**Dr. Newell Speaks For Religious Week**

During the past week, February 16-14, many students have heard the inspiring messages of Dr. Arthur W. Newell, speaker of Religious Emphasis Week, sponsored by the Y.W.C.A. Dr. Newell, who is pastor of St. John's United Church of Christ at Harrisonburg, used as his topic, "Think on These Things," which was divided into two parts: "What Is Religion," and "The Mark of a Christian Life," for his address.

The "What Is Religion," part began Monday, February 14, with "You Need a Faith for Times of Troubling." Tuesday, February 15, Dr. Newell undertook "Your Own Religion," and Wednesday, February 16, he spoke on "Why Have You Not Had This of It." Meanwhile, "The Mark of a Christian Life," was scheduled for Thursday, February 17, "Go Look Yourself," and Friday, February 18, "What Will Be the Respect for Yourself." Saturday, February 19, Dr. Newell attacked, "We Are a Host of the Supporting Cast!"

**Topics for the evening series were:**

- **Monday, February 14, 8 p.m.:** "What Will Be Your Life?"
- **Tuesday, February 15, 8 p.m.:** "There Will Be Platforms - Will There Be Forgeries?"
- **Thursday, February 17, 8 p.m.:** "Will There Be Respect for Persons?"
- **Tonight, February 18, 8 p.m.:** "Will There Be Respect for Persons?"

On Saturday night, Dr. Newell talked to the girls at buzz sessions in the dorms every evening during the week, and a faculty reception was held in Alumnae Hall on Tuesday night.

A coffee hour was held on Sunday night at Sprinkle House in honor of Dr. Newell, and various other activities were held during the week in observance of Religious Emphasis Week.

**Religious Emphasis Week is an annual event sponsored by the Y.W.C.A.**

Dr. Newell addressed the students with a message of "Empower Us," in which he encouraged students to "let your faith be known in the body and in the soul." He outlined the importance of faith and the need for students to engage with their community in a positive manner.

**Campus Selection Betty Davis To Be Apple Blossom Princess**

"Surprised and honored." Betty Jane Davis described her reaction to being chosen as Madison's representative to this year's Apple Blossom Festival in Winchester.

**Apples Blossom Festival**

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By Avis Autry

Betty Jane Davis receives flowers and congratulations from Pete Baxley, SGA President, as she is announced Madison's Princess to the annual Apple Blossom Festival in Winchester.
Your Vote Counts!!

In only eleven more days it will be the responsibility of the student body to elect the campus leaders for next year. This is a duty which should not be taken lightly by any, but one which requires the thought and study of each student on this campus. We must not vote for candidates on the basis of their being our friends, but instead we must weigh carefully their qualifications for the office which they are seeking.

"Qualifications" include not only their past record in campus organizations, but their attitude toward the office, as well as their relations with the faculty, administration, and student body. We should keep in mind that whoever we choose will not be able to execute the duties of his office alone, but will be required to work closely with all who are connected with the college. The National Convention and Electoral Board have been selective in their choice of major candidates; thus it is left up to us to use the same forethought in choosing the officers who will guide us. In this forthcoming campaign we shall be subjected to the electioneering of those who will attempt to persuade us to vote a certain way.

We shall hear many times over reasons why "so-and-so" is the best one. The favorite argument is that "he has the student's welfare as their prevailing concern. Then on, irrelevant to the class. " He should be reasonable, understanding, lowering of standards in education where all work is "A" work.

And try to follow the example of the good ones. On the other hand there are those who are not at all aware of the attributes not only lead to a higher quality of work but, also it would not have done without the teachers having such a great influence over his life.

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Herman's Herd Heard

The visit to our campus by the well-known Woody Herman and his Third Herd was a more successful endeavor than anyone anticipated. Wednesday night's concert was well supported by the student body and interesting and unusual auditions were held to fill out the personnel. It is believed that an informal concert of this type appeals to our friends, but instead we must weigh carefully their qualifications for the office which they are seeking. It is a duty which should not be taken lightly by anyone, but one which requires the thought and study of each student on this campus.

