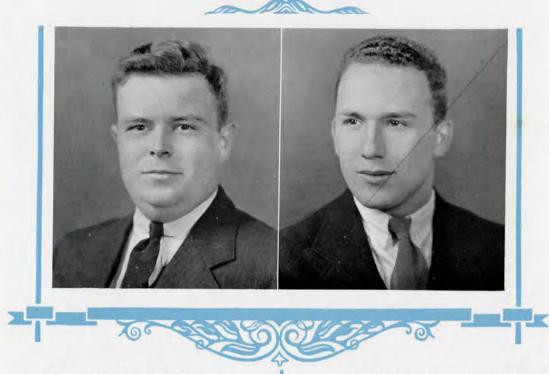
Dean's List, 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Scholastic Merit Award, Collegian 1, 2, 3; Sports Editor 2; Associate Editor 3; Rat-Tat 1, 2; Sports Editor 2; Prince William Award, King William Award, Delta Omicron, College Band 1, 2, 3; Osler Pre-Medical Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Interfraternity Council, Cross Country Squad 1, 2; Senior Fellow in Biology, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, President 4.

#### FRANK WILSON, JR.

Although coming to St. John's from Forest Park High School in Baltimore, Frank has lived with relatives in town during all of his four years at St. John's. Nevertheless he has taken an active interest in the activities around the college while at the same time establishing himself as somewhat of a student. Having somewhat of a quiet nature about him, Frank has always been well liked at college.

During his Sophomore year Frank went out for basketball, but confined his activities on the athletic fields during his other years playing on the intramural teams which represented his fraternity. Frank is majoring in Mathematics, but has divided most of his elective courses among the group of social sciences and philosophy.

Rat-Tat Staff 2, 3, 4; Sports Editor 3; Collegian 1, 2, 3, 4; King William Award (Silver); Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Eminent Chronicler 4.



#### JAMES CORNELIUS WILSON

James Cornelius Wilson of Wethersfield, Connecticut, is one of the most colorful members of the graduating class. Jimmy prepped at Wilbraham Academy in Wilbraham, Massachusetts. During his Freshman year he played football and has been active in intermural sports for his house, Alpha Kappa Pi. In his Junior year he was chaplain of his fraternity, and has always played an important part in the pledging activities of A. K. P. He was consistently a friend to the Freshmen in their woodhunting escapades; in fact he entered into the spirit of the affair as if he were a Freshman, but not to be too much of a pal for he was a staunch believer in keeping the Freshman in his place and he did wield a wicked paddle. His school spirit has never been dampened by the failures of the teams regardless of the tide he is always cheering. Jim is a Psychology major.

Alpha Kappa Pi, Chaplain 3; Football 1.

#### CHARLES OLIVER WINGATE, JR.

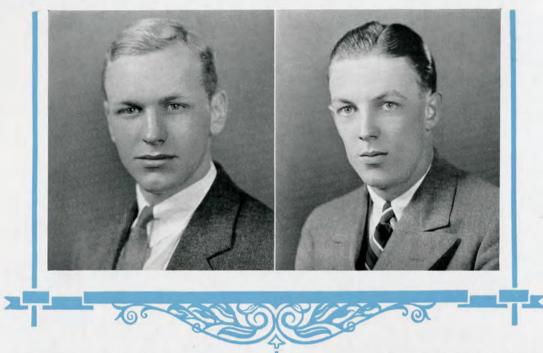
Charles Oliver Wingate Jr., one of St. John's own sons, was a member of the freshman football and lacrosse teams and general all-around athlete of that year. A heavy schedule in chemistry, his major subject, caused Buck to discontinue his participation in varsity athletics at the beginning of his Sophomore year but did not keep the Fooze from devoting all his spare time to his fraternity, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, and to the general social atmosphere of the college, for always a ladies man, the curly headed boy from Baltimore has caused more than one heart to flutter.

Besides his two room-mates, Buck has always been proud of his brother Ham and is continually foregoing his own pleasure so that he may point out his virtues.

Smart attire, snappy witticisms, and a distinctive "good fellow attitude" has accounted for Buck's popularity and prominence on the St. John's Campus.

Freshman Football Numerals; Freshman Lacrosse Numerals; German Club; Physics Club; Chemistry Club Sigma Alpha Epsilon.





#### RICHARD SAGE WOODMAN

Richard Sage Woodman has been active in extra-curricular affairs as well as maintaining a high standing in his academic activities. He served in various capacities on the business staffs of the Rat-Tat and Collegian, reaching the peak of his success in his Junior year when he was elected business manager of both publications. Dick, an A. K. P., who comes from Tenafly, New Jersey, has been active in athletics. He played on the tennis team every year and was captain for the last two seasons. In his Freshman year he began working in the intramural department and in his Senior year was made intramural manager. In recognition of this work he has been elected a member of the Orange and Black Society. Woodman is a Government major and has taken an active part in the formation and management of the Public Affairs Club. His chief interests are the same as his outstanding activities: Public affairs and

Alpha Kappa Pi; Collegian 1, 2, Business Manager 3, 4; Rat-Tat 1, 2, Business Manager 3; Tennis Team 1, Captain 2, 3; Intramural Staff 1, 2, 3, Manager 4; Orange and Black Society; Public Affairs Club.

#### WAITMANN BURGESS ZINN

Waitmann B. Zinn came to St. John's College from Gilman Country School. He became a member of Phi Sigma Kappa Fraternity early in his Freshman year and since then has been promoting the welfare of his fraternity, and also has been active in the Osler Club, intramurals, and in the social life on the campus. He has dominated the brothers of his fraternity with a wonderful sense of humor, and we feel that this will be very adaptable to his later profession.

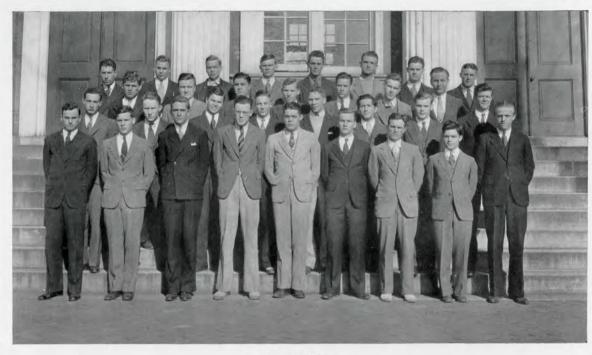
Upon being graduated Waitman, better known as "Doc", expects to enter one of the big medical universities and spend the next six years of his life in acquiring a doctors' degree. After the completion of this period he will practice with his father.

That Waitmann is entering the medical profession, purely for the love of it, is proved to a certain extent by his refusal to accept a very lucrative offer by a certain well known automobile company to take charge of their testing grounds.

Osler Pre-Medical Club 1, 2; Colonial Club 4; Phi Sigma Kappa, Treasurer 2.

## J U N I O R S



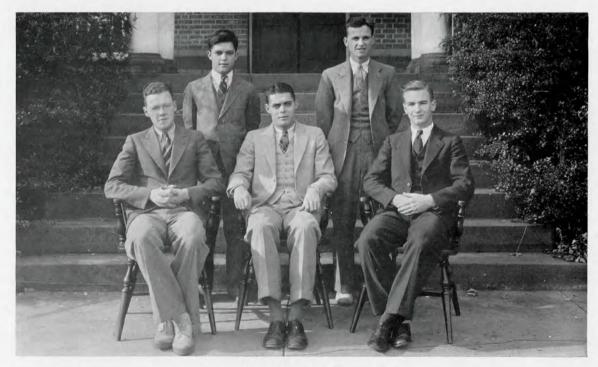


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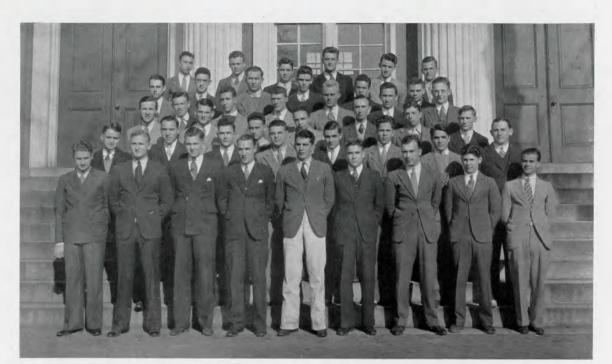
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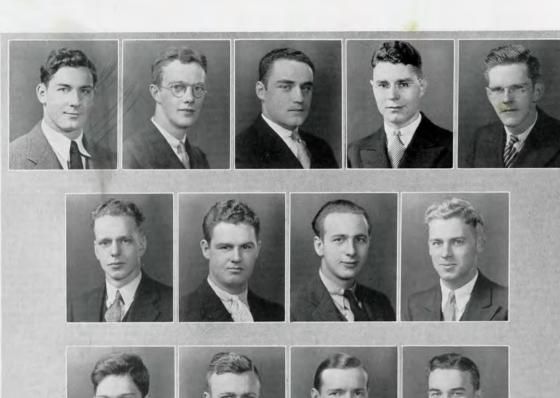
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PHI SIGMA KAPPA



# Phi Sigma Kappa

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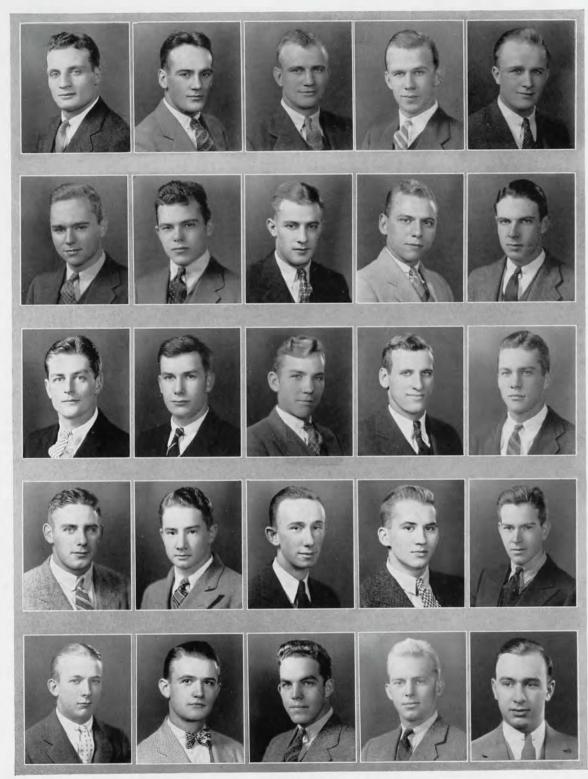
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Chapters, 48 Flower—Red Carnation





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# Kappa Alpha

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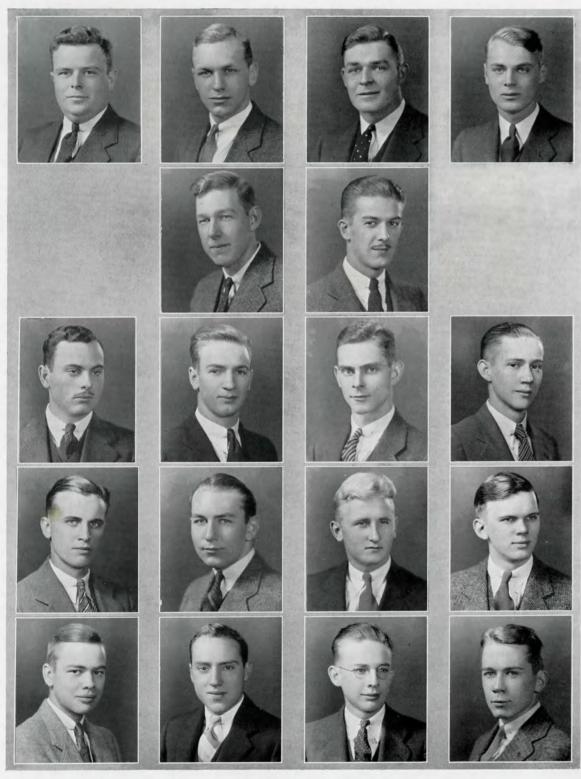
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Luther Miller '20

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ALPHA KAPPA PI



# Alpha Kappa Pi

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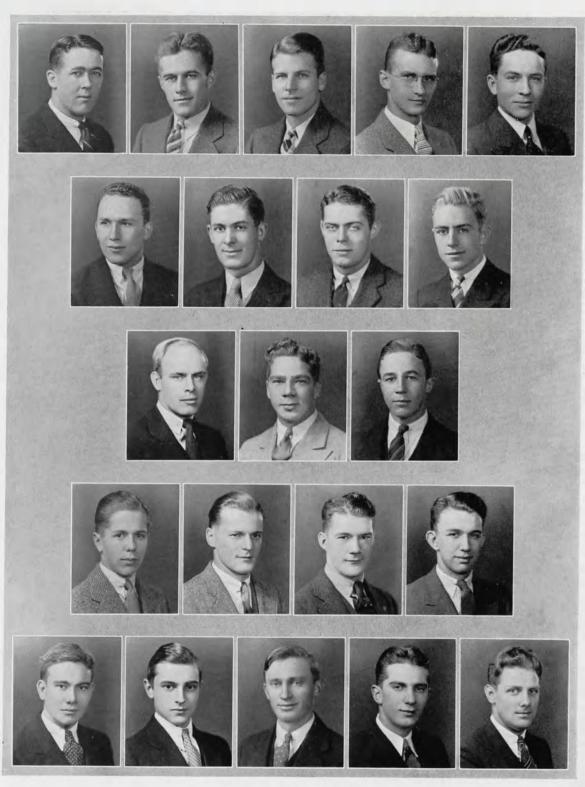
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Wilbur McLaren
Albert Patrick
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Thomas Smith
Richard Waters
Charles Westcott
Charles Lort
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FACULTY MEMBER Paul Allen, Jr.

Founded 1921 Chapter, 1932 Chapters, 22 Flower—Yellow Tea Rose





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# Sigma Alpha Epsilon

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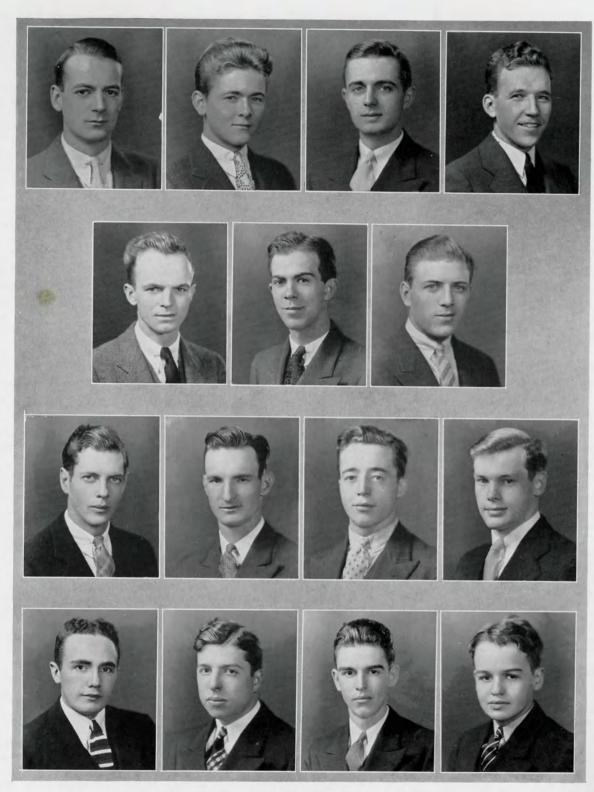
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Chapters, 110 Flower—Violet





DELTA PSI OMEGA



# Delta Psi Omega

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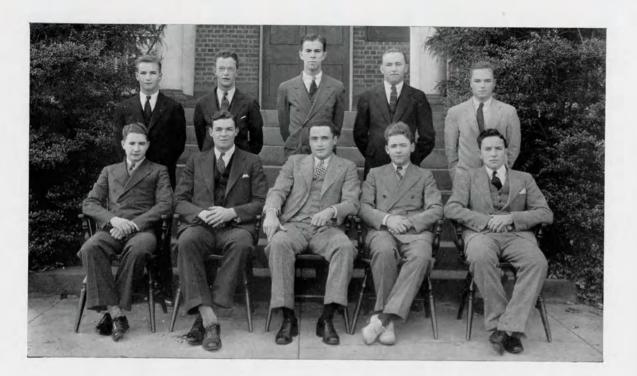
#### FACULTY MEMBERS

Hermann Bernhard

Robert W. Elliot, Jr.

Founded 1928

Flower—Thistle



## Pan - Hellenic Council

HE keen competition between fraternities anxious to improve their organizations has always been one of benefit to a college, if properly controlled. Unfortunately, this kind of competition is much harder to control than that of the business variety. Marketable goods and students differ greatly. However, as the number of fraternities increased on the St. John's Campus and as the competition between them became keener, an attempt to control that competition was made. The Pan-Hellenic Council was formed. The purpose of this organization was to take care of differences among the fraternities themselves, disputes between the administration and the fraternities, and any such business which required the concerted action of the member fraternities. Two members of each fraternity are elected to serve on the Council, which is presided over by the president of the college. The specific duties of the Council are to determine the rushing season, to assign rush nights, and to make and enforce rushing regulations. Infractions of the Council's rulings are dealt with and punished by the Council. The Council is thus the sole arbiter of fraternity difficulties, subject only to the suggestions of the Student Council and the administration.