Teach Unto Others...

Stop and think about this one minute! How many students and faculty members know and realize how important it is to be congenial and friendly in the classroom and outside? Favorable attributes not only lead to a higher quality of work but, also it would not have done without the teachers having such a great influence over his life.

The teacher who has these attributes does not necessarily have to be the ideal teacher in every way possible. He does not need a personality that swipes you off your feet, or looks that send you scuttling into seventh heaven. He is not expected to dote on all "A's", or be easily swayed into a channel of thinking which is irrelevant to the class. 'He should be reasonable, understanding, and fair in all he does. Above all, he should try to inspire his students to higher aspirations---in almost impossible task.

On a comparatively small campus the relation between professors and students are many times closely-knit. One will always find the professors who take a real interest in their students, and have the student's welfare as their prevailing concern. Then on, irrelevant to the class. He should be reasonable, understanding, lowering of standards in education where all work is "A" work.

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A Scholarship For Your Opinion

In Reed And Barton's Contest

During the months of February and March, Reed & Barton, America's oldest silversmiths, will sponsor an "Opinion Competition" in which entitled students worldwide at a few selected colleges and universities will have the opportunity to earn a scholarship of $100. Reed & Barton has been selected to enter this Competition in which the First Grand Award is $2,000 cash scholarship; Second Grand Award is a $1,000 cash scholarship; Third, Fourth, and Fifth awards are $100 scholarships.

In addition there will be 100 other awards with winners having the option of receiving a $10 Savings Bond or a "starter set" of sterling silver, a crystal and the sterling silver design by the winners.

"In the 'Silver Opinion Competition'" an entrant is asked to name the favorite cloths pattern, his favorite metal and the pattern he likes best. Then in her own words she must tell why she has chosen these three particular designs. The student may use as few words as she likes. There is no set limit. Entries will be judged on the basis of interpreting opinions rather than on literary technique. Closing date is midnight, March 15.

Miss Priscilla Shafer is the Student Representative who is conducting the "Silver Opinion Competition" for Reed & Barton at Madison. Those interested in entering the Silver Opinion Competition should contact Priscie at Carter House room 28, the entry blanks and a complete description of the contest. The details are contained in the "Silver Opinion Competition" rules.

The rules, by design expressed by college women committee members, Reed & Barton hopes to compile a valuable library of expressions of young American women.

Prudent Student

Student Prone From

Hey There!

by Connie Lou

Welcome all new transfers! Madison always enjoys seeing new faces coming on to campus. Just make yourself at home and join in on the joyful Madison spirit.

Well, another new slate is started for another new semester. The time is right for you to get your good side on. Remember, if you ever don't succeed, just try again.

The next few months will be honey for everyone, so hold on to your head. The major candidates are all planning for their campaigns, so Harrison Hall will be noisy with hammering and railing. Good luck to all.

A fashion show will be sponsored by Merchants Club on Thursday, February 20 9:30 p.m. Mr. Richard Oster, a sales representative for I. Magnin, will be present to talk about women's sportswear. Everyone is invited.

At Convocation last Wednesday, Rev. Turner addressed the student body. The seminar faculty had their traditional march down the aisle, - This marked the beginning of the spring semester.

Here's hoping Dan Copid shot you with his bow.
Major Organizations' Candidates Present Qualifications

E.A.A.
ELLEN "Abbie" Ashton, a candidate for president of the Athletic Association, is from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. As a physical education major, "Abbie" is attaining her major. She has been a member of the Softball, Swimming, Figure Skating, and Field Hockey teams. She has been a member of the Student Council, Junior Y. and the Alpha Sigma Alumnae chapter. She is a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity and has worked as a homemaker.

Breeze
JOAN LAMBERT is a candidate for membership in The BREEZE. She is a junior in the Junior Class. She has been a member of the Freshman Class, president of the Sophomore Class, and also belonged to the Beta Xi Alpha Club. She has been a member of the Student Council, Westminister Fellowship, and a member of the German Club. She has also worked on the Business Staff of the Breezemam and was Sophomore Class Euphor.