It is not difficult to see that the judgment of the members must be entirely impersonal and unselfish if the Council is to be effective, especially since the members themselves are directly affected by the Council's decisions. If the Council has failed in its purpose it is because the members have not dared to act as judges, but acted as fraternity delegates.

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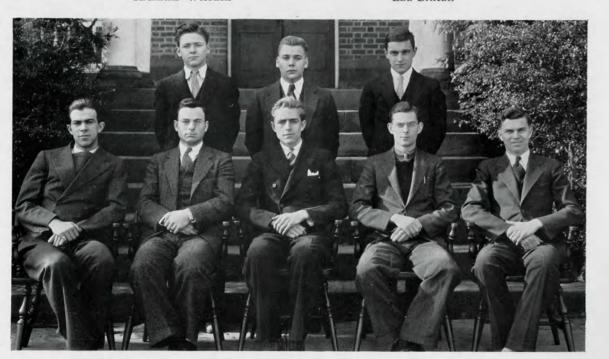
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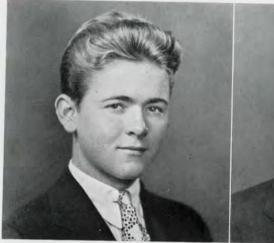
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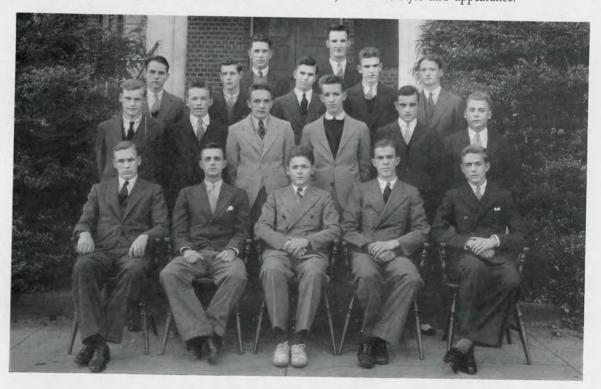




The Collegian

HE St. John's Collegian under the editorship of Roland J. Bailey, Jr., witnessed the inauguration of Colonel Woodcock and the passing of his first year as President of the College. Realizing the critical nature of the period from which the College was emerging, the Collegian refrained as far as it could from any critical attitude and attempted to use its editorial columns for constructive comment and suggestion. This policy culminated toward the close of the editor's regime in the advocation of such a reorganization of the administrative department of the College as to distribute the power more fairly among the various groups closely connected with the institution.

In the course of the past year the Collegian has published a number of Alumni issues of which copies were distributed to all living Alumni in the interests of a closer connection between them and St. John's. The editor considers his greatest mechanical contribution to the Collegian to be the revision in the make-up of its pages which lends itself to a more journalistic style and appearance.







#### The Student Council

HE Student Council occupies a position of dignity and responsibility on the college campus. This body is the recognized organ of effective student expression. It is to the Student Council that the colleges officers appeal when they desire something from the undergraduates, and through the Student Council these undergraduates may express their opinions and requests to the college authorities and expect them to receive due consideration. The Student Council at St. John's has the duty of maintaining gentlemanly order in the dining hall and dormitories and at the college dances. The Council hears all student discipline cases and has the power of imposing certain penalties, the more drastic of which are subject to the approval of the Faculty Council. Our Student Council is far from being a powerless body. It is an extremely important factor in the promotion of the happiness and spirit of the undergraduate body. Its proper functioning is one of the best guarantees of harmony within the college.

For the year 1934-35 we were fortunate in the choice of a president. Calvin Lotz, '35, has proved himself a conscientious and determined man for this, the highest of student offices. He has shown qualities of leadership and has fostered a spirit of cooperation between the students and faculty and within the Student Body.

One change that we feel was an improvement was inaugurated this year. In previous years it has been claimed that some one fraternity has managed to gain control of the Student Council and has thereby prevented it from being truly representative of the Student Body. This year the class representatives were abolished, and no one fraternity has the opportunity to get a monopoly. The members of the 1934-35 council are: President, Calvin Lotz, '35; Secretary, David Harkness, '35; Charles Anderson, '35; Roland Bailey, '35; Gordon Boucher, '35; Louis Eickwort, '35; William Rairigh, '36; and Harry Traynor, '35.

In the past two years the Student Council has taken quite a few steps forward. It has passed from a rather insignificant place into its rightful status as the leader of student life in general. It is hoped, and may well be expected, that this process of improvement will continue. President Lotz has found that the administration is conscious of the position of the Student Council on the campus and that it is willing to deal with it as the main organ of student opinion. The Council has made several reasonable requests for changes in the college regulations and has obtained its requests from the administration. Next year's Council should realize the magnitude of its task as it assumes the responsibility of carrying forward the work of the 1934-35 Council.



#### Social Committee

NDER the guidance of Alphonse Farone, '35, the Social Committee has completed another successful year. Whereas, heretofore the success of the Committee has been measured almost entirely from a social basis, they were prepared to report a profitable financial gain during the past year. Holding dances approximately once every month, the Committee presented a very interesting and enjoyable year of dancing. For the most part, the music has been furnished by that famous group "The Townsmen", who, because of their popularity around the campus, have practically the sole rights of Johnnie entertainment. The decorations have achieved variety and novelty and have always been handled in good taste.

Probably the outstanding dance of the year was the Christmas Dance in Iglehart Hall. The decorations were, as ever, pleasing and pretty, but the big surprise of the evening came in the person of Santa, himself, who was ably portrayed by one of the students, to the delight and amusement of all present. Santa distributed presents for the girls and received a rousing reception from all of the fair sex. The music for this very successful occasion was furnished by the "Townsmen".

In addition to this noteworthy affair, each dance during the year has had some outstanding characteristic that made it all the more pleasant to the dancers. Some have featured lighting effects, some decorations and some change of orchestra, which, while not as popular as the regular orchestra, served to instill a feeling of novelty and proper change.

All the success of the Social Committee is not, however, due entirely to Farone. If his other members on the Committee had not been willing to do all in their power in aiding him in his efforts, the success would not have been so glorious. Constantly working under the handicap of limited membership, the Committee has consistently introduced each new dance as a presentation of the highest caliber. Each of the members of the Social Committee feels that he is as much an integral part of the organization as is the Chairman, and consequently takes a very active part in all of the ventures. The element of unity and cooperation which is so obviously prevalent in the group is probably the key to the success that they have attained during the past year in the fulfillment of their official duties. Because of the efficiency and ingenuity of the Committee the Student Body has taken a dedicedly new slant on college functions and has given them the full support they deserve as an indispensable part of the life here at St. John's.





## King William Players

HE King William Players, the dramatic organization of the students of St. John's College, has recently completed the most successful year of activity in its history. Evolving from an amateurish group of several seasons ago the Players have developed into an experienced and highly entertaining organization. During the past few years the standard of the type of show attempted by the Players has been raised and the company has been willing to tackle difficult Broadway productions along with the more minor creations. The reason for this very promising improvement in the Players is the newly stimulated interest aroused by the recent officers of the group. Everyone has been given a chance to display the hidden talents that he possesses and many discoveries have been made through this channel.

The first attempt of the Players to get away from amateurish productions was their presentation of that famous play by Galsworthy, "Old English". Capable and outstanding performances were given in this play by the entire cast. Then followed "The Dover Road", by A. S. Milne, "Outward Bound", by Sutton Vane, and "Goodbye Again", by Allan Scott and George Haight. Each of these performances was well received by the audiences. The first of these three plays just mentioned was directed by Vernon Novicki, a former student at St. John's, who is now directing a professional group. The second play, "Outward Bound", was under the direction of Dr. Nathan C. Starr, former professor of English at St. John's. Several new prospective stars were discovered in this play. The final play, and probably the most successful production ever completed by the student organization, was "Goodbye Again". The services of Bretaigne Windust, the director of the original New York production, was secured for this effort, and aided greatly in making it successful. Because of the popular reception given the play on its Annapolis presentation it was taken to Salisbury, Maryland, the week following, and to Baltimore, under the auspices of the Baltimore Alumni, a week later.

The 1935 season continued the good work of the previous year with S. N. Behrman's "Biography" as the first play. This was followed by a popular play along more serious lines, "Children of the Moon".

Robert Noble Sosman, '35, who has participated in every play given by the Players since he entered College, is President of the group this year, while Robert H. Lampee, '35, also active in the Players successes, is serving as Business Manager and Treasurer.



### The Glee Club

HE Glee Club, the musical organization of the students of St. John's College, was organized last Thanksgiving under the guidance of Mrs. M. Talbott Riggs. Because of a demand on the part of the students that some sort of means be provided whereby they could assemble for group singing, this action was taken. Two years ago there was a movement of this sort, and some action was taken in the way of organizing a singing society, but because of lack of support on the campus, the plan fell through. Lack of interest and attendance was the primary cause of the failure. This newly-formed group, however, is quite interested in the work, and good attendance is a factor in the quick development made by the Club.

Rehearsals are held twice a week by popular request, and for an hour and a half every Tuesday and Thursday evenings students are given a chance to prove their merits in a group singing and solo work. Certain fine voices have been uncovered. Mrs. Riggs praises the amazing progress made by the Club, and is delighted that they were able to master some of the more difficult works along with the simple. "It is not usual that a newly-organized singing body can tackle the complex passages of certain numbers with any degree of success," Mrs. Riggs stated.

There are now twenty-five members of the Club, and the list is rapidly growing every day. The College furnished the financial backing for the music and other matters, and the Administration has given its whole hearted approval to the venture.

Besides the regular ensemble, there is a quartet, and a trio for popular numbers. Mrs. Riggs feels that the trio could be used to balance any sort of program given in the proposed concert tour. The Club has received invitations to visit several of the nearby colleges to give concerts and these invitations will be accepted in the very near future.

The officers of the Club are: President, Albert Vigilanti, '35; Secretary, Lawrason Crane, '36; Executive Committee, Max Glickman, '35, and Stuart Christhilf, '38. The director of the Club is Mrs. Riggs. Professor George Bingley of the Mathematics Department is accompanist.





### The Symphony Orchestra

N this age when people are so used to being entertained, and when entertainment is so easily obtained, a program must be good in order not to bore the audience. The Symphony Orchestra concerts have been very good. The first concert of this year, given in December, brought forth enthusiastic comments from those who heard it. We quote one competent critic: "The program was extremely well chosen and, as a whole performed with skill, accuracy, and enthusiasm." Under the direction of Mr. Adolph Torovsky, the orchestra played the overture of von Gluck's "Iphigenia in Aulis." Haydn's Symphony No. 7 in C major, Luigini's "Ballet Egyptian," Strauss' Waltz, "Artist's Life," and a selection from Verdi's "Traviata" were also included. The guest soloist of the evening was Adolph Torovsky, Jr., a well known pianist and organist of Washington, D. C. In regard to this part of the program, it can be said that it was felt that nothing more could be desired—except one or more selections.

Other concerts were given in March and May. The director was fortunate in obtaining for all three of these concerts the assistance of several musicians from Annapolis, Baltimore and Washington. The soloist for the March concert was Joseph Florestano, tenor, an alumnus of St. John's at present studying in the Peabody Conservatory of Music in Baltimore. The audiences, for the most part, have been composed of members of the faculty and their wives and interested townspeople. These, with the few students who attend, can bear witness that the concerts were well worth while.

We feel that it is fitting to quote here a tribute paid to Mr. Torovsky during the year.

"St. John's College is fortunate, indeed, to have a man of Mr. Torovsky's caliber and personality as the leader of its orchestra. His thorough schooling and untiring devotion to his task has raised the level of the orchestra to a height of which he can be proud. Although considerably hampered by the yearly changes in men, Mr. Torovsky has built up a musical tradition among St. John's men which secures the conductor a permanent position in the annals of our institution."

In addition to the three enjoyable concerts the orchestra has played each Tuesday morning for the chapel exercises. For this work, the members deserve praise for their faithfulness; and, all in all, considering the time, the weather, the rush, the noise, and other contributory factors, the morning music has been good. Surely music and the organizations that bring us music deserve a high place in college life.

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#### The Band

NE of the most important organizations in every college is the college band. The band of St. John's is no exception. Since its reorganization several years ago it has grown steadily in importance to become an integral part of the college organization. It is small in size but something with which we could not very well do without.

The most important function of the band is to play at the athletic games both at home and away. Here it has been a rousing influence when playing away from college, the band has made a consistently good impression, and has been an asset in leading songs for our rooting section.

The hey-day of the band's career is always the night of the freshman pajama parade which immediately preceds the bonfire previous to the Hopkins-St. John's football game. For years the band has been leading the freshmen (and students) in their annual parade through the streets of the city, and the Naval Academy, stopping to play for the governor and the midshipmen. Later in the evening, when the students are assembled around the bonfire, the band plays the St. John's songs while the students sing to the Gods for victory in the coming game.

Much of the success of the band is due to the efforts of Professor Adolf Torovsky who is in charge of the band and who, though at times his task has been severe, has always succeeded in moulding into a working organization the small group of men who represent the musical talent of the college.





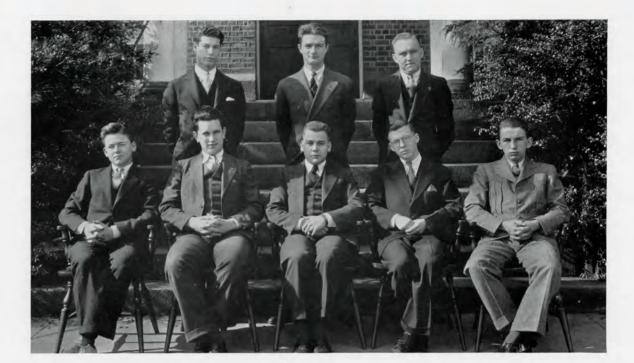
#### The German Club

HE German Club's purpose is to further the knowledge of German life, culture and achievements in a way not always attainable in a classroom. The membership includes, however, not only those who are studying the language but also those who may be following other courses and yet have an interest in the civilization, rather than the political tendencies, of Germany. No knowledge of German is necessary for membership.

At the monthly meetings held at the Brice House home of Dr. Richard Kuehnemund of the German Department, films of travel in Germany are presented on the motion picture projector purchased this year by the club. This series has included "Along the Rhine," "Oberammergau," "Vintagers' Festival in the Palatinate" and other reels of individual cities. The programs also include short talks on various phases of German life given either by Professor Kuehnemund or by individual members and followed by group discussion.

Dr. Kuehnemund provides the musical accompaniment when old German student songs are sung by the members. At other times he gives short piano recitals for the enjoyment of those present. Typical German refreshments provide the finishing touch to one of the most enjoyable of extra-curricular activities at St. John's.

The oficers of the German Club are, Irvin Meginnis, '36, President; D. Edward McGarrow, '35, Secretary-Treasurer; and Professor Richard Kuehnemund, Advisor.



### St. John's Forum

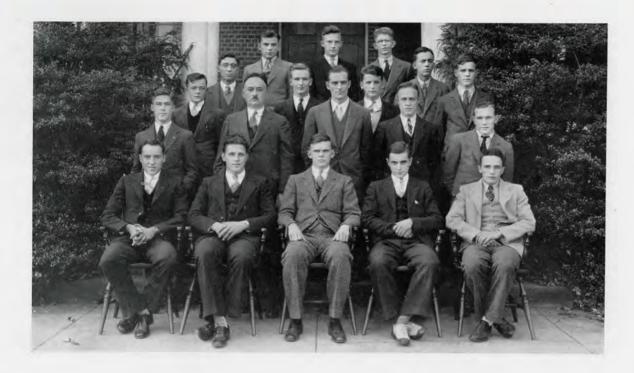
HE St. John's Forum was formally organized on November 14, 1934, to fill a vacancy that was very apparent on the campus. Up to that time we had had no course in public speaking nor any organization to encourage public speaking. Early in the school year President Woodcock got this movement under way. He acted as temporary chairman of the group until the formal organization was accomplished. Since that time he has continued to take an active part in the work of this group, coaching and criticizing the debaters at the weekly meetings. The officers for this year are William Rairigh, '36, Chairman, and Elwood Barkman, '38, Secretary.

For the first half of the year the activities of the Forum were confined to debates among the members on such subjects as: The comparative values of colleges and penal institutions as training places for young men, the usefulness of Will Rogers as a citizen, freedom of speech in academic circles, and compulsory military training. During the latter part of the year the Forum has engaged in several intercollegiate debates.

It is hoped that this organization will help to develop public speakers and debaters. In his coaching, President Woodcock tries to aid the students in developing their speaking voices and in devolping their abilities for analysing questions and formulating arguments. The aims of the Forum are high, and appearances justify the belief that much will be accomplished.

Intercollegiate debates were held with Hobart College, Rutgers, Washington College, and Maryland College for Women. The subject for discussion in all of the intercollegiate debates was Resolved: that the nations should prohibit the international traffic in armaments and munitions." St. John's will defend the negative in all the debates. William Rairigh, '36, Elwood Barkman, '38, and Theodore Williams, '38, will represent the college.





### The Erlenmeyer Chemistry Club

HE Erlenmeyer Chemistry Club has been reorganized this year with an extensive program wellworked out to realize the Club's aim "to enjoy chemistry as well as study it." An invitation was extended to the members of the Science Club of the Annapolis High School to become affiliated with the Erlenmeyer organization. This was gladly accepted and thus the local membership was greatly increased.