Schools
MARTHA TALMAN, a junior who has served as a member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Club, has been a member of the Freshman class. She has been a member of the Theta Xi Alpha Club and also belongs to the Alpha Sigma Alumnae chapter. She has been a member of the Student Council, Westminister Fellowship, and a member of the German Club. She has also served on the Business Staff of the Breezemam and was an editor of the Westminister Fellowship.

Westminster Group
ELLEN "Ash" Ashton, a candidate for School- mates President, has been a member of the Westminster Group. She has been a member of the Junior Y. Ginny from Herndon, Virginia, is serving as Junior Class President. She has been a member of the Associated Student Government and has belonged to the Arrow Club. She has also worked on the Business Staff of the Breezemam and was Sophomore Class Editor.

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Sport's Flash

With Ash

The main highlight in the news this week is Madison's recent basketball game with Lynchburg College. On Saturday, February 8, the girls basketball team opened their season with two contests with Lynchburg on the latter's court. The final scores showed Lynchburg winning the first team game 74-49 and Madison winning the second team game 61-53.

On Saturday the Dukes also were engaged in a basketball contest with Shepherd College. Unfortunately the boys were again unable to come through and the final tally of points showed Madison on the bottom.

The activities now being offered in the intramural program are social dance, intramural fencing and volleyball. At present there is a little confusion as to whether the bowling alleys are on limits or not; so for the time being bowling intramurals have been postponed.

Come out and support the team this Saturday. Our girls play Longwood on the home court in Reed Gym for their first appearance here this season. The only other home game will be March 1, when the team plays Westminster.

With the start of a new semester everyone has turned over the proverbial new leaf. Hope you are having better luck keeping it than this reporter is.

Till then—See you at the basketball game this Saturday!

Madison v. Longwood 1:20 p.m.

Tryouts And Concert Keep Orchesis Active


Free Passes State

State—Laverne Winger, Jo Anna Wade, Betty Via, Nancy Rice, Jean Crabb.

Free Passes Virginia

Virginia—Jean Hottle, Sandra Makar, Alice Wimer, Mary Harry, Betty L. Walls, Bonnie Walker, Betty Jean Murphy, Berry Sue Martin, Linore Maynard, Mary McConnell.

Lynchburg Tops Madison Duchesses

Saturday, February 8, saw the 24 members of the girls' extrarmal basketball traveling to Lynchburg College for their opening game of the season.

Lynchburg entered the contest with an undefeated record and to the girls' surprise kept that record.

The game started off slowly for Madison with the score at the end of the first quarter showing Lynchburg with a considerable lead over our girls. However, the team started to click towards the end of the second quarter, and the score at the end of the half was Lynchburg 34, Madison 19.

The second half was a more evenly matched contest and the girls moved closer to Lynchburg, but try as they may, they were unable to catch up. The final tally showed Lynchburg on top 50-46.

If one is considering the final score as the primary factor, the second game was the better one. At the end of this game Madison was the victor with the score reading 61-53.

This Saturday at 2:00 p.m., Madison plays Longwood College on our home courts.

Sport's Quiz

1. Who was the first pitcher to win three games in the World Series?
2. Which woman made a grand slam in tennis and was the first of her race to do so?
3. Who received the award for the best woman athlete of 1957?
4. Who was the first pitcher to win three games in the World Series?
5. Which girl's school is hoping for three games in the World Series?

CALENDAR

Saturday, February 15—7:30 p.m. "The Bad Seed"
Sunday, February 16—Attend the Church of Your Choice
Monday, February 17—12 noon Major Office Candidate Presentations
5:00-10:00 p.m. Sophomore Class Rehearsal
Tuesday, February 18—7:00 p.m. —Frances Sale Club—Maury Hall
Wednesday, February 19—6:00 a.m. Displays for major candidates
12 noon—Harrisonburg High School Band
6:30-9:00 p.m. —Sophomore Class Rehearsals
Thursday, February 20—8:00-10:00 p.m. —Sophomore Class Rehearsals

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