A complete series of motion pictures on various interesting subjects related to chemistry was booked for the year and shown at the meetings in Humphreys Hall Auditorium. The titles included "The Production and Manufacture of Rubber," "Bakelite, a Product of the Chemical Laboratory," "Steel Manufacturing," "From Mine to Consumer—the Mining, Refining and Manufacturing of Copper and Brass and Finished Articles," and numerous others. Following the showing of the films, individual members were permitted to demonstrate unusual experimens for the benefit of the others present. Questions from the audience were allowed and then the meetings were usually concluded with light refreshments prepared by several members of the club.

In addition to the regular semi-monthly meetings this year, the Erlenmeyer Club planned several group trips to manufacturing plants in and near Baltimore. For the first of these the club journeyed to the plant of the Baltimore Copper Refining Works at Sparrows Point.

The officers of the Erlenmeyer Club for this year are Frank R. Gessner, Jr. '36, President; Norval F. Kemp, '37, Secretary-Treasurer, and Professors Paul Allen Jr., Hermann Bernhard and George Mc-Farlin, Advisors.



#### The Osler Pre-Medical Club

N the last hundred years or so a new group of men and women has risen to a place of high worth and has commanded great affection and esteem among civilized people These men and women are the members of the medical profession. They have conquered many physical barriers to commercial and industrial progress, they have reduced the terrors of disease for the common man, they have discovered many means of relieving suffering, they have taught us much that can help us get the most out of the bodies with which we are endowed. High among the names of these public benefactors stands that of Sir William Osler, a British physician and scientist who spent many of the best years of his life in the United States and Canada, and was a member of the faculty of the Johns Hopkins Medical School for some years.

The fact that the medical club at St. John's College bears the name of this man is an indication of its worthy purpose: to promote a high attitude toward medicine among those students who choose that profession as their life's work. During the year, the club sponsors an educational and inspirational program which includes motion pictures, lectures, demonstrations, and tours of inspection. At the regular bi-monthly meetings, the members discuss scientific subjects of interest to them. The members of the biology department of the college have taken a great interest in the club and have been a great help in making it a success.

The officers for this year are as follows: President, Morris Stoner '35; Vice-President, Lester Wall '37; Secretary-Treasurer, Morton Fine '35.





## The Varsity Club

OUNDED several years ago, and reorganized by some of the coaches two years ago, the Varsity Club has grown into a very successful organization of the athletes of St. John's College, upholding clean sportsmanship and the development of physical education. The club has not limited its efforts to the sole purpose of furthering the athletic endeavors of the College, as it has sponsored some highly successful dances, proms, and dinners during the few years of its existence.

The aim and purpose of the club is fully expressed in the preamble to its constitution: "The object shall be to maintain the highest ideal of amateur sport in College; to help promote the development of physical education; to encourage standardization of the rules of all athletic games; to urge competition and participation of all students at St. John's in athletics.

"To stand for a high sense of honor, fair play, and courtesy toward our opponents, and to act as hosts to guests, officials, and spectators; to stoop to no petty technicalities to avoid rules, or to take unfair advantage of opponents.

"Furthermore, we propose to help and aid in directing the athletic interests of our members, to develop and strengthen a more substantial and practical relationship between its members, the various other organizations on the campus, and the Alumni; to foster Intercollegiate activities in every form in order that they may improve physical condition, strengthen the morale of the students, and form a constituent part of that education for which we were established and are maintained."

Each of the members has become an outstanding exponent of this fine preamble, and each is doing "his duty to himself, his friend, and his college." Their influence upon the morale and good fellowship at St. John's College has been steadying and inspirational.

The officers of the club are: John C. Donohue, '35, President; Edward DeLisio, '35, Vice-President; James Hays, '35, Secretary; Calvin Lotz, '35, Treasurer; Angus Lamond, '35, sergeant-at-arms.



# The Orange And Black Society

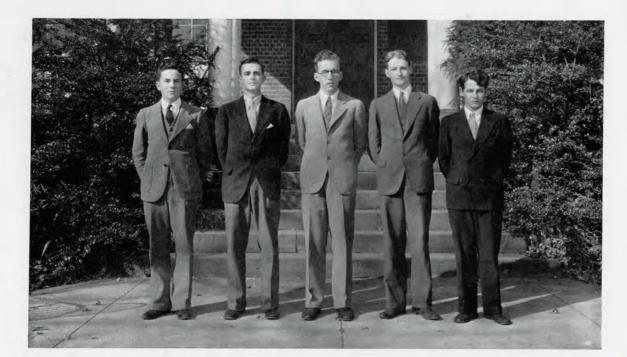
NTIL last year the managers of the various sports at the college had no organization. Because of this some men worked for three years and yet did not receive varsity monograms while others became varsity managers in their junior year. The Orange and Black Society was organized by Coach Lentz primarily to remedy this unhealthy condition through an internal organization of the managers which will insure every man who works diligently a varsity monogram and the managership of a varsity sport in his senior year.

The Society is made up of those men who have served at least one year's apprenticeship as assistant manager of some sport. The head of the Society is made the undergraduate manager of athletics and receives a varsity monogram for his work. His duties consist mainly in supervising the work of the other managers.

The job of selecting the managers of the various sports for the following year has been turned over to the executive council of the Society which is made up of the various managers of the various sports, the undergraduate manager, and the graduate manager (or whoever carries out his duties).

In addition to the routine duties of the managers which were carried out by the managers before the advent of this organization, the Society has several committees which care for the visiting teams and publicity.

The officers of the Society for this year are: James Hays '35, Undergraduate Manager; Louis Snyder '35, Secretary-Treasurer.



#### Delta Omicron

OR the recognition of achievements other than athletic St. John's offers membership in Delta Omicron. Admission to the fraternity is based upon a series of point awards that are made for participation in extra-curricular activities (not including sports). Below Delta Omicron and related to it are the Prince William Society, the King William Silver Society, and the King William Gold Society. Each one, in the order named, is a step toward Delta Omicron. Upon election to Delta Omicron or any of the other three societies the new member receives a watch charm as a badge of his achievement. The point requirements are kept high to make the award more significant. Two years ago they were raised in order to counteract the effect of the increased number of student activities. The present members are: Charles S. Catherman, Jr., '35; President; Robert H. Lampee, '35; Robert N. Sosman, '35; Albert J. Vigilanti, '35; and Dalton M. Welty, '35.

## Key Society

HE Key Society, The Jewish organization of St. John's College, is entering its second successful year. Organized in the winter of 1933, the Society was formally inaugurated by a banquet at the Blue Lantern Inn, attended by two former members of the College, Douglas Huntly Gordon, and Nathan C. Starr. The Society is the result of a movement on the campus that had been developing for some time before its creation.

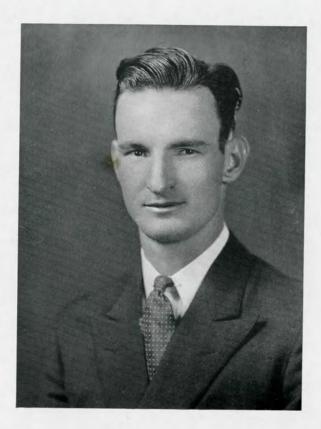
In spite of the newness of the organization, and the fact that there are no buildings available on the campus for the club to use as a meeting house, they have enjoyed a substantial degree of success and have functioned exceedingly well during their first two years. The Articles of Agreement which were drawn up when the club was first organized defined the word "Society" in the finest and broadest sense to mean not merely an organization existing for the betterment of its members, but a "constructive force in the lives of all the members of the College."

In addition to their regular weekly meetings, the members occasionally meet for informal lectures in a down town restaurant. Over a year ago the Society sponsored its first formal dance at the Southern Hotel in Baltimore, which was the beginning of a list of social gatherings.

The Charter Officers of the club for the first year were: Joseph Novey, '35, President; William Gideon, '36, Vice-President for the first half year; Milton Katz, '34, Vice-President for the Second half year; Max Glickman, '35, Recorder; and the following members, Melville Bisgyer, Jerome Goodman, Asher Hollander, Louis Horn, Lawrence Kantor, Lewis Putzel, R. L. Rascovar, Isador Scher, Irving Silver, and E. P. Snyder.

Professors Myron McLaren and Ford K. Brown are advisors of the society.

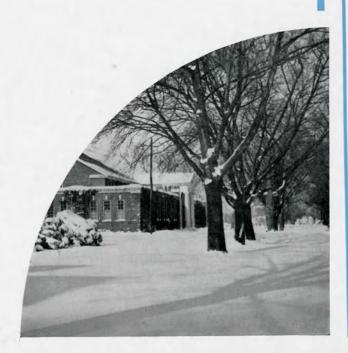




# Delta Kappa Phi

T St. John's, those students whose accomplishments in studies have been exceptional are honored by membership in Delta Kappa Phi. The object of the organizations is to offer a form of recognition for scholastic achievement. Since its organization, seven years ago, the fraternity has been trying to gain recognition from Phi Beta Kappa, the best known and most important national honorary fraternity, and for this reason the eligibility requirements have been kept high. To be eligible for membership, seniors must have been in the first or second group of the Dean's list at the end of their freshman, sophomore, and junior years and at the mid-year of their senior year. They must have been on the first group at least twice. Juniors must have been on the first group at the end of their freshman and sophomore years and at the mid-year of their junior year. The selection of new members is made by the present members and the faculty members, Professors Elliott and McFarlin. In 1934 one junior was elected, Lawrence J. O'Connor, who at the present time is the only member.

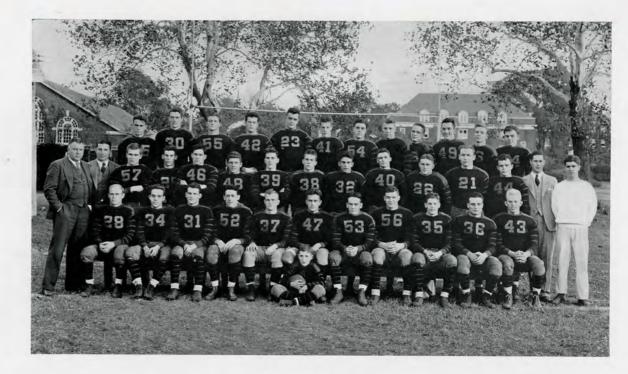
# ATHLETICS



#### FOOTBALL

#### SEASON RECORD

	S.J.C.	Opp
Maryland	0	13
Randolph Macon	6	0
Virginia	6	27
Swarthmore	12	0
American University	26	7
Hampden-Sydney	25	12
Shenadoah	20	0
Hopkins	13	7



#### Resumé

HE largest squad in several years reported for football practice on September 6th. The Johnnies had back a veteran line from tackle to tackle and around these five men and a veteran fullback Coaches Riggs and Lentz built their team. For the other positions most of last year's subs and some fine freshman material were available among the squad of 48 men who had reported by the time of the opening of the college session.

The 1934 St. John's football team was not the best in the history of the college and it was far from the worst. The Johnnies played a well balanced schedule, a majority of the teams met being in their class. Twice the Johnnies stepped out of their class and twice they were beaten. No excuse is offered, for the defeats were expected before the season opened. On both occasions St. John's displayed a fine brand of football. Neither of the defeats were ignominious and on both occasions those of the students who saw the

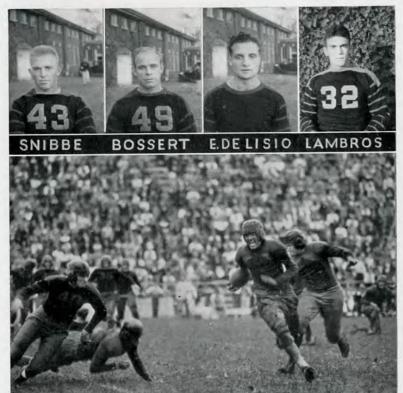
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games were proud to say that they were from St. John's in spite of defeat.

The highlight of the season was the victory over Hopkins by a score of 13 to 6. As usual the game was typical of Hopkins — St. John's games with the actual ability of the two teams counting little. It was the fifty-second game of a rivalry as old as the game itself and the win places the Johnnies one game ahead of the Jays in the series.



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#### RANDOLPH MACON

Playing in a steady downpour of rain on a muddy field, the St. John's College gridders handed an outweighed Randolph Macon eleven its first defeat on its home sward during the last five seasons. The game marked the first victory of the season for the Johnnie team and brought

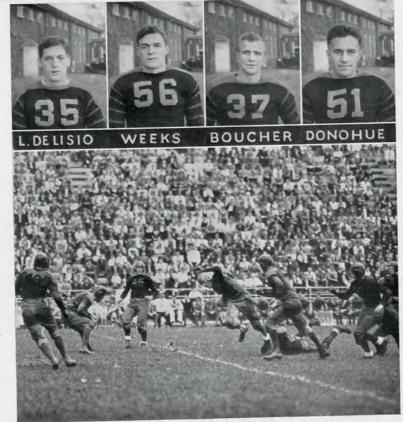
the average for the season to .500 percent.

The winning points for the Johnnies were scored on the first play of the second quarter by Johnnie Bossert. The Orange and Black team gained in an exchange of punts in the first quarter and then marched thirty five yards to the tally. The St. John's defense was fine all the way while the attack threatened repeatedly only to bog down or fumble in the mud near the goal line. Just as the game ended the Johnnies were on the verge of another score as they steadily neared the goal line on a sustained drive.

#### MARYLAND

The St. John's football team opened the season in a warm humid setting on a soggy field at College Park with a 13-0 defeat at the hands of the University of Maryland. The Old Liners won, alternating two full teams, but had to take to the air to get past the stubborn Johnnie defense for both touchdowns.

Outstanding for St. John's was the play of the veteran line. Big and rangy, the Johnnie forward wall fought the Old Liners to a standstill on the defensive and held a slight advantage on the offense, oftentimes causing the Johnnies to gain an advantageous position on the field. But for two costly errors which cost the Johnnies many yards the score might have been different, even considering those disastrous passes of George Sachs, Maryland full back, who was mainly responsible for the Old Line tallies made by the air.



#### **VIRGINIA**

The University of Virginia grid machine, featuring a strong aerial attack, defeated the fighting St. John's eleven at Charlottesville by the score of 27 to 6, while a crowd of five thousand spectators shivered in the autumnal shill.

The only St. John's score came after a steady march down the field at the beginning of the second half. Long runs by Smith and Bossert placed the ball on the two yard line from which point Joe Sutton carried it over on a line plunge. Bossert's place kick for the extra point failed.

Finding no hopes of tieing the score or of winning as the result of further marches along the ground, the Johnnies took to the air in the final period in desperation. Several of the passes were completed but two were intercepted by Virginia men for scores.











#### **SWARTHMORE**

St. John's regained its place in the win column by defeating Swarthmore College 12 to 0 in a game which was one of the featured events of the annual Homecoming Day celebration. The score of the game is scarcely indicative of the relative strength of the two teams because on several occasions the Orange and Black scored only to have the tally nullified by penalties.

The Johnnies had possession of the ball the greater part of the game and frequently made long marches down the field with it. Only the fact that the backs fumbled the ball frequently in offensive territory kept St. John's from scoring more often.

Johnny Bossert supplied most of the offensive punch for the Johnnies while Bob Snibbe also carried the ball well. Throughout the game the whole line put forth a creditable effort, but with no man in particular standing out.

#### HAMPDEN-SYDNEY

The St. John's football team turned in another well earned victory against Hampden-Sydney by a count of 25 to 12. The game with the Tigers, which has become an annual feature of the Johnnie schedule, was not so closely contested as have been some of the tests with this team in recent years.



The Johnnies took the lead in the first quarter even though they were held in check for a considerable period by the spectacular punting of the Tiger kicker. The initial score came after a seventy yard sustained drive down the field when Bossert tossed a shuttle pass to Everett Smith who carried the ball off tackle for six points.

In the final half the Annapolis team found itself and loosed an almost irresistible drive which, coupled with frequent tricky passes behind the line

of scrimmage netted them a touchdown in the third quarter and two more in the fourth.

#### AMERICAN U.

Displaying an aerial attack which functioned smoothly, the St. John's gridsters downed a stubborn American University eleven 26 to 7. Three hundred spectators sat in the drizzling rain to watch the Johnnies win their third victory.

Five minutes after the opening of the game Len DeLisio crossed the goal line for the Johnnies after taking a pass from Bossert on the eleven yard mark. This was the result



of the first of several continued drives down the field by the St. John's team.

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The only touchdown accomplished by the Eagles was made in the close of the second stanza, climaxing a substantial goal line drive. For the first time this season, even against the stronger opponents met at an earlier date, the Johnnie line gave ground before the assaults of an opponent.

SHENANDOAH

An outweighed but gamely fighting Shenandoah College football team fell before the skill of the powerful Orange and Black Grid machine by a score of 20 to 0 in the annual breather before the Hopkins game.

The game was mostly a good work-out for the Johnnie gridders who had little difficulty in pounding out the win. Most of the regulars only played a short while. Their places were taken by



frequent substitutions from among the freshmen contenders who were being given a chance to show off their ability as a prospective candidate for positions on next year's team.

The feature of the game was when Warren Hamman, playing for the first time against collegiate competition, made a touchdown on the first play he took part in. He galloped 47 yards through the entire Shenandoah team in the best run of the day.

HOPKINS

In the closing game of the season the St. John's eleven downed the Hopkins grid-machine by a score of 13 to 7. The initial Johnnie score was tallied by Bossert on a short line plunge, while Cal Lotz recovered a blocked punt to race half the length of the field for the remaining score.

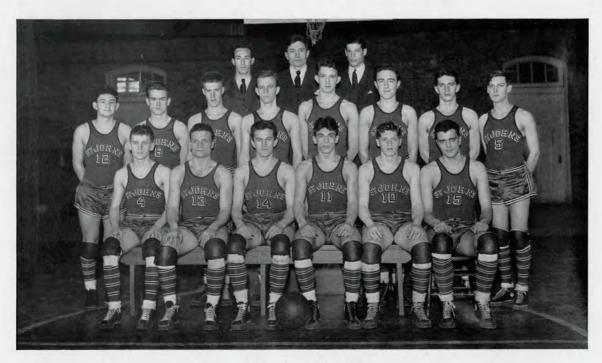


Johns Hopkins, with a decidedly inferior eleven, but inspired with the usual "do or die" spirit found in the morale of the underdog of a Hopkins-St. John's football game, rose to great heights to seriously threaten the splendid record of the St. John's team.

However, Hopkins was unable to cope with the superior power and better all round play of the Crabtowners. The Johnnies held possession of the ball for the greater part of the game and were it not for a

fumble on the part of the Orange and Black clad team on its own fourteen yard line, it is doubtful whether or not Hopkins would have been able to score.





### Basketball

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	S.J.C.	Opp.		S.J.C.	Opp.
Randolph Macon	. 23	18	Loyola	28	32
Hampden-Sydney		32	American University		21
V. M. I		20	Swarthmore	37	11
Washington & Lee		37	Mt. St. Mary's		27
Elon		25	Hopkins	25	19
Hopkins		28	Washington College		24
Potomac State		31	Loyola	25	32
Western Maryland		41	American University		19
Washington College		40	Maryland	24	17
Mt. St. Mary's		36	Western Maryland	35	34



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# Varsity Basketball

It is customary to compute the success of an athletic team during any given season by weighing the number of games won against the number lost, but to judge the success of the 1934-35 basketball season at St. John's in this manner would hardly be fair. Last year the Johnnies won the State Championship and from the five men who generally made up the starting team, only one reported back for practice this year. Coach Lentz had two lettermen on the squad of 27 men who reported in November to try for the team, most of whom were freshmen, and yet he was able to develop a team of which St. John's men were never ashamed; a team which won half its games including the two with Hopkins and the one with Maryland. Only three of its losses were clean cut; two were by a single point; while five were doubtful until the closing minutes of the game.

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It was a green team, untested, and highly inexperienced that wore the Orange and Black of St. John's against Randolph Macon early in December. This was the first game of the season. The students had heard reports of some good prospective freshmen players on the Johnnie squad; some of the students had watched these prospects in practice, but few were willing to pass judgment on their ability as college players until they had seen them in actual competition. The game was closely contested with







St. John's leading most of the way but not playing brilliantly. The Johnnie pass work was poor and errors were numerous but beneath the faults could be seen the makings of what some day may be a great St. John's team. St. John's won 23 to 18. A few days later against Hampden-Sydney the Johnnie quint showed much improvement. In the first half St. John's played brilliant ball to run up a thirteen point lead to coast to an easy victory.

At this point the season was interrupted by the Christmas Holidays. The Johnnies went home for a good time, forgetting much that their early season games had taught them and so when they went on the annual trip to Lexington, Virginia, for games with V. M. I. and Washington and Lee they sort of reopened the season all over again. This time however the reopening was not so successful, for the Orange clad team dropped a heart-breaker on the V. M. I. court and lost by a goodly margin the following night to a decidedly better W. and L. quint.

The Johnnie supporters began to look on their early season victories as accidents until the Johnnies sent Elon College back home after a 35 to 25 drubbing in an unexpected victory. This renewed the faith in the home team and so the students turned out en masse for the tilt with Hopkins a few nights later. The game was one of the fastest seen on the Johnnie floor with both quints resorting to quick breaks frequently. Indeed, at times the play was so fast that the referee was obliged to beg the captains to play basketball and not engage in a track meet.

Immediately after the lay-off of nearly two weeks for mid-year exams the Johnnies traveled to Cumberland to play an exhibition game with Potomac State College. The smooth passing Johnnie team battled with all the ability within its command in the fast game but fell on the short end of a 31 to 29 count. The Cumberland Times classed the game as "one of the most interesting, cleanest, and closest contested College games ever staged in that city." On the way back to Annapolis the Johnnies stopped off at Westminster to drop another close one to Western Maryland by a score of 41-40.

Following this trip the College list of ineligibility was published, clipping two regulars and several important substitutes from the squad.



The remodeled team consequently dropped the next three contests before toppling American University by a count of 44 to 21. The new Johnnie five was improving rapidly when it downed Swarthmore College on our home court 37 to 11 but soon regained its place in the losing column when it met the strong Mt. St. Mary's five. The game was a battle from start to finish but St. John's was forced to take a 27 to 20 defeat.

Hopkins was met a second time in the next game and again the Johnnies trounced their traditional rivals, this time 25 to 19. The game was described as poorly played with both teams off in their shooting but superior team-work was responsible for the victory.

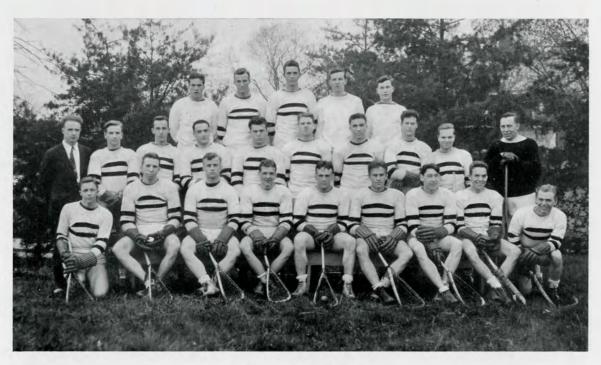
Washington College's tall, rugged quint again took the Johnnies over the jumps on the St. John's floor but not to the tune of a one-sided score which characterized the first game. The Shoremen took an early lead which they managed to hold throughout the entire game though at times by a slim margin to win out in the end 19-24. A few days later the Johnnies were forced to bow again before the strong Loyola quint in spite of a desperate second half rally. The Greyhounds led 25 to 11 at the half time but barely eked out a 32-25 win after the Johnnies managed to bring the score to 25-24 in the closing minutes of the game.

Regaining their confidence in another set up with American University, the Johnnies wound up the season in a blaze of glory by defeating the University of Maryland and Western Maryland College. The Johnnies entered the game with the Old Liners the underdog. They were expected to lose by a good margin to the College Parkers who have made it a habit to win from St. John's. Maryland boasted a tall rangy group of experienced men, but they were just another ball club to the Johnnies, who out fought them, as they had so many other teams, and brought back a 24 to 17 victory.

The final game of the season was a thriller from start to finish as both teams seemed to score at will. Western Maryland seized a three-point lead at the opening of the game which represented the maximum advantage gained by either team at any time during the game. The lead changed hands frequently with the Johnnies leading at the halftime by two points. The final score of the game was 35 to 34.







Lacrosse SEASON RECORD

	S.J.C.	Opp.		S.J.C.	Opp.
Mt. Washington	4	8	Maryland	8	3
Swarthmore	. 19	4	Syracuse		6
Washington College			Hopkins		8
C. C. N. Y		3	Army	8	6



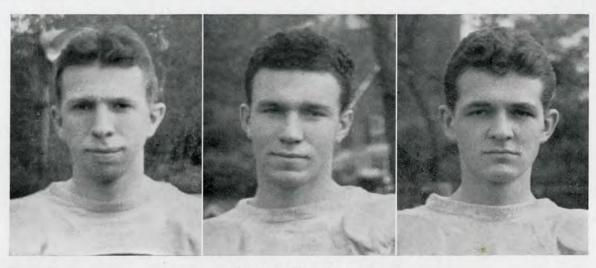
WILLIAM H. MOORE, III

Coach



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### Varsity Lacrosse

Although the 1934 lacrosse season at St. John's was highly successful from the point of view of wins and losses, it was not as successful as might have been expected if expectations were based on midseason performances. Those who followed the progress of the Johnnie ten saw a potentially great team develop rapidly to defeat decisively a fine team from the University of Maryland only to slide back the following Saturday and take a beating at the hands of Johns Hopkins even worse than the one it had itself meted out to the Old Liners. But St. John's has nothing to be ashamed of. The Johnnies suffered only one defeat at the hands of an intercollegiate ten and thus took second place among the lacrosse teams of the nation. All agree that the '34 St. John's lacrosse team was good; the fact that it cracked under the pressure of a championship game alone keeps it from being deserving of the title "great".

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St. John's opened the season against what was probably the finest club lacrosse team ever to play lacrosse. Certainly no team ever sported such a finished group of players as those who made up the line-up of the Mt. Washington Club which met and defeated the Orange and Black at Homewood field 8 to 4. The Johnnies played a fine brand of lacrosse throughout but were unable to cope with the superior talent presented by the club team. Practically every substitute used by the Hillmen was a former All-American while the regular team was a collection of the outstanding college stars of Maryland lacrosse during the last few years. The Wolfpack thus possessed the youth of a college team and yet had the beneficial experience of many years of college play. Outstanding as the leader of the Mt. Washington attack was Lorne Guild, former Hopkins luminary, who for the third time in as many years proved a thorn in the side of the Johnnies. His brilliant individual efforts were alone responsible for four goals, the margin of defeat. Both teams played a fine brand of ball to show "class" unsurpassed by any early season clash in recent years.







Still smarting from the defeat of the week before, the Johnnies brought back memories of the championship teams of not so long ago, when, with ease and grace the St. John's lacrosse team rode to a 19 to 4 victory over Swarthmore College. Only one flaw appeared in the play of the Johnnies and it was ironed out during the half time by Coach Moore. The mid-fielders were sucked out of position by the Little Quakers frequently and three times Swarthmore utilized an extra man on quick breaks down the field. High point scorer for the day was Everett Smith who tallied on seven occasions. He broke loose on the crease for passes five times while he dodged twice through the Garnet defense for individual scores. Dave Nopper figured prominently in the scoring spurt of the first six minutes of the second half during which five goals were scored. Five times he got possession of the ball behind the net and dodged his man. First four times he sent accurate passes to open men on the crease, while the fifth time he sent a bullet-like shot over the goalie's shoulder.

The frolicking Johnnies easily routed the representatives of Washington College the following Wednesday afternoon by a score of 13 to 0. The game, which was transferred from Annapolis to Salisbury at the request of the St. John's Alumni group in that City, was played before 2,000 spectators who crowded about the field, overflowing the stands. Unfortunately the field was of soft sand which caused the play to be much slower than ordinarily and led to sloppy stickwork. The outstanding part of this one-sided contest was when the attack went on a scoring spree early in the second half to set what is probably a record for rapid scoring. In spite of the frantic efforts of Coach Moore to keep the score down through substitutions, the Johnnies chalked up six goals in 1 minute and 57 seconds of elapsed playing time, average three goals per minute. One goal was scored seven seconds after the face-off.

By downing the City College of New York stickmen, the St. John's lacrosse team won its third victory of the season by a score of 20 to 3. Although the Orange and Black attack scored almost at will, the general play of the team was below par while the stickwork was ragged throughout. The visiting defensemen checked the Johnnie attackers well out beyond the shooting circle necessitating a dodging type of game which did not prove a disadvantage to the versatile Johnnie team. Everett Smith was again high scorer with six points while Dave Nopper was next with four.

The Johnnie team reached its peak against the University of Maryland when it defeated the strong College Park ten 8 to 3. From the very beginning of play on, there was little doubt as to the ultimate result of the contest, as the Orange and Black clad men worked in perfect unison to pump goal after goal into the Maryland netting with an ease which was very gratifying to the Johnnie rooters. The St. John's defense surprised all the dopesters by stopping the strong Maryland attack with air-tight play.



Not once was the Old Line attack able to score when the Johnnies had full strength on the field. Two of the Maryland tallies were made with three extra men while the other was accomplished with one extra. In the midfield Donohue stood out. But it was not any one man who was responsible for the victory but ten men working together.

On the following Monday afternoon the Johnnies coasted to an easy 11-6 victory over Syracuse. The high powered Johnnie attack easily rolled up a five goal lead in the first quarter, placing the Orange and Black in a position to ride to an easy triumph. Dave Nopper played one of his best games as he dodged and squirmed his way through the Orange of Syracuse for three of the five goals netted in the first quarter. He tied for scoring honors for the day with Kibler and Donohue who likewise netted three goals apiece. The game was characterized by a distinct let down on the part of St. John's after the hard game of the Saturday previous. Coach Moore gave nearly all of his squad a chance to play at some time or another during the course of the afternoon as a total of twenty-one men saw action.

On Saturday of the same week the championship hopes of the St. John's lacrosse team were shattered when the Johnnies met Hopkins in Baltimore and were defeated by a score of 8-2. The St. John's team was generally off color while the Jays were "on". The result was a nightmare for the loyal sons of S. J. C. who sat wriggling in their seats while the score continued to mount on one side of the board seemingly without end while remaining stationary on the other. There was little doubt that the Jays rose that day to heights which the '34 Johnnie team was incapable of rising.

On a hot late May afternoon the Johnnies closed their season against West Point with an 8 to 6 win over the Cadets. Led by Donohue's three goals, the Johnnies rolled up an eight to two lead during the first three periods to coast to victory. Three stages were apparent in the play of the Johnnies as the spectators saw the Annapolis team pump six goals into the Army netting in the first half, ease off in the third period and crumple in the final quarter before the superior conditioned Army team. The Cadets staged a desperate rally in the final period, scoring four goals but were checked in time by the fighting Johnnie team which seemed to gain its second wind as the game neared its end.





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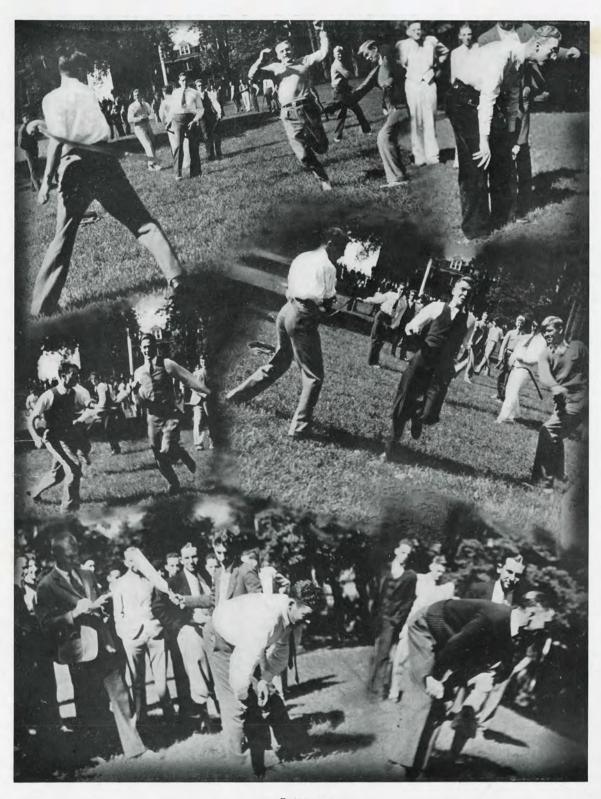
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# St. John's College Alumni

N November, 1933, a movement was started to revive interest in the St. John's College Alumni Association in order to promote interest among the alumni and to assist the college. The following officers were elected to serve for one year: Luther S. Tall '21, president; Roland M. Wegner '24, secretary; William F. Stromeyer '16, treasurer, and Claxton O'Connor '30, assistant secretary. A plan was adopted whereby the association would be organized on a national scale and incorporated under the laws of the State of Maryland.

During the year of 1933 Branch Associations were formed in Baltimore, Washington, Annapolis, Richmond, Boston, Cumberland, Cambridge, and Salisbury. Each of these branches increased its activities in the form of luncheons, dinners, and smokers, and the attendance broke all past records. The National Association adopted a resolution that it must arrange twice a year, once in November on Home Coming Day and again on Commencement Day in June, to entertain the alumni on the campus in Annapolis.

The Alumni Association wishing to obtain an Alumnus of St. John's as president of the twenty-five alumni registered during the day. On Homecoming Day, November 3, 1934, four hundred and twenty-five alumni were present at the formal inauguration of President Woodcock and at the laying of the corner stone for the new boathouse, an alumni project. Enthusiasm among alumni over the prospects of the college seemed to be high—reflecting confidence in the abilities of President Woodcock, Dean Douglas Howard, and Major Evelyn Harrison, assistant to the president. The national officers of the association were reelected at the business meeting and the organization of a new branch association in Los Angeles, Calif., was announced.

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During the past year the Alumni Bulletin has been doing good work under the management of Claxton O'Connor. Several Alumni Issues of the St. John's Collegian were sent out to over two thousand St. John's graduates. Contacts with distant alumni are being made so that a greater unity and increased strength will be felt.

One great activity undertaken by the Alumni Association is the Loyalty Fund. This fund includes three sub-funds: the Boat House Fund, the Scholarship Fund, and the Clarence Wilson Stryker Library Fund. The raising and administering of this money is under the supervision of the following trustees: Dr. Amos Hutchins, Roland M. Wegner, Luther B. Miller, and Harry Sturdy.

The National Association feels that a great deal has been accomplished in a practical way and that a great deal more has been done toward raising the morale among the alumni and at the college. Greater accomplishments are expected next year—among them the completion of the boat house in time for the Homecoming Day in November, 1935.

